

# KICKOFF



**NATIONAL  
PREMIER LEAGUES**  
NSW

**CROMER PARK  
SAT 9TH APRIL  
7PM**

**FIXTURES, LADDERS**

**MATCH PREVIEW**

**REVIEWS, TEAM LISTS**



**2022 - ROUND 06**

# CLUB WELCOME

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Good evening and welcome to Cromer Park for tonight's National Premier League NSW Men's 2022 match between Manly United and Wollongong Wolves.

Despite the weather and the unfamiliar setting of Cromer Park 2, last week's home game saw the Northern Beaches football fans flood to Cromer Park 2 to enjoy NPL Football once again.

Cromer Park 1 is beginning to take shape as the synthetic grass has begun to be laid and it is starting to look like a football pitch once again. The newly renovated Clubhouse and rehabilitation centre are eagerly awaiting the return of football to Cromer Park 1.

We once again would like to say A special Thank You to Football NSW for understanding the recent rain has pushed the delivery of the pitch back.

Manly United returns to Cromer Park once again this week after last Saturday's win against Northbridge

Bulls, which ended with a deserved 3-0 result.

Manly United broke the stalemate of the scoreless game in the 74th minute when Seiya Kambayashi scored the first goal after sustained pressure. Bruno Mendes and Matt Sim were quick to pick up on the momentum, also finding the back of the net in quick succession.

Today's opponents will be travelling to win the three points after going down 2-0 to APIA last Friday night. Looking for their second win of the season and with the long trip up the coast it is set to be a good contest tonight.

Good luck to both teams and we hope you all enjoy the match and then relax after the game in the Social Club, The Far Post!

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# 1ST GRADE TEAM LISTS



- 1 Sam Benton
- 2 Kieran Paull
- 3 Jesse Piriz
- 4 Jimmy Oates
- 5 Tom Fay
- 6 James Georgaklis
- 7 Seiya Kambayashi
- 8 Dom Ferguson
- 9 Ben Koop
- 10 Luca Kmet
- 11 Matt Sim
- 12 Finn Ashton
- 14 Dejan Pandurevic
- 15 Kristian Santich
- 17 Zenden Hart
- 18 Lucas Rainbird
- 19 Alen Aganovic
- 20 Jack Greenwood
- 21 Nick Rainbird
- 22 Bruno Mendes
- 23 Hugo Cornish
- 24 Mitch Mattison

Head Coach: Adam Griffiths

Assistant Coach: Marty Judge

Goalkeeper Coach: Elvis Demarchi

Head Physio: Steve Felsher

Team Manager: Ida Rigoni

Lead Physio: Christian Bate

Strength and Conditioning: Alex Berger



- 2 Daniel Goni
- 3 Darcy Madden
- 4 Nikola Djordjevic
- 5 Banri Kanaizumi
- 6 Senna Stevenson
- 8 Brendan Griffin
- 9 Peter Simonoski
- 10 Takumu Tsujimura
- 11 Josh Macdonald
- 12 Harrison Taranto
- 13 Tomas Butkovic
- 14 Nicholas Duarte
- 15 Nick Littler
- 16 Guy Knight
- 17 James Stojcevski
- 18 Evan Ball
- 19 Jake Lavalie
- 20 Kuot Maliet
- 21 Jacob Madden
- 22 Leroy Jennings
- 24 Lachlan Scott
- 25 Nav Darjani

Coach: Luke Wilkshire

Assistant Coach: Matheus Scapin

Senior Managers: Chris Keller and Mark Wilkshire

Equipment Manager: Egor Dolgoplov

GK Coach: John Krajnovic

**Referee:**

**Christian Verdicchio**

**Assistant Referees:**

**Patrick Teleki and Joon Park**

**Fourth Official:**

**Logan Rhys Jones**

\*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

# MATCH PREVIEW

A late onslaught of three goals saw Manly United pick up a convincing win over Northbridge in Round 5 and returning to Cromer Park for their second home game of the season this weekend, and will be hoping they can maintain their form when Wollongong make the long trip to Manly,

With Seiya Kambayashi and Kieran Paull earning Team of the Week selections after their victory, they will be ones to watch on Saturday, alongside NPL NSW stalwart, Matt Sim.

Sitting in fifth position on the ladder, Manly have shown they have a lot of potential this season and will be hungry to ensure they continue to show their home fans what they are capable of.

Wollongong Wolves, coming off a 2-0 loss to league leaders APIA Leichhardt and a wash-out the week before, will be hoping to upset Manly at home to secure their second win of the season.

Leaning on the attacking prowess of Leroy Jennings and Kuot Maliet, the Wolves will need to work hard for a big result after the long trip to Cromer Park if they hope to get back into form.

A win would prove valuable to the ninth-placed Wolves as they hope to pick up momentum, but will they be able to pull off an upset for Manly at home?



# 1ST GRADE LADDER

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	FF	F	A	GD	PTS
1	APIA Leichhardt FC	5	4	0	1	0	10	5	5	12
2	Sydney FC	5	3	2	0	0	12	9	3	11
3	Sydney United 58 FC	5	3	1	1	0	10	9	1	10
4	Sydney Olympic FC	4	2	1	1	0	5	3	2	7
5	Manly United FC	5	2	1	2	0	6	5	1	7
6	Blacktown City FC	4	2	0	2	0	6	5	1	6
7	Sutherland Sharks FC	5	2	0	3	0	12	12	0	6
8	Rockdale Ilinden FC	5	1	3	1	0	7	7	0	6
9	Wollongong Wolves FC	4	1	1	2	0	6	5	1	4
10	Marconi Stallions FC	4	1	1	2	0	6	7	-1	4
11	Northbridge Bulls FC	5	1	0	4	0	6	14	-8	3
12	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	5	0	2	3	0	11	16	-5	2

# FIRST GRADE REVIEWS

## Manly United FC 3 – Northbridge Bulls FC 0 at Cromer Park

Manly United marked their long-awaited return to Cromer Park with three late goals and a memorable victory over the Northbridge Bulls on Saturday night.

In a tight contest that was not entirely reflected by the eventual scoreline, Seiya Kambayashi, Bruno Mendes and Matt Sim all struck inside the final quarter of an hour to secure Adam Griffiths' men their second win of the season.

The fullback-turned-creative midfielder Kambayashi capitalised on a fortunate deflection in the area, which saw him slot home the breakthrough goal that his side had toiled for.

Just six minutes later, the Brazilian Mendes extended their lead by pouncing to convert his first goal for Manly United with a similarly cool strike.

And once it rained, it poured for Manly, with their top scorer Matt Sim getting in on the act three minutes later.

## APIA Leichhardt FC 2 – Wollongong Wolves FC 0 at Lambert Park

APIA Leichhardt FC continued their strong start to the 2022 National Premier Leagues NSW season with a 2-0 win against Wollongong Wolves at Lambert Park on Friday night keeping the Inner West club atop of the league ladder for another round.

Sean Symons stole the headlines for the hosts coming off the bench with a curling left-foot thunderbolt in the 83rd minute that rattled Luke Wilkshire's men.

U.S. import Jason Romero made up for his earlier penalty miss and added a second goal in injury time for the 2-0 scoreline and continued his quality form in the NPL NSW Men's competition.

Wollongong Wolves had their chances in a tight contest, with efforts on goal through Peter Simonoski and substitute Kuot Maliet, but they were unable to find a way past APIA's experienced custodian Ivan Necevski in a game that was pulsating for the whole ninety minutes.



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## ROUND 5



PATRICK WOOD    JAIDEN KUCHARSKI



SEAN SYMONS    DAKOTA ASKEEW    JASON ROMERO    DARCY BURGESS    LOUIS KHOURY



SEIYA KAMBAYASHI    T. MUATA MARLOW    KIERAN PAULL



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# U20 TEAM LISTS



- 26 Tom Chidiac
- 27 Hunter Elliot
- 28 Yannis Frerck
- 29 Marcus Lal
- 30 Daniel Solsky
- 31 Max Martinello
- 32 Jack Mason
- 33 Lachlan Mills
- 34 Tian Rae
- 35 Stefano Rossello
- 36 Adam Shaheen
- 37 Kyle Devine

Head Coach: Nick Robb  
Assistant Coach: Gonzalo Naya  
Team Manager: John Rae  
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- 1 Tommy Butkovic
- 2 Ben Giason
- 3 Ryan Mrvck
- 4 Dax Kelly
- 5 Senna Stevenson
- 6 Nicholas Kalule
- 7 Thomas Dunn
- 8 Luke Dearsley
- 9 Denim Nou
- 10 Nico Duarte
- 11 Josh Fields
- 12 Michael Manyoun

Coach: Aaron Kellaway  
Assistant Coach: Juan Chazaretta  
Manager: Warren McWhirter  
GK Coach: John Krajnovic

# U20 LADDER

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	FF	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Blacktown City FC	5	3	2	0	0	11	3	8	11
2	Wollongong Wolves FC	4	3	1	0	0	7	1	6	10
3	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	4	2	2	0	0	14	7	7	8
4	Manly United FC	4	2	1	1	0	3	2	1	7
5	Sydney FC	5	2	1	2	0	8	9	-1	7
6	Northbridge Bulls FC	5	2	0	3	0	6	6	0	6
7	APIA Leichhardt FC	4	1	2	1	0	3	4	-1	5
8	Sutherland Sharks FC	5	1	2	2	0	9	13	-4	5
9	Rockdale Ilinden FC	4	0	3	1	0	7	8	-1	3
10	Marconi Stallions FC	3	1	0	2	0	4	5	-1	3
11	Sydney Olympic FC	2	1	0	1	0	2	3	-1	3
12	Sydney United 58 FC	5	0	0	5	0	1	14	-13	0





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PHOTO GALLERY

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# GOLDEN BOOT TALLY

Name (Team)	Goals
Patrick Wood (Sydney FC)	5
Rory Jordan (Northbridge Bulls)	4
Jaiden Kucharski (Sydney FC)	4
James Andrew (Sutherland Sharks)	4
Jack Stewart (Mt Druitt Town Rangers)	4
Jason Madonis (Sutherland Sharks)	3
Sean Symons (APIA)	3
Jason Romero (APIA)	3
Matt Sim (Manly United)	3
Charles Lokolingoy (Marconi Stallions)	3
Chris Payne (Sydney United 58)	3



## NEXT ROUND FIXTURES

**MT DRUITT TOWN RANGERS FC  
VS NORTHBRIDGE BULLS FC**  
7:00 PM / FRI, 15TH APR  
POPONDETTA PARK

**APIA LEICHHARDT FC  
VS SUTHERLAND SHARKS FC**  
5:30 PM / SAT, 16TH APR  
LAMBERT PARK

**MARCONI STALLIONS FC  
VS MANLY UNITED FC**  
7:00 PM / SAT, 16TH APR  
MARCONI STADIUM

**BLACKTOWN CITY FC  
VS SYDNEY FC**  
3:00 PM / SUN, 17TH APR  
BLACKTOWN CITY SPORTS CENTRE

**ROCKDALE ILINDEN FC  
VS WOLLONGONG WOLVES FC**  
4:00 PM / SUN, 17TH APR  
ROCKDALE ILINDEN SPORTS CENTRE

**SYDNEY UNITED 58 FC  
VS SYDNEY OLYMPIC FC**  
3:00 PM / MON, 18TH APR  
SYDNEY UNITED SPORTS CENTRE



# FIXTURES

## 2022 HOME GAMES



**HOME GROUND - Cromer Park**  
**South Creek Rd, Dee Why**

<b>Sat, 2nd Apr</b>	5:00 PM	Northbridge Bulls FC	<b>R5</b>
<b>Sat, 9th Apr</b>	7:00 PM	Wollongong Wolves FC	<b>R6</b>
<b>Fri, 22nd Apr</b>	7:00 PM	Blacktown City FC	<b>R8</b>
<b>Fri, 6th May</b>	7:00 PM	Sydney United 58 FC	<b>R10</b>
<b>Fri, 20th May</b>	7:00 PM	Sydney Olympic FC	<b>R12</b>
<b>Fri, 27th May</b>	7:00 PM	APIA Leichhardt FC	<b>R13</b>
<b>Fri, 3rd Jun</b>	7:00 PM	Sutherland Sharks FC	<b>R14</b>
<b>Fri, 10th Jun</b>	7:00 PM	Sydney FC	<b>R15</b>
<b>Fri, 1st Jul</b>	7:00 PM	Marconi Stallions FC	<b>R18</b>
<b>Fri, 15th Jul</b>	7:00 PM	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	<b>R20</b>
<b>Sun, 31st Jul</b>	3:00 PM	Rockdale Ilinden FC	<b>R22</b>



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