

# Bays dash away in second half



McGuinness

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After a tight first half, Glenelg demolished North Adelaide by 55 points at Football Park yesterday, taking its run to four successive wins.

It left North bitterly disappointed and lamenting about countless wasted opportunities.

The lead changed 15 times in a fiercely contested opening term and Glenelg gained a five-point edge with a goal from Darren Mansell moments before the siren.

When he goaled again 48 seconds into the second term, Glenelg had an 11-point buffer, and as hard as North tried it was never able to, or allowed to, recover.

Glenelg raced to a 32-point lead midway through the third term, with excellent teamwork from the centre square, but it didn't control all the play.

North had chances but broke down badly across half-forward, repeatedly feeding opponents. Ultimately its defence felt the strain of the rebounding play. Two goals minutes before time-on of the third term saw North creep within 21 points, but Glenelg again set up a match-winning break with goals in the opening two minutes.

Phil McGuinness, one of Glenelg's best, was brilliant in the last term, kicking four of his five goals. It was a time when Glenelg needed someone to display authority to prevent any chance of North recovering.

The second-half onslaught - 11.8 to 5.2 - was largely due to Stewart McCully taking control in ruck. He

was beaten by Phil Louder in the first half, but finished with 37 hit-outs, 21 coming after half time.

The game was generally scrappy, but this was largely due to the determination of both sides and Glenelg's refusal to allow North to play its usual wide-running, swift game.

Glenelg had a host of good players around the ground, and its teamwork was first-class. But, ultimately, the difference was the manner in which its smaller men won the tough contests and read the play in and around the packs better.

Apart from McGuinness, these contributors included Brett Deane, Simon Hele, Nick Chigwidden, Michael Barton and Craig McRae. North rover Brodie Atkinson played well before being carried off with a bruised knee. He returned to the field much later; in the meantime, his class was missed.

Tim Nunan battled hard, as usual, but too often Glenelg had the numbers around the packs.

David Sanders gave another genuine effort on a wing, while Brenton Phillips had some fine moments.

North coach Darel Hart was highly critical of his team's skill level, particularly in the second half, but refused to take any credit away from Glenelg's fine display.

Full forward Dean Caldwell kicked three goals in only his third league game, and shows great promise, while another top youngster, Bradley Smith, did exceptionally well in the Reserves by kicking eight.

Table with columns for Kicks, Marks, Handballs, Frees, Scores, Hit Outs for Glenelg and North. Includes sub-tables for FREES, PENALTIES, GOALS, and DIST. OF GOALS for both teams.

## SANFL SCOREBOARD

### Adelaide Oval

Scoreboard for Adelaide Oval: CENTRAL 9.1 10.1 19.4 27.6 (168), South 0.1 4.6 6.7 11.10 (76)

BEST - CENTRAL: Windsor, Girdham, Haraida, Schwerdt, Potter, Macgowan, Ingerson. SOUTH: Cameron, Wittman, Battams, Heath, Keane.

SCORERS - CENTRAL: Schwerdt 6.1, Richardson 5.2, Reimers 4.1, Cook 3.0, Stevens, Handley, Ingerson 2.0, Girdham, Windsor, Healy 1.0, Hicks 0.2. SOUTH: Page 3.2, Cameron, Keogh, Draper 2.0, Bone 1.1, Matthews 1.0, Wittman 0.2, Quinn, Mitton, Groom, Webb, Keane 0.1.

INJURIES - SOUTH: Trevena (calf), Polkinghorne (groin), Matthews (shoulder), Cameron (corked thigh).

REPORTS - SOUTH: Jamie Lamb by the reserve umpire for allegedly charging an unnamed Central player in the third quarter.

UMPIRES: Ron Bettridge, Kevin Chambers.

### Football Park

Scoreboard for Football Park: GLENELG 6.3 9.7 13.11 21.15 (141), North 5.4 8.6 10.8 13.8 (86)

BEST - GLENELG: Deane, McGuinness, McCully, Hele, McRae, Chigwidden. NORTH: Sanders, Phillips, Nunan, Squire, Jeffries, Louder.

SCORERS - GLENELG: McGuinness 5.4, Mansell 4.1, Caldwell 3.3, Redshaw, Deane 3.0, Hele, Barton 1.2, Berbakov 1.0, McRae 0.2, Bartlett 0.1. NORTH: Rosenboom 3.0, Squire 2.2, Nunan, Tasker 2.0, Phillips 1.2, Atkinson 1.1, Grantham, Mancini 1.0, Bennett 0.2, Walsh 0.1.

INJURIES - NORTH: Atkinson (bruised knee).

UMPIRES: Michael Abbott, Troy Burton.

## Richmond Oval

Scoreboard for Richmond Oval: WEST 0.1 6.6 12.10 18.14 (122), Eagles 7.3 8.4 11.6 14.8 (92)

BEST - WEST: Andriske, Fielke, Simister, Hamilton, McKinnon, Patterson, Goss, Morris, Loving, Ravasi. EAGLES: Payze, Totham, J. Sziller, Rogers, Kluzek.

SCORERS - WEST: Simister 7.3, Symes 4.0, Andriske, Bilucaglia 2.1, Hamilton, Barrett 1.1, Fielke 1.0, Mellor 0.3, Pope 0.1, rushed 0.3. EAGLES: Morphett 4.1, Taylor 3.1, J. Sziller 2.0, S. Sziller, Thorne 1.1, Totham, Kluzek, Freeborn 1.0, Payze, Pesch 0.1, rushed 0.2.

UMPIRES: Greg Inge, Andrew Vickers.

## Port Lincoln

Scoreboard for Port Lincoln: PORT 6.2 7.5 13.9 14.15 (99), Sturt 3.3 8.8 11.10 13.11 (89)

BEST - PORT: Smith, Malakellis, Williams, Olsen, Carter, Tylor, Borlase. STURT: Brooks, Richter, Sutherland, Wigney, Obst, Thredgold.

SCORERS - PORT: Tylor 5.2, Malakellis 3.1, May 3.0, Hodges 1.3, Smith 1.1, Olsen 1.0, Angove 0.2, Williams, Spalding 0.1, rushed 0.4. STURT: Arnol 3.0, Brooks, Copeland 2.2, Williams 1.1, Geddes, Wyatt, Trimboli, Wigney, Underwood 1.0, Smart 0.2, Viney 0.1, rushed 0.3.

UMPIRES: Richard Williams, Garry Wyld.

## SA crowds

Table of SA crowds: Football Park 3321, Adelaide Oval 2252, Richmond Oval 3456, Port Lincoln 4554, Total 13,583

## SANFL ladder

Ladder table with columns: P, W, L, D, F, A, %, Pts. Lists teams: EAGLES, CENTRAL, PORT, GLENELG, WEST, Sturt, Norwood\*, North, South.

## SA goalkickers

Table of SA goalkickers: S. Simister (West), A. Taylor (Eagles), S. Hodges (Port), A. Richardson (Central), M. Tylor (Port), C. Prime (Norwood), J. Arnol (Sturt) with Games, Rd 9, Total.

## Reserves

Scoreboard for Reserves: GLENELG 4.1 12.4 16.7 24.11 (155), North 2.4 5.7 11.15 13.21 (99)

BEST - GLENELG: Symonds, Flower, Dittmar, Smith, Fishlock. NORTH: Bamford, Warner, Soderstrom, McCarthy, Allen, Woolford.

GOALS - GLENELG: Smith 8, Symonds 4, West 3, Kupsch, Fishlock, Flower 2, Bailey, Boyle, B. Wilkinson. NORTH: Soderstrom 3, Palmer, Allen, Roberts 2, Bamford, Roberts, Barratt, Poole.