



25th ANNIVERSARY YEAR



METROPOLITAN LEAGUE
DIVISION ONE

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CITY CHATTER...Good afternoon once again and a welcome to Keilor City for our last League match of the season. Keilor, who have had an unfortunate season, are this year's wooden spooners, but managed to beat us 1:0 on their ground, so cannot be taken lightly in this game which we must win. A win here, of course, gives us promotion to next year's top League in Victoria and so follows a pattern of promotion every five years, for we won a place in Division Two in 1965 under Tom Newbiggin and again won promotion with Tom in 1970. Now in his first coaching year, John Pryde has been successful. In fact "Shrewdie" has to be congratulated on a job well done. For this year we have seen some top class football on this ground after a beginning that looked quite hopeless. We look forward to our first year in the State League next year with a hope of the same kind of entertainment that John, Dave and the boys have provided this year.

There has been a hint that Dave High will retire next season. I'm sure you'll join me in hoping he'll play on and continue his already outstanding career. Personally I have not seen a player as consistently good as David High. His service at Frankston has been invaluable and a perfect example of professionalism. Last year of course he was voted the Metropolitan League's best player as well as winning our Best & Fairest for the second time.

In the League, Box Hill still have an outside chance to pip us for promotion if we lose today and they beat leaders Ajax at Keilor today. The other interesting match today of course is Altona & Essendon.

Mick Bevis's Reserve side have finished well after a bad mid season spell and should finish a creditable third. Mick has proven once again what an astute coach he is nursing Frankston's youngsters through a season of talented football and I'm sure the majority of his Reserve players will play State League soccer next season.

Coming up shortly are Federation Cup matches, the first being against University 11th September away, at College Crescent, Carlton. The Club's trip to Tasmania provisionally booked for the weekend of October 2nd. The Under 20 Competition organised by Dave Watkins is on October 25-26th weekend. The Under 20's incidentally finished fourth in their League very creditably after a shaky start. Congratulations here to Dave Watkins and Joe McLean. The Club's A.G.M. is in the clubrooms on 29th. September at 7.45 p.m. for the election of next year's committee, etc. and remaining games are Federation and Frankston City Cups. The Frankston City Cup will be a one day affair with eight invited teams from the South Eastern area of Melbourne and should include two promoted teams, Dandenong and Springvale. Check with your local newspapers or your committee for finalised details.

Finally we on Frankston's committee thank you for your support during this season and hope you have enjoyed our matches and that you'll continue to support your local side in top company next season. We also thank our generous sponsors for their most welcome help.

TODAY'S TEAMSHEET

FRANKSTON CITY (Blue & Gold)

Ian Shanks Terry Hawke
John Pryde Bob Adams Dave High
Bill Buchanan Alf Neri
Norrie Campbell Andy Savage

Subs: Dave Johnstone, Sam Murray, Bill Murray

Subs: L. Krorosidis, A. Straubinger, F. Keifer.

J. Anschoyer M. Tasevsky P. Gallo
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KEILOR CITY (Red & White)

FRANKSTON CITY RESERVES

Will Chadwick Ray Francis Robbie de Jong
Mark Rees Bill McAlaney
Bob Cranch Billy Jara Ross Murray Neil Hubbard
Mark Dall Peter Pryde

Subs: Bonny Nardella, Trevor Hyde, Simon Martin

RESULTS SO FAR

		<u>1st.</u>	<u>Res.</u>	<u>1st.</u>	<u>Res.</u>
Altona	H L	0-3	W 4-3	A L 0-2	L 1-3
Albion	A L	1-3	D 2-2	H W 3-1	L 1-2
Waverley	H W	4-0	L 1-3	A W 3-0	L 1-3
Box Hill	A W	2-1	W 1-0	H W 2-1	W 1-0
St. Albans	H W	3-0	W 2-1	A L 0-1	L 1-2
Green Gully	A D	1-1	W 3-0	H D 1-1	D 2-2
Melbourne	A W	2-1	W 4-0	H W 1-0	W 2-0
Western Suburbs	H W	4-0	W 2-1	A D 1-1	NP
Essendon	H D	1-1	L 0-1	A L 0-3	L 0-1
Croydon	A W	3-0	W 4-0	H W 1-0	W 5-0
Keilor City	A L	0-1	W 5-1		

SCORERS

1ST TEAM (33)

Campbell	8	Irvine	1	W. Murray	1
J. Pryde	7	Buchanan	3	Johnstone	1
Savage	3	Adams	1	Merrick	1
S. Murray	4	High	1	Shanks	1
		Neri	1		

RESERVES (42)

Dall	16	Nardella	3
Chadwick	5	Rees	2
P. Pryde	3	Hubbard	2
S. Murray	1	Jara	4
Caruthers	3	R. Murray	2

LEAGUES LEADING SCORERS

Banagan (Ajax)	17
Taylor (Box Hill)	16
Kuzmanov (Lions)	14
Waaldyk (Melbourne)	10
Hamill (Altona)	10

LEAGUE BEST & FAIREST CHANCES

P. Corke	(Box Hill)
R. Collins	(Ajax)
R. Howarth	(Croydon)
J. Gardiner	(Lions)
A. Bilaver	(Lions)
J. Woite	(Keilor)
L. Denys	(St. Albans)
W. Rae	(Albion Rovers)
T. Hamill	(Altona)
I. Shanks	(Frankston)
R. Taylor	(Box Hill)

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Green Gully	14	6	1	52	14	34
Altona	15	3	3	39	11	33
Essendon L	11	7	3	32	17	29
Frankston C	11	4	6	33	21	26
Box Hill	12	2	7	36	24	26
Albion Rovers	7	7	7	25	22	21
Croydon C.	7	6	8	24	30	20
Waverley City	6	6	9	23	31	18
Melbourne	6	3	12	28	36	15
At. Albans	4	6	11	19	33	14
Western Subs.	2	4	15	21	55	8
Keilor City	3	2	16	16	54	8

DIVISION TWO

Dandenong	12	5	4	39	17	29
Springvale	11	5	5	31	20	27
Keilor	11	5	5	30	27	27
Newport	9	8	4	34	21	26
Princes Park	10	3	8	35	31	23
Doveton	8	6	7	29	27	22
Richmond	6	7	8	28	29	19
Moreland	7	5	9	16	22	19
Ferntree Gully	4	8	9	11	23	16
Bayswater	5	5	11	33	43	15
Brighton	4	7	10	30	42	15
Heidelberg	4	6	11	17	31	14

DIVISION THREE

Eitham	13	3	5	46	30	29
Bell Park	11	6	4	42	28	28
North Carlton	12	3	6	47	32	27
Prahran City	11	5	5	41	31	27
Port Melb.	10	4	7	55	35	24
Coburg	8	4	9	33	33	20
Park Rangers	8	3	10	26	33	19
Chelsea	7	5	9	24	35	19
Moorabbin C.	8	2	11	33	40	18
Ringwood U.	6	4	11	30	44	16
Yallourn	5	4	12	35	54	14
Doncaster R.	3	5	13	24	41	11

STATE LEAGUE

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Hellas	15	2	2	36	21	32
JUST	10	5	4	33	16	25
Mooroolbark	8	6	5	26	19	22
Alexander	8	6	5	24	19	22
George Cross	9	4	6	28	25	22
Sunshine	9	2	8	32	27	20
Slavia	7	4	8	15	17	18
Makedonia	5	6	8	19	23	16
Ringwood	4	8	7	23	29	16
Juventus	4	6	9	14	22	14
Hakoah	3	6	10	12	29	12
Polonia	2	5	12	15	31	9

DIVISION ONE RESERVES

Essendon Lions	19	0	2	48	12	38
Waverley C	13	5	3	37	22	31
Frankston C	11	2	7	42	26	24
Croydon C.	10	4	7	33	33	24
Box Hill	9	2	1	34	33	20
Keilor City	9	2	10	33	35	20
Altona City	8	3	10	35	33	19
St. Albans	6	6	8	24	26	18
Albion Rovers	6	5	10	27	33	17
Western Subs.	5	3	12	26	42	13
Melbourne	4	5	11	22	42	13
Green Gully	3	5	13	10	34	11

DIVISION FOUR

Broadmeadows	17	2	2	51	21	36
Essendon	12	5	4	52	35	29
Ballarat	11	5	5	49	33	27
Sandringham	10	6	5	52	34	26
Rosebud	8	4	9	50	48	20
Corio	8	2	11	35	36	18
Clayton	5	8	8	33	37	18
Caulfield C.	6	6	9	33	39	18
Uni of Melb.	7	3	11	34	35	17
Monash Uni.	6	3	12	25	39	15
Mornington	4	7	10	30	48	15
South Yarra	5	3	13	28	57	13

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