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### **If you swear, you're outta there!**

Welcome soccerphiles, to the brave new world of zero tolerance.

Now the SCUM knows that the average ANU FC member likes nothing more than a drink, a feed, a bit of verbal and a big win before slipping between the sheets. But the new anti-swearing laws introduced by Soccer Canberra are about to change this winning combination forever.

That's right fellow soccer freaks, swearing during a soccer contest in season 2004 has been officially banned. From 17 April 2004, harsh language will earn you an early shower, the contempt of your team mates and ever-lasting ridicule in the SCUM.

Gone are the care-free days when you could strut across a paddock nonchalantly spraying obscenities in every direction. Gone are the matches where you could let off a little steam by screaming a few choice words after someone's boot had torn you a new one. Gone are the times when you could despairingly mutter "@\*#!" after watching the ball bounce off your shin and over the line for an own-goal.

Yes my little hooligans, a new era awaits us. A time of gentlemanly restraint, a period of stringent self-censorship.

But just how does one adapt to this harsh, new environment? How can ANU FC members be expected to navigate these treacherous waters of self-control? Never fear soccer nuts, all the answers await you in this special "zero tolerance" edition of the SCUM.

Read our guidelines for beating the swearing rap in 2004, learn fabulous new insults that don't actually include obscenities and bet online for who you think will be the first ANU FC member to walk for a bit of lip this season. Yes my round-ball retrogrades, soccer salvation lies within...

Galloping Gordo  
Guest SCUM Editor

*Canberra RSL Club in the City  
Carlton & United Breweries  
ANU Sports Union*

## **This week in pictures**



President Bush celebrates in an official ANU FC g-string after hearing the results of the "Keg to the City" challenge.

ANU FC Division 4 nervous after hearing of Cristian's plans for executing free kicks this year.



ANU FC fundraising initiative attracts attention of Australian Federal Police.

ANU FC's trial baby breeding programme for Premier League condemned by FIFA.

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## **Galloping Gordo's Bloody Useful Soccer Tips**

### **Tip no.7: Beating Zero Tolerance**

Every exponent of the beautiful game knows the importance of the sledge in achieving TOTAL VICTORY. In today's modern game it's simply not good enough to beat your opponent on the scoreboard. No fellow soccer aficionados, we all know that TOTAL VICTORY is only achieved through destroying your opponent's will to play. But how can this be accomplished if obscenities have been banned from the game? How can the average soccer player dominate his opposite number without the aid of vulgarities and foul language? Never fear my little round-ball ruffians, to enable you to pursue your quest for TOTAL VICTORY, I present the TIT system:

**T**one - it's not what you say, it's how you say it. It's all about delivery people. Think Jack Nicholson in *The Shining* ("Heeeeere's Johnny!") or Robert De Niro in *Taxi Driver* ("Are you lookin' at me?"). With enough practice you should be able to deliver the most banal lines with true butt-cheek-clenching intensity.

**I**celandic - swearing in a foreign language is the obvious solution but with Italian and Croatian swear words in vogue at the moment, how are you going to manage to slip one past the referee? The answer people can be found with our Icelandic cousins. If your opposite number is starting to mouth off, why not state "Haltu kjafti ter naridill" (swear-free translation: "Be quiet you corpse fornicator."). If a member of the other team complains about a particularly robust tackle that you have just made, perhaps you could remark "Ter mongoliti vaeluskjoda dverga serdir" (swear-free translation: "You are a mentally challenged sissy who has sexual relations with midgets.").

**T**hesaurus - come on people, we're a university club after all. Why call someone an "a\*sehole" when you could refer to them as an "anorectal abscess"? Why lower yourself to calling your opposite number a "d\*ckhead" when you could simply let them know that they're a complete "penile balanoposthitis". Remember, a few minutes invested in the library on Friday night will give you all the ammunition you need for a big day on the paddock.

### **The SCUM TAB: "first zero tolerance red card"**

Know someone in the club who's bound to cut sick as soon as the whistle blows? Someone who is permanently surrounded by blue air? Someone who could swear under wet cement? Have we got a competition for you!

Log on to [bettingonyourmates@islikekissingyoursister.com.au](mailto:bettingonyourmates@islikekissingyoursister.com.au) and put some of your hard earned on who you think will sound off as soon as they kick off. Current odds are:

Simon Cullen (Division 1).....	even
Michael Wiseman (Division 2).....	\$1.60
Andrew Allan (Division 2).....	\$2.40
Rod Lynes (PL Coach).....	\$5.40
Ian Warner (Division 6).....	\$6.50
Liam Nield (Division 4).....	\$7.10
Jesus of Nazareth (Canteen Manager).....	\$1,000
David Ciuffetelli (Division 1).....	\$1,001

### **Zero tolerance friendly put-downs**

The SCUM knows that there are times in a match when every player needs to give voice to their frustrations and vent their feelings. But are you worried that when opening your mouth you just might cut loose with a torrent of abuse so vile the referee will have no choice but to point you towards the sheds? Don't sweat. In this edition the SCUM looks to one of Australia's greatest parliamentary performers for inspiration on obscenity-free abuse. Yes soccer fiends, to enable you to send them up without getting sent off, we present the top ten put-downs of the Hon Paul Keating MP.

10. "They are a bunch of nobodies going nowhere."
9. "They have no ideas, no integrity and no ability. They're a bunch of frauds."
8. "You're a bunch of scumbags."
7. "You make me spew."
6. "I'm sticking to you like crap to a blanket."
5. "Mate, you're a dead carcass, swinging in the breeze but nobody will cut it down to replace you."
4. "Mate, you're so stupid you're flat out counting past ten."
3. "Going up against you is like being flogged with a warm lettuce."
2. "We're not interested in the views of painted, perfumed gigolos."
1. "We think we're born to rule you. And let me tell you this, it's been ingrained in me from childhood, I think my mission in life is to run you."

## **The world according to Arnold Schwarzenegger**

"I saw this toilet bowl. How many times do you get away with this - to take a woman, grab her upside down, and bury her face in a toilet bowl? I wanted to have something floating there ... The thing is, you can do it, because in the end, I didn't do it to a woman - she's a machine! We could get away with it without being crucified by who-knows-what group." - describing a scene in "Terminator 3"

"I think that gay marriage should be between a man and a woman."

"I have inhaled, exhaled everything."

"That was another thing I will never forgive the Republican Party for. I was ashamed to call myself a Republican during that period." - on the Clinton impeachment

"The c\*ck isn't a muscle so it doesn't grow in relation to the shoulders, say, or the pectorals. You can't make it bigger through exercise, that's for sure."

## **Last week's SCUM competition**

The competition to win a six-pack by defining "ownshook" was won by Glen Stretton:

"As an English teacher, I am not altogether unfamiliar with the term 'ownshook' or 'oonchick' or 'owenshook'. Strictly speaking, it is a foolish or ignorant person. However, on deeper inspection, it was used in the 19<sup>th</sup> century to denote characters in a play similar to the 'fools' or 'clowns' but who often dressed in women's clothing and beat each other mercilessly with sticks.

Modern day usage according to the first definition could be as follows:

Benny Nicholls, that's the most ownshook green jumper I've ever seen!

or using the latter definition:

Tyrone, get your ownshook outfit on, we'll play circus ..... and Big Jimmy's gonna be the ringmaster."

Honourable mention goes to Steve Kininmonth for this effort:

"Ownshook - it has to be the mess a boy leaves after a bout of 'spanking the monkey'. Scooter hurriedly wiped his ownshook off the lounge with his underwear as he heard the door open, signalling an early return home by his mother."

Nice.

Did you know that ANU FC has five life members? Five people that have given their blood, sweat and sanity for this fine sporting club. Well fellow soccer psychopaths, the SCUM has put together a probing and penetrating questionnaire to get these life members (well, four of them anyway) to bare their souls so you can get to know them a little better. For your edification and reading pleasure, the SCUM presents:

### **Know (most of) your ANU FC lifers**

**Name:** Andy Allan

**Nickname(s):** Ageing

**The year you first joined the club:** 1991

**The highest grade you've played at the club:** First grade when that was SL1

**Where you're playing now:** Bench - SL2

**Committee or coaching positions you've held at the club:** Treasurer; Equipment Officer; Assistant; SL1 reserves coach - 6 weeks; SL4 coach - 6 days

**Most memorable ANU FC moment:** 1994 GF; Coatcy's whole 'Alcohol, Go Easy' cap period; Killer Karl Kahn chasing a very scared Latinos dwarf around north oval after the dwarf attempted to kick an ANU player who was already on the ground following a tackle - the game was abandoned a few minutes later as a result of events following the chase....

**ANU FC moment you'd most like to forget:** would not want to forget any of them

**If ANU FC was to introduce a club mascot, what would get your vote:** Eastern long neck turtle. They are a bit slow at times, have intriguing personalities, have numerous ups and downs but usually get where they want to be in the end - we could call him Jose.

**Favourite soccer cliché:** let's get a result

**What name would you give to ANU FC's future soccer-specific facility:** the Theatre of Shite

**With the introduction of Soccer Canberra's zero-tolerance policy, what's the word you'll miss shouting the most during season 2004:** who say's I'll miss shouting anything?

**What's your reaction to the rumour that the Committee is planning to tattoo a bar code on ANU FC lifers to speed up things during rego nights:** where?

**ANU FC merchandise you'd most like to see sold at the canteen on match days:** stubby holders; new polo shirts

**Your prediction for the scandal that will rock the Del Rio Presidency:** there won't be one. will there, Committee.

**Name:** Jim Dawson

**Nickname(s):** Slim Jim

**The year you first joined the club:** 1989

**The highest grade you've played at the club:** 3s

**Where you're playing now:** 7s (if you can call it playing...)

**Committee or coaching positions you've held at the club:** Coach 1996 - 1998 (I can't remember which Divisions - they keep bloody changing them!), Coach Div 5

2000 & 2001, Div 6 2002 & 2003, Div 7 2004. I also organised a team in 1991, but it was such a debacle I try not to mention it... oops, I just have, haven't I?

**Most memorable ANU FC moment:** The SL5 grand final win in 2001.

**ANU FC moment you'd most like to forget:** Losing the Div 4 Prelim Final in 1994 (and the whole of the 1991 season - see above).

**If ANU FC was to introduce a club mascot, what would get your vote:** I'm honestly a bit stumped here... our very own Spanish Waiter serving in the canteen sounds suitably weird...

**Favourite soccer cliché:** "Football was the winner"

**What name would you give to ANU FC's future soccer-specific facility:** I'm a bit stumped here too... perhaps "The Stadium of Light Beer".

**With the introduction of Soccer Canberra's zero-tolerance policy, what's the word you'll miss shouting the most during season 2004:** Something that rhymes with "duck". So far I've managed to convince most refs that "bugger" is not swearing, so my signature call can remain.

**What's your reaction to the rumour that the Committee is planning to tattoo a bar code on ANU FC lifers to speed up things during rego nights:** Go bite your arse.

**ANU FC merchandise you'd most like to see sold at the canteen on match days:** Full length thermal "CoatC" coats, that make the wearer invisible on Monday and Wednesday nights. A plastic Plastic (in loving memory of a favourite goalkeeper).

**Your prediction for the scandal that will rock the Del Rio Presidency:** Discovery that the new playing strip turns bright pink after a few washes...and Jose tries to convince everyone that its an improvement...

**Name:** Peter Foley

**Nickname(s):** Foles

**The year you first joined the club:** 1976

**The highest grade you've played at the club:** Saturday 1st Division (about Div 3/4 now).

**Where you're playing now:** Masters.

**Committee or coaching positions you've held at the club:** Secretary, Registrar, Numerous coaching and managing positions.

**Most memorable ANU FC moment:** Winning Premiership (undefeated) Div 4 (with Free brothers), Winning Autumn Shield on penalties 2-0 after 5-5 draw against Luso (about 1978).

**ANU FC moment you'd most like to forget:** The whole season I coached Div 3.

**If ANU FC was to introduce a club mascot, what would get your vote:** Macca.

**Favourite soccer cliché:** Soccer is a simple game of 2 halves and players should focus on 1 game at a time, not worry about what the other team is doing, maintain shape, work hard and not talk in cliches.

**What name would you give to ANU FC's future soccer-specific facility:** The ANU FC Bar and Grill.

**With the introduction of Soccer Canberra's zero-tolerance policy, what's the word you'll miss shouting the most during season 2004:** Wendell.

**What's your reaction to the rumour that the Committee is planning to tattoo a bar code on ANU FC lifers to speed up things during rego nights:** I think all players should be bar coded and tattooed with the club strip (saves lots of washing, lost kit etc).

**ANU FC merchandise you'd most like to see sold at the canteen on match days:** Gourmet pies.

**Your prediction for the scandal that will rock the Del Rio Presidency:** Jose' long lost identical twin brother will return and reveal that he has been using the club to launder funds from South American drug cartels to Al Qaeda. Further he will demonstrate that with the addition of a beard and a turban Jose is Osama himself.

**Name:** Steve Kininmonth

**Nickname(s):** Keg, Senior

**The year you first joined the club:** 1986.

**The highest grade you've played at the club:** Played at the top level until got too slow, too fat and too stupid - and when someone else was made coach and they stopped picking me. Been on the downward slide for many a year now.

**Where you're playing now:** SL5 - assisting Paimon in his first coaching role at the club. Also a few Masters games when the boys are short.

**Committee or coaching positions you've held at the club:** Been on the committee for a few years, was President for a few (in the bad old days the committee was not particularly effective and a few guys did everything). Coached at the top grade for a few years, reserves and a few others over the years. I have fond memories of those heady days at North Oval in the late 1980s with me running group fitness sessions for the club (4-5 teams) and then handing over to other coaches/managers for ballwork/games. Where are those circuit cards now? Started the Scum back in 1991 (I think) and have been editor for a few years. Currently on the Senior League Management Committee (so blame me for poor admin from Soccer Canberra) and currently an assistant on the current committee (read: don't do anything).

**Most memorable ANU FC moment:** Every win has been good and wins in the finals especially so. Frankly I have far too many great memories over the years and great friendships so it is too hard to narrow down to one moment. Although with short and long term memory failures, last weekend probably sticks in my mind the most.

**ANU FC moment you'd most like to forget:** Well winning the Bredbo Award was probably one but I was having a great time anyway. Probably changing the name to ANU Football Club (from Soccer) or buying one of those special dress shirts for the full price - and they can't even give them away now!!

**If ANU FC was to introduce a club mascot, what would get your vote:** Andy Allan - the swearing dwarf.

**Favourite soccer cliché:** Too many - and I still use them too. Some of my favourites are: 'Soccer was the real winner', 'It's a game of two halves', 'If we score more goals than them we'll win it' 'Its not if you win or lose, its how you play the game' blah, blah..

**What name would you give to ANU FC's future soccer-specific facility:** Sully's Swamp.

**With the introduction of Soccer Canberra's zero-tolerance policy, what's the word you'll miss shouting the most during season 2004:** You should know that I don't think that swearing is big, nor clever. Shouldn't be a problem for me what with my self-discipline and all. Although I do quite like a loud 'bollox', oops, f&\*k, that shouldn't have come out. Basically all of them and I fear I might be spending some quality time on the sideline this year. My brilliant disciplinary record could be seriously tarnished this year - who agreed to this ZTP anyway?

**What's your reaction to the rumour that the Committee is planning to tattoo a bar code on ANU FC lifers to speed up things during rego nights:** Good idea, lets put it on our foreheads so all the young impressionable players can keep well away from the jaundiced views of the old stagers.

**ANU FC merchandise you'd most like to see sold at the canteen on match days:** A CD of all of Jose's pre-match pump-up anthems to psyche his players up before big games. I used to love 'Dancing Queen' before those big battles against Juventus.

**Your prediction for the scandal that will rock the Del Rio Presidency:** I see a problem with the current technical director (could be a love tryst) that will result in changes and perhaps Jose having to go overseas to lay low for a couple of years. I could be wrong on this though.

### **ANU FC Season 2004 Discount Card**

Are you a paid up and passionate ANU FC member but yet to lay your eyes on the legendary club discount card?

Contact ANU FC Vice President Lee Gordon and arrange to get one ASAP!

The discount card provides members with a 10% saving at:

City Massage

Focus on Movement Physiotherapy

Milk and Honey Café

Three Degrees Lounge Bar

Turkish Pide House Restaurant in Civic

Can you afford not to have one?

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### Up coming features in the SCUM:

12-year-old boy sues Michael Jackson for not molesting him.

President Bush announces "Operation Piss Off Planet".

"I drank an absolute skinful": Wisey tells the SCUM why there wasn't enough beer to go around at the RSL after the "Keg to the City" challenge.