



PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pc	Pts
Port	5	4	1	0	583	447	56.6	8
Central	5	4	1	0	524	462	53.1	8
Eagles	5	3	2	0	536	442	54.8	6
South	5	2	2	1	522	479	52.2	5
North	6	2	3	1	581	629	48.0	5
Sturt	5	2	3	0	533	556	48.9	4
Norwood	5	2	3	0	502	556	47.5	4
West	5	2	3	0	440	567	43.7	4
Glenelg	5	1	4	0	434	517	45.6	2

LEADING GOALKICKERS

	Club	Rd 6	Total
P. Smith	(Port)	0	22.8
C. Kluzek	(Eagles)	3	19.7
D. Stevens	(Central)	3	17.9
D. Hams	(Glenelg)	3	15.8
S. McArdle	(Central)	1	15.4
M. Conway	(Sturt)	0	14.5
A. Richardson	(West)	6	13.15
C. Draper	(South)	2	13.10
D. Hargraves	(North)	2	12.8
J. Burton	(Sturt)	1	12.7

ADELAIDE OVAL

	3.8	6.9	6.11	10.20	(80)
STURT					
SOUTH	1.1	5.6	7.7	8.8	(56)

BEST - Sturt: Atkinson, Wicks, Howman, Powell, Lennon, Maloney. **South:** Talbot, Morgan, Mills, Hall, Turvey, Johnson.
SCORERS - Sturt: Atkinson 2.1, Twitt 2.0, White 1.2, Jones, Burton 1.1, Maloney, Campbell, Wicks 1.0, Squire 0.3, Howman, Sheedy 0.2, Conway, Geddes, Weatherald 0.1, rushed 0.5. **South:** Perrie 4.0, Draper 2.1, Martin 1.1, Hall 1.0, Johnson, Rowe, Cobb, Clonan, Demasi 0.1, rushed 0.1.
INJURIES - Sturt: Atkinson (groin).
UMPIRES - S. Przbilla, R. Williams, C. Rowston.
BEST ON GROUND - Dean Talbot (South Adelaide).
TOP TEAM MAN - Matthew Powell (Sturt).
CROWD - 3417.

RICHMOND OVAL

	4.2	10.6	12.8	14.14	(98)
WEST					
GLENELG	6.1	8.1	10.7	14.10	(94)

BEST - West: Myles, A. Richardson, Connell, Marsh, Mellor, Jarvis, Howard, Greenwood. **Glenelg:** Mellody, Chigwidden, M. Raidis, Draper, Carr, Cook
SCORERS - West: A. Richardson 6.7, Connell, Chambers 2.0, Twomey, Greenwood 1.1, Hollands, Koulouriotis 1.0, Symes 0.3, Singh 0.1, rushed 0.1. **Glenelg:** Hams 3.3, Mellody, Cook 2.1, Carr 2.0, Tasborski, Tipuamantamerrri 1.1, D. Raidis, M. Raidis, Hele 1.0, Chigwidden, Nicholas 0.1, rushed 0.1.
INJURIES - West: Chambers (calf), Andriske (shoulder). **Glenelg:** Shir (quad).
UMPIRES - C. Doddridge, A. Meade, M. Humphreys.
BEST ON GROUND - Dion Myles (West).
TOP TEAM MAN - Greg Mellor (West).
CROWD - 1673.

NORWOOD OVAL

	4.5	9.9	16.10	19.13	(127)
NORTH					
NORWOOD	4.1	6.4	10.7	16.8	(104)

BEST - North: Morton, Sutherland, Brodhurst, Setchell, Wintle, Bamford, Newberry, Herbert. **Norwood:** R. James, Dickie, Cotton, Godden, Cunningham.
SCORERS - North: Brodhurst 5.3, Fowden 3.0, Hargraves 2.1, Setchell, Morton 2.0, Leal 1.2, Jeffries 1.1, Herbert, Wintle, Motlop 1.0, Bamford 0.2, Stevens 0.1, rushed 0.3. **Norwood:** R. James 4.1, Neill 2.2, Pascoe, Bassett 2.0, Obst, Bowman 1.1, Cotton, Godden, Kemp, Clements 1.0, Tamlin 0.1, rushed 0.2.
INJURIES - Norwood: Direen (ankle).
UMPIRES - D. Woodcock, D. Ryan, R. Fox.
BEST ON GROUND - Danny Morton (North).
TOP TEAM MAN - Darryl Wintle (North).
CROWD - 3834.

WOODVILLE OVAL

	4.3	10.8	11.11	15.13	(103)
CENTRAL					
EAGLES	1.2	3.4	4.6	10.8	(68)

BEST - Central: Hulm, Lilloco, C. Gowans, Healy, Moller, J. Hicks, Hopwood, Davey. **Eagles:** Tape, Beveridge, Pesch, Colville.
SCORERS - Central: Healy 4.1, D. Stevens 3.3, Hulm 2.2, C. Gowans 2.1, McArdle 1.1, Lee, Bello, Aufderheide 1.0, Slade 0.2, Hopwood, Guerra, J. Hicks 0.1. **Eagles:** C. Kluzek 3.1, Crowell 2.1, M. Kluzek 1.1, Dylan, M. Stevens, Pearce, Floreani 1.0, Pesch, Beveridge, Colville 0.1, rushed 0.2.
INJURIES - Central: Ford (bruised shoulder), Hulm (corked thigh). **Eagles:** Holland (calf).
UMPIRES - R. Bettridge, G. Thompson, K. Chambers.
BEST ON GROUND - Daniel Hulm (Central).
TOP TEAM MAN - Michael Davey (Central).
CROWD - 2763.

Bays' lack of footy smarts disappoints McGuinness

By PAUL KERMODE

FOR three-and-a-half quarters at Richmond Oval on Saturday, West Adelaide and Glenelg fought out a tough, tight contest.

And for the slight majority of the arm wrestle that occurred in that time, Glenelg just held the upperhand, if not on the scoreboard, then certainly in general play. But in 16 minutes, West completely broke open the game, slamming on 5.3 without reply after quarter-time to turn a 13-point deficit at the first break into a 22-point lead - the biggest margin either team held all day. On a day when fluent play was difficult for either side to find, West's emphatic burst was critical to the final outcome - a 14.14 (98) to 14.10 (94) result the home side's way.

It was set up by burly full forward Adam Richardson and prodigious possession-winner Matt Connell, Richardson booting 3.3 for the quarter and handing off another, and Connell winning 13 kicks for the term.

The Bloods were able to hold off fast-finishing Glenelg to earn their second win of the season, and leave the Tigers 1-4 leading into a tough match-up against Port Adelaide at Alberton Oval.

Glenelg's 16-minute lapse left a sour taste in coach Tony McGuinness's mouth and undid much of the improvement the side showed after the previous week's 56-point loss to South Adelaide. Saturday's match left McGuinness feeling he had something to work with, but still with plenty of work to do. "That second quarter was really disappointing - it was just workrate and lack of footy smarts," he said.

"In that second quarter a lot of really basic football stuff broke down that shouldn't and it hurts you badly.

"If we expect to get ourselves up in a position where we can contest for the five, we've got to continue to improve pretty markedly and pretty quickly."

West, meanwhile, goes into Saturday's game against Central District at Elizabeth Oval with confidence restored by two wins either side of last round's bye.

Coach Michael Taylor was concerned at how well his side would run out the game following the bye and was satisfied with the courage shown by his charges to hold up under Glenelg's attack in the final term.

But he is also aware the Bloods must improve on Saturday's showing to seriously challenge the top teams in the competition.

"There were a lot of errors from both sides, really unforced errors where blokes were picking wrong options," he said.

"No doubt Tony would have been frustrated - I was frustrated as well. There were only brief passages of time during the day when either side put good passages of play together. It was a stop-start, turnover, wrong option, scrappy kind of a game."

Taylor was most pleased with regular forward Dion Myles, who was sent to the half-back line and responded with a strong, rebounding game.

Connell racked up 26 kicks and 14 marks to be a real driving force and Adam Richardson (6.7) was always dangerous and could easily have kicked 10 goals.

Taylor also found much to be pleased about in forward Balraj Singh's game, as he improved with every quarter.

But, in the end, Richardson's presence in West's forward line was probably the difference between the sides, allowing the Bloods' midfielders to move the ball forward with certainty, while Glenelg's Martin Mellody and Nick Chigwidden often had their good work go unrewarded.

"Richardson hurt us badly but I still think it's a result of what happened up the ground," McGuinness said.

"The young lad (Tasborski) got outbustled but, put it this way, he didn't hurt us in the first quarter when we controlled the ball.

"When you control the ball, you minimise the opportunities for their big strong blokes up forward."

RESERVES

Sturt 21.33 (159) d South 4.2 (26), Central 10.5 (65) d Eagles 6.11 (47), West 12.15 (87) d Glenelg 13.7 (85), Norwood 11.14 (80) d North 7.14 (56).

Premiership table: Central, Norwood, Port 8, Sturt, West 6, South 4, North, Eagles, Glenelg 2.

UNDER-19

South 10.10 (70) d Sturt 7.5 (47), Eagles 17.15 (117) d Central 5.12 (42), Glenelg 11.13 (79) d West 9.13 (67), North 15.8 (98) d Norwood 13.8 (86).

Premiership table: Port, Glenelg 6, Eagles, Norwood, North 4, West, South 2, Sturt, South 0.

UNDER-17

South 19.13 (127) d Sturt 6.6 (42), Central 15.15 (105) d Eagles 9.6 (60), Glenelg 19.12 (126) d West 11.14 (80), North 10.18 (78) d Norwood 9.4 (58).

Premiership table: Port, Central, North 6, Glenelg 4, Eagles, South, West 2, Norwood, Sturt 0.

SANFL PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LEADERS - 6: S. Tregenza (Port) **5:** P. McGuinness (Port), T. Mills (South), J. Cicolella, A. Beveridge (Eagles), **4:** D. Squire, B. Atkinson (Sturt), S. Sutherland **3:** B. Chalmers (Port), M. Demasi, D. Morgan, D. Talbot (South), B. Marsh, D. Myles (West), D. Squire (Sturt), D. Hulm (Central), R. Macgowan, R. Moller (Central), J. Tape (Eagles), B. McEntee (Glenelg), S. Sutherland, B. Setchell, D. Morton (North), S. Borlace, A. Harvey (Norwood).

THIS WEEK'S DRAW

ROUND 7 - Saturday: Port v Glenelg (Alberton Oval), Eagles v South (Woodville Oval), Central v West (Elizabeth Oval). **Tuesday:** Norwood v Sturt (Adelaide Oval). **Bye:** North.