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2 Liverpool Champions sign up for #FootballForFires 23 May 2020

Former Liverpool stars Patrik Berger and Vladimir Smicer will be joining the many international footballers already confirmed in Sydney to play in the **#footballforfires** game at ANZ Stadium on 23 May 2020.

Berger and Smicer were mainstays of the Czech National Team playing nearly 200 games between them from the mid 90's as well as becoming fan favourites at Liverpool.

CONFIRMED PLAYERS AND COACHES FOR #FootballForFires GAME AT ANZ STADIUM 23 MAY 2020

Coach – Guus Hiddink – Australia 2005 -2006, South Korea, Russia, Turkey, Netherlands, Real Madrid, Chelsea, PSV Eindhoven

Coach – Graham Arnold – Australia (current), Sydney FC, Central Coast Mariners

Didier Drogba– IVORY COAST 105 Caps - Chelsea, Galatasaray, Montreal Impact

David Trezeguet – FRANCE 71 Caps - Monaco, Juventus, Riverplate

Dwight Yorke – TRINIDAD & TOBAGO 74 Caps - Manchester United, Aston Villa, Sydney FC

Claudio Marchisio – ITALY 55 Caps - Juventus

Dario Simic – CROATIA 100 Caps - Inter Milan, AC Milan, Dinamo Zagreb, Monaco

John Aloisi – AUSTRALIA 55 Caps - Coventry City, Cremonese, Osasuna, Sydney FC

Dwayne De Rosario – CANADA 81 Caps - Toronto, San Jose, New York Red Bull

Ji-Sung Park – SOUTH KOREA 100 Caps- Manchester United, PSV Eindhoven

Simon Colosimo – AUSTRALIA 26 Caps - Carlton, Manchester City, Perth Glory, Sydney FC

Tore Andre Flo – NORWAY 76 Caps - Chelsea, Rangers, Sunderland, Leeds United

Alecko Eskandarian – USA 1 Cap - DC United, Toronto FC, Real Salt Lake, Chivas

Mark Bosnich – AUSTRALIA 17 Caps - Aston Villa, Manchester United, Chelsea

Con Boutsianis – AUSTRALIA 4 Caps - South Melbourne, Heidelberg, Perth Glory

Pedro Mendes – PORTUGAL 11 Caps - Porto, Tottenham Hotspur, Portsmouth, Rangers

Le Cong Vinh - VIETNAM – 83 Caps - Song Lam Nghe An, Consadole Sapporo

Emile Heskey – ENGLAND 62 Caps - Leicester City, Liverpool, Aston Villa

Michael Bridges – ENGLAND - Sunderland, Leeds United, Newcastle Jets

Geremi – CAMEROON 118 Caps – Real Madrid, Chelsea, Middlesbrough, Newcastle United

Stephen Appiah – GHANA 67 Caps – Fenerbahce, Udinese, Juventus, Vojvodina

Rustu Recber – TURKEY 120 Caps – Fenerbahce, Barcelona, Besiktas, Antalyaspor

Mark Milligan – AUSTRALIA 80 Caps – Sydney FC, JEF United Chiba, Melbourne Victory

Thomas Sorensen – DENMARK 101 Caps – Sunderland, Aston Villa, Melbourne City

Vladimir Smicer – CZECH REPUBLIC 80 Caps – Liverpool, Slavia Prague, Bordeaux, Lens

Patrik Berger – CZECH REPUBLIC 42 Caps – Liverpool, Slavia Prague, Borussia Dortmund, Portsmouth, Aston Villa



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