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**2014 PSLC
Over 40
CHAMPIONS**

Stare Byki	7	National Soccer League 1st Division
Macedonia	0	Oak Brook Sports Core 16 August 2015

Byki apply crushing blow to Macedonia

Somebody came ready to play. Really ready. The Byki put an all-out blitz on FC Macedonia last Sunday at Oak Brook, ramming home five goals in the first 27 minutes before coasting to a surprisingly easy 7:0 victory. Striker Miles Marmo recorded a hat trick, while Marek Ciszewski added two goals. Winger Cristian Rodriguez contributed two assists to the winning effort.

The Byki are now undefeated in their last nine matches and are on the verge of clinching a playoff spot. The top three teams in each Section qualify for the postseason. The race for first place in the Red Section remains hotly contested, as the Byki continue their chase of leaders FC Kosova. The Byki have 25 points from their 11 matches, while Kosova have 30 from 12.

The Byki demonstrated their hunger for the three points right from the outset. The Macedonians gamely tried to force the issue with early pressure when the Byki worked the ball out of the back. That pressure didn't last long, as good ball movement from wing to wing gave the Macedonians something to think about on a brutally hot day for soccer.

It took just six minutes for the initial breakthrough. Rodriguez ran past a defender near the top of the box in the sixth minute and laid off for Joe Sauerman in the right-wing channel. Sauerman placed a low, hard diagonal ball into the goal area, where Marmo handily re-directed into the back of the net.

Eight minutes later, Ciszewski applied pressure to a Macedonian player in his back third. Brendan Flynn joined in the fun, intercepting a weak attempt to get the ball back to the keeper. He danced past a defender and the goalie, depositing the ball into the empty net.

The score swelled to 3:0 after just 16 minutes. Rodriguez controlled the ball after another poor turnover

in the back on the right side. He dropped the ball back for Marmo inside the box, and the striker drilled a first-timer into the low corner.

After the referee gave the sides a cooling break midway through the half, the Byki romped for two more goals in the span of three minutes. Ciszewski's through pass for Marmo in the 24th minute beat the Macedonian defense. Marmo, recognizing his offside position, held back and let the ball go through for Nanmin Kone, who sprinted in from the left flank to finish things off. He beat the last defender and the goalkeeper for his eighth tally of the season.

As the Macedonians struggled to regroup, the surging Byki kept pouring it on. The score went to a gaudy 5:0 in the 27th minute. After the Macedonian defense failed to clear the ball away following a period of sustained Byki possession, Marmo slipped a pass to Ciszewski, who faked past a defender and sent the goalkeeper the wrong way with a shot from 15 yards.

The score swelled to 6:0 in the 34th minute when Rodriguez supplied a terrific through pass for Marmo, who sprinted in behind the defense to complete his hat trick.

Halftime could not have come sooner for Macedonia. The Byki used the break to reiterate the team's focus and to continue playing smart soccer. The message mostly got through, although some players' eyes got big in the second half as they took the ball to goal. A simple extra pass or two, along with some better precision shooting, might easily have pushed the margin to double digits. For their part, the Macedonians kept up the fight, even though there was little hope for a comeback.

In the 54th minute, Mclain Roth concluded a long gallop down the left wing by beating a defender near the byline and cutting inside. The keeper blocked his low blast out for a corner. Roth's well-placed corner caused mayhem for the Macedonians, who somehow cleared the ball to safety.

Ten minutes later, Roth and Mike Stamatinos collaborated along the left side, with Stamatinos ripping a shot from the corner of the penalty area. The keeper reacted well to tip the ball over.

The Byki padded their total in the 76th minute when Kone's shot was blocked and the rebound fell to Ciszewski, who slotted home from close range.



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The endgame saw lots of running into open spaces, as the Macedonians had nothing left in their legs. The Byki were a bit too casual in their approach and were unable to convert several excellent chances.

BYKI LINEUP (4-2-3-1): Chronowski – Zachariah, J. Rodriguez, Calleros, Stamatinos (c) – Flynn, Sauerman –Roth, C. Rodriguez, Ciszewski – Marmo. **Bench:** Herholdt, Kone, Sabo.

BYKI SCORING SUMMARY

- 1:0 – Marmo 6 (Sauerman); 6th.
- 2:0 – Flynn 4; 14th.
- 3:0 – Marmo 7 (C. Rodriguez); 16th.
- 4:0 – Kone 8 (Ciszewski); 24th.
- 5:0 – Ciszewski 1 (Marmo); 27th.
- 6:0 – Marmo 8 (C. Rodriguez); 34th.
- 7:0 – Ciszewski 2; 76th.

Byki Man of the Match: Miles Marmo.

the match late in the first half when Ekundayo got behind the MOFG defense and was taken down in the penalty area. The normally reliable Penafiel could not convert the spot kick and the Byki went into the break content to be up by a pair.

MOFG came back into the match early in the second half, pushing hard to reverse the momentum. They were rewarded for their renewed effort when a MOFG player heaved a long throw-in deep into Byki territory. His teammate sent the ball into the middle, where it was smartly flicked past goalkeeper Dean Fukar to make it 2:1.

That goal was an eye-opener for the Byki and they responded the way champions do. The Byki seemed to flip a switch and took over the game with a great display of possession soccer.

Penafiel was fouled in the box by the MOFG sweeper shortly thereafter. The infringement resulted in a second booking for the sweeper and a second penalty kick for the Byki. Pedlow did the honors for his fourth goal of the season.

Regaining a two-goal lead increased the comfort level for the Byki and Penafiel’s clincher later in the second half put the result beyond any doubt.

Doug Towsey contributed to this report.

BYKI SCORING SUMMARY

- 1:0 – Penafiel 8 (Ekundayo).
- 2:0 – Pedlow 3.
- 3:1 – Pedlow 4 (pk).
- 4:1 – Penafiel 9.

Byki Man of the Match: Jim Jacobs.

Byki 0-40	4	Premier Soccer League Over 40 B1 Division
MOFG	1	Oak Brook Sports Core 16 August 2015

Byki back on top

The Over 40 Team used superior ball movement and outstanding teamwork to cut MOFG down to size last Sunday 4:1 at Oak Brook. Steven Pedlow and Diego Penafiel each scored twice to help the Byki gain their sixth consecutive victory. The surging Byki passed Windy City United for the pole position in the B1 Division and now rightly set their sights on another autumn of collecting more hardware.

Getting over the hump versus MOFG was a welcome outcome for the Byki, who had only earned one point in seven previous meetings with the team from Lake Zurich.

It took the Byki about ten minutes or so to settle their game. Once they got their bearings, they executed a dominant possession style that had MOFG on the back foot for most of the contest. “We controlled the possession and [it] was one of our best games as a team,” noted player-coach Doug Towsey.

The Byki snatched a two-goal advantage in the first half. Ade Ekundayo set up the first score with a cross that Penafiel finished off for his team-leading eighth goal of the campaign. Pedlow made it 2:0 when he followed up a Jim Jacobs shot that rebounded off of the crossbar.

The Byki had an opportunity to put a vise-like grip on

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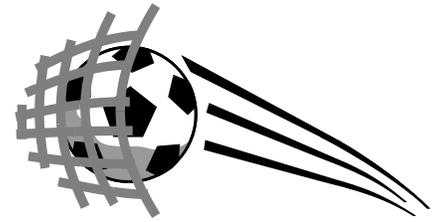
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How much does it cost to play?

Ticket donation is \$25 and the ticket is valid for all 17 weeks of the NFL season and playoffs up until the Super Bowl.

How do you win?

There are two ways to win. You win if the two teams listed for a given week combine to score the highest number of points that weekend in the NFL. You also win if the two teams listed for a given week combine to score the lowest number of points that weekend in the NFL.

How much do you win?

For the regular season, you win \$50 if your teams combine to score the highest number of points that week, and \$25 if they combine to score the lowest number of points. For the three weeks of the playoffs, the payouts rise to \$150 and \$75, respectively. A drawing for four cash prizes will be held during the lead-up to the Super Bowl. All tickets are eligible for this drawing.

What happens if a team is on a bye week?

Both teams listed on a ticket for a given week must play that week for the ticket to be valid. The same situation applies for the playoffs; if one or both teams listed for the playoff weeks are not in the playoffs, then the ticket is not valid for that week.

Will I be playing the same two teams every week?

No. The pairs of teams are selected at random. You have to check your ticket every week to see which teams are involved for that week.

Do the teams listed in a given week have to play one another in order to win?

No. In fact, it is highly unlikely that the teams listed will be playing one another. The only thing that counts is how many points are scored by the teams listed in their respective games.

What if someone else has the same teams that I do? Do we both win?

Every ticket is unique, so no other player has your two teams for a given week. There are a total of 496 tickets in play and the approximate odds of winning some kind of prize are 1 in 9.

What if there is more than one winning ticket?

If there is more than one winning ticket in a given week, the prize money will be split equally among the winners.

How do I know if I won?

All winners will be notified via email or phone, so it is important to ensure that you correctly fill out the details on the ticket stub. Details of prize winners will also be posted on this website.

Prize Summary

\$50 - Regular season week, high score
\$25 - Regular season week, low score

\$150 - Playoff week, high score
\$75 - Playoff week, low score

\$500 - Cash drawing #1
\$250 - Cash drawing #2
\$125 - Cash drawing #3
\$125 - Cash drawing #4

NSL FIRST DIVISION**August 16, 2015****www.nslchicago.org**

Red Section	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
FC Kosova	12	10	0	2	39	15	30
Stare Byki FC	11	8	1	2	37	14	25
Das Magic	11	5	2	4	31	25	17
Chicago Dynasty FC	11	4	2	5	20	21	14
West Indies Jets	10	1	1	8	12	29	4
Olympiacos Chicago	8	1	0	7	14	32	3

Blue Section	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
FC Guadalajara	11	6	0	5	30	24	18
FC Macedonia	11	5	1	5	25	28	16
Assyrian FC	6	5	0	1	19	8	15
Gremio FC	11	4	0	7	26	40	12
Lancer SC	8	2	1	5	16	33	7

PSLC OVER 40 B1/B2 DIVISION**August 16, 2015****www.pslchicagoland.com**

B1 DIVISION	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Stare Byki FC	11	9	0	2	31	11	27
Windy City United	12	8	1	3	31	15	25
Pampas OT	11	7	1	3	44	22	22
Naperville Strikers FC	13	4	2	7	30	40	14
International SC	10	2	4	4	19	28	10
MOFG	11	3	1	7	20	33	10

B2 DIVISION	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Itasca	12	7	1	4	41	28	22
MANA Soccer Club	11	7	0	4	60	36	21
St Charles Celtics Green	12	6	3	3	41	24	21
Chicago FC	12	4	2	6	31	36	14
Real FC	12	4	1	7	28	43	13
St Charles Celtics Orange	11	0	0	11	7	67	0

PSLC OVER 30 WHITE DIVISION**August 16, 2015****www.pslchicagoland.com**

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
St Charles Celtics	11	9	1	1	41	17	28
FC DePaul	12	9	1	2	38	16	28
Levski Chicago 2014	11	7	2	2	37	17	23
AEK FC Chicago	11	7	1	3	31	17	22
Stare Byki FC	9	5	1	3	26	18	16
Olympiacos Chicago	11	4	0	7	25	24	12
Chicago Rangers FC	11	3	2	6	23	22	11
Real FC	12	1	1	10	17	62	4
Shogun	12	0	1	11	14	59	1

PSLC OVER 48 DIVISION**August 12, 2015****www.pslchicagoland.com**

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
HNK Concordia	6	6	0	0	29	5	18
Sofia BG	5	4	0	1	26	12	12
International SC	7	2	1	4	19	24	7
Stare Byki FC	8	2	1	5	9	32	7
St Charles Celtics	6	1	0	5	10	20	3