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**ROCKDALE ILINDEN SPORTS CENTRE
SUNDAY 29TH MAY
4PM**

FIXTURES, LADDERS

MATCH PREVIEW

REVIEWS, TEAM LISTS



2022 - ROUND 13

CLUB WELCOME

We welcome everyone to the Ilinden Sports Centre for this blockbuster fixture against Sydney Olympic.

These games are always hotly contested and this one will be no different. The last couple of weeks have been tough for us. Injuries and COVID have ravaged through our squad. That said, we have enough quality to get the job done and our boys will be up for the challenge.

This week is the last in a run of home games and so it is important that we stay in touch with the teams at the top of the ladder. With only 3 points separating the top 7, every week is crucial.

As always, we can count on our wonderful home supporters.

Away from football, we are delighted to confirm that the Club will benefit from a pledge made by an Albanese Government to construct a new pavilion which will cater address a fundamental issue in terms of women specific facilities. This \$1.3m project is a boost for the Club as we look to secure a girls SAP and womens NPL licence. We congratulate our local member, the Honourable Linda Burney on her re-election and thank her for supporting our club, football in the locality, and importantly, our girls and women players. Equal facilities for men and women is what it's all about. Stay tuned in the coming weeks for further news.

As always, we would like to thank our wonderful sponsors, the lifeline of our club:

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Hope to see you all at the game.

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Dennis Loether
President



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1ST GRADE TEAM LISTS



- 1 David Bradasevic (GK)
- 2 Daniel Petkovski
- 3 Lachie Griffiths
- 4 Mitchell Stamatellis
- 5 Will Mutch
- 6 Daniel Araujo
- 7 Alec Urosevski
- 8 Nikola Kuleski
- 9 Bai Antoniou
- 10 Tomoki Wada
- 11 Peter Kekeris
- 14 Brayden Sorge
- 15 Jamie Percevski
- 16 Mo Ahmed
- 19 Patty Savor
- 20 Matthew Marrum (GK)
- 23 Jaden Casella
- 25 Alex Masciovecchio
- 88 Chris Mcstay

Head Coach: Steve Zoric

Assistant Coach: Gary Deprato

Goalkeeper Coach: Trinity Allen

Head of Football: Matthew Ribarovski

Physio: Michael Koutzoumis

Stats: Giulio Martone



- 1 Nicholas Sorras
- 2 Tom Whiteside
- 3 Nikola Ujdur
- 4 Ben Van Meurs
- 5 Michael Glasscock
- 6 Mathieu Cordier
- 7 William Angel
- 8 Sam McIlhatton
- 9 Oliver Puffett
- 10 Brendan Cholakian
- 11 Adam Parkhouse
- 15 Kristofer Nicolaou
- 17 Marley Peterson
- 19 Darcy Burgess
- 20 Chris Parsons
- 21 Chan Deng
- 22 Fabio Ferreira
- 23 Daniel Dias
- 24 Hagi Gigor
- 30 Jeremy Pollard
- 90 Evan Hamele
- 99 Roy O'Donovan

Head Coach: Ante Juric

Assistant Coaches: Steve Bozinovski & Hagi Gligor

Goal Keeper Coach: Paul Henderson

Team Manager: Parry Hatzi

Equipment Manager: Paul Oliveri

Assistant Manager: David Nicotra

Physios: Sam Mahabady & James Combes

Referee:

Hassan Jomaa

Assistant Referees:

Matt Staples and Ivica Covic

Fourth Official:

Hadi Al-Nakeeb

*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

MATCH PREVIEW

In what is always a fiery clash, Rockdale Ilinden will be hoping to return to form against Sydney Olympic on Sunday afternoon.

After fighting their way to the top of the league, Rockdale were promptly knocked back down and have lost both matches since they earned the top spot.

With barely any difference between the two sides on the league ladder it's set to be a tight battle as both sides look to get back into the Premiership fight, and have plenty of potential to do so if they can secure three points this week.

Nikola Udjur and Nicholas Sorras both featured in the NPL NSW Team of the Week after their strong defensive display over Manly United in Round 12 and will need to recreate that performance if they want to hold out Rockdale.

In their first match up of the season the teams shared points in a 1-1 draw. Will someone be able to come out on top in this one or will they share the spoils again?



1ST GRADE LADDER

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Sydney FC	12	7	3	2	37	25	12	24
2	APIA Leichhardt FC	12	7	2	3	30	19	11	23
3	Marconi Stallions FC	12	6	4	2	27	18	9	22
4	Blacktown City FC	12	7	1	4	24	16	8	22
5	Sydney Olympic FC	12	6	3	3	20	14	6	21
6	Rockdale Ilinden FC	12	6	3	3	22	17	5	21
7	Manly United FC	12	6	3	3	16	11	5	21
8	Wollongong Wolves FC	12	4	2	6	20	19	1	14
9	Sydney United 58 FC	12	4	2	6	19	30	-11	14
10	Sutherland Sharks FC	12	3	0	9	15	25	-10	9
11	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	12	1	3	8	21	38	-17	6
12	Northbridge Bulls FC	12	1	2	9	19	38	-19	5

FIRST GRADE REVIEWS

Blacktown City FC 3 – Rockdale Ilinden FC 0 at Rockdale Ilinden Sports Centre

Blacktown City secured a huge 3-0 victory over Rockdale Ilinden at the Ilinden Sports Centre on Sunday afternoon, with a Dakota Askew brace and a clever Mitch Mallia strike settling the score as Mark Crittenden's men celebrated three massive points in Round 12's 'Match of the Round'.

Askew's first was mishit but had enough to get over the line and a wickedly deflected second near the end sandwiched a wonderfully quick thinking and well executed strike from Mallia.

Manly United FC 0 – Sydney Olympic FC 0 at Cromer Park

It was a hard-fought battle between Manly United and Sydney Olympic at Cromer Park on Friday evening as the two teams shared points in a 0-0 draw.

Despite both sides creating plenty of chances in an entertaining end-to-end match, neither side could get the ball into the net to secure the valuable three points on offer, settling for one point each as they remain locked on the ladder.



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ROUND 12



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PURCHASE FROM:

U20 TEAM LISTS



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Kristopher Jovanovski
Jason Cakovski
Dylan Sacco
James Tanoski
Jake Mendez
Ryan James
Adam Manoski
Kayde Richards
Marcus Anevski
Alex Casella
Phillip Dimitriev
Harry Skotadis
Dean Siadaresi
Paul Soravia
Rahim Kamara
Vincent Fedeles

Coach: Adrian Meneses
Assistant Coach: Alejandro Araujo



25 Roger Djuma
27 Blair Smith
29 Juan Da Silva
31 Peter Kontis
32 Dylan Spiteri
33 Dimitri Gremos
34 Patrick (Pano) Alexiadis
35 Karim Farhat
36 Peter Politis
37 Kaidyn Wright
38 Mohammed Khamis
39 Junyong Jin
40 Jay Coates-westerink
41 Michael Vakis
43 Elliott Forestier

Head Coach: Jim Patikas
Assistant Coach: Guy Sciacchitano
Team Manager: Con Haramis

U20 LADDER

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Blacktown City FC	11	8	2	1	26	7	19	26
2	Wollongong Wolves FC	11	7	1	3	19	9	10	22
3	Manly United FC	11	6	1	4	17	13	4	19
4	Sydney Olympic FC	10	6	0	4	15	13	2	18
5	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	9	5	2	2	27	15	12	17
6	Sydney FC	8	5	1	2	17	10	7	16
7	Marconi Stallions FC	10	4	1	5	14	16	-2	13
8	Rockdale Ilinden FC	12	3	4	5	20	27	-7	13
9	Northbridge Bulls FC	12	3	2	7	14	24	-10	11
10	Sutherland Sharks FC	12	3	2	7	12	26	-14	11
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GOLDEN BOOT TALLY

Name (Team)	Goals
Jaiden Kucharski (Sydney FC)	13
Mark Jesic (Marconi)	12
Alec Urosevski (Rockdale Ilinden)	10
Jason Romero (APIA)	10
Roy O'Donovan (Sydney Olympic)	9
Jordan Smylie (Blacktown City)	8
Sean Symons (APIA)	8
Lachlan Scott (Wollongong Wolves)	8
Patrick Wood (Sydney FC)	7
Zachary Sapsford (Sydney FC)	7



NEXT ROUND FIXTURES

**MANLY UNITED FC VS
SUTHERLAND SHARKS FC**
7:00 PM / FRI 3 JUN
CROMER PARK

**APIA LEICHHARDT FC VS
ROCKDALE ILINDEN FC**
5:30 PM / SAT 4 JUN
LAMBERT PARK

**MT DRUITT TOWN RANGERS FC VS
SYDNEY UNITED 58 FC**
7:00 PM / FRI 3 JUN
POPONDETTA PARK

**MARCONI STALLIONS FC VS
BLACKTOWN CITY FC**
7:00 PM / SAT 4 JUN
MARCONI STADIUM

**NORTHBRIDGE BULLS FC VS
SYDNEY OLYMPIC FC**
3:00 PM / SAT 4 JUN
SYDNEY UNITED SPORTS CENTRE

**SYDNEY FC VS
WOLLONGONG WOLVES FC**
6:30 PM / SUN 5 JUN
ROCKDALE ILINDEN SPORTS CENTRE



FIXTURES

2022 HOME GAMES



HOME GROUND - Ilinden Sports Centre
468 West Botany St, Rockdale

Sun, 20th Mar	4:00 PM	APIA Leichhardt FC	R3
Sun, 3rd Apr	4:00 PM	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	R5
Sun, 17th Apr	4:00 PM	Wollongong Wolves FC	R7
Sun, 1st May	4:00 PM	Northbridge Bulls FC	R9
Sun, 15th May	4:00 PM	Manly United FC	R11
Sun, 22nd May	4:00 PM	Blacktown City FC	R12
Sun, 29th May	4:00 PM	Sydney Olympic FC	R13
Sun, 12th Jun	4:00 PM	Marconi Stallions FC	R15
Sun, 26th Jun	4:00 PM	Sydney United 58 FC	R17
Sun, 10th Jul	4:00 PM	Sutherland Sharks FC	R19
Sun, 24th Jul	4:00 PM	Sydney FC	R21



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