Glenelg by a ton as Sturt submits

SANFL SCOREBOARD

Football Park

EAGLES	1.7	2.8	7.11	11.17	(83)
North	1.2	5.8	5.9	6.9	(45)

BEST — EAGLES: Rogers, Breuer, Payze, Totham, Spehr, Negri, Kennedy, Kluzek. **NORTH:** Perkins, Phillips, Mail, Gerke, Jeffries, Nunan.
SCORERS — EAGLES: Negri 3.0, Schache 2.3, Breuer 2.0, Phillipou 1.2, Pesch, Morphett, S. Sziller 1.1, Taylor 0.2, Payze, Totham, Kluzek, Niemann 0.1, rushed 0.3. **NORTH:** Molloy 2.2, Jeffries 1.1, Redden, McCarthy, Mancini 1.0, Hamilton 0.2, Tasker, Phillips 0.1, rushed 0.2.
INJURIES — EAGLES: Taylor (hamstring), Pesch (ankle). **NORTH:** Barratt (severe concussion).
UMPIRES: Ron Bettridge, Mark Westgarth.

Adelaide Oval

GLENELG	6.4	15.8	21.10	29.16	(190)
Sturt	1.3	4.8	9.10	13.14	(92)

BEST — GLENELG: McGuinness, Marshall, Russell, Whittlesea, Mansell, McRae, Lamb. **STURT:** Viney, Sanderson, Lienert, Brooks,Arnol.
SCORERS — GLENELG: Russell 7.5, Christie 4.0, McGuinness 3.1, Marshall 3.0, Hallahan 2.2, Hocking 2.1, Mansell 1.3, McRae, Lamb, McCully 1.1, West, Hele, Chigwidden, Jameson 1.0, rushed 0.1. **STURT:** Viney 7.5, Sanderson 2.0, Sutherland 1.2, Cunningham 1.1, Thomas, Baker 1.0, Salisbury, Underwood, Lienert 0.1, rushed 0.3.
INJURIES — GLENELG: Hele (strained abductor).
UMPIRES: David Elliott, Tim Pfeiffer.

Elizabeth Oval

CENTRAL	3.2	4.4	8.8	16.11	(107)
West	3.5	7.8	9.12	10.15	(75)

BEST — CENTRAL: Stevens, Giester, MacGowan, Lynn, Coffee, Chaplin, Handley. **WEST:** Bartsch, McKinnon, Woosnam, Simpson, Kennedy, Banfield.
SCORERS — CENTRAL: Myles 5.3, Luhrs 4.1, Richardson 2.0, Schwerdt, Tongerie 1.2, Coffee 1.1 Chaplin, Handley 1.0, Riemers 0.1, rushed 0.1. **WEST:** Woosnam 5.1, Loving 2.5, Mellor 2.1, Fielke 1.0, Simpson, McNamara, Banfield 0.1, rushed 0.5.
INJURIES — WEST: Banfield (knee), Fogden (ankle).
UMPIRES: Kevin Chambers, Craig Doddridge.

Alberton Oval

PORT	7.1	11.4	19.6	24.10	(154)
Norwood	1.3	6.4	11.8	16.15	(111)

BEST — PORT: Northeast, Borlase, Tylor, Delaney, Ginever, Cockatoo-Collins, Bond, Williams, D. Smith, McKay. **NORWOOD:** James, Pitt, Eames, Rowe, Ahmat, Kelly, Balme.
GOALS — PORT: Tylor 8.5, Borlase 4.0, R. Smith, Cockatoo-Collins 2.0, Bond, McKay, Kemp 1.1, Delaney, Rizonico, Settre, D. Smith, Northeast 1.0, rushed 0.2. **NORWOOD:** Rowe 4.3, Eames 3.2, Patterson 2.4, Balme, Prime 2.1, Payne 2.0, Robran 1.2, rushed 0.2.
INJURIES — NORWOOD: Jones (broken leg).
UMPIRES: Michael Abbott, Richard Williams.

SANFL ladder

	P	W	L	D	F	A	%	Pts
PORT	5	5	0	0	685	460	59.83	10
GLENELG	4	3	1	0	564	382	59.62	6
EAGLES	4	3	1	0	384	332	53.63	6
CENTRAL	4	2	2	0	435	360	54.72	4
NORWOOD	4	2	2	0	476	464	50.64	4
North	4	2	2	0	320	386	45.33	4
South*	4	1	3	0	407	464	46.73	2
West	5	1	4	0	446	531	45.65	2
Sturt	4	0	4	0	314	652	32.51	0

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SA goalkickers

	Games	Rd 5	Total
M. Tylor (Port)	5	8	24
P. McIntyre (South)	3	0	18
G. Coffee (Central)	4	1	17
S. Loving (West)	5	2	14
S. Hodges (Port)	2	0	13
D. Woosnam (West)	3	5	12
C. McRae (Glenelg)	4	1	12
J. Viney (Sturt)	4	7	11
C. Prime (Norwood)	3	2	11

SA crowds

Football Park	4231
Adelaide Oval	2965
Elizabeth Oval	2432
Alberton Oval	6606
Total	16,234

Glenelg yesterday ruthlessly powered its way to a 98-point victory over an abysmal Sturt at Adelaide Oval.

Trailing mid-way through the first term, the Tigers exploded into action against the competition cellar-dweller to lead by 31 points at quarter-time.

A nine-goal burst in the second quarter rendered the contest over.

By half-time, the Blues trailed by 66 points after being completely outclassed by a more direct, more skilful opponent.

Sturt did gain a touch of respectability during the third quarter.

Its play became marginally more methodical — but the team still could do little to stem the Tiger onslaught.

As usual, Glenelg's riches were evenly spread and, revealingly, the Bays showed utterly no mercy in the final term, adding 8.6 to 4.4.

The Bays had 14 goalkickers.

None was more prolific than Mark Russell, promoted for his first match of the season.

Playing at full forward, Russell netted 7.5.

His effort was matched at the other end of the ground by tireless Blues captain Jay Viney — who collected exactly the same personal score.

However, the difference lay in Russell having far more colleagues willing to work and run.

By **LEO SCHLINK**

Glenelg won the square and subsequently dominated the match.

It arrogantly exercised its superiority, virtually at will.

And when Sturt ventured forward, the Bays' defence was only too happy to rebound powerfully.

Electing to play short and wide, Sturt was invariably picked off by the more experienced Glenelg outfit, which included former Blues captain Greg Whittlesea.

While credited with 12 kicks and three handpasses, Whittlesea's value to his adopted club could not be undervalued in a frugal defence.

Glenelg's running division, as with almost every other aspect of its game, was superb.

Phil McGuinness and David Marshall were wonderful midfield providers and Clayton Lamb was as dangerous as ever.

Sturt, conversely, had few four-quarter contributors.

Viney stood out, as did talented Brenton Sanderson, Brett Lienert and Justin Brooks.

Its defence, accustomed to pressure without having a ready solution for it, managed to hold its nerve against fearsome odds.

But for a league club — and a former power, at that — to submit so quickly, and so completely, is a reality coach Haydn Bunton will do well to correct this season.

Glenelg	Kicks					Marks					Handballs					Frees		Scores		Hit out	Tackles
	1	2	3	4		1	2	3	4		1	2	3	4		F	A	G	B		
P.McGUINNESS	2	7	8	6	23	0	3	3	3	9	1	2	0	4	7	1	3	2	1	0	1
R.JAMESON	2	3	6	1	12	1	0	2	0	3	1	2	3	2	8	0	1	1	0	0	1
C.MCRAE	6	5	5	6	22	2	2	0	2	6	7	2	1	1	11	2	0	1	1	0	0
D.MANSELL	8	7	3	3	21	0	4	1	1	6	6	2	3	0	11	3	0	1	3	0	3
J.HOCKING	2	2	1	1	6	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	0	5	0	0	2	1	0	0
M.RUSSELL	4	4	4	1	13	2	3	3	1	9	4	1	2	2	9	2	1	7	5	0	2
S.HELE	3	4	2	0	9	2	4	0	0	6	2	2	1	0	5	0	2	1	0	0	1
D.MARSHALL	5	4	3	2	14	3	2	0	1	6	3	5	2	5	15	2	2	3	0	0	2
D.KRETSCHMER	1	3	1	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	1	0	8	1	0	0	0	0	2
M.VISKA	0	1	0	3	4	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
J.WEST	2	2	2	2	8	1	1	2	2	6	3	1	5	5	14	2	3	1	0	0	3
G.WHITTLESEA	3	4	1	4	12	1	1	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	3	4	2	0	0	0	0
R.THOMPSON	2	0	3	4	9	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	3	3	1	0	0	0	0
H.STUART	1	1	0	1	3	1	1	0	1	3	1	3	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	2	1
E.MARTIN	0	1	0	2	3	0	1	2	1	4	0	1	4	0	5	1	2	0	0	0	0
S.MCCULLY	0	0	0	3	3	0	1	0	3	4	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	14	3
C.LAMB	4	2	1	3	10	2	1	0	1	4	3	2	3	3	11	1	2	1	1	0	2
N.CHIGWIDDEN	1	5	2	1	9	1	1	0	2	4	3	1	1	4	9	0	0	2	0	0	4
P.HALLAHAN	0	2	4	8	14	0	0	1	2	3	0	1	5	7	13	2	1	2	2	0	0
G.CHRISTIE	0	2	5	2	9	0	2	5	1	8	0	1	3	1	5	0	1	4	0	13	0
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TOTALS	46	59	51	54	210	17	28	19	22	86	42	35	39	35	151	24	23	29	16	29	26

Sturt	Kicks					Marks					Handballs					Frees		Scores		Hit out	Tackles
	1	2	3	4		1	2	3	4		1	2	3	4		F	A	G	B		
D.OBST	3	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.SALISBURY	1	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	2	0	0	1	9	3
B.BAKER	4	3	1	3	11	1	1	1	1	4	3	2	0	1	6	2	0	1	0	0	2
A.GEDDES	0	2	3	2	7	0	3	1	1	5	1	1	4	3	9	1	2	0	0	0	2
S.CUNNINGHAM	2	5	5	2	14	3	1	2	0	6	3	1	0	0	4	1	2	1	1	0	0
J.VINEY	6	8	1	6	21	2	4	1	2	9	1	0	0	2	3	2	5	7	5	0	3
W.THOMAS	1	0	3	1	5	1	1	3	0	5	1	2	3	0	6	2	0	1	0	0	0
J.BROOKS	8	4	3	4	19	0	1	2	2	5	4	2	2	3	11	2	1	0	0	0	3
A.JOHNS	1	4	3	2	10	0	2	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1
A.UNDERWOOD	7	7	3	2	19	1	2	1	0	4	0	2	2	2	6	2	1	0	1	0	4
M.DENT	1	3	0	1	5	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	3
J.BASTIAN	1	1	3	1	6	1	3	1	0	5	4	3	3	2	12	2	0	0	0	0	0
J.RICHTER	1	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	4	3	0	2	0	5	2	1	0	0	0	0
J.ARNOL	2	2	5	1	10	1	3	1	1	6	2	2	4	1	9	1	2	0	0	0	0
B.JUDD	2	6	4	2	14	0	3	1	1	5	2	1	2	1	6	1	2	0	0	0	2
B.LIENERT	1	3	1	2	7	3	1	0	1	5	5	1	3	1	10	1	0	0	1	16	1
B.SANDERSON	7	7	7	7	28	2	5	3	3	13	0	4	4	4	12	1	1	2	0	0	2
D.OATEY	2	0	4	1	7	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
S.SUTHERLAND	0	5	3	1	9	0	3	2	1	6	0	1	0	1	2	1	1	1	2	0	3
J.HOWES	0	0	3	9	15	0	0	2	4	6	0	0	2	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	2
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TOTALS	60	86	56	52	223	16	37	22	18	93	30	26	32	26	117	23	24	13	14	25	32