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POPONDETTA PARK SATURDAY 30TH APRIL 7PM

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Featured player: Diogo Barbosa

2022 - ROUND 09

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- SMOKING is strictly prohibited within all Blacktown City Council Parks
- The lighting, release, propulsion of any object (including but not limited to flares) is strictly prohibited and offenders will be arrested and charged

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**Mount Druitt Town Rangers FC** is partnering with local businesses who share our Club values and ethos. We have a long-established history of supporting players, officials, families and spectators who share a love for the game. Football brings communities together. The *Local Rangers Program* supports the Club, our Community and your Business.

Our Club covers grassroots (community) teams and special needs, right through to elite representative level. We are just as passionate about playing socially for fun and fitness, as we are about the development of our juniors for the next generation of Pararoos, Socceroos and Matildas. It is all about personal development both on and off the field.



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#### Gain broad exposure via +5,000 strong membership and follower base

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Supporting community and business

## **CLUB WELCOME**

Welcome to Popondetta with Mount Druitt Rangers FC proudly hosting Manly United FC for a good ol' feast of football.

Rangers warmly welcome all our members, players, supporters and the valued sponsors of Mount Druitt Rangers FC to Popondetta Park. Thank you for your support and trust you enjoy a great night of football.

As the weather continues to play havoc with Season 2022 we welcome the opportunity to host a full day and night of Football on the amazing Popondetta Park as we seek to get the season back on course.

Head gaffa Stewart Montgomery and Stama Glaros continue to put in the hard yards to turn the squads potential into points. Scoring a couple of goals in every game remains a positive, while conceding goals remains a concern.

Rangers FNSW Boy's Youth League 1 host Derby day v Blacktown Spartans on Saturday,

Rangers FNSW Women's One and Girl's Youth League Two host Sutherland on Sunday while the 14g & 16g also host SouthCoast Flames catchup games on Friday.

Rangers SAP host Southern Districts at Popondetta #2 on Saturday.

It's a grand ol' team to play for, it's a grand ol' team to see...

We thank, acknowledge and appreciate the ongoing support of our proud Match Day sponsor

West Tradies and their Terrace Bar, outstanding pasta, pizza and so much more. Be sure to checkout and get to westtradies.com.au.

Ensure you get behind the Green and Gold and cheer loud...for the game tonight, let's pack Popondetta.

We sincerely thank the outstanding support of our Blacktown City Council for the enormous contribution and efforts they have put into preparing the Popondetta playing surface and facilities against all the recent and persistent adverse weather, the field looks fantastic.

Have a great weekend and stay safe.

#LetsGoRangers

Scott Payer







## **IST GRADE TEAM LISTS**





- 1 Matthew Symes (GK)
- 2 Solomon-JohnnMonahan-Vaiika
- 3 Andre Tchuda
- 4 Travis Oughtred (C)
- 5 Peter Nicols
- 6 Louis Khoury
- 7 Jack Stewart
- 8 Jason Perez
- 9 John Roberts
- 10 Diogo Barbosa
- 11 Fumoto Kamada
- 12 Jake Trajkovski
- 13 Jorge Tavares
- 15 Brayden Burr
- 17 Cooper Coskerie
- 18 Olayinka Sunmola
- 19 Bul Juach
- 20 Robert Fanella (GK)
- 21 Tarek Elrich
- 22 Rhett Desilva
- 23 Leonard Abdo
- 25 Mohommed Sabbouh
- 26 Rocco Fragale
- 30 Richard Cardozo

Head Coach: Stewart Montgomery Assistant Coach: Stamati Glaros Team Convener: Tarek Ibrahim Video Analysis: Eddie Van Der Mulan Goalkeeper Coach: Steven Allen Team Manager: George Mandic

> Referee: Assistant Referees: Fourth Official:

- 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

Craig Fisher Joon Park and Hugh Fenton-White Melik Ibrahim

## **MATCH PREVIEW**

Mt Druitt Town Rangers kick off the Round 9 action on Saturday evening as they host Manly United at Popondetta Park.

Backing up from their Tuesday's rescheduled match with Marconi where they went down 4-2, Mt Druitt will be hoping to secure some crucial points if they want to keep their hopes alive this season.

Mt Druitt desperately need to find their form as they continue to fall further and further away on the ladder.

While they have struggled to secure the wins they need, they have showed plenty of promise, particularly in their attacking arsenal with the likes of Jack Stewart, Bul Juach, John Roberts and Fumoto Kamada all creating chances for the Rangers.

Manly United, coming off a loss to Blacktown City in Round 8, will make the trip out west to face up against Mt Druitt as they look to bounce back and stay competitive in the middle of the ladder.

The Northern Beaches outfit has had a lot more consistency over the park, having conceded ten goals while netting nine.

Manly United will be hoping they can have their strong back to full strength as captain Jimmy Oates continues bring out the best in his team.

The return of Matt Sim would bring back some highcalibre experience to the visitors, but even without the NPL stalwart, they will surely bring a good fight to the west.



## **1ST GRADE LADDER**

POS	TEAM	Р	W	D	L	F	А	GD	PTS
1	Sydney FC	8	5	2	1	21	17	4	17
2	APIA Leichhardt FC	8	5	1	2	19	12	7	16
3	Blacktown City FC	8	5	1	2	18	11	7	16
4	Rockdale Ilinden FC	8	4	3	1	14	8	6	15
5	Sydney Olympic FC	7	4	1	2	11	6	5	13
6	Manly United FC	8	3	2	3	10	9	1	11
7	Sydney United 58 FC	8	3	1	4	12	18	-6	10
8	Marconi Stallions FC	7	2	3	2	13	12	1	9
9	Wollongong Wolves FC	7	2	1	4	10	9	1	7
10	Sutherland Sharks FC	8	2	0	6	12	20	-8	6
11	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	7	1	2	4	15	21	-6	5
12	Northbridge Bulls FC	8	1	1	6	12	24	-12	4

#### Wollongong Wolves 3 – Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC 0 at WIN Stadium

Wollongong Wolves secured a 3-0 win over Mount Druitt Town Rangers at WIN Stadium on Friday night.

Two goals to Lachlan Scott and one to Nicholas Duarte took the hosts to three as they held out Mt Druitt, who have been known for their high-scoring matches.

Scott would score the first of the match in the 29th minute as Senna Stevenson played the ball across to Scott centrally outside the box who speared his strike into the bottom-left corner.

The home side found the second goal from a corner in the 73rd minute, Duarte was found free in the middle and headed home.

Only three minutes after this, Wollongong added a third with Duarte causing problems again this time driving into the left of the box before sliding the ball across to Scott who passed it into the netting.

#### Blacktown City 3 – Manly United 1 at the Blacktown City Sports Centre

Jordan Smylie stole the headlines once again with a brace that ultimately decided Blacktown City's professional 3-1 win over Manly United at Blacktown City Sports Centre on Sunday night.

Smylie was joined by Hiroaki Aoyama and Manly skipper Jimmy Oates on the scoresheet as Round 8's 'Match of the Round' fell the way of Mark Crittenden's men.

Jackson Bandiera whipped in a dangerous delivery that wasn't dealt with by the Manly defence, allowing Smylie to pounce and prod home from close range.

Less than 20 minutes later it was two, as Aoyama swiveled in the area and rolled the ball past Jack Greenwood in the Manly net.

Once again it was a delivery from the left that sealed the deal, with Aoyama's set piece falling to the

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former Central Coast Mariner who made no mistake in slotting home his eighth goal of campaign.

From that point on Manly United slowly but surely worked their way in to the contest, and after 63 minutes clawed one back.

Seiya Kambayashi's corner sailed towards the back of the net, resulting in an attempt to palm it away by Alex Robinson offering Manly skipper Oates the simplest of finishes.

It was to be too little too late for the Northern Beaches who were no match for the current red-hot Blacktown City outfit.





## **TEAM OF THE WEEK**





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## **U20 TEAM LISTS**



- 16 Joshua Amadi
- 24 Mabior Garang
- 27 Dimitris Theodorou
- 28 Daunte Cervo
- 29 Dieuseul Kandundaho
- 30 Jerome Narayan (GK)
- 31 Blake Steward
- 32 Jacob Micallef
- 34 Tom Ruperto
- 35 Rhys Osmond
- 36 Noah Panczyk
- 37 Tristian Vidic
- 38 Elijah Uelese
- 39 James Gray
- 41 Ivan Sunjic

Head Coach: Can Ozdemir Goalkeeper Coach: Steven Allen Physio: Kris Caloia Team Manager: Jordan Ozedmir Progressive Sports And Spinal Physiotherapy

- 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 Head Physio: Steve Felsher Lead Physio: Christian Bate Strength and Conditioning: Alex Berger

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9	Northbridge Bulls FC	8	2	1	5	10	17	-7	7
10	Marconi Stallions FC	6	2	0	4	9	14	-5	6
11	Sydney Olympic FC	3	1	0	2	2	5	-3	3
12	Sydney United 58 FC	7	0	0	7	3	20	-17	0

## **GOLDEN BOOT TALLY**

Name (Team)	Goals
Jordan Smylie (Blacktown City)	8
Jaiden Kucharski (Sydney FC)	8
Roy O'Donovan (Sydney Olympic)	6
Patrick Wood (Sydney FC)	6
Mark Jesic (Marconi)	6
Sean Symons (APIA)	6
Jason Romero (APIA)	5
Jack Stewart (Mt Druitt Town Rangers)	5
Alec Urosevski (Rockdale llinden)	5
Charles Lokolingoy (Marconi)	5
Lachlan Scott (Wollongong Wolves)	5



## **NEXT ROUND FIXTURES**

MANLY UNITED FC VS SYDNEY UNITED 58 FC 7:00 PM / FRI 6 MAY CROMER PARK

WOLLONGONG WOLVES FC VS BLACKTOWN CITY FC 7:30 PM / FRI 6 MAY WIN STADIUM

NORTHBRIDGE BULLS FC VS SUTHERLAND SHARKS FC 3:00 PM / SAT 7 MAY SYDNEY UNITED SPORTS CENTRE SYDNEY OLYMPIC FC VS MT DRUITT TOWN RANGERS FC 5:00 PM / SAT 7 MAY BELMORE SPORTS GROUND

MARCONI STALLIONS FC VS APIA LEICHHARDT FC 5:00 PM / SAT 7 MAY MARCONI STADIUM

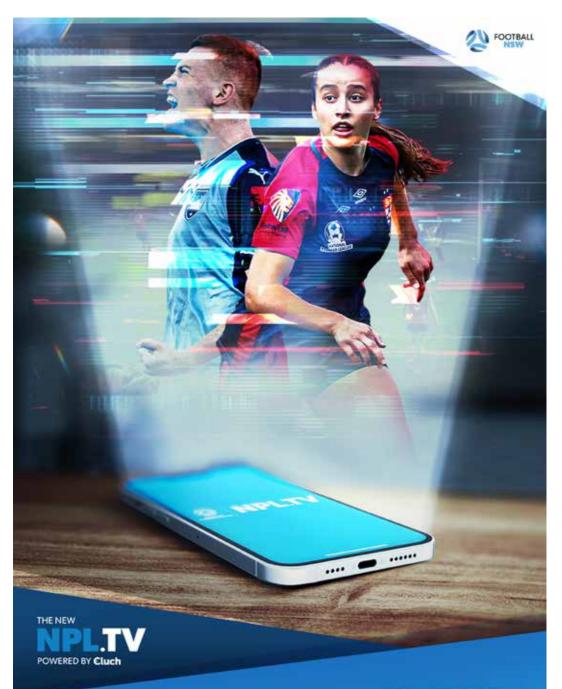
SYDNEY FC VS ROCKDALE ILINDEN FC 6:30 PM / SUN 8 MAY ROCKDALE ILINDEN SPORTS CENTRE

## **PHOTO GALLERY**





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## FIXTURES 2022 HOME GAMES



## **HOME GROUND - Popondetta Park Popondetta Road, Emerton**

Fri, 4th Mar	7:00 PM
Fri, 11th Mar	7:00 PM
Fri, 25th Mar	7:00 PM
Fri, 8th Apr	7:00 PM
Fri, 15th Apr	7:00 PM
Fri, 29th Apr	7:00 PM
Fri, 13th May	7:00 PM
Fri, 3rd Jun	7:00 PM
Fri, 17th Jun	7:00 PM
Fri, 8th Jul	7:00 PM
Fri, 22nd Jul	7:00 PM

Λ	APIA Leichhardt FC	R1
Λ	Blacktown City FC	R2
Λ	Sutherland Sharks FC	R4
Λ	Marconi Stallions FC	R6
Λ	Northbridge Bulls FC	R7
Λ	Manly United FC	R9
Λ	Sydney FC	R11
Λ	Sydney United 58 FC	R14
Λ	Rockdale Ilinden FC	R16
Λ	Wollongong Wolves FC	R19
Λ	Sydney Olympic FC	R21



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