



# Key Kirk inspires brave Bays

## SANFL DETAILS

### SATURDAY

CENTRAL	2.4	6.5	10.7	16.8	(104)
EAGLES	0.0	0.3	2.4	3.7	(25)

**BEST - Central:** Williams, Boyd, Goodrem, Jenner, Henderson, Symes, Thomas, Lawton, Marschall. **Eagles:** Sumner, Parry, Grieger.

**SCORERS - Central:** Lawton 4.1, Williams 3.1, Boyd 3.0, Dutschke 2.2, Hardy 2.0, C. Gowans, O'Sullivan 1.0, Symes, O'Hara 0.1, rushed 0.2. **Eagles:** Hall 1.2, Fitzgerald, Thompson 1.0, Powell, Lane 0.2, Grocke 0.1.

**UMPIRES -** T. Dey, C. Bowen, R. Hundertmark.

WEST	2.2	3.4	6.4	8.5	(53)
PORT	0.2	3.4	5.4	5.6	(36)

**BEST - West:** Bricknell, Slattery, Schmidt, Hill, Beech, Crouch. **Port:** Harder, Meiklejohn, Beard, Scanlon, Watt.

**SCORERS - West:** Brad Fisher 4.1, Willits 2.0, Silverlock, Webb 1.0, Ezard, Birss, Beech, Ben Fisher 0.1. **Port:** Mercer 3.0, Johncock, Harder 1.0, Clayton, Kirkwood, Cockshell, Summerton 0.1, rushed 0.2.

**UMPIRES -** T. Medlin, M. Oates, A. Crosby.

**CROWD -** 1985 at Alberton Oval.

### YESTERDAY

GLENELG	2.3	3.4	5.9	10.10	(70)
SOUTH	5.0	7.5	7.5	10.7	(67)

**BEST - Glenelg:** Allen, Kirk, Edwards, Holmes, Pitt, Trembath, Lally. **South:** Stribling, McKernan, Cross, Rolfe, Otten.

**SCORERS - Glenelg:** Trembath 4.1, Curran 1.1, Kirkby, Rudolph, Davenport, McFarlane, Carger 1.0, Agnew, Allen, Gill, Lynch 0.1, rushed 0.4. **South:** McKernan 5.2, Thewlis 2.0, Wundke 1.1, Taylor, Ainger 1.0, Liddle, Cross, Daniel 0.1, rushed 0.1.

**INJURIES - Glenelg:** Milne (buttock) and Mules (hamstring) replaced in selected side by Lally and Clayfield. **South:** Thewlis (broken foot), Casley (hamstring).

**UMPIRES -** S. Thompson, J. Ralston, L. Haussen.

**CROWD -** 1947 at Hickinbotham Oval, Noarlunga.

NORWOOD	1.1	5.3	9.9	12.11	(83)
STURT	1.6	5.11	8.11	10.15	(75)

**BEST - Norwood:** Suckling, Terlich, Webber, Georgiou, Newton, Phillips. **Sturt:** Riley, McLeay, Hinge, McIntyre, Jenkins, Stephens.

**SCORERS - Norwood:** Newton 4.0, Phillips 2.2, Warren 2.1, Grigg 1.1, Cachia, Suckling, Dawe 1.0, Evans 0.2, Batsanis, Clarke, Webber, Jefferies 0.1, rushed 0.1. **Sturt:** McIntyre 4.3, Duldig 2.1, McLeay, Jenkins 1.1, Crane, Krause 1.0, Thomson, Sheedy, Miles, Jaensch 0.1, rushed 0.5.

**INJURIES - Norwood:** Newton (knee).

**UMPIRES -** M. Avon, C. Fleer, C. Deboy.

**CROWD -** 3391 at Commander Centre Oval.

### DRAW

**ROUND 15 - Saturday:** West v Sturt (Commander Centre Oval), Eagles v South (Unleash Solar Oval). **Sunday:** Norwood v Central (Coopers Stadium). **Bye:** North, Glenelg, Port.

### PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pc	Pts
Norwood	12	11	1	-	1095	633	63.3	22
Central	12	9	3	-	1094	827	56.9	18
West	12	7	5	-	827	747	52.5	14
Glenelg	13	7	6	-	1055	1142	48.0	14
North	12	5	7	-	1000	1108	47.4	10
Sturt	11	4	7	-	879	951	48.0	8
South	12	4	8	-	1022	1159	46.8	8
Eagles	12	4	8	-	799	1096	42.1	8
Port	12	3	9	-	1018	1126	47.4	6

### LEADING GOALKICKERS

	Rd 10	Total
T. McIntyre (Sturt)	4.3	31.6
A. Ainger (South)	1.0	28.8
Brad Fisher (West)	4.1	26.10
R. Kirkby (Glenelg)	1.0	26.10
L. Johnston (North)	-	26.9
J. Hardy (Central)	2.0	26.4
M. Wundke (South)	1.0	24.9

### ZAC MILBANK

IT was a game Glenelg had no right to win.

But the Tigers - despite trailing at every change - found a way to beat South Adelaide by three points at Noarlunga yesterday.

Led by a stirring defensive effort from Daniel Kirk and Tom Edwards, the Bays didn't hit the front until Riley McFarlane goaled in the third minute of the final term.

But even after the Panthers surged again - to a 15-point lead 10 minutes into the fourth quarter - Glenelg bravely lifted itself off the canvas to kick the last three goals of the match. And it was that man Kirk who stood tall when it mattered most. With the hosts charging inside 50m with less than a minute on the clock, the Tigers' key defender snared a towering mark to ice the game.

"We wanted Daniel (Kirk) to go on (Andrew) Ainger, which was a huge role because Ainger kicked four (goals) last time we played," Glenelg coach Kris Massie said.

"So it wasn't only taking that crucial mark in such a pivotal moment but his ability to blanket Ainger throughout the day was outstanding."

Yesterday, Hickinbotham Oval. Crowd 1947

### GLENELG

	Kicks	Mks	Hbl	F/for	F/ag	Gls	Pts	H/O	Tld
KIRK	6	5	6	1	0	0	0	0	1
TENACE	16	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGNEW	6	1	4	0	1	0	1	0	3
SNOOK	4	1	4	1	2	0	0	0	2
HOLMES	14	4	4	1	1	0	0	0	6
BRADLEY	9	1	13	0	1	0	0	1	2
LYNCH	14	5	4	0	1	0	1	2	0
CARGER	4	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
ALLEN	9	3	15	3	2	0	1	0	4
RUDOLPH	3	4	6	0	1	1	0	0	2
TREMBATH	10	5	1	0	0	4	1	1	0
CURRAN	9	2	4	1	2	1	1	1	0
EDWARDS	12	3	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
KIRKBY	14	8	2	4	2	1	0	7	1
PITT	6	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	3
LALLY	13	3	5	0	0	0	0	1	1
CLAYFIELD	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0
DAVENPORT	6	2	7	0	0	1	0	0	0
BUTTON	11	2	4	2	3	0	0	27	2
GILL	4	2	6	1	4	0	1	0	1
MCFARLANE	4	2	2	1	2	1	0	0	1
Total	176	60	102	17	24	10	10	42	29

The red-headed big man just shaded Edwards, who was superb in keeping Ken Farmer Medallist Michael Wundke to just 1.1 despite conceding eight centimetres and a staggering 22kg to the Panthers' spearhead.

Tigers captain Ty Allen was easily the most influential midfielder on the ground with 24 disposals and seven clearances while burly forward Josh Trembath made the most of his opportunities to kick 4.1, including the major which put the visitors in front 19 minutes into the final quarter.

"I was just really pleased and proud for the group," said Massie, also praising tagger Craig Pitt for restricting South star Nick Liddle to just 11 disposals. The Panthers seemingly had the match in control with a 25-point lead at the main change but a woeful third quarter, in which they didn't register a score, proved to be costly.

"We played enough good footy in the first half but we just fell away too badly in most areas in the last half," South coach Ron Fuller said.

Crows-listed Shaun McKernan had a five-goal haul for South while midfielders Toby Stribling and Joel Cross battled valiantly.

### SOUTH ADELAIDE

	Kicks	Mks	Hbl	F/for	F/ag	Gls	Pts	H/O	Tld
MURPHY	8	2	1	1	0	0	0	3	2
HOULIHAN	9	7	3	1	2	0	0	1	3
CRATE	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
STIRBLING	16	3	8	1	1	0	0	0	4
THEWLIS	2	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0
WUNDKE	4	3	3	0	0	1	0	0	2
LIDDLE	8	3	3	2	1	0	1	0	4
DANIEL	8	2	5	0	1	0	1	0	7
WATSON	8	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
REDIGOLO	11	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	5
GOTCH	13	6	4	1	0	0	0	0	2
ROLFE	13	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	6
PFEIFFER	6	1	5	0	2	0	0	0	0
CROSS	11	5	9	3	1	0	1	0	6
OTTEN	9	4	4	1	3	0	0	1	1
AINGER	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
MCKERNAN	16	3	3	2	2	5	2	27	3
BASS	2	0	5	4	3	0	0	32	6
CASLEY	8	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
TAYLOR	4	4	4	0	0	1	0	0	5
VEIDE	8	5	6	2	0	0	0	1	2
Total	168	66	80	24	17	10	7	65	64

### SANFL PLAYER OF THE YEAR

<b>Port v West</b>	
Scott Bricknell (West) ...	3
Luke Slattery (West) ...	2
Luke Harder (Port) ...	1
<b>Central v Eagles</b>	
Ryan Williams (Central) ...	3
Byron Sumner (Eagles) ...	2
James Boyd (Central) ...	1
<b>South v Glenelg</b>	
Ty Allen (Glenelg) ...	3
Daniel Kirk (Glenelg) ...	2
Tom Edwards (Glenelg) ...	1
<b>Sturt v Norwood</b>	
Mat Suckling (Norwood) ...	3
Dean Terlich (Norwood) ...	2
Aiden Riley (Sturt) ...	1

### RESERVES

<b>GLENELG</b>	6.4	7.6	11.8	14.10	(94)
<b>SOUTH</b>	3.1	5.1	7.2	12.5	(77)
<b>STURT</b>	3.1	6.3	7.5	9.7	(61)
<b>NORWOOD</b>	0.3	2.8	4.11	6.12	(48)

Ladder: Norwood 22, Sturt 16, West, Central 14, Port 13, North 11, Glenelg 10, South 5, Eagles 3.