



Creek hang on for four-point win



COVERED: Hawk Curtis Perrey has the ball in his sights in the wet at Mount Compass on Saturday.

SCOREBOARD		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	TOTAL
	LANGHORNE CREEK	1-3	2-4	6-7	7-9	51
	MOUNT COMPASS	2-1	4-3	5-4	7-5	47
Best Players Langhorne Creek: J Kellock, T Derham, M Tonkin, L Konitzka, A Basir, B Saunders. Mount Compass: P Hoban, M Corbett, A Hunter, D Camac, S Milburn, T Pinyon.						
Goalkickers Langhorne Creek: T Keeley 3, B Farnham, A Cleggett, B West, T Hateley 1ea. Mount Compass: T Pinyon 3, J Parsons 2, N Barratt, S Milburn 1ea.						

FOOTBALL: It was a damp, misty day that Mount Compass hosted Langhorne Creek on the weekend.

Nick Warren, celebrating his 200th game, led his team through the banner made in his honour and on to the ground.

Compass were first to go forward with the aid of a slight breeze.

Milburn, back after a long spell recuperating from injury, was repelling every Creek attack.

His hard work was rewarded with a goal from Parsons.

The Creek's West, finding some clear air among the heavy, closely-fought contest, goaled from half forward after the ball was squeezed out of the pocket to where he was waiting unattended.

Lally from the Creek was enjoying the close action, dishing out some offensive work around the packs.

This did not stop the Compass defence from doing their work, repelling the determined Creek advances.

Eventually, Compass scored a major from a Parsons' soccer, after Georgiou doggedly forced the ball up through half forward.

First quarter results were Compass, 2-1 to The Creek, 1-3.

The second quarter started with the ball being forced by sheer weight of numbers and strength between the half forward lines.

It was hard to find a clear winner or influence around the scrums as players from both sides threw themselves into the fray.

Eventually Hunter for Compass was able to benefit from an out of bounds on the full decision and tidily

passed to Pinyon, leading through half forward.

Pinyon converted this opportunity into a goal from 45 metres.

The ball continued to be scrummled from pillar to post around the Creek forward line. Cleggett drifted down from the centre line and goaled from a tight angle for the Hawks, after the ball flew over the pack to where he was lurking and ready to swoop.

The siren sounded for the half time break with players from both sides giving all the effort they could muster.

A first year player, Peters for Compass, was an inspiration to his more experienced teammates, as he ran the ball from defence, in the back pocket, on numerous occasions during the quarter.

At half time Compass were up by 11 points.

The Creek came out for the second half with a more positive approach to the ball, not content with just getting possession, but finding a free man clear of the pack.

Tough going around the pack and a slippery ball did not stop the Creek getting the ball to Keeley, who snap peda handy first goal for the quarter.

Hawk Kellock, was busy about the scrums in an effective manner.

His work, coupled with some Compass mistakes under pressure, enabled the Hawks to find some loose runners.

Their work gave Hateley a chance to goal, one he did not waste.

Having soaked up the first half pressure, the Creek were now making progress.

Keeley, proving dangerous around the packs, helped himself to another goal, giving the Creek a one-goal

lead and some breathing space going into the last quarter.

By three-quarter time Langhorne Creek had turned a half time deficit of 11 points into a nine-point lead.

The crowd were expecting either a Compass comeback or the Creek to run away with the game.

The Creek were the first to go forward as their onballers claimed first to the ball status.

Hoban, having won the ruck all day, in spite of close attention from his Creek counterpart Konitzka, was yellow carded by the umpire.

The Compass supporters were not amused at the penalty from the mutual, innocuous push and shove altercation between the two giants.

This seemed to wake up the sluggish Compass contingent, who decided all of a sudden that this game was worth winning.

The Creek, however, were able to score from the frenzy, by way of Warren passing to an unattended Keeley.

Re-enter Hoban and he helped Compass score two quick goals in succession, by way of Pinyon and Barratt.

With the score all but level and time running out, Compass made a couple of onslaughts at goal, but a winning goal eluded them.

The crowd could not complain about the spectacle they had witnessed, with hard-fought and determined efforts all round.

Nick Warren got the win his team so desperately wanted him to have and was chaired off in appreciation of the contribution he has made to his club's success in recent years.

Final scores were Compass 7-5 to the Creek 7-9.

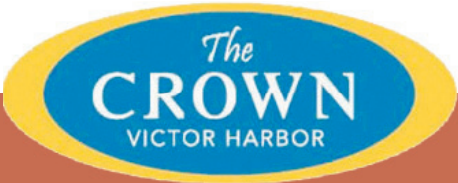
SPOT THE SPECTATOR



If this is you, you have won
a \$25 dining voucher
courtesy of

The Crown Hotel

To be eligible for your prize you must present yourself to The Times office, 13 Coral St Victor Harbor no later than 5pm next Wednesday



2 Ocean Street
Victor Harbor

Ph: 8552 1022

VR1908451

The Super Jets are humming

FOOTBALL: The Great Southern Super Jets are firing on all cylinders at the moment with two big wins in the past month. They are now preparing for a home game at Yankalilla on Sunday, June 29.

The Great Southern Super Jets consists of former Great Southern League footballers who are now over 35 years-old; they play other, similar teams throughout the state.

The team has defeated Adelaide Uni Greys by 18 points at Murray Bridge and South by 17 points at Port Adelaide

Key players in these games have been Damien Bobby Williss, Grant Levy, Julian Farkas and Jamie Brown, while the youthful Ray Scott from Myponga/Sellicks continues to impress up forward.

Great Southern Super Jets co-ordinator Shane Magor said everyone is having fun.

‘We are still looking for a few more players and we have just had Randall Follett and Mark Dominish from Langhorne Creek register,’ Shane said.

‘Our next game is a home game for us at Yankalilla and it is sure to be a big day.’

The Great Southern Super Jets will play Pooraka at the Yankalilla Football Club starting at 12.30pm.

It will be a ladies’ day starting at 12 noon so all wives, partners, sisters and mothers are invited to attend.

There will be seafood, wine, champagne and finger food provided to all ladies.

All results are now on the Super Jets website.



LATE INCLUSION: Randall Follett is a new player for the Great Southern Super Jets; the team will play at Yankalilla Oval on June 29.