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**NATIONAL
PREMIER LEAGUES
NSW**

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**SATURDAY
19TH AUGUST -
SUNDAY
20TH AUGUST**



**2023
ROUND 24**

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FIRST GRADE PREVIEWS

ROUND 24

There was a major twist in the last round of games that have turned up the heat in the three remaining rounds in the National Premier Leagues NSW Women's competition.

NWS Spirit v Illawarra Stingrays

The action kicks off on Saturday afternoon at Christie Park as NWS Spirit host the Illawarra Stingrays.

Spirit left it late last weekend against Manly United but managed to record the victory which more or less consolidates third spot for them.

The return of Sophie Harding will only add further depth to the squad, her presence already well felt with Sunday's winner coming after a foul on her.

At the other end will be an Illawarra Stingrays team flowing with confidence after an incredible come from behind win over the league leaders.

Defeat against the Blacktown Spartans only two weeks ago would have made for a poor mood within the camp, but Sakura Nojima masterminded last week's victory.

The Stingrays will come into this knowing that any points will all but secure safety in the competition for 2024.

Sydney University v Football NSW Institute

In the early game on Sunday afternoon, Sydney University will host the Football NSW Institute at Sydney Uni Football Ground.

Uni made it three games without defeat after coming from behind against the Gladesville Ravens on Sunday to earn a point in a 1-1 draw.

Holly Caspers had found the net for the first time this campaign with the late finish, something that Emily Husband's team could have done more with this season.

The Institute suffered another defeat on the weekend, taking them to only one win in their last seven starts.

It won't be any easier this week as they will need to do without influential goalkeeper Tahlia Franco who received her marching orders against Bulls FC Academy.

APIA Leichhardt v Gladesville Ravens

At Lambert Park at 2:55pm on Sunday, APIA Leichhardt will host the Gladesville Ravens.

It was a colossal collapse from APIA Leichhardt on Sunday and after being in the driving seat to claim the Premiership, they have now given the Macarthur

Rams some hope of pinching first place.

This week Spencer Prior will need to lift his team and remind them that they are still in first place in both the Premiership race and the much-coveted Club Championship and remain on course for the Quadruple with the Sapphire Cup and potential league Grand Final.

Star striker Holly McNamara scored a hat-trick and seems to be finding form at the right time also.

It will be a busy few weeks for the Ravens as they play catch up and try to sneak into the finals.

They have a mid-week away trip to Sydney Olympic on Thursday night before this one and will need to recover if they are to throw themselves into the mix for a Top Four spot.

Bulls FC Academy v Macarthur Rams

Also, at 2pm on Sunday in a very intriguing fixture, Bulls FC Academy host the Macarthur Rams at Northbridge Oval.

Inconsistency is what has damaged Bulls' finals hopes over the last seven games where they have recorded two draws, two losses and three victories.

Most importantly, they are still right in the hunt for fourth place and with Aideen Keane in some good form, they may cause the Macarthur Rams some problems.

APIA Leichhardt ensured we'd have a grandstand finish in the women's competition after suffering defeat last weekend which coincided with Macarthur's win over Sydney Olympic.

It meant that the gap at the top of the competition table is only one point with three fixtures remaining.

It's hard to pick a player that stands out for the Rams as all across the park they have been fantastic, making it easier to look at Stephen Peters' biggest problem which is the ACL injury suffered by Amalia Plummer and who will step into her position.

Sydney Olympic v Manly United

At Peter Moore Field on Sunday afternoon, Sydney Olympic host Manly United.

Olympic's finals hopes are still alive and if they are able to secure victory mid-week against the Gladesville Ravens, a win here could see them sneak into the top four by the end of the week.

They will be encouraged by the returns of Ash Irwin, Angelique Hristodoulou and Kiara De Domizio, all who managed to get some minutes under their belts against the Macarthur Rams.

Manly United have somewhat unexpectedly been drawn into the relegation battle but can distance themselves once more with a result or two on Sunday.

They lost it late last week from the spot against NWS Spirit and will need to recover from that disappointment here.

Bankstown City Lions v Northern Tigers – MOTR

The match of the round takes us to Jensen Park on Sunday at 5pm as Bankstown City Lions host the Northern Tigers.

There is so much riding on the line for both of these teams with finals football the carrot.

Bankstown did what was asked of them last week against the Emerging Jets and in the process gave themselves the best goal difference of the battling teams for fourth spot.

None of that will matter here though if they don't take all three points as mathematically, they will not be able to catch the Tigers should they lose.

Susan Phonsongkham got herself back on the scoresheet with a brace last week and she will be key for the Lions.

The Tigers have continued their good form late in the season as they scored an impressive 3-0 win over the Blacktown Spartans with Claudia Cholakian the star of the show.

As mentioned previously, a win for the Tigers will eliminate a direct competitor for fourth spot and inch them closer to another finals appearance.

They come into this one with only one defeat in their last five games and are finishing the season strong.

Blacktown Spartans v Emerging Jets

Blacktown Football Park will be the venue for the Blacktown Spartans' clash against the Emerging Jets on Sunday.

After their incredible win against the Illawarra Stingrays, the Spartans were brought back down to earth with their defeat against the Northern Tigers on Sunday.

There is little bearing on this game for the Spartans but they may use it as a confidence booster if they can win for their final two vital games in the season.

Time is running out for the Jets to register their first win of the season but they may feel this could be the moment.

After a few tight results and an excellent come from behind draw against NWS Spirit, they suffered a humbling defeat on Sunday at the hands of Bankstown City.

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FIRST GRADE LADDER

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	APIA Leichhardt FC	23	16	5	2	52	24	28	53
2	Macarthur Rams Womens FC	23	16	4	3	65	21	44	52
3	NWS Spirit FC	23	13	5	5	46	30	16	44
4	Northern Tigers FC	23	11	5	7	37	27	10	38
5	Bulls FC Academy	23	10	7	6	36	27	9	37
6	Sydney Olympic FC	22	10	3	9	33	30	3	33
7	Bankstown City FC	22	7	10	5	35	26	9	31
8	Gladesville Ravens	21	8	6	7	27	25	2	30
9	Illawarra Stingrays	22	8	5	9	32	34	-2	29
10	Sydney University SFC	23	6	7	10	36	37	-1	25
11	Manly United FC	23	5	9	9	24	31	-7	24
12	Football NSW Institute	21	6	4	11	19	36	-17	22
13	Blacktown Spartans FC	23	4	1	18	15	53	-38	13
14	Emerging Jets	22	0	3	19	29	85	-56	3

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NPL NSW WOMEN'S SQUADS • ROUND 24



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- 1 Katie Offer (GK)
- 2 Rachel Perrins
- 3 Erin Pridmore
- 4 Sarah Morgan
- 5 Victoria Martin
- 6 Nat Tobin
- 7 Kaiya Buchanan
- 8 Olivia Schembri
- 9 Sophie Harding
- 10 Rola Badawiya
- 11 Ella Abdul Maddih
- 12 Erin Tavaras
- 13 Morgan Roberts
- 14 Bianca Radman
- 15 Scarlet Thomas
- 16 Ella Buchanan
- 17 Mary Stanic-Floody
- 18 Natalie Casha
- 19 Monique Holder
- 20 Pene Bonovas
- 23 Clare Holder
- 24 Lucia Massaro
- 25 Zoe Murdoch
- 26 Tameeka Thomson
- 27 Tamsin Buchanan
- 28 Keira Addison
- 29 Kalize Jarvis
- 30 Julia Morales
- 31 Jemma Brakel
- 32 Skye Halmarick
- 33 Kylie Stabb
- 34 Emily Jensen
- 35 Ellie Howard
- 21 Mio Nemoto (GK)

First Grade Coach: Tiana Gauci
First Grade Assistant Coach: Sam Osborne
Reserve Grade Coach: Michael Cunningham
Manager (FG & RG): Bruce Macfadyen
S&C Coach (FG & RG): Shannon Codd
GK Coach (FG & RG): Ken Greenhead
Physio (FG & RG): Erin Nugent



**SATURDAY
19TH AUGUST
3PM
CHRISTIE
PARK**

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- 8 Erica Halloway
- 10 Michelle Carney
- 12 Daisy Canavan
- 13 Kaelah Austin
- 14 Ashley Kotevski
- 15 Caitlin Cooper
- 16 Molly Lawless
- 17 Adelaide Thompson
- 18 Samira Jirsa
- 19 Halle Callow
- 20 Bella Voisey-Youldon
- 21 Sophie Emery
- 22 Brielle Masters
- 24 Abbey Crapp
- 25 Alicia Meuronen
- 26 Matilda McParland
- 27 Samantha Payne
- 28 Alyssa Schwereb
- 29 Anabella Pinkard
- 30 Alex Mckenzie
- 31 Tess Stephens
- 32 Piper Lockley- Hinschen
- 33 Ella Giles
- 34 Gracie Johns
- 36 Mia Mcgovern
Jessica Cirignano

First Grade Coach: Steve Gordon
First Grade Assistant Coach: Troy Spink
Reserve Grade Coach: Troy Spink

*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Referee: Emma Kocbek
Assistant Referee: Ethan Zvargulis
Assistant Referee: Blake Sanchez-Cruz

NPL NSW WOMEN'S SQUADS • ROUND 24



- 1 Sophia Varley (GK)
- 2 Gabby Peak
- 3 Annabel Martin
- 4 Margaux Chauvet
- 8 Bianca Galic
- 9 Stephanie Augoustis
- 10 Rojin Polat
- 11 Maxine Peak
- 12 Ashley Dribbus
- 13 Tara Baudana
- 14 Holly Duncan
- 15 Frances Lechner
- 17 Georgia Pollitt
- 18 Kate Stanbridge
- 19 Anna Hunt
- 20 Jaime Beaufils
- 21 Nadine Knight (GK)
- 22 Katie Tyo
- 23 Ella Gattorna
- 24 Amelia Feeney
- 25 Tayla Agostino
- 26 Lucia White
- 27 Talia Kapetanellis
- 28 Charlotte Hampshire
- 29 Poppy Tay
- 30 Tayla Cvetkovski
- 31 Chelsea Hromek (GK)
- 32 Sarah Farrow
- 33 Tess Quilligan
- 34 Olivia Lysiak
- 35 Alexia Saltirov
- 36 Sydney McQuillan

First Grade Coach: Emily Husband
First Grade Assistant Coach: Amy Shepherd
Reserve Grade Coach: Xavier Taylor
Reserve Grade Assistant Coach: Sam McGowan
Support Coach: Rebekah Stuart
S&C: Harry Footit & David Bourke



**SUNDAY
20TH AUGUST
2PM**

**SYDNEY UNIVERSITY
FOOTBALL GROUND**

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- 1 Tahlia Franco
- 5 Alice Thompson
- 7 Daniella Naeimi
- 9 Jynaya Dos Santos
- 12 Megan Mifsud
- 13 Sienna Saveska
- 16 Anabelle Ghabach
- 18 Erin Gordon
- 61 Indiana Dos Santos
- 80 Maddie Caspers
- 82 Tamara Lukanovic
- 85 Libby Morris
- 86 Ava Piazza
- 89 Anika Stajcic
- 91 Alessandra Valle

Coach: Lisa Warrener
Assistant Coach: Nadine Shiels
GK Coach: Ken Greenhead

*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Referee: Isabella Mossin
Assistant Referee: Gabriella Arcidiacono
Assistant Referee: Sean Lacy

NPL NSW WOMEN'S SQUADS • ROUND 24



- 1 Trudy Burke (GK)
- 2 Ciara Casamento
- 4 Jessica Seaman
- 5 Peta Trimis
- 6 Kiara Farquar
- 7 Anneke Corry
- 8 Dani Rustein
- 10 Tamires Souza
- 11 Liz Grey
- 12 Avaani Prakash
- 15 Angelina Manos
- 16 Erica Di sciasio
- 18 Lara Coward
- 19 Tessa Clout
- 21 Keely Segavic (GK)
- 23 Poppy Davison
- 24 Cate Gyzen
- 26 Daisy Cheesman
- 35 Yasmin Popovic
- 37 Issey Morris
- 41 Susanna Behne-Smith (GK)
- 52 Claudia Valetta
- 81 Ava Roberts

Coach: Jamie Gomez
Assistant Coaches: Tom Richardson
and Bill Papas



**SUNDAY
20TH AUGUST
2PM
NORTHBRIDGE
OVAL**



- 1 Shamiran Khamis
- 2 Tegan Bertolissio
- 3 Madison McComasky
- 4 Alanah Nicholas
- 6 Leila Braimah-Mahamah
- 7 Chloe Gordon
- 8 Lara Dipple
- 9 Leena Khamis
- 10 Melissa Caceres
- 12 Laura Murtagh
- 13 Eliza Pereira
- 14 Miku Sunaga
- 15 Sophie MacAlpine
- 16 Maya Lobo
- 17 India Breier
- 18 Amalia Plummer
- 19 Olivia Sloan
- 20 Chrystal Duggan
- 21 Brianna Clarke
- 22 Alexandra Huynh
- 23 Renee Houliaras
- 25 Darcey Malone
- 26 Chelsea Barton
- 27 Jasmine Limon
- 28 Madeleine Malone
- 29 Mia Diacogiorgis
- 32 Bethany Gordon
- 33 Lotus Lopez
- 35 Tenealle Hay
- 42 Kaydi Christie
- 43 Vanisha Kumar
- 44 Kelli Brown

First Grade Coach: Stephen Peters
First Grade Assistant Coach: Peter
Nowakowski
Reserve Grade Coach: Peter
Nowakowski
Reserve Grade Assistant Coach: David
Smirthwaite

*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Referee: **Mikayla Ryan**
Assistant Referee: **Siobhan Gregory**
Assistant Referee: **Thomas Dale**

NPL NSW WOMEN'S SQUADS • ROUND 24



- 1 Courtney Newbon (GK)
- 2 Teresa Polias
- 3 Charlotte McLean
- 4 Ashley Irwin
- 5 Angelique Hristodoulou
- 6 Lacie Bowling
- 7 Sarah Yatim
- 8 Brianna Oliverio
- 9 Kiara De Domizio
- 10 Allira Toby
- 11 Teigan Collister
- 12 Georgia Koutzoumis
- 15 Monique Mcdglyn
- 16 April Stewart
- 17 Maya Fernandez
- 18 Tayla Hampson
- 19 Ebony Mccue-shore
- 20 Megan Grew
- 43 Niamh Barnes
- 44 Lucy Johnson
- 45 Rachel Lowe
- 46 Taylor Ray
- 47 Charlie Rule
- 48 Mackenzie Hawkesby

Coach: George Beltsos
Assistant Coach: Phillip
Voisey-Youldon



**SUNDAY
20TH AUGUST
3.45PM
PETER MOORE
FIELD**

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- 1 Nicole Simonsen
- 2 Nicole Stuart
- 5 Grace Arnold
- 6 Ruby Jackson
- 7 Kahli Johnson
- 8 Paige Kingston-Hogg
- 9 Emily Minett
- 11 Mia Bales
- 12 Phoebe Gilbane
- 13 Caitlin Jarvie
- 14 Maddison Zahra
- 15 Teigan Biasi
- 17 Alexia Forner
- 18 Sophie Clarke
- 19 Aurelia Collins
- 21 Nicola Simmons
- 22 Emily Bastow
- 23 Gemma Sweetnam
- 24 Valentina Bradley
- 25 Ellie Kerr
- 27 Kirrilly Hughes
- 28 Ashley Henebery
- 29 India Horsley
- 30 Sienna Dale
- 31 Leah Burton
- 32 Yoko Kawai
- 33 Catilin Wallace
- 34 Alana Fisher
- 35 Mikala Tucker
- 36 Ruby Egan-Brown
- 38 Jemima Lockley

First Grade Coach: Thomas Hopley
First Grade Assistant Coach: Jadon
Sugunarajan
First Grade Manager: Sally Whitehead
Reserve Grade Coach: Lachlan
Panetta
Reserve Grade Assistant Coach: Jadon
Sugunarajan
Reserve Grade Manager: Richard
Burton

*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Referee: **Joel Dunajcik**
Assistant Referee: **Luke Chapman**
Assistant Referee: **Oliver Leanfore**

NPL NSW WOMEN'S SQUADS • ROUND 24



- 1 Brianna Edwards (GK)
- 2 Kate Macpherson
- 3 Stephanie Ambrose
- 4 Alexia Karrys Stahl
- 5 Tiana Jaber
- 6 Liana Gullo (Danaskos)
- 7 Olivia Price
- 8 Skye Casaccia
- 9 Daisy Arrowsmith
- 10 Isabella Volkanovski
- 11 Hannah Bacon
- 12 Georgia Plessas
- 13 Demi Koulizakis
- 14 Sabine Montenegro
- 15 Paige Hayward
- 16 Marayam Mostaghimi
- 17 Rochelle Borromeo
- 18 Baxter Thew
- 19 Siobhan Edwards
- 20 Lexie Moreno
- 22 Jessica Frampton
- 24 Stephanie Grimbilos (GK)

Coach: Matt Costantini
Assistant Coach: Patrick Manfrin
Assistant Coach: Paul Costantini



**SUNDAY
20TH AUGUST
3PM
JENSEN
PARK**

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- 1 Sarah Langman
- 2 Josie Wilson
- 3 Teal Kilbride
- 4 Rebecca Lake
- 5 Ariella Cabezas
- 6 Izzy Gomez
- 7 Hannah McNulty
- 9 Shadeene Evans
- 10 Claudia Cholakian
- 11 Gemma Woolley
- 13 Ella Tonkin
- 14 Beth Bernardi
- 15 Lily McMahan
- 16 Sienna Fraser
- 18 Ashlee Brodigan
- 21 Caitlin Doeglas
- 35 Jessie Wharepouri
- 41 Danielle Bartels
- 42 Chloe Tseros
- 43 Jodie Drever
- 50 Rosie Ewin
- 51 Montana-Rose Currey
- 53 Tara Watson
- 54 Laura Wilson
- 55 Molly Reckless
- 56 Lucca Taylor
- 57 Jasmine Meli
- 58 Saba Murray
- 59 Kora Villa
- 60 Annalise Brewster
- 61 Tess Rickard
- 62 Jessica Forster
- 63 Olivia Cartwright
- 70 Jessica Garrett
- 99 Jade McAtamney

Coaches: Jake Stephenson, Danilo Tostes Da Gama, Fin Geraghty

*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Referee: Rowan Fisher
Assistant Referee: Matthew Herring
Assistant Referee: Joshua Kermond

NPL NSW WOMEN'S SQUADS • ROUND 24



- 1 Anna Norton (GK)
- 2 Chantelle Maniti
- 3 Annie Daczko
- 4 Carleigh Frilles
- 6 Kelsea Nash
- 7 Christa Olivia
- 8 Ellie Smyth
- 9 Donelle Moore
- 10 Eva Madarang
- 11 Zoe Sullivan
- 12 Lisa Fressard
- 13 Breanna Buccini
- 14 Doveniah Vine
- 15 Angelina Powell
- 16 Deana Caronna
- 17 Brittany Duggan
- 19 Sarina Zaka
- 20 Isabelle Grech
- 21 Makayla Kent (GK)
- 22 Breanna McCormack
- 23 Charlotte Owen
- 24 Ridaa Mohammadi
- 25 Maja Prostran
- 26 Angelique Lynch

Technical Director: Stevan Antonic
First Grade Coach: Lauren Phelps
Assistant Coach: Milan Jovanovic
Strength & Conditioning: Draz Bogovac
First Grade Manager: Leanne Smyth



**SUNDAY
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3PM
BLACKTOWN
FOOTBALL PARK**

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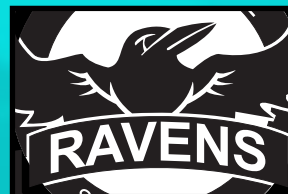
- 4 Emma O'Hagan
- 5 Chloe Walandouw
- 6 Saffron Grass
- 7 Claire Adams
- 8 Emma Dundas
- 9 Brinley Gentle
- 10 Josie Allan
- 11 Lara Gooch
- 15 Milan Hammond
- 16 Molly Salvador
- 17 Grace Kingett (GK)
- 18 Alexis Collins
- 22 Sian Wilde
- 23 Alice Webster
- 24 Amelia O'Brien
- 28 Alisha Ingrey
- 29 Zoe Karipidis
- 40 Natalia O'Driscoll

First Grade coach: Sam Griffin
Reserve Grade coach: Martin Slade
Goalkeeper coach: Greg Lowe
TD: Gary van Egmond
Assistant TD: Ryan Campbell

*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Referee: Lara Hogan
Assistant Referee: Isabella Vrtkovski
Assistant Referee: Gregory Roberts

NPL NSW WOMEN'S SQUADS • ROUND 24



- 1 Sophie Magus
- 3 Tanya Borazio
- 3 Claudia Cicco
- 4 Natasha Prior
- 5 Tori Tumeth
- 6 Shay Hollman
- 7 Isabella Habuda
- 9 Holly McNamara
- 10 Rhianna Pollicina
- 11 Ashlie Crofts
- 12 Lara Bosnich
- 13 Sarah Urquhart
- 14 Isabella Coco Di-Sipio
- 15 Gisella Pipino
- 16 Estelle Fragale
- 17 Siahn Bozanic
- 18 Sophie Hoban
- 19 Cassidy Chidgey
- 21 Kaitlin Kiparizov
- 22 Jordan Jasnos
- 23 Leah De Oliveira
- 24 Charlotte Young
- 25 Paris Alcorn
- 26 Jessica Saliba
- 27 Eleni Tsintominas
- 28 Ella Martins
- 29 Kiara Coscia
- 30 Milica Aleksic
- 31 Ana Jandagi
- 33 Mia Domine
- 34 Sophia Konstandinidis
- 35 Beth Crawford
- 36 Olivia Mitchell
- 37 Shelby Milton
- 38 Lauren Johnson
- 39 Taylor Brookes
- 40 Emi Vidakovic
- 90 Morgan Aquino
- 99 Courtney Halpin

First Grade Coach: Spencer Prior
Reserve Grade Coach: Luccas Pereira
Assistant Coach: Jonas Rodrigues
Goal Keeper Coach: Jason Tome
Strength and Conditioning: Robert Foti
Physio: Isaiah Martins
Manager: Catherine Konstandinidis



**SUNDAY
20TH AUGUST
2.55PM
LAMBERT
PARK**



- 1 Eliza Coleman
- 2 Amy Harkin
- 3 Eleanor Lidbetter
- 4 Chloe O'Brien
- 5 Keiko Tanaka
- 6 Kimberley Davey
- 7 Anja Seeto
- 8 Georgia Vlangos
- 10 Jess Wootton
- 11 Lara Brewis
- 12 Astreia Denby
- 13 Mia Duncan
- 14 Maya Braun
- 15 Elizabeth Gilbane
- 16 Alyssa Thomson
- 17 Lilly Dummett
- 18 Teagan Long
- 19 Natalie Sproule
- 20 Ashleigh Stevens
- 21 Amelie Milroy
- 22 Romina Parraguirre
- 23 Keisha Allen
- 24 Luca Davine
- 25 Eloise Hansen
- 26 Alexandra Tims
- 27 Annie Halls
- 28 Isabelle Hatton
- 29 Taliah Castillo
- 30 Nyssa Castillo
- 31 Bianca Dobson
- 32 Carlie Ikonomou
- 33 Zoe Zaczek
- 34 Jade French

First Grade Coach: Andrew Galbraith
First Grade Assist Coach: Dali McDonald
Reserve Grade Coach: Stephen Bott
Reserve Grade Assist Coach: Peter Derkatch

*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Referee: Molly Godsell
Assistant Referee: Issac Liu
Assistant Referee: Jayden Khong



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