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Round 2 Results...

MERMINBULA RSL SENIORS MEN'S:

Pambula v Eden

Pambula..... 3.5 10.10 18.12 25.16 166

Eden..... 1.1 1.3 3.4 3.4 22

PAMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: S. Smith 5, S. Butterfield 4, C.

Shepherd 4, T. Hammond 4, M. Wallis 2, D. Cook,

K. Overend, J. Hammond, J. Taylor, T. Ferguson,

J. Dickson

Best Players: C. Shepherd, S. Butterfield, D. Cook,

J. Hammond, S. Smith, M. Wallis

EDEN FC

Goal Kickers: N. Sebire, J. Brown, B. White

Best Players: C. Weerakkody, T. Stevens, B. Grim-

mond, N. Sebire, T. Wong

Merimbula v Narooma

Merimbula..... 3.3 6.5 10.9 12.13 85

Narooma..... 3.3 5.6 5.7 5.8 38

MERIMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: L. Musgrave 4, D. Jordan 2, D. Ed-

wards 2, J. Martyn, J. Howker, W. Regan, L. Davis

NAROOMA FC

Goal Kickers: S. Mackie 2, H. Lang, T. Mikolic, L.

Talty

Best Players: J. Breed, S. Mackie, J. Sly, M. Davies,

W. Farrell, L. Hodgson

MERMINBULA RSL RESERVES:

Pambula v Broulee/Moruya

Pambula..... 5.0 10.8 11.10 14.10 94

Brou Mor..... 0.0 0.0 0.2 1.2 8

PAMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: A. Wilson 3, S. Butterworth 3,

T. Hammond 2, G. Dinwoodie 2, J. Wallis, C.

Clapton

Best Players: S. Butterworth, A. Wilson, C. Clap-

ton, J. Wallis, G. Dinwoodie, A. Hammond

BROULEE/MORUYA FC

Goal Kickers: C. Dorn

Best Players: A. Tilyard, A. Patyus, C. Dorn, B.

Winter, G. Wise, B. Paul

SENIOR WOMEN'S:

Merimbula v Narooma

Merimbula..... 0.2 1.2 1.2 1.2 8

Narooma..... 1.3 6.6 10.7 14.9 93

MERIMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: A. Friend

Best Players: C. Vaughan, A. Tesoriero, B. New-

ton, E. Millott, C. Miller, A. Friend

NAROOMA FC

Goal Kickers: M. Mackie 4, E. Hawkey 4, S. Taylor

2, E. Leonard 2, E. Bunney, Z. Betts

Bermagui v Tathra

Bermagui..... 0.1 0.1 0.1 1.2 8

Tathra..... 1.2 4.3 7.7 8.7 55

BERMAGUI FC

Goal Kickers: M. Shaw

Best Players: B. Bragg, A. Fowler, K. Scott, Z.

Holdsworth, P. Logue

TATHRA FC

Goal Kickers: S. Crowley 2, G. Tarlington 2, C.

Parker, T. Blacka, L. Stafford, K. Thompson

Best Players: B. Williams, K. Thompson, G. Tar-

lington, E. Sherwin Russell, S. Crowley, C. Parker

Pambula v Eden

Pambula..... 0.0 1.0 1.0 1.1 7

Eden..... 0.4 3.6 4.9 5.13 43

PAMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: T. Wilson

Best Players: A. Gilbert, C. Ferguson, M. Baker, L.

Collimore, J. Furniss, T. Wilson

EDEN FC

Goal Kickers: K. Grubescic 2, A. Crowe 2, M.

Brown

Best Players: H. Spink, A. Crowe, M. Mitchell, T.

Whitford, C. Sheldon, M. Brown

Round 2 Results...

SENIOR WOMEN'S:

Bega v Broulee Moruya

Bega....	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	2
Brou Mor.....	2.1	3.1	4.3	11.11	77

BEGA FC

BROULEE/MORUYA FC

Goal Kickers: B. Reid 3, C. Staunton 2, S. Alves 2, J. Lurda, A. Meek, L. Selvakumaran, B. O'Connor

UNDER 16's:

Merimbula v Narooma

Merimbula....	0.1	1.1	3.2	6.4	40
Narooma....	6.3	7.5	7.10	10.12	72

MERIMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: D. Kerr 2, S. Wood 2, K. Balice, J. Overend

Best Players: B. Raeck, Z. Alexander, M. Keltie, J. Overend, S. Wood

NAROOMA FC

Goal Kickers: H. Bromwich 4, J. Davis 2, T. Hodge, J. Harris, M. Parker, R. Spurgeon

Best Players: R. Spurgeon, T. Hodge, H. Bromwich, T. Druhan, K. Carlson, J. Booth

Pambula v Broulee/Moruya

Pambula....	4.1	7.3	11.5	13.5	83
Brou Mor.....	1.1	2.1	2.1	3.2	20

PAMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: T. Beasley 3, L. Ferguson 2, K. Baker 2, F. Cook 2, W. Seach, C. Noack, J. Shaw, T. Kellar

Best Players: T. Beasley, K. Baker, B. Mylan, F. Cook, T. Kellar, W. Seach

BROULEE/MORUYA FC

Goal Kickers: J. Cashin, W. Williams, D. Cursio

Best Players: W. Williams, J. Cashin, D. Golden, B.

Blackman, R. Spoelder-Hanlon, W. Newman

UNDER 16's:

Bermagui v Tathra

Bermagui....	1.1	1.1	2.5	4.11	35
Tathra.....	4.1	8.4	9.6	10.7	67

BERMAGUI FC

Goal Kickers: J. Puglisi 2, R. Lagana, M. O'Meara

Best Players: R. Lagana, J. Harkins-McMahon, J.

Curven, R. Holdsworth, T. O'Meara, R. Rudneski

TATHRA FC

Goal Kickers: D. Stubbs 4, J. Crowley 2, E. Pi-

otrowski, F. Walsh

Best Players: K. Hetzel-Threadgate, Z. Harlow, D.

Stubbs, F. Walsh, J. Crowley

UNDER 14's:

Merimbula v Pambula

Merimbula....	0.0	1.1	1.1	5.2	32
Pambula.....	4.3	8.4	13.7	15.7	97

MERIMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: J. Janson, T. Murphy, D. Kerr, B.

Bennett, W. Spackman

Best Players: T. Miller, B. Bennett, D. Piccione, D.

Kerr, T. Murphy, H. Raeck

PAMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: J. Van Camp 5, W. Seach 3, W. Kellar

3, B. Woolley, S. Armstrong, L. Shaw, B. Cooke

Best Players: J. Van Camp, W. Kellar, S. Arm-

strong, B. Cooke, W. Seach, B. Cole-Gammell

Bermagui v Tathra

Bermagui....	3.5	4.8	7.9	13.11	89
Tathra.....	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.2	8

BERMAGUI FC

Goal Kickers: C. Moresi 7, M. O'Meara 3, J. Pugli-

si, T. Creek

Best Players: C. Moresi, J. Harkins-McMahon, T.

O'Meara, T. Matters, M. O'Meara, C. Challis

TATHRA FC

Goal Kickers: M. Navarrete

Best Players: K. Burhop, J. Palmer, M. Navarrete,

T. Palmer

Round 2 Results...

UNDER 14's:

Bega v Broulee Moruya

Bega....	1.1	1.1	2.1	3.1	19
Brou Mor.....	3.1	7.1	10.1	13.1	79

BEGA FC

Goal Kickers: E. Turville 2, D. Hayes

Best Players: E. Turville, R. Yee, C. Butchers, A.

Gautier, D. Hayes

BROULEE/MORUYA FC

Goal Kickers: S. Thomas 3, C. Jones 2, B. DeWinter 2, T. Passlow 2, T. Simons 2, L. Brogan, K. Dorn

Best Players: S. Giri, C. Jones, E. Turner Collins, J.

Brogan, E. Montgomery-hardy, T. Simons

UNDER 12's:

Merimbula v Narooma

Merimbula....	0.0	0.2	1.3	2.3	15
Narooma....	0.1	0.2	1.2	2.2	14

MERIMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: W. Blewitt 2

Best Players: S. Hsiao, H. Blewitt, L. Murphy, T.

Miller, B. Bennett, T. Murphy

NAROOMA FC

Goal Kickers: F. Friskin, R. Simper

Best Players: T. Wilson, L. Allison, J. Weston, S.

Leechman, W. Tiffen, E. Bromwich

Bega v Broulee/Moruya

Bega....	1.2	1.3	1.5	4.6	30
Brou Mor.....	0.0	0.3	0.3	1.3	9

BEGA FC

Goal Kickers: J. Parsons, T. Mullet-Hoskins, J.

Proud, N. Nicol

Best Players: T. Mullet-Hoskins, N. Nicol, J. Par-

sons, B. Herbert, R. Herbert, R. Turville

BROULEE/MORUYA FC

Goal Kickers: M. Colbourne

UNDER 12's:

Bermagui v Tathra

Bermagui....	1.4	1.4	1.6	5.11	41
Tathra.....	0.0	1.3	2.3	2.3	15

BERMAGUI FC

Goal Kickers: B. Evans 2, L. Moresi, A. Gannon, J. Cotton

Best Players: W. Callaghan, S. English, P. Coxon,

A. Gannon, J. Thornton

TATHRA FC

Goal Kickers: T. Parker, K. Morgan

Best Players: F. Cook, D. Chandler, I. Cook, L.

Chandler, T. Parker, L. Ellard

Pambula v Eden

Pambula....	0.2	1.2	1.2	2.2	14
Eden.....	2.1	2.4	4.4	6.6	42

PAMBULA FC

Goal Kickers: A. Seach, W. Clapton

Best Players: A. Seach, J. Seach, F. Judd, W. Clapton, S. Vandersluis-Christie, O. Dinwoodie

EDEN FC

Goal Kickers: J. Pollock 2, J. Pollock, J. Grant, B.

Whitford, L. Mudaliar

Best Players: B. Whitford, L. Mudaliar, C. Whitford, J. Grant

Merimbula RSL Senior Men's:

	W	L	D	For	Agt	%	Pts
Pambula	2	0	0	255	80	319	8
Tathra	1	0	0	140	52	269	4
Merimbula	1	1	0	143	127	113	4
Narooma	0	1	0	38	85	45	0
Eden	0	2	0	74	306	24	0

Under 16's:

	W	L	D	For	Agt	%	Pts
Pambula	1	0	0	83	20	415	4
Tathra	1	0	0	67	35	191	4
Narooma	1	0	0	72	40	180	4
Merimbula	0	1	0	40	72	56	0
Bermagui	0	1	0	35	67	52	0
BroulMoru	0	1	0	20	83	24	0

Womens Grade:

	W	L	D	For	Agt	%	Pts
BroulMor	1	0	0	77	2	38..	4
Narooma	1	0	0	93	8	11..	4
Tathra	1	0	0	55	8	687	4
Eden	1	0	0	43	7	614	4
Pambula	0	1	0	7	43	16	0
Bermagui	0	1	0	8	55	15	0
Merimbula	0	1	0	8	93	9	0
Bega	0	1	0	2	77	3	0

Under 14's:

	W	L	D	For	Agt	%	Pts
Bermagui	1	0	0	68	8	850	4
BroulMoru	1	0	0	83	19	437	4
Pambula	1	0	0	97 ^R	32	303	4
Merimbula	0	1	0	32	97	33	0
Bega	0	1	0	19	83	23	0
Tathra	0	1	0	8	89	9	0

Merimbula RSL Reserve Grade:

	W	L	D	For	Agt	%	Pts
Merimbula	1	0	0	90	0	900	4
Pambula	1	0	0	94	8	117	4
BroulMor	0	1	0	8	94	9	0
Narooma	0	1	0	0	90	0	0
Tathra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Under 12's

	W	L	D	For	Agt	%	Pts
Bega	1	0	0	30	9	333	4
Eden	1	0	0	42	14	300	4
Bermagui	1	0	0	41	15	273	4
Merimbula	1	0	0	15	14	107	4
Narooma	0	1	0	14	15	93	0
Tathra	0	1	0	15	41	37	0
Pambula	0	1	0	14	42	33	0
BroulMor	0	1	0	9	30	30	0



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Leading Goal Kickers...

Merimbula RSL Senior Men:

Name	Club	RD	GLS
Sean Smith	Pambula	5	9
Tom Hammond	Pambula	4	8
Dean Gartside	Tathra	0	7
Charlie Shepherd	Pambula	2	6
Dylan Jordan	Merimbula	4	6
Lance Musgrave	Merimbula	4	4
Louis Coulton	Tathra	0	4
Shannon Butterfield	Pambula	4	4
David Thompson	Tathra	0	3
Ian McBain	Tathra	0	3
Jarrold Moore	Eden	0	3

Under 16's:

Name	Club	RD	GLS
Harry Bromwich	Narooma	4	4
Doug Stubbs	Tathra	4	4
Trai Beasley	Pambula	3	3
Damon Kerr	Merimbula	2	2
Jack Crowley	Tathra	2	2
Flynn Cook	Pambula	2	2
Jack Davis	Narooma	2	2
Lochlan Ferguson	Pambula	2	2
Kynan Baker	Pambula	2	2
Sam Wood	Merimbula	2	2
Jake Puglisi	Bermagui	2	2

Womens Grade:

Name	Club	RD	GLS
Meagan Mackie	Narooma	4	4
Ellen Hawkey	Narooma	4	4
Brahe-Ashlie Reid	BroulMor	3	3
Ally Crowe	Eden	2	2
Crystal Staunton	BroulMor	2	2
Sam Crowley	Tathra	2	2
Gab Tarlington	Tathra	2	2
Sophie Alves	BroulMor	2	2
Sophie Taylor	Narooma	2	2
Kamilla Grubestic	Eden	2	2
Emma Leonard	Narooma	2	2

Under 14's:

Name	Club	RD	GLS
Campbell Moresi	Bermagui	7	7
Jai Van Camp	Pambula	5	5
Sam Thomas	BroulMor	3	3
Will Kellar	Pambula	3	3
William Seach	Pambula	3	3
Matthew O'Meara	Bermagui	3	3
Charlie Jones	BroulMor	2	2
Tasman Simons	BroulMor	2	2
Emile Turville	Bega	2	2
Tye Passlow	BroulMor	2	2
Brock DeWinter	BroulMor	2	2

Merimbula RSL Reserves:

Name	Club	RD	GLS
Adam Wilson	Pambula	3	3
Steve Butterworth	Pambula	3	3
Glen Dinwoodie	Pambula	2	2
Toby Hammond	Pambula	2	2
Jarrold Wallis	Pambula	1	1
Cameron Dorn	BroulMor	1	1
Chris Clapton	Pambula	1	1

Under 12's:

Name	Club	RD	GLS
Brett Evans	Bermagui	2	2
Walter Blewitt	Merimbula	2	2
Anthony Gannon	Bermagui	1	1
Tanya Mull-Hoski	Bega	1	1
Ned Nicol	Bega	1	1
William Clapton	Pambula	1	1
Beau Whitford	Eden	1	1
Jaryd Cotton	Bermagui	1	1
Anthony Seach	Pambula	1	1
Joshua Proud	Bega	1	1
Lachlan Moresi	Bermagui	1	1

2018 MERIMBULA RSL SENIOR SEASON PREVIEW

Eden Whalers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 6th

Coach: Liam Wilkinson



Ins: Jarrod Moore, River Reid, Aiden Halliday, Timothy Wong, Chino Weerakkody (Bermagui FC), Scott Munday (Cootamundra FC), Bill White (Morwell FC, Vic), Tom Stevens (Mitiamo FC, Vic).

Outs: Josh Abbott (Camden Cats)

Preview: It was a tough season for the Whalers in 2017 losing key players Peter Russell and Liam Wilkinson early in the season to injury and then going winless for the remainder of the season. Scott Munday will be a big pick up for the Whalers this season with the former Whaler returning from Cootamundra in 2018 too sure up the half back line. The acquisition of Bermagui players as well as Bill White, Tom Stevens and Dylan Wallace playing regularly in 2018 will bolster Eden's squad. 2018 looks to be another year where the Whalers young brigades in Nathan Sebire, Jordan Merkel and Luke Grewer look to impact games on a regular basis. Look for the Whalers to challenge for a top four place in 2018.

Key Players: Jordan Merkel, Nathan Sheldon, Lachlan Rooney and River Reid.

2018 Prediction: 5th

Merimbula Diggers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 5th

Coach: Shane Parker



Ins: Nick Forester (Tathra FC), Jamie Hambling (Orbost Snowy Rovers FC, Vic), Patrick Whittard (Griffith FC).

Outs: Harrison Peters (Pambula FC), Chris Walth (Yass FC), Nicholas Redwin (ADFA), Mitchel Sieger (Wollongong Lions FC), Billy Stubbs (Tathra FC).

Preview: Season 2017 was a tough season for the Merimbula Diggers with several outs and injuries for the club which saw the Diggers miss out on finals football. The Diggers will be looking to bounce back in season 2018 although will again be hampered by a couple of key outs. Billy Stubbs appears to be the biggest out for the club heading north to Tathra whilst the club will also miss Harrison Peters from their impressive ruck stocks and Mitch Sieger who is in Wollongong for university.

Helping to fill Sieger's place will be Nick Forester from Tathra whilst the club has picked up Jamie Hambling from the East Gippsland FL where he was a regular for the Orbost Snowy Rovers FC. Will Regan had a superb 2017 season and will again look to combine with Jack Burch and Daniel Worden in the midfield to get the Diggers back into finals action in 2018.

Key Players: Jack Burch, Daniel Worden, Will Regan and Dylan Jordan.

2018 Prediction: 4th

2018 WOMENS SEASON PREVIEW

Bermagui Breakers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 5th

Preview: Coming into their third year in the women's competition the Bermagui Breakers have made large strides in their player development with the team boasting a large number of women who have come up through the junior ranks at the Breakers. With the likes of Katlyn Scott, Jorja Moore and Grace Gowing gaining valuable experience with the Giants youth girls academies, the three girls who have been dominating players for the Breakers will look to take the next step in 2018 and dominate the competition.

The Breakers have recruited another two young players again in 2018 with Brooke and Hollie Bragg looking like naturals in pre-season. Coaches Rocky Lagana and Alberto Cementon may be worried about the lack of experience and leadership within the team with such a young squad although most of the side has enough experience within the competition.

Look for the breakers to challenge for the finals although may just fall short.

Players to Watch: Grace Gowing, Katlyn Scott, Mikayla Shaw & Jorja Moore.

2018 Prediction: 6th

Bega Bombers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 8th

Preview: It was a tough first season for the Bega Bombers last season with the team going winless in 2017. It appears that experience is key within the women's grade with the bottom 3 teams from last season being inexperienced or in their first year of competition. Maria McRoy led the line for the Bombers in 2017 with a team leading 3 goals whilst being named in the team's best regularly throughout the season.

With a year of experience under their belt, the Bombers will be looking to compete week in and week out in 2018. With the likes of Georgie Butchers and Darby Hayes currently key players in the under 12's and 14's the Bombers have some promising juniors coming through their system.

Players to Watch: Maria McRoy, Carlin Stanford & Kaela Barnes.

2018 Prediction: 8th

Broulee/Moruya Giants FC

2017 Ladder Position: 6th

Preview: It was a slow start to the season for the Giants in 2017, although by the end of the season the Giants were firing on all cylinders, with the team taking it up to the top four whilst also dashing Bermagui's slim finals chances with a win over the Breakers.

2018 sees some changeover in the squad for the Giants although coach Simon Hay has done well on recruiting players into the team.

Crystal Staunton and Luxmi Selvakumaran were regularly among the Giants best whilst Kristelle Westbrook is an emerging talent within the competition even at the age of 15. The Giants will test teams in 2018 although they may find it tough to crack into the top four of Eden, Pambula, Tathra and Narooma although the girls will give it all they have.

Players to Watch: Zoe Vandenberg, Crystal Staunton & Kristelle Westbrook.

2018 Prediction: 5th

Eden Whalers FC

2017 Ladder Position: Premiers

Preview: Back to Back premiers for the Whalers women's side in 2017, Eden will be looking to make it a three-peat in 2018. In what was a remarkable turnaround from their semi-final loss against Tathra, the Whalers were too good in the blustery conditions on grand final day. Kamilla Grubestic and Carra Sheldon were instrumental for the Whalers in last year's grand final and will need to lead from the front again in 2018 as the remaining clubs look to close the gap between the Whalers and Sea Eagles. The Lightning premiership showed that Eden will still be a contender in 2018 and with the likes of Chloe Henderson, Alexis Watson, Shanise Mongta and Hannah Crawford maturing, the Whalers will be contenders for years to come.

September is where the Whalers shine although they won't be taking any team easy until then.

Players to Watch: Kamilla Grubestic, Carra Sheldon, Melissa & Kate Mitchell.

2018 Prediction: 2nd

Merimbula Diggers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 7th

Preview: It was a tough first season for the Diggers in 2017 with the Merimbula side just claiming the two wins against the wooden spoon Bega Bombers. The Diggers are unlikely to challenge for the top four in 2018 although Merimbula will be looking to claim some added wins in season 2018. With the Diggers adding some new players to their group in 2018, incoming coach Ebony Millott will be looking to incorporate them into the team as quickly as possible.

With Millott and key players Lily Butler Woollard and Ashlee Miller returning in season 2018, the Diggers will need to replace Kiarna Woolley-Blain who kicked 12 goals for the side and Skye Holmes who offered plenty of speed in 2017.

Players to Watch: Ebony Millott, Lily Butler-Woollard and Ashlee Miller.

2018 Prediction: 7th

Narooma Lions FC

2017 Ladder Position: 4th

Preview: The Narooma Lions looked super impressive at the lightning premiership in Eden with the Lions claiming a solid win over 2017 finalists Pambula Panthers and only a 1-point loss against reigning premiers Eden. With their first finals appearance in club history in 2017, coach Rowan Hawkey will be looking to guide his side to a finals win in 2018. With Chenoa Lyons-Mongta returning after taking the year off the Lions have bolstered their already impressive squad which contains young gun Zalie Betts, Lara Stephens, Mariah Tiedt and experienced members Kirby and Megan Mackie as well as Rachael Kincaid who booted 34 goals in 2017.

With the Lions having bolstered their squad this season, Narooma will be hard to knock out of the top four.

Players to Watch: Zalie Betts, Hollie-Kae Betts & Rachael Kincaid.

2018 Prediction: 4th

2018 WOMENS SEASON PREVIEW

Pambula Panthers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 3rd

Preview: The Panthers were one straight kick away from a grand final berth in 2017 although couldn't capitalise on the 4th quarter opportunities in 2017 against the Whalers. The Panthers will again be highly competitive in 2018, and have added some extra fire power to their side for 2018. Claudia Ferguson comes to the club from the Newcastle FC and showed during the lightning premiership in Eden that she will be a handful in the ruck contest giving her midfielder, whilst Kiarna Woolley-Blain will help the Panthers up forward after kicking 14 goals in 2017.

Madi Whatman will again be a star of the competition while Romy Cook, Lee Collimore and the Gilbert sisters will look to have good seasons again for the club.

Players to Watch: Madi Whatman, Romy Cook and Claudia Ferguson.

2018 Prediction: 3rd

Tathra Sea Eagles FC

2017 Ladder Position: Runner's Up

Preview: The Sea Eagles were once again on the wrong end of a grand final defeat in 2017. After a disappointing end to the year where the Sea Eagles were once again beaten by Eden on the final day of the season, Tathra will be looking to finally claim the biggest prize on the final day of the season in 2018. Samantha Crowley was a find for Tathra in 2017 with the speedy forward kicking 29 goals for the season whilst being amongst the Sea Eagles best week in and week out.

Cymmon Parker has been a mainstay of the Sea Eagles over the past two seasons whilst youngsters Elouise Sherwin-Russell and Tarni Evans have been standouts for the Sea Eagles. Hannah Centra will be a big loss for Sea Eagles although Tyjanna Thelan would be a big inclusion after missing the majority of 2017.

Players to Watch: Tarni Evans, Rebecca Foster, Cymmon Parker and Elouise Sherwin-Russell.

2018 Prediction: Premiers

2018 RESERVES SEASON PREVIEW

Broulee/Moruya Giants FC

2017 Ladder Position: 4th

Preview: Like in 2017 it looks as though the Broulee Moruya Giants will be made up of a mix of old and young in 2018. The Giants surprised the league and made it to the semi-finals in 2018 with the side competing valiantly with Tathra in their semi-final which saw the Giants go out in the semi-finals.

The Giants will be looking to back up their 2017 finals showing with another in 2018 although the going may be tough with Merimbula gaining players back in 2018 whilst the remaining three squads will remain relatively unchanged.

Players to Watch: Graham Wise & Julian Nimmo.

2018 Prediction: 5th

Merimbula Diggers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 5th

Preview: The 2017 season was a down year for the Merimbula reserves side missing out on finals action after falling to the Giants in the final round of the season. Word on the street is that coach Grant Regan has buy in from a number of players for 2018 which could see the Diggers rise back up the table in 2018. Merimbula are likely to pass their total of 1 win from 2017 as they look to play finals football in 2018.

Players to Watch: Ian Radford, Paul Zellar and Charles Aggenbach.

2018 Prediction: 3rd

Narooma Lions FC

2017 Ladder Position: Runners/Up

Preview: The Lions were super impressive in 2017 making the grand final, only to be defeated by the undefeated Pambula Panthers in the grand final. The Lions will be looking to replicate that form in 2018 although with a couple of key departures along with other club's recruitment, the Lions will need to bring their best week in and week out in 2018.

Players to Watch: Jonathan Taylor, Russell Thompson & Chanse Donohue.

2018 Prediction: 4th

Pambula Panthers FC

2017 Ladder Position: Premiers

Preview: The Panthers have lost some players from their senior side for 2018 and this will impact on their depth in 2018. The Panthers used a number of players in 2017 although the side managed as the only undefeated side of 2017. Chris Clapton led the way for the Panthers in 2017 and will be an important player for Pambula in 2018 again. The Panthers will be super competitive again in 2018 with the side as premiership favourites as the other clubs chase the reigning premiers.

Players to Watch: Chris Clapton, Ethan Adams and Patrick Considine.

2018 Prediction: Premiers

Tathra Sea Eagles FC

2017 Ladder Position: 3rd

Preview: No one could stop the Panthers in 2017, although the Sea Eagles gave it a crack in 2017 with Tathra competing hard against the Panthers as well as the Narooma Lions throughout the 2017 season. The Sea Eagles will be ultra-competitive again in season 2018 with Tathra aiming to knock Pambula off the top in 2018. Craig Matthews was a good addition in 2018 with Wayne Flynn also dominant in the ruck for the side, look for these two to compete well again this season.

Players to Watch: Craig Matthews, Wayne Flynn and Peter Cross.

2018 Prediction: Runners Up



Round 2 Photos of The Week...







MERIMBULA RSL 2018 SENIOR SEASON PREVIEW

Narooma Lions FC

2017 Ladder Position: Runners/Up

Coach: Jason Sauluma



Ins: Mitchell Davies (Pearcedale FC, Vic), Jack Watts (Coleambally FC)

Outs: Luke Wiggins (Newcastle City), Nicholas Carter (Pennant Hills FC)

Preview: The Lions will be looking to overturn last year's grand final loss to Pambula in 2018. Narooma took big strides in 2017 finishing as minor premiers and have gotten 2018 off to a good start playing in the final of the lightning premiership in Eden. There hasn't been a whole lot of change to the Narooma squad with youngsters Luke Wiggins and Nicholas Carter heading off to university. This will open a regular opportunity for the likes of William Hodge and Tyson Mikolic to gain senior football in 2018.

The Lions key pieces remain with the team where Jason Sauluma, Jordan Lang, Tom Clarke and Luke Talty to remain as vital players as the Lions look to break their premiership drought. Simon Mackie is coming off 95 goals in season 2017 and will again be looking to dominate up forward for the Lions.

Narooma could have the services of young gun Jai Reed throughout the season with Reed coming back from a major knee injury in 2017 whilst Jeremy Sly will look to continue his rapid ascent within the competition.

Key Players: Jason Sauluma, Simon Mackie, Jordan Lang & Jeremy Sly.

2018 Prediction: Premiers

Pambula Panthers FC

2017 Ladder Position: Premiers

Coach: Paul Noack



Ins: Harrison Peters (Merimbula FC), Mitchell Wallis (Melville, WA), Jordan Humphreys (Wy Yung FC, Vic)

Outs: Tyson Nunn (Balranald FC, Vic), Aaron Proctor (Ganmain Grong Grong Matong FC), Hamish Wenzel.

Preview: The Panthers will be looking at new combinations in the middle in 2018 with midfielders Aaron Proctor and Tyson Nunn moving on from the club after having a big impact in 2017. Proctor will be sorely missed by the club after claiming the best on ground honours in last season's premiership side. The Panthers will be looking to rotate Charlie Shepherd, Jordan Pilgrim among other through the middle whilst Pilgrim will have less ruck responsibilities in 2018 due to the arrival of big man Harrison Peters.

The Panthers also welcome back local junior Mitchell Wallis who will be a big addition to the side and should also see plenty of time in the middle. Although there have been some changes in Pambula there will be plenty of familiar faces with the likes of Dylan Cook, Jake Taylor, James Wheeler and Steven Butterworth looking to see if they can claim back to back premierships in 2018.

Look for the Panthers to also give opportunities to their promising juniors with the likes of Flynn Cook, Jordan Chapple-Stroud and Kynan Baker to see time with the seniors.

Key Players: Jake Taylor, Stephen Butterworth, Jordan Pilgrim and Charlie Shepherd.

2018 Prediction: 2nd

Tathra Sea Eagles FC

2017 Ladder Position: 3rd

Coach: Kevin May



Ins: Billy Stubbs (Merimbula FC), Marcus Shaw, Nick Lazzaro (Bermagui FC)

Outs: Adam Gartside (West Brunswick, Vic), Jordan Rettke (Wollongong Bulldogs), Nick Forester (Merimbula FC)

Preview: There hasn't been much movement at Lawrence Park in season 2018. The clubs outs in Jordan Rettke and Nick Forester will be replaced with Billy Stubbs and Nick Lazzaro whilst Marcus Shaw will further bolster the clubs forward line which already includes Louis Coulton, Dean Gartside and Troy O'Loughlin. The Sea Eagles finished the 2017 in a disappointing manner against Pambula and the club will be looking to put that behind them as they look to challenge last year's finalists in Pambula and Narooma in 2018.

Youngsters Danyon Pilbeam and Shane Gartside had impressive seasons for the Sea Eagles in 2017 and will be looking to further improve in 2018 to complement the likes of Thomas Lipsham, Chris Dwyer and Richard Spink.

Look for the Sea Eagles to challenge for premiership glory in 2018.

Key Players: Chris Dwyer, Dean Gartside, Thomas Lipsham and Troy O'Loughlin.

2018 Prediction: 3rd

UNDER 16 SEASON PREVIEW

Bermagui Breakers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 5th

Preview: Look for the under 16's competition to be ultra-competitive in season 2018. With Pambula and Merimbula weaker due to age progression, the door is wide open for teams to make a challenge in 2018. The breakers will be led by Jai Curven and Rocco Lagana in season 2018 with the two players set to be big contributors for the side in the middle. The Breakers junior ranks are strong and a number of the team's younger players will be vitally important this year after experiencing under 16's football in 2017. The likes of Ryan Holdsworth, Bill Sutherland and under 14 players Tom O'Meara and Jonathan Harkins-McMahon will look to utilise last years' experience to make an impact on the competition in 2018 which will enable the breakers to challenge for a top 4 position this season. After going winless in 2017 the Breakers are set to turn that around this year.

Players to Watch: Rocco Lagana, Scott Parsons & Jai Curven.

2018 Prediction: 4th

Broulee/Moruya Giants FC

2017 Ladder Position: 3rd

Preview: The Giants surprised many of the under 16's teams last season with the Giants getting better and better as the season progressed. With the like of Will Aiken, Lachlan Brennan and Buster Ware moving up the Giants will be hopeful of maintaining the momentum gained in 2017.

Theodore Turner was highly impressive for the Giants in 2017 kicking 30 goals for the season whilst Stuart McGee, Jack Hirst and Billy Williams will look to dominate in the midfield for the Giants.

With the 16's competition set to be highly competitive in 2018 based off the lightning premierships in Bermagui and Bega, the Giants home field advantage at Kyla Park will be key for the Giants in their run to make the finals.

Players to Watch: Theodore Turner, Jack Hirst & Billy Williams.

2018 Prediction: 5th

Merimbula Diggers FC

2017 Ladder Position: Premiers

Preview: The Diggers have been near unbeatable for the past two seasons and will be looking to make it three straight premierships in 2018. After one loss in round 1 of 2017, the Diggers went the remainder of the season undefeated to claim a second straight premiership.

The Diggers will be without Max Geaghan Lawrence Davis, Billy Stubbs and Cambell Hawkins who all take the step up to senior football in 2018 whilst the Diggers will be without leading goalkicker Doug Stubbs who has made the move to Tathra in 2018.

The Diggers still have plenty of fire power for the 2018 season although the other 5 clubs will be feeling confident as they take on the Diggers in 2018.

Players to Watch: Caleb Higgins, Jedd Martyn and Charlie Buckingham.

2018 Prediction: Premiers

Narooma Lions FC

2017 Ladder Position: 4th

Preview: The youthful Narooma Lions will look to come of age in 2018. The Lions finished fourth last season although early pre-season form shows that the Lions will challenge not only for a top four finish in 2018 but could also go on a deep run in the latter parts of the season. Tyson Mikolic is the only key loss for the Lions in 2018 with the team still with key players in Harrison Bromwich, Thomas Hodge and Rory Spurgeon in the midfield.

The Lions defeated Bermagui and Broulee Moruya at the lightning premiership in Bermagui during the pre-season which puts the Lions in a good position for the 2018 season to defeat local rivals in Bermagui and Broulee Moruya as well as the remaining teams.

Players to Watch: Harrison Bromwich, Rory Spurgeon & Thomas Hodge.

2018 Prediction: 2nd

Pambula Panthers FC

2017 Ladder Position: Runners Up

Preview: The Panthers will look a lot more youthful in 2018 with a number of players moving into senior football in 2018. With the likes of Finley Cooke, Angus Tarpey and Jordan Chapple-Stroud moving into senior football in 2018 the Panthers will be looking towards the likes of Kynan Baker, Flynn Cook and Cooper Noack to take the step up and lead the under 16's side this season.

The Panthers will be looking to overcome the losses into senior football by maintaining their competitiveness in 2018 and challenge for the under 16's premiership in 2018. With the competition wide open look for all 5 other clubs to challenge the Panthers for a top 4 finish.

Players to Watch: Kynan Baker, Flynn Cook and Cooper Noack.

2018 Prediction: 3rd

Tathra Sea Eagles FC

2017 Ladder Position: NA

Preview: It's hard to know how the Sea Eagles will go in season 2018. With the club not entering a team into the grade in 2017, the Sea Eagles will be looking to get off to a good start against Bermagui this weekend. After a hit out in Bega for the junior lightning premiership, the Sea Eagles will be looking to provide Doug Stubbs with plenty of opportunities up forward after the forward bagged plenty of goals for the Diggers under 16's in season 2017.

With the under 16's competition wide open in 2018, the Sea Eagles have the opportunity to make the top four in their first season.

Players to Watch: Doug Stubbs, Zac Harlow and Kamish Hetzel-Threadgate.

2018 Prediction: 6th

UNDER 14 SEASON PREVIEW

Bermagui Breakers FC

2017 Ladder Position: Runners-Up

Preview: It was heartbreak for the Bermagui Breakers in 2017. With the team going through the season undefeated, the Breakers were the hot favourites going into the grand final against the Pambula Panthers where the Breakers were outplayed falling to the Panthers.

Bermagui will be looking to reverse that result this season and are set to once again compete effectively within the age group after maintaining the core members of their squad. With plenty of key players in the midfield in Tom and Matthew O'Meara, Jake Hemsted and players up forward and in the backline in Campbell Moresi, Jonathan Harkins-McMahon and Ryan New the Breakers look to be the team to beat again in season 2018.

With plenty of young players coming through, the likes of Tyge Matters are set to receive increased roles in 2018.

Players to Watch: Jonathan Harkins-McMahon, Tom O'Meara & Matthew O'Meara.

2018 Prediction: Premiers

Bega Bombers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 6th

Preview: The Bombers fought mightily in 2017 although could only muster two wins against the bottom of the table Whalers. The Bombers will be keen to make their way up the table in 2018 and with a number of new players in the squad, it may take a while for the Bombers to gel. Bega's first round match-up against the Giants will be a good test for the side to see if they are contenders or pretenders in their run for a finals spot in 2018. Andrew Tribe along with the Butchers brothers will be important for the Bombers in 2018 although without Khama Geisler in the side, the Bombers will need one of their younger or new players to step up and fill the void left by Geisler.

Players to Watch: Andrew Tribe, Jude Butchers & Jackson Parsons

2018 Prediction: 5th

Broulee/Moruya Giants FC

2017 Ladder Position: 5th

Preview: Broulee/Moruya will have been disappointed with last season's 5th place finish. The Giants were competitive all season although were unable to claim a win against the top four as they lost a number of close games. The 2018 Giants will be looking to reverse their fortunes in 2018 and claim wins in tight games. There were plenty of positive signs for the Giants at the Lightning Premiership comfortably beating Tuggeranong whilst also pushing Bermagui in their two matches.

The standout in Bermagui was Morris Absolon, at full back for the Giants. His intercept marking and ability to use the ball from the back will be vital for the Giants this season. Aiden Preston, Sam Seath and Oliver Dolphin are all shaping up to have good seasons for the club whilst Sebastian Giri is a good pick-up for Giants having been one of Batemans Bay's best players in past seasons.

Players to Watch: Sebastian Giri, Morris Absolon, Aiden Preston & Elijah Turner-Collins.

2018 Prediction: 3rd

Merimbula Diggers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 2nd

Preview: Merimbula were the only side to take points off the Breakers in the regular season last year and will again look to make the top four in 2018. The Diggers struggled in front of goal last season with midfielder Damon Kerr the club's leading goalkicker with 14 goals. If Merimbula are to take the next step in 2018, the Diggers will need to find a key forward to add to their impressive group.

Along with Kerr, Daniel Piccione, Billy Spackman and Noah Overend were the standout performers for the Diggers in 2017 and will again be counted upon to lead the side in 2018 which will see the likes of Blewitt, Miller and Bennett from the under 12's step in to also play important roles for the team.

Players to Watch: Paddy Byrne, Noah Overend, Billy Spackman and Damon Kerr.

2018 Prediction: 4th

Pambula Panthers FC

2017 Ladder Position: Premiers

Preview: After a remarkable premiership win in 2017 over the Bermagui Breakers the Pambula Panthers will be out to show that last year's success wasn't a one-hit wonder. After finishing third, the Panthers went on a great run as the side grew in experience and confidence throughout the finals. The side was well served by William Seach, Billy Cooke and Will Kellar throughout last year's finals series and the three Panthers will be key players for Pambula again in 2018.

Pambula will have their work cut out for them in 2018 as they look to go back to back with the Breakers, Diggers and Giants again looking to challenge although the club will be confident of another deep run into the finals in 2018.

Players to Watch: William Seach, Will Kellar, Jai VanCamp and Billy Cooke.

2018 Prediction: 3rd

Tathra Sea Eagles FC

2017 Ladder Position: NA

Preview: Like in the under 16's, it is hard to know how the Tathra under 14's will go in season 2018 after not being in the grade in 2017, although the youthful Sea Eagles will be looking to surprise the competition in 2018. Tathra have gained Khama Geisler from Bega who will be a key player for the team in 2018 whilst the team will also have the services of Tyra-Lee Palmer and Keegan Burhop as well as youngsters Jardy Palmer, and Tom Barnes.

The season starts on a tough note for Tathra coming up against minor premiers from 2017, Bermagui.

Players to Watch: Jardy Palmer, Khama Geisler and Tyra-Lee Palmer.

2018 Prediction: 6th

UNDER 12 SEASON PREVIEW

Bermagui Breakers FC

2017 Ladder Position: Premiers

Preview: After a dominating season in 2016, the Breakers took a small step back in 2017 until the finals... After finishing the regular season in 3rd position, nothing separated the top 3 in Merimbula, Narooma and Bermagui. After a staggering come from behind win against the Giants, the Breakers were swept aside Merimbula before a gruelling premiership win against the Narooma Lions.

The under 12's competition is shaping up to be one of the closest competitions in the SCAFL in 2018, and it will not be a surprise to see the Breakers once again in the mix for 2018. The team is led by Lachlan Moresi, a hard-nosed midfielder who has the ability to find the football at ease. The team has the supporting cast with Zane Curven showing his value in the ruck in 2017 whilst Clancy Ballard, Anthony Gannon and Harry Huddleston have shown their value in key positions.

Players to Watch: Sam Glasson, Austin McKee, Lachlan Moresi & Edoardo Cementon.

2018 Prediction: 3rd

Bega Bombers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 5th

Preview: It was heart break for the Bombers in 2017. After maintaining their position in the hunt for a finals birth for the majority of the season, Bega slipped in the back end of the season to fall to 5th and miss out on a finals birth. In a competition that is going to be as tight and competitive as in 2017, the Bombers will need to raise their level of play to make their way into the top 4.

With all eight-teams hopeful of a finals birth, Bega will need a good spread of contributors in season 2018 with the likes of Jackson Parsons, Danny Swan, Raphael Turville and Jaiden Deighan-Smith needing to have big seasons again for the Bombers in 2018.

Players to Watch: Olli Broughton, Jackson Parsons, Danny Swan & Darcy Woodley.

2018 Prediction: 5th

Broulee/Moruya Giants FC

2017 Ladder Position: 4th

Preview: The Broulee/Moruya Giants played in one of the most entertaining matches of the season last year against the Breakers in the semi-final although unfortunately for the Giants they were on the wrong side of the ledger.

The Giants had some positive signs at the lightning premiership in Bermagui with a limited side although it looks like the Giants will once again be in a battle for the final finals places in 2018. The Giants had a great record against teams below them on the ladder in 2017 and with Kyla Park being one of the toughest places to play due to travel, the Giants will have all the opportunities to once again finish top four.

Luke Perryman was a star for the Giants in limited games late last season and with his selection in the PSSA South Coast side along with Tasman Simons and Martin Preston, the Giants have a great foundation of players for 2018.

Players to Watch: Luke Perryman, Will Stone, Martin Preston & Tasman Simons.

2018 Prediction: 4th

Eden Whalers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 7th

Preview: After a winless first season in 2016, the Whalers were able to pick up wins against Tathra and Pambula in season 2017. The Whalers were extremely competitive in 2017 with solid matches against premiers Bermagui and the other sides above them on the ladder. Eden were led by Jack Pollock up forward with 14 goals for the season whilst Jemma Pollock and Jai Grant were important for the Whalers in the middle.

For the Whalers to be successful again in 2018 the pollock siblings will need to be on top of their game whilst the likes of Beau Whitford and Rahul Mudaliar will be looking to take their game up a gear to compete with the best players in the competition.

The battle for a top 4 position will be tough in 2018 with nothing separating 3 through 8.

Players to Watch: Jemma Pollock, Beau Whitford & Jack Pollock

2018 Prediction: 7th

Merimbula Diggers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 1st

Preview: It was another disappointing finish to the 2017 season for the Diggers, with Merimbula eliminated in straight sets in 2016 the side was once again swept in 2017 after claiming the 2017 minor premiership. The Diggers will again be highly competitive in season 2018 and will look to reverse their fortunes of years past come finals time. Although the Diggers still need to make the finals in 2018, the Diggers have some of the best players in the competition in Beau Bennett, Walter Blewitt and Tom Miller who have all represented the Sapphire Coast at representative level.

Along with their star players, Merimbula will need to step up in the finals and ensure that they are not over reliant on their star players.

Players to Watch: Walter Blewitt, Beau Bennett & Tom Miller.

2018 Prediction: 2nd

Narooma Lions FC

2017 Ladder Position: Runners/Up

Preview: The Narooma Lions came of age in 2017, after missing the finals in 2016, the Lions made it all the way to the big dance in 2017 losing out to the Bermagui Breakers. The Lions have all the tools to challenge again this season with key players in Logan Allison, Tom Wilson and William Tiffen again on board in 2018.

The Lions have the opportunity to make a statement in round one this season with the side to take on Merimbula which will show the competition how both sides are shaping up in 2018. The Lions were the only team to beat Merimbula in the regular season last year, and with the competitions best ruckman at their disposal in Jarra Weston and a solid lightning premiership in Bermagui the Lions will look to take all before them this season.

Players to Watch: Jarra Weston, Logan Allison & William Tiffen.

2018 Prediction: Premiers

Pambula Panthers FC

2017 Ladder Position: 6th

Preview: It was a tough season for the Pambula in 2017 finishing 6th, claiming just four wins for the season.

2018 could see the Panthers finish anywhere from 3rd to 8th and past seasons have shown that a good start is key to making finals within the grade. With South Coast PSSA representative players Nate Woods and Anthony Seach in the squad, the Panthers have a good opportunity to rise up the ladder in 2018.

Bryce Kellar, Connor Dickson and Fergus Judd will also be key to the Panthers success in 2018 with a good showing from their younger brigade almost certain to see the club rise up the ladder.

Players to Watch: Anthony Seach, Nate Woods, William Clapton and Bryce Kellar.

2018 Prediction: 6th

Tathra Sea Eagles FC

Under 12's

2017 Ladder Position: 8th

Preview: The Tathra Sea Eagles claimed just the one win in their first season in the under 11's in 2017 and the team will be working hard in 2018 to claim more wins and move up the ladder. The Sea Eagles will use the experience gained in 2017 to challenge for a finals place in 2018 with key players like Indiana Cook, Toby Parker and Lochie Ellard to be key contributors for the Sea Eagles again in 2018.

The game against Bermagui in their first game will be key to see where the Sea Eagles are for 2018 whilst home form at Lawrence park will be key to Tathra's success in 2018.

Players to Watch: Indiana Cook, Toby Parker and Jesse Smith.

2018 Prediction: 8th

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GWS Giants Player of the Week...

Stephen Cognilio



Your nickname: Cogs

Favourite player to watch growing up: Rhys Palmer

Who has had the most influence on your career: My family

Toughest individual opponent: Heath Shaw

Player most likely to fall asleep in a team meeting: Will Hoskin-Elliott

Thriftiest player at your club: Jono O'Rourke

The next big thing at your club: G-Man

The smartest thing you have been told: "Cactus is an animal" – Jon Patton

If you could be anywhere in the world right now, where would you be: The Island

Do you have any strange phobias: Volume has to be on an even number

Your can't-miss TV shows: EPL Wrap

Your favourite cartoon as a kid: Bill and Ben the Flower Pot Men

If you had to choose another career, what would it be: Lotto Winner

What do you normally eat for breakfast: Contested football

Your favourite holiday destination: Barcelona

In the movie of your life, you'd be played by: Romeo Beckham

What are your three essential items: Jocks, Socks, Passport

Most useless thing you have bought: Dishwashing tablet for Jon Patton

Best subject at school: Spelling

Which big ticket sporting event would you love to attend: Champions League Final

What was your junior club? Upper Swan/La Salle JFC

What was your senior club? Swan Districts FC

What other sports did you play growing up? Cricket

What's your favourite sport apart from AFL? Cricket

Did you participate in Auskick or VicKick as a kid? No



Round 3 Fixtures...

Seniors

Eden v Narooma (Dickinson Oval) 2:30pm

Tathra v Pambula (Lawrence Park) 2:30pm

Merimbula- Bye

Women's

BrouleeMoruya v Narooma (Kyla Park) 1:10pm

Bermagui v Merimbula (Dickinson Oval) 1:10pm

Tathra v Pambula (Lawrence Park) 1:10pm

Eden v Bega (Eden Football Ground) 11:30am

Reserves

BrouleeMoruya v Narooma (Kyla Park) 11:50am

Tathra v Pambula (Lawrence Park) 11:50am

Merimbula- Bye

Under 16's

BrouleeMoruya v Narooma (Kyla Park) 10:30am

Bermagui v Merimbula (Dickinson Oval) 11:50am

Tathra v Pambula (Lawrence Park) 10:30am

Under 14's

Bermagui v Merimbula (Dickinson Oval) 10:30am

Tathra v Pambula (Lawrence Park) 9:10am

BrouleeMoruya v Bega (Kyla Park) 2:30pm

Under 12's

Eden v Bega (Eden Football Ground) 10:00am

BrouleeMoruya v Narooma (Kyla Park) 9:10am

Bermagui v Merimbula (Dickinson Oval) 9:10am

Tathra v Pambula (Lawrence Park) 8:00am

Round 3 Preview

Eden v Narooma

It was a tough start to Narooma's season last weekend with the Lions falling to the Diggers in their first game of the season. The Lions only lost one regular season game last season and Narooma will be looking to bounce back against a winless Eden team. After two tough losses, Eden will be looking to put together a four quarter performance and challenge the Lions for four quarters. **Player to Watch: Tim Wong, The Whaler has been in an under for the first two games of the season.**

Prediction: Narooma by 30 points.

Tathra v Pambula

This weekend sees a battle between the top two sides. Pambula have had two solid wins against a much improved Merimbula side whilst also beating Eden on home soil. Coming off the bye, the Sea Eagles will be fresh to take on the ladder leaders and home ground advantage at Lawrence Park will be huge with Pambula preferring the bigger grounds. This match will show who will challenge come finals time in 2018. **Player to Watch: Sean Smith, The experienced Panther leads the goal kicking race after two rounds and has looked extremely dangerous inside the forward 50 in 2018. Prediction: Pambula by 15 points.**

Women's

The Whalers take on Bega this weekend at home and it should be a straight forward four points for the girls in red and white. Four points against a weakened Pambula due to groovin the moo has Eden full of confidence whilst Bega come into this weekends match off the back of a loss against the Giants. Bega were competitive for 3 quarters last weekend although it will be a tougher game this weekend. After a tough loss last weekend against Eden, it doesn't get much easier for Pambula who take on Tathra this weekend. After finishing third in 2017 the Panthers could be 0-2 to start the season after Tathra had a solid win last weekend. Bermagui host Merimbula this weekend and an early win for either side will give the winner a huge boost of confidence that they can play finals football in 2018. Up north the Giants host Narooma in what could be the game of the round. Both sides come into round 3 off the back of a round 2 win and bragging rights for the two northern clubs is up for grabs. **Player to Watch: Hayley Spink, The Whaler spent the majority of last week-ends game in the middle and was one of Edens best in their win against Pambula. Prediction: Bermagui, Narooma, Tathra & Eden.**

Round 3 Fixtures...

Round 3 Preview

Under 16's

The Lions were extremely impressive last weekend and will be looking to back up win number one with another solid performance against the Giants. With a number of key players away for the Giants in their first game this match is shaping up to be a battle between the two northern sides and could come down to the wire. Bermagui will be looking for win number one this weekend as they take on Merimbula who is also winless in 2018. Both teams will be looking to play finals in 2018 and will have a chance to make up ground with Tathra hosting Pambula after wins in round 2. The Sea Eagles will be able to measure themselves against the league leaders this weekend after Pambula were much too strong for an undermanned Giants side last weekend. **Player to Watch: Harrison Bromwich, the Narooma speedster was best on for Narooma last weekend in a solid start for the Lions in their win. Prediction: Merimbula, Narooma & Pambula.**

Under 14's

2017 Premiers, Pambula got off to a great season in 2018. The Panthers got off to a great start last weekend kicking 13 goals to 1 in the first three quarters and the Panthers will be looking to do the same again this weekend against Tathra. The Sea Eagles have a tough start to the season coming up against last years two grand finalists and will be looking to take it to Pambula this weekend. The Diggers will be looking to bounce back this weekend against Bermagui. The Diggers were much improved in last weekends fourth quarter and will be looking to carry that momentum into this weekends match. The Breakers bounced back from last years grand final with a solid win against Tathra. The Giants were too good for Bega last weekend in Bega after a solid pre-season and the Giants will host the Bombers this week. After missing the four in 2017, the Giants have gotten their season off to a good start and will be looking to make it better this weekend. **Player to Watch: Jai Van Camp, The Panther kicked 5 last weekend in Pambula's win and was amongst the teams best in their big win. Prediction: Bermagui, Pambula & Giants.**

Under 12's

It was a great start to the under 12's season in Round 2 with some classic games along with some upsets for the round. Merimbula and Narooma look like they will be tough to beat again in 2018 as they played out another classic game. After a one point win last weekend the Diggers have another important match this weekend against the 2017 premiers in Bermagui in what could be another classic contest. The Sea Eagles were highly competitive for 3 quarters against bermagui last weekend and will be confident against Pambula this weekend who are also coming off a loss to rivals Eden. In what could already be an important game, look for this to be another entertaining contest. The Whalers and Bombers were impressive last weekend and take on each other this weekend. Both teams are looking at a top 4 place after their week one wins and homeground advantage could be important. Two wins to start the season would help either side take big strides towards a top four spot. In the final match the Lions will be looking for four points against the Giants. Last years finalists will be looking to get back on track against the Giants who competed hard for three quarters against Bega in last weekends contest. **Player to Watch: Brett Evans, Last year was Bermagui's full back although made an impact up forward last weekend for the Breakers kicking two goals for the reigning premiers. Prediction: Narooma, Merimbula, Tathra & Eden.**

SCAFL PREMIERS (Seniors)

1984- Pambula FC	1993- Tathra FC	2002- Marllins FC	2011- Tathra FC
1985- Narooma FC	1994- Marllins FC	2003- Tathra FC	2012- Tathra FC
1986- Narooma FC	1995- Diggers FC	2004- Batemans Bay FC	2013- Tathra FC
1987- Marllins FC	1996- Tathra FC	2005- Tathra FC	2014- Pambula FC
1988- Tathra FC	1997- Diggers FC	2006- Pambula FC	2015- Pambula FC
1989- Marllins FC	1998- Diggers FC	2007- Batemans Bay FC	2016- Tathra/Bega FC
1990- Marllins FC	1999- Marllins FC	2008- Batemans Bay FC	2017- Pambula FC
1991- Tathra FC	2000- Marllins FC	2009- Diggers FC	
1992- Batemans Bay FC	2001- Batemans Bay FC	2010- Tathra FC	

SCAFL PREMIERS (Reserves/ Development)

1984- Diggers FC	1993- Unknown	2002- Batemans Bay FC	2011- Batemans Bay FC
1985- Diggers FC	1994- Pambula FC	2003- Diggers FC	2012- Diggers FC
1986- Narooma FC	1995- Diggers FC	2004- Batemans Bay FC	2013- Tathra FC
1987- Diggers FC	1996- Diggers FC	2005- Tathra FC	2014- Pambula FC
1988- Diggers FC	1997- Batemans Bay FC	2006- Tathra FC	2015- Eden FC
1989- Diggers FC	1998- Diggers FC	2007- Bermagui FC	2016- Tathra/Bega FC
1990- Batemans Bay FC	1999- Diggers FC	2008- Bermagui FC	2017- Pambula FC
1991- Narooma FC	2000- Eden FC	2009- Batemans Bay FC	
1992- Unknow	2001- Unknown	2010- Batemans Bay FC	

SCAFL PREMIERS (Women's/ Juniors)

Women's	Under 17-16	Under 14/13	Under 12/11
2016- Eden FC	1984- Joeys FC	1994- Marllins FC	2008- Diggers FC
2017- Eden FC	1985- Diggers FC	1995- Marllins FC	2009- Diggers FC
	1986- Mallacoota FC	1998- Diggers FC	2010- Pambula FC
	1987- Tathra FC	1999- Marllins FC	2011- Pambula FC
	1988- Tathra FC	2000- Marllins FC	2012- Diggers FC
	1989- Batemans Bay FC	2008- Pambula FC	2013- Diggers FC
	1991- Wyndham FC	2010- Diggers FC	2014- Not Contested
	1994- Marllins FC	2011- Diggers FC	2015- Pambula FC
	1998- Marllins FC	2012- Pambula FC	2016- Bermagui FC
	1999- Panthers FC	2013- Diggers FC	2017- Bermagui FC
	2000- Diggers FC	2014- Pambula FC	
	2002- Diggers FC	2015- Diggers FC	
	2008- Tathra FC	2016- Bermagui FC	
	2010- Batemans Bay FC	2017 Pambula FC	
	2011- Diggers FC		
	2012- Diggers FC		
	2013- Not Contested		
	2014- Narooma FC		
	2015- Narooma FC		
	2016- Diggers FC		
	2017- Diggers FC		

SCAFL Best & Fairest (Seniors)

1984- B. Day (Nar)	1994- J. Wallis (Marlins)	2002- G. Regan (Dig)	2012- T. Rosevear (BBay)
1985- R. McNeil (Dig)	1995- S. Art (BBay)	2003- R. Holmes (Eden)	2013- J. Ainsworth (Tath)
1986- T. Luscombe (Wyn)	1996- B. White (BBay) & P. Holdsworth (Tath)	2004- C. Fosternally (Nar) & G. Regan (Dig)	2014- A. Proctor (Pam)
1987- P. Holdsworth(Tath)	1997- S. Ockwell (Dig)	2005- L. Moresi (Nar)	2015- S. Proctor (Pam)
1988- S. Brown (Tath)	1998- D. O'Donnell (Mar)	2006- L. Moresi (Nar)	2016- S. Proctor (Pam)
1989- S. Larkin (Dig)	1999- D. Reid (Dig)	2007- M. Cleary (Nar)	2017- J. Lang (Nar)
1990- S. Larkin (Dig)	2000- J. Hetherington (Tath)	2008- D. Little (Tath)	
1991- M. Hoppe (Eden)	2001- G. Regan (Dig)	2009- D. Little (Tath)	
1992- P. Holdsworth (Tath)		2010- J. Sauluma (Nar)	
1993- J. Reed (Nar)		2011- L. Moresi (Berm)	

SCAFL Best & Fairest (Reserves/Development)

1984- Unknown	1993- Unknown	2002- S. Moore (BBay)	2010- D. Skuta (Pam)
1985- Unknown	1994- R. Robesco (Marlins)	2003- M. Cincotta (Pam), J. Holley (Digg) & W. Vanderzwaag (BBay)	2011- A. Crossman (Pam)
1986- Unknown	1995- Unknown	2004- C. Russell (Tath)	2012- J. Kemp (BBay)
1987- Unknown	1996- Unknown	2005- C. Russell (Tath)	2013- T. O'Loghlin (Tath)
1988- B. Drury (Nar)	1997- Unknown	2006- A. Blacka (Tath)	2014- S. Baggett (Digg)
1989- Unknown	1998- Unknown	2007- D. White (BBay)	2015- L. Wilkinson (Eden)
1990- Unknown	1999- S. Byrne (Digg)	2008- R. Thompson (Berm)	2016- A. Postance (Digg)
1991- Unknown	2000- P. Peniai (Eden)	2009- D. Skuta (Pam)	2017- T. Keath (Pam)
1992- Unknown	2001- Unknown		

SCAFL Best & Fairest (Women's & Juniors)

Women's	U17/16	U14/13	U12/11
2016- T. Thelan (Tath)	2002- D. Feltis (Digg)	2002- D. Worden (Digg)	2002- Not Awarded
2017- M. Whatman (Pam)	2003- A. Blacka (Tath) & J. Kemp (BBay)	2003- P. Franchi (Pam)	2003- D. Cincotta (Pam)
	2004- S. Everington (Eden) & A. Nusbaum (Digg)	2004- P. Franchi (Pam)	2004- B. Mumme (Nar)
	2005- N. Mitchell (Eden)	2005- A. Cincotta (Pam)	2005- S. Proctor (Pam)
	2006- J. Anderson-McDonald (Tath)	2006- M. May (Tath)	2006- J. Clothier (Pam)
	2007- L. Wilkinson (Eden)	2007- S. Martyn (Digg)	2007- J. Burch (Digg)
	2008 J. Ainsworth (Tath) & H. Nichols (Pam)	2008- M. May (Tath)	2008- C. McLennan (Berm) & J. Clothier (Nar)
	2009- J. Ainsworth (Tath)	2009- A. Sargent (Digg)	2009- B. Lagana (Berm)
	2010- M. Favetta (BBay)	2010- Z. Burhop (Tath)	2010- H. Wenzcel (Pam)
	2011- J. Rettke (Tath) & N. Broad-McGregor (BBay)	2011- L. Kingston (Berm)	2011- W. Beaumont (Digg)
	2012- J. Thompson (BBay)	2012- Z. Cowley-Hilton (Nar)	2012- W. Regan (Digg)
	2013- Not Awarded	2013- D. Jordan (Digg)	2013- K. Baker (Pam)
	2014- Z. Wilson (Nar)	2014- B. Stubbs (Digg)	2014- Not Awarded
	2015- J. Reed (Nar)	2015- T. Hodge (Nar)	2015- K. Carlson (Nar) & W. Seach (Pam)
	2016- J. Reed (Nar)	2017- W. Seach (Pam)	2016- W. Kellar (Pam)
	2017- J. Martyn (Digg)		2017- B. Bennett (Digg)

SCAFL Leading Goal Kicker (Seniors)

1984- P. O'Neill (Pam), 79G	1993- A. Clothier (nar), 160G	2002- B. Morton (BBay), 76G	2011- R. O'Loughlin (Tath), 89G
1985- G. Bennett (Ede), 74G	1994- R. Storck (Mar), 122G	2003- L. Ellis (Eden), 76G	2012- M. Shaw (Berm), 51G
1986- B. Northwood (Nar), 162G	1995- R. Storck (Mar), 104G	2004- G. Burton (Digg) & C. Cole (Pam), 60G	2013- M. May, Tath), 140G
1987- A. Arundel (Dig), 35G	1996- R. Storck (Tath), 150G	2005- A. Browne (Tath), 75G	2014- T. Hammond (Pam), 55G
1988- D. Turvey (Nar), 152G	1997- P. Goetz (Pam), 87G	2006- A. Browne, Tath), 60G	2015- T. Hammond (Pam), 81G
1989- R. Nelson (Pam), 151G	1998- G. Burton (Digg), 119G	2007- D. Vanderfeen (BBay), 42G	2016- A. Blacka (Tath/Bega), 100G
1990- L. Gundy (Dig), 152G	1999- A. Kenny (Mar), 118G	2008- B. Hall (BBay), 93G	2017- S. Mackie (Nar), 95G
1991- A. Alderton (Pam) 112G	2000- A. Kenny (Mar), 90G	2009- B. Hall (BBay), 67G	
1992- A. Wilcock (BBay), 111G	2001- T. Goldspink (Pam), 59G	2010- R. O'Loughlin (Tath), 73G	

SCAFL Leading Goal Kicker (Reserves/Development)

1984- Unknown	1994- C. O'Sullivan (Wyn), 81G	2002- I. Macaulay (BBay), 44G	2012- G. Burton (Digg)
1985- Unknown		2003- K. May (Tath), 19G	2013- B. Colligan (Tath)
1986- Unknown	1995- A. Ganderton (Tat), 71G	2004- K. May (Tath)	2014- M. Revington (Pam), 17G
1987- Unknown	1996- D. Hof (Digg), 63G	2005- D. Carroll (Tath), 48G	2015- L. Wilkinson (Eden), 34G
1988- Unknown	1997- Unknown	2006- I. Franchi (Pam)	2016- R. Woods (Tath/Bega), 19G
1989- Unknown	1998- Unknown	2007- J. Chandler (Digg)	2017- I. Smith (Pam), 29G
1990- Unknown	1999- D. Duguid Snr (Marl), 33G	2008- P. Lazzero (Berm)	
1991- Unknown	2000- J. Ralph (Eden), 53G	2009- M. Revington (Pam), 36G	
1992- Unknown	2001- P. Walsh (BBay), 36G	2010- C. Cole (Pam), 20G	
1993- Unknown		2011- J. Kemp (BBay)	

SCAFL Leading Goal Kicker (Women's/Juniors)

Women's	U17/16	U14/13	U12/11
2016- S. Duivestyne (Eden), 23G	2000- M. Shearer (Eden), 38G	2000- K. Lukassen (Mar), 17G	2003- A. Van Den Berg (Tath), 22G
2017- K. Grubescic (Eden), 45G	2001- K. Fowler (Nar), 97G	2001- D. Nixon (Eden), 50G	2004- A. Van Den Berg (Tath)
	2002- S. Murphy (Digg), 41G	2002- D. Granger (Eden), 50G	2005- D. Cincotta (Pam), 64G
	2003- R. Bennett (Digg), 61G	2003- A. Cincotta (Pam), 64G	2006- S. Hodges (Tath)
	2004- S. Everington (Eden)	2004- A. Cincotta (Pam)	2007- S. Kennedy (Marl)
	2005- L. Stevens (Eden), 75G	2005- A. Cincotta (Pam), 84G	2008- B. Lagana (Berm)
	2006- A. Cincotta (Pam)	2006- A. Nelson (Pam)	2009- H. Wenzel (Pam), 26G
	2007- M. Spivey (Eden)	2007- A. Van Den Berg (Tath)	2010- H. Beaumont (Digg) & J. Taylor (Nar)
	2008- W. Pope (Tath)	2008- C. Shepherd (Pam)	2011- C. Hawkins (Digg)
	2009- C. Shepherd (Pam), 25G	2009- T. Hammond (Pam), 38G	2012- C. Hawkins (Digg)
	2010- L. Talty (Nar), 41G	2010- Z. Burhop (Tath), 31G	2013- L. Russell (Berm)
	2011- T. Burch (Digg)	2011- J. Simpson (Digg)	2014- Not Awarded
	2012- C. Hall (BBay)	2012- J. McDonald (Digg)	2015- C. Moresi (Berm), 15G
	2013- Not Awarded	2013- L. Wiggins (Nar)	2016- C. Moresi (Berm), 25G
	2014- T. Hammond (Dig), 33G	2014- D. Egan (Pam), 35G	2017- T. Simons (Brou/Mor), 31G
	2015- J. Reed (Nar), 56G	2015- R. Lagana (Berm), 46G	
	2016- J. Martyn (Digg), 23G	2016- J. Mikolic (Nar), 24G	
	2017- F. Cook (Pam), 28G	2017- W. Kellar (Pam), 31G	

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SCAFL Additional Awards

Club Championship	2011- Batemans Bay FC	Club Administration	2010- Narooma FC
1994- Merimbula Marlins	2012- Batemans Bay FC	2000- Eden FC	2011- Pambula FC
2002- Merimbula Diggers	2013- Tathra FC	2001- Unknown	2012- Not Awarded
2003- Merimbula Diggers	2014- Pambula FC	2002- Merimbula Marlins	2013- Not Awarded
2004- Tathra FC	2015- Pambula FC	2003- Merimbula Diggers	2014- Bermagui FC
2005- Tathra FC	2016- Pambula FC	2004- Tathra FC	2015- Not Awarded
2006- Tathra FC	2017- Narooma FC	2005- Pambula FC	2016- Merimbula Diggers
2007- Tathra FC		2006- Unknown	2017- Merimbula Diggers
2008- Pambula FC		2007- Merimbula Diggers	
2009- Merimbula Diggers		2008- Batemans Bay FC	
2010- Pambula FC		2009- Bermagui FC	

SCAFL Additional Awards

Rookie of the Year	2008- B. Jabornik (Pam)	Senior Coach of the Year	Junior Coach of the Year
1994- D. Little (Tath)	2009- N. Swiridiuk (Eden)	2000- G. McBain (Digg)	2003- P.McCulloch (Nar)
1999- N. Reid (Nar)	2010- H. Nichols (Pam)	2001- Unknown	2004- P. Kirkby (Eden)
2000- Unknown	2011- J. Clothier (Nar)	2002- M. Pilbeam (Tath)	2005- K. May (Tath)
2001- Unknown	2012- J. Rettke (Tath)	2003- S. Crowe (Eden)	2006- Unknown
2002- B. Searle (Pam)	2013- J. Meaker (Tath)	2004- D. Ferguson (Pam)	2007- D. Jackson (Berm)
2003- L. Mundy (Tath)	2014- D. Leahy (Bega)	2005- P. Stokes (Nar)	2008- B. Colligan (Tath)
2004- T. Wollaston (Digg)	2015- K. Evans (Bega)	2006- Unknown	2009- C. O'Sullivan (Pam)
2005- T. O'Loghlin (Tath)	2016- S. Hodge (Nar)	2007- S. Gross (Nar)	2010- M. Proctor (Pam)
2006- Unknown	2017- S. Butterfield (Pam)	2008- L. Miles (Pam)	2011- D. White (BBay)
2007- D. Worden (Digg)		2009- D. Edwards (Digg)	2012- T. Stewart (Pam)
		2010- B. McBain (Tath)	2013- M. Clothier (Nar)
		2011- D. Beaumont (Digg)	2014- D. Martyn (Digg)
		2012- P. Summerfield (Ber)	2015- D. Martyn (Digg)
		2013- L. Taylor (Tath)	2016- D. Martyn (Digg)
		2014- B. Ohlin (Berm)	2017- D. Edwards (Digg)
		2015- S. Smith (Pam)	
		2016- B. McBain (Tath/Bega)	
		2017- M. Clothier (Nar)	

SCAFL Additional Awards

Golden Whistle (Field)	Silver Whistle (Boundary)	Flags Award (Goals)	Volunteer of the Year
2013- A. Lamb	2013- J. Hammond	2013- R. Fell	2015- K. Scott (Berm)
2014- R. Shaw	2014- R. Shaw	2014- G. Wollaston	2016- L. Moresi (Berm)
2015- B. Ingwersen	2015- J. Scott	2015- G. Wollaston	2017- A. Crowe (Eden)
2016- J. Combe	2016- A. Holka	2016- G. Wollaston	
2017- R.Shaw	2017- Z. Betts	2017- G. Wollaston	

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