

THE RED DEVIL NEWS
NPL QUEENSLAND MEN'S
ROUND 18 GAMES

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WELCOME TO THE FURNACE

Welcome to the Compass Grounds for Sunday afternoon football with our Round 18 NPL Men's fixture. We welcome Gold Coast United FC to Compass Grounds.

The NPL Men's Under 23's start off the proceedings with the early game at 12.45pm. The NPL Men then take to the field at 3.15pm.

United are riding well lodged in the top 2 and we've always had close tight games with them and the Red Devils will be out to make the most out of this one.

The Red Devils will have to fire on all cylinders if they want points from this encounter.

So C'Mon Redlands **GET YOUR RED ON, BE LOUD, BE PROUD, MAKE SOME NOISE AND BE HERE TO CHEER ON YOUR RED DEVILS!**

What more is there to say except **C'MON YOU REDS!!!!!!**

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"When you swap shirts at the end of the match you expect it to smell bad, but Beckham's smelt really nice." *Ronaldo (Brazilian International)*

"That's great, stick him up front and tell him he's Pele"... to a physio who had just checked Stuart Pearce after he was knocked out in an FA Cup tie, and reported to Clough that Pearce couldn't remember who he was...

Brian Clough (Former English Player and Manager)

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Next week our Senior Men's team are at home again on Saturday afternoon against Sunshine Coast Wanderers in Round 19 at 3.15pm with the Under 23's at 12.45pm.

Get your Red on get down to the grounds and support our Red Devils.



PRESIDENT'S REVIEW

WITH ***BEN BROCK, RUFC PRESIDENT***

Welcome everyone to what seems like a return to the good old days with Sunday afternoon football.



Well what a season so far, we've seen an Increase in numbers across the board resulting in 5 extra teams which of course has put further strain on our already tight training schedule. Sheldon College came on board to alleviate some of the pressure allowing our younger FQ Academy teams to train on their wonderful grounds each week and we do thank them for that.

We were well into the season with barely a hiccup when council discovered fire ants on the MPF, resulting in moving or postponing fixtures and rearranging training for a short period.

Our teams have enjoyed a full season so far with mixed results across all the divisions. Our NPL Senior men's team have held their heads high playing against some very strong professional teams and are looking to finish middle of the table, well up from where the punters thought they would be. Well done lads!

With 7 to 10 weeks remaining, depending on your division, some of our teams have solidified their positions in the top 4 of their respective ladders and will be contending finals.

We've seen a very strong showing in the O35 Men's divisions with 3 of our 5 teams well entrenched in finals contentions and all three looking to be crowned minor premiers. Not to be outdone by the men, our Legends Ladies team are sitting in 2nd position and proving a force to be reckoned with.

Plans have been submitted for our popular Summer 6 Aside competition again so keep an eye out for further information on that.

We have hosted a number of functions in our clubhouse this year so please keep that in mind if you are planning any end of season celebrations! It has been great but there is more to come.

Regards
Ben

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DEVILS ROUND UP

with Daniel Varma

I would like to extend a warm welcome to Grae Piddick and his Gold Coast United side as they enter The Compass grounds today.



Today's match is vitally important if we are to keep our top four hopes alive. The middle of the table couldn't be closer and with 15 points left to play for 3 points are more like 6.

If we are to take these points today we must learn from last week, take our chances and defend resolutely and consistently.

This season has been full of performances but not translated into enough results. In reality performance phase football matches are decided by key moments and by teams and individuals that execute in them. My players more than have the ability to do this and this Sunday I am sure they will.

If they do at 17:15 Sunday our club song will ring throughout the club. My belief in my players is unwavering and always will be.

Daniel Varma
NPL Men's Head Coach



NPL MEN'S ROUND 16

REDLANDS AND EASTS FC

After 2 weeks of no games Redlands United were back in action in the NPL Men's competition. Friday evening they played host to Eastern Suburbs FC at Compass Grounds in Round 16 of the NPL Men's competition and a goal in each half were enough to take the competition points in a tough encounter.

Redlands were reduced to 10 men early in the 2nd half, which totally changed the momentum of the game.

Redlands United Line Up

1. Ryan Govan	2. Dylan Brent
3. Max Ellenger	8. James Bonomi
9. Peter Klaassen	10. Ryo Emoto
12. Noah Hitchcock	13. Angus Broderick
18. Fionn Reilly	21. Jack Skinner
22. Michael Lee	
Reserves:	
5. Kenny Wilkinson	6. Sam Langley
14. Lee-Navu Faunt	19. Luke Turner
23. Josh Marinko	24. Dom Lavender

The 1st half was all Redlands as they controlled the game with Easts defending stoutly. The Red Devils were on the scoreboard after 20 minutes when Jack Skinner intercepted the ball and ran across field towards goal and unleashed his shot 20 meters out and found the corner of the net.

Easts did try and muster some attacking impetus but Redlands defense held firm and cut out the plays before they developed into anything dangerous.

On 35 minutes Redlands new signing Fionn Reilly came close after beating a defender to a bouncing ball and slotting the ball past an advancing keeper only to see it glance the outside of the post. A few minutes later after some great work from Skinner out wide, James Bonomi's

angled shot from outside the box had the keeper beaten but just slid past the far post.

As the teams went into the break Redlands led 1-0.

When the 2nd half commenced the game continued in the same manner, with the majority of play in Easts' territory and with the visitors defending stoutly and trying to catch Redlands on the counter attack. After a couple of early chances were saved by Easts, Redlands had their 2nd on 56 minutes, when after some great build up play and ball movement Dylan Brent sent in a cross from out wide and found Peter Klaassen perfectly positioned to out leap his defender and easily head the ball home to increase the lead to 2-0.

Then on 58 minutes the whole momentum of the game changed when defender Angus Broderick was shown a 2nd yellow card whilst in attack in the Easts penalty area and was subsequently sent off.

A couple of shrewd tactical substitutions by Easts coach Matt Chandler saw Easts gain momentum as they used their man advantage. Redlands continued to push forward and Ryo Emoto's shot a few minutes later, from the angle, struck the post. All the while Easts were growing more and more into the game pushing harder and harder.

Emoto almost had his goal when he had the ball in the net after some good build up play, but it was ruled out for a foul in the lead up. Easts had their goal on 82 minutes when a cross from out wide was not defused by Redlands and Blake Grove headed the ball into the net. The goal gave Easts momentum and they continued to push on trying for the equaliser.

As the game entered its final stages Easts increased their efforts but Redlands scrambling defense maintained their form and with keeper Ryan Govan marshalling his troops, the Red Devils were able to repel the attacking forays, however the game finished with Redlands picking up the win with a 2-1 result picking up valuable competition points.

Redlands' Fiction Bar and Restaurant, Man of the Match was awarded to our livewire goal scorer Jack Skinner.

After the game Redlands United Head Coach Daniel Varma commented, "I'm vvery pleased overall with the victory against my old club Easts FC on Friday night. My boys knew they had to win to keep their top four hopes alive."

"I thought for 60mins we were dominant. I was particularly pleased with our two goals; one came from our work in possession through the week and the other came from work we did when not in possession. The attitude from my team at training and on match day has been excellent during our break and I am pleased they were rewarded for this."

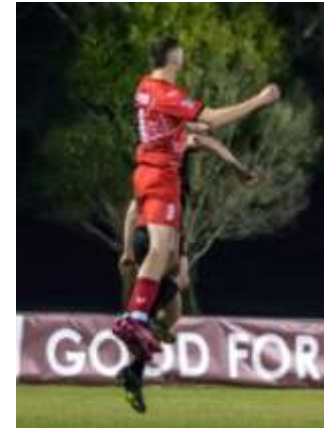
"A moment of poor discipline at 60mins and missed chances made the last 30minutes of the match more difficult than it needed to be but in the end 3 points is what was needed and what was achieved. We must continue to learn from these crucial moments at this level of football. We look ahead to our match against league leaders Gold Coast Knights away on Wednesday evening. I know how much my players have been looking forward to this match and I can't wait to see us in action! Our football, Our way!" Varma said.

Wednesday evening Redlands are on the road down the Coast to Carrara, where we take on competition leaders Gold Coast Knights in the re-scheduled NPL Men's Round 15 clash, then with only 2 days rest, travel over to Albany Creek to take on another top 3 side in Moreton Bay United on Saturday evening in Round 17.



NPL MEN'S RD 16 PHOTOS

BY RAY GARDNER



WOMEN'S VIEW

WITH **JODIE PRESTON, RUFC WOMEN'S FOOTBALL**

With the Women's World Cup about to kick off in Australia and New Zealand there's never been a more exciting time to be part of a Women's Football Program. As a club we have had a lot to celebrate in the lead up to the games.



In partnership with Football Queensland we held a girls only football clinic. The program was well attended by junior girls from 4 - 16 years of age, coming from all over the bayside area. The girls had a blast with the FQ coaches, learning new drills and skills, despite the very wet conditions!

We also held a number of events during Female Football Week including our Annual Ladies Day. Once again we were joined by Football Queensland who shone a spotlight on Redlands United FC and our Female Football program and initiatives.

The day saw all of our girls team playing at home, with some presentations, interviews with current players, shout outs from prolific RUFC alumni and current A league players and CAKE!. There really is a rich history and culture of support for female football at RUFC and the day was a huge success. I'd specifically like to thank Carina for her hard work in making the day happen!

As the season is drawing to a close, it looks as though we'll have some Semi-Finals football from across the female teams, watch this space for updates! Further, we will continue to push for our aim of 10 female teams in 2024 as FQ work towards gender parity in our game. We call this initiative #target10 and we will be continuing to build and grow our program and female footballing body.

Finally, 2024 will see us celebrating 50 years of female football at RUFC and we have some big ideas in the pipeline for this!

For now we can sit back and watch the magic of a world cup on home soil. The games will be played in the club house for all those wanting a bit of atmosphere!

Regards
Jodie



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WHATS ON AT REDLANDS



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A massive well done to our Under 9 Red Team. They played their normal fixture in the morning and then raced over and played in the Logan Twilight Carniva.

They not only played, but won it. 7hours, 6 games, 5 wins, 1 draw and they won the Final. 26 goals scored over the afternoon, only allowing 1 goal in from another team. Congratulations and well done all involved.



WHATS ON AT REDLANDS

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NPL MEN'S ROUND 17

MORETON BAY UNITED AND REDLANDS FC

The Red Devils travelled over to Albany Creek Saturday evening for another clash against a top 3 opponent, Moreton Bay United. This was just 3 days after a tough battle on Wednesday evening down the coast against Gold Coast Knights.

It was a strange game with Redlands creating more of the play, created more scoring opportunities but still trailed at half time thanks to Moreton Bay's only shot on goal in the half.

Redlands United Line Up	
1. Ryan Govan	2. Dylan Brent
3. Max Ellenger	6. Sam Langley
9. Peter Klaassen	10. Ryo Emoto
11. Deane Alterio	13. Angus Broderick
18. Fionn Reilly	21. Jack Skinner
22. Michael Lee	
Reserves:	
4. James Piercy	7. Guil Santana
8. James Bonomi	14. Lee-Navu Faunt
15. Nick Terry	24. Dom Lavender

The Red Devils started strongly as just like the previous game, within the 1st minute they gave United a real scare when Peter Klaassen played the ball across the face of goal eluding the surging runs and out stretched feet of Redlands players by inches. Jack Skinner also went close 4 minutes later when he also shot across the face of goal just missing the far post, after picking the ball up around half way and surged towards goal at pace before firing his shot in just outside the box.

The 1st 30 minutes was just constant pressure by Redlands with corner after corner with consistent possession with Moreton Bay defending with 8 or 9 players in the box crowding the Red Devils with no room for a clean shot. Then on 32 minutes United got

their goal when Joe Scott against the run of play fired in a rocket of a shot from outside the box.

Redlands didn't drop their heads they continued to press on. A few minutes before half time Ryo Emoto picked the ball up just 10 meters out from his own goal and ran it up field beating defender after defender, twisting and turning and using little bursts of speed before finally getting his shot away just outside the box which just creased the top side of the cross bar.

The 2nd stanza continued in much the same pattern as the 1st, Redlands dominating the play but just not able to score past the packed Moreton Bay defense. Only a few minutes into the half Deane Alterio picked up a loose ball and drove forward and shot from just outside the box only for the ball to strike the cross bar and be cleared away by the scrambling defense.

Five minutes later Redlands thought they had scored when from a corner a header had the keeper beaten only for the ball to be cleared off the line in a last gasp effort. Wo minutes later Moreton Bay scored their 2nd goal when Redlands were unable to properly clear the ball from within their penalty box only for it to fall straight to a United player who made no mistake with his shot.

Redlands continued to create scoring opportunities but were continually thwarted by the crowding defense or their Keeper Matt Lugo who pulled off some superb saves. The Red Devils finally had their penalty when Emoto took the ball into the box and was pulled down giving the referee no option but to award the penalty. Dylan Brent made no mistake with the spot kick reduced the deficit with basically the last play of the match as the referee signaled full time as soon as Moreton Bay restarted the match.

It was a tough encounter for the Red Devils controlling the play and creating more scoring opportunities than their opponents but just not being able to convert that onto the scoreboard. It was just one of those nights.

Redlands' Fiction Bar and Restaurant, Man of the Match was awarded to a defender our No 3 Max Ellenger.

SQUAD LIST

REDLANDS UNITED FC

- 1 RYAN GOVAN
- 2 DYLAN BRENT
- 3 MAX ELLINGER
- 4 JAMES PIERCY
- 5 KENNETH WILKINSON
- 6 SAM LANGLEY
- 7 GUIL SANTANA
- 8 JAMES BONOMI
- 9 PETER KLAASSEN
- 10 RYO EMOTO
- 11 DEANE ALTERIO
- 12 NOAH HITCHCOCK
- 13 ANGUS BRODERICK
- 14 LEE NAVU-FAUNT
- 15 DYLAN LEGGETT
- 17 SEAN KENNEDY
- 18 FIONN REILLY
- 19 LUKE TURNER
- 20 JOEL D'CRUZ
- 21 JACK SKINNER
- 22 MICHAEL LEE

GOLD COAST UNITED FC

- 1 SALIADARRE
- 2 SCARONI
- 3 CAVANAGH
- 4 THOMPSON
- 5 COWBURN
- 6 GOULDING
- 7 MCKAY
- 8 THOMPSON-KING
- 9 TIPALDO
- 10 SMITH
- 11 PANETTA
- 12 WALTER
- 13 KYLE
- 15 REMMERS
- 17 NICHOLS
- 18 CROSS
- 19 DURRINGTON
- 20 HARDMAN
- 22 STOLLERY
- 23 HUNTER



PLAYER PROFILE

FIONN REILLY	
SHIRT NUMBER	No 18
POSITION	WINGER/ ATTACKING MIDFIELD
DATE OF BIRTH	06/07/1996
HOMETOWN	KELLS, REPUBLIC OF IRELAND
JUNIOR CLUBS	KELLS FC HOME FARM FC BOHEMIAN FC
SENIOR CLUBS	DROGHEDA UNITED FC, REPUBLIC OF IRELAND AVETRANA FC, ITALY ATLETICO AZZURRA COLLI, ITALY MANDURIA, ITALY NOW REDLANDS UNITED FC
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WHO WAS YOUR FOOTBALL IDOL GROWING UP	RONALDINHO, JACK WILTSHIRE
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FAVOURITE MOVIE	BLADES OF GLORY
FAVOURITE ARTIST/BAND	MAC MILLER



NPL MEN'S SENIOR POINTS TABLES

	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1 Gold Coast Knights	17	11	4	2	35	15	20	37
2 Gold Coast United FC	17	10	4	3	24	13	11	34
3 Moreton Bay United FC	17	9	4	4	36	20	16	31
4 Lions FC	17	7	6	4	31	25	6	27
5 Brisbane City FC	17	7	4	6	32	23	9	25
6 Rochedale Rovers FC	17	9	1	8	29	27	2	25
7 Brisbane Roar	17	7	2	8	22	24	-2	23
8 Peninsula Power FC	17	6	5	6	24	29	-5	23
9 Redlands United FC	17	6	3	8	25	26	-1	21
10 Sunshine Coast Wanderers	17	5	4	8	16	27	-11	19
11 Olympic FC	17	3	3	11	19	32	-13	12
12 Eastern Suburbs FC	17	2	2	13	18	50	-32	8

Table current as at Tuesday 18/07/23

LAST ROUND NPL MEN'S RESULTS

Peninsula Power	2	v	Olympic FC	0
Gold Coast United	2	v	Lions FC	0
Rochedale Rovers	0	v	Brisbane Roar	4
Moreton Bay United	2	v	Redlands United	1
Gold Coast Knights	0	v	Brisbane City	1
Easts	0	v	SC Wanderers	1



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LAST ROUND NPL MEN'S UNDER 23 RESULTS

Peninsula Power	2	v	Olympic FC	1
Gold Coast United	2	v	Lions FC	1
Rochedale Rovers	0	v	Brisbane Roar	2
Moreton Bay United	5	v	Redlands United	0
Gold Coast Knights	3	v	Brisbane City	0
Easts	7	v	SC Wanderers	2

NPL MEN'S UNDER 23 POINTS TABLES

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3 Lions FC	17	11	2	4	40	24	16	35
4 Moreton Bay United FC	17	10	2	5	38	22	16	32
5 Peninsula Power FC	17	9	5	3	35	26	9	32
6 Sunshine Coast Wanderers	17	8	2	7	47	48	-1	26
7 Brisbane Roar	17	6	2	9	34	29	5	20
8 Olympic FC	17	6	2	9	22	33	-7	20
9 Rochedale Rovers FC	17	5	1	11	27	44	-17	16
10 Redlands United FC	17	4	2	11	25	54	-29	14
11 Eastern Suburbs FC	17	4	1	12	20	33	-13	13
12 Brisbane City FC	17	4	1	12	37	52	-15	13

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UPCOMING NPL MEN'S ACTION

Our Senior teams next NPL fixtures are at home against Sunshine Coast Wanderers on Saturday evening and then Friday evening 11 August against Brisbane City. The Red Devils will be looking to pick up points in each of these games and they should all be blockbusters of games. Get your Red on and support our Red Devils.

These are games you shouldn't miss. We definitely need you to cheer on our Red Devils.

C'mon you Reds!!!

ROUND 19 NPL MENS



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