



# WYOMING 35EN

## CHRONICLES

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### GAME #16



Vs



EDSAAC OVAL, BATEAU BAY

#### SEARCHING FOR A NUMBER ONE

After last weekend's gallant effort against the competition leaders, hopes were high we could match second-placed Killarney 1. Our last battle against them ended in heartbreak as they stole the victory in the final minute ... could we enact revenge? The biggest concern leading into this game was we didn't have our regular keeper nor our back-up. Aaron was away on a family trip and well, Stevie G was serving the first-of-a-two-week suspension. With his Soccer 5s sliding goalie experience, Gregg Marlow was called up to fill in for the first half and Ken Melvin kindly agreed to take over in the second half when he arrived after his team's game. The mood was positive as the boys arrived and loitered around the Edsaac Oval clubhouse spurred particularly by an ecstatic Luca whose 16Bs had their first victory of the season that day. Could we combine and deliver a "Scuri Six-Point Saturday" for him? ...

**WYOMING 35EN VS KILLARNEY 1 (ROUND 16)**

EDSAAC OVAL 4TH AUGUST 2018 1445HRS

**BENCH:**

- 9 FITZPATRICK
- 12 SMITH
- 17 BULMER
- 3 MELVIN
- 

**UNAVAILABLE**

- 1 QUILL
- 6 NEWNHAM
- 15 GEORGE
- 16 SNODGRASS



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### CLOUDY WITH A CHANCE OF SMOKE INHALATION

One of the other concerns of playing on Fields 2 or 3 at Edsac Oval on a late afternoon is that damn setting sun on the horizon. Ryan won the toss and as advised, elected to run towards it for the first half. In the end, it wasn't a big deal either way as there was plenty of cloud cover albeit half of that was smoke from a nearby bushfire.



(^) RYAN wins the toss.



(^) MEADY eases the pressure on GREGG's first save.



(^) ANDY tries to connect with a FLANNO ball



(v) CHRIS unable to connect with an ANDY cross.



(^) MICK sends ANDY through ... his shot fails to chip the keeper.



(^) RYAN's shot gives Killarney a goal kick.



(^) GREGG "Safe as Houses" MARLOW in action .... (v) Okay, maybe not so much here.



### FIRST HALF JITTERS

The first half was for the most part, evenly matched. Despite a couple of fumbles, Gregg blocked the early threats. Flanno and Mick got Andy testing his quads early with some through balls to run onto. Andy and Mick alternated in sending quality balls to each other but neither had any luck with their shots at goal. Mick came closer with a free kick.



(^) & (v) MICK gets a couple of shots in.



(^) DALE sends MICK through some Killarney traffic.



(^) MICK's free kick veers wide.



(^) FITZY's free kick ... LUCA misses a chance.

(v) CHRIS doesn't get it away in time.



(^) MICK enjoys some KILLARNEY DISTRICT hospitality as tempers flare.

### FRUSTRATIONS FLARE

Mick frustrated the opposition into committing fouls as he zigzagged through them, two of Killarney's players picking up yellow cards. However it was a foul at the other end that caused the most damage. Brad got a bit too cuddly as he rushed towards a player just outside the box. Mick made Gregg's job easier as he rushed back behind the wall as the shot was taken. He cleared it but unfortunately the same Killarney player who took the kick retrieved the ball and sent it just inside the right post.



**SCORE:**



**1**



**0**



(^) LUCA heads the ball into ANDY's path but another shot easily contained.

### MOTIVATIONAL BOOST ??

Down only a goal at half time, the mood was still positive we could get something out of this game. Could we take inspiration from one of the kids in Luca's 16Bs team. Up 1-0 nil at half time, he urged his teammates who hadn't experienced a win all season, "We can get a draw!" Could we do the same? We just needed to stay hungry. The usual motivational chants were shared, tactics discussed and within a couple of minutes into the second half we ... we ... we were down another goal !!



SCORE:



2



0



(^) CHRIS gets a long range shot away.

**PUT AWAY THE JELLY, PASS THE BALL ...**

Okay so the wall had gotten a little higher to climb but Luca was not perturbed. It was time to put away the jelly and pass the ball instead. And that he did, straight through a gap of the Killarney defence line for Mick to squeeze through and get a shot away. It beat the keeper ... but not the woodwork. Thankfully Chris O'Connor was perfectly placed for the rebound and smacked it into the net. We were back in the game! Luca rushed up to Andy declaring it was his assist and whilst technically it was Mick's, f\*@k it, I'll quietly put him down in the stats book for one as well. Shhhh.



SCORE:



2



1



(^) STEW makes an attacking run down the right flank.



(^) FITZY connects with a cross from MICK

(v) STEW almost does the same from LUCA's cross



### WIDE SHOTS & ELBOWS

For a while it was all Wyoming with the chances. Stew had a good run down the right flank but left it too long to send the ball across and too much pressure meant his shot went wayward. Mick sent quality crosses to Fitzzy who worked hard up front. Luca almost found Stew on the far side with a stellar cross of his own. Andy got a shot in but without much venom. He was on his way to try again shortly after but was met with an elbow to the face instead. It matched well with the black eye he was sporting from the first half. Another yellow for Killarney but no further punishment to the black and whites as Luca's free kick sailed over the crossbar.



(^) ANDY takes a shot

(v) ANDY cops a shot.



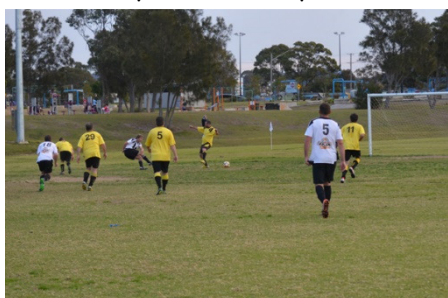
(^) LUCA's free kick flies away.



(^) FITZY's tap from a MICK cross veers wide.

### THE DOUBLE HIT

By now, Ken Melvin had arrived to replace *Gregg* as goalie. In hindsight it probably would've been better to try Ken on the field as an attacking option but who knows. As fate would have it, a chance for at least a draw quickly evaporated as defensive lapses and a lack of hunger let Killarney run riot, scoring two goals in the space of a couple of minutes.



SCORE:



3



1



SCORE:



4



1



(^) KLLARNEY almost in again !!



(^) ANDY tests the keeper with a free kick (v) ANDY does not test the keeper with this one.



### SOME CONSOLATION

Fouls continued. Mick & Andy both getting knocked over just outside the 18-yard box. The free kicks for both were taken by Andy. The 1st forced the keeper to leap high, the 2nd just ensured more jokes from Meady & Brad that they should've booked a crane to retrieve the balls from the trees. Andy though did find some joy after chasing onto a long ball from Flanno. Shielded by a Killarney defender, Andy had to go the long way, crossing the goal line and popping around the player who thought he'd done enough to allow it to roll out. He hadn't. Andy claimed the ball before it crossed the line and found Fitzzy across the goalmouth. Fitzzy had to step back to get a touch and then slotted it into the net.



SCORE:



4



2





(^) RYAN slides, flies and tumbles as he works hard at the back.

### FURTHER EMBARRASSMENT

Fitzzy's goal was the final moment of joy for the Tigers. A curling corner kick by Andy and a shot by Wallace at the death were the only other real chances for the boys in yellow. Unfortunately, it was not the end for the black and whites on the scoresheet adding two more goals in the final few minutes. A disappointing result as we try to keep our finals hopes alive.



(^) KILLARNEY's fifth and ...

(^) sixth goal.



(^) ANDY comes close with a corner but not with the next shot

(v) WALLACE has a dig in the final minute.



FULL-TIME:



6



2

## DIRTY SHIRTS

Another three points for Mick McGarvey (#8) now sees him in equal first. Brad came in second for some possible planking. Andy's shirt seems to have a permanent stain so his one point was rejected. Plus he was spotted shamelessly doing last minute stretches after the game had started. Thanks to Gregg Marlow for washing the shirts and judging the points this round.



**MARLOW**  
DANCE ACADEMY



(^) FLANNO re-enacts a scene from the movie Jaws.

## STATS



MARK FITZPATRICK  
[2018]





CHRIS O'CONNOR  
[2012-2018]



BRAD AVERY  
[2013-2018]



(^) STEW in a dance-off | MICK's proctologist recognises him (^) | BRAD's opponent goes for the wrong ball(s) (^)





## GOAL SCORING TALLY



### GOALS

Mick M (13); Andy K (10);  
Andy N (4); Brad, Stew (3);  
Chris, Fitzy, Kenno (2); Ben,  
Luca, Mark W, Nige, Ryan (1)

### ASSISTS

Andy K (12); Mick M (7);  
Luca (5); Stew (4); Fitzy (3);  
Brad, Gregg, Wal, Nige, Steve (2);  
Ben, Bill, Ryan, Snorky (1)

## DIRTY SHIRTS (MUD POINTS)



This Week's Judge:

**GREGG MARLOW**

3PTS - MICK M (#8)

2PTS - BRAD (#14)

1PT - X

### TOTAL POINTSCORE

Andy K, Mick M (11); Ryan (8); Brad, Nige (7) Fitzy (5);  
Gregg, Stew (4); Chris, Mick K (3);  
Mark W, Steve (2); Flanno, Luca (1)



### YELLOW CARDS TALLY

Fitzy (3)  
Flanno, Mark W, Nige, Steve (2)  
Luca, Mick M (1)

### BEST ON FIELD

This Week's Judge:

**SUE FORBES**

3PTS - Nige

2PTS - Brad

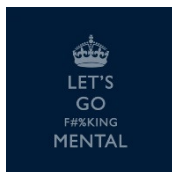
1PT - Ryan



## WEEK 16 WRAP-UP

Gosford and Killarney have now wrapped up 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place respectively. The battle for the remaining two finals spots wages on between four teams. Toukley have now leapt to 3<sup>rd</sup>. Wyong's shock draw to Kanwal has allowed Wyoming to hold a three point buffer.

WEEK 16 (ROUND 16)							
	HOME		AWAY		GROUND	DATE	TIME
1	WYONG	vs	KANWAL	1	Baker Park 1 (Wyong)	August 4	14:00
0	WARRNAMBOOL Football Club	vs	TOUKLEY	3	Hamlin Terrace 1 (Warrnambool)	August 4	14:40
3	GOSFORD	vs	KILLARNEY 2	1	Gavenlock Oval 2 (Gosford)	August 4	14:40
6	KILLARNEY 1	vs	WYOMING	2	Edsacc North Field 2 (Killarney)	August 4	14:45
0	OURIMBAH	vs	BERKELEY	4	Ourimbah Oval 2 (Ourimbah)	August 4	15:00



## COMPETITION LADDER

CENTRAL COAST - 35EN									
2018									
WEEK SIXTEEN									
		P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	Differentials
1st		16	15	1	0	65	12	<b>46</b>	53
2nd		16	12	1	3	43	17	<b>37</b>	26
3rd		16	9	1	6	37	28	<b>28</b>	9
4th		16	9	0	7	44	28	<b>27</b>	16
5th		16	7	3	6	28	25	<b>24</b>	3
6th		16	8	0	8	24	38	<b>24</b>	-14
7th		16	6	2	8	30	35	<b>20</b>	-5
8th		16	5	3	8	22	24	<b>18</b>	-2
9th		16	1	3	12	7	50	<b>6</b>	-43
10th		16	0	2	14	9	52	<b>2</b>	-43

## WEEK 17 PREVIEW

With a far superior for-and-against over the other candidates for fourth spot, Wyoming will seal a finals berth this round if they defeat Wyong, and Killarney 2 loses. Toukley hosts Gosford. A win for the Gunners will guarantee them a place in the minor semi final.

WEEK 17 (ROUND 17)							
	HOME		AWAY		GROUND	DATE	TIME
	BERKELEY	vs	WARRNAMBOOL Football Club		Chittaway Oval (Berkeley Vale)	August 18	11:45
	KILLARNEY 2	vs	KILLARNEY 1		Edsacc North Field 3 (Killarney)	August 18	12:15
	TOUKLEY	vs	GOSFORD		Harry Moore Oval 1 (Toukley)	August 18	12:30
	WYOMING	vs	WYONG		Alan Davidson Oval 1 (Wyoming)	August 18	13:30
	KANWAL	vs	OURIMBAH		Kanwal Oval 1 (Kanwal)	August 18	15:10

Cya Saturday !

## UPCOMING STATS

