

Football

LIFT-OUT

AT PROSPECT

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
North	3-0	7-3	8-4	12-7	79
Port	2-5	3-5	6-11	8-12	60

BEST PLAYERS—NORTH: D. Lindner, Jaworsky, Phillips, Robran, Stringer, Coppins, Cearns.
PORT: Salmon, Holmes, Potter, Spencer Thiele.
SCORERS—NORTH: Wilkey 3.1, Anderson 3.0, Von Bertouch 2.0, Lehmann 1.3, Sachse 1.2, Geisler 1.0, Lindner 1.0, rushed 0.1. **PORT:** Freeman 3.2, Gill 2.1, Broadbridge 1.0, Moore 1.0, Potter 1.0, Beaufoy 0.3, Salmon 0.1, Spencer 0.3, Spiers 0.1, Pilgrim 0.1, Nyland 0.1.
REPLACEMENTS—NORTH: Bloch (strained groin) by Barr, third quarter. **PORT:** Pilgrim by Light in the last quarter.
UMPIRE—K. Cunningham

AT ADELAIDE

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
South	2-3	4-9	6-15	8-25	73
Sturt	3-1	5-4	7-8	9-8	62

BEST PLAYERS—SOUTH: Darcy, Darley, Thredgold, Howe, Roberts, Ploenges, Rivers, Schmidt. **STURT:** Schwarz, Nelson, Shearman, Clarke, Clarkson, Bagshaw, Adcock.
SCORERS—SOUTH: Roberts 2.2, Sims 2.1, W. Foster 1.2, Darley 1.2, Howlett 1.2, B. Foster 1.1, Backman 0.5, Howe 0.3, Thredgold 0.3, Rivers 0.2, Skuse 0.1, rushed 0.1. **STURT:** Greenslade 3.2, Shearman 3.1, Martin 2.0, Rigney 1.0, Hicks 0.1, Tilbrook 0.1, rushed 0.3.
REPLACEMENTS—SOUTH: Ross (injured leg) by Sims in first quarter. **STURT:** Short (suspected depressed cheek) by Brooks in second quarter.
UMPIRE—M. Posa

AT NORWOOD

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Glen.	6-6	8-7	10-10	15-15	105
Nwd.	0-3	5-4	8-12	9-15	69

BEST PLAYERS—GLENELG: Anesbury, Linke, Kendall, Kerley, Marker, D. Long, Richens.
NORWOOD: Inglis, Modra, Kneebone, Smith, Hutchinson, Vertudaches, Burton.
SCORERS—GLENELG: Anesbury 5.4, Richens 3.1, D. Long 2.2, Kerley 1.2, Pattison 1.1, Colbey 1.1, Rosewarne 1.0, Moss 1.0, Morony 0.2, rushed 0.2. **NORWOOD:** Gregerson 2.3, Anderson 2.1, Wedding 2.0, Smith 1.2, Kneebone 1.1, Adams 1.0, Hutchinson 0.4, Molloy 0.2, Vertudaches 0.1, rushed 0.1.
REPLACEMENTS—GLENELG: Nil. **NORWOOD:** Inglis (sprained ankle) replaced by Woodcock in last term. Burton (abdominal cramp) replaced by Taylor in last term.
UMPIRE—P. M. Craig

AT RICHMOND

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
West	7-7	8-8	11-15	12-15	87
Wdv.	2-2	6-9	7-11	8-16	64

BEST PLAYERS—WEST: Hughes, Loveday, Milson, Burkelt, Pfitzner, Bertelsmeier, Jones. **WOODVILLE:** Allen, Huppertz, Simonsen, Riley, Obst, Wilson, Ion.
SCORERS—WEST: Burkett 2.3, Milson 3.0, Sims 2.1, DeBroughe 2.2, Pannenburg 1.3, Haupt 1.1, Hooper 1.0, Roach 0.2, Bertelsmeier 0.1, Fraser 0.1, rushed 0.1. **WOODVILLE:** Barbary 2.3, Hoff-1.1, McKellar 1.0, Boscence 0.3, Ion 0.1, Wilson man 1.2, Huppertz 1.1, Obst 1.1, Christie 1.2, Riley 0.1, Clason 0.1.
REPLACEMENTS—WEST: Nil. **WOODVILLE:** Christie (eye) replaced by O'Connor in last quarter. Huppertz (shoulder) replaced by Roach in last quarter.
REPORT—J. Burkett (West) reported by bounding umpire N. A. Shanahan on charge of kicking D. Jackson (Woodville) in second term.
UMPIRE—Max O'Connell

AT ELIZABETH

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Cent.	1-1	3-4	3-4	8-8	56
Torr.	3-8	4-9	6-14	6-14	50

BEST PLAYERS—CENTRALS: Hage, Edmonds, Eustice, Stutley, Shortill, Kennedy, Morry. **TORRENS:** Braidwood, Bills, Howell, Jackson, Head, Graham, Lee, Virgo.
SCORERS—CENTRALS: Swinstead 2-0, Hage 2-0, Webber 1-2, Gflusich 1-1, Foley 1-1, Shortill 1-0, Eustice 0-2, Bentley 0-1, Smith 0-1. **TORRENS:** Lee 2-2, Tucker 2-1, Staker 1-3, Shepherd 1-0, Head 0-3, Phillipou 0-2, Caldwell 0-1, Bills 0-1, Rushed 0-1.
REPLACEMENTS—CENTRALS: Wickham (thigh) replaced by Kemp at three-quarter time. **TORRENS:** Gould (leg muscle) replaced by O'Dea at half-time. Staker (gashed leg) replaced by Croft in third term.
UMPIRE—M. Ducker

HIGHEST, LOWEST

LEAGUE
 Glenelg 15-15 (105) and Torrens 6-14 (50).
SECONDS
 Glenelg 13-13 (127) and Port 4-12 (36).

SOUTH MAY YET MAKE FINALS

By SAM GALLAGHER

South Adelaide's great win over league leader Sturt at Adelaide Oval today confirmed the Panthers as potential finalists.

South's 11-point win could have been much more decisive as they had nearly twice as many scoring shots as the Blues.

South dropped from sixth to seventh position behind West on percentage as a result of today's games, but they are only one game out of the four, with seven minor round matches to be played.

Fourth place at this stage looks like a three-way battle between Glenelg, West, and South with Glenelg's superior percentage possibly the deciding factor.

The Bays' big wins early in the season won them invaluable percentage points.

DECIDERS

Norwood dropped from fourth to fifth place as a result of their loss to Glenelg.

Without Oatey and Bunton the Redlegs are struggling. At present they look the outsider in the race for fourth place.

The last place in the four could be decided by the results of the games in which Glenelg, South, and West meet each other.

The fact that four teams are battling for one position could result in the fourth side making the grade with fewer than the normal number of wins.

Glenelg, by reason of their better percentage, could make it with only 11 wins.

South and West, to overcome Glenelg's percentage lead, need at least 12 wins.

The Panthers, unlucky to lose to Port and North early in the season, are the side most likely to challenge Port, North, and Sturt for the premiership.

Today South won in and around the ruck and their half back line was on top throughout.

The form of Roberts in ruck and Darcy and Schmidt on the half-back line could cause changes in SA's line-up against WA in Perth next Saturday.

Sturt's loss, their first in 12 games, could do more good than harm.

North's 19-point win over Port at Prospect has brought them level with Sturt at the top of the ladder and opened up a three-game break between second and third.

The two leaders thus look assured of the double chance.

But Port's performance with a greatly weakened team is a clear indication that they will be a power in the major round.

North's rucks again today failed to exert the influence expected and it would not be surprising to see Anstey back in the side.

He was outstanding for North Seconds today.

If the present ruck set up is retained, Anstey could be at centre half-forward with Wilkey moving to the flank, where he seems better suited.

At Elizabeth today, Centrals won their third game for the season with a great last quarter against Torrens.

A winning centre line, inspired them to a six-point win after trailing by 28 points at three-quarter time.

TIGERS' EARLY PACE SEALED IT

By GERRY HARRISON

Glenelg's opening burst of pace, determination, and cohesion in which they kicked five quick goals, laid a strong foundation for their comfortable win over the Redlegs at Norwood today.

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Glenelg	6-6	8-7	10-10	15-15	105
Norw'd	0-3	5-4	8-12	9-15	69

A fine recovery by Norwood in the third quarter put the issue in doubt and set the stage for a thriller, but Glenelg recovered to take complete control as Norwood's resistance fizzled out.

Taking advantage of winning the toss, Glenelg surprised Norwood with their early pace and teamwork, leaving the Redlegs' defence bewildered as they opened up a winning break.

Although Norwood held the Bays for the remainder of the quarter the damage had been done and they were to find the effort of bridging this gap too much.

Dominating

Even though Glenelg had good players all around the ground, the effort of Richens was the dominating influence.

During this quarter he took everything away from the packs and proved elusive in the forward area, kicking three valuable goals.

But Norwood had few good players with only Inglis, Nygaard, Modra, and Hutchinson offering any resistance.

Kerley's move into a defensive role—a kick behind the game—proved the winner.

Showing true leadership, he bottled up Norwood on the defensive flank, using the respite of the boundary line as a strong safeguard.

The Glenelg rucks blanketed Wedding, effectively stopping any Norwood breakaways as they held them scoreless for 15 minutes of the second quarter, whilst Anesbury added two match-winning goals into the breeze.

Kneebone's switch to centre triggered the Redlegs into action and they produced their first burst of system to kick four quick goals and put them in the fight.

The early dominance of the Glenelg rovers faded completely as Smith and Bunton became damaging in taking the ball away from the fringes for Norwood.

But Norwood failed to capitalise on this ascendancy. Wedding's goal on the siren, however, put Norwood within striking range.

Gregerson's goal from a doubtful mark early in the last quarter brought Norwood to within one straight kick and threatened a titanic finish.

Any such thoughts were immediately diminished as Anesbury goaled to restore the position for Glenelg.

The ability of Glenelg players to kick long and direct and being in a position to take possession of the ball on the move, finally tore Norwood to pieces.

No answer

The Redlegs had no answer to the system and determination produced by Glenelg in the last half of this quarter.

Outstanding in a beaten side, Norwood's Inglis gains the vote for the best afield, for an impeccable performance in defence.

Closely following him was the effort of Anesbury for Glenelg. He recovered from a mediocre first quarter to prove damaging at half-forward.

Linke not only cut Norwood's main route to goal by beating Molloy, but also gave great rebound.

Kerley set the example with his leadership.

For Norwood, Modra, whether on the wing or at centre, proved a reliable source of attack.

Kneebone turned in his usual consistent effort. Young Smith, playing in his first full league game, impressed with his tenacious roving and good football sense.



SOUTH ADELAIDE ruck rover, Mick Rivers, shows fierce determination as he tackles Sturt rover, Bob Shearman, at Adelaide Oval today. Rivers' determination was typical of South's performance throughout the game as they defeated premiership leaders Sturt by 11 points.

TOP GOALKICKERS

Name	Today	Matches	Total
Freeman (Port)	3-2	13	51-45
Sachse (North)	1-2	13	51-29
Greenslade (Sturt)	3-2	12	42-21
Sims (West)	2-1	13	38-41
Mulvihill (Torrens)	—	11	38-7
Shearman (Sturt)	3-1	13	36-36
Button (Glenelg)	—	11	35-27
Anesbury (Glenelg)	5-4	13	31-30
Gelusch (Centrals)	1-1	13	21-23
Pannenburg (West)	1-3	13	30-18
Oatey (Norwood)	—	11	30-11

ATTENDANCES

Adelaide	15,280
Prospect	13,100
Norwood	9,274
Elizabeth	4,098
Richmond	2,491
TOTAL	42,762

PREMIERSHIP LIST

Team	W	L	For	Agst	Pts.	%
Sturt	11	2	1531	932	22	68.92
North	11	2	1377	941	22	36.95
Port	8	5	1149	965	16	54.35
Glenelg	7	6	1311	1006	14	54.41
Norwood	7	6	1303	1260	14	30.81
West	6	7	1215	1269	12	50.12
South	6	7	1229	1224	12	50.10
Torrens	5	8	1095	1331	10	45.08
Centrals	3	10	873	1441	6	37.73
Woodville	1	12	1060	591	2	39.98

NEXT WEEK

SA v. WA (Perth).
 Centrals v. Glenelg (Adelaide).
 Norwood v. Woodville (Norwood).
 North v. South (Prospect).
 Torrens v. West (Thebarton).
 Sturt v. Port (Unley).