



2022 YP FOOTBALL LEAGUE GRAND FINAL PREVIEW

**SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 17
AT BUTE**



YPFL A GRADE... Club captains Tyler Andrews (Moonta) and Angus Glazbrook (CMS Crows) will go head to head when the two sides meet in the season decider this weekend.

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League reflects on a competitive season

REPORT BY:
Fin Hansen

ONE game remains on the 2022 Yorke Peninsula Football League calendar.

CMS Crows are set to face Moonta for premiership glory in the A grade at Bute this Saturday, September 17.

Following two Covid-19-interrupted seasons in 2020 and 2021, league secretary Phil Brand described 2022 as the best standard of football he has seen on the peninsula.

"It's been exceptional the way the A grade panned out – I can't ever remember the top four teams all finishing on the same number of points after the minor round," Brand said.

"Nothing can split Moonta and Crows, as seen through the season, and it will come down to who comes to play.

"It was a huge achievement for the league to have three players who made the SA Country side and we saw plenty of talent poll highly in the Mail Medal count a couple weeks ago."

Brand said the YPFL board, with passionate president Brad Haylock at the helm, had again led the way this season.

"Our volunteers have all contributed well this year and continue to be an important part of the league," he said.

"However, it would be good to see more young people step up and help out their clubs."

Brand said the YPFL junior competitions were in a healthy position.

"Some junior teams, like Wallaroo and (Central Yorke) Cougars have had good runs while others are struggling a bit, but it all happens in a cycle and I'm sure the bottom sides will climb back up soon," he said.

"We've allowed teams to play 25 players each game this year to help more kids feel part of their teams and keep them around for a bit longer.

"Our new junior committee, chaired by Stephen Brown, has functioned well too and has had good contribution from each club.

"We've had a few young umpires step up and do a really good job this year, but we're always looking for more.

"Overall, the competition is in a great spot and I wish all the teams competing the best of luck this weekend."



FINALS CLASH... Harry Litster, CMS Crows, and Malcolm Karpany, Moonta, will have their eyes on the prize this week.

What if there's a draw?

In the event of a drawn grand final, the competing sides will play two five-minute halves of extra time, kicking each direction once.

At the conclusion of the first period of extra time, the teams swap ends immediately before play gets underway again.

This will occur until there is a difference in the two sides' scores.

The last known drawn A grade grand final was the 1986 Yorke Valley Football League grand final between Paskeville 14.20 (104) and Arthurton 15.14 (104).

On that day, Paskeville was four goals down when time on began in the last quarter, before Ian Westbrook, David Kemp, John Rooney and Neil Harrop all scored in quick succession.

With seconds to go, Paskeville had a chance to win the game but a kick into the man on the mark as the siren sounded meant it was all over, as, according to Yorke Peninsula Country Times scribe Joan Hill, "players and the crowd looked on in disbelief, and then amazement".

As per the regulations of the day, the teams had to come back the following week and play the game again, this time Paskeville victorious 12.12 (84) to 9.16 (70).

CMS Crows and Central Yorke Cougars played out a draw in last week's A grade preliminary final, with both sides finishing the fourth quarter on 95 points.

CMS added three goals and two behinds on the board across extra time, keeping Cougars scoreless, to win by 20 points.

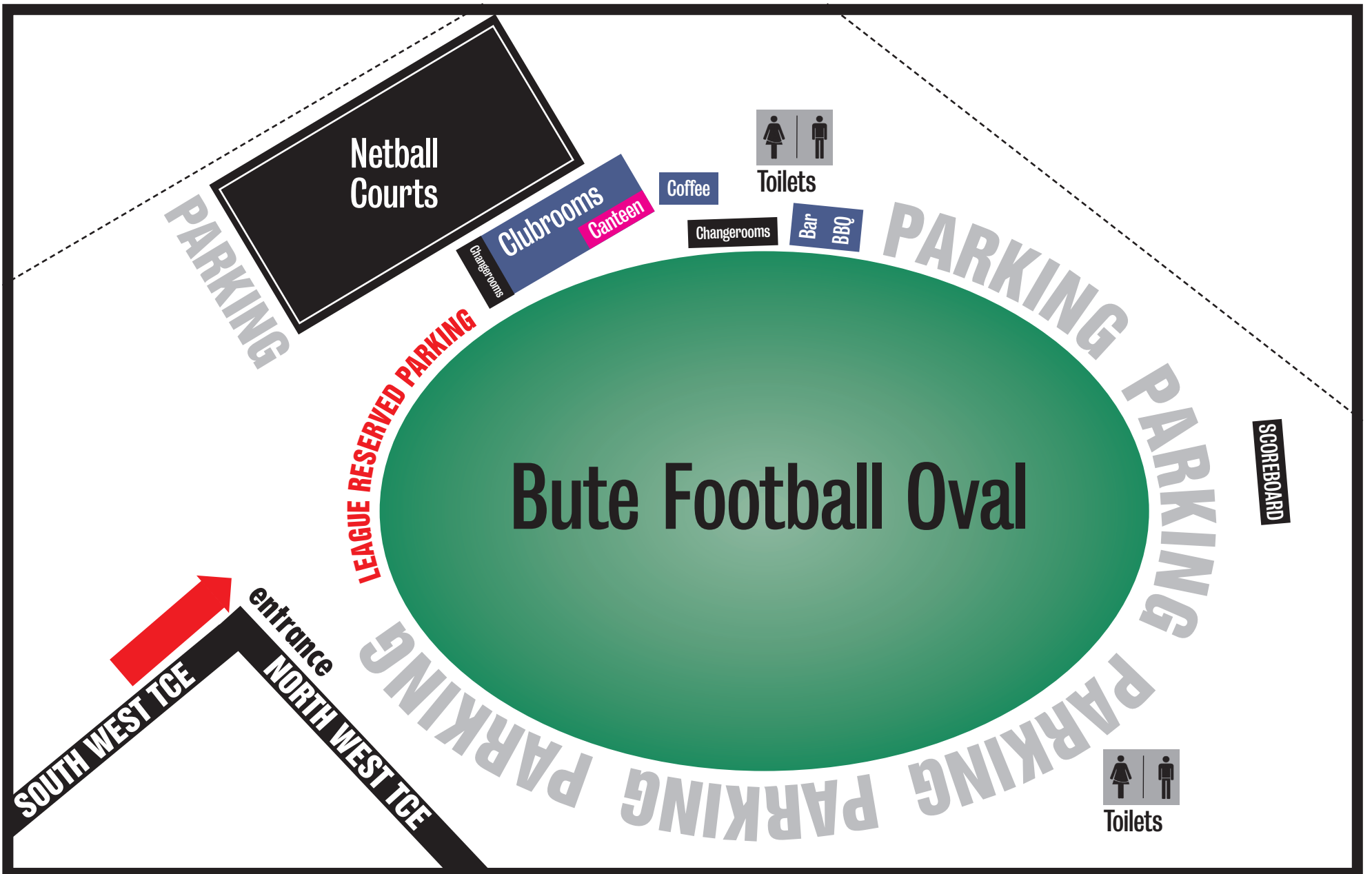


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YPFL GRAND FINAL PREVIEW



YPFL GRAND FINALS

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	Junior Colts	Senior Colts	B Grade	A Grade
	9.15am	10.35am	12.15pm	2.15pm
	Walloo v CY Cougars	Walloo v CY Cougars	Kadina v Southern Eagles	Moonta v CMS Crows

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One last dance for flag hopefuls

REPORT BY:
"Jeremy Binlayson"

And just like that, the Yorke Peninsula Football League 2022 season is all but over.

Just two teams remain after an extraordinary day of preliminary finals action at Ardrossan on Saturday, September 10. The A grade was an absolute cracker as both CMS Crows and Central Yorke Cougars slogged it out right to the final siren, when scores were dead level. I can't remember the last time a final ended in a draw so it was awesome to see them battle it out in extra time, when Crows pulled away to escape an upset.

A grade

Moonta v CMS Crows

Yet again, the two most dominant sides all year will meet in the big dance. Nothing, I mean literally nothing can split these two. Moonta advanced straight through when they met in the semifinal a couple weeks ago, but if Crows bring the same intensity as on Saturday they could go back-to-back. I expect this one will be won in the midfield battle, where a desperate Dylan Mansell owned the contest for Moonta when they last met. With support from Matt Appleton and Ryley Maitland in the engine room, the Demons will be tough to overcome. But Crows may boast the deeper side on paper. A young, yet resilient backline stood up again on the weekend, while forwards Ben Edwards, Adam Jolly and Angus Glazbrook have been gobbling whatever comes their way. If they can get another scoreboard contribution from their midfielders, I anticipate the Crows' precise skills and running capacity could get the job done... just.

At the final siren... CMS Crows by a point.

B grade

Kadina v Southern Eagles

To no surprise, the Eagles cruised past a competitive Crows outfit to again meet Kadina in the grand final. The Bloods will regain few players thanks to its A grade bombing out of contention, but it looms as

another evenly-matched contest. I expect Eagles to continue feeding their tall timber, including Michael Beelitz, down the line, where Kadina was extremely resolute to hold up. Onballers Matt Drewer and Andrew Daniell will likely bring some tough tackling pressure again and force a hot football. But the fleet-footed Bloods, led by Mail Medal duo Isaac Glasgow and Josh Lawson, should match the pressure inside. Although it may come down to the very end, I think Kadina will pull home thanks to some extra class and younger legs.

At the final siren... Kadina by two goals.

Senior colts

Wallaroo v Central Yorke Cougars

Clearly the two best all year, Cougars will face the powerhouse Wallaroo in a much-anticipated spectacle. By bringing somewhere near their best, the Bulldogs should have no issues in coming home with the flag. But gun Cougars Flynn Briggs and Kane Elliott-Karpany will no doubt pile some pressure on early. Coming off its 10-goal thumping over Moonta a few weeks ago, Wallaroo will take in plenty of belief in its style. With guns on every line, including Dylan Niotis down back and Blake Miller in the front half, the Dogs should get the job done if they hold their nerve.

At the final siren... Wallaroo by six goals.

Junior colts

Wallaroo v Central Yorke Cougars

Like their senior colt mates, both the Dogs and Cougars will square off on the biggest stage. Also coming off a massive win against Moonta, Wallaroo will bring all the momentum into this one. These young Dogs have a great appetite for the contest which is awesome to watch. Farren Finn and Hunter Wellgreen have been booting goals with their eyes closed in recent weeks. Blake Elliott-Karpany, Charlie Kakoschke and George Butler will put some heat on without a doubt, but I don't expect it'll be anything the Dogs can't withstand.

At the final siren... Wallaroo by five goals.



LAST HOORAH... Oliver Mullins, Moonta, leaps to smother as Angus Glazbrook, CMS Crows, kicks for goal in the semifinal on Saturday, September 3. The Demons will come in fresh from a week off while the Crows back-to-back premierships.

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Final word with YPFL coaches

Pridham eyes off Demons redemption

Moonta coach Luke Pridham only has to look back 12 months to know what grand final heartache feels like and this weekend he'll only need to look around him to be reminded of the culprit.

Moonta went down in the 2021 decider at the hands of the Crows by a point, so 2022 has all been about seeking redemption for the Demons.

Pridham said his side has learned a lot since then, particularly through navigating this season's Covid-19 and injury pitfalls.

"We've been building all year, we've been pretty hard hit by injury and illness all year so I think it just goes to show when we're at full strength, we're pretty hard to beat," he said.

"We know we're good enough when we've got a full squad.

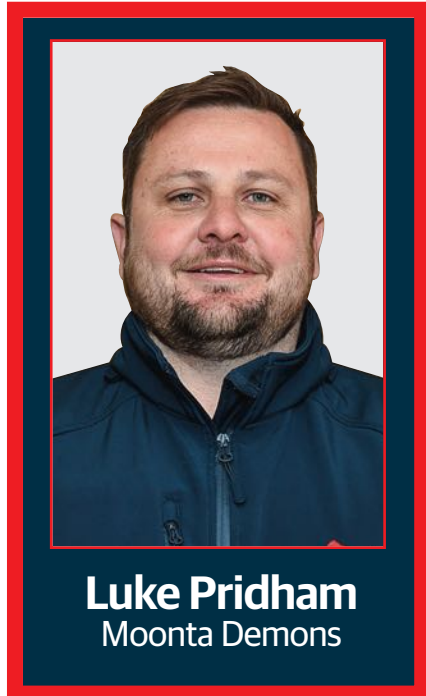
"If you're not good enough with a full team then fair enough, but when you've got injury and illness, it's disappointing when you work so hard for the whole year."

His side finished the minor round in second, and won through to the grand final with victories against Kadina and Crows.

He watched as the Crows went to extra time to book their place in the season's final match, seeing their never-say-die attitude once again.

"The Crows never give up, we learned first-hand last year they're always a chance, although it was pretty tight in the end, you always had a feeling they were going to come back," he said.

"The first couple of times we played them we had a couple of players out but in saying that, they towelled us up pretty easy.



Luke Pridham
Moonta Demons

"I don't think they copped any injuries on the weekend so both teams will come in pretty evenly matched up and I don't think anyone could forecast a blow-out, I think it'll come down to the last few minutes again."

Pridham said last year's title decider defeat still burns for people at the club.

"We were pretty unbeatable last year, I think we only lost one minor round game and final, whereas this year we've had to fight bloody hard at times with seven or eight players out to make the top three which is where you have to be," he said.

"It (this year's premiership) would never eradicate what happened last year but it'll help heal it a little bit.

"People know how much myself, or any other A grade coach on the peninsula, put in to try and get here."

Baillie's back-to-back glory in touching reach

CMS Crows coach Brett Baillie knows if the going gets tough, his tough players will get going.

He watched as his side clawed back a last quarter deficit to win the preliminary final by 20 points in extra time.

The way they captured last year's premiership, a last gasp victory, will also feel fresh in their minds as they go out for this year's rematch against Moonta.

"Obviously, it (the preliminary final) was an absolute rollercoaster but to get through in overtime, I think, gives us lots of confidence so we know if we're in that position again we could do it again," he said.

"We felt like we were in a pretty good position as the game wore on.

"We had rested players well throughout the course of the game, which meant we had some fresher legs come the crunch time, which we were able to bring on when we needed.

"In the end, with the way it unfolded in overtime, it might have been the difference."

Baillie said, when the sides met in the second semifinal two weeks ago, he felt their skills let them down.

"I think our skills let us down that day, but we took lessons out of it for sure," he said.

"We were much better for having the opportunity to play in the preliminary final last week though, just to bring a little bit more match hardness to our last month.

"I'm a big believer of momentum in footy, so after two weeks off in a row, to have two tough contests before a grand final is probably a really good thing and it gives us the confidence to get over hurdles."

Baillie said his side's ability to finish top of the ladder after the minor round despite a somewhat up and down season was really pleasing.



Brett Baillie
CMS Crows

"I think in the first half of the year we had a lot of guys out with injury which hurt us but we were still able to find a way through and then in the second half of the season we really hit our straps," he said.

"We've added more midfield depth to our side this year, we've added Tom Schott and Jake Cook who have both been standout performers for us at times.

"Guys have come through really well for us too, Lachlan Pointon, Ryley Newbold and Murphy Short are all still very young but have all gone up a level this year which has helped us a lot."

Just because they won it last year, doesn't mean a win on Saturday would feel any less important for his side either.

"It would be massive," he said.

"We're a really proud club and it would cap off a few great years for us if we were to win, having made the last three grand finals now.

"To win back-to-back would be fantastic."

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Kadina v Southern Eagles

B GRADE - 12.15PM

Kadina	Southern Eagles
Duncan Curnow (C) 1	1 Tim Daniell
David Poole (C) 2	7 Michael Beelitz (VC)
Lachie Brook 4	12 Koby Poulton
Joshua Lawson 5	13 Jordan Carrocci
Daniel McDonald 6	15 Andrew Daniell
Darcy Snodgrass 8	18 Joseph Murdock (C)
Michael Rodda 10	21 Michael Collins
Harrison Window 11	23 Liam Hayes
Josh Allen 12	29 Angus Murdoch
Toby Glasson 13	32 Joshua Savage
Brett Jericho (VC) 14	35 Liam Mack
Taj Kleinig 15	36 Jakson Mansell
James Poole (VC) 16	37 Corie Hoare
Ben McNicholl 18	39 Tristan Russell
Ryan Bruce 19	40 Matthew Drewer
Cameron Faulkner 21	45 Jack Stuart
Bailey Rawlinson 22	47 George Bond
James Lawry 23	49 Miles McEvoy (DVC)
Bailey McNicholl 24	52 Joshua Phippen-Edwards
Thomas Paddick 25	53 Daniel Tilbrook
Ty Kirkwood 24	55 Tom Giles
Michael Aplin 26	57 Caleb Rivers
Nathan Perkins 27	
Jacob Williams 28	
Jake Rawlinson 29	
Isaac Glasgow 30	
Andrew Liebelt	
Kye McDonald	
Jonathon Lee	

Wallaroo v CY Cougars

SENIOR COLTS - 10.35AM

Wallaroo	CY Cougars
Charlie Hines 1	2 Brody Davies
Brodie Platten 2	3 Harry Kakoschke
Zyndel Galvez 3	4 Charlie Davies
Jayden Steer 4	5 Henry Southwood
Dylan Niotis (C) 5	6 Flynn Briggs
Rylan Richardson 6	7 Oliver Linke
Lochi Nolan 8	8 Isaiah Rigney
William Read 9	9 Angus Beston
Jordy Martin 10	11 Rupert Polkinghorne
Nathan Fletcher 11	12 Jareth Newchurch
Xander Petherick 12	13 Conrad Buckskin
Domenic Bagnato (C) 13	14 Brodie Alderman
Steven Beadle Finch 14	17 Kalvyn Karpany
Isaac Kemenyvary 16	18 Mitchell James McInerney
Jack Mumford 17	19 Jackson Davies
Tate Kay 18	20 Brad Barnes
Blake Miller 19	21 Tom May
Hamza Ali 20	22 Russell Feltus (C)
Ryan Kirley (C) 21	23 Cooper Jarrett
Adam Dempster 22	24 Zac Dutschke
Luke Russel 23	25 Barnaby Wheare
Connor Launder 24	27 Benjamin Allen
Liam Frost 25	28 Jude Howarth
Zak Cuthill 33	29 Will Davey
	32 Hudson Schonfeldt-Kennedy

Wallaroo v CY Cougars

JUNIOR COLTS - 9.15AM

Wallaroo	CY Cougars
Declan Stevens 1	1 George Butler
Kolbi Weight 2	3 Hamish Vandeppeer
Brodie Hines 3	4 Archie Davies
Cohen Mummery 4	6 Jack Wheeler
Francesco Bagnato 5	7 Tyler Patching
Mitchell Miller 10	8 Charlie Kakoschke (VC)
Frank Mind 11	9 Jack Southwood (C)
Ayden Giles 12	11 Finn Dyett
William Rogers 13	12 Hugo Thyer
Curtis Kuhndt 14	15 Rhys Heinrich
Xander Read 15	16 Tyler Mills
Shann Hanson 16	18 Tiaysha Wanganeen
Anthony Paxton (C) 17	19 Jack Kohlhagen
Hunter Wellgreen (C) 18	20 Blake Elliott-Karpany
Archie Winter 19	23 Fraser Heinrich
Isaac Freeman 20	25 Rhashawn Agius
Mia Frost 21	26 Jimmy Secker
Mathilda Turrell 22	28 Nakaisha Brown
Farren Finn 23	29 Nakyah Elliott-Karpany
Ryan Zimmermann 24	30 Rovina Newchurch
Riley Miller (C) 25	32 Joseph Karpany
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YPFL decides on Team of the Year

REPORT BY:
Fin Hansen

For the first time in several seasons, Yorke Peninsula Football League has selected a 2022 Team of the Year.

The YPFL executive committee selected the team with help from this year's Nutrien Ag Solutions Cup A grade selection panel.

Moonta has led all clubs with six selections, while CMS Crows, Central Yorke Cougars and Kadina each feature four players.

The side has an extended five-man bench, with the coach set to be named after Saturday's grand final.

Selector Adam Pitt said the team was picked with the main focus being the best possible YPFL side.

"The panel looked at games played, best players and goals scored to help form the best possible team," he said.

"Wins were taken into account, but there were also players included from non-dominant sides who had a big effect on their teams.

"When we all came together with our best teams, they were all very similar.

"Unfortunately, there were lots of great players who missed out but those selected certainly deserved their spots."

RUCK:

Kieran Yakas
(Moonta)

Nathan Allen
(Southern Eagles)

Zac Bates
(CY Cougars)

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Winner of Moonta
(Luke Pridham) v
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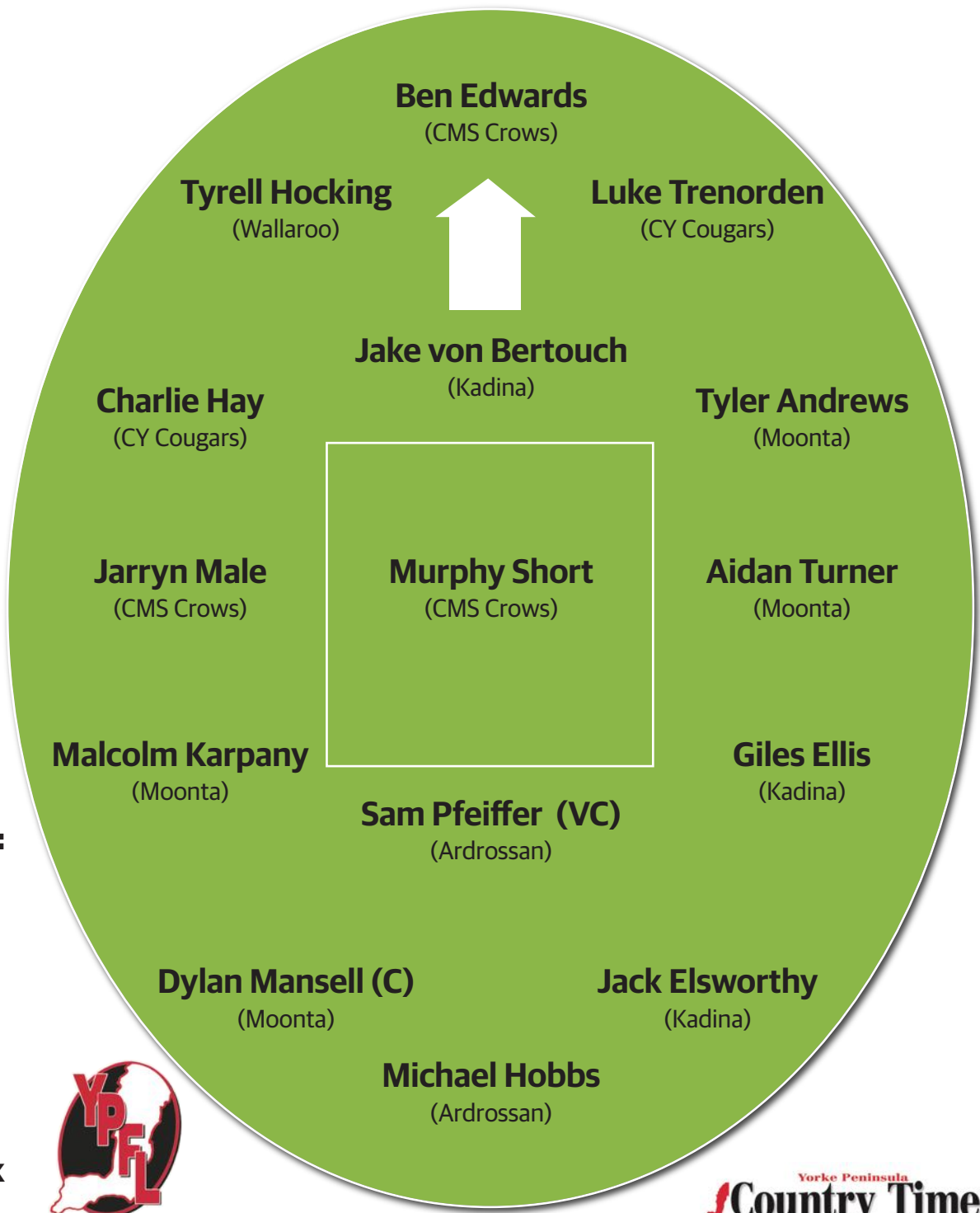
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(Kadina)

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Sam Davis
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(CMS Crows)



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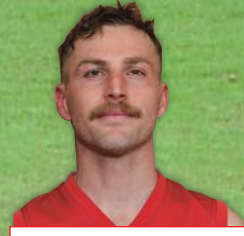
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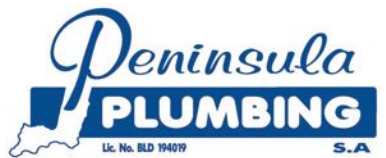
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4 Thomas SCHOTT

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Another successful season

This weekend's grand finals will bring to close another successful Yorke Peninsula Netball Association season.

"It has been a really good year," president Sue Brown said.

"We have not had anywhere near as many Covid cases as we thought, and when clubs have had players out, they have handled it really well.

"It's just part of our life now and our clubs are managing it really well by running with more numbers.

"We've also seen other players given opportunities to play up, which they may not have otherwise."

Brown said the changes to the season have benefited the entire association.

"Having girls go up when they may not have normally, is absolutely a good thing for the individual players, their clubs and the competition in general," she said.

"It's brought up the quality of the matches too, it's been a great season.

"We've had some tight ones, including a final which went into extra time, and that's a testament to how well the clubs have trained.

"There have been some very competitive matches this season, even if the ladder positions don't reflect that."

Brown praised all teams for their work this season, not only those who have made it to the final match.

"Some teams have had to work really hard to earn their places in the finals and it's a testament to them," she said.

"While other teams didn't make finals, they shouldn't see that as a bad thing, as there was a lot of growth from within the teams.

"Some clubs are in a rebuilding phase but they have been competitive all year.

"Every club goes through that phase, and they should take confidence in their ability to mix it at times with the top teams, to find little goals in each quarter and focus on them."

All clubs have had teams in finals again highlighting the strength of the competition.

"There has been some really good netball played this year, the finals have been no exception, and this one is too close to call," Brown said.



RUTHLESS... Paskeville's Abbey Price accidentally hits Chloe Turley, Bute, in the face as she tries to defend a pass in the B grade first semifinal. The YP Netball Association season has been a tough and tight one.

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A grand day for finals teams

REPORT BY:
"First Aid Kit"

It seems like just yesterday our netball season was starting and now our teams are lining up for the 2022 grand finals. How time flies!

Congratulations to every team who made it to the grand final and remember to soak it all in.

Premierships don't grow on trees, so make the most of your opportunities.

But, just to be contradictory and slightly annoying, have fun — you're out playing sport with your mates in (hopefully) some delightful weather.

We've seen all but one of these match-ups this finals series, which is very exciting, and fascinating and I wish I had more space to unpack that.

Best of luck to everyone.

A grade

CMS Crows v CY Cougars

Redemption is a bit of a theme this finals series, with the Cougars looking to get back at the Crows for last year's loss. These sides are incredibly evenly matched. Crows have been a step ahead every side this year, bar their one loss to Kadina, but on paper, they line up quite well. While Cougars have lost each time they've played this season, all it takes is a small little nugget of belief. Expect to see association best and fairest Alix Hillebrand doing what she does best while Crows' engine room will be firing on all cylinders. We've come too far now for me to go back on my initial tips, so I'm sticking to my guns.

At the final whistle...

Crows by one goal.

B grade

CMS Crows v CY Cougars

Crows had a comfortable win against Cougars in their semifinal. The match was

tight early and I expect it to be again this week. Crows are formidable across all areas of the court, and accurate shooting from Jess Farrow and Erin Cock will help their side.

However, Sadie Polkinghorne and Alanna Barrand made the Crows work for every goal two weeks ago, and along with the rest of their team, will do so again. It's going to be a much closer result than the last match-up I think.

At the final whistle...

Crows by five goals.

C grade

CMS Crows v Kadina

I've said it once, and I'll say it again. There's something about those Crows. Could this match-up extend into overtime again? Kadina was too strong for Moonta last week. Both these teams are well drilled, with Carolyn Jansons for Crows and Karm Kleinig for Kadina running tight ships. Both sides have the ability to make some changes if needed, with players able to shift into different roles to meet any needs. Kadina won't want a repeat of the semifinal, but Crows will be looking to make it a clean sweep.

At the final whistle...

Crows by 10 goals.

D grade

Walleroo v Bute

Congratulations to Bute's D grade for earning the opportunity to play in a home grand final. Don't discount the impact this will have on Bute's girls — they'll have the knowledge of the court, and the supporters behind them. These sides have been close all year and both will be hungry for some seniors silverware — something that has been rare for both clubs in recent years.

At the final whistle... Bute

by two goals.

E grade

Moonta v CY Cougars

We've talked about Crows' ascendancy in the seniors, now here we have Moonta. Moonta has been undefeated this season, it boasts an incredibly strong defence and an accurate shooting combo. Cougars shooters though, especially Summer Davies, shouldn't be discounted. Cougars came from six down at quarter time to be up by eight against Kadina. That's an incredible turnaround and testament to the belief these girls have in themselves. Can they pull off an upset?

At the final whistle...

Moonta by 12 goals.

F grade

Moonta v Ardrossan

The top two sides meet again for one more clash. Ardrossan used its home ground advantage well last week to topple Kadina. They led from the get go but instead of taking the foot off Shayla Brind and Amelia Cornell pushed Ardrossan to a sensational win. Moonta just has the edge in wins and losses, but the semifinal margin was only four goals. I expect this to be close again.

At the final whistle...

Moonta by two goals.

G grade

Moonta v CY Cougars

Yes, Moonta has been essentially untouchable this season. But, the grand final is a totally different day. Cougars were strong against Crows and the match was close, until the end. There is no denying Moonta is an exceptionally talented team and it's essentially expected they will win this one by quite a way. Only the players will be able to change that. Regardless of the result, we've got some actual junior stars in this match.

At the final whistle...

Moonta by 25 goals.



YPNA A GRADE SECOND SEMIFINAL... Georgina Farrow, CMS Crows, leaps to attempt to block a shot at goal by Sarah Luke, CY Cougars.

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Yorke Peninsula Netball Association counts vote

CMS Crows hosted this year's Yorke Peninsula Netball Association vote count at the Curramulka Community Club on Sunday, September 11.

Junior grades were celebrated in the morning with a high tea and the senior votes were counted over charcuterie boards.

The CMS Crows were awarded the Jean Gundersen Memorial Trophy for most votes overall across junior and senior grades.

The club received a total of 401 votes for a clear win by 17 votes.

A grade best and fairest Alix Hillebrand, of CY Cougars, scored 24 votes, three ahead of runner-up Prue Hicks, of Kadina.

Bute's Olivia Dunn and

Paskeville's Jorja Rogers tied on 21 votes for the B grade trophy while Crows' Nikki Hoyle claimed the C grade award with 24, four ahead of Cougars' Charlotte Nixon.

The D grade was tight too with Wallaroo's Emily Koch receiving 24 votes to runner-up Hannah Price's, Bute, 22.

The junior grades were also close with E grade Summer Davies, Cougars, finished ahead of Moonta's Hallie Koch.

Mackenzie Wood, Kadina, was the F grade runner-up to Moonta's Charlotte Keleher and Moonta's Jayme Koch scoring 22 votes to win the G grade best and fairest from Bute's Lacey Millard, 21.



YPNA VOTE COUNT... CMS Crows' Nikki Hoyle, Georgina Farrow, Matilda Wheare, Lauren McSkimming and Carolyn Jansons celebrate winning the Jean Gundersen Memorial Trophy for most overall votes.



YPNA VOTE COUNT... A grade best and fairest winner Alix Hillebrand, CY Cougars, received 24 votes. (Absent: runner-up with 21 votes Prue Hicks, Kadina.)



YPNA VOTE COUNT... B grade joint best and fairest winners Bute's Olivia Dunn and Jorja Rogers, Paskeville, with 21 votes.



YPNA VOTE COUNT... C grade best and fairest winner Nikki Hoyle, CMS Crows on 24 votes. (Absent: runner-up Charlotte Nixon, CY Cougars, 20 votes.)



YPNA VOTE COUNT... D grade runner-up best and fairest Hannah Price, Bute, with 22 votes and winner Emily Koch, Wallaroo, with 24 votes.



YPNA VOTE COUNT... E grade best and fairest winner Summer Davies, CY Cougars, on 27 votes and runner-up Hallie Koch, Moonta, 24 votes.



YPNA VOTE COUNT... F grade runner-up best and fairest Mackenzie Wood, Kadina, 24 votes with best and fairest winner Charlotte Keleher, Moonta, 30 votes.



YPNA VOTE COUNT... G grade runner-up best and fairest from Bute Lacey Millard on 21 votes and best and fairest winner Jayme Koch, Moonta, 22 votes.

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Good luck to all teams in the 2022 grand finals!

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CMS Crows v CY Cougars

B GRADE - 12.45PM

CMS Crows

Coach: Erin Cock
Jessica Farrow
Erin Cock
Sophie Newell
Taitlyn Tilbrook
Kari Jones
Breeana McNeilly
Matilda Wheare
Renee Edwards
Liliana Alafaci
Tani Farrow
Hannah Short

CY Cougars

Sophie Baker
Alanna Barrand
Tayla Barrand (C)
Georgina Davies
Bridget Dutschke
Marley Holmes
Jessica Morony
Sadie Polkinghorne

CMS Crows v Kadina

C GRADE - 2.05PM

CMS Crows

Coach: Carolyn Jansons
Nikki Hoyle
Tani Farrow
Liliana Alafaci
Macey Coe
Ellah-Rose Plane
Victoria Ingham
Sarah Browne
Sharni Humphrys
Eleanor Brown
Zoe Weir

Kadina

Playing coach: Karmela Kleinig
Cheyanne Ostendorf
Mackenzie Weltman
Hayley Lockwood
Brooke Daws
Ebony Lamshed
Mia Schmidt
Claudia Lawrence
Meg Lock
Tayler Nelson

Wallaroo v Bute

D GRADE - 11.25AM

Wallaroo

Playing coach: Georgia Voigt
Mel Halliday
Chelsea Maywald
Lauren Coleman
Tahnee Crossman
Jennifer Custance
Taylah Miller
Sandra Discombe
Emily Koch
Emily Ramsey

Bute

Playing coach: Denatah Treloar
Alycia Lang
Breanna Marks
Eliza Johnson
Eloise Guest
Hayley Loechel
Matilda Cox
Shilo Agnew
Sophie Angel
Hannah Price

Moonta v CY Cougars

E GRADE - 10.05AM

Moonta

Coaches: Bella Congdon,
Kate Maitland, Kelly Harris
Hallie Koch (C)
Olivia Blackwell (C)
Makayla Fawkes
Tammin Hughes
Scarlett Hatcher
Bree Williams
Maeve Cockshell
Olivia Jones
Lana Elsworthy
Ella Aldridge

CY Cougars

Summer Davies
Annabel Geater-Johnson (C)
Madeleine Honner
Hayley Humes
Daisy Jarrett
Maggie Moore
Nellie Polkinghorne
Marley Smith

Moonta v Ardrossan

F GRADE - 8.45AM

Moonta

Coaches: Sally Hackett,
Hayley Durdin-Dodman
Charlotte Keleher (C)
Amelia Bugg (VC)
Abby Braley
Chloe Formosa
Lucy Hancocks
Tayla Oxspring
Jayda Norton
Blair Ramsey
India Rowntree

Ardrossan

Coach: Elisha Carter
Tia Black
Caitlyn Wheare
Shayla Brind
Amelia Cornell
Amelia Moloney
Sienna Lawrie
Ashlee Clifford
Charlotte Howse
Olivia Howse
Jemma Mattschoss
Stella Clifford

Moonta v CY Cougars

G GRADE - 10.15AM

Moonta

Coaches: Narelle Koch,
Tamara Lodge
Violet Cooper (C)
Nevayah Karpany
Jayme Koch
Summer Koch
Sienna Madigan
Sophia Marchetto
Dolce Wauchope
Mikalah Zwar

CY Cougars

Sophie Burrows (C)
Alice Butler
Lily Davies
Mia Davies
Isabelle Hucks
Amelia Johnson
Penny Kohlhagen
Matilda Southwood
Asha Whittaker



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- **A GRADE:** CMS Crows v CY Cougars, 3.15pm
- **B GRADE:** CMS Crows v CY Cougars, 12.45pm
- **C GRADE:** CMS Crows v Kadina, 2.05pm
- **D GRADE:** Wallaroo v Bute, 11.25am
- **E GRADE:** Moonta v CY Cougars, 10.05am
- **F GRADE:** Moonta v Ardrossan, 8.45am
- **G GRADE:** Moonta v CY Cougars, 10.15am

A GRADE

INTERCHANGE: Emma Daniel.

INTERCHANGE: Isabella Varricchio, Taitlyn Tilbrook, Breeana McNeilly.

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Netball coaches' final word



Lauren McSkimming
CMS Crows
A grade coach

What a year! Our team has been bolstered by the return of three experienced players while maintaining four players from last season.

We've produced quality netball throughout the season, which had us sitting on top of the ladder at the end of the minor round.

The return of Sasha McSkimming has provided height and a composed presence at GS.

With the quick movement and agility of Bronwyn Farrow in GA, they make a strong combination in the attacking circle.

Our midcourt is a highly experienced and skilled trio of Felicity Kemp, Tegan Young and Josie Rudduck who combine well to provide great drive through the centre court and apply

pressure on every opposition pass.

Georgina Farrow has provided strong defence in the GK position this year and together we combine to apply great defensive pressure to our opponents.

During a season when Covid has caused disruption for all teams, we have been able to call on the depth of our club to have enormous quality on our bench through Taitlyn Tilbrook, Bree McNeilly, Kari Jones and Jessica Farrow.

Any one of these players could take the court during the grand final and not be out of place.

For the grand final, as for every other game we have played this year, our focus will be to play good quality netball and be highly competitive for four quarters.

We have the utmost respect for our opponents, and we know we will have to play at our very best.

Cougars have pushed us in every game we have played against them this season, and every match-up on court will be competitive.

They have strength in all positions, with their attacking combination particularly strong in Lana Bagshaw and Sarah Luke.

In the midcourt, it will be exciting to see our players compete against the quality of Alix Hillebrand, Laura Cassidy, Debra Bray and Chloe Linke, while the Cougars defensive duo of Jo Davey and Emma Daniel will be formidable opposition.

While the outcome of the game will be determined on the day, it is sure to be an outstanding display of netball and we are looking forward to it.



Janine Burrows
CY Cougars
A grade coach

Once again our A grade has had a great season, reflected with evergreen Alix Hillebrand winning the YPNA best and fairest over the weekend and fellow stalwart Jo Davey finishing third.

We would love to top off a great season with a win this weekend.

As always CMS Crows will be fierce competition and hard to beat, but we would love redemption for our one-goal loss last year.

We have an experienced and versatile team, so fingers crossed!

We have come second to the Crow girls in our three match ups this year, but feel we are getting

closer each time, with the semifinal game being a seesawing contest where we just couldn't get that extra push to get over the line.

Hopefully this is our week – we know they can be beaten, having been defeated during the season by Kadina.

Early in the season we were certainly unable to match the fitness of the Crows' midcourt of Tegan Young, Josie Rudduck and Felicity Kemp, but feel that Laura Cassidy and Hillebrand have lifted and put in the hard work in the second half of the season, and can hopefully stop their speedy midcourt drive.

Both goal circles for the Crows are a tough match up with significant height advantage to the Crows.

Sarah Luke has been standing strong and tall recently and, with the calm and experienced Lana Bagshaw supporting her, I think she will stand tall and deliver.

Defensively, Jo Davey will have a tough day against Sasha McSkimming but she has the experience and tenacity to come out on top.

Whatever the result, I am confident it will be a cracking game of netball.

I'm proud of my team who have adapted to whatever position they have been called on to play each week, they are a great bunch of girls and we always have a laugh and enjoy ourselves. Go Cougars.

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YPNA A GRADE... Lana Bagshaw (CY Cougars) and Bronwyn Farrow (CMS Crows) are preparing for this weekend's grand final.



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