



On The Ball

Guildford McCredie USC (is an activity of Holroyd Uniting Church.)

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SPECIAL SIX A SIDE EDITION

During the season, draws, results, newsletters and links will be available on the website.

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Optusnet has been less reliable sending to Hotmail addresses, so in 2023 newsletters will come from our new gmail account (gmusoccerclub@gmail.com).

The old optusnet account (gmusoccer@optusnet.com.au) is still fine to send emails to and remains our primary official email.

Monday 12th June 2023

U6	vs	Merrylands SFC	0 - 5	
	Vs	Wentworthville Uniting	5 - 0	Goal scorers - ?
	Vs	Bye		
	Vs	Greystanes FC Grey	1 - 1 (won on corners)	Goal scorer - ?
FINAL	vs	Merrylands SFC	0 - 1	
U7	vs	Greystanes FC Red	0 - 5	
	Vs	Lidcombe Churches	2 - 2 (won on goal kicks)	Goal scorers - Paiman Alizada 1, Farhan Hussain 1
FINAL	Vs	Bye		
	vs	Kings Old Boys	0 - 4	





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U8 Red	vs	Greystanes FC White	0 - 3	
	Vs	Kings Old Boys Wynstan	1 - 0	Goal scorer - ?
	vs	Kings Old Boys Blue	1 - 6	Goal scorer - ?
U8 White	vs	Wentworthville Uniting	5 - 0	Goal scorers - Irfan Hussein 4, Jacob Ibrahim 1
	Vs	Greystanes FC Blue	6 - 1	Goal scorers - Irfan Hussain 5, George Alqass 1
	Vs	Greystanes FC Black	2 - 2 (lost on corners)	Goal scorer - Irfan Hussain 2



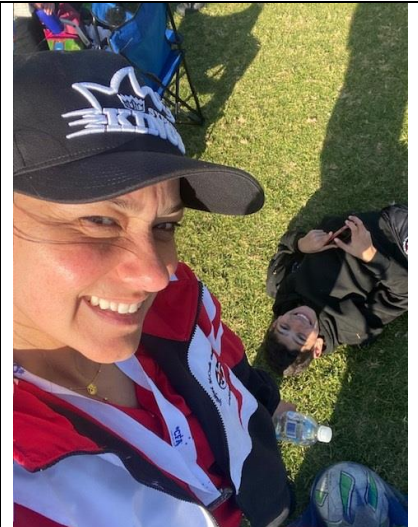
Sunday set up - lunch break



The calm before the storm



Down time for the 10 girls



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U9 Red	vs	Greystanes FC White	1 - 0	Goal scorer - Obaida Oqielat 1
	Vs	Lidcombe Churches	2 - 1	Goal scorers - Erik Bausse 1, Laith El-cheikh 1
	Vs	Wentworthville Uniting Gold 6 - 0		Goal scorers - Laith El-cheikh 3, Aidan Lu 2, Josh Azar 1
	Vs	McCredie White	4 - 0	Goal scorers - Aidan Lu 2, Laith El-cheikh 2
FINAL	vs	Greystanes FC Black	1 - 1 (won on corners)	Goal scorer - Obaida Oqielat 1

Animesh Maharjan - goal-keeper save of the day!



This Victory also deserves a match report. This year the competition for this age group was easily the strongest I have ever experienced across many six a side tournaments I've been involved in. With 12 teams entered and many of the teams all knowing each other well due to regular season games this year along with prior years having played against each other regularly. So the five rounds required to win the tournament against really strong opposition was gruelling. And I couldn't be more proud of this amazing team of 6 players for the Guildford McCredie U9 Reds team. They all played with so much heart and determination, giving their very best efforts on the field until the final whistle of the Grand Final game, where they were absolutely exhausted but totally deserved the victory.

Animesh was a wall in goals keeping 2 clean sheets and only conceding 3 goals across 5 games, with the biggest and most important save of the game in the Grand Final. **Aidan** displayed an incredible work rate, with runs up and down all day, getting back on defence when needed and playing up front scoring some sensational goals finishing with 4 for the day and setting up his team mates with some glorious crosses and assists. **Erik** displayed tenacity and fight and even when things got a little challenging he reclaimed his composure and never let his team mates down. His efforts were rewarded with a slick goal in game 2 which allowed us to build great momentum. **Josh** is our rock in defence and would extinguish many of chances the opposition would get through his strength and ball play. His incredible big boots with corner crosses and clearances from defence helped setup many of the goals for his team. He also bagged a goal for himself and was unlucky not to get more. **Laith** continues to get better and better with every game, his ball skills manoeuvring through the opposition was outstanding today and those silky skills along with being in great positions when in attack saw him lead the goal scoring across the day with 6 goals. **Obaida** despite carrying an ankle injury into the competition, he bookended the scoring for his team with the only goals for the team in Game 1 and the GF.

What an incredible team effort today. When this team plays their best, their best is good enough to beat any team in the competition and they proved that today. Well done GMUSC U9 Reds - 2023 U9 Champions!



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U9 White	vs	OLQP Falcons Blue	0 - 4	
	Vs	Inter Parramatta White	1 - 1 (won on corners)	Goal scorer - ?
	Vs	Bye		
	Vs	McCredie Red	0 - 4	
U10 Red	vs	McCredie White	0 - 3	
	Vs	McCredie Green	0 - 1	
	Vs	Greystanes FC Blue	1 - 0	Goal scorer - ?
	Vs	Bye		
	Vs	Greystanes FC Raptors	0 - 4	
U10 White	vs	McCredie Red	3 - 0	Goal scorers - ?
	Vs	OLQP Falcons White	3 - 1	Goal scorers - ?
	Vs	Greystanes FC Raptors	0 - 3	
U10 Green	vs	McCredie Red	1 - 0	Goal scorers - ?
	Vs	Bye		
	Vs	McCredie Grey	0 - 12	

U10 Grey	vs	Greystanes FC Red	1 - 0	Goal scorers - ?
	Vs	Inter Parramatta White	11 - 0	Goal scorers - ?
	Vs	McCredie Green	12 - 0	Goal scorers - ?
	Vs	Merrylands SFC	6 - 1	Goal scorers - ?
	Vs	Greystanes FC Raptors	2 - 1	Goal scorers - ?



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U10 Girls Red
 vs Inter Parramatta White 10 - 0
 Vs OLQP Falcons Red A 1 - 0
 Vs Inter Parramatta Blue 0 - 3

Goal Scorers: Cici Abdou 2, Izzy Abdou 3, Claire Leke 1, Jessica Leke 3, Nelofar 2.



U10 Girls White
 vs OLQP Falcons White 1 - 0 Goal scorer - ?
 Vs OLQP Falcons Red B 2 - 0 Goal scorer - ?
 Vs Greystanes FC 0 - 5

Goal Scorers: Julie Alqass 2, Aaliyah Elcharouk 1.

Amazing results today, thank you to everyone who participated especially our 3 extra u10 girls, Maritta A, Aaleyah C & Roukaya A. 😊

U11 Red	vs	Fairfield Eagles Purple	1 - 1 (won on corners)	Goal scorer - ?
	Vs	Greystanes United	2 - 0	Goal scorer - ?
	Vs	Bye		
	Vs	Bankstown City Lions	0 - 6	



As a club we won 5 competitions on Monday - meaning for the 6th year running we claim the Bill & Meryn Palmer Club Championship - Well done all.

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Always plenty to watch



Lunch time



Action time



An injured knee wouldn't deny JP his six a side involvement



General buzz

U11 White

vs	Inter Parra/Kings Old Boys	3 - 1
Vs	Lidcombe Churches	7 - 0
Vs	Bye	
Vs	Fairfield Eagles Purple	0 - 1



It was a great day out in the sun for the U11 Whites. Our first game against Inter Parra/KOB saw us secure our first win 3 - 1 with our two strikers, Joachim and Jeremias, back in action. The confidence in the kids continued into the second game with a convincing 7-0 win over Lidcombe. Youssef, Michael, Joachim and Jeremias all found the back of the net. Even our goal keeper Johnny made a great break up the side of the field nearly scoring a goal. After a bye, we had our first must win match in the semis. This was a harder match against Fairfield Eagles. We made some great breaks but sadly could not convert. Our day ended with a 0-1 loss. A huge shout out to Ali, Jeremias, Joachim, Johnny, Michael, Owliya, Raphael and Youssef - everyone played well and never stopped trying. We are proud of everyone.

Goal scorers: Jeremias Ezenwa-Ndukaku 4, Joachim-Cruz Taliauli 3, Michael Commodore 2
 Youssef El Dakkour 1

U12 Red vs Greystanes FC Black 2 - 0
 Vs OLQP Falcons 2 7 - 0
 Vs Lidcombe Churches 4 - 0
 Vs Greystanes FC Black 1 - 2

Goal scorers - Nathan Borg 9, Lukacs Bausse 2, Sebasjin Tuki 2, Jayden Moore 1



U12 White vs Lidcombe Churches 1 - 0 Goal scorer - Julian Azar 1

Boys fought well against a very physical team. They were behind most of the game on corners but then had a break through with Julian finding the back of the net in the last few minutes taking the lead.

Vs OLQP Falcons 1 0 - 0 (won on corners)

Team dominated most of the game and kept Falcon in their half but failed to find the back of the net. For that they won on corners.

Vs Greystanes FC Ball Squad 0 - 0 (lost on coners)

It was a tough match against a strong team. Even though we drew, we lost our battle on corners and that called it a day for the boys.

U12 Girls	vs	Merrylands SFC	0 - 5
	Vs	Lidcombe Churches	2 - 0
	Vs	Merrylands SFC	1 - 5

Goal Scorers: Aaliyah Elcharouk 2, Mona Yousefi 1



U13 Red A	vs	Kings Old Boys	2 - 2 (lost on corners)	Goal scorer - Elio Dib 2
	Vs	Wenty Waratah Maroon	0 - 9	
U13 Red B	Vs	Wenty Waratah Gold	0 - 1	
	Vs	Wentworthville Uniting Gold 2	- 1	Goal scorer - Charble Dib 2
	Vs	McCredie Onyx	0 - 4	
U13 White A	Vs	Wenty Waratah Maroon	1 - 1 (lost on corners)	Goal scorer - ?
	Vs	Wenty Waratah Gold	0 - 7	
U13 White B	Vs	Wentworthville Uniting Gold	0 - 1	
	Vs	McCredie Onyx	0 - 5	
U13 Onyx	vs	Inter Parramatta White	7 - 0	Goal scorers - Stefan Rusu 4, Jason Azar 3, Mykal Abdou 1
	Vs	McCredie White B	5 - 0	Goal scorers - Stefan Rusu 3, Mojbib Mobin 1, Hassan Yabarow 1
	Vs	McCredie Red B	4 - 0	Goal scorers - Stefan Rusu 4
	Vs	Wenty Waratah Maroon	4 - 0	Goal scorers - Stefan Rusu 3, Jason Azar 1
FINAL	vs	Wenty Waratah Gold	1 - 5	Goal scorer - Stefan Rusu 1
U14 Red	vs	McCredie White	1 - 5	Goal scorer -
	Vs	Wentworthville Uniting	2 - 5	Goal scorers - ?
U14 Grey	vs	Kings Old Boys	1 - 2	Goal scorer -
	Vs	McCredie White	1 - 3	Goal scorer - ?

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U14 White	vs	McCredie White	5 - 1	Goal scorers -
	Vs	McCredie Grey	3 - 1	Goal scorers -
	Vs	Bye		
FINAL	Vs	Wentworthville Uniting	2 - 1	Goal scorers - ?



U14 Girls	vs	Kings Old Boys 16s	0 - 4
	Vs	McCredie AAL White	0 - 1

U16	vs	Wentworthville Uniting Gold 1 - 0	Goal scorer -
	Vs	Greystanes FC 2 - 1	Goal scorer -
	Vs	Bye	
FINAL	vs	Wentworthville Uniting 15s 0 - 3	



Congratulations to our U16 Runners Up - Alex, Dylan, Jerell, Hussein, Lachlan, Mustafa and Yama!
 Thank you to our last minute players, Mustafa and Alex, for making it at the games to fill in our absent team mates. And to our coaches Alex Chen and Jayden, all the families and friends for the sideline support! A great day out 😊
 Goal scorers: Alex Rusu 1 Hussein Shah 1

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All Age Ladies Red	vs	OLQP Falcons	7 - 0	Goal scorers - Rachel Mbugua 4, Mika Oo 3
	Vs	Kings Old Boys	1 - 1 (won on corners)	Goal scorer - Rachel Mbugua 1
	FINAL	vs	McCredie Red	1 - 1 (won on corners) Goal scorer - Mika Oo 1



All Age Ladies White	vs	Kings Old Boys	2 - 1	Goal scorers - Tahnee Moors 1, Sarah Burrows 1
	Vs	McCredie 14 Girls	1 - 0	Goal scorer - Alanna Allen 1
	FINAL	vs	McCredie Red	1 - 1 (lost on corners) Goal scorer - Alanna Allen 1



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AAM RC	vs	Kings Old Boys	0 - 0 (won on corners)	
	Vs	Inter Parramatta Blue	0 - 1	
AAM PL	vs	Greystanes FC Black	6 - 1	Goal scorers - Ibrahim Koroma 5, Abulfazel Mirzaei 1
	Vs	Lidcombe Churches Blue	2 - 0	Goal scorers - Ibrahim Koroma 1, Abulfazel Mirzaei 1
FINAL	Vs	GPM Eagles Revelation	2 - 2 (won on corners)	Goal scorers - Ibrahim Koroma 1, William Wark 1
	Vs	Inter Parramatta Blue	6 - 0	Goal scorers - Ibrahim Koroma 3, William Wark 1, Steven Lee 1, Darren Warren 1



[The full draw and all the results can be found *here* \(or on the below QR code\)](#)





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John Oliver Representative Teams

Congratulations to the following McCredie players selected in the 2023 Yellow teams to compete for the John Oliver Shield on Tuesdays 18th and 25th July at Phillips Park, Lidcombe

U8 - Irfan Hussain, Jacob Ibrahim, George Alqass, Thomas Cheung

U9 - Aidan Lu, Joshua Azar

U10 - Angakehe Liutai, Isaac Ibrahim, Jabari Uno, Noah Alouche, Zakaria Ali

U11 - Aakash Gurung, Jeremias Ezenwa-Ndukaku, Joachim-Cruz Taliauli, John Tawk, Michael Commodore, Muhammad Al Shanawa, Youssef El Dakkour

U12 - Akshan Maskey, George Massoud, Jacob Leke, Jayden Moore, Jonah Cicchini, Julian Azar, Logan Chen, Lukacs Bausse, Sebasjin Tuki

U13 - Ali El Dakkour, Brandon Commodore, Daniel Alouche, Farooz Maqsoodi, Gethyn Griffiths, Hossain Al Shanawa, Jason Azar, Kelvin Moshi, Mojib Mobin, Mykal Abdou,

Nik Dimitriou, Hassan Shah, Stefan Rusu

U10 Girls - Cienna Abdou, Claire Leke, Izabela Abdou, Julie Alqass, Nelofar Mobin

U12 Girls - Ellie Bailey, Ruby Houry

The full teams are available at - <https://cfasydney.com.au/john-oliver-junior-representative-yellow-teams-announced/>

Uniform pick up night for the John Oliver Representatives will be Tuesday 27th June at Jones 1 amenities, Banks Street, Merrylands -6.30pm -8pm

NOTE: players must pick up their own uniform. Coaches, Managers or friends, will not be permitted to take uniforms for other players.



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Wednesday 14th June 2023

All Age Ladies	vs	Kings Old Boys	at Jones 1	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		9.00pm Kickoff	(meet at Jones at 6.30pm to set up field)	
Over 35s	vs	OLQP Falcons	at Jones 3	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		8.00pm Kickoff	(meet at Jones at 7.30pm to set up field)	(dismantle field)

Saturday 17th June 2023

U6	vs	Lidcombe Churches	at Phillips	(Martin St., Lidcombe)
		9.00am Kickoff	(meet at Phillips at 8.30am)	
U7	vs	Greystanes FC Green	at Everley (mini)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
		9.00am Kickoff	(meet at Everley at 8.15am to set up field)	(dismantle field)
U8 Red	vs	Inter Parramatta Blue	at PH Jeffery	(Barton St., North Parramatta)
		12.00pm Kickoff	(meet at PH Jeffery at 11.30am)	
U8 White	vs	Greystanes FC Red	at Everley 4	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
		10.00am Kickoff	(meet at Everley at 9.15am to set up field)	
U9 Red	vs	Greystanes FC Black	at Bathurst St 2a	(Bathurst St., Greystanes)
		11.00am Kickoff	(meet at Bathurst St at 10.30am)	(dismantle field)
U9 White	vs	Greystanes FC White	at Bathurst St 2a	(Bathurst St., Greystanes)
		10.00am Kickoff	(meet at Bathurst St at 9.30am)	
U10 Red	vs	Kings Old Boys	at Everley 4	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
		11.00am Kickoff	(meet at Everley at 10.30am)	
U10 White	vs	Inter Parramatta	at PH Jeffery	(Barton St., North Parramatta)
		11.00am Kickoff	(meet at PH Jeffery at 10.30am)	
U10 Girls	vs	OLQP Falcons Red	at Daniel 1	(Daniel Street, Greystanes)
		9.00am Kickoff	(meet at Daniel at 8.30am)	
U11 Red	vs	McCredie White	at Everley 2	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
		12.00pm Kickoff	(meet at Everley at 11.30am)	
U11 White	vs	McCredie Red	at Everley 2	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
		12.00pm Kickoff	(meet at Everley at 11.30am)	(dismantle field)
U12 Red	vs	Greystanes FC Blue	at Everley 2	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
		11.00am Kickoff	(meet at Everley at 10.30am)	
U12 White	vs	OLQP Falcons White	at Daniel 2	(Daniel Street, Greystanes)
		12.00pm Kickoff	(meet at Daniel at 11.30am)	



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		10.00am Kickoff	(meet at Daniel at 9.30am)	
U13 Red	vs	Kings Old Boys	at Everley 2	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
		10.00am Kickoff	(meet at Everley at 9.30am)	
U13 White	vs	Inter Parramatta	at Jones 1	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		10.00am Kickoff	(meet at Jones at 9.30am)	
U13 Onyx	vs	Babylon Chaldean	at Everley 2	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
		9.00am Kickoff	(meet at Everley at 8.00am to set up field)	
U13 Div 1	vs	Toongabbie Demons	at Girraween 3	(Octavia Rd., Toongabbie)
		11.50am Kickoff	(meet at Girraween at 11.20am)	
U14	vs	Auburn District	at Progress 3	(Killeen Ave., Auburn)
		8.55am Kickoff	(meet at Progress at 8.25am)	
U15	vs	Wentworthville Uniting	at Jones 2	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		11.00am Kickoff	(meet at Jones at 10.30am)	
U16	vs	Wenty Waratah	at Ted Burge 1	(Centenary Rd., South Wentworthville)
		11.35am Kickoff	(meet at Ted Burge at 11.00am)	
Raahauge Cup Reserves	vs	Babylon Chaldean	at Tait Street	(Tait St., Smithfield)
		1.15pm Kickoff	(meet at Tait at 12.30am)	
Raahauge Cup	vs	Columna	at Tait Street	(Tait St., Smithfield)
		3.15pm Kickoff	(meet at Tait at 12.30am)	
Premier League	vs	Lidcombe Churches	at Everley 1	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
		Reserves Kick off 1.15pm, Firsts Kick off at 3.15pm	(meet at Everley at 12.30pm)	(dismantle field)

Sunday 18th June 2023

U14 Girls	vs	Toongabbie Demons	at Merrylands Park 2	(Burnett St., Merrylands)
		9.00am Kick off	(meet at Merrylands Park at 8.30am)	

Wednesday 21st June 2023

All Age Ladies	vs	OLQP Falcons Red	at Jones 2	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		7.00pm Kickoff	(meet at Jones at 6.30pm to set up field)	
Over 35s	vs	Kings Old Boys/Castle Hill Baptist	at Jones 1	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		8.00pm Kickoff	(meet at Jones at 7.30pm)	(dismantle field)



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Thursday 22nd June 2023 - State Cup Final

Premier League

vs

Kings Old Boys
7.30pm Kickoff

at Jones 1

(Banks St., Merrylands)

(meet at Jones at **7.00pm to set up field**)



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AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE



Socks - \$12



Shorts \$28 – all sizes available

**It's getting cold - we have jackets & Hoodies for sale.
 Available from the canteen**



Hoodies \$30

(sizes 8-XL available) - Yes we now have adult sizes!! **RED OR BLACK**



Jackets \$50

(ADULT SIZES – LIMITED JUNIOR SIZES)

JERSEYS AND TRAINING SHIRTS DO NOT NEED TO BE PURCHASED - TRAINING SHIRTS WILL BE HANDED OUT AT TRAINING (AND CAN BE KEPT), JERSEYS ON GAME DAY (AND ARE RETURNED TO THE CLUB)



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RAIN – WHAT TO DO

It's raining, it's Saturday!! Is the game on??

The decision to close and open grounds is in the hands of the local council

It is made on the basis of the condition of the ground. It is not made based on the weather.

That means that sometimes it is sunny but the ground is closed (because it is still wet from previous rain) or it is raining but the ground is open.

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 contacted 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.

You can check via Cumberland Council's website

IMPORTANT NOTICES

1. *If for any reason your child is unable to play or attend training you **MUST** inform your coach or manager **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**.*
2. *If you have questions regarding your team ask your manager.*
3. *If it is raining on a Saturday morning call the team manager to see if the game is on. Most often games will still be on so **do not just stay at home**, you will be letting your child's team down!!!*
4. *Please assist the coach and manager, they are working unpaid for your child. There may be nets to put up or pull down, corner posts to stick in, players to be picked up (particularly if a parent has more than one child playing in different teams) or shirts to wash.*
5. This Club, the NSW Churches Football Association and Granville District SFA have high expectations of our parents and players. Please support our teams, but no abuse of players or officials will be tolerated and bans or fines could result.

Greg Wark – Secretary 9682 7779