

Matamata Swifts v Takapuna AFC

NRFL Division 1A

Saturday August 21, 2010 Matamata Domain, Matama Kick-off 2.45pm



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A Few Kind Words

Today is our last scheduled home game for the 2010 NRFL season. It's been quite a re-entry to northern regional football for us this year. While we finished 5th in Division 1, we're still learning what it takes to be consistently successful at this level, both on the field and behind the scenes. We've got most things right and will be better for the experience as we look to make Matamata Swifts a permanent fixture in the NRFL.

The prospect of falling into the relegation play-offs still hangs over us, as it also does for today's opponents, Takapuna. Both clubs will be desperate to avoid finishing in the bottom two and a win today will go a long way to ensuring Division 1 survival for 2011. So it would be fair to say the pressure's on and that we're in for one hell of an encounter today at the Domain.

After two narrow defeats at home, we gave ourselves a chance of staying up with a very good victory over North Force in Whangarei two weeks ago. Despite what the local Whangarei newspaper suggested in its match report, we were actually very good value for that win and well and truly deserved it. It's just a shame that our match against Wanderers was rained-out last Saturday as the confidence levels were up. So its back down to business today as we welcome another very good team to Matamata.

As this is hopefully our final home game for the season, I'd like to take this opportunity the say a couple of thank yous. We are indebted to a number of local businesses and people who have invested their support, money and goods & services in the club this season. We'd still be an also-ran in the local Waikato leagues without your backing. Our fans have also been great this year, and have made things interesting for several visiting teams. The support is noticed and very much appreciated.

Dwayne Barlow

PICTURED

Front Cover Tim Miller holds off his North Force opponent in our most recent NRFL fixture. **Page three** Stu Watene drives the ball forward in the match against North Force.

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LAST MATCH

NRFL DIVISION 1 - SATURDAY AUGUST 7, 2010 - KAMO SPORTS PARK

NORTH FORCE 1 v MATAMATA SWIFTS 2

Pete Shannon, Michael Beard

Swifts Tom Pamment; William Mason, Ged Parkinson, Bevan Woltersdorf, Stu Watene; Mark Knell, (Mike Spencer 46m), Andy Birchenough, Jon Allen, Pete Shannon; Tim Miller, Mike Beard. Subs (not used) Gary Darkes, Duncan Lowry, Mike Collins, Chris Bedggood.







TABLE TALK

NRFL Division 1A & 1B (as at August 14, 2010)

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Eastern Suburbs	5	3	2	0	18	9	11
Manurewa	5	3	3	0	8	4	11
Hamilton Wanderers	3	2	1	0	5	2	7
Papatoetoe	4	2	1	1	9	7	7
Matamata Swifts	4	1	0	3	6	8	3
Mt Albert-Ponsonby	5	1	0	4	6	17	3
North Force	4	0	2	2	7	9	2
Takapuna	4	0	2	2	5	8	2
Ellerslie	4	3	0	1	15	6	9
Onehunga Sports	4	3	0	1	14	5	9
Glenfield Rovers	4	3	0	1	10	7	9
Birkenhead Utd	4	2	1	1	6	3	7
Lynn Avon Utd	5	2	0	3	12	16	6
Albany Utd	4	1	2	1	9	11	5
Onehunga Mangere	5	1	1	3	7	17	4
Ngaruawahia Utd	4	0	0	4	1	9	0

Swifts Ladies Waikato Ladies Div A		Swifts Reserves Federation Division 2			Swifts 3rds Waikato Division E			
	P	Pts		P	Pts		P	Pts
Claudelands	12	29	AFC Fury	15	40	Te Aroha	14	35
Unicol	11	24	Tauranga	14	31	TA Sports	12	27
Cambridge	11	23	Old Blues	14	33	Eastern City	13	25
Melville	10	17	Ngongotaha	12	22	Claudelands	14	21
Hamilton North	10	16	Matamata	14	17	Matamata	14	21
Matamata	11	13	Ham North	13	10	Melville	12	18
Wanderers	10	3	Cambridge	14	10	West Hamilton	12	15
Te Awamutu	11	0	Kawerau	15	10	Unicol	14	7
			Rotorua	15	8	Morrinsville	13	3

Other games this weekend:

Swifts reserves v Ngongotaha (h), 12.30pm Saturday Swifts 3rds v Melville (h), 1.00pm Saturday Swifts Ladies - No game Swifts Sunday team v Maniacs (a), 11am Sunday

SWIFTS MATCH SCHEDULE FOR 2010

LOTTO NRFL DIVISION 1 UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

MAR	CH 2010)			
Α	20	14:45	Mangere United	1-2	
Н	27	14:45	Papakura City	2-1	
APR	IL 2010				
Α	3	14:45	Cambridge FC	3-0	
Α	5	14:45	Ellerslie	0-3	
Н	10	14:45	North Force	2-2	
Α	17	14:45	Onehunga Mangere United	0-1	
Н	24	14:45	North Shore United	7-2	
MAY	2010				
Α	1	14:45	Fencibles United	0-1	
Н	8	14:45	Mt Albert-Ponsonby	3-2	
Α	15	14:00	Mt Albert-Ponsonby (Cup)	2-3	
Н	22	14:45	Birkenhead United	3-2	
Α	29	14:45	Tauranga City United	2-3	
JUNE	E 2010				
Н	5	14:45	Waiuku	3-0	
Α	12	14:45	Western Springs	0-0	
Н	26	14:45	Hibiscus Coast	2-1	
JULY	2010				
Н	3	14:45	Pukekohe	10-0	
Α	17	14:45	Mt Albert-Ponsonby (1A)	3-4	
Н	24	14:45	Papatoetoe AFC (1A)	1-2	
Н	31	14:45	Manurewa AFC (1A)	0-1	
AUG	UST 2010	0			
Α	7	14:45	North Force (1A)	2-1	
Α	14	14:45	Hamilton Wanderers (1A)	pp	
Н	21	14:45	Takapuna (1A)		
Α	28	14:45	Eastern Suburbs (1A)		

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Auckland Football - www.aucklandfootball.org.nz

Northern League Forum - www.northernleagueforum.co.nz

SportsWeb Soccer - www.sportswebsoccer.com

NZ Soccer Scoreboard - www.nzsoccerscoreboard.com

Team Sheet

MATAMATA SWIFTS Black & White shirts, Black shorts, Black socks	v	TAKAPUNA A White s Blue shorts, Blue s	shirts,
1 Tom Pamment 2 Pete Shannon 3 Oliver Wright 4 Gary Dobson 5 William Mason 6 Duncan Lowry 7 Mike Spencer 8 Andy Birchenough 9 Andrew Taylor 10 Ged Parkinson 11 Mark Knell 12 Bevan Woltersdorf 13 Grant Cooper 14 Alberto Romero 15 Andrew Clothier 16 Mike Beard 17 Andrew Cooper 18 Stu Watene 19 Jon Allen 20 Simon Arthur 21 Jamie Baxter	OFFICIALS Referee Liam Lawrence Assistant 1 Michael White Assistant 2 Martin Huang	Aidan Gwilt Michael Callon Darkwa Godwin Sid Pederson Dimas Da Silva Michael Boardman Scott Campbell Mario Kilogiri Barry Donachie Jeff Campbell Ricky Sheehan Peter Shaw Michael Cox Michael Buhagiar Fletcher O'Rourke Leigh Rayson Coach Clive Cam Manager Wayne Hall Physio Andrew Newm	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 14 15 17 RGK
22 Tim Miller31 Jonathan CrookCoach Duncan Lowry		Match Day Spo	nsor

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Asst Coach Gary Darkes

Manager Dwayne Barlow