

WEST	5.2	7.7	11.14	14.19	(103)
NORTH	1.2	1.5	2.7	4.7	(31)

BEST - West: Ezard, Ferguson, F. Caruso, Porphyzia, Schmidt, Bricknell, Ben Fisher, Birss. **North:** Davis, Younie, Allan, Thiele.

SCORERS - West: Willits 2.2, Ronakson 2.1, Porphyzia, Davies 2.0, Bennett 1.7, Pettigrew, Ezard 1.1, Fielke, Lobbe, Bicknell 1.0, rushed 0.7. **North:** Gill 1.2, Ryswyk 1.1, Wright, Davis 1.0, Alleyway, Delvins, Motlop, Younie 0.1.

UMPIRES - R. Williams, R. Harvey, C. Deboy.

CROWD - 6133 at City Mazda Stadium.

SATURDAY

SOUTH	2.2	7.3	9.4	10.8	(68)
STURT	2.1	4.5	6.5	10.8	(68)

BEST - South: Liddle, Cockshell, Murphy, Crate, Horne, Perrey, Williams. **Sturt:** McGlone, Miles, Sheedy, Crane, Gum, Jaensch.

SCORERS - South: Perrey, Warren 2.2, Cockshell 2.1, Williams, O'Keefe, Rolfe, Talia 1.0, Liddle, Murphy, Gotch 0.1. **Sturt:** Chambers 2.3, Hinge, Vassal, 2.0, Nelson 1.1, Sheedy, Gum, Herring 1.0, rushed 0.4.

UMPIRES - C. Rowston, D. Joyce, L. Haussen.

CROWD - 2626 at Hickinbotham Oval.

GLENELG	5.3	10.5	15.8	17.11	(113)
NORWOOD	2.4	3.4	4.5	5.7	(37)

BEST - Glenelg: B. Kane, T. Grima, Logan, Meyer, Rudolph, Panozzo, Carr, Tenace. **Norwood:** Phillips, Zorzi, Doyle, McGuinness, Gallagher.

SCORERS - Glenelg: T. Grima 6.1, Bode, Logan 3.1, Sellar 1.2, Cranston 1.1, Carr, Bradley, Kirkby 1.0, C. Kane 0.2, Adlington, A. Grima 0.1, rushed 0.1. **Norwood:** Phillips 3.0, Terlich 1.3, Rowe 1.0, Lower, Ialleggio 0.1, rushed 0.2.

INJURIES - Glenelg: Cranston (hamstring), Willoughby (leg).

UMPIRES - T. Philp, G. Fila, M. Hardham.

CROWD - 4293 at Gliderol Stadium.

CENTRAL	4.5	8.7	10.10	13.12	(90)
PORT	2.2	3.7	8.10	11.13	(79)

BEST - Central: Thomas, Jenner, Callinan, Habel, Sansbury, Nash. **Port:** Kirkwood, Dolling, Meiklejohn, Clayton, Harder, Mercer.

SCORERS - Central: Callinan 3.3, Henderson 3.2, Habel 2.0, Sansbury 1.1, L. Westhoff, Thomas, J. Gowans, Goodrem 1.0, Mackenzie, O'Hara, Switala, M. Westhoff 0.1, rushed 0.2. **Port:** Mercer 3.2, Cloke 3.1, Young 2.0, Erskine, Harder 1.1, Robertson 1.0, Summerton 0.2, Weetra, Meiklejohn, McInerney, Lindsay, Clayton 0.1, rushed 0.1.

INJURIES - Central: J. Gowans (knee, concussion). **Port:** Biacsi (hip), Erskine (knee).

UMPIRES - C. Bowen, T. Medlin, A. Crosby.

CROWD - 5031 at Hamra Homes Oval.

PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pc	Pts
West	1	1	-	-	103	31	76.8	2
Glenelg	1	1	-	-	113	37	75.3	2
Central	1	1	-	-	90	79	53.2	2
South	1	-	-	1	68	68	50.0	1
Sturt	1	-	-	1	68	68	50.0	1
Port	1	-	1	-	79	90	46.7	-
Norwood	1	-	1	-	37	113	24.6	-
North	1	-	1	-	31	103	23.1	-

Eagles had the bye in the first round.

LEADING GOALKICKERS

		Rd1	Total
T. Grima	(Glenelg)	6.1	6.1
I. Callinan	(Central)	3.3	3.3
R. Henderson	(Central)	3.2	3.2
B. Mercer	(Port)	3.2	3.2
M. Bode	(Glenelg)	3.1	3.1
T. Logan	(Glenelg)	3.1	3.1

Gliderol Stadium, Saturday, Crowd 4293

GLENELG

	Kicks	Mks	Hbl	F/for	F/ag	Gls	Pts	H/O	Tkl
ADLINGTON	7	4	6	1	-	-	1	-	1
ALLEN	4	1	10	1	1	-	-	-	4
BODE	6	2	8	1	3	3	1	-	8
BRADLEY	6	2	4	-	-	1	-	-	1
CARR	11	7	12	2	1	1	-	1	2
CRANSTON	4	1	8	3	3	1	1	20	1
A. GRIMA	5	2	5	-	1	-	1	-	1
T. GRIMA	8	6	3	1	-	6	1	2	3
B. KANE	12	8	10	1	1	-	-	1	1
C. KANE	6	4	5	1	-	-	2	-	-
KELLOCK	7	6	7	2	2	-	-	-	-
KIRKBY	5	2	4	3	1	1	-	2	1
LOGAN	14	8	10	-	1	3	1	1	2
MEYER	23	9	5	3	-	-	-	-	3
MILLS	6	5	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
MURPHY	16	5	11	1	1	-	-	-	2
PANOZZO	20	12	8	1	1	-	-	1	-
RUDOLPH	7	3	5	1	-	-	-	-	-
SELLAR	10	8	5	-	2	1	2	18	1
TENACE	10	5	9	-	1	-	-	-	1
WILLOUGHBY	8	6	8	3	-	-	-	-	2
Totals	196	106	151	25	19	17	11	46	34

NORWOOD

	Kicks	Mks	Hbl	F/for	F/ag	Gls	Pts	H/O	Tkl
DAVIS	8	4	4	1	1	-	-	-	3
DAWE	4	3	3	1	-	-	-	13	-
DONOHUE	1	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOYLE	5	3	3	2	1	-	-	11	1
DUIGAN	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-
EVANS	8	3	3	1	1	-	-	-	-
GALLAGHER	11	4	11	1	1	-	-	-	-
GRIGG	4	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	1
IALEGGIO	7	-	7	1	1	-	-	1	2
LEE	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
LOWER	14	-	6	1	2	-	-	1	4
MCGUINNESS	6	3	2	-	2	-	-	-	-
NITSCHKE	7	1	6	1	2	-	-	-	4
PHILLIPS	7	3	6	3	-	3	-	-	6
PUOPOLO	5	2	7	1	4	-	-	-	1
ROBERTS	3	1	3	1	3	-	-	-	2
ROWE	3	3	7	1	1	1	-	5	-
STOPP	4	5	4	-	1	-	-	2	2
TERLICH	11	10	8	1	1	1	3	-	-
WEATHERALD	7	2	6	2	-	-	-	-	4
ZORZI	5	3	16	1	2	-	-	-	3
Totals	123	55	113	19	25	5	7	33	32

Blistering Tigers smash Redlegs



BAY DAY: Glenelg's Jarrod Kellock in control against Norwood yesterday. Picture: Dylan Coker

SCOREBOARD

GLENELG v NORWOOD
Gliderol Stadium, crowd 4293

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BEST PLAYERS: GLENELG: B. Kane, T. Grima, Logan, Meyer, Rudolph, Panozzo, Carr, Tenace. **NORWOOD:** Phillips, Zorzi, Doyle, McGuinness, Gallagher. **GOALS: GLENELG:** T. Grima 6, Bode, Logan 3, Cranston, Carr, Kirkby, Sellar, Bradley. **NORWOOD:** Phillips 3, Rowe, Terlich. **INJURIES: GLENELG:** Willoughby (leg). **NORWOOD:** Nil. **REPORTS:** Lee (Norwood), forceful frontal contact. **UMPIRES:** Philp, Fila, Hardham.

SCOTT WALSH

TODD Grima booted six goals and Glenelg swept aside a summer of torment, blasting hapless Norwood by 76 points at the Bay last night.

The Tigers - who had more departures than Sydney Airport after a straight-sets finals crash - unleashed a blistering scoring display in the twilight season opener, led by key forward Grima.

Vice-captain Ben Kane was brilliant with 22 disposals and five inside-50s, Kane Tenace impressed in his first appearance and Sam Rudolph, minus his trademark dreadlocks, was at his defensive best.

Matthew Bode showed he lost had nothing in his hiatus, with three goals, Luke Panozzo rebounded superbly from the back half and overlooked Power onballer Josh Carr impressed in a dominant Glenelg midfield.

Norwood's defeat condemned new coach Nathan Bassett to a first-up loss, and extended the Redlegs' winless streak against the Tigers to seven.

But as sharp as the Glenelg midfield was, it was Grima who set the Bays alight in a match that was in the balance for barely five minutes.

His six goals was the highlight in a forward line that worked like a dream for coach Mark Mickan. The trio of tallers in Grima, Ruory Kirkby and James Sellar clicked while Tom Logan, Bode and teenage debutant Andrew Bradley were dangerous.

Grima, who had his 6.1 for the day by late in the third term, banked two goals in the opening quarter and set up

another before the quarter-time break, before turning on a master-class in contested marking.

Mickan said the Tigers' disruptions - including the acrimonious departure of Brett Backwell and midweek sacking of club chief executive Steven Barratt - added no extra weight to last night's performance.

Norwood showed two brief bursts of cohesion, midway through the first term and early in the third, but both were more failed attempts to save the scoreboard than any hope of an upset victory.

The Redlegs have spruiked a message of stronger structures under Bassett - but poor decisions, untidy discipline and sloppy skills were the only elements on display in an undermanned side.

Simon Phillips (three goals and four tackles) looked impressive in attack, despite being one of the smallest men on the ground; Brett Zorzi and James Gallagher were tireless in the midfield and Stephen Doyle imposed himself around the ground.

"Not perfect but we knew coming in that when we don't have our full-strength team and we'll struggle for depth," Bassett said.

"Their (Glenelg's) contested ball was very good but I thought we matched them quite well ... and for most of the game I was happy with the way the guys applied themselves."

Bode made his return to league football with a dose of angry pills while Sellar worked like a cattle dog everywhere from defence to attack and in the ruck, and was eventually rewarded with the second goal of the match.