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NPL MEN
LIONS FC
20 FEB - 12 SEP 2026

LIONS FC

LUXURY PAINTS STADIUM
HOW THE MEN FINISHED

1st OF 12 TEAMS PREMIERS

Premiers and champions

19 wins, two draws and three losses in NPL Men, 62 goals scored and 23 conceded. Finished 1st on the table as premiers. Then won the Grand Final 1–0 against Peninsula Power.

LIONS FC



79% 8% 12%

24	19	2	3	62-23	+39
PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	GOALS FOR–AGAINST	

THE FULL LADDER · 12 TEAMS

1 PREMIERS LIONS FC	2 PENINSULA POWER	3 MORETON CITY	
4 GOLD COAST	5 BRISBANE CITY	6 WYNNUM WOLVES	
7 EASTERN SUBURBS	8 OLYMPIC FC	9 MAGIC UNITED	
10 ROCHEDALE ROVERS	11 GOLD COAST UNITED	12 BRISBANE ROAR B	

THIS TEAM · RELEGATED TO FQPL 1

2.58	5-0	9	11	7
GOALS A GAME	BIGGEST WIN	ONE-GOAL GAMES	CLEAN SHEETS	HIGHEST WIN STREAK
1.0 conceded a game	v Wynnum Wolves	decided by a single goal	in 24 games	9 May–4 Jul

GOALS, GAME BY GAME

Win · Draw · Loss

Up: goals scored. Down, paler: goals conceded. One column per game, in the order played. The dashed curve traces the shape of the results: up for a win, level for a draw, down for a loss. Crest: the opponent.



RESULTS, HOME & AWAY

	H	A
Games Won	11	8
Games Drawn	2	0
Games Lost	0	3

GOALS, HOME & AWAY

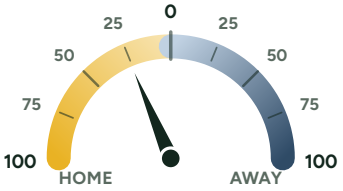
	H	A
Goals For	32	30
Goals Against	10	13
Goal Difference	+22	+17

CLEAN SHEETS, HOME & AWAY

	H	A
Clean Sheets	7	4
Failed to Score	0	0
Games Played	13	11

HOME VS AWAY FORM

25% BETTER FORM



LIONS FC AT THE NPL QUEENSLAND

Every year this squad has played it, from CupRun's own Premier records. Large number: overall place. ● Goals for ● Goals against

36% 2023 LOST IN THE SEMI FINAL	62% 2024 CHAMPIONS	59% 2025 · BACK-TO-BACK CHAMPIONS	79% 2026 · THREE-PEAT CHAMPIONS (THIS REPORT)
8-10-4	15-3-6	13-3-6	19-2-3
5th of 12	3rd of 12	2nd of 12	1st of 12
37 / 29	64 / 31	48 / 29	62 / 23

LIONS FC - NPL MEN - REGULAR SEASON 2026

22 regular season games, in order – finals kept separate

L	A	0.0mm	ROUND 1 · SAT 21 FEB · 6:30 PM · GOODWIN PK **Lost to Olympic FC**	1-2
D	H	18.3mm	ROUND 2 · FRI 27 FEB · 7:30 PM · LPS **Drew with Gold Coast Knights**	2-2
W	A	2.8mm	ROUND 3 · FRI 6 MAR · 7:30 PM · AIS ARENA **Beat Rochedale Rovers**	3-1
W	A	0.0mm	ROUND 4 · SAT 14 MAR · 6:00 PM · HEATH PK **Beat Eastern Suburbs**	3-1
W	H	5.5mm	ROUND 5 · SUN 22 MAR · 5:00 PM · LPS **Beat Magic United**	4-0
D	H	0.0mm	ROUND 6 · SAT 28 MAR · 7:30 PM · LPS **Drew with Brisbane City**	2-2
W	A	0.0mm	ROUND 7 · FRI 10 APR · 7:30 PM · CARMICHAEL PK **Beat Wynnum Wolves**	5-0
W	H	0.0mm	ROUND 8 · SUN 19 APR · 5:00 PM · LPS **Beat Gold Coast United**	1-0
L	A	3.4mm	ROUND 9 · SAT 25 APR · 4:00 PM · AJ KELLY PK **Lost to Peninsula Power**	2-3
W	H	0.0mm	ROUND 10 · SAT 9 MAY · 7:30 PM · LPS **Beat Moreton City Excelsior**	2-0
W	A	1.2mm	ROUND 11 · FRI 15 MAY · 7:15 PM · NRR **Beat Brisbane Roar B**	3-1
W	A	0.0mm	ROUND 13 · SUN 31 MAY · 2:30 PM · BIRM **Beat Magic United**	5-3
W	A	0.0mm	ROUND 14 · SAT 6 JUN · 6:00 PM · GIOCA STAD. **Beat Brisbane City**	4-0
W	H	7.1mm	ROUND 15 · SUN 21 JUN · 5:00 PM · LPS **Beat Rochedale Rovers**	2-1
W	H	3.2mm	ROUND 16 · SUN 28 JUN · 5:00 PM · LPS **Beat Wynnum Wolves**	6-2
W	H	0.0mm	ROUND 17 · SAT 4 JUL · 7:30 PM · LPS **Beat Olympic FC**	2-0
L	A	0.0mm	ROUND 12 · TUE 7 JUL · 7:30 PM · CROA **Lost to Gold Coast Knights**	1-2
W	H	0.1mm	ROUND 18 · SUN 12 JUL · 5:00 PM · LPS **Beat Eastern Suburbs**	1-0
W	A	1.4mm	ROUND 19 · SAT 18 JUL · 3:00 PM · CFSP **Beat Gold Coast United**	1-0
W	H	0.3mm	ROUND 20 · SAT 1 AUG · 6:00 PM · LPS **Beat Peninsula Power**	1-0
W	H	0.0mm	ROUND 21 · FRI 7 AUG · 6:30 PM · LPS **Beat Brisbane Roar B**	4-2
W	A	0.0mm	ROUND 22 · FRI 14 AUG · 7:30 PM · WOLTER PK **Beat Moreton City Excelsior**	2-0

H/A
Home (11)
Away (11)

WEATHER
Fine (12) · Mild (2)
Showers (7) · Rain (1)

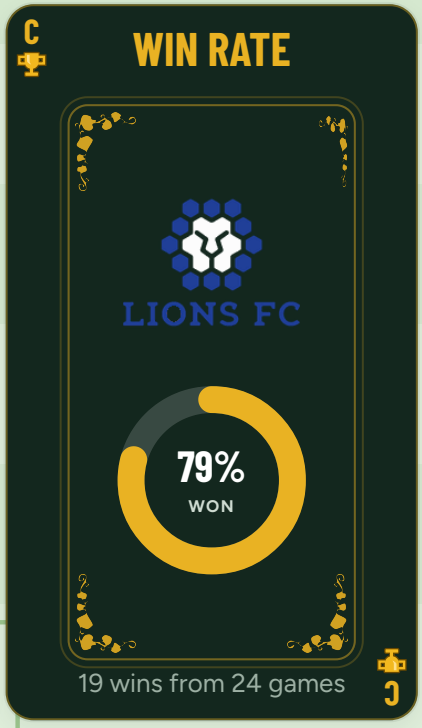
VENUES
LPS Luxury Paints Stadium (11) · **NRR** Nudgee Recreation Reserve (1) · **Gioca Stad.** Gioca Stadium (1) · **BIRM** Birmingham Road (1) · **CFSP** Coplicks Family Sports Park (1) · **Heath Pk** Heath Park (1) · **Carmichael Pk** Carmichael Park (1) · **CROA** Croatian Sports Centre (1) · **Goodwin Pk** Goodwin Park (1) · **AJ Kelly Pk** AJ Kelly Park (1) · **Wolter Pk** Wolter Park (1) · **AIS Arena** AIS Arena (1)

FINAL STANDINGS

	Team	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts
1	Lions FC PREMIERS	22	17	2	3	57	22	+35	53
2	Peninsula Power	22	13	6	3	49	27	+22	45
3	Moreton City Excelsior	22	12	3	7	51	35	+16	39
4	Gold Coast Knights	22	11	5	6	46	32	+14	38
5	Brisbane City	22	9	7	6	47	48	-1	34
6	Wynnum Wolves	22	9	6	7	36	40	-4	33
7	Eastern Suburbs	22	9	2	11	34	35	-1	29
8	Olympic FC	22	8	2	12	39	43	-4	26
9	Magic United	22	7	1	14	33	59	-26	22
10	Rochedale Rovers	22	6	3	13	34	52	-18	21
11	Gold Coast United	22	6	2	14	26	39	-13	20
12	Brisbane Roar B	22	5	1	16	32	52	-20	16

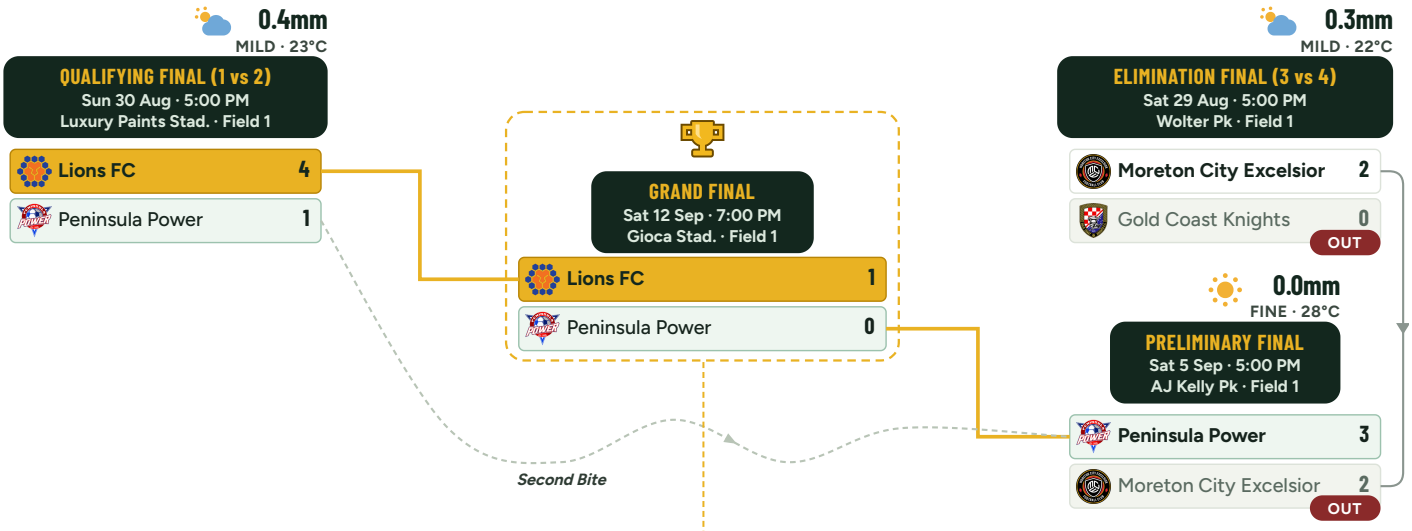
RELEGATED TO FQPL 1

WIN RATE



THE FINALS SERIES

NPL Men's top-four finals series, played off over four weeks.



THE GRAND FINAL

1.0mm SHOWERS · 21°C

Saturday 12 September

LIONS FC

17-2-3 in the regular season
Goals 57–22

1–0

FULL TIME

PENINSULA POWER

13-6-3 in the regular season
Goals 49–27

1 The regular season
Every NPL Men team plays every other team, home and away. The top four at the end go into the finals series; the rest are placed by where they finished on the table.

2 The finals series
1st plays 2nd in the Qualifying Final — the winner goes straight to the Grand Final. 3rd plays 4th in the Elimination Final — the loser is out. The Qualifying Final's loser then plays the Elimination Final's winner in the Preliminary Final, for the other Grand Final place.

3 Everyone else
There is no 3rd-place game. A team eliminated from the finals keeps the place it earned on the regular-season table — the finals series only decides the champion and runner-up.

SEASON LEADERBOARD

Every club, every player — NPL Men's **regular season** figures (finals not included) across all 12 teams.

TOTAL GOALS SCORED
484
in 132 regular season games

MOST GOALS SCORED, CLUB
Lions FC 57

BEST DEFENCE, CLUB
Lions FC 22

MOST GOALS CONCEDED, CLUB
Magic United 59

TOP 7 GOAL SCORERS

Alexander	32
Marquez Walters	21
Niyah Joseph	16
Bradden Inman	13
Obren Kljajic	13
Hiroshi Miyazawa	12
Joel Russell	11

MOST APPEARANCES
Jordan Thurtell 25

MOST CAPTAINCIES
Lachlan Sayers 23

MOST YELLOW CARDS

Oskar Dillon	7
Oliver Dearn	7
Roman Canosa	7

+2 more tied at 7

MOST RED CARDS

Dylan Meinicke	1
Luke Croll	1
Aaron Reardon	1

+17 more tied at 1

LIONS FC · MEN

NPL MEN WINNERS

Won the table, then beat Peninsula Power 1–0 in the grand final. A three-peat and the regular season's best attack and defence.

LIONS FC LEADERBOARD 2026

Lions FC's own leaders from the regular season — this team's players only, not the league.

TOP SCORERS

Alexander Fiecht...	32
Luke Broderick	6
Jackson	3
Jerson Lagos	3
Cher Deng	2

MOST APPEARANCES

Harvey Pope — 24

MOST CAPTAINCIES

Shaun Carlos — 13

MOST YELLOW CARDS

Rahmat Akbari — 4

MEN - NPL HISTORY

NPL Men, 2023–2026 — every season on file.

CHAMPIONS
2026 Lions FC · 2025 Lions FC · 2024 Lions FC · 2023 Gold Coast Knights

HIGHEST GOAL DIFFERENCE
9 · Gold Coast Knights 9–0 Wynnum Wolves (2024)

HIGHEST ALL-TIME GOAL SCORER
Marquez Walters (68) · "Wally"

MOST APPEARANCES
Jackson (86)

MOST CAPTAINCIES
Carlos Saliadarre (53)

SQUAD ROTATION ACROSS NPL MEN

Individual players fielded this regular season, every club, most used first — a much larger squad than the rest usually means heavy rotation and less settled on-field familiarity. The number beside each crest is that club's real final league position, for context. Bar colour darkens as the player count climbs.

12	Brisbane Roar B	47
9	Magic United	36
11	Gold Coast United	34
5	Brisbane City	33
1	Lions FC	32
7	Eastern Suburbs	32
8	Olympic FC	32
6	Wynnum Wolves	31
10	Rochedale Rovers	31
3	Moreton City Excelsior	29
2	Peninsula Power	27
4	Gold Coast Knights	26

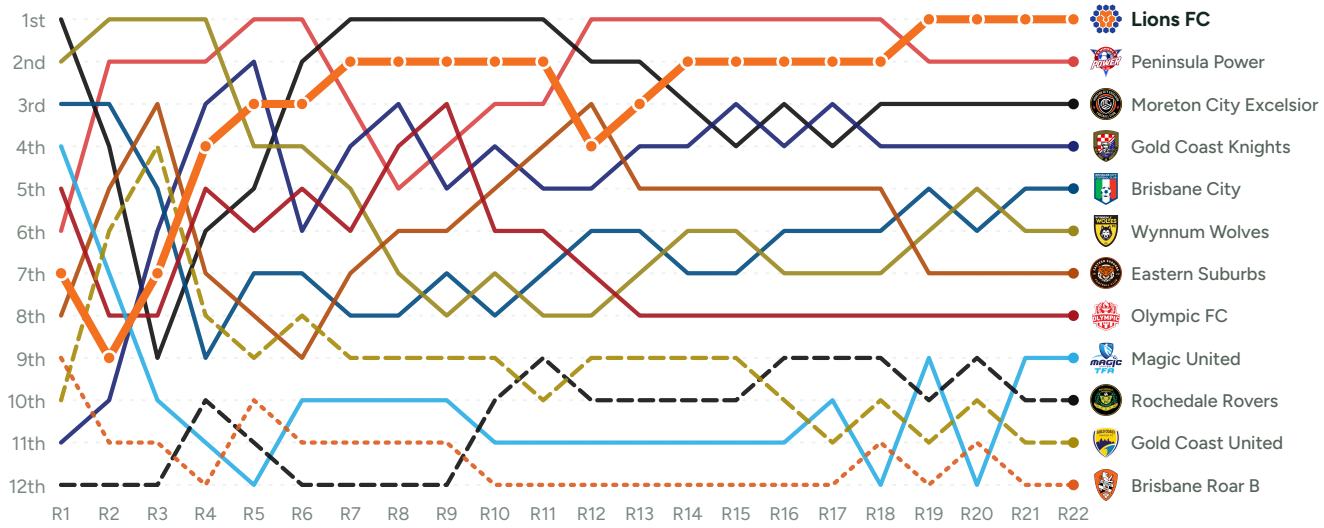
HOME VS AWAY FORM

The page-1 gauge score for every club.

← HOME	AWAY →
55%	
40%	
34%	
34%	
26%	
25%	
19%	
15%	
	1%
	27%
	36%
	47%

THE SEASON RACE

Where every NPL Men side sat on the table after each round of the regular season (points, then goal difference, then goals scored). Lions FC moved between 1st and 9th, and finished the regular season 1st.



NPL MEN CHAMPIONS 2026



Champions! Every bit deserved.

Lions FC topped 12 teams. South East Queensland, Australia.

Photos: Lions FC website and Instagram



Dan Barber
HEAD COACH



John MacDiarmid
TEAM MANAGER

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Notes.
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