

TODAY'S DETAILS

CONDITIONS: DRY

At Kensington

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Norw'd	2-2	10-8	12-11	16-15	111
West	6-1	9-2	12-6	15-7	97

BEST PLAYERS—NORWOOD: Kneebone, Stephens, Lill, Sawley, Bunton, Wedding, Johnson.
WEST: Gates, Ryan, Bennets, Chynoweth, Kerley, Roach, Wright.

SCORERS—NORWOOD: Stephens 6.1, Lill 2.3, Bunton 2.1, Johnson 2.1, Vivian 2.0, Fosdike 1.4, Feehan 1.0, Sawley 0.2, McMahon 0.1, rushed 0.2.
WEST: Ryan 3.1, Wright 2.2, Bray 2.0, O'Driscoll 2.0, Hogan 2.0, Fraser 2.0, Reu 1.0, Sims 1.0, Pfitzner 0.2, Phipps 0.1.

REPLACEMENTS—NORWOOD: Modra (leg), replaced by Vivian at three-quarter time. **WEST:** Sims (leg), replaced by Phipps at three-quarter time.

At Adelaide

South	2-4	6-7	13-14	17-18	120
Glenelg	4-1	6-5	7-9	12-11	83

BEST PLAYERS—SOUTH: Panizza, Christie, Kupsch, Kimber, Kitchen, Stafford, Durbridge.
GLENELG: Abley, Stock, Vertue, Beal, Fraser, Rowett, Howard.

SCORERS—SOUTH: Panizza 4.1, Christie 4.0, Stafford 3.2, Parham 2.2, Kimber 2.0, Hilder 1.3, Harris 1.0, Baraglia 0.5, Ploenges 0.1, rushed 0.2.
GLENELG: Fraser 3.1, Richens 2.2, Kernahan 2.2, Howard 1.3, Dickinson 1.1, Payne 1.1, Flew 1.0, Vertue 1.0, Rowett 0.1.

REPLACEMENTS—SOUTH: Morton (leg), replaced by Livesey in last quarter. **GLENELG:** McDonald (leg), replaced by Flew in last quarter.

At Unley

Sturt	1-4	8-3	10-5	15-10	100
North	2-4	5-6	10-11	12-14	86

BEST PLAYERS—STURT: Thompson, Freundt, Halbert, Caust, Goodchild, Douglas, King. **NORTH:** Whitford, Hammond, Gilbourne, Bubner, Gambling, Trenorden, Barbary.

SCORERS—STURT: Douglas 5.2, Thompson 3.0, Fitzgerald 2.0, Goodchild 1.2, Fenton-Smith 1.2, Halbert 1.2, Rigney 1.0, Hunter 1.0, Schoff 0.1, rushed 0.1. **NORTH:** Thomas 3.1, Trenorden 3.1, Sheppard 2.2, Gutschke 1.3, Whitford 1.2, Barbary 1.0, Kent 1.0, D. Lindner 0.2, Hewett 0.1, Gambling 0.1, Bubner 0.1.

REPLACEMENTS—STURT: Williams (leg), replaced by Hunter in first quarter. Caust (back), replaced by Smith in last quarter. **NORTH:** T. Lindner (concussion), replaced by Mullins at half-time. Pascoe (hip), replaced by Codd in last quarter.

At Alberton

Port	5-3	7-5	12-11	13-12	90
Torrens	2-2	2-4	4-7	6-9	45

BEST PLAYERS—PORT: Dittmar, Hayes, Motley, Boyd, Luke, I. Hannaford, Abley. **TORRENS:** Morrell, Russell, Searle, Kingston, Landers, Ashby.

SCORERS—PORT: Dittmar 7.2, Marrett 2.0, Johns 1.4, Luke 1.1, Boyd 1.0, Whelan 1.0, Virgo 0.2, Williams 0.1, rushed 0.2. **TORRENS:** Young 2.0, Connolly 1.1, Morrell 1.1, Gibson 1.0, Marchioro 1.0, Kingston 0.2, Landers 0.2, Clingly 0.1, Townsend 0.1, rushed 0.1.

REPLACEMENTS—PORT: Whelan (leg), replaced by Tull in second quarter. Motley, replaced by Baxter in last quarter. **TORRENS:** Connolly (knee), replaced by Marchioro at half-time.

PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	W.	L.	Points For	Points Agst.	Prem.	%
Port	7	3	876	591	14	59.71
Torrens	7	3	740	700	14	51.38
North	6	4	829	659	12	55.71
Norwood	6	4	935	779	12	54.55
Sturt	6	4	964	844	12	53.31
West	5	5	836	834	10	50.06
South	2	8	589	988	4	37.35
Glenelg	1	9	730	1,104	2	39.80

LEADING GOALKICKERS

	Today	Matches	Total
Douglas (Sturt)	5.2	10	36.24
Stephens (Norwood)	6.1	8	33.13
Dittmar (Port)	7.2	9	32.27
Johns (Port)	1.4	8	24.24
Kernahan (Glenelg)	2.2	10	24.15
Lill (Norwood)	2.3	10	23.21
Sheppard (North)	2.2	10	23.14
Thomas (North)	3.1	10	20.16
Wright (West)	2.2	10	18.21
Thompson (Sturt)	3.0	10	18.5
Richens (Glenelg)	2.2	9	16.22
Fitzgerald (Sturt)	2.0	10	16.17
Connolly (Torrens)	1.1	10	16.12
Hogan (West)	2.0	8	16.9

LEAGUE

HIGHEST	LOWEST
South 17-18 (120 pts.)	Torrens 6-9 (45 pts.)

SECONDS

Norwood 28-15 (183 pts)	South 4-11 (35 pts.)
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ATTENDANCES

Alberton	15,500
Kensington	14,000
Unley	10,500
Adelaide	3,500
Total	43,500

Brighton Amateurs get 11-point victory

By ALAN STATTON

Brighton scored an 11-point victory over Payneham in Amateur League Grade A1 football today.

It was one of several even games in the top grade.

Straite gave Brighton a lot of drive from the ruck, while Long, at centre half-forward, instituted many moves.

Payneham half-forward flanker G. Smith was a constant threat. He kicked five goals.

GRADE A 1.

Brighton, 15-17 (107); Payneham, 15-6 (96). Goalkickers—Brighton: Rundle 8, Keightley 3, Duke, Jaggard, Highet, Pilkington. Payneham: G. Smith 5, Ware 3, Cowper 2, Natt; Taylor, McDonald, Potter, Bond. Best Players—Brighton: Staite, Warren, Jaggard, Long, Dewar, Keightley. Payneham: Ware, Cross, Bahr, Hicks, Cowper, G. Smith.



PERCENTAGE JOB FOR PORT

● But teams locked together

By SAM GALLAGHER

Port showed a clear superiority in defeating Torrens by 45 points at Alberton to increase their commanding percentage margin, and take top position on the league premiership table.

Norwood recovered from a bad start to defeat West at Kensington. The Redlegs had 14 points to spare at the finish.

At Unley Sturt came home strongly to inflict North's second successive defeat. The Double-Blues won by 14 points.

South enjoyed the unaccustomed luxury of a 37-point margin over the debilitated Tigers.

As a result of today's matches, the two-game margin between first and sixth remains, but there has been some closing up.

North, Norwood, and Sturt, in that percentage order, are level in third position with six wins each.

One game away West Adelaide are waiting to pounce on the first of the trio to falter.

The game at Alberton to decide league leadership was disappointing.

On their form today, the Eagles are in for a hard struggle to retain their place for the double chance in the finals.

Maybe it was the Alberton air, but Torrens were never in it today.

They had individual winners in Morrell, Russell, and Searle, but succumbed to a rash of handball while Port got full value for most of their kicks.

Although Rex Johns was held by Searle to one be-

lated goal from five scoring shots, Wal Dittmar made good any forward deficiency with seven goals from centre half-forward.

The Magpies were not particularly impressive but showed the virtue of mundane things like getting the ball and kicking it hard.

Norwood loomed larger as a premiership threat by defeating West in a close game.

Accuracy

Vic Johnson who was at Kensington reports that the Redlegs' great second quarter gave them the points.

West had 6-1 on the board in the first quarter, when they broke through Norwood's half-back line consistently.

An improvement in this section, where Kneebone came right into his own, and with Stephens' deadly accuracy in front of goal gave the Redlegs a winning break.

Stephens continued in match-winning form with six goals from seven shots.

An interesting and perhaps significant point about this game was that Norwood won without a marked dominance in ruck.

North's weakness in attack found them out in the end at Unley.

Six points down at three-

quarter time, the Blues took complete control in ruck, to win.

Biggest blow to North was Caust's game at centre half-back on the brilliant Don Lindner. North were never able to exert any pressure through this position.

At Adelaide South got the winning break in ruck. Panizza followed last week's fine form with another brilliant game.

Only two points up at half-time, South went right away in a strong third quarter to relegate the Bays to the cellar.

Following next Saturday's game against Victoria, the tense fight for places in the finals will be resumed on July 9.

It looks probable at this stage that percentage will be a deciding factor in final placings.

Norwood meet North at Kensington. The Redlegs are doing most things right at present. They catch North at the stocktaking stage, and should win again.

Sturt re-established themselves by today's win over North, but will probably find Port at Alberton too large an order.

Unless Torrens improve they could be in bother against South at Adelaide, but West should dispose of Glenelg at the Bay.

PANIZZA, CHRISTIE SET SOUTH STANDARD

By JEFF PASH

Brilliant games by Panizza and Christie, with stout defence and a solid team effort, gave South a comfortable victory over Glenelg at Adelaide Oval.

It was a very ragged game in the first half.

Neither South nor Glenelg seemed able to handle the ball with certainty.

Play proceeded from mistake to mistake and from free to free with aggravating slowness between the two defences.

In the second half, the standard showed a marked improvement.

South played with extremely good team sense, disciplined power and skill, to win comfortably.

Conditions were ideal for the game—quite a firm turf, little wind, overcast sky, and a considerable nip in the air. Silva had replaced Kelly at full forward.

Fumbling

South won the toss and used what little breeze there was.

But it was Glenelg who made the better beginning. They attacked strongly, with rovers and centre line showing out, and, while fumbling was the order of the day elsewhere, they did manage to kick straight.

Their recruit centreman, Chris Hunt, playing his first game, was getting plenty of kicks at this stage, and the Bays in general had a small-man advantage that looked promising.

However, South gradually tightened their grip in the ruck, where Panizza and Christie began to get things moving, and on the centre line, where Kitchen's strong marking took effect.

By the end of the term they had had more of the play, but had been unable to move surely through Glenelg's defence lines.

Their two goals had actually come from free—mistakes in the Bay defence were to assist in giving them their winning break later.

At the bell, accurate kicking had given Glenelg a nine-point lead.

The second quarter was

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Panizza K. Abley

evenly fought, with the fortunes of the first quarter roughly exchanged—except that Glenelg did not quite give the impression that they were catching up.

Panizza's brilliance was a factor in South's advance. It was through his personal effort, which included two fine goals—the second from a most acute angle—that they caught Glenelg just before half-time.

In the third quarter, Glenelg brought Vertue to centre half-forward and Kernahan went into the ruck, where Branson and Richens were not having the usual success.

A burst of three goals now gave South the break they were seeking. A goal to Stafford was followed by defensive play in which Panizza and Christie were prominent. Then mistakes by defenders let in Hilder and Kimber for two more goals to make South 16 points up.

From that point South played the game confidently. Since half-time the field play had shown a great improvement, although Glenelg's attacks were now being pushed back most strongly from their half-forward line.

Effective

Panizza, Christie, and Parham, who had fumbled as badly as anyone in the first half, now had a merry time up forward, getting four goals. At the end of the quarter, South had established a match-winning lead of 41 points.

In the last quarter, two early goals to Christie disposed of any hope the Bays might have entertained at that late stage. As it happened, they finished well, with their best goal-scoring burst of the day, initiated by H. Kernahan when resting at full forward.

His two goals were followed by three others from Fraser, who had been the Bay's most effective rover, Richens and Flew who had replaced McDonald in this quarter.

The last act of the day was typical of South's later manner—a chain of passes beginning with Durbridge found the inevitable Panizza and he dropped-kicked a long, deliberate goal.

At the bell, South had won by 43 points—in what was finally quite an impressive manner.

For South, I would name Panizza as the outstanding player on the ground. He won the ball strongly, and kicked well in both attack and defence. Christie was the next best on the field. He also won big situations everywhere on the ground and prepared the way for the next win.

Kupsch played a fine game at half-back, tenacious when tenacity was needed and appropriately dashing at others. Durbridge, too, played an excellent game, with Kimber, Kitchen, and Stafford.

For Glenelg, Abley won his position well. Beal and Stock rendered more than useful service, and Fraser roved effectively to score three goals.

Rowett played an attractive game on the wing. Vertue won some difficult battles up forward in good style and H. Kernahan gave a solid performance in ruck.

J. Kernahan played well at half-back in his first game. Chris Hunt had a good first half and shows plenty of promise.