



**SEASON 2011
COMMENCES 26 MARCH 2011
NOARLUNGA V PLAYFORD
(Wilfred Taylor Reserve)
3:00pm kick off**

Chairman's Chatter

First of all, I would like to welcome everyone to the new season in the Premier League, some have continued on with the club and we look forward to your support for the season ahead.

To the new members, volunteers, parents and players, we open our doors to you as a club and hope you enjoy the experience with Playford City Soccer and Community Club.

The pre-season games and practice matches have almost been completed, and although the results have not gone the way we had hoped, they were invaluable in bedding down a new game style and I am sure new coaches Carl Maynard and Micky Doyle will have the lads up and running well by the season opener starting on the 26th March. I will take this opportunity to wish the Senior teams (Seniors/Reserves and Under 19's) and the Junior teams (Under 17's/16's/15's/14's/13's/12's/11's) all the best for season 2011 and I am sure you will do the Club proud (CLUB MOTTO – In attack most daring, In defence most cunning, In endurance most steadfast)!

Much has happened in the off season, with new coaches being appointed in the Senior and Junior teams and renovations having taken place within the Club. The clubrooms have had a major facelift with the new bar, kitchen and toilets and the Playford City Council must be congratulated with the work that has taken place in this area and further refurbishment to be completed which will result in upgrading the floor, walls and ceiling on the inside and rendering the walls on the outside of the Club which will lift the appearance of the Club to a level not previously seen! The Club is also wanting volunteers to help with the building of a top bar, this may be in the way of materials, eg. sand, steel or labour (we have a number of brickies). See Kevin Winfield or me if you have something to offer!

The Club has also been successful in getting a major upgrade to the lighting which will see new light towers to the front pitch and upgrades to the back pitch allowing the Club to play night matches to attract a new audience. Along with the above, the Club has a new apparel supplier in JS Sports which will bring a whole new professional outlook to the Club and the way the players are presented to the supporters.

In other developments, the Club has been working on a new project which will help the Club in the future. The Club has been involved in the development of a new tavern in Angle Vale over the past 3 years. Details of the Tavern are on the noticeboard and if you would like more details on this project, please see Kevin Winfield or me.

New membership is available now, details are available from the Bar, it is great value, "come along for the journey"! The Club is always looking for volunteers, if you are available to help in any small way, your support will be rewarding!

Finally, details of the Club are available through our website www.playfordpatriots.com.au and I encourage you to visit our site for developments in the Club including scores/ladders, etc.

Greg Voigt

JUNIOR KIT PRESENTATION 2011 WEDNESDAY 16TH MARCH

Sausage sizzle: 6:00pm
Presentation: 7:00pm

All Coaches and Teams to Attend

SENIOR KIT PRESENTATION 2011 SATURDAY 19TH MARCH

Barbecue: 6:00pm
Presentation: 7:00pm

All players and coaches to attend

FUNDRAISING

- Lottery books – you should have already received these. Thank you to those families who have already returned them sold. Keep them coming in.
- Entertainment books – coming soon

REMINDERS

OUTSTANDING FEES – These are due and need to be paid before 1st game of the season, which is the 26th March for Seniors and 27th March for Juniors.

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Many thanks to Paul Suridge for his continued efforts in keeping this up-to-date.