

MAIL FOOTBALL.....FIRST FOR FOOTBALL

LEAGUE DETAILS

AT FOOTBALL PARK

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Sturt	6-8	13-19	17-22	27-23	185
Torr.	3-0	4-3	6-8	7-9	51

BEST PLAYERS — STURT: Klomp, Greenslade, Davies, Whelan, Leonard, Nunan. TORRENS: Green, Floreani, G. White, Cassin, Hank.

SCORERS — STURT: Whelan 10.6, Greenslade 7.5, Leonard 3.0, Nunan 2.0, Burgar 1.4, Ostey 1.1, Davies 1.0, Sims 1.0, Cece 1.0, Graham 0.3, Wild 0.1, rushed 0.3. TORRENS: Noonan 3.2, Hank 2.2, Pavlich 1.0, Manouge 1.0, McKenzie 0.1, Cassin 0.1, Azzopardi 0.1, rushed 0.2.

REPLACEMENTS — STURT: Wild by Sims in third quarter. Bagshaw by Cece at three-quarter time. TORRENS: Faletic by Hamill during third quarter. Azzopardi by Mead in final quarter.

UMPIRE—Peter Mead.

AT ADELAIDE OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Nwd.	2-6	8-11	15-17	23-22	160
W'ville	4-6	6-8	9-13	15-17	107

BEST PLAYERS — NORWOOD: Taylor, Thiel, Parke, Craig, Kerley, Nicholson, Michalanney. WOODVILLE: Maylin, MacVicar, Ruth, L. Twelftree, Girardi.

SCORERS — NORWOOD: Michalanney 5.1, Olsen 4.4, Taylor 4.1, Parke 3.2, Woodcock 2.5, Poulter 2.0, Gregg 1.1, Button 1.1, Seekamp 1.1, Nicholson 0.1, Dillon 0.1, rushed 0.4. WOODVILLE: Ford 4.2, Ruth 3.1, Sewer 2.3, L. Twelftree 2.2, Malchill 1.2, Girardi 1.1, MacVicar 1.0, B. Twelftree 1.0, Maylin 0.2, Fowles 0.1, Parsons 0.1, rushed 0.2.

REPLACEMENTS — NORWOOD: Nicholson by Packer and Gregg by Naldor, last quarter. WOODVILLE: Crane by B. Twelftree third quarter; Parson; by Nicholls last quarter.

UMPIRE — Laurie Argent.

AT PROSPECT OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
North	3-7	10-10	13-17	18-22	130
South	3-3	6-6	11-9	14-11	95

BEST PLAYERS—NORTH: Jaworskyj, R. Robran, Marsh, Baruzzi, Muller, Hoekman, W. Stringer. SOUTH: Schultz, Doyle, Young, Hateley.

SCORERS—NORTH: R. Robran 7.5, Roach 3.0, Sachse 2.7, Marsh 2.2, Jaworskyj 2.0, Conder 1.1, Muller 1.0, Algate 0.2, W. Stringer 0.1, rushed 0.4. SOUTH: Doyle 4.1, Collins 3.1, Keddie 2.0, Hateley 1.3, Young 1.2, Cox 1.1, McInnes 1.0, Miller 1.0, Hines 0.2, rushed 0.1.

REPLACEMENTS—NORTH: B. Robran by Diorio, three-quarter time. SOUTH: Reimann by Miller, and Keddie by Fry, third quarter.

UMPIRE—Des Foster.

AT RICHMOND OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Port	4-4	6-7	10-13	11-18	84
West	1-4	7-8	9-11	11-13	79

BEST PLAYERS — PORT: Ebert, Cunningham, Verrier, Cahill, Porplycia, James, Fragomeni. WEST: Stevenson, Beswick, Gurney, Grimwood, Summerton, G. Hewitt.

SCORERS—PORT: Cunningham 4.0, Gerlach 2.4, Cahill 1.5, Jackman 1.3, Verrier 1.0, Light 1.0, Evans 1.0, Ebert 0.2, Stephens 0.2, rushed 0.2. WEST: Gurney 3.2, Grimwood 2.0, M. Williams 1.2, P. Mueret 1.2, G. Hewitt 1.2, Pierson 1.1, Donaldson 1.0, Buckley 1.0, Kennedy 0.1, rushed 0.3.

REPLACEMENTS — PORT: Evans by Whatman, first quarter. WEST: Hayes (hamstring) by Humphrey, first quarter.

UMPIRE—Jim Field.

AT ELIZABETH OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Glen.	1-2	6-5	13-7	19-11	125
Cent.	2-6	6-7	9-9	12-13	85

BEST PLAYERS—GLENELG: J. Lihou, D. Phillis, P. Weston, K. Hodgeman, D. Rady. CENTRALS: B. Norsworthy, P. Beythein, S. Boehm, L. Skinner, D. Mobbs.

SCORERS—GLENELG: D. Phillis 9.6, McInerney 2.2, Caldwell 2.1, Rady 2.1, Marker 2.0, Rebbeck 1.0, Hodgeman 1.0, Weston 0.1. CENTRALS: Reed 3.1, Norsworthy 3.0, Mobbs 2.2, Bevan 2.0, Saywell 1.3, Swinstead 1.1, Skiner 0.3, Hentschke 0.1, rushed 0.2.

REPLACEMENTS — GLENELG: Carey by Paech and C. Anderson by Hercock, last quarter. CENTRALS: R. Cochrane by Krieg and Wyley by Hentschke at three-quarter time.

UMPIRE—Bob Scholefield.

BAYS LEAD THE BIG 4 RACE

BY  ALAN SHIELL

Glenelg, Sturt, Norwood and Port reaffirmed their right to be labelled The Big Four in yesterday's eighth series of league football.

The premiership table has a familiar look about it again, with Glenelg, Sturt, Norwood, and Port occupying the top four positions.

West are in fifth position, ahead of Centrals only on percentage.

If you accept that Glenelg, Sturt, Norwood, and Port will play in the finals, then the big redeeming feature of the competition is likely to be the battle for fifth spot.

West are my choice, at this early stage, but they will be challenged strongly by Centrals, South, Woodville and North.

Torrens, flattened by injuries, look anything but finals contenders.

The Eagles reached an all-time low yesterday when

Sturt inflicted upon them their biggest defeat in history — 134 points.

Sunday Mail statistician Ern Kolosche pointed out last night that, from 1907-63, Torrens were third behind only Norwood and Port for the most games won and in attendance figures.

DISAPPOINTED

The Eagles are entitled to rue the reallocation of boundaries that came with the admission of Woodville and Centrals into the league competition in 1964.

Torrens aside, league administrators would have been bitterly disappointed with the results in three other games yesterday.

South and Woodville failed to kick on from their recent triumphs, losing to North and Norwood by 35 and 53 points respectively.

And Centrals bowed to Glenelg by 40 points at Elizabeth.

Pleasing, though, was North's vastly improved form after successive losses to Port (20 points), Woodville (34), and Centrals (12).

Despite the early threat of rain, the round was played in fine conditions but the total attendance of 33,261 was barely satisfactory.

However, last year's eighth-series crowd was only 28,641.

If Centrals, South, Woodville, and North can kick on again and produce their best, next Saturday's matches may well be full of interest and might even include a couple of upsets.

Otherwise, The Big Four will draw further ahead, in the next two rounds at least.

BULLDOGS FIRED, THEN STOPPED
Bays kept up pressure



Fred Phillis

Who said Glenelg would run out of legs in the last quarter? It certainly wasn't the Tigers yesterday as they steamed to an impressive 40 point victory over Centrals.

Playing their third game in a week, a few Tiger men were not too confident they could run out the last quarter on the huge Elizabeth Oval.

But it was the Bulldogs, after getting within nine points of Glenelg, who ran out of puff.

Glenelg opened slowly, allowing Centrals continually to take the ball from centre in the first quarter.

The Bulldogs had Lyle Skinner, Peter Vivian and Richard Cochrane in control across centre, and rover Barry Norsworthy time and again drove them forward.

FLOW-ON PLAY

Glenelg rucks, led by Wayne Phillis, Peter Carey and Graham Cornes, turned in meagre efforts.

Even captain Peter Marker found it difficult to get going.

But the skill and quick flow-on play of the Tigers slowly but surely gathered momentum.

Their third quarter was a beauty. Goals came thick and fast as Centrals were left lamenting.

But the Bulldogs kicked back and if it wasn't for

BY  MIKE PILKINGTON

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Glenelg	1-2	6-5	13-7	19-11	125
Central	2-6	6-7	9-9	12-13	85

Jim Lihou and Paul Weston across the half-back line, the home side could have caused an upset.

Fred Phillis was dynamite in front of goal for the Bays, and from 15 kicks notched 9-6.

The last quarter looked like being a bottler with Centrals surging home.

But, after getting within two straight kicks about 10 minutes in the quarter, they stopped.

Marker dropped through two valuable goals, Fred Phillis maintained his three a quarter average after the first, and it was all over.

BODY CLASHES

The Tigers added six goals to run out easy victors. The game was played at a fast pace all day, with body clashes being a sore point with both teams.

Tiger coach Neil Kerley took Peter Carey off midway through the last quarter, but his absence didn't make any difference to Glenelg.

They actually appeared faster and more methodical than in their first quarter.

PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	W.	L.	Points For	Points Agnst.	Prem. Pts.	%
Glenelg	6	2	1063	814	12	56.63
Sturt	5	3	922	712	10	56.43
Norwood	5	3	993	814	10	54.95
Port	5	3	799	838	10	48.81
West	4	4	825	796	8	50.89
Centrals	4	4	752	836	8	47.36
South	3	5	902	960	6	48.44
Woodville	3	5	848	911	6	48.21
North	3	5	821	979	6	45.61
Torrens	2	6	752	1017	4	42.51

ATTENDANCES

Football Park	5,920
Adelaide Oval	7,377
Elizabeth Oval	6,313
Prospect Oval	5,147
Richmond Oval	8,504
TOTAL	33,261

LEADING GOALKICKERS

	Today	Matches	Total
Michalanney (Norwood)	5-1	8	40.20
D. K. Phillis (Glenelg)	9-6	8	37.19
Whelan (Sturt)	10-6	7	32.21
Pierson (West)	1-1	8	31.21
Woodcock (Norwood)	2-5	8	29.13
Reed (Centrals)	3-1	8	29.9
Sandland (North)	—	7	24.20
Bennett (South)	—	8	24.13

NEXT WEEK'S GAMES

- Torrens v. Port, Football Park.
- Norwood v. South, Adelaide Oval.
- Glenelg v. Woodville, Glenelg Oval.
- West v. Central, Richmond Oval.
- Sturt v. North, Unley.