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Join Penny TannerHoath and Francis Odong on the World Football Programme this Saturday on 107.9FM from 9-12noon.

The show kicks off with West Coast Eagle legend and now 6PR's Sports Central Glen Jakovich joining our team to talk up the challenges and success of both codes here in Australia amongst our rapidly expanding population.

We have much to be proud about with WA players snapping up the many opportunities beckoning for positions in the National squads. Five WA boys selected in the National squad, Emily Henderson in the girls squad, Sam Kerr and Collette McCallum in the Matilda's camp, Nicola Williams as Scholarship Coach...

All the local leagues are just about in action. Juniors, Youth and Men's leagues are into the season proper. The Premier Women kick off Anzac Day. The women's Night Series Grand Final lures you to Coker Park Queens Park at 6.30pm with Northern Redbacks bursting at the seams with talent like Captain and State Team Coach Nicola Williams and under rated goal keeper Jennifer Jobling. Jess Byrnes joins us for a quick chat about Redbacks chances. Redbacks play 2009 League Champions Balcatta, in a continuing reign under Coach Lisa Tana.

Football West Board Member Janette Spencer compares the growth and challenges of women's football WSWA with Football West. A new look Ash field FC President Bill Busby talks up the clubs struggle for success, its challenges and current status.

Adelaide United's Aurelio Vidmar boasts about their Asian Champions League progress, where Melbourne have bowed out with little fuss. The coach has an honest view on all things so we probe his thoughts on where the A League can make some changes. Fox Sports Michael Cockerel gives his angle in a review of the A League season. Matilda's Coach Tom Sermanni gives us 5 minutes from within the Gold Coast training camp. The ladies travel to China in May for the AFC Asian Cup which doubles as World Cup qualifiers.

Fox Sports Football Superstar Series 1 finalist Gilly Buckley, brings us up to date with who is in control in the European Leagues. Having just recently returned from playing in Belgium he is the man to let us know how the Aussies are handling the winter. SBS's Francis Awaritefe shares news on how the World Cup finalists are shaping up looking toward South Africa in June.

There's always more than even we bargain for!

Text Penny on 0408 921 832 anytime with questions for our guests or your comments on The World Game.

- The WFP Team
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