



# WYOMING 35DS


## CHRONICLES

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## GAME #9

(ROUND 6)

	HOME		AWAY		GROUND	DATE	TIME
<b>2</b>	 WYOMING	vs	 GOSFORD	<b>0</b>	Alan Davidson Oval 1 (Wyoming)	July 4	13:30

Locked at 18 points each, a win in today's catch-up game from Round six would not only provide a nice buffer from the rest of the pack but also an outright lead of three points on the competition ladder. Deadlocked at the break, the boys took Captain Flanno's half-time orders - which I'm hoping aren't the same words he uses when coaching the Under 15's - to "put one in the f#%@en net!!". They heeded these words not once but twice - actually should've been thrice!! Yes, the boys in yellow, the Wyoming 35DS, bagged the three points and gave Andy a nice pre-40<sup>th</sup> birthday present as he starts to resemble his grey-haired teammates.



## A FULL SQUAD !

For the first time this season we had the full compliment of 18 players available, yes that's right folks this meant Framey was back !! Nine games into the season, the illustrious premier league winning coach and player, was finally amongst the riff raff of the 35DS again. And who was there to cheer him on from the sideline, none other than Nate Donzow visiting for the weekend from Queensland. Now there has been nonsense made all season that Framey's absence had something to do with the quest for diamond-studded boots but the truth has finally been revealed. As many know, Framey declared retirement at the end of last season and the rumour was he ceremoniously threw his boots into a bonfire to signify this. The new year however saw a change of heart. Nate, who had decided to sit out this season, heard Framey needed new boots and kindly offered his own. Framey graciously accepted Nate's invite to come over to his place, have a drink and collect the former striker's boots that had put away exactly zero goals in two seasons. So they sat down, put their feet on the ottoman / milk crates, cracked open a beer or five, and watched a bit of telly. Framey had hoped that they would be watching the Souths game but Nate pulled rank and choose to put on the sbs premiere of 'Fifty Dwarves of Grey' instead. Framey's patience endured for as long as any mere mortal's could. At the second ad break, Nate had broken the seal and disappeared for a quick pit-stop. Framey promptly looked at the brand of Nate's television, reached for his smart phone and changed the channel using a sneaky phone ap. Upon his return, it took a few minutes before Nate realised they were no longer watching his beloved show and proceeded to yell abuse. And for good reason too. Banned in Queensland, this was his only chance to see it before he moved. Panicked, Framey attempted to fix it but inadvertently pressed the wrong button and de-tuned the television. Nate's retribution could be considered harsh - he kidnapped Framey and shipped him off to Queensland, hiding him in his basement for months. And there he remained until this weekend, Nate finally letting him off the hook, crime served. Framey in turn has refused to press charges. Welcome back brother !! Today's game also saw the welcome return of George ready to test the ailing ankle. With only 16 allowed to be on the team sheet, Flanno and Marky stepped down.



FRAMEY & GEORGE back in action !



NATE back amongst the boys / LUCA & CHRIS modelling the new park bench



### CAPTAINLY ADVICE

Luca's enthusiasm thankfully never wavers but there were questions raised on whether he'd been in charge of pumping air into the game balls. Whoever was responsible had been a tad over zealous. They were so hard that the decision was made early into the game to use Gosford's balls instead. Some fear this would be a bad omen. Another anomaly was to give Andy the captaincy and following in Flanno's footsteps, he lost the toss. Many were on hand to provide mentor-esque advice. Early on, after a couple of passes to the opposition, Andy was being reminded by Meady that his team wears yellow. To demonstrate this point, Meady's next kick went straight to a Gosford player. Um, lesson learnt. Andy seemingly lost the cap later in the game when Jason answered the ref's call for captains to approach to ease the simmering tension.



TONY assists MEADY by pointing out that the opposition is in red / JASON takes charge.

### THE FIRST HALF

The first half saw a few chances. Some great build-up play and quality crosses but not much on target to worry the Gosford custodian. Adding to the pain were several offside calls where it seemed the referee had been duped by desperate Gosford defenders - well other than the ones involving Adrian of course. On the flipside though, Stevie G pulled off an impressive ruse at the other end.



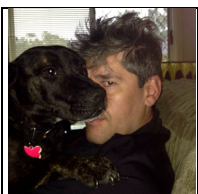
ANDY puts in an early cross to ADRIAN / TONY and MEADY make flying leaps



ADRIAN's near miss.



PAUL's closest attempts.



**THE LUCA & ZIGGY PITCH REPORT**

"Ziggy said YEAH!!! We are on pal!  
The ground is as dry as a pom's bath towel! Giddy up!"  
(FRIDAY, 3<sup>RD</sup> JULY 2015)

## CORNERING THE DRAGON

The question on whether the impasse would remain was answered midway through the second half. Andy had made a charge up the left flank. Whilst his cross didn't quite reach George, he got the next best thing, a corner kick. It curled into the middle of the 18-yard box where Meady had maneuvered into the perfect spot. Timing it immaculately, Meady jumped and made solid contact with the ball, heading it past the pack, past the keeper and into the net !! Precision!



## SLAYING THE DRAGON !

It was only a few minutes later that Wyoming made a bigger dent. Luca used his deft skills to weave through a couple of defenders and sent the ball into the goalmouth where Paul was waiting. Rather than trying to turn and go himself, Paul saw Tony unmarked a few meters further back and sent it his way. Dean promptly got out of the way as Tony loomed. No conversions this time, Tony hit it low and hard just to the left of the right upright. The 35ES spectators claimed it had taken a deflection and was an own goal but considering most of them played in the 45s competition last season, we'll declare their eyesight is not the best.



In the end it should've been 3-0 when George sent Andy up the left edge and Paul tapped it in from the subsequent cross. The referee ruled it was offside, another controversial decision if I do say so myself. Paul also got a great shot in but the keeper was equal to the task in blocking it.





GREGG takes a throw-in -- backwards / JASON quite confident he has won the throw-in.



DAVE puts a WWF move on his opponent / MEADY cops a late NRL-style shoulder barge from Gosford's No. 15



The CRECCA-O'CONNOR power play / AARON determined to keep a clean sheet



All smiles.

## WEEK 10 WRAP-UP

Wyoming's 2-0 win over Gosford sees them advance 3 points clear at the top of the ladder. Whilst East Gosford put six goals on Terrigal last weekend, they couldn't find the net this time round. With this weekend's catch-up out of the way, all teams have now played 9 games each.



### GOAL SCORING TALLY

- Paul - 6
- Andy, Chris - 3
- Meady, Tony - 2
- Adrian, Brad, Luca - 1

(We have an additional two goals in our tally due to forfeit win)

### GOAL ASSISTS

- Paul - 7
- Andy - 5
- Meady - 3
- Aaron, Adrian, Luca, Tony - 1



### LADY LAVENDER'S LAUNDRY WOES

- #11 (Andy) - 3pts
- #10 (Tony) - 2pts
- #29 (Meady) - 1pt

### TOTAL POINTSCORE

- Stevie G - 10
- Mark - 8
- Luca, Meady - 4
- Aaron, Andy, Gregg, Paul - 3
- Jason, Tony - 2
- Brad, George - 1

THANK YOU ALL FOR A FANTASTIC BIRTHDAY WEEKEND



Cya Saturday!!



WEEK 10 (ROUNDS 3 & 6)						
HOME		AWAY		GROUND	DATE	TIME
0	EAST GOSFORD	VS	TERRIGAL	0	Hylton Moore Oval 1 (East Gosford)	July 4 13:30
2	WYOMING	VS	GOSFORD	0	Alan Davidson Oval 1 (Wyoming)	July 4 13:30

CENTRAL COAST - 35DS									
WEEK 10									
		P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	Differentials
1st		9	7	0	2	21	7	<b>21</b>	14
2nd		9	6	0	3	21	14	<b>18</b>	7
3rd		9	5	1	3	20	16	<b>16</b>	4
4th		9	3	4	2	21	14	<b>13</b>	7
5th		9	3	2	4	13	10	<b>11</b>	3
6th		9	3	1	5	16	19	<b>10</b>	-3
7th		9	2	2	5	12	24	<b>8</b>	-12
8th		9	2	0	7	9	29	<b>6</b>	-20

### WEEK 11 PREVIEW

The game of the round looks to be the Rams vs Eagles (4<sup>th</sup> vs 3<sup>rd</sup>), both teams looking to cement a Top 4 spot; Avoca will be hoping to stay in reach as they venture to Gavenlock; Wyoming will be defending their lead up against a Terrigal team who will be desperate to keep up with the pack; Finally, Kariong and Kincumber battle it out to avoid last spot.

WEEK 11 (ROUND 11)						
HOME		AWAY		GROUND	DATE	TIME
EAST GOSFORD	VS	EAGLES		Hylton Moore Oval 1 (East Gosford)	July 11 11:45	
GOSFORD	VS	AVOCA		Gavenlock Oval 1 (Gosford)	July 11 12:00	
WYOMING	VS	TERRIGAL		Alan Davidson Oval 2 (Wyoming)	July 11 13:30	
KINCUMBER	VS	KARIONG		Frost Reserve 1 (Kincumber)	July 11 13:30	

ANDY'S 40<sup>TH</sup>



## GOLF DAY

The Annual Wyoming FC Fundraiser Golf Day saw the 35DS represented by two teams. Singo's Group #1 consisted of Flanno, Nate, Dean, Stevie G and Aaron who finished 2<sup>nd</sup> on the day ... Group #2 featured Meady, Andy, Chris and Mark and they finished, well probably last. Whilst starting at the same hole at the same time, Group #2 lagged behind mainly due to Mark wanting to play his own shots in a team-best system; searching for his missing beer (stolen from his cart's esky by Flanno) and getting bogged in mud (courtesy of Chris the driver) whilst searching for his golf ball on the wrong side of a hill. Their attempts in catching up with the others were further delayed by saboteur Stevie G who continually buried Meady's pink golf balls deep into the soil. Passer-bys accusing the team of being immature and occasional strong winds mixed with Mark's farts were not enough to spoil a beautiful day. Singo though did demand not to be invited next year, we're not sure if this was due to the frustration that is playing golf or that he saw Brainiac one too many times. Nevertheless they all survived 18 holes, although a duck hit by an Andy shot probably had a hell of a neck ache that evening. [Photos by Alistair Kennedy]



CHRIS stood at the back believing he wasn't wearing his Singos shirt ... until he realised he was.



Bogged !! ANDY and a couple of MPL players came to the rescue ... but failed.



MEADY's golf ball thumped into the soil / STEVIE G finds an alternate spot to hide it.