



SATURDAY

Table with 5 columns: Team, Kicks, Mks, Hbl, F/for, F/ag, Gls, Pts, H/O, Tkl. Rows: CENTRAL (3.3, 7.4, 14.9, 15.12, 102), PANTHERS (2.1, 4.3, 4.3, 8.5, 53)

BEST - Central: Thomas, Spurr, J. Gowans, C. Gowans, Hayes, Gunston, O'Hara. South: Liddle, O'Keefe, Crabb, Talia. SCORERS - Central: Callinan, Gunston 2.2, C. Gowans 2.1, J. Gowans 2.0, Spurr 2.0, Dutschke, O'Hara 1.2, Symes, Goodrem, Henderson 1.0, Milne, Thomas 0.1, rushed 0.1. South: Rolfe 4.0, Liddle 3.0, Lyons 1.0, O'Keefe 0.2, Horne, Gotch, Cockshell 0.1. INJURIES - Central: Milne (hip). UMPIRES: Dey, Medlin, Manikas.

YESTERDAY

Table with 5 columns: Team, Kicks, Mks, Hbl, F/for, F/ag, Gls, Pts, H/O, Tkl. Rows: NORWOOD (2.1, 6.1, 10.1, 14.4, 88), EAGLES (2.1, 5.1, 9.5, 11.6, 72)

BEST - Norwood: Zorzi, Lower, Gallagher, Weatherald, Terlich, Phillips, Campbell, Dawe. Eagles: Lewis, McKenzie, Cicolella, Schulz, Powell, Daniel. SCORERS - Norwood: Terlich 4.0, Davis, Phillips 3.0, Rowe, Donohue 1.1, Hughes, Zorzi 1.0, rushed 0.2. Eagles: Schulz 5.1, Welsh 3.1, Thompson, Lewis, Goldsworthy 1.0, Jarrad, Lane, McKenzie, Cheep 0.1. INJURIES - Norwood: Bown (corked thigh), Trotter (ankle) withdrew from selected squad.

REPORTS - Eagles: Rimington by umpire Deboy for allegedly making forceful front-on contact with Duigan in the second term. UMPIRES: Williams, Bowen, Deboy.

Table with 5 columns: Team, Kicks, Mks, Hbl, F/for, F/ag, Gls, Pts, H/O, Tkl. Rows: WEST ADELAIDE (6.1, 7.1, 9.2, 10.3, 63), STURT (1.2, 4.7, 4.8, 8.9, 57)

BEST - West: Piasente, Ezard, F. Caruso, Munn, Rowe, Davies, Bennett. Sturt: Hinge, Gum, Crane, Plant, Sheedy, Herring, Bratton. SCORERS - West: F. Caruso, Bennett 2.0, Piasente 1.1, Rowe, Munn, N. Caruso, Ferguson, Fielke 1.0, Ezard, Webb 0.1. Sturt: Hinge 1.2, Herring, Plant 1.1, Gum, Giles, Bratton, Hassan, Crane 1.0, Evans, McIntyre 0.1, rushed 0.4. INJURIES - West: Ferguson (ribs), Green (shoulder). UMPIRES: Joyce, Haussen, Crosby.

Table with 5 columns: Team, Kicks, Mks, Hbl, F/for, F/ag, Gls, Pts, H/O, Tkl. Rows: GLENELG (2.5, 7.7, 12.7, 13.8, 86), PORT ADELAIDE (2.0, 4.2, 8.3, 11.11, 77)

BEST - Glenelg: Allen, Tenace, Meyer, Panozzo, C. Kane, Bode. Port Adelaide: Summerton, Johncock, Lokan, Clayton, Young, Dolling. SCORERS - Glenelg: Kirkby 4.1, Tenace 3.2, Ruwoldt 2.1, A. Grima 1.1, Meyer 1.1, T. Grima 1.0, Kirk 1.0, Bode 0.1, rushed 0.1. Port Adelaide: Rose 3.1, Johncock 2.2, Cloke 2.0, Watson 1.0, Dolling 1.0, Thurgood 1.0, Biacsi 1.0, Clayton 0.1, Fitzgerald 0.1, Miller 0.1, rushed 0.5. INJURIES - Port Adelaide: Mercer (hand). UMPIRES: Rowston, Fila, Harvey.

DRAW

ROUND 11 - Saturday: North v Panthers (Prospect Oval, 2.10pm), Sunday: Norwood v Central District (Coopers Stadium, Norwood, 2.10pm) Port Adelaide v Eagles (Alberton Oval). Bye: Sturt, West Adelaide, Glenelg.

PREMIERSHIP TABLE

Table with 9 columns: Team, P, W, L, D, F, A, Pc, Pts. Rows: Central (8, 7, 1, -, 812, 621, 55.6, 14), Glenelg (9, 6, 3, -, 832, 748, 52.6, 12), Norwood (9, 5, 4, -, 714, 610, 53.9, 10), Eagles (9, 5, 4, -, 875, 810, 51.9, 10), West (9, 5, 4, -, 708, 671, 51.3, 10), North (9, 4, 5, -, 644, 792, 44.9, 8), Sturt (9, 3, 5, 1, 747, 780, 48.9, 7), South (9, 2, 6, 1, 717, 906, 44.2, 5), Port (9, 2, 7, -, 715, 826, 46.4, 4)

LEADING GOALKICKERS

Table with 4 columns: Player, Team, Rd10, Total. Rows: B. Chambers (Sturt) 0.0, 29.12; R. Kirkby (Glenelg) 4.1, 26.8; N. Salter (Eagles) 0.0, 22.8; T. Grima (Glenelg) 1.0, 21.5; B. Warren (South) 0.0, 20.16

SANFL PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Table with 2 columns: Player, Points. Rows: Central District v South Adelaide: Paul Thomas (Central) 3, Nick Liddle (Central) 2, Lee Spurr (Central) 1; Norwood v Woodville West Torrens: Brett Zorzi (Norwood) 3, Nick Lower (Norwood) 2, Scott Lewis (Eagles) 1; West Adelaide v Sturt: David Piasente (West) 3, James Ezard (West) 2, John Hinge (Sturt) 1; Glenelg v Port Adelaide: Ty Allen (Glenelg) 3, Kane Tenace (Glenelg) 2, Steven Summerton (Port) 1; LEADERS 14: Nick Liddle (South), 11: Paul Thomas (Central), 10: Ian Callinan (Central), 8: Nick Lower (Norwood), James Ezard (West), 7: Ben Kane (Glenelg), Luke Powell (Eagles), Brett Zorzi (Norwood), 6: Jade Sheedy (Sturt), Kane Tenace (Glenelg), Steven Summerton (Port Adelaide), 5: Ruory Kirkby (Glenelg), Clint Alleway (North), Nick Duigan (Norwood), Jeremy Clayton (Port), Ryan Ferguson (West), Adam Grocke (Eagles).

Held at Bay

BOTH Glenelg coach Mark Mickan and Port Adelaide counterpart Tony Bamford were left rueing missed opportunities after yesterday's clash at Gliderol Stadium - the difference being that one team got away with it.

Glenelg's 13.8 (86) to 11.11 (77) victory was hardly one for the time capsule, although given the cold and windy conditions the match was never likely to be a shining example of free-flowing football.

The Tigers led for the vast majority of the game and looked to have the two points on a platter when Mark Ruwoldt kicked the first goal of the last quarter to extend the margin to more than five majors.

But the Magpies rattled home in unlikely fashion, eventually booting 3.8 for the final term. A late goal to Cameron Cloke cut the gap to nine points and left an exasperated Bamford pondering what might have been.

"In no way do we go home tonight happy that we got close to them," a clearly frustrated Bamford explained.

"We lost that game and we should have won it. There is nothing wrong with our intensity, it's just our decision making at crucial times and ability to capitalise when we need to.



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"It's unacceptable for this team to be losing games like that."

In the neighbouring Glenelg changerooms, Mickan was also pondering opportunities squandered. Only the Tigers' came mostly in a first quarter in which the home side generated plenty of run and carry through the corridor but was highly wasteful entering the forward 50m. "We were very fortunate they didn't kick 8.3 in the last quarter instead of 3.8," Mickan said.

"We had 16 inside 50s in the first quarter but we just didn't use them very well. Too many times we kicked the ball into the forward line without thinking it through."

Port Adelaide appeared to start the more desperate of the two sides and its attack on the contest was rewarded when Matthew Rose kicked the first goal of the game.

Glenelg, however, soon worked its way into the game and - as Mickan would attest - only some haphazard delivery

into the forward line and wayward finishing prevented the Tigers being more than five points in front at quarter time.

The Tigers started converting their chances against the wind in the second quarter and at stages of the third term looked like running away with the contest.

But Port kept plugging away and it was close enough to give the hosts an unlikely scare with the last quarter run-on.

After all the pre-game talk about Glenelg's tall forwards, the Magpies defence stood up well.

Matthew Lokan did a fine job to limit Todd Grima, while key Tiger Ruory Kirkby kicked four first-half goals but thereafter had little impact on the scoreboard.

Graham Johncock, making only a fleeting appearance for Port Adelaide, was busy and hard at it but, given the final score, he might regret spraying what should have been a straightforward chance late in the second quarter.

From the resultant kick-in, Glenelg advanced to the other end, where Kane Tenace snapped truly on the half-time siren for a 24-point lead. Tenace and his fellow Tiger midfielders had a big say in the result, with Luke Panozzo prolific and Ty Allen outstanding in the clinches.

GLENELG v PORT ADELAIDE Yesterday, Gliderol Stadium, Crowd 3615

Large table with 13 columns: Kicks, Mks, Hbl, F/for, F/ag, Gls, Pts, H/O, Tkl. Rows: ALLEN, BODE, BRADLEY, CRANSTON, A. GRIMA, T. GRIMA, B. KANE, C. KANE, KIRK, KIRKBY, LALLY, MEYER, MILLS, MULES, MURPHY, PANOZZO, RUDOLPH, RUWOLDT, SELLAR, TENACE, WILLOUGHBY, Totals. Also includes Biacsi, Carr, Clayton, Clinch, Cloke, Dolling, Fitzgerald, Hall, Johncock, Kirkwood, Lokan, Madden, Meiklejohn, Mercer, Miller, Rose, Summerton, Thurgood, Watson, Weetra, Young.



FLAT OUT: Port's Jeremy Clayton handballs despite pressure from Glenelg's Matthew Bode at Gliderol Stadium yesterday.

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