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PHIL SCOTT COLTS

10:00AM | HIF HEALTH INSURANCE OVAL

UNIVERSITY



FREMANTLE CBC



LAST 5 MATCH RESULTS	WWWWW
AVERAGE AGE	19.3 YEARS
HEAD-TO-HEAD AGAINST CBC	3 WINS, 0 LOSSES
AVERAGE WINNING MARGIN	48.4 PTS
2024 FINISH	1 ST
CLOSE MATCHES (<13 PTS)	4 WON, 0 LOST

LAST 5 MATCH RESULTS	WLWLW
AVERAGE AGE	19.2 YEARS
HEAD-TO-HEAD AGAINST UWA	0 WINS, 3 LOSSES
AVERAGE WINNING MARGIN	41 PTS
2024 FINISH	5TH
CLOSE MATCHES (<13 PTS)	5 WINS, 1 LOSS

HOME & AWAY SEASON LADDER

Team	P	W	L	D	PTS	%
University	18	17	1	0	68	277.73
Fremantle C.B.C	18	14	4	0	56	198.6
Ocean Ridge	18	13	5	0	52	193.19
Trinity Aquinas	18	12	6	0	48	149.72
Scarborough	18	11	7	0	44	136.83
Curtin Uni Wesley	18	9	9	0	36	122.68
North Beach	18	7	11	0	28	121.28
North Fremantle	18	4	14	0	16	59.96
Whitford	18	3	15	0	12	34.57
Kingsway	18	0	17	0	0	16.28

CLASH RESULTS

ROUND	UNIVERSITY	FREMANTLE CBC
QUALIFYING FINAL	8.5 (53)	4.7 (31)
RND 18	9.5 (59)	6.8 (44)
RND 4	6.11 (47)	4.6 (30)

WHO TO WATCH



PHIL SCOTT COLTS

University v Fremantle CBC

Saturday's action begins with an epic rematch between University and Fremantle CBC. The reigning premiers, University, finished atop the ladder for the second year running and are now chasing back-to-back flags. They have had the better of Fremantle in all three encounters this season, but CBC arrive full of confidence after recording several commanding wins against tough opposition and fighting their way through three weeks of finals.

For University, their Colts program continues to be one of the competition's strongest. After a 17-win season, coach Oscar Morcombe explained that the early focus was on building a disciplined defensive unit before evolving into a more expansive attacking style. With a core of last year's premiership players returning, blended with emerging new talent, the group has enjoyed both consistency and growth. Morcombe also noted the close connection between the Colts and the club's A Reserves, with many graduating players stepping up and strengthening University's depth across grades.

Fremantle CBC's journey tells a story of resilience and steady development. Only three years ago the club was near the bottom of the ladder, but a cultural reset and a renewed emphasis on player wellbeing have laid the foundations for success. Coach Dave Larsen highlighted the impact of the Kai Fella mental health program, which all 55 Colts players completed, as an important step in building unity and maturity off the field. On the back of a strong 2024 season that ended in heartbreaking fashion, the group returned determined, and their growth has now carried them into this Grand Final.

Among the many talented players to take the field, several standouts are expected to influence the contest. For University, ruckman Matthew Turkich has established himself as one of the competition's dominant big men, using his strength and leap to give his side a clear advantage at stoppages. Midfielder Cuba Cellier has transitioned seamlessly from a rebounding defender into one of the league's most dangerous on-ballers, while wingman Will Parker has provided speed, agility and a flair for the spectacular, kicking 22 goals this season and proving himself capable of game-changing moments.

Fremantle CBC will be led by captain Sam Shales, who capped off an outstanding season by winning the 2025 Phil Scott Colts Fairest and Best. His inside ball-winning ability and natural leadership make him a formidable presence around the contest. After three injury-ravaged years, Sam Johnston has returned to the side with poise and impact, even earning an A Grade debut earlier in the season. Meanwhile, Adam Osborne, in his debut year, has impressed with his versatility and relentless work rate, quickly establishing himself as a valuable contributor in CBC's run to the Grand Final.

PREMIERSHIP HISTORY

A GRADE COLTS

COMPETITION RENAMED TO:
PHIL SCOTT COLTS

1959	Midland Junction	1982	University	2004	North Fremantle
1960	University	1983	Wembley	2005	Trinity Aquinas
1961	East Perth	1984	Mt Lawley	2006	University
1962	T.T.C.	1985	University	2007	North Fremantle
1963	Carlisle	1986	University	2008	North Fremantle
1964	T.T.C.	1987	University	2009	University
1965	University	1988	Trinity Aquinas	2010	Trinity Aquinas
1966	University	1989	University	2011	Trinity Aquinas
1967	Wembley	1990	University	2012	Trinity Aquinas
1968	Wembley	1991	University	2013	University
1969	University	1992	Wembley	2014	University
1970	University	1993	University	2015	University
1971	University	1994	University	2016	North Beach
1972	Carlisle	1995	University	2017	University
1973	Carlisle	1996	University	2018	University
1974	University	1997	C.B.C.	2019	North Beach
1975	University	1998	University	2020	Curtin Uni Wesley
1976	University	1999	C.B.C.	2021	Collegians
1977	University	2000	C.B.C.	2022	University
1978	Carlisle	2001	University	2023	Curtin Uni Wesley
1979	Wembley	2002	University	2024	University
1980	Mt Lawley	2003	North Beach		
1981	Mt Lawley				



EGT PHIL SCOTT COLTS

10:00AM | HIF HEALTH INSURANCE OVAL

UNIVERSITY



FREMANTLE CBC



Coach: Oscar Morcombe

1	Brodie Gould
2	Tyler Messina
3	Will Parker
4	Mason Ness
5	Jack Campbell
6	Jed Hewitt
7	Marco Ghiselli
9	Angus Bowles
10	Cuba Cellier
11	James Taskunas
12	Harry Burbury
13	Sonny Arangio
14	Chaz Gresele
15	Max Burbury
16	Clancy Banfield
17	Nic Langsford
18	Joe Collins
20	Louis Poulson
21	Hamish Brogan
22	Joshua Hawes
23	Zachary Morphet
26	William Wildberger
27	Matthew Turkich
28	Tomas Marsden
29	Kiya Jellay

Coach: David Larsen

1	Adam Osbourne
2	Sam Shales
3	Harvey Glasson
4	Jake Austin
5	Sam Irving
6	Jacob Cotton
7	Ben Elliott
8	Taj Forrest
9	Nate Oliver Swift
10	Sam Johnston
11	Archie Tames
12	Harry Heaton
13	Thomas Novak
14	Zac Spark
15	Keegan Davies
16	Arden Bridson
17	Jack Sullivan
18	Chad McNally
19	Noah Larsen
20	Luke Herbert
21	Joshua Louthean
22	Cameron Rusling
23	Darcy O'Keeffe
24	Nicholas Davidson
25	Nate Oliver Swift
26	Cooper Elliott
44	Lucas O'keeffe

FIELD UMPIRES

KAI SAMERS

ISSAC PAVY

LACHY FLAVEL

BOUNDARY UMPIRES

AIDEN CASE

CHAD RODGERS

GOAL UMPIRES

BEAU SIANO

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**A GRADE WOMEN
UNIVERSITY**



**A RESERVES WOMEN
NORTH FREMANTLE**



**B GRADE WOMEN
TRINITY AQUINAS**



**C1 WOMEN
KELMSCOTT**



**C2 WOMEN
SWAN VALLEY**



**C3 WOMEN
BAYSWATER**



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KINGSWAY**



**INTEGRATED B DIVISION
FREMANTLE CBC**



**B GRADE MEN
MOUNT LAWLEY**



**B RESERVES MEN
MOUNT LAWLEY**



**C1 MEN
MELVILLE**



**C1 RESERVES MEN
KALAMUNDA**



**C2 MEN
QUINNS DISTRICT**



**C2 RESERVES MEN
KINGSLEY**



**C3 MEN
CANNING SOUTH PERTH**



**C3 RESERVES MEN
UNIVERSITY**



**C4 MEN
STIRLING**



**C4 RESERVES MEN
CURTIN UNI WESLEY**



**C5 MEN
COOLBELLUP**



**C5 RESERVES MEN
SNESA**



**E1 NORTH MEN
WEMBLEY**



**E1 SOUTH MEN
TRINITY AQUINAS**



**E2 NORTH MEN
SCARBOROUGH**



**E2 SOUTH MEN
JANDAKOT**



**EGT DREW BANFIELD COLTS
MOUNT LAWLEY**



**EGT IAN DARGIE COLTS
KALAMUNDA**



**EGT LAURIE KEENE COLTS
PIARA WATERS**



**EGT WEST COAST COLTS
SWAN ATHLETIC**



**EGT BRETT JONES COLTS
CURTIN UNI WESLEY**

A RESERVES MEN

12:15PM | HIF HEALTH INSURANCE OVAL

NORTH BEACH



UNIVERSITY



LAST 5 MATCH RESULTS	WWWWW
AVERAGE AGE	24.8 YEARS
HEAD-TO-HEAD AGAINST UWA	2 WINS, 1 LOSS
AVERAGE WINNING MARGIN	61.3 PTS
2024 FINISH	3RD
CLOSE MATCHES (<13 PTS)	1 WIN, 2 LOSSES

LAST 5 MATCH RESULTS	WLWLW
AVERAGE AGE	25.4 YEARS
HEAD-TO-HEAD AGAINST NB	1 WIN, 2 LOSSES
AVERAGE WINNING MARGIN	38.8 PTS
2024 FINISH	1ST
CLOSE MATCHES (<13 PTS)	3 WINS, 1 LOSS

HOME & AWAY SEASON LADDER

Team	P	W	L	D	PTS	%
University	18	16	2	0	64	193.91
North Beach	18	15	3	0	60	306.52
North Fremantle	18	12	5	1	50	124.17
Scarborough	18	12	6	0	48	194
Fremantle C.B.C	18	10	8	0	40	106.83
Curtin Uni Wesley	18	7	10	1	30	77.18
Trinity Aquinas	18	6	12	0	24	73.49
Ocean Ridge	18	6	12	0	24	52.81
Whitford	18	3	15	0	12	47.98
Kingsway	18	2	16	0	8	43.84

CLASH RESULTS

ROUND	NORTH BEACH	UNIVERSITY
QUALIFYING FINAL	5.7 (37)	3.1 (19)
RND 12	5.9 (30)	9.4 (58)
RND 3	14.9 (93)	4.4 (28)

WHO TO WATCH



A RESERVES MEN

North Beach v University

The Men's A Reserves Grand Final promises to be a blockbuster clash between two of the competition's heavyweights. North Beach and University have traded blows across the season, with North Beach claiming victory in Round 3 before University responded in Round 12 and again in finals. Both sides have earned their place on Grand Final day, and only one will leave with premiership glory.

North Beach has built its campaign on extraordinary depth, with more than 65 players contributing at Reserves level this year. Coach Anthony Ingham has praised the club's ability to blend youth and experience, with graduating Colts and fresh recruits stepping seamlessly into senior football. Among those to watch is Brayden Jones, a powerful young midfielder whose size and pace give North Beach real presence around stoppages. James Logan, a composed defender fresh out of Colts, has impressed with his ability to lock down opponents while providing rebound off half-back. Up forward, Jonas Rocke offers versatility as a marking target who applies pressure and hits the scoreboard. Together, they represent the next generation of North Beach talent ready to rise to the occasion.

Reigning premiers University enter the match full of belief after finishing on top of the ladder for a second consecutive year. Despite injuries testing their squad, they have consistently found ways to win, from crushing margins to nail-biting one-point thrillers. Veteran ruckman Patrick Donovan anchors the side with his strong hands and ability to push forward for goals, providing both leadership and impact. Sean Trombetta, University's leading goalkicker, is a crafty small forward renowned for his set-shot accuracy and relentless forward pressure. Midfielder Finn Kelly adds explosive drive out of the contest, his consistency rewarded with runner-up honours in the 2025 Best and Fairest count for the division.

With North Beach chasing redemption and University seeking back-to-back premierships, this contest shapes as a showcase of resilience, depth and emerging talent. Expect a hard-fought battle, momentum swings, and plenty of big moments as both clubs stake their claim on Grand Final glory.

Premiership History

1972	<i>Collegians</i>
1973	<i>Carlisle</i>
1974	<i>Wembley</i>
1975	<i>Wembley</i>
<i>Grade Reintroduced 1997</i>	
1997	<i>Trinity Aquinas</i>
1998	<i>University</i>
1999	<i>Scarborough</i>
2000	<i>C.B.C.</i>
2001	<i>C.B.C.</i>
2002	<i>North Fremantle</i>
2003	<i>C.B.C.</i>
2004	<i>Wembley</i>
2005	<i>North Fremantle</i>
2006	<i>Collegians</i>
2007	<i>Wembley</i>
2008	<i>Trinity Aquinas</i>
2009	<i>Trinity Aquinas</i>
2010	<i>North Beach</i>
2011	<i>University</i>
2012	<i>Trinity Aquinas</i>
2013	<i>North Beach</i>
2014	<i>Fremantle C.B.C</i>
2015	<i>Trinity Aquinas</i>
2016	<i>University</i>
2017	<i>North Beach</i>
2018	<i>North Beach</i>
2019	<i>North Beach</i>
2020	<i>North Beach</i>
2021	<i>Curtin Uni Wesley</i>
2022	<i>North Beach</i>
2023	<i>North Beach</i>
2024	<i>University</i>

NORTH BEACH



UNIVERSITY



Coach: Anthony Ingham

1	Caolan O'Connell
2	Cas Dunlop
3	Harry O'Sullivan
4	Liam Hunter
5	Jordan Brooks
7	James Cameron
9	Cooper Blackburn
10	Liam Catalfamo
11	Tyson Wright
12	Andrew Bartils
13	Aidan Nguyen
14	Alexander Thompson
16	Matthew Holden
17	Brayden Jones
18	Kai Marchetto
19	Tom Rance
20	Ryley Stuhldreier
21	Sam Hampshire
22	Jonas Rocke
23	Christian Bottecchia
24	James Logan
25	Riley Burton
26	Jaidyn Owen

Coach: Sam Gelavis

1	Charlie Carrington-Jones
2	Henry Alforque
3	Daniel Frost
4	Jackson Dring
5	Joe Edwards
6	Finnegan Kelly
7	Jake Colvin
8	Jake Just
9	Conor Brogan
10	Sean Trombetta
11	Dwayne Lake
12	Nicholas Lantzke
13	Trent Giles
14	Lachlan Gray
18	Chaz Flint
19	Josh Woolfe
20	William Lowson
21	Finn Moloney
22	Tom Turkich
23	Tim O'Hara
26	Leighton Howard
28	Samuel Southern
29	Fraser Hyatt
30	Patrick Donovan

FIELD UMPIRES	BOUNDARY UMPIRES	GOAL UMPIRES
KANE HODDY	BEN FURLONG	PETER SAWIAK
MATT MOORE	CLAYTON EDWARDS	OSCAR PERISCHITTI
STEPHEN HERD	BRYCE LYONS	
BALIN MCLEOD (EMERGENCY)		

2025 SEASON SNAPSHOT

HOME AND AWAY SEASON

2, 771 matches fixtured

9 undefeated teams

26 drawn matches (1%)

50 matches decided by 1 point (1.8%)

51.6% of matches won by the home team (1431 out of 2771)

Average men's winning margin: **44.5** points

Average women's winning margin: **35.6** points

Average Integrated winning margin: **19.6** points

Total goals scored: **39,587**

Total behinds scored: **37, 425**

Flags waved: **77, 012**

Total points scored: **274,947**

12, 479 players played a match this season

2025 PFL AWARD WINNERS

Field Umpire of the Year	Amy Markusic
Goal Umpire of the Year	Jason Tyrrell
Boundary Umpire of the Year	Mark Walker
Administrator of the Year	Dean Keighran
Coach of the Year	Andrew Fisher
Champion Senior Club	Kalamunda
Champion Colts Club	UWA
Best Male State Player (LA Tetley)	Connor West
Best Female State Player (LA Tetley)	Hope Ugle-Hayward
Leading Goal Kicker - A Grade Men	Dillon O'Reilly
Leading Goal Kicker - A Grade Women	Zoe Zimmers
Leading Goal Kicker - B Grade Men	Jacob Plunkett
Leading Goal Kicker - B Grade Women	Yasmin Arias
Leading Goal Kicker - C1 Men	Corey Olczyk
Leading Goal Kicker - C2 Men	Isaac Devitt-Boyd
A Grade Men (CJ Jamieson Medal)	Chris Leonard
A Reserves Men	Blake Ebsworth
B Grade Men (TR Howard Medal)	Conor McPartland
B Reserves Men	Nathaniel Francis
C1 Men	Trent Pottinger
C1 Reserves Men	Charlie Cortese / Mark Dropulich
C2 Men	Taj Watson
C2 Reserves Men	Joshua Newman
C3 Men	Timothy Watkins / Jackson Bennett

C3 Reserves Men	Monte Pollard
C4 Men	Steven Overton
C4 Reserves Men	Brad Johns
C5 Men	Josh Dobbs
C5 Reserves Men	Brodie Conopo
E1 North Men	Kahlil Campbell
E1 South Men	Levi Creedon
E2 North Men	Adam Faulkner
E2 South Men	Jordan Black
A Grade Women	Parris Laurie
A Reserves Women	Tayla Bresland
B Grade Women	Niamh McGoldrick
C1 Women	Katie Butterfield
C2 Women	Tara Key
C3 Women	Kayla Augustynek
C4 Women	Amber Goodwin-Wissink
Phil Scott Colts (NK Donaldson Medal)	Sam Shales
Drew Banfield Colts	Tama Poharama
Ian Dargie Colts	Toby Verney
Laurie Keene Colts	Zack Allia
West Coast Colts	William Lynch
Brett Jones Colts	Noah Soper
Integrated (Wade Sturch Medal)	Fraser Kickett

A GRADE MEN

2:45PM | HIF HEALTH INSURANCE OVAL

CURTIN UNI WESLEY



NORTH BEACH



LAST 5 MATCH RESULTS	LWWWW
AVERAGE AGE	25.2 YEARS
HEAD-TO-HEAD AGAINST NB	2 WINS, 1 LOSS
AVERAGE WINNING MARGIN	32.4 PTS
2024 FINISH	3RD
CLOSE MATCHES (<13 PTS)	4 WINS, 2 LOSSES

LAST 5 MATCH RESULTS	WWLWW
AVERAGE AGE	26.8 YEARS
HEAD-TO-HEAD AGAINST CUW	1 WIN, 2 LOSSES
AVERAGE WINNING MARGIN	27.4 PTS
2024 FINISH	7TH
CLOSE MATCHES (<13 PTS)	4 WINS, 3 LOSSES

HOME & AWAY SEASON LADDER

Team	P	W	L	D	PTS	%
Kingsway	18	14	4	0	56	152.94
Curtin Uni Wesley	18	13	5	0	52	145.55
North Beach	18	13	5	0	52	128.03
Fremantle C.B.C	18	12	6	0	48	124.33
Ocean Ridge	18	8	10	0	32	92.64
Scarborough	18	8	10	0	32	91.09
Trinity Aquinas	18	8	10	0	32	89.11
University	18	8	10	0	32	83.82
Whitford	18	4	14	0	16	82.83
North Fremantle	18	2	16	0	8	52.37

CLASH RESULTS

ROUND	CURTIN UNI WESLEY	NORTH BEACH
QUALIFYING FINAL	5.7 (37)	4.9 (33)
RND 13	12.6 (78)	5.6 (36)
RND 4	6.6. (42)	8.9 (57)

A GRADE MEN PREMIERSHIP HISTORY

2024	Kingsway	1974	Wembley
2023	Curtin Uni Wesley	1973	Wembley
2022	Fremantle CBC	1972	Wembley
2021	Kingsway	1971	Wembley
2020	Scarborough	1970	University
2019	University	1969	University
2018	Scarborough	1968	Wembley
2017	Trinity Aquinas	1967	C.B.C
2016	Trinity Aquinas	1966	University
2015	University	1965	University
2014	University	1964	University
2013	Wesley Curtin	1963	Wembley
2012	University	1962	University
2011	University	1961	University
2010	North Beach	1960	North Fremantle
2009	North Beach	1959	Wembley
2008	North Beach	1958	Wembley
2007	North Beach	1957	East Perth
2006	North Beach	1956	East Perth
2005	North Beach	1955	North Fremantle
2004	North Beach	1954	North Fremantle
2003	North Fremantle	1953	South Perth
2002	North Beach	1952	South Perth
2001	North Beach	1951	Mosman Park
2000	C.B.C	1950	Midland Junction
1999	North Beach	1949	North Fremantle
1998	Scarborough	1948	University
1997	Scarborough	1947	North Fremantle
1996	University	1946	North Fremantle
1995	Scarborough	<i>No Competition 1942 - 1945</i>	
1994	West Coast	1941	North Fremantle
1993	North Beach	1940	Wembley
1992	Mt Lawley	1939	Wembley
1991	Mt Lawley	1938	Wembley
1990	North Beach	1937	Sandovers
1989	North Beach	1936	Sandovers
1988	Mt Lawley	1935	Sandovers
1987	Mt Lawley	1934	University
1986	Mt Lawley	1933	University
1985	Mt Lawley	1932	Postals
1984	Wembley	1931	Postals
1983	Mt Lawley	1930	Postals
1982	Old Scotch	1929	University
1981	University	1928	Harris Scarfe & Sandovers
1980	Nollamara	1927	Commonwealth
1979	Mt Lawley	1926	Teachers College
1978	Wembley	1925	Teachers College
1977	University	1924	Teachers College
1976	Wembley	1923	Commonwealth Bank
1975	University	1922	Mallocks

BJ GILES (A MEN BEST ON GROUND)

2024	J. McGowan, Kingsway
2023	K. Hamersley, Curtin Uni Wesley
2022	L. Pearson, Fremantle CBC
2021	B. Furmark, Kingsway
2020	A. Vallelonga, Scarborough
2019	S. Bentley, University
2018	J. Ashman, Scarborough
2017	M. Jukes, Trinity Aquinas
2016	P. O'Keefe, Trinity Aquinas
2015	R. Cronin, Wesley Curtin
2014	C. Flint, University
2013	C. Taylor, Wesley Curtin
2012	C. Wiese, University
2011	D. Crudeli, University
2010	K. Riemann, North Beach
2009	S. Bandy, North Beach
2008	C. Pearce, North Beach
2007	B. Stewart, North Beach
2006	C. Pearce, North Beach
2005	R. Shimmings, North Beach
2004	S. Pearce, North Beach
2003	S. Misich, North Fremantle
2002	L. Smith, North Beach
2001	M. Pratt, North Beach
2000	S. Moloney, CBC
1999	M. Hamer, North Beach
1998	D. Bryant, Scarborough
1997	G. Fitzpatrick, Scarborough
1996	S. Massey, University
1995	D. Govan, Scarborough
1994	A. Host, West Coast
1993	R. Perrie, North Beach
1992	G. Kearney, Mt Lawley
1991	G. Kearney, Mt Lawley
1990	G. Biffen, Wembley
1989	D. Higgins, North Beach
1988	R. Bell, Mt Lawley
1987	G. Kearney, Mt Lawley
1986	N. Carroll, Mt Lawley
1985	L. Baron, Mt Lawley
1984	P. Sanders, Wembley
1983	B. Dunn, Mt Lawley
1982	G. Wilkinson, Old Scotch
1981	M. Salmon, University

WHO TO WATCH

 **Budget** A GRADE MEN
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Curtin Uni Wesley v North Beach

The 2025 Budget Car and Truck Rental Men's A Grade Grand Final promises to be a thrilling contest between two evenly matched sides. Curtin Uni Wesley and North Beach both recorded thirteen wins throughout the season and split their meetings in the home-and-away rounds. When the two clubs met again in finals, Curtin Uni Wesley edged ahead by just four points, setting the stage for what looms as an enthralling decider.

Curtin Uni Wesley has had a season of transition, relocating to a new home ground during redevelopment works while adjusting under the guidance of first-year coach Nick Suban. Drawing on his vast AFL and WAFL experience, Suban has led the Tigers into a grand final in his debut season, a feat that A Grade Manager Grant Edmunds says cannot be underestimated. The squad has blended youth and experience, welcoming new talent from the 2024 Colts program alongside senior leaders. This injection of energy has strengthened team dynamics and created a balanced side capable of both flair and resilience. The club has been buoyed by strong support across all grades, with past players and members rallying in numbers and expected to once again turn out in force on grand final day.

North Beach has embraced a season built around culture and connection. Guided by five core values: bold, empower, accountable, community and honesty, the club has sharpened its system and set higher standards across the board. Coach Dylan Eiffler credits a pre-season camp in York, where players committed to these values and forged trust, as pivotal in building belief. With new recruits joining homegrown talent developed through the club's Colts program, North Beach has struck the right balance of professionalism and character. Back-to-back grand final appearances for their A Grade and A Reserves underline the strength of the program and the pride shared throughout the Beach community.

Among the stars to watch for Curtin Uni Wesley is three-time CJ Jamieson Medal winner Chris Leonard, whose composure, creativity and work rate make him one of the league's most decorated players. Captain Sam Dennis provides leadership and reliability, often tasked with shutting down the opposition's most dangerous forward while setting the tone for his team. George Wessels, a seasoned midfielder with South Fremantle experience, has added class and knowledge to the Tigers' engine room after returning from an early season injury.

For North Beach, forward Alex Marklew brings a freakish goal sense and tireless running capacity, finishing as the competition's second leading goalkicker. Midfielder Frank Anderson, a Swan Districts Best and Fairest winner, thrives on contested ball and lifts his teammates with his relentless work rate. On the wing, Nic Wells is widely regarded as one of the competition's most underrated contributors, a left-footer who regularly covers more than 13 kilometres a game to provide constant drive and outside run.

With both clubs desperate to return to the top after missing last year's grand final, this match has all the ingredients for a classic. Curtin Uni Wesley's balance of youth and experience will be tested against North Beach's hardened culture and belief, and whichever side can seize the big moments will claim the ultimate prize.

CURTIN UNI WESLEY



Coach: Nic Suban

1	Preston Rosario
2	Harry Crane
3	Ethan Maguire
4	Simon Hayward
5	Harrison Brown
6	Kyle Hamersley
7	George Wessels
8	Ben Preedy
9	Chris Leonard
10	Kade Stewart
12	Bohan Teakle
13	Jacob Hemley
14	Carden Taylor
15	Samuel Dennis (c)
16	Lachlan Dennis (vc)
17	Mitch McIlheney
18	Charley Wehr
19	Andries Mercer
20	Nathan Spooner
21	Alexander Howson
22	Zac McCarrey
23	Jack Blechynden
25	Jack Gouge

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Coach: Dylan Eiffler

1	Joey Deegan
2	Patrick Kelleher
3	Stephen Mansfield
4	Matthew Holden
5	Leigh Kitchin
6	Nic Wells
8	Ned Halley (C)
9	Justin Prior
10	Frank Anderson
11	Drew Rohde
12	Rohan Scurria
13	Lachlan Macrae
14	Chris Wells
15	Tait Saunders
16	Benjamin Perkin
17	Luke McKeown
18	Thomas Hooper
19	Tom Lang
20	Dylan Campbell
21	Alexander Marklew
22	Nicolas Reid
24	Ryan Newick
28	Jarrod Chapman
29	Zac Clarke

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