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Calendar

What's coming up?

May 20th – National Titles Trials (U16 & U18) – 7pm Freame Park, Mays Hill

May 21st – National Titles Trials (U14) – 7pm Jones Park 2, Merrylands

May 23rd – National Titles Trials (U16 Girls 6pm/All Age Ladies 7pm) – Freame Park, Mays Hill

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)

June 15th – Club Photos (6R, 7R, 8W, 9O, 10, 11R, 13W, 15, 16/1)

June 22nd – Club Photos (6W, 7W, 8R, 9R, 9W, 9-11G, 11W, 12, 13R, 16/2, PL, RC)

June 23rd – Club Photos (U12G, AAL)



Music at the lap a thon was provided by Disco Dave – Thanks Dave!

State Cup Results

Thursday 16th May

Premier Reserves vs **Macarthur Wasps** **1 – 2**

We need to learn how to play for the entire game as we played Macarthur off the park in the first half ending it with a nice goal by Peter but unfortunately completely switched off in the second and let Macarthur come right back into the game. Cup is over but the season is still going strong and hopefully we lift the premiership cup instead.

Goal scorer - Peter Hourani 1

Raahauge Cup vs **Wentworthville Uniting PL** **0 - 1**

No report

Saturday 18th May 2019

Competition results

U6 Red vs **OLQP Falcons Red** **8 - 0**

Today everyone played well, we have been working on playing as a team and today the passing really showed the children have been listening and were able to put into practice what was learnt at training. Player of the match was awarded to Aleena who normally plays goals and today ran the ball the whole field by herself and almost got close to scoring, great effort. Overall it was a game that taught the kids good sportsmanship as the other team were down 8-0 and not once did they make fun and even tried letting them score, really proud of the team. Goal scorers— Ghani El Ekdawy 3, Ali Dbouk 2, Utkrist Nepal 2, Sireen Adeel 1



U6 White vs **Bye**

U7 Red vs **St Columbas Castle Hill** **1 - 7**

Good game today. 5 against 6 players and each player played their best. The team played aggressively, mostly in 2nd half and did some great defence. Yousuf, Aakash and Farzad did some great kicks.

Goal scorer – Aakash Gurung 1

U7 White vs **OLQP Falcons Blue** **2 - 0**

It was a hard match today but thanks to the team working hard we came away with the win. The team feel into some old habits of all following the ball and not passing but all stayed solid when it came to defence. Kayra secured our win with a great goal from a corner kick and another goal from a free kick. Michael did a lot good runs up the sidelines moving between defence and attack. Emaan played strong in defence along with Sudev and Mithesh. Emily had good saves as goal keeper and played strong in attack earning player of match award. Xavier played well in midfield and in defence. Arad received the encouragement award for getting more involved with some good kicks and good saves as goal keeper.

Goal scorer - Kayra Mete 2

U8 Red vs **OLQP Falcons White** **0 - 6**

Well, you win some and you lose some. It was tough competition today and the Reds couldn't keep their shape. Defense was not there today. We didn't jockey and clear the ball like we practiced which left Sebasjin wide open. Better luck next time Reds. Player of the match – Sebasjin Tuki

U8 White vs **Wentworthville Uniting Gold** **4 - 0**

Today the team showed great sportsmanship and teamwork. We still had a few minor mistakes of hovering over one another and aiming our kicks into the net which we will need to keep working on in the coming trainings but overall a great outcome. The team maintained possession of the ball most of the game and if the opposition got in the way they were quick to get it back. Keep it up boys!! Man of Match: Daniel Depares for never giving up and making sure the opposition never had a chance to getting near our goal. Goal scorers: Julian Azar 1, Akshan Maskey 1, Krish Shrestha 1, Mahmoud Hussein 1.



U9 Red vs **McCredie White** **3 - 3**

We started with 7 players today and the Whites were in full force. They attacked early, but Danielle, Gethyn, Izaac, and Mardin just managed to fend them off. Need to chase the ball down and get in front of the attacker. 5 mins into the game, the rest of the team trickled in so that we had subs. Brandon, Daniyal, and Stefan worked well together moving the ball along the sides and attacking the ball. Still need to work on jockeying instead of committing too early and protecting the danger zone. Zayd and Rodney made some good saves, but unfortunately the Whites still found the net. They both played their positions in the middle and end well. The White's defence was strong, but Lual and Yusuf did some fancy footwork, good passing, and good luck to score. Player of match: Yusuf for his hat trick, Zayd for saving goals and defending Coach's encouragement award: Rodney for good saves, Izaac was doing double duty as defender and midfielder. Goal scorer – Yusuf Hadi 3

U9 White vs McCredie Red 3 - 3

Right from the get go, it became a tight arm wrestle. The opposition were quick, technical and aggressive but U9W were able to match them at all aspects of the game. Daniel scored early and we were ahead but it was short lived due to a drop in defence and concentration when the opposition neutralised. They continued to apply the pressure on us and were close to scoring their second goal but it remained one all in the second half. Our boys needed to lift their form to stay in the game and we went into the second half with more determination. It continued to be very close between the two sides with goals going both ways. Toward the back end of the second, we found ourselves exhausted, dragging our feet but also behind on the scoreboard at 3-2. Time was running out and the situation was getting desperate. The fellas were able to defend hard and deliver the ball to our strikers. Several times we came close to neutralising but their goal keeper was swift, saving numerous attempts from our strikers. Finally with constant pressure, Daniel was able to score with the time running up several moments later. Exceptional effort from the boys, we'll improve for next time. Compliments to U9Red for pushing us right down to the wire. See you again soon.

Goal scorers – Daniel Alouche 2, Yusif Saleem 1

U9 Onyx vs St Columbas Castle Hill 9 - 0

This was a game where nobody wanted to be a defender or goal keeper. Everyone played really well, which meant that we dominated the game from start to finish, keeping the ball in our opposition's half. This game was also a good opportunity to mix things up and allow our boys to try new positions on the field and have a go at scoring at goal (this meant that everyone wanted to be a striker in the second half). In a game with this sort of score line it is tempting for players not to pass, but it was great to see that most of our goals came from passes/crosses. The Player of the Match was Stefan for scoring his first goal for the year - after some near misses I was really proud to see him achieving his goal. I would like to thank our wonderful group of parents who every week support team and made the very early trip out to Castle Hill. Well done Onyx!

Goal Scorers: Nikolas Dimitriou 5, Aaron Kidane 1, Jason Azar 1, Stefan Rusu 1, Lucas Harper 1

U9-11 Girls vs OLQP Falcons Blue 8 - 0

A win for our girls today against the Falcons. Outstanding game today and well done to all our girls. All played tremendously well and coach Mika couldn't be any more proud.

Goal scorers - Soman Saleem 6, Olivia Taliauli 2

U10 vs OLQP Falcons 0 - 3

So considering these guys haven't lost a game and beat us 5-0 the first time around we did awesome! We had an amazing first half! There were some great runs made by Sunday and Charbel and they were unlucky not to score. Our defence worked hard in the first half and kept them out to leave us at 0-0 at half time. An opposition goal right off the kickoff, and another soon after, in the second half saw us on the back foot with our heads down. Michael and Mohammed were both really unlucky not to score in the last few minutes, and an own goal sealed our fate. Hussein was our player of the match due to his amazing goal keeping! We've improved so much over the weeks and can only get better from here; we'll get them next round!

U11 Red vs **OLQP Falcons** **3 - 1**

Man of the match – Joey Douehi



Goal scorers – Patrick Matta 2, Joey Douehi 1

U11 White vs **Lidcombe Churches** **6 - 4**

We jumped away to a cracking start with Xavier opening the scoring after just 5 mins followed quickly by Rylan, before both playing really well supported by the whole team to score again to lead 4-0. A lapse in concentration saw Lidcombe pull one back just before the half time whistle to finish the half at 4-1. We felt well in control and should have raced away, however as so often happens, the game swung in Lidcombe's way and we were now under pressure with Lidcombe pulling back a few of their own goals to turn it into a competitive match. In the end we were able to regain composure to score another 2 goals to secure the win. Great game U11W on a beautiful Autumn day. Man of the match was Rylan and Coaches award goes to Mark for his excellent effort across many positions.

Goal scorers: Rylan Roebeck 3, Xavier Kaarsberg 2, Leon Munro 1

U12 vs **Lidcombe Waratah** **2 - 1**

The Under 12s had a very tough opponent today. Lidcombe really made us fight for the ball. The field was very wet from dew and made the ball hard to kick and really slippery. The first 10 mins we were dominating. Some brilliant passing up field and a lovely kick from Gabra saw us get our first goal. Unfortunately though we got a little lazy and let them score one in 5 mins before half time. For the first time today we actually passed the ball too much when we could have had a run to score at goal and missed quite a few chances. We defended well in the 2nd half but Lidcombe still fought us. We missed a couple more chances to score by not just taking a shot and a couple for not taking our time. A goal from a corner kick gave us our 2nd goal by Gabra with 7 mins to go. M.O.M Joesph Semaan for his team work and a good honest game

Goal scorers – Gabra Baram 2

U13 Red vs Greystanes FC 3 - 3

The boys went into the game with 10 players and did not get off to a good start. We conceded 2 goals early, but the boys did not give up and got back to their game. Utilising their accurate and quick passing, as well as their pace down the flanks, we overcame Greystanes' defence. Sajjad capitilised with three goals late in the first half. Going into the second we kept our momentum and were unlucky with two chances. One being a missed penalty and the other was a save from the keeper on the line. Unfortunately, Greystanes put away their only chance in the second half, which was controversial as they had 12 players on the field at the time. Guildford continued attacking, but with only 10 players, fatigued kicked in and we were not able to find that winning goal. Man of the match is Sajjad with his 3 goals and his great attacking runs all game. Man of the match Sajjad.

Goal scorers – Sajjad Karimi 3

U13 White vs Wenty Waratah 0 - 3

With no subs it was going to be tough. Wenty may have just been our toughest opponents yet. Ayub was fantastic in defence. Hussain worked hard in goals all game.

U15 vs Merrylands SFC 3 - 1

Scored 3 again today but unlike last week we defended well and had a win. Haris played well, Rody played intelligently, Edward made the best use of the space he had down the right and Ishan won every 50/50 challenge he went into. Player of the match though was Samuel who was outstanding at centre back.

Goal scorers – Katrina Tamano 1, Aaran Batth 1, Abufazl Karimi 1

U16/1 vs Pendle Hill White 4 - 2

Another ordinary first half where we decided to not get to anything first, let the opposition control the ball and simply didn't want it as much as our opposition. We need to play better in the first half so we can control the game from the start. Halftime finished at 1-1 which doesn't sound too bad but we are undefeated on top and Pendle Hill are coming last. The second half we decided to wake up and put in two goals early. A defensive error resulted in the last 10 minutes being a bit tense but Naseri's long range left footer sealed the 3 points. Still on top and still undefeated.

Goal scorers - Krish Shrestha 3, Mohammed Naseri 1

U16/2 vs Greystanes FC 0 - 10

We had a poor game all round today. Poor defence, poor passing and poor shot selection. The only bright spot was when our goalie Joel had a run on the field in the second half and ran up the field to put the ball in the back of the net, only for it to be disallowed. Joel was our player of the match. He worked extremely hard in goals and saving numerous other attempts. He was unlucky not to score a goal in the second half.

Raahauge Cup Reserves vs St Columbas Castle Hill Black 0 - 10

Raahauge Cup Firsts vs Castle Hill Baptist 1 - 8

Premier League Reserves vs Lidcombe Churches 4 - 2

We made this game a lot harder than it needed to be. Every time we scored or controlled the game, we would fall asleep and give Lidcombe a chance to come back. Moments of brilliance from Francis and Peter were the highlights today as they were both on fire scoring from tight angles. With Barnies dropping points, we are now alone on top which is a great effort.

Goal scorers - Francis Hoang 2, Peter Hourani 2

Premier League vs **Lidcombe Churches** **2 – 1**

I don't know how we can have so much possession, so much control and not put more goals away. Nevertheless we ground out a much needed win that is hopefully the momentum push we need heading into the second round.

Goal scorers - Adem Stevens 1, own goal 1

Sunday 19th May 2019

Competition results

U12 Girls vs **Blacktown Workers** **5 – 0**

For the first time this season we had a full team and everyone was there for warm up.

The girls attacked early and Aroha lobbed the ball above the goalie. After that the team were on the back foot as Workers FC had big kicks, but Renee, Marie Jo, and Millen held firm. They peppered shots at Tamara, who kept her cool and a clean sheet. Second half the girls started working together. Riana, Stella, Lucy, and Taylor were running themselves ragged and throwing themselves in front of the ball. The forwards were attacking well. Rhia, Soman and Anika broke away many times and often scored. Huda was very handy as goalie as she kept Workers goalless in the second half. Girls still need to work on passing, communicating on field, and marking. Well played girls. Keep up the great effort.

Goal scorers – Anika Penitani 3, Soman Saleem 1, Aroha Mclean 1

All Age Ladies vs **Auburn District** **14 – 2**

In the first half we took control of the play, barely letting them touch it, played position and possession and completed the three 'p's by pscoring. Early goals change games and so it was today. Nyanut was outstanding but Tahlia, Sue, Sharlene and Alicia took control of centre midfield all game. The passing from Jenna and Elise in the back was terrific and Keely continued to tackle everything that moved. Then it was up to the strikers Mika, Destiny and Amy and ... well ... check below to see how they went! Congrats to Nyanut for her first goal (in 7 years!)

Goal scorers – Mika Oo 5, Destiny Joseph 4, Amy Hay 2, Sharlene Muru Tucker 1, Jenna Nowlan 1, Nyanut Chan 1

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**

Competition Draw Saturday 25th May 2019

U6 Red	vs	McCredie White 9.00am Kickoff	at Everley (mini) (meet at Everley at 8.15am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U6 White	vs	McCredie Red 9.00am Kickoff	at Everley (mini) (meet at Everley at 8.30am) Play in white training jerseys	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U7 Red	vs	McCredie White 10.00am Kickoff	at Everley (mini) (meet at Everley at 9.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U7 White	vs	McCredie Red 10.00am Kickoff	at Everley (mini) (meet at Everley at 9.30am) Play in white training jerseys (dismantle field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U8 Red	vs	Bye		
U8 White	vs	OLQP Falcons Blue 9.00am Kickoff	at Everley 4 (meet at Everley at 8.15am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U9 Red	vs	McCredie Onyx 10.00am Kickoff	at Everley 4 (meet at Everley at 9.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U9 White	vs	OLQP Falcons Blue 11.00am Kickoff	at Everley 4 (meet at Everley at 10.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U9 Onyx	vs	McCredie Red 10.00am Kickoff	at Everley 4 (meet at Everley at 9.30am) Play in white training jerseys	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U10	vs	OLQP Falcons Blue 12.00pm Kickoff	at Everley 4 (meet at Everley at 11.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville) (dismantle field)
U11 Red	vs	Lidcombe Churches 11.00am Kickoff	at Everley 1 (meet at Everley at 10.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U11 White	vs	Wentworthville Uniting Blue 12.00pm Kickoff	at Freame (meet at Freame at 11.30am)	(Rees St., Mays Hill) (dismantle field)
U9-11 Girls	vs	Bye		
U12	vs	Wentworthville Uniting 9.00am Kickoff	at Everley 2 (meet at Everley at 8.00am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U13 Red	vs	Merrylands SFC 12.45pm Kickoff	at Merrylands 3 (meet at Merrylands at 12.15pm)	(Burnett St., Merrylands)
U13 White	vs	Wentworthville Uniting 10.05am Kickoff	at Everley 2 (meet at Everley at 9.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville) (dismantle field)
U15	vs	Wenty Waratah 9.30am Kickoff	at Ted Burge 1 (meet at Ted Burge at 8.45am)	(Centenary Ave., Sth Wentworthville)

U16/1	vs	Wentworthville Uniting 9.00am Kickoff	at Everley 1 (meet at Everley at 8.00am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U16/2	vs	Granville Waratah 1.30pm Kickoff	at Robin Thomas 1 (meet at Robin Thomas at 1.00pm)	(Macarthur St., Parramatta)
Raahauge Cup Firsts	vs	St Barnabas Broadway (Reserves kick off at 1.15pm, First Kickoff at 3.15pm)	at Tempe 4 (Meet at Tempe at 12.45pm)	(Holbeach Rd., Tempe)
Premier League	vs	St Barnabas Broadway (Reserves kick off at 1.15pm Firsts at 3.15pm)	at Everley 1 (Meet at Everley at 12.45pm) (dismantle field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)

Sunday 26th May 2019

Knockout Round 2

U12	vs	Bye		
U13 Red	vs	Merrylands SFC 12.45pm Kickoff	at Progress 2 (meet at Progress at 12.15pm)	(Killeen St., Auburn)
U15	vs	Ermington United 1.05pm Kickoff	at Coleman 2 (meet at Coleman at 12.20pm)	(Georges Ave., Lidcombe)
U16/1	vs	Greystanes FC 2.00pm Kickoff	at Progress 2 (meet at Progress at 1.15pm)	(Killeen St., Auburn)

Competition Round

U12 Girls	vs	Glenwood Redbacks 10.00am Kickoff	at Glenwood 8 (meet at Glenwood at 9.30am)	(Forman Ave., Glenwood)
All Age Ladies	vs	St Patricks 10.25am Kickoff	at Bert Saunders 6 (meet at Bert Saunders at 9.45am)	(Kiata Rd., Doonside)

Wednesday 29th May 2019

U13 Red catchup	vs	Auburn District Black 7.15pm Kickoff	at Progress 2 (meet at Progress at 6.45pm)	(Killeen St., Auburn)
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Friday 31st May 2019

U12 Girls Knockout Final

U12 Girls	FINAL	vs	Greystanes FC 7.15pm Kickoff	at Merrylands Park (meet at Merrylands at 6.45pm)	(Burnett St., Merrylands)
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