



NATIONAL
PREMIER LEAGUES
SOUTH AUSTRALIA

STATE
LEAGUE 1

2026 Mens Grand Finals

Matchday Program



Presented By servicefm™

WELCOME

MICHAEL CARTER - CEO, FOOTBALL SA



On behalf of Football South Australia, I extend a warm welcome to all clubs, officials, players, and spectators to ServiceFM Stadium for the 2026 RAA National Premier League and HPG Homes State League Grand Finals presented by ServiceFM.

The growth and success of football in South Australia, creating opportunities for players of all ages, would not be possible without the support of our corporate partners, clubs, associations, match officials, the Board, committees, and the dedicated volunteers who are the backbone of our sport.

This year's Grand Finals will feature exciting matchups across the men's competitions, with all teams having the chance to showcase their skills and determination on the superb pitches at ServiceFM Stadium.

On Friday evening at ServiceFM Stadium, all eyes are on the RAA NPL Grand Final, where Adelaide City and WT Birkalla will face off in what promises to be a thrilling contest for the championship trophy.

The celebrations continue on Saturday with a full day of football, featuring the RAA NPL Reserves and U18 Grand Finals, alongside the HPG Homes State League Finals for U18, Reserves, and Senior competitions. We extend our congratulations to all clubs who have earned their place on Grand Final weekend, and a special acknowledgement to Adelaide Croatia Raiders and Modbury Jets, who have secured both their place in Saturday's State League Grand Final and promotion to the RAA NPL for the 2027 season.

From the U18 to the Seniors, this weekend brings us all together to celebrate the strength, growth, and future of the game in South Australia.

On behalf of the Football SA Board, Management, and Staff, I hope you enjoy what is set to be a fantastic day of football as we celebrate this pivotal moment in South Australian football and witness the crowning of the 2026 Champions.

EVENT PROGRAM

FRI 11 SEPTEMBER	EVENTS
6:00 PM	Gates Open
6:25 PM	Pre-Match warm up
7:00 PM	2026 Gatorade Team of the Year Presentation
7:30 PM	Kick Off
HALF TIME	Nova YCC Boys Championship Presentation & Kick for Coopers Activation

Please note all details remian subject to change

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FRI 12 SEPTEMBER	EVENTS
8:00 AM	Gates Open
9:00 AM	HPG Homes SL1 & SL2 U18 Grand Final
11:30 AM	RAA NPL U18 HPG Homes SL2 Reserves Grand Final
2:00 PM	RAA NPL Reserves & HPG Homes SL1 Reserves Grand Final
2:15 PM	HPG Homes SL2 Promotion Playoff
3:05 PM	Direct Collect 'Bin it to Win it' Activation (Pitch 1)
5:00 PM	HPG Homes SL1 Grand Final

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Grand Final

RAA NPL GRAND FINAL

FRIDAY 11 SEPTEMBER | 7:30PM | SERVICEFM STADIUM



RAA NPL GRAND FINAL **SQUAD LISTS**



FRI, 11 SEP 2026, KICK-OFF 7:30 PM

ADELAIDE CITY V WEST TORRENS BIRKALLA

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HPG HOMES SL1 & SL2 SENIOR **SQUAD LISTS**



SAT, 12 SEP 2026, KICK-OFF 2:15 PM

MODBURY VISTA V WESTERN STRIKERS

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SAT, 12 SEP 2026, KICK-OFF 5:00 PM

ADELAIDE CROATIA RAIDERS V MODBURY JETS

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FOOTBALL SA VARIETY FOOTBALL FOUNDATION FUND

Football South Australia is proud to announce the establishment of the Football SA Variety Football Foundation Fund, a landmark strategic partnership with Variety SA designed to remove financial and social barriers preventing children from participating in football.

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2026 RAA NPL GRAND FINAL MATCH OFFICIAL APPOINTMENTS

Referee	Christian Verdicchio
Assistant Referee 1	Henry Day
Assistant Referee 2	Thomas Temby
Fourth Official	Daniel Cook
Shadow Referee	Ray Xu
Referee Coach	Sean Grimmond (C)

2026 HPG HOMES SL1 GRAND FINAL MATCH OFFICIAL APPOINTMENTS

Referee	Jayden Betterman
Assistant Referee 1	Nick Elagin
Assistant Referee 2	Judah Tan
Fourth Official	Tom Brinkworth
Referee Coach	Michelle Smith (C)



2026 HPG HOMES SL2 PROMOTIONAL PLAYOFF MATCH OFFICIAL APPOINTMENTS

Referee	Joseph Bojcevski
Assistant Referee 1	Luca Castello
Assistant Referee 2	Dan Sertoi
Fourth Official	Mark Michael
Referee Coach	Andrew Murray (C)

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21 SEPTEMBER - 10 DECEMBER

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE - 14 SEPTEMBER

REGISTRATION FEE

\$50 /TEAM

JUNIORS

THURSDAY

12 OCTOBER - 17 DECEMBER

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE - 5 OCTOBER

REGISTRATION FEE

\$25 /TEAM

MASTERS (35+)

WEDNESDAY

23 SEPTEMBER - 10 DECEMBER

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE - 14 SEPTEMBER

REGISTRATION FEE

\$50 /TEAM



 
National Premier League
CHAMPIONS

- 2013 - Campbelltown City
- 2014 - Croydon Kings
- 2015 - West Adelaide
- 2016 - Campbelltown City
- 2017 - Croydon Kings
- 2018 - Campbelltown City
- 2019 - Campbelltown City
- 2020 - Campbelltown City
- 2021 - Adelaide City
- 2022 - Adelaide City

2026 Mens Grand Finals

Question 1.

RAA NPL RD 8 WHO SCORED THE ONLY GOAL FOR
WT BIRKALLA VS ADELAIDE CITY?

- a) ALAN WELSH b) NICK HARPAS
- c) GEORGE BLACKWOOD d) JARAD CLARK

Question 2.

WHICH ADELAIDE CITY PLAYER WON THE PLAYER OF THE
MATCH AWARD IN THE 2021 GRAND FINAL?

- a) JOHN HALL b) LACHLAN BARR
- c) BRADLEY CORBO d) NICHOLAS BUCCO

Question 3

DYLAN KLAASSEN-THOMAS SCORED HOW MANY GOALS
THIS RAA NPL SEASON?

- a) 8 b) 10 c) 12 d) 6

2026 Mens Grand Finals

Question 4. THE 2021 NPL GRAND FINAL WAS PLAYED AT WHICH VENUE?

- A) HINDMARSH STADIUM B) SUMMIT SPORTS PARK
C) SERVICEFM STADIUM D) MARDEN SPORTS COMPLEX

Question 5. WHAT YEAR DID WT BIRKALLA LAST WIN THE GRAND FINAL?

- a) 1988 b) 2008 c) 1998 d) 2018

Question 6. WHO WERE PREMIERS IN THE 2022 STATE LEAGUE 1 SEASON?

- A) CUMBERLAND UNITED B) STURT LIONS
C) MODBURY JETS D) ADELAIDE COBRAS

Question 7. HOW MANY LEAGUE GOALS DID SALIFU JATTA AND ISSAAC MATIKULAS SCORE COMBINED THIS SEASON?

- a) 21 b) 19 c) 23 d) 17

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UPCOMING FOUNDATION OF FOOTBALL COACHING COURSES:

Foundation of Football:

17 October 2026 , 9:30am - 5:30pm

[Australia/Adelaide]

ServiceFM Stadium, Briens Rd, Gepps Cross

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22 November 2026 , 9:30am - 5:30pm

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PAST NPL CHAMPIONS

CAMPBELLTOWN CITY (2013)	CAMPBELLTOWN CITY (2019)
CROYDON FC (2014)	CAMPBELLTOWN CITY (2020)
WEST ADELAIDE (2015)	ADELAIDE CITY (2021)
CAMPBELLTOWN CITY (2016)	ADELAIDE CITY (2022)
CROYDON FC (2017)	ADELAIDE UNITED YOUTH (2023)
CAMPBELLTOWN CITY (2018)	CAMPBELLTOWN CITY (2024)
	CROYDON FC (2025)





VENUE MAP

SERVICEFM STADIUM FOR FOOTBALL MATCHDAY MAP



THANK YOU TO OUR PARTNERS

