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**ROCKDALE ILINDEN SPORTS CENTRE
SUNDAY 24TH JULY
4PM**

FIXTURES, LADDERS

MATCH PREVIEW

REVIEWS, TEAM LISTS



2022 - ROUND 21

CLUB WELCOME

We welcome everyone to the Ilinden Sports Centre for this round 21 fixture, the penultimate round of the 2022 regular season.

Today we take on Sydney FC in what is a must win game for our boys following a disappointing last up loss to Northbridge.

As things stand, we are on the cusp of the top 5 in what is a very congested ladder. It has been this way all year with a handful of points separating the top 7 sides. A win today and we march on to Manly knowing that finals football is definitely within sight.

We are battling away on the injury front. That said, we are confident in the ability of our squad to get the 3 points against a youthful Sydney FC team that has performed so well this season. The last time we played the sky blues, it was a thrilling 4-3 win in a game long remembered for the 4 goals scored by our leading marksman Alec 'the baker' Urosevski. We will be hoping that he can replicate that great form again.

We know that we can count on our loyal fans.

Away from first grade, our under 20's will be looking to finish their season strongly and back up from an impressive 1-0 last up win over Northbridge.

Our Youth's fixtures last weekend were washed out but they will be back in action this weekend against Sydney FC. They will be looking to continue their strong mid-season showings under the guidance of Club Technical Director Paul Dee.

Our SAP teams have impressed all year and will again be looking to continue their development.

Away from the senior setup, our Club's Juniors continue to shine, including our under 12 girls who a week ago won their division at the Kanga Cup. Paying against more fancied opponents, the Rockdale girls showed what they have and it's another reminder of our hidden talent that we hope will be able to compete in SAP and NYL competitions.

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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 Harry Aquilina
- 2 Cameron Fong
- 3 Aaron Gurd
- 4 Nathan Grimaldi
- 5 Kai Kamikura
- 6 Corey Hollman
- 8 Kealey Adamson
- 9 Ben Gibson
- 10 Jaiden Kucharski
- 11 Adrian Segecic
- 12 Jake Girdwood-Reich
- 13 Clayton Taylor
- 17 Jayden Trenkoski
- 18 Oscar Priestman
- 19 Joseph Calusic
- 21 Patrick Yazbek
- 22 Patrick Wood
- 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

Referee: Kurt Ams

Assistant Referees: Joon Park and Ivica Covic

Fourth Official: Hadi Al-Nakeeb

*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

MATCH PREVIEW

It's do-or-die for both these teams as they face up on Sunday afternoon at Rockdale Ilinden Sports Centre.

Both fighting for a hotly contested finals place and tied on points, they must take all three points in this battle.

As they both take to their home ground they lose the advantage but there will likely be plenty of support for both teams, giving them some extra momentum.

Alec Urosevski will be fighting for the golden boot and will be fighting against his rival Jaiden Kucharski if he returns to the team for Sydney FC.

It's going to be an entertaining clash and a must-see for football fans as the fate of both teams' 2022 seasons hangs in the balance.



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

Northbridge Bulls FC 2 – Rockdale Ilinden FC 1 at Sydney United Sports Centre

Rockdale Ilinden's finals hopes have taken a hit as the youngsters from Northbridge Bulls FC recorded a 2-1 victory, their third successive win, at the Sydney United Sports Centre on Saturday afternoon.

Jesper Webber opened the scoring with a curler, then a late Nathan Dimou goal made it win number five for the Bulls.

The visitors did equalise through Bai Antoniou, but couldn't find another goal in a tight tussle against the Bulls.

The loss dealt a huge blow to Rockdale Ilinden's finals hopes with two games remaining in the season.

Sydney FC 0 – Sydney United 58 FC 1 at Rockdale Ilinden Sports Centre

Sydney United 58 managed to upset Sydney FC's finals hopes with a 1-0 victory over the young Sky Blues at Rockdale Ilinden Sports Centre on Sunday.

A 90th minute goal to Kyle Cimenti was all the visitors needed to upset the hosts, after Sydney FC went down to 10 men in the first half of the match.

Despite the young, energetic sky blues creating some great opportunities throughout the match, United 58's experience saw them hold out for a late victory that sees Sydney FC's finals fight become a much harder battle.

AUSTRALIA CUP
ROUND OF 32

WEDNESDAY 27 JULY
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U20 TEAM LISTS



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Kristopher Jovanovski
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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



15 Luka Smyth
20 Max Vartuli
26 Aleksandar Duricic
27 Dejan Bakrdanikoski
29 Alen Harbas
31 Nathan Paul
32 Andrew Vlahadamis
33 Bailey Jacobs
34 Paolo Pusateri
35 Freddy Gagliano
36 Luke Nieuwenhof
37 Hayden Matthews
38 Brae Ovens
40 Steven Kriezis

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
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**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
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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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