

FRANKSTON CITY

SOCCER CLUB

SATURDAY, JUNE 24th, 1967 - K.O. 2.45 p.m.

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE - DIVISION TWO

v.

RICHMOND

Good afternoon to you all. This afternoon we extend a cordial welcome to the officials, players and supporters of the Richmond Soccer Club on their first visit to the Reserve. Richmond always try to play good soccer, and this afternoon should prove no exception.

CITY CHATTER.

On Ringwood's notorious ground, the firsts gained another point in a 0-0 draw last week. The game never rose to any great heights, and the feeling was that had the ground had snow on it, it would have made a good downhill ski run.

With less than a minute to go Ringwood's centre forward hit the post, fortunately it was a round type post, and the ball rebounded directly into Billy Papousakis' arms. Had the post been square, we would have lost 1-0. This was the only incident in a dull game.

The reserves again fared badly, losing 3-1, Micky Benton scoring our only goal.

Last Saturday's 3XY Soccer Programme featured Secretary Norman Jones in the hot seat of their "Soccer Topic". Martyn Harris posed many questions on soccer on the Peninsula, and in particular on Frankston, its aims and ambitions. I am sure anyone hearing the show will congratulate Norm on his fine performance in giving Frankston a further lift up the ladder.

Incidentally, Norm has been promised a further broadcast, so keep listening for it.

Keeping it in the family is definitely the word in our reserve side. In recent games we have had three sets of brothers in our colours - Paul and Peter Smith, Bobby and Grant Libberter, and Tony and Paul Cotterill.

REFEREE'S CORNER

Question: During the game, the referee blows his whistle for a free kick, and then raises his arm above his head. What does this signal mean?

Question: How many offences are there for which a penalty kick may be awarded?

(Answers next page)

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EDDIE BARDSLEY

A member of our sound committee, Eddie Bardsley needs no introduction to many of you. This season he is proving an able "sponge man", and the boys appreciate his healing hands. English by birth, Eddie took up boxing at an early age, and won the North Western Sea Cadet Championship of England as a welter weight. He then fought at the Royal Albert Hall, London, for the Great Britain title, but lost on points.

At eighteen he joined the Army. Carrying on his boxing career he won the Services Championship of Ireland. Whilst stationed in Italy he became a Physical Training Instructor and graduated to a Sergeant.

Eddie arrived here eleven years ago, and soon made his presence felt by helping to start the Cheltenham Police Youth Club. His interest in soccer got the better of him, and he joined Frankston, working mainly with the juniors. Since then Eddie has really helped put Frankston on the map, and has won many club awards for his efforts. Last year he won the Dennis Hotel Frankston - best Clubman Trophy, a very worthy award.

If ever the team slacks in its play, be sure to listen for Eddie's melodious cry of "Com'n Yer Mugs".

OUR VISITORS

Just over 100 years ago a German Social organisation called the Tivoli was formed. Split into various sections it caters for singers, chess players, shooting, and other sporting activities. In 1954 a soccer section was added to the Tivoli. Immediately the club became a strength in Victorian soccer, many top German players in Australia joined the club.

The club reached State League level on two occasions, and many of their players appeared in the German National colours in the old set up of International matches. Their reserve team was also of great strength in these good days, and won the first division reserve section for three consecutive years, their U20 side also won the Victorian Championship.

Lack of finance has been their unfortunate downfall, and today the club finds itself in the Second Division down but definitely not out.

The club started this season with seven new first team players. Recent results have indicated that they are knitting together as a side, and they could well finish high in the league. Let us hope Richmond can rise again.

THE REFEREE REPLIES

Answer 1 - Indirect free kick (i.e.) a kick from which a goal cannot be scored unless touched by another player.

Answer 2 - Nine - (i) Handling the ball (ii) Pushing an opponent (iii) striking or attempting to strike an opponent (iv) kicking or attempting to kick an opponent (v) holding an opponent with part of arm or hand (vi) jumping at an opponent (vii) charging an opponent in a violent or dangerous manner (viii) charging an opponent from behind unless he is obstructing (ix) tripping an opponent.

Note: All above offences must be committed inside the penalty area, and must be intentional as interpreted by the referee.

SENIOR LEAGUE TABLE

(Leading positions).

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Altona	12	7	4	1	26	10	19
Brighton	12	8	2	2	21	12	18
Frankston	12	6	6	0	23	14	18
Ringwood	12	7	3	2	27	12	17

FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

Bayswater	A	1st July	2.45 p.m.
F. Gully	H	8th July	2.45 p.m.

RES. K.O. 1 p.m.