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SOCCER CLUB**

Season 1968

**METROPOLITAN LEAGUE
DIVISION TWO**

VERSUS

PARK RANGERS

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Saturday July 13th.

Good afternoon to you all, to the Officials, Players and Spectators of Park Ranges Soccer Club, we offer a warm welcome to the Reserve.

CITY CHATTER

Last Saturday, we recorded our third successive away defeat and perhaps stopped any ideas of promotion to Division One this season.

The game was highlighted by a magnificent performance in goal by Billy Papousakio who literally stopped everything that was thrown at him. Three penalties were missed one by us, two by Albion. The scoreline of 1-0 might be taken as a close game, however our forwards never looked like scoring and we were perhaps quite lucky to get off so lightly. The draw for the second round of the Dockerty Cup was announced last week and we have drawn ourselves a plum fixture. Our opponents will be Dandenong City currently leading the first division and we will be playing them away at a date to be announced.

What could be described as our blackest season as regarding to players being sent off for misconduct was really drummed home with the suspension of Ron Cummings for eight weeks, this virtually means an early end to the season for this player. Brian Woodgate, Brian Finch and Mike Bevis must have counted their blessings that they got off with only a week's suspension between them.

We take this opportunity to welcome Frank Thompson to the club, he was signed from Sandringham two weeks ago and was baptised into the first team last week, it was to be an unhappy birthday for Frank as he failed to find the net from our penalty. It was left to our third team to redeem some of our lost honour over the weekend, playing away to Brighton they defeated the home side by six goals to two. We now hold a position just over half-way.

ALBION ROVERS (1) 1

V

FRANKSTON CITY (0) 0

Team: B.Papousakis, T.Flynn, T.Hall, F. Thompson, N.Bevis,
M.Benton, K. Schroeder, M. Bevis, B. Finch, G.Baulk.

Parading a vastly improved side to that which visited us earlier in the season ALBION quickly settled into the game and made several early raids on our goal. Their two inside forwards were beginning to prove most troublesome and both had the ability to slow the game down and push defence. In one such move the ball was crossed from the wing both Billy Papousakis and their centre forward went up for the ball, it proved a dangerous cross, Billy hustled in attempting to catch the ball, dropped it and their centre was given the easiest of chances to put ALBION one up.

Not dismayed by this goal we continued to try and force our way into the game, however, ALBION continued to hold the aces and on two occasions their inside left missed the easiest of chances to increase their lead. In one of our rare attacks Graham Baulk was brought down in the area, however, we failed to equalise from the resultant penalty. The second half was to prove to be ALBIONS, running well off the ball and using the open spaces, our defence became hard pressed to stop further goals. Billy Papousakis bringing off many top class scores:- this hectic period ALBION were to miss two good chances of increasing their lead. Nigel Bens and Tony Hall giving away penalties in defence of their goal. Billy was equal to the occasion and saved both shots. At the other end we could record only one good shot at their goal and this is in itself an indication of just how much ALBION had the game wrapped up. It seems obvious that if we want to have a chance of going up our forwards will have to show some past form and score goals.

ALBION ROVERS RES (1) 1 V FRANKSTON CITY (0) 0

Team: G. Bardsley, D. Latimer, B. Libberter, R. Lymer,
 P. Hoff, H. Gussenhoven, J. Butterfield, B. Jones,
 B. Woodgate, H. Brower, G. Pask.

When summing up over reserve sides performance it can be best said that when our reserves play badly they really do play badly. Showing no cohesion either in defence or attack we had few chances to score in either half and we failed to take these that were offered. ALBIONS goal was a well taken effort by their centre forward who followed up a through ball and hit a volley home from well outside the penalty area. Derrick Latimer gave an impressive display at full back and Brian Jones and Roy Lymer were not far behind as best players of the day.

REFEREES CORNER answers next page

1. Must a referee allow a corner to be taken if half-time or full-time are up?
2. Apart from "injury time" or when extra time is necessary, when is the only occasion a referee can extend the duration of play?
3. Can a player be offside from a corner kick?

	<u>LAST</u>	<u>WEEKS</u>	<u>RESULTS</u>	
ALBION ROVERS	(1)	1	V. FRANKSTON CITY	(0) 0
KEILOR CITY	(2)	7	V. UNIVERSITY	(1)
RICHMOND	(0)	2	V. BRIGHTON	(4)
FERNTREE GULLY	(1)	6	V. WAVERLEY	(1)
COBURG	(1)	1	V. AJAX	(1)
SANDRINGHAM	(1)	0	V. PARK RANGERS	(2)

(Reserve results in brackets.)

ROY LYMER

The signing of many players over the past three seasons has made Roy virtually a veteran of our playing staff here at Frankston. His performances never however show that he is in the "veteran" stage, he continues to play steady soccer and seldom has a bad game. It was in 1956 that Roy first joined Frankston and apart from one season spent with Brighton and a two year trip back home he has spent every season with us. Better known as a half back Roy's season at Brighton was spent on their left wing position, they were a State League side on those days and Roy had a hard but successful season with them.

Born in Sheffield, England Roy played in the South Yorkshire Amateur League and at one stage was offered a trial at Rotherham United, however his club would not allow it and Roy stayed amateur. Unknown to many Roy had a twin brother who was also a keen soccer player, infact he played alongside the famous ALBERT QUIXALL. He is a past winner of the best and fairest award and also has been placed second. Roy was also a member of our premiership winning team of three seasons ago. At present Roy is starring in the reserves and definitely cannot be overlooked for a fast team berth. Manned with his young boys he is an assistant printer by trade.

THE REFEREE REPLIES:

1. No
2. For the taking of a penalty kick.
3. No

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FIXTURES FOR SEASON - 1968

Date	Ground	Opponents	Result	Reserves
May 4	"H"	Ajax	6-0	3-0
May 11	"A"	Waverley City	3-0	3-1
May 18	"H"	University	4-1	4-0
May 25	"A"	Brighton	3-1	0-0
June 1	"H"	Richmond	3-2	6-0
June 8	"A"	Keilor City	2-3	1-2
June 10	"H"	Waverley City	3-2	Dockerty Cup
June 15	"H"	Ferntree Gully	3-1	4-0
June 22	"A"	Coburg	0-4	3-1
June 29	"H"	Sandringham	2-1	3-2
July 6	"A"	Albion Rovers	0-1	0-1
July 13	"H"	Park Rangers	-	-
July 20	"A"	Ajax	-	-
July 27	"H"	Waverley City	-	-

LEAGUE TABLES

Division 11

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Keilor City	14	10	4	-	52	13	24
Albion Rovers	15	9	2	4	31	17	20
Coburg	15	9	2	4	34	20	20
Richmond	15	10	-	5	35	30	20
Frankston City	15	8	1	6	34	26	17
Sandringham	15	7	2	6	23	18	16
Ferntree Gully	15	7	2	6	37	28	16
Park Rangers	15	4	3	8	20	31	11
Waverley City	15	5	1	9	29	41	11
GG Ajax	14	4	1	10	20	40	9
Brighton	15	4	1	10	20	40	9
University	15	2	1	12	15	45	5

RESERVE SECTION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Keilor City	15	10	1	4	41	19	21
Frankston City	15	9	2	4	43	19	20
Ferntree Gully	15	7	5	3	34	19	19
Brighton	15	8	3	4	31	20	19
Waverley	15	6	6	3	27	21	18
Park Rangers	15	6	5	4	31	25	17
Albion Rovers	15	7	3	5	36	37	17
Sandringham	15	6	1	8	33	33	13
GG Ajax	15	5	3	7	25	29	13
Coburg	15	4	3	8	24	28	11
Richmond	15	3	2	10	20	57	8
University	15	2	-	13	13	53	4