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NSW

**BLACKTOWN CITY SPORTS CENTRE  
SUNDAY 24TH JULY  
3PM**

**FIXTURES, LADDERS**

**MATCH PREVIEW**

**REVIEWS, TEAM LISTS**



**2022 - ROUND 21**

# CLUB WELCOME

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## Blacktown City Back On Top!

Blacktown City FC has steadily built its run at the 2022 Football NSW Premier League Championship. With two rounds to go in the regular season, Blacktown City has pushed back to top the Championship ladder after a 1-0 win last weekend over Sutherland and a crushing defeat of League Leader Manly 6-1 the week before. The wins leave Blacktown as the only team with 11 wins and equal first with rivals Marconi on 37 points each.

It has been a season of ups and downs, but Coach Mark Crittenden has his team firing on all cylinders at the money end of the season. Adding firepower with the return of leading goal scorers Travis Major and Jordan Smylie plus the inclusion of former Blacktown star, Danny Choi, has been a great boost to the confidence and morale of Mark Crittenden's Men.

Season 2022 is one of the tightest competition races in NSW NPL1 history. Eight teams are still in playoff contention as teams have jockeyed up and down the leader board the past few weeks with wins, upsets and draws affecting each team. Round 21 of the 22 week competition will be the telling factor with key games for each of the leaders critical to Championship honours. For Blacktown City FC, destiny is in our own hands as wins in the last two rounds will see us take out the minor premiership.

It all starts at home today, as we host Wollongong at Blacktown City Sports Centre. While Wollongong is not in Premiership contention, their 0-0 draw with Championship contender, Marconi, last round proves they can be a spoiler to Blacktown's ambitions.

In other key round 21 games, Sydney Olympic will be away to Mt Druitt, and Manly will travel to take on Sydney United in must win games for both Olympic and Manly. Both Manly and Olympic have 10-5-5 records for 35 points and a slip up by either team will be costly. Sydney FC will travel to Rockdale with both teams on 32 points and looking to move

up the ladder. The main focus of the round is sure to be Marconi's clash with Apia Leichhardt. Apia had a crucial 1-0 loss to Sydney Olympic last week and neither team can afford a loss or a draw in this crucial round, especially if Blacktown can take care of business against Wollongong. Blacktown will then close out the season away to Sydney Olympic, another team in contention for top honours.

High praise for the Blacktown Under 20 Men who continue to dominate their division with 5-0 win over Sutherland last weekend and a 4-1 win over Manly the week before. Blacktown has amassed a 13-4-1 record on the season for a first place total of 43 points. A win in either final two games will secure the Minor Premiership. The success of the Senior and Under 20 teams has Blacktown in a solid lead of the Football NSW Club Championship. Blacktown has amassed a total of 234 points in a category that has been a staple for Blacktown and exemplifies its dedication to a pathway for its players. Next best on the list is Marconi on 208 points.

Book, Friday, August 5th in your calendar as Blacktown Council, Blacktown Workers Club and Blacktown City FC have combined their efforts to bring the best in Australian Football to Blacktown. For a Pre World Cup experience, MC Adam Peacock will introduce and interview arguably the 'Hottest' Names in Australian Football. Fresh from qualifying for the World Cup in November, Socceroo Goalie Coach, John Crawley, will join the hero of the day, Andrew Redmayne. The Blacktown Corporate Football Dinner will be held at the Blacktown Workers Club on Friday, August 5th. Tables of ten are \$1,300 or individual seats can be purchased for \$140 each. Seating is limited to 200+ so get in early and book your Tables/Seats at [admin@blacktowncityfc.com.au](mailto:admin@blacktowncityfc.com.au)

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Executive Chairman  
Blacktown City FC

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# 1ST GRADE TEAM LISTS



- 1 Tristan Prendergast
- 3 Daniel Collins
- 4 Lachlan Campbell
- 5 Grant Lynch
- 6 Matthew Lewis
- 7 Travis Major
- 8 Jak O'Brien
- 10 Mario Shabow
- 11 Mitchell Mallia
- 12 Tyren Burnie
- 15 Ryan Attard
- 14 Caleb Jackson-Brown
- 16 Ben Berry
- 17 Dakota Askew
- 18 Nicholas O'Brien
- 19 Adam Berry
- 20 Cayden Henderson
- 21 Charles Mendy
- 22 Carlos De Oliveira
- 23 Charles Eriku
- 24 Jackson Bandiera
- 30 Alex Robinson
- 32 Hiroaki Aoyama
- 40 Dylan Niski
- 45 Danny Choi
- 89 Jordan Smylie

Head Coach: Mark Crittenden  
Assistant Coach: Matthew Bingley  
Assistant Coach: John Carnevale  
Team Manager: Graham Crawhall



- 1 Hayden Durose
- 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:**

**Sam Kelly**

**Assistant Referees:**

**Patrick Teleki and Logan Jones**

**Fourth Official:**

**Alessandro Llana**

\*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE



# MATCH PREVIEW

As Blacktown City make a charge for the Premiership they will be a force to be reckoned with when they face up against the Wollongong Wolves.

While Wollongong aren't in the best position on the ladder they have held out some of the league's heavyweights in recent weeks.

Draws with Sydney FC, Sydney Olympic, APIA Leichhardt, Manly United and Marconi have shown that they have the team to challenge the best in the league and they will face what is arguably their biggest challenge yet on Sunday.

Blacktown, who are now nine games undefeated, will be looking to get maximum points as they battle it out with Marconi for the Premiership title.

Travis Major has been a huge asset to Blacktown since he rejoined the team and will be one to watch in the match as he looks to bring his side one step closer to silverware.



# 1ST GRADE LADDER

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Blacktown City FC	20	11	4	5	39	22	17	37
2	Marconi Stallions FC	20	10	7	3	40	28	12	37
3	Sydney Olympic FC	20	10	5	5	35	25	10	35
4	Manly United FC	20	10	5	5	29	21	8	35
5	Sydney FC	20	8	8	4	52	40	12	32
6	APIA Leichhardt FC	20	9	5	6	38	30	8	32
7	Rockdale Ilinden FC	20	9	5	6	36	32	4	32
8	Sydney United 58 FC	20	7	5	8	27	37	-10	26
9	Wollongong Wolves FC	20	4	7	9	33	35	-2	19
10	Northbridge Bulls FC	20	5	2	13	29	52	-23	17
11	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	20	3	7	10	32	49	-17	16
12	Sutherland Sharks FC	20	3	2	15	23	42	-19	11

# FIRST GRADE REVIEWS

## Sutherland Sharks FC 0 – Blacktown City FC 1 at Seymour Shaw

A much improved Sutherland Sharks put up a good fight against Blacktown City, but were powerless to stop the juggernaut in a 1-0 defeat at Seymour Shaw Park on Saturday afternoon.

It was that man again, Travis Major who netted the only goal of the game, his sixth since coming back from overseas a few weeks ago, after being set up by substitute Charles Mendy midway through the second half, to side-foot home in a frustrating afternoon for the visitors.

## Wollongong Wolves FC 0 – Marconi Stallions 0 at WIN Stadium

The Wollongong Wolves have managed to frustrate Marconi Stallions to a 0-0 draw at WIN Stadium on Friday night, a result that has opened the door for Blacktown City to leapfrog them following their match on Saturday against the Sutherland Sharks.

Despite a plethora of chances throughout the 90 minutes neither team was able to capitalise on their opportunities, leaving the game to finish goalless.

Three points would have been incredibly valuable to Marconi's National Premier Leagues NSW Men's Premiership campaign, but they'll move forward with one point as they enter the final two matches of the season.

**AUSTRALIA CUP**  
ROUND OF 32

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DOMENIC COSTANZO

  
SAM MCILHATTEN

  
FINN ASHTON

  
PETER KEKERIS

  
NATHAN DIMOU

  
JAMES BALDACCHINO

  
JIMMY OATES

  
ALEX ROBINSON





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# U20 TEAM LISTS



- 27 Shayden Sampow
- 28 Jett McCue-Shore
- 29 Daniel Helweh
- 33 Alvin-John Khoshaba
- 34 Zachary Farmer
- 35 Jaidyn Dunn
- 36 Sunday Yona
- 37 Rhys Westwood

Coach: Jeff Suzor  
Manager: Craig Schofield



- 1 Tommy Butkovic
- 2 Ben Giason
- 3 Ryan Mrcvic
- 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	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Blacktown City FC	18	13	4	1	47	13	34	43
2	Sydney FC	18	12	3	3	49	18	31	39
3	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	17	12	3	2	49	24	25	39
4	Wollongong Wolves FC	20	9	4	7	32	25	7	31
5	Sydney Olympic FC	19	9	3	7	33	24	9	30
6	Marconi Stallions FC	19	9	3	7	33	30	3	30
7	Northbridge Bulls FC	20	7	2	11	23	34	-11	23
8	APIA Leichhardt FC	20	5	7	8	29	38	-9	22
9	Manly United FC	20	6	3	11	25	33	-8	21
10	Rockdale Ilinden FC	20	5	5	10	29	47	-18	20
11	Sutherland Sharks FC	19	5	3	11	20	40	-20	18
12	Sydney United 58 FC	20	3	0	17	17	60	-43	9

# GOLDEN BOOT TALLY

Name (Team)	Goals
Alec Urosevski (Rockdale Ilinden)	19
Jaiden Kucharski (Sydney FC)	18
Roy O'Donovan (Sydney Olympic)	17
Marko Jesic (Marconi)	15
Lachlan Scott (Wollongong Wolves)	13
Jason Romero (APIA)	10
Sean Symons (APIA)	10
Bruno Mendes (Manly United)	10
Jack Stewart (Mt Druitt Town Rangers)	10
Adrian Segecic (Sydney FC)	9
Jordan Smylie (Blacktown City)	8
Chris Payne (Sydney United 58)	8



# NEXT ROUND FIXTURES

**MANLY UNITED FC VS  
ROCKDALE ILINDEN FC**  
3:00 PM / SUN 31 JUL  
CROMER PARK

**APIA LEICHHARDT FC VS  
SYDNEY UNITED 58 FC**  
3:00 PM / SUN 31 JUL  
LAMBERT PARK

**WOLLONGONG WOLVES FC VS  
SUTHERLAND SHARKS FC**  
3:00 PM / SUN 31 JUL  
WIN STADIUM

**SYDNEY OLYMPIC FC VS  
BLACKTOWN CITY FC**  
3:00 PM / SUN 31 JUL  
BELMORE SPORTS GROUND

**NORTHBRIDGE BULLS FC VS  
MARCONI STALLIONS FC**  
3:00 PM / SUN 31 JUL  
SYDNEY UNITED SPORTS CENTRE

**SYDNEY FC VS  
MT DRUITT TOWN RANGERS FC**  
6:30 PM / SUN 31 JUL  
ROCKDALE ILINDEN SPORTS CENTRE



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# FIXTURES

## 2022 HOME GAMES



**HOME GROUND - Blacktown City  
Sports Centre 5 Quinn Ave, Seven Hills**

<b>Sun, 6th Mar</b>	3:00 PM	Rockdale Ilinden FC	<b>R1</b>
<b>Sun, 20th Mar</b>	3:00 PM	Marconi Stallions FC	<b>R3</b>
<b>Sun, 3rd Apr</b>	3:00 PM	Sydney United 58 FC	<b>R5</b>
<b>Sun, 17th Apr</b>	3:00 PM	Sydney FC	<b>R7</b>
<b>Sun, 1st May</b>	3:00 PM	Sutherland Sharks FC	<b>R9</b>
<b>Sun, 15th May</b>	3:00 PM	Sydney Olympic FC	<b>R11</b>
<b>Sun, 12th Jun</b>	3:00 PM	APIA Leichhardt FC	<b>R15</b>
<b>Sun, 26th Jun</b>	3:00 PM	Northbridge Bulls FC	<b>R17</b>
<b>Sun, 10th Jul</b>	3:00 PM	Manly United FC	<b>R19</b>
<b>Sun, 24th Jul</b>	3:00 PM	Wollongong Wolves FC	<b>R21</b>



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