

ROUND 23 PREVIEW NPL 3 NSW MEN'S

Some mouth-watering fixtures await us as we preview all the action coming our way ahead of round 23 of the National Premier Leagues 3 NSW Men's competition.

Hawkesbury City FC welcome Gladesville Ryde Magic to David Bertenshaw Field on Saturday night for the usual 5:30pm kick off.

A win over near rivals on the table, Parramatta FC last round has given Hawkesbury some breathing space from the teams below them as they look to pave the way for a top ten finish. Gladesville will be high on confidence arriving into this fixture after they became only the second team to knock off league leaders Stanmore Hawks when the two heavyweights battled it out last Sunday. They currently occupy 4th position on the ladder and seem to have hit form at the right time of the season and appear likely to complete the double over the Hawks this weekend given their 4-0 triumph the last time they met.

Stanmore Hawks kick off the first of two massive home ties against SD Raiders FC on Saturday night with proceedings set to get underway from 7pm at Arlington Oval.

A disappointing defeat to Magic last time out has brought Stanmore crashing back down to earth as they aim to retain their position at the top of the NPL 3 ladder. The alarm bells may not be ringing just yet but there has been caution thrown to the wind as they prepare for two mammoth clashes against the 3rd placed Raiders then 2nd placed Bankstown City next weekend. Raiders could not have asked for a better run of form as they head into this tie, they have collected maximum points from their last three fixtures.

Keep an eye out for both sets of strikers as Hawks' Jovan Blagojevic with 22 goals, goes head to head with the league's leading goal scorer Anthony Proia who has netted 24 times. The corresponding tie was a thrilling contest which swung 4-3 in favour of Stanmore, we are predicting it to be another cracking encounter this time around.

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Club	Played	U/18's	U/20's	1st	Total
SD Raiders FC	66	24	104	192	320
Gladesville Ryde Magic	66	38	72	172	282
Bankstown City FC	66	22	64	192	278
Dunbar Rovers FC	66	53	84	116	253
Stanmore Hawks FC ^	66	25	54	200	249
Bankstown United FC	66	34	64	140	238
Inter Lions SC	66	32	56	144	232
Sydney University SFC	66	47	88	96	231
Dulwich Hill FC	66	21	68	120	209
Camden Tigers FC	66	12	50	120	182
Hawkesbury City FC ^	66	34	64	108	176
Parramatta FC ^	66	40	64	72	146
Granville Rage^	66	31	14	56	71
Western NSW Mariners FC ^	66	30	22	28	50

^30 Club Championship Point deduction for the Club's Men's Program for non-compliance with the Football NSW Application Process for the 2019 Competitions.

Club Championship Ranking

Football NSW will use the following process when ranking the Clubs within each Competition:

NPL NSW Men's, NPL 2 NSW Men's, NPL 3 NSW Men's and Men's State League – senior club championship with points calculated from all Premiership Matches in all grades using the following system;

Grade	Points Multiplier
1st Grade	Premiership Points X 4
U20	Premiership Points X 2
U18	Premiership Points X 1



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