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There will be NO TRAINING FOR ANY TEAM Monday or Tuesday this week.

Wednesday ALL TEAMS will meet at 5.45pm at Granville Park

Players will run from 6pm until 7pm

While the players run a BBQ will operate so no need to organise dinner on Wednesday – normal canteen prices



LAPATHON

Sponsorship form

Wednesday 8th May, 2019

Name	Telephone number	Amount per lap	Total donation	
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		choose to donate a		
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It is expected that players will complete not more than 30 laps

On the WEDNESDAY 8th May all teams will meet at Granville Park at 5.45 and run from 6pm to 7pm. (There will be no Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday training this week)

During the night all players will receive lollies and drinks and a BBQ will operate. This is our only significant fundraiser and it is expected that all players will participate and seek sponsorship prior to the night. This is how we are able to maintain the lowest fees in the district.

Players not attending will not be eligible for special awards at the end of the season.



Calendar

What's coming up?

May 8th - Club Lapathon

May 13^{th} & 20^{th} – National Titles Trials (U16 & U18) – Jones Park, Merrylands

May 14th & 21st - National Titles Trials (U14) - Jones Park, Merrylands

May 15th & 23rd - National Titles Trials (U16 Girls/All Age Ladies)

May 16th & 22nd - National Titles Trials (U23 & All Age Men)

May 28th - Coaches and Managers' meeting

May 30th - Zone rep trials Girls & U8, 9, 10, 11

June 10th - Annual six a side tournament (Endeavour Park, Fairfield)

RAIN – WHAT TO DO It's raining, it's Saturday!! Is the game on??

Your manager will know if the game is on, give them a call. Very rarely is a decision made before Friday evening.

If I have not called your manager, the game is on, even if it is raining!

Most often games will still be on so do not just stay at home, you will be letting your child's team down!!!

It's raining and it's training tonight!! Is training on??

If the ground is closed you cannot train, even if it's not raining!! Parents and players call the manager or coach.

Wet weather line **9294 1418**



Results

Saturday 4th May 2019

U6 Red vs Wentworthville Uniting 0 - 1

Today we only had 6 players but you wouldn't say they were lacking in any way. Every single player gave it their best today and unfortunately we had too many missed opportunities and couldn't score. However the defending today was outstanding and our player of the match Mawien proved he was the best for the job, chasing down balls running the field and being aggressive in his game. Aleena saved a beautiful goal, Utkrist made really nice runs and was so close scoring just falling short each time, Noah came even though it was his birthday and was always ready to tackle and help out his teammates. Ghani also made some really great runs and Sireen really made a difference today chasing down the balls and using her speed to get the ball numerous times. Great work



U6 White

vs OLQP Falcons Blue

Bye

6 - 0

A dominant display today. Jabari was everywhere, tackling beautifully and finishing goals at the other end. He was supported well by Isaac, Noah and Rudain. Zachariah and Thomas also worked hard in what was a well deserved team victory.

Goal scorers - Jabari Uno 6, Isaac Ibrahim 1

U7 Red v



7 - 1

U7 White vs Lidcombe Churches

The under 7 white team today played against Lidcombe and came away with a 7-1 win. The whole team played well, they played as a team today. The boys up front attacked and the defenders kept the backline tight leaving Emily in goals watching like a spectator. Arad played goal keeper in the second half and made a good save. Emaan had a good game filling in, in the full back position while Johnny is away. Karay kept scoring goals, like he has been doing all year and improves with every game. Xavier did his best but is never satisfied with his performance, Sudev played in the forwards and reverted to defensive duties when called to do so. Mithesh played well in patches, but needs to get more motivated and find the killer instinct to score goals. Jeremias today passed the ball to his team mates and didn't tackle his own players, that's a good thing today. Michael kept the defence solid and no one got passed him today and he finished with two individual goals. Well done team.

Goal scorers: Kayra Mete 4, Michael Commodore 2, Jeremias Ezenwa-Ndukaky 1



May the Fourth Be With You!

U8 Red vs OLQP Falcons Red 3 - 0

The Reds remain undefeated after another win this week. It was great to see Akeel returning to us and bringing along Ali. The two are skilled players and will be unstoppable once they have worked with the team a little more. Although it was a win for the Reds today, the game was definitely a little frustrating to watch. We kept the ball in the opponent's half for the majority of the game which was good, but the crowding defence of QLQP Red made it incredibly hard to score. We needed to hold our positions, pass the ball more often and spread out across the field in order to truly dominate. We will work more on this at training as our following 2 games will prove to be difficult. Player of the match: Christian

Goal scorers – Christian Sleiman 2, Aiden Sorojevic 1



U8 White vs Lidcombe Churches Gold **2 - 2**

No report

U9 Red vs OLQP Falcons Red 2 - 2

Team started strong. Stefan was shielding well; Gethyn covering; Brandon dribbling along the right wing. Zayd, Daniyal, and Jesse were all over in the middle tackling. Nimble Yusuf dodged and scored twice. Danielle took the high road and showed good sportsmanship. Izaac manoeuvred the ball into the spaces, dribbled, and passed well. Mardin and Lual found spaces in the front but were tackled. Kids still need to work on their positions, tasks, passing, and offside rules. Player of the match: Izaac defending excellent defending and being a team player Coach's encouragement award: Zayd attacked strongly in first half and brave goal keeper Goal scorer – Yusuf Hadi 2

U9 White vs Wentworthville Uniting Gold **8 – 0**

With three players down with sickness, the team was a little nervous before kick off. We had a plan and all the lads were focused. At kick off, it didn't take long for them to deliver their first goal through Daniel. They continued to dominate in all aspects of the game and by the end of the first half were were up 5-0. However in the second half, we started to get a little complacent and dropped our a guard a little. This lead to some near misses from the opposition at our goals but each time they lifted in defense. The captain Yusif was able to lead from the front scoring five goals and three to Daniel but this came off the consistency of our back line and mid fielders. Top effort to win 8-0.

Goal scorers - Yusif Saleem 5, Daniel Alouche 3

U9 Onyx vs Wentworthville Uniting Blue **0 – 0**

A disappointing result this week, but it does not reflect how well the boys maintained position and kept pressure on the opposition. It didn't help that we were 3 players short but we also seemed to lose track of the basics (handballs, throw ins and offsides), and squandered many chances of winning the game. However there were highlights throughout the game. Ayden and Rushil were unstoppable in defence - tackling hard and running the ball back into the opposition's half of the field. Aaron's corners were pinpoint but didn't get the final touch from team mates. Jonathon and Stefan stepped up into the midfield and made good runs with the ball and tackled well. Lucas and Nikolas were strong up front, putting pressure on the opposition's goal keeper by taking many shots at goal. Farooz was amazing as goal keeper, saving 3 penalties and maintaining his clean sheet. We also recently welcomed Omar into our team - he has been a nice addition as he is friendly, eager and tries his best. Coming off such a big win last week, this game is important as it gets us to reflect, learn and improve.

U10 vs Wentworthville Uniting Blue **1 – 2**

One of our best matches by far. Despite the loss the team dug hard and put in an amazing effort. Hussien, Hassan and William were outstanding in defence. Husiens control and passes were perfect everytime and no one could get past William his tackles were out of this world, even the oppisition coach commented on this. In the middle Charbel, Abyan, Sunday and Akram came up with some great kicks and passes to set up our attackers. Michale and Xavier had some great runs upfront and were both unlucky not to score today. Ali Sena scored the goal of the year so far shooting from just past half way like a rocket straight into the back of the net. Well done everyone. We are finally starting to find our feet and listening better and I really think our opponent's are gonna be worried in the future. William- POM

Goal Scorers- Ali Sena Mirzaei 1



U11 Red vs Wentworthville Uniting Blue **1 – 3**

We knew today would be a tough game but we didn't have it in us to go all the way. Unfortunately we were all over the place in the second half and not very focused and the result showed that. First half we fought hard and held them at 1-1. Our passing as possession held strong through the midfield. Second half however, was a harder fight, we missed some clear opportunities and unmarked players powered through our defence.

This will now drive us to train, and work on areas to beat them next round around. Heads up Guildford, it's still early in the season and we have the skill and will power to get Wenty.

Goal scorer - Jagger Cunningham

U11 White vs Wentworthville Uniting Gold 4 - 0

The team are building some good form ahead of a tough few matches ahead. Leon was off to a cracker from the start of the match quickly grabbing a goal right after kickoff. His form was excellent today as he went on to bag a hat trick of goals, which earnt him player of the match. Mark was solid all over the park playing in 3 positions and getting a great goal in the 2nd half as the ball ricochet off the opposition defender and going in the far post. Daniel also had a great game today supporting the team through the middle and defending well to stop the opposition any time they looked dangerous. Mark and Daniel both received the coaches award for their efforts. Overall each and every player contributed well to the team result.

Goal scorers: Leon Munro 3, Mark Sorojevic 1, Xavier Kaarsberg 1

U9-11 Girls vs Wenty Saints Pink 2 - 4

We experienced our first loss to Wenty Saints Pink today. A very tough game for our girls and we can only learn from here and be more prepared for next game. Outstanding effort by Kuae Yai and Rita Hadidi at defence, Anika Penitani at forward also from our goalkeeper Alexandra Delgado. Well done and great effort to all our girls. Scorers: Anika Penitani 1, Soman Saleem 1

U12 vs Merrylands SFC 9 - 1

We did not start off well again today. Our first 10 mins was very scrappy. We did not want to pass the ball and did not want to attack. We finally remembered how to pass and the goals started flowing. An amazing goal by Alex from quite a distance from goal put us up 4-0 at half time and lifted us even more for the second half. In the second half we were on fire as a team and really used the ball well. The goals kept flowing and we were up 6-0 until an error from us gave them the penalty and they scored their first goal. We came back firing though and scored another 3 goals to Win 9-1 at full time. Man of the Match: Hassan and Hussain for their great team work, passing and goal scoring.

Goal scorers – Hussain Mirzaei 3, Hassan Mirzaei 2, Mohammad Hamed 1, Ali Sajad Jaffari 1 Joey Semaan 1, Alex Rusu 1

U13 Red vs Auburn FC 0 - 9

No report

U13 White vs Newington Gunners

Hassain was having a good game in goals until the defence fell asleep and the opposition scored 4 goals in 10 minutes and we couldn't come back from that. Omar showed some great defending and even had a run up front in the second half. Everyone tried hard but we still have improvements to make.

1 - 6

Goal scorer - Jayson Nguyen 1



Om The Ball

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U15 vs Dundas United

3 - 4

Playing the top team today and we were outstanding. Within 20 minutes we were 3-1 up with Katrina playing a sensational game up front ably assisted by Aaran who was reaping the benefits of Katrina's selflessness. Edward had also made adjustments to his game from last week and was extremely strong. Some other positional changes, a commitment to do better than last match and some luck we haven't had previously had us 3-1 up at half time and looking really good. We knew Dundas would come back hard and try as we might we were unable to stop them scoring their winner with just a minute to go. Heartbreaking.

Goal scorers - Aaran Batth 2, Katrina Tamano 1

U16/1 vs Pendle Hill Black 5 - 0

It's so much better playing well in the first half and dominating early so we can relax and stay calm in the second. Last couple of games, we have kept other teams in the game by keeping the score close but being 4-0 up at halftime was the complete opposite. We simply outplayed our opponents and Koroma had a field day with goals. Krish was awesome up front setting up Koroma and bagging a goal for himself. Naseri was man of the match today for doing the simple things right and making no mistakes.

Goal scorers - Ibrahim Koroma 4, Krish Shrestha 1

U16/2 vs Wentworthville Uniting 2 - 2

We had a good game today. Nice attractive play in attack combined with some dogged defence meant we were always competitive. We created plenty of chances to score, but could not get the ball on target in the first half, yet with limited opportunity our opponents scored twice. Finally our attacking pressure paid off, when we got a penalty for a handball, which Aurelly slotted home with a cracking shot. More sustained pressure resulted in another penalty for a handball. Aurelly's shot this time was stopped by the keeper, but the ball spilt forward, which Liem swooped on with his shot beating the keeper. Navid, Ruben, Angelo & Liem were prowling up front, combining well and creating space. Generally the midfield Aurelly, Utsav & Omar did some nice crosses from out wide. The backs Victor, Baseel, Helal, Ibrahim, Sajed, and William and Baris worked well together. Our goalie Joel was solid shutting down attacks & getting us going forward again offensively. Liem was our player of the match. He worked hard as right wing combining well with the midfielders. He picked up a good goal to tie the game up in the second half.

Goal scorers: Aurelly Geronimo 1, Liem Phan 1

Raahauge Cup Reserves vs Kings Old Boys Blue 1 - 0

Raahauge Cup reserves had a slow start to the season but a flying start to the game, scoring in the first half from a corner sneaked in by Mahdi. Defended extremely well and maintained shape to take a narrow 1-0 victory. Goal scorer – own goal

Raahauge Cup Firsts vs North Parramatta Knights 5 – 5

Raahauge Cup firsts were up 4-1 first half. Goals from Paul, Abdul & V had the team looking forward for next week's game. This was our down fall which caused the opposition to score 4 goals in a matter of minutes. Lucky Paul's last minute hatrick sealed an embarrassing draw but a vital point Goal scorers – Paul Youssef 3, Abdul Abdul Hamid 1, Virinder Chaggar 1

Premier League Reserves vs Wentworthville Uniting 1 - 1

We have been in such a good run of form lately but you wouldn't have known that if you watched the first 30 minutes. We were dreadful; kicking long, giving possession away and not tracking back. This led to the first goal conceded in 4 games. We struck back with 10 to go in the first half and then we really should've won it. We woke up and played some great football but it wasn't meant to be. Still undefeated and we move on to next week with continuing that streak. Banas again received man of the match which is his second of the year already, unbelievable! Goal scorer - Nicholas Massih 1



Premier League vs Wentworthville Uniting 1 – 4

During the first 15 minutes, I honestly thought we were going to win 8-0. We were quicker, we were smarter and we were simply better. Our defensive unit then decided to pass the ball to their strikers not once, not twice, not even three times but four times. It's very hard to win a game when the other team scores 4. As goals were scored, Wenty just closed up shop and even though we came knocking, we couldn't score the goals needed to come away with points. Man of the match was Mick who was the only standout for us the entire game.

Goal scorer - Mick Massih 1

Sunday 5th May 2019

Competition results

U12 Girls vs Doonside Hawks 9 – 0

The girls attacked right from the start. Doonside didn't stand a chance.

Aroha, Rhianna and Soman pushed will pushing the ball forward. More than half the team scored. Anika scored a hat trick. Rhiannyn, Renee, Huda and Lucy scored their first goals of the season. Marie Jo, Millen, and Tamara kept a tight defence line. The team passed well, sort of played position, and were spread out. Just need to practice making the ball work harder by going wide, long and looking up.

Happy birthday Renee! Players of match: Renee for always running and attacking the ball and Anika for her hat trick. Coach's encouragement award: Rhiannyn for always trying to find the net

Goal scorers - Anika Penitani 3, Lucy Sultana 1, Renee Alame 1, Soman Saleem 1, Aroha Mclean 1, Huda Alsankari 1, Rhiannyn Griffiths 1

U15 catch up game vs Lidcombe Waratah 3 – 7

We are competing in a combined Div 2/3 comp which means we play a lot of teams graded higher than us. For semis the comp will be split. 4 games in and we still haven't played against a team from our division! Games like last week and today can be tough, but we need to realise that we are getting better and will be better placed to take on teams from Div 3 starting next week. We still scored 3 goals today with the first being a beautiful piece of individual play in midfield from Aaran and a perfect pass to Katrina for her to calmly beat the keeper. This pass repaid yesterday's from Katrina to Aaran. Samuel and Ishan were tremendous in defence but Alex was a standout. Yesterday Alex was ordinary and he knew it. Showing what a quality person and player he is, he set out today to prove that he was capable of great things. He was the main midfielder defending and to prove that it is possible, he also got himself to the other end to score. Not once, but twice. Brilliant.

Goal scorers - Alex Basha 2, Katrina Tamano 1

All Age Ladies vs Pendle Hill Tigers 4 – 0

A couple of injuries and a wedding had us undermanned today. The draw was probably friendly but we had to play without our most potent striker and with defenders and a centre midfielder missing. But the centre midfield who were there really stood up. Especially Tahlia and Sue who were fantastic today. Perhaps a little more time on the ball, but both displayed solid first touches and then intelligent delivery. Destiny J had to go without Mika's guidance but in the end bagged 3 and our defence of Sarah I, Keely and Jenna was dominant. The one time Pendle Hill got through, Henny made a classic keeper's diving save off her line to upset the striker. All round, very pleasing afternoon.

Goal scorers - Destiny Joseph 3, Sharlene Muru-Tucker 1



State Cup result

U16/1 vs Mount Pritchard 0 – 1

It's the boys first loss of the season but what a game it was. We were very unlucky to have lost this one having more chances than they did but it just wasn't meant to be. Although it was nice to have a really competitive game against a good side. The boys were fantastic today. As a unit defensively, we stopped Mount Pritchard in the midfield and played on the counter numerous times. Koroma and Krish up front were superb and our midfielders ran tirelessly to clean up the scraps and feed the balls through to the forwards. I couldn't name a man of the match because everyone rose to the occasion and played out of their skins. I'm looking forward to seeing if we play them in the champions of champions for a much needed rematch.

State Cup Thursday 9th May 2019

Premier League vs Columna at Phillips 2 (Martin St., Lidcombe) 8.00pm Kickoff (Meet at Phillips at 7.30pm) (dismantle field)

Competition Draw Saturday 11th May 2019

U6 Red	VS	OLQP White 9.00am Kickoff (mo	eet at Everley	at Everley (mini) y at 8.15am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U6 White	vs	Вуе			
U7 Red	VS	OLQP Red 10.00am Kickoff (mo	eet at Everley	at Everley (mini) y at 9.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville) (dismantle field)
U7 White	vs	Wentworthville Unitin 9.00am Kickoff (m c	ng eet at Freamo	at Freame (mini) e at 8.30am)	(Rees St., Mays Hill)
U8 Red	vs	Lidcombe Churches Bl 11.00am Kickoff (m e		at Phillips s at 10.30am)	(Martin St., Lidcombe)
U8 White	vs	Вуе			
U9 Red	VS	Wentworthville Unitin 9.00am Kickoff (m e	ng Gold eet at Fream	at Freame e at 8.30am)	(Rees St., Mays Hill)
U9 White	VS	McCredie Onyx 9.00am Kickoff (mc	eet at Everley	at Everley 4 y at <mark>8.15am to set up field) (Wear v</mark>	(Everley Rd., South Granville) white training shirts for match)
U9 Onyx	VS	McCredie White 9.00am Kickoff (me	eet at Everley	at Everley 4 y at 8.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U10	VS	Kings Old Boys 10.00am Kickoff (me	eet at Everley	at Everley 4 y at 9.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)



Om The Ball

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U11 Red	VS	McCredie Red at 12.00pm Kickoff (meet at Everley a	t Everley 2 It 11.00am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U11 White	VS	McCredie Red at 12.00pm Kickoff (meet at Everley a	t Everley 2 a t 11.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville) (dismantle field)
U9-11 Girls	VS	Wenty Saints Purple at 11.00am Kickoff (meet at Everley a	t Everley 2 at 10.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U12	VS		t Everley 1 I t 7.30am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U13 Red	VS	Silverwater Flamingos at 9.35am Kickoff (meet at Everley a	t Everley 1 at 9.05am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U13 White	VS	Lidcombe Churches at 10.50am Kickoff (meet at Everley a	t Everley 1 at 9.20am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U15	VS	Toongabbie Demons at 11.20am Kickoff (meet at Girrawee	t Girraween 1 en at 10.40am)	(Octavia St., Girraween)
U16/1	VS	Greystanes FC at 11.30am Kickoff (meet at Alpha at 1	t Alpha . 0.45am)	(Dahlia St., Greystanes)
U16/2	vs	Вуе		
Raahauge Cup	VS	St Matthews Baulkham Hills at (Reserves Kickoff at 1.15pm Firsts Kick	t Everley 1 k off at 3.15pm) (Meet at Everle	(Everley Rd., South Granville) y at 12.45pm)(dismantle field)
Premier League	VS	Greystanes Ambassadors at (Reserves kick off at 1.15pm Firsts at 3	t Jones 1 3.15pm) (Meet at Jones at 12.4	(Banks St., Merrylands) 5pm)

Sunday 12th May 2019 Competition Round

U12 Girls	vs	Quakers Hill Tigers 9.20am Kickoff (meet at Pat	at Patterson 6 terson at 8.50am)	(Torbert Ave., Quakers Hill)
All Age Ladies	vs	Lidcombe Waratah 11.00am Kickoff (meet at Ted	at Ted Burge Burge at 10.45am)	(Centenary Rd., South Wentworthville)

State Cup Wednesday 15th May 2019

Raahauge Cup	VS	Wenworthville Uniting	at Phillips 2	(Martin St., Lidcombe)
7.00pm Kickoff (Meet at Phillips at 6.15pm to set up field)				
Premier Reserves	vs	Macarthur Wasps	at Phillips 2	(Martin St., Lidcombe)
		8.00pm Kickoff (Meet at Phillips at 7.30pm)		(dismantle field)



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