

# FOOTBALL '82

## The Eagles are

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By Trevor Gill

Glenelg—brilliantly led by the master Peter Carey and his apprentice Stephen Kernahan — completely demoralised an optimistic West Torrens at the Bay yesterday.

These two crafty big men had an aerial supremacy, enhanced by some magnificent support from rovers and followers, that the Eagles could never match. Together, Carey and Kernahan, whose confidence apparently grows each week, shared 23 marks and dominated the ruck duels to create countless opportunities for the Tigers.

### Glenelg 29-24, Torrens 10-19

They steered the side to a crushing 89-point victory to burst the bubble that expanded at Thebarton after successive triumphs over South Adelaide and Central District. But great credit also must go to rover John Paynter, and to a lesser extent his partner, Tony McGuinness, and followers Chris McDermott and Paul Weston. Their efforts in accepting

the rebound from an unrelenting defence, and carrying it into attack for a feast of goals were a telling factor in Glenelg's important win. Paynter's form was blistering, particularly after the more illustrious McGuinness faded after a superb first term. If he wasn't winning marks and kicks, he fired some great handpasses to team-mates and the fourteen goalscorers for Glenelg are testimony to that sort of team play.

# Lindner on State short list

By Ashley Porter

Exciting young West Adelaide forward Bruce Linder may have catapulted himself into the State squad after a brilliant performance against North Adelaide at Richmond Oval yesterday.

It was understood he was one of four "possibles" on the selectors' short list in the final revision before the State team is announced on Tuesday. Others on the list may have included North's Greg McAdam who would be almost certain to make the team if he came through yesterday unscathed, and West Torrens pair Ian Hanna and Robert Muir.

### Brilliant

The selectors — Geof Motley (chairman), John Cahill (coach) and Bob Hammond — will meet later today to decide on any additions to the squad from which a team will be picked to do battle with WA at

Subiaco Oval next Saturday. Lindner, last year's Reserves Magarey Medalist, has been in brilliant touch since going off the interchange bench a fortnight ago to replace Roger Luders at full forward. He went on at quarter time and kicked 6-5 against Norwood, booted 6-4 against Woodville last week and added another 7-4 yesterday. The crucial centre half-forward position still remains a problem spot for the selectors and without doubt they will consider the young West star. Central District's Michael Wright deserves consideration after a fine performance against Nor-

wood yesterday when he kicked 4-4 and took some strong marks. The SA squad will train at Football Park tomorrow afternoon, on Tuesday and again Thursday, before leaving on Thursday night. It also will have a light run in Perth on Friday morning. A possible team is: F—Carey, Evans, McGuinness. HF—G r a h a m, Fry, Sewer. C—Belton, Weston, Jenkins. HB—Giles, Phillips, Riley. B—Eckermann, Hughes, Kennedy. 1R—Johnston, M. Aish, Naley. Interchange (from) Cunningham, Ebert, Stemper, Whittlesea, Platten, Loughlin, A. Aish.

### Injury

The Eagles suffered an early setback with the loss through a calf injury of captain and full-forward Peter Phillipou.

But it made little difference as Carey assumed immediate control and McGuinness swooped in for three goals from eight kicks in the first quarter.

Down 35 points at the first change, Torrens' chances completely slipped away in the second term when outscored 6.6 to 1.3.

Weston, after a quiet start, began to exert his influence with the roaming David Holst and at half-time the Eagles looked in a hopeless position.

Torrens, to its credit, did create a better pattern of play in the third quarter with players like Tony Mahar, Kym Curtis, David McKay and Tom Hank getting in the action.

But Torrens was still 71 points down at the last change and a brilliant final quarter by Glenelg in which Paynter kicked four goals, sealed the Eagles' doom.

Coach Glenn Elliott would not talk about the loss after the game, but Glenelg coach John Halbert was quick to praise the efforts of the home side.

### NORWOOD OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Norwood	3-2	6-3	10-9	13-11	89
Central	3-3	9-6	12-9	12-15	87

BEST — NORWOOD: McIntosh, M. Aish, G. Thomas, K. Thomas, Roberts, Adler, Schmaal, Button. CENTRAL: Trigg, Krieg, Mobbs, Wright, Platten, Gillies.

SCORERS — NORWOOD: G. Thomas 2-2; Button 2-1; Hein 2-1; McIntosh 2-0; Jenkins 1-1; Laughlin 1-0; M. Aish 1-0; K. Thomas 1-0; Semmens 1-0; Roberts 0-2; rushed 0-4. CENTRAL: Wright 4-4; Platten 3-1; Gillies 2-1; Van Dommele 1-1; Wilson 1-1; Hart 1-0; Bubner 0-3; Krelg 0-1; Norsworthy 0-1; Beythien 0-1; rushed 0-1.

UMPIRES—Ric Charlesworth, Graham Hilton.

### RICHMOND OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
West	5-1	13-1	22-5	25-9	158
North	2-4	6-6	9-8	16-13	109

BEST—WEST: Morris, Lindner, Burgess, Hamilton, Smith, Borchard, Bennett, Donaldson. NORTH: Riley, Phillips, Antrobus, Tiller, Lokan, Armfield.

SCORERS—WEST: Lindner 7.4, Morris, 7.2, Luders 3.0, Grosser 2.0, Falting 2.0, Bennett 2.0, Hamilton 1.1, Smith 1.1, rushed 0.1. NORTH: McAdam 4.0, Antrobus 3.2, Owens 3.0, Brealey 2.1, Robins 1.1, Clisby 1.1, Tiller 1.0, L. Stanbridge 1.0, Lokan 0.2, W. Stringer 0.2, rushed 0.4

UMPIRES—Jeff Dry, John Hylton

### GLENELG OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Glenelg	9-5	15-11	19-19	29-24	198
Torrens	3-6	4-9	8-14	10-19	79

BEST—GLENELG: Carey, Kernahan, Paynter, McDermott, Maynard, Weston, McGuinness, Hewett. TORRENS: Curtis, Flanagan, Robson, Hanna, Green, Downie.

GOALKICKERS — GLENELG: Paynter 5.2, Carey 4.1, McDermott 4.0, Rady 3.4, McGuinness 3.0, Sewer 2.0, Kernahan 1.4, Marshall 1.3, Duthy 1.3, Holst 1.2, Weston 1.1, Symonds 1.0, Heroock 1.0, Hine 1.0, rushed 0.4. TORRENS: Flanagan 3.2, T. Hank 2.1, Hanna 2.1, K. Hill 1.2, McKay 1.1, Green 1.1, Pavlich 0.2, Mahar 0.2, Downie 0.1, rushed 0.6.

UMPIRES—Peter Mead and Brenton O'Connor.

### FOOTBALL PARK

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
South	5-6	9-10	16-13	21-20	146
Woodville	2-1	4-4	8-5	9-8	62

BEST PLAYERS — SOUTH: Hewitt, Baynes, Fairclough, P. Brooksby, Bennett, Reynolds. WOODVILLE: Matheson, Bolton, Heaven, J. Parker, Simpson.

SCORERS — SOUTH: Hewitt, 8.2; Reynolds, 5.4; Schneebichler, 3.2; Miller, 2.3; Bennett, 2.1; Rozee, 1.1; Schulz, 0.1; White, 0.1; Naley, 0.1; Tutts, 0.1; rushed, 0.3. WOODVILLE: Pierson, 3.2; Dowsett, 2.0; Simpson, 1.2; Heaven, 1.1; Fuller, 1.0; McLeod, 1.0; Beecroft, 0.1; Lennon, 0.1; Koop, 0.1.

### PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	W	L	D	F	A	Pts	%
*Sturt	12	2	—	1906	1355	24	58.45
West	11	4	—	2026	1662	22	54.93
*Port	10	3	1	1652	1123	21	59.53
Glenelg	9	5	1	1979	1579	19	53.62
Norwood	9	6	—	1662	1462	18	53.20
Central	6	9	—	1774	1661	12	51.60
South	6	9	—	1492	1591	12	48.55
North	6	9	—	1614	1851	12	46.58
Torrens	4	11	—	1292	2038	8	38.70
Woodville	—	15	—	1265	2347	—	35.02

\*Play today

### LEADING GOALKICKERS

	Games	Yest	Total
Evans (Port)	14	—	73-32
Pierson (Woodville)	15	3-2	62-21
Edwards (Central)	13	—	58-32
Reynolds (South)	15	5-4	56-48
Davies (Sturt)	14	—	52-32