

Premium Sporting Products

2016 BATTLEWIN PREMIER LEAGUE ROUND 16 (31 JULY)

FIRST GRADE SCORES

AVOCA	2	GOSFORD CITY	2
KILLARNEY DISTRICT	3	UMINA	0
TERRIGAL	3	BERKELEY VALE	2
TOUKLEY	6	WYOMING	2
THE ENTRANCE	2	SOUTHERN-ETTALONG	1

SUMMARY

- Killarney District has taken out the 2016 BPL league championship in emphatic style with three rounds to spare. The Terriers now have 43 points from a possible 45 and are on target to repeat their 2013 achievement of going through the competition proper without a loss. Toukley have held on to second place with a big win over Wyoming and with Gosford City dropping points against Avoca. Losses to both Umina and Wyoming have almost certainly sealed the fate of the Premier League's two most dominant clubs.
- The Division One league championship has also been decided with East Gosford maintaining their perfect record with a 17th straight win. The Rams have totally dominated the second-tier competition with their Reserve Grade team also undefeated (16 wins and one draw). The battle for the second promotion spot looks like being fought out by Kincumber and Kanwal with the two teams meeting next Sunday.

AVOCA vs GOSFORD CITY

- Avoca have continued their impressive second half of the season and stayed in semi-final contention with a 2-2 draw against Gosford City at Erina High School. The Sharks stunned the visitors with two goals in the first 12 minutes through Oliver Twyford and Liam Collins. Gosford hit back with Adam Woodbine scoring his 10th goal of the season midway through the first half. The momentum looked to have swung the Dragons way when they Woodbine scored again in the 60th minute but the Avoca defence held out for a vital point.
- Avoca can move into fifth place with a win over Wyoming in their Wednesday night match at Pluim Park before a crucial away game against The Entrance next Sunday. Gosford City also play on Wednesday night, against Berkeley Vale at Mingara, followed by a meeting with Umina at Umina Oval.

UMINA vs KILLARNEY DISTRICT

- With the prize of the club's second league championship in sight Killarney were never going to take this match for granted despite the two clubs being so far apart on the competition table. Todd Leach gave the Terriers the lead in the 25th minute but the result was in the balance until midway through the second half when Tim Knight doubled the margin before the same player's 18th goal of the season sealed the 3-0 win, and the title, with ten minutes to play.

- Umina's slim hopes of avoiding relegation from Premier League for the first time in the club's history now rest on next week's clash against Gosford City at Gavenlock Oval. Killarney will be back at home for what could be a major semi-final preview against second-placed Toukley. The League Championship trophy presentation will be made following the game.

TERRIGAL vs BERKELEY VALE

- Terrigal have consolidated their hold on fourth-place and opened up a four-point gap over fifth with a hard-fought 3-2 win over a nine-man Berkeley Vale team at Duffys Oval. Goals early in each half proved decisive with Jayden Priest and Alex Arbelo each scoring for Terrigal. In between Berkeley Vale equalised through Brodie Knowles. A penalty to Terrigal's Erik Requelme extended the home team's lead to 3-1. Late red cards to both Pat Dalton and Troy Mumford effectively end the Wombats chances although they did pull a goal back with a penalty to Ashley Henderson.
- The suspensions of such important players will make Berkeley Vale's task of defeating Gosford City at the Mingara Club Oval on Wednesday night. With a six-point buffer over Wyoming and a significantly better goal-difference the odds of them being relegated are remote. They then back up against SEU on Sunday. Terrigal can close in on the club's first finals appearance since 2001 with a win over Wyoming at Alan Davidson Park.

TOUKLEY vs WYOMING

- Toukley have bounced back from back-to-back losses with a dominant 6-2 win over Wyoming at Harry Moore Oval. The Gunners had the match under control at the break with a brace to Brenton Westley in the first 20 minutes and a goal to Mitch Harper. Second-half goals to Will Haines, Jai Kelly and Brett Cowling double the lead before two late consolation goals to Anthony Skinner (penalty) and Matthew Gravas saved some of embarrassment for Wyoming.
- Toukley's brilliant start to the season was ended by Killarney in the first round and the Gunners will be looking for revenge when they meet the league champions next Sunday at EDSACC North in a match that will be vital to their hopes of taking second place. Wyoming's Premier League fate will likely be decided in the next seven days with tough matches against Avoca on Wednesday night and at home to Terrigal next Sunday. Anything but two wins will see the Tigers relegated for just the second time since joining the senior competition in 1975.

SOUTHERN & ETTALONG UNITED vs THE ENTRANCE

- The Entrance have come from a goal down to defeat Southern-Ettalong 2-1 in a clutch match between two of the semi-finals contenders at James Browne Oval. A brilliant 25-metre strike in the 35th minute by Matt Mitchell gave the Lions the lead but the match was effectively decided by two goals within a five-minute period early in the second half to the defending premiers, the first by Tyson Adams and the second by Matt Kenny.
- The result saw The Entrance leap-frog SEU into fifth place and within four points of Terrigal. They have another crucial match against Avoca next Sunday at Pat Morley Oval before meeting Wyoming and Umina in their final two matches and will probably need all nine points to have any chance of defending their back-to-back premierships. SEU have an even tougher task, sitting a point behind The Entrance and with games against Berkeley Vale, Gosford and Terrigal.

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	<i>P</i>	<i>W</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>L</i>	<i>GF</i>	<i>GA</i>	<i>GD</i>	<i>PTS</i>
KILLARNEY DISTRICT	15	14	1	0	50	16	34	43
TOUKLEY	15	10	1	4	42	24	18	31
GOSFORD CITY	14	8	3	3	36	24	12	27
TERRIGAL	15	8	1	6	39	40	-1	25
SOUTHERN-ETTALONG	15	6	2	7	26	24	2	20
THE ENTRANCE	15	6	3	6	33	35	-2	21
AVOCA	14	5	2	6	23	23	0	18
BERKELEY VALE	14	4	0	10	20	32	-12	12
UMINA	15	2	1	12	18	45	-27	7
WYOMING	14	1	3	10	19	43	-24	6

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18	Tim Knight (Killarney District)
16	Jai Kelly (Toukley)
11	Adam Woodbine (Gosford City)
9	James Caban (Southern-Ettalong), Todd Leach (Killarney District), Josh Schumann (Gosford City)
8	Fergus Worrall (Terrigal)
7	Alex Arbello (Terrigal), Will Haines (Toukley), Matt Kenny (The Entrance), Erik Requelme (Terrigal)
6	Zac Anastas (The Entrance), Matt Hall (Killarney District), Troy Runge (Toukley), Ben Scully-Hawkins (Umina),
5	Tyson Adams (The Entrance), Matt Hall (Gosford City), Anthony Pace (Terrigal), Daniel Rodger (Killarney District), Ben Runge (The Entrance)

UPCOMING BPL MATCHES

WEDNESDAY 3 AUGUST

AVOCA	vs	WYOMING	Pluim Park 1
BERKELEY VALE	vs	GOSFORD CITY	Mingara Sports Field

SUNDAY 7 AUGUST

BERKELEY VALE	vs	SOUTHERN-ETTALONG	Mingara Sports Field
GOSFORD CITY	vs	UMINA	Gavenlock Oval
THE ENTRANCE	vs	AVOCA	Pat Morley Oval
KILLARNEY DISTRICT	vs	TOUKLEY	EDSACC North
WYOMING	vs	TERRIGAL	Alan Davidson Park

MENS DIVISION ONE RESULTS			
KANWAL	14	WOONGARRAH	0
KINCUMBER	1	DOYALSON	0
KARIONG	4	BUDGEWOI	3
EAST GOSFORD	7	WYONG	0
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TUGGERAH		Bye	

SEA-FM WOMENS LEAGUE RESULTS			
EAST GOSFORD	3	TERRIGAL	1
GOSFORD CITY	2	UMINA	1
KILLARNEY DISTRICT	1	THE ENTRANCE	0

WOMENS DIVISION ONE RESULTS			
KINCUMBER	3	WYOMING	1
KARIONG	1	AVOCA	0
WOONGARRAH	5	KANWAL	2