Sports World

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NIKAS & BAKIS SHOW!

Isn't it ironic that the Greek boys ALWAYS step up a notch when they play Sydney Olympic!

This time it was the Panagioti Nikas and Jim Bakis show...

Leaving Sydney Olympic to just be hanging onto fifth spot after an abysmal 4-1 loss at home against the Sutherland Sharks.

Goals from Panagioti Nikas and Jim Bakis sent the Sharks ahead 2-1 after just 20 minutes. Brad Boardman chipped in one-minute later, before 'Man of the Match' Nikas scored his second of the afternoon.

The game was all over at half time.

Based on Olympic's ordinary effort, I dread to think what's in store for them tommorrow night against a red-hot Marconi outfit!

Olympic continues to haemorrage at the back- having conceded 22 goals so far compared to Marconi's 9 goals.

BERRIES, WOLVES OR EAGLES HEADED FOR RELEGATION!

In 2007, the West Sydney Berries became the FIRST club in history to be promoted by Football NSW from DIVISION ONE to the NSW PREMIER LEAGUE.

The Berries beat 22 other applicants for the vacant spot, including several Super League teams.

Football NSW took a huge gamble in promoting the Berries, but that gamble

Panagioti Nikas

proved a winner for the state body.

In 2008, the Berries were a breath of fresh air for the league- causing many BIG BOILOVERS, including the big scalps of Sydney Olympic in the opening round and also the likes of Marconi along the way in a most memorable and enjoyable debut season.

Football NSW would have felt vindicated with its decision.

2009 however is a vastly different affair.

The Berries remain one of THE WORST teams in the league and remain in contention for relegation- along with Wollongong FC and the Bonnyrigg White Eagles.

These three clubs occupy the bottom three spots of the Club Championship ladder and have nothing else to look

forward to in 2009 other than sorting out just which one of them will be headed for the Super League in 2010!

EAGLES vs BERRIES

With relegation fears hanging over their heads, how important is tomorrow night's clash between the Bonnyrigg White Eagles and the West Sydney Berries?

Neither club can afford to let the other get away and with crucial points up for grabs, the Bonnyrigg Sports Club will not be a place for the faint-hearted.

SUPER LEAGUE...

The Parramatta Eagles (19pts) and

Macarthur Rams (17pts) coninue to set a cracking pace in the Super League- and after eight rounds played, it's looking as though one of them will be headed for the NSW Premier League in 2010.

STANMORE HAWKS?

The Stanmore Hawks recorded their third win of the season against Hurstville ZSC (2-0) and moved a step closer to the "Top 5" in the First Division.

MINOTAURS?

As for the Hurstville City Minotaurs (7pts) in Division Two, they look to have their work cut out catching current leaders Prospect United (16pts), even though they did hold Prospect to a 1-1 draw last weekend.

BETEZY BET OF THE WEEK

Hi Punters,

Last Saturday was a very hard day to win punting but this week I am really confident about making a down payment on my kids' private school fees as they are overdue.

Suggested bets :

Bris race 2 no 2 Sarge n charge.
Bris R 8 NO 2 Royal Discretion
Melb r 5 no 7 Commanding Hope way down in class *** will win ***
Syd r5 no 5 Angels Breath
Syd r 6 no 2 Prince Arthur

Sports bet this week England to win the second test against West Indies at even money (better than bank interest).

Happy punting
the scotsman.

ERREA TIPPING COMPETITION

	Αλιφέρης Γιώργος	Κονιστής Λάκης	Αυγερινός Δημήτρης	Σταυρουλάκης Μανόλης	Σταυρουλάκης Γιώργος	Νικολάου Παναγιώτης	Το πουλί
Σίδνεϊ Γιουνάιτεντ-Μένλι	X	1	X	1	1	X	2
Σάθερλαντ-Πένριθ	1	1	1	1	1	1	X
Μπόνιριγκ-Γουέστ Σίδνεϊ Μπέρις	X	1	1	1	1	X	2
Μαρκόνι-Σίδνεϊ Ολύμπικ	2	1	2	1	1	1	X
Γούλονγκονγκ-Σίδνεϊ Τάιγκερς	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Μπανκστάουν-Μπλακτάουν	1	1	1	1	1	1	X
ΒΑΘΜΟΙ	26	28	29	26	29	21	24