

10-goal quarter seals it for Legs

By Zac Milbank
at Norwood Oval

Norwood 24.9 153
Glenelg 10.10 70

A 10-goal to nil third quarter by tough-tackling Norwood earned it a well drilled 83-point victory over an inexperienced Glenelg at the Parade yesterday.

After a very even first half, the contest quickly swung in the Redlegs' favour as they continually pressured and harassed the Bays, forcing them into costly errors.

Norwood accumulated an astonishing 32 tackles to Glenelg's 11, proving its workrate is at the standard of a team desperate to have an impact in the finals.

"There's no doubt we pride ourselves on being the best tackling team," Norwood coach Garry McIntosh said. "It's probably one of the most important parts of the game. The opposition get the ball nearly the same amount of times in a game, so its pretty important to get it back off them."

Not only did relentless tackling lead to the Redlegs earning more of the ball but when they had possession they used it with efficiency.

"We got back to playing a bit more direct and long footy and that was pretty important," McIntosh said.

Norwood's impressive third term began with Jonathon Robran taking control of the ruck not only at stoppages but around the ground.

Along with Jonathon Yerbury, Robran often created a path for his smaller teammates to capitalise on.

Captain Brett James (3.1) took full advantage with 12 possessions in the first term on his way to another a best-on-ground performance.

Half-forward Robbie Neill, after an extended lay-off with injury, had a dream comeback, helping himself to four goals while proving a handy foil for former Tiger Ben McEntee, who kicked seven goals without a miss.

Initially named on the bench, Matthew Bartemucci made the most of James Gallagher's unexpected ab-

sence (Crows), topping off the Redlegs' potent forward line with five goals.

Right in the match until the half-time break, the Tigers suffered a goal drought from the 23rd minute mark of the second term until the seventh minute of the fourth.

Once again Glenelg's younger brigade, headed by defender Ben Mules, was the shining light for coach Brenton Honor.

Debutants Brad Bell and nippy Jeremy Milne can hold their heads high for their first performances against a quality side at league level.

Loyal Simon Hele, in his 200th SANFL game (four state games) never gave in and continually tried to ignite his team with clever use of the ball.

However, like his counterpart McIntosh, Honor agreed the Redlegs' ability to impose a physical advantage on Glenelg proved crucial.

"They tackled really well and we didn't," Honor said.

"I suppose our strength is an issue with a lot of young kids who aren't physically developed yet.

"They obviously need to work in the gym over the summer, so at the end of all, it was a really disappointing part of our game."



Glenelg's Paul Sherwood flies for a mark ahead of former teammate Ben McEntee (right) Picture: Calum Robertson

SANFLresults

Norwood v Glenelg

Norwood Oval

NORWOOD 6.3 8.6 18.8 24.9 (153)
Glenelg 4.2 6.4 6.6 10.10 (70)

BEST — Norwood: James, Robran, Neill, Bartemucci, McEntee, Yerbury, Wilson, Direen. Glenelg: Mules, Milne, Hele, Sherwood, Robinson.

SCORERS — Norwood: McEntee 7.0, Bartemucci 5.0, Neill 4.1, James 3.1, Yerbury 2.1, Borlace 1.2, Carslake 1.1, Bown 1.0, Clements 0.2, rushed 0.1. Glenelg: N. Bell, Smyth 2.1, Hele 2.0, Tasborski, Byrne, Moore, Smith 1.0, Handyby 0.2, Milne, Polley, B. Bell 0.1, rushed 0.3.

INJURIES — A. Meade, K. Broadbridge, R. Fox.

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CROWD — 2911.

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
CENTRAL	19	17	2	2274	1257	64.40	34
NORWOOD	19	16	3	2083	1477	58.51	32
STURT	18	15	3	1781	1238	58.99	30
EAGLES	18	9	9	1481	1320	52.87	18
WEST	19	9	10	1770	1831	49.15	18
North	18	6	12	1492	2043	42.21	12
Port	18	5	13	1288	1554	45.32	10
South	18	4	14	1309	1912	40.64	8
Glenelg	19	2	17	1293	2139	37.67	4

SANFLgoals

	P	R21	Total
Hargraves (NA)	17	7	65
Chambers (S)	18	2	46
Cotton (N)	14	0	42
Richardson (WA)	12	0	39
Stevens (CD)	17	3	37
Gowans (CD)	16	0	35
Atkinson (S)	16	1	34
Healy (CD)	18	2	33
Baldwin (G)	18	0	32
Gowans (CD)	17	0	32

reserves

GLENELG 12.10 (82) d Norwood 11.6 (72).

BEST - Glenelg: Mellody, Kuhlmann, Mackie, Norman, Richardson, N. Yeomans. Norwood: Pitt, A. McLean, Cunningham, Fitzgerald, Smith, Harvey. GOALS - Glenelg: Mellody, Gillings, Cook 2, Mackie, Maher, Caldwell, Panozzo, Herreen, N. Yeomans. Norwood: Cunningham 3, Rolfe, J. Patfull 2, Wasley, Harvey, Calabrese, Nicholas.

	P	W	L	D	For	Agst	%	Pts
CENTRAL	19	15	4	0	2013	1086	64.96	30
STURT	18	12	6	0	1820	1328	57.81	24
PORT	18	11	7	0	1678	1428	54.02	22
NORWOOD	19	10	9	0	1710	1317	56.49	20
GLENELG	19	10	9	0	1623	1620	50.05	20
Eagles	18	9	9	0	1361	1229	52.55	18
West	19	8	11	0	1678	2152	43.81	16
North	18	5	13	0	1105	1946	36.22	10
South	18	3	15	0	1247	2129	36.94	6

under 19

GLENELG 11.18 (84) d Norwood 5.8 (38).

BEST — Glenelg: Bradshaw, Hare, Bennett, Pitman, King, Price, McEntee, Rothe, Morns, J. Smith. Norwood: Payne, Duigan, Taylor. GOALS — Glenelg: Kilsby 3, Evans, King, N. Smith 2, Pitman, Morns. Norwood: Saers 2, Payne, M. Gibson, Paladini.

	P	W	L	D	For	Agst	%	Pts
WEST	20	16	3	1	2087	1270	62.17	33
GLENELG	19	14	4	1	1685	1146	59.52	29
SOUTH	19	13	6	0	1804	1346	57.27	26
PORT	19	12	7	0	1785	1523	53.96	24
Eagles	19	8	10	1	1213	1420	46.07	17
Norwood	19	8	11	0	1375	1375	50.00	16
North	19	6	12	1	1324	1613	45.08	13
Central	19	6	13	0	1319	1851	41.61	12
Sturt	19	1	18	0	1037	2085	33.22	2

under 17

GLENELG 16.17 (113) d Norwood 11.4 (70).

BEST — Glenelg: Block, White, Basir, D. Reavill, Dubieniecki, Jones, M. Reavill, Richardson. Norwood: Young, McKay, Hawkins, Batchelor, Grundy, Ruediger. GOALS — Glenelg: D. Reavill 7, M. Reavill 3, Button, Anderson 2, Block. Norwood: Grundy, Batchelor, McKay, Allan 2, Cooper, Lynn, Puopolo.

	P	W	L	D	For	Agst	%	Pts
WEST	20	19	1	0	2648	893	74.78	38
GLENELG	19	14	5	0	1807	1205	59.99	28
EAGLES	19	12	7	0	1527	1340	53.26	24
CENTRAL	19	11	8	0	1520	1671	47.63	22
North	19	8	11	0	1463	1437	50.45	16
Sturt	19	7	12	0	1302	1752	42.63	14
South	19	6	13	0	1442	1808	44.37	12
Norwood	19	5	14	0	1169	1907	38.00	10
Port	19	4	15	0	1141	2006	36.26	8

SANFL week ahead

ROUND 23 — Saturday or Sunday, 2.20pm: North v Port (Prospect Oval), Glenelg v South (Glenelg Oval), Central v Sturt (NAP Oval, Elizabeth), Eagles v Norwood (Adelaide Oval). Bye: West.

NORWOOD

Player	Kicks	Mks	Hbl	F/for	F/ag	Gls	Pts	H/O	Tkl
J. COTTON	7	6	7	1	0	0	0	0	1
B. MCENTEE	10	6	0	0	1	7	0	0	1
S. BASSETT	13	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	1
S. CARSLAKE	7	1	7	0	2	1	1	0	1
J. YERBURY	9	5	7	2	0	2	1	4	2
R. NEILL	19	7	7	1	2	4	1	2	4
J. THIESSEN	7	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
A. CROUCH	17	3	8	0	1	0	0	0	5
M. HOBBY	11	2	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
T. CLEMENTS	10	2	1	0	1	0	2	0	1
S. DANIELS	4	3	3	1	0	0	0	2	0
S. DIREEN	10	6	11	1	0	0	0	0	1
M. DAWES	8	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
B. WILSON	7	6	7	1	0	0	0	0	0
S. BOWN	6	4	4	0	0	1	0	2	3
J. ROBRAN	14	8	11	1	1	0	0	12	0
B. JAMES	13	5	17	1	0	3	1	0	3
S. BORLACE	18	4	12	0	0	1	2	0	0
S. PATTERSON	2	2	4	0	2	0	0	0	2
M. BARTEMUCCI	14	4	1	4	0	5	0	0	3
L. NIITSCHKE	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1
TOTALS	207	85	131	14	10	24	9	22	32

GLENELG

Player	Kicks	Mks	Hbl	F/for	F/ag	Gls	Pts	H/O	Tkl
N. BELL	7	4	1	0	0	0	2	1	0
C. TASBORSKI	3	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
M. POLLEY	7	1	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
M. HANDBY	9	3	6	0	1	0	2	0	0
M. GULDING	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	6	0
R. SMYTH	8	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	0
J. MILNE	11	4	2	2	0	0	1	0	0
C. ROBINSON	16	7	3	2	0	0	0	0	1
S. HELE	13	7	8	1	1	2	0	0	0
N. YEOMANS	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. MANFIELD	6	6	6	0	1	0	0	0	1
C. STRATHAM	8	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	1
B. MULES	6	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
P. SHERWOOD	8	6	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
B. MOORE	13	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0
B. SMITH	6	3	5	0	0	1	0	7	0
K. KOSTER	7	2	11	2	2	0	0	0	1
J. BYRNE	15	8	9	0	4	1	0	0	4
S. NICHOLAS	3	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
B. BELL	7	2	3	0	3	0	1	0	3
D. BELL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	158	67	85	10	14	10	10	13	11

today's SANFL teams

PORT V WEST (Alberton Oval, 2.20pm)

PORT — B: Bamford, AhChee, Smith. HB: J. Ilett, Fiegert, Carr. C: Ebert, Clayton, Wait. HF: Burdett, Finnn, Carter. F: Ellen, Bienne, Ashley. 1R: Ackland, Lyle, Steed. Inter: From Holmes, Wilson, Lhode, Alwyn, Davey, Lokan, Seal.

WEST — B: Chubb, Dray, S. Munn. HB: Myles, Ruffen, Taylor. C: Norman, Twomey, Piasente. HF: Schuback, E. Richardson, Howard. F: Stewart, Dabrowski, Donaldson. 1R: Marsh, Hollands, Backwell. Inter: Lowther, Mellor, Cassisi.

SOUTH V STURT (Noarlunga Oval, 2.20pm)

SOUTH — B: Genovese, Warren, Hateley. HB: Footner, Johnson, Cobb. C: Bachmann, Crabb, Jackman. HF: Damasi, Perrie, Stephensen. F: Hutchison, A. Murray, Steele. 1R: Lade, Sampson, Mills. Inter: Ormand-Allen, Clonan, McKeough, Eriksson, Kruger, J. Landorf.

STURT — B: Thurstans, Thredgold, Powell. HB: Curtis, Conway, Maloney. C: Nelson, Sheedy, Mattner. HF: Cooper, White, Squire. F: J. Burton, Chambers, Weatherald. 1R: Feast, Reilly, Atkinson. Inter: From Whiteman, Wicks, Howman, Campbell, Woosnam, Dent, Geddes.

EAGLES V NORTH (Woodville Oval, 2.20pm)

EAGLES — B: Darzanos, Hall, Frewen. HB: McKenzie, Pedler, Mathews. C: Wise, Colville, McLoughlin. HF: Cicolella, C. Martin, Jeffries. F: Bock, Allison, Chapman. 1R: Lindsay, Shirley, Skipworth. Inter: From O'Hara, P. Fiacchi, Leal, D. Iljcesen, Floreani, Earl.

NORTH — B: Kellell, Ebel, Ebert. HB: Gluschenko, Morgan, Tyrrell. C: Bamford, Wintle, Leal. HF: B. White, Herbert, Casserly. F: Fowden, Hargraves, Cook. 1R: Brooks, Younie, James. Inter: Trzesinski, Rivers, Ivens.