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**ROCKDALE ILINDEN SPORTS CENTRE
SUNDAY 10TH APRIL
6.30PM**

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MATCH PREVIEW

REVIEWS, TEAM LISTS



2022 - ROUND 06

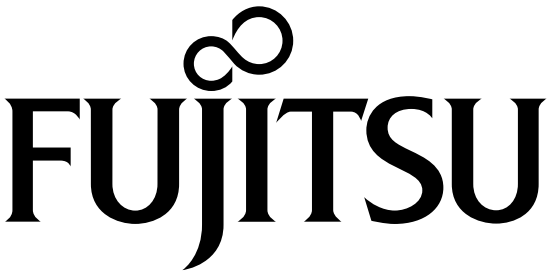
CLUB WELCOME

Welcome to Ilinden Sports Centre for tonight's round 6 clash between Sydney FC & APIA Leichardt in the NSW National Premier League Men's 2022 competition. Sydney FC welcomes APIA to today's games, and we look forward to what will be two very competitive fixtures. We are excited to be back at Ilinden Sports Centre, as the boys look to continue their strong run of form.

After 5 rounds, our Sydney FC NPL team remain unbeaten & are aiming to keep the momentum going against a strong APIA outfit. The boys have been working hard this week at training and have their sights set on putting in another strong, competitive performance.

We look forward to an enjoyable evening and hope to put on an exciting game of football for everyone out supporting our Sky Blues.





1ST GRADE TEAM LISTS



- 1 Harry Aquilina
- 2 Cameron Fong
- 3 Aaron Gurd
- 4 Nathan Grimaldi
- 5 Kai Kamikura
- 6 Corey Hollman
- 7 Aidan Simmons
- 8 Kealey Adamson
- 9 Ben Gibson
- 10 Jaiden Kucharski
- 11 Adrian Segecic
- 12 Jake Girdwood-Reich
- 13 Clayton Taylor
- 14 Zac Sapsford
- 17 Jayden Trenkoski
- 18 Oscar Priestman
- 19 Joseph Calusic
- 21 Patrick Yazbek
- 22 Patrick Wood
- 23 Callum Talbot
- 24 Calem Nieuwenhof
- 30 Adam Pavlesic

Head Coach: Jimmy Van Weeren
Assistant Coach: Howard Fondyke
Goalkeeper Coach: David Plowright
Strength and Conditioning Coach:
Matthew Said
Physiotherapist: Jeremy Abood
Team Manager: Jarek Pachloski



- 1 Ivan Necevski
- 3 Paul Galimi
- 4 Josh Symons
- 5 Nick Azzone
- 6 Simon Nicholas
- 7 Matthew Cahill
- 8 Diego Celis
- 9 Jason Romero
- 10 Franco Parisi
- 14 Jack Armson
- 15 Themba Muata-Marlow
- 16 Sean Symons
- 18 Adrian Uccchino
- 19 Fabian Monge
- 20 Nathanael Blair
- 21 Michael Kouta
- 22 Luke Turnbull
- 23 Walter Scott
- 38 Yianni Nicolaou

Head Coach: Danial Cummins
Assistant Coaches: John Calleja and
Valerio Silvestro
Goalkeeper Coach: Bronislav Jasiczek
Club Physios: Michael Sawan and
Isaiah Martins
Club S and C: Stelios Pikoulis
Club Official: Andrew Mandaglio
Data and Analysis: Steve Callas

Referee: Christian Verdicchio
Assistant Referees: Amirhossein Hosnani and Alessandro Llana
Fourth Official: Jackson Mackie

MATCH PREVIEW

In the top-of-the-table clash, Sydney FC will host APIA Leichhardt on Sunday evening in a battle between youth and experience in the league.

With both squads in fine form, this match will be a must-see for football fans.

The battle will surely give some insight into whether Sydney FC can continue their strong start to the season against a top contender for the Premiership title.

APIA Leichhardt sit just in front of Sydney FC on the ladder with 10 goals to their name from their five matches, while only conceding five goals in an impressive string of performances.

Jason Romero, Sean Symons and Themba Muata-Marlow all featured in the Round 5 Team of the Week for APIA Leichhardt and the threesome have been consistently impressive for the league leaders, along with veteran 'keeper Ivan Necevski.

Patrick Wood and Jaiden Kucharski featured in the Team of the Week for the sky blues and have been weapons on the young sides front line.

Without a single loss this season, the pressure is on for Sydney FC to continue without falling, but this

will likely be their biggest battle yet.

Will Sydney FC remain undefeated or will APIA Leichhardt stay on top of the league ladder?



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

Sydney FC 4 – Sutherland Sharks FC 3 at Seymour Shaw

A sizzling Patrick Wood first hat-trick was the headline as Sydney FC overcame a resurgent Sutherland Sharks defeating the Shire boys 4-3 in round 5 of the National Premier Leagues NSW Men's competition at Seymour Shaw on a crispy autumn Saturday afternoon at Seymour Shaw.

A first-half blitz from the visiting young guns saw Wood net three and a Jaiden Kurcharski strike in stoppage time had them 4-1 up at the break.

Sydney FC opened the scoring with a well-timed Wood strike before Lukman Ahmed-Shaibu levelled, but the visitors went on a goal scoring spree with another two for Wood and a late, late strike from Kucharski.

James Andrew reduced the deficit after the restart, but it proved too big a hurdle for the Sharks to get over despite substitute Lachlan Everett netting to make for a grandstand finish.

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



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SEAN SYMONS



DAKOTA ASKEW



JASON ROMERO



DARCY BURGESS



LOUIS KHOURY



SEIYA KAMBAYASHI



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U20 TEAM LISTS



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Luka Smyth

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Max Vartuli

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Aleksandar Duricic

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Dejan Bakrdanikoski

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Alen Harbas

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Nathan Paull

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Andrew Vlahadamis

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Bailey Jacobs

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Paolo Pusateri

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Freddy Gagliano

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Luke Nieuwenhof

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Hayden Matthews

38

Brae Owens

40

Steven Kriezis

24

Sebastian Boffa

25

Massimo Melissari

26

Joshua Azzopardi

27

Dylan Chau

28

Marcus Apostolakis

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Daniel Azzone

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Gene Marantos

31

Matt Lee

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Alex Bardas

33

Harry Stavris

34

Cooper Stormonth

35

Dylan Susovic

37

Alexander Zinnato

39

Anthony Kyriazis

40

James Khoury

41

Konstantin Petkovic

Coach: Anthony Mazza

Manager: Pierre Sassine

Official: Joe Mirigliani

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



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 - Ilinden Sports Centre
468 West Botany St, Rockdale

Sun, 6th Mar	6:30 PM	Northbridge Bulls FC	R1
Sun, 13th Mar	6:30 PM	Marconi Stallions FC	R2
Sun, 27th Mar	6:30 PM	Manly United FC	R4
Sun, 10th Apr	6:30 PM	APIA Leichhardt FC	R6
Sun, 24th Apr	6:30 PM	Sydney Olympic FC	R8
Sun, 8th May	6:30 PM	Rockdale Ilinden FC	R10
Sun, 5th Jun	6:30 PM	Wollongong Wolves FC	R14
Sun, 19th Jun	6:30 PM	Sutherland Sharks FC	R16
Sun, 3rd Jul	6:30 PM	Blacktown City FC	R18
Sun, 17th Jul	12:00 PM	Sydney United 58 FC	R20
Sun, 31st Jul	6:30 PM	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	R22



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