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Memorandum

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Subject DISTRICT LEAGUES – BERT BAMPTON CUP PRELIMINARY ROUNDS FIXTURES

The groupings draw for the Bert Bampton Cup Preliminary Rounds took place on Sunday afternoon 8th February at the Corrimal Leagues Club.

The Group Draw is listed below and from that has evolved the playing fixtures (listed below) for the Round Robin Series of this year's competition, which will take place over 3 weeks commencing on weekend of March 28/29.

Peoplecare	ICU	Peoplecare	ICU	Peoplecare	ICU
1. RUSE	THIRROUL	4. SHELL CITY	CORRIMAL R	7. WESTS ILL	WARILLA W
2. SHOALHAVEN	H'BURGH	5. WOLL OLYM	BERKELEY	8. CONISTON LIONS	BELLAMBI
3. BALGOWNIE	KIAMA	6. K'WARRA	SHELL COVE	9. HIGHLANDS	UNIVERSITY

WEEK 1 – March 28/29

GROUP 1

Thirroul FC v Ruse
Shoalhaven FC v Helensburgh Thistle
* Balgownie Rangers v Kiama

GROUP 2

Corrimal Rangers v Shellharbour City
* Berkeley Sports v Wollongong Olympic
Kemblawarra v Shell Cove

GROUP 3

Wests Illawarra v Warilla Wanderers
* Bellambi v Coniston Lions
Highlands FC v University

WEEK 2 – APRIL 4/5

GROUP 1

*Thirroul FC	v	Shoalhaven FC
Ruse	v	Kiama
*Balgownie R.	v	Helensburgh Thistle

GROUP 2

*Kemblawarra	v	Berkeley Sports
Shellharbour City	v	Shell Cove
Wollongong Olympic	v	Corrimal Rangers

GROUP 3

University	v	Wests Illawarra
Warilla Wanderers	v	Coniston Lions
Highlands FC	v	Bellambi

WEEK 3 – APRIL 18

GROUP 1

*Kiama	v	Shoalhaven FC
Helensburgh Th.	v	Ruse
Thirroul	v	Balgownie Rangers

GROUP 2

*Berkeley Sports	v	Shellharbour City
Shell Cove	v	Wollongong Olympic
*Kemblawarra	v	Corrimal Rangers

GROUP 3

*Bellambi	v	Wests Illawarra
Coniston Lions	v	University
Warilla Wanderers	v	Highlands FC

* indicates that there is a Division One game being played also.

RULES

1. You will note from the groupings that each group includes 3 Peoplecare clubs and 3 ICU clubs.
2. Teams will only play 3 matches against teams from the other District League competition within their group only.
3. All points accumulated will be in tables that comprise of your District League Teams only i.e. 2 tables per each Group (1 Peoplecare 1 ICU).
4. At the end of Week 3 the winners of all tables (6 clubs) will progress to Week 4.
5. The Week 4 matches will be as follows:
 - a) Peoplecare Group 1 v ICU Group 2
 - b) Peoplecare Group 2 v ICU Group 3
 - c) Peoplecare Group 3 v ICU Group 1
6. The 3 winners of the Week 4 matches will progress to the main Bert Bampton draw along with the highest point loser in from Week 4.
7. The highest point loser will be determined from preliminary round tables (Weeks 1 to 3) (points, then goal difference, then most goals scored). If equal between 1 or more clubs the winner will be drawn from the hat from the equal finishing clubs.
8. The Youth Grade draw and structure will be the same as the First Grade.
9. Kick Off Times –
Division One 11.15am
Youth Grade 1.00pm
First Grade 3.00pm
10. Duration of Games –
Division One 45 mins e/w, **NO** stoppage time
Youth Grade 45 mins e/w **with** stoppage time
First Grade 45 mins e/w **with** stoppage time
11. The Overage Player rules as per normal Competition games will apply.

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