



SENIOR STATE LEAGUE GRAND FINAL PLAYFORD V NOARLUNGA

HINDMARSH STADIUM
18TH SEPTEMBER
KICK OFF 10:00AM

Chairman's Chatter

It has been an extremely busy 6 weeks since the last newsletter. Our Senior Team is just one win away from being crowned State League Champions and automatic promotion to the Premier League (pending results with Noarlunga & Seaford) so for the Club, the season is well and truly on track of where we wanted to be at this time of the year.

The Club is busily preparing for the end of season presentations (Seniors 18th Sept and Juniors 24th Sept) as well as preparing for next season trials (26th Sept), kits, etc.

I have also had meetings with Council with regards to the new upgrades for the Clubrooms. This and other action items are being addressed and as you can appreciate, not all actions will be addressed immediately. Items the Club see as urgent is the upgrade to the Clubrooms (Nov 2010), electrical (Council audited the electricals in July and is currently reviewing the urgent matters) and lighting (the lighting is one we would like progressed and we are investigating next round of funding to have them upgraded for night games, but may be a little way off due to asset costs). I must thank Council for their ongoing support and look forward to the healthy relationship we have built up over the past 12 months continuing.

I would like to personally thank the following people for their hard work and commitment to the Club;

Committee Members: Sharon Barritt, Alison Bell, Di Flynn, Karla Kosonen, Andrew Knowles, Andrew Johnson, Tony Partridge, Jim Mulligan, Ian Luker, Colin Thornton and Kevin Winfield.

Volunteers: Joan Partridge, Alan Bell, Brenton Barritt, Terry Whitney, Ian Shaw and any volunteers who have contributed throughout the season.

Coaches: Hugo Giminez and Bramko – Job not quite done but you guys have developed a squad the Club believes can continue onto greater heights. Stuart Tyerman & Rob Hart – got better as the season unfolded.

Bill Davidson & Mick – young squad but started to perform towards the end. Grant, Andy & Rob Knowles, Paul Cousins, Joe Verringer, Dominique, Peter, Mario, Andy Johnson, Tony Partridge and their right hand side kicks Assistant Coaches / Team Managers.

Development is the key to results both short & long term & in the end the Club will reap the results with success!

Clubs No. 1 Trainer – Eddy – Without this man, the players would struggle to get out on the field each week and from the Committee – Thank you from the bottom of our hearts, you're a great man! Without all your help and assistance, the Club would not be in this great position.

I would also like to mention that Guissepe Zoti was joint winner of the FFSA's State League Player of the Year. Congratulations Guissepe, sorry that Hugo and I spent all the prize money and my boys have replaced your name with theirs!!

SENIOR PRESENTATION SATURDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER 2010 6:30PM FOR 7:00PM

Pre-dinner drinks 6:30pm. Dinner at 7:00pm.

Cost: \$29 per person
Tickets available from Alison Bell

Dinner provided by Red Lion

JUNIOR PRESENTATION & AGM FRIDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER 2010 6:00PM FOR 6:30PM START

Sausage sizzle will be available for all players.
Gold coin donation for other family members.

Just prior to the presentation there will be a short AGM. This is not expected to take too long.

If you are interested in being part of the Committee please speak to one of the present Committee members prior to the AGM.

JUNIOR TRIALS SUNDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER AT 11:00AM WEDNESDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER AT 6:30PM

TRIALS FOR ALL JUNIOR AGE GROUPS
Any queries contact our Junior Co-ordinator, Andy Johnson 0459 217 238 or email andyj@playfordpatriots.com.au
Trials will be held at Ramsay Park, Barfield Crescent, Elizabeth West

Check out our new website at
www.playfordpatriots.com.au
Many thanks to Paul Suridge for all his hard work in getting this website updated.

REMINDERS

CHOCOLATE MONEY – All money or unsold chocolates to be returned asap. Due date was 10th September.
OUTSTANDING FEES – These are overdue and need to be paid before end of the season.