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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

LOST PROPERTY - Last week a set of, what looks like house keys, was handed in to the canteen. Has an orange plastic key ring.

This week a mobile phone was handed in – don't know what sort it is, but it's quite large and we don't think it's an iphone.



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Gather your sponsors for the 2023 Lapathon!

LAPATHON

Sponsorship form

Tuesday 30th May, 2023

Name	Telephone number	Amount per lap or the sponsor may choose to donate a total amount.	Total donation
Total amount collected			

It is expected that players will complete not more than 30 laps

**On TUESDAY 30th May all teams will meet at Granville Park at 5.45 and run from 6pm to 7pm.
(There will be no Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday 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.

Wednesday 19th April 2023

All Age Ladies vs **OLQP Falcons Blue** 1 - 0

This was one of those games where we dominated possession and position but were unable to dominate the third Big P - Pscoring! Late in the first half Rachel finished a nice goal, which was fortunate as it would be the only one we would get. A single striker makes it hard to better a solid defender and that's what Falcons had. Let's see how they go when our second striker is fit for the next round's encounter.

Goal scorer - Rachel Mbugua 1

O35s vs **Kings Old Boys** 0 - 0

A good game considering it was the first time the team played together. Plenty of shots at goal, closely missing the target. Phil and Gerard provided constructive feedback with the team needing to pass more and run less. Better fitness and stamina obviously needed for some of the players, nothing another 13 weeks of game play won't fix. Not a bad result for a newly formed team.

Saturday 22nd April 2023

U6 vs **OLQP Falcons Blue** 8 - 1



4th game into the season and the game started at a frantic pace, with lots of energy ⚡️ seen by our under 6's. With just 3 minutes into the game charging through the rain dribbling and passing to one another from the opposite side of the field,

Eyad struck the opening goal 🥅 for the team from the corner of the field! Back to the centre field, it didn't really take

long for Kamal to swipe the ball 🏀 through his opponents feet, passing it through to Ali which then dribbled the ball off









to Eyad, who managed to smash another goal, 3 minutes later 🙌. We were sitting at a good position, our opponent's Falcons Blue, now were gearing up trying to steal the ball taking it up to our goals shooting clean to score but to be stopped

by our strong goal keeper Amir, better luck next time! Great catch Amir 👍. Back to the centre, a tactical play started between Ali and Riyarth, bringing the ball back down dribbling and passing to each other to score, but unfortunately Ali's kick landed on the outside of the net! Goalkeepers kick out landed in between Eyad's feet which sore him to strike a big



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goal.. and score !! Finally before half time Cj, Luqman and Zane , played defence at such an amazing level  dribbling to each other defending their opponents not allowing them to gain the ball, yet making sure it got passed off to Ali, who dribbled the ball all the way down to the goal, ditching right and left determined to keep the ball... goal  !! Another smashing goal... by Ali.. sitting the team on 4 to 0 by half time!! The rain started hammering harder  by second half, but this didn't throw the boys off, they continued to play strong and steady with Ali scoring first goal of second half..  ...By now the opponents were fierce taking the ball off our boys several times, trying to score through their goals but Zane saved most..  only allowing them to score one! .. Setting the score at 5-1. That just made our boys more eager and hungry for the goals. Amir, Kamal and Riyaarth playing better than they ever have as midfielders , but unfortunately missing their opportunity to score. With 10 minutes out from finish.. Cj turned on his game time skills defending against all opponents in the way of his teammate Eyad, allowing him a clear path to dribble the ball down and shoot another extraordinary goal for the team. Amazing team work Cj and Eyad  . by this time the rain was pounding on the boys and they were getting a little tired.. but they kept soldiering on passing to each other and defending against the Falcons allowing for another astonishing 2 goals, closing the game with 8-1! Superstars, they are, under 6's taking the game for the day!! Amazing team play! 
Goal scorers - Eyad El Dakkour 4, Ali El Cheikh 2

U7 vs Greystanes FC Black lost on forfeit

Disappointingly, we were forced to forfeit our game against Greystanes FC Black, as we only had 3 players at kick off. Greystanes agreed to stay, despite the weather, and play a friendly game with us and they were very happy it was a friendly game! Christian, Seb and Paiman started the game for us and Farhan joined us later. The boys worked so well together and scored 9 goals! They also kept the opposition scoreless. Every one of our players got at least one goal each. A special mention to Christian, who scored his first goal of the season! With the support of his team mates, he kicked a powerful long shot in the last seconds of the game. Thank you to all of our players and families who did turn up on game day!

From the committee - Please note that forfeits from junior teams like this see our club fined \$70 in addition to the disappointment of the players and officials who make the effort to be there and your opponents.

U8 Red vs Kings Old Boys White 1 - 3

Goal scorer - Felix Tuki 1

U8 White vs Greystanes FC White 1 - 1

A hard fought match. We had enough players thanks to Farhan from U7 for helping out but no subs. Greystanes played with a full team and 2 subs. Good effort however, there was a lot of ball watching and efforts at tackling were not at their usual standard. The team the turns up to training tackles hard and plays confidently disappeared in the rain. It was nil all at half time. Some strong runs by Irfan, George and Jacob. Good defence by Jess, Zayden and Pablo. Some great saves by Thomas and thanks to Milan for playing goalkeeper in the second half. Greystanes scored with 7 minutes to go before a goal mouth scramble a few minutes later saw Zayden score. The goal boosted the team's confidence and there were some strong attacking plays but we weren't able to score again. Good effort team. Much improved positioning but hopefully we can regain our confidence with tackling.

Goal scorer - Zayden Benhatta 1



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U9 Red vs Wentworthville Uniting Blue 10 - 0

Today we played majority of the game in the opposition's half with Wenty having no shots at goal as all of our boys defended well. Shiven, Hussain, Younis, and Ahmed continue to show improvement in defending with some good clearance of the ball. Maroun continued to defend strongly running the whole field. There were many opportunities at goal, starting with Erik who scored within the first 3 minutes into the game. Josh had a few attempts at goal, almost scored his first for the season, but unfortunately had no luck with the goal post being the target. Obaida and Aidan continue to work well together in front of goals. Animesh, our usual goalie, took a penalty kick belting one over our opponent's goalie straight into the back of the net. Laith displayed his strong dribbling skills and was also able to capitalise on a goal at the end of 2nd half. Great result but still more work to do with our backline and passes.

Goal scorers: Obaida Oqielat 6, Aidan Lu 1, Animesh Maharjan 1, Erik Bausse 1, Laith El-cheikh 1

U9 White vs OLQP Falcons White 3 - 5

Goal scorer - ?

U10 Red vs Greystanes FC Blue 0 - 0

It was well and truly wet by the time we got on the pitch. Running down hill the first half saw a slipping and sliding all over the field We weren't quite being able to connect with the ball and our team mates like we wanted. Zak had another stand out performance in defence and Ghani was great in goals holding out a very slippery ball. The standouts today were Paul who despite being a lot smaller than the opposition never gave up and always knew when to play it safe and Nolan who was constantly on the attack. Thank you To Ciena and Isabella from the U10 girls for helping us out so we didn't have to play short.

U10 White vs Kings Old Boys 4 - 2

Rainy day it was but the team has done it one too many times. The game started with a goal from JJ and straight after another one from Kai, however the other team scored before halftime and it was two one by then. After the halftime Isaac scored a goal and the other team put on pressure and they scored. With the other team coming back Taha did his thing and scored a classic goal. Thanks to the midfielder Jayden who made sure the defence was tight and Julio at the back. At the end of the game we won 4 -2 what a blast Thank you to the parents for coming and supporting the team while it was raining

Goal scorers - Jabari Uno 1, Isaac Ibrahim 1, Kai Mwanza 1, Taha Mansouri 1

U10 Girls

vs OLQP Falcons Blue

1 - 1



Constant drizzle gave us a wet, slippery ball; conditions we just aren't used to yet this season. Nelofar, Hajira and Elizabeth played great in mid field. The ball was getting a bit stuck in the grass at times but these girls kept persevering and by second half knew to kick long to get the ball up closer to our strikers. Super Claire kept booting the ball back to our midfield & had amazing control of the back line. Jacinta, Batoul and Julie all tackling well and keeping the Falcons running back in the other direction. Aariya at goals was well guarded by our defence line, saved some great kicks with only 1 goal getting by her in the second half. Cici directed the team well as today's captain, playing both mid & striker. Upfront, Izzy & Aaleyah had a tough time getting through the Falcon Blue defence. At times they had the ball but were stuck in a cast of Falcons with no way out. They had a few unsuccessful attempts at goal but managed one in the first half which was the only goal for the day, must to the girls' dismay. Most of the team are building their stamina each week by playing back to back games. They display great team work and are having a fun time playing. Well done girls!

Goal Scorer: Izzy Abdou 1

U11 Red

vs Greystanes FC Black

0 - 4

It was a brave performance considering the rain and being one player short. Midfielders pushed back well in defence. Hussain and Issa protected our goals well. Vivek played well defensively. Our striker Mohammed pushed hard to create opportunities. Our defender Mohammad cleared the ball well. Auras communicated well in defence. Ethan played well all-round in defence and attack. Thomas, Ayan, Ethan, Akash and the rest of the team gave it their best shot.

U11 White

vs Inter Parramatta

3 - 1

At kick-off the rain had set in creating a wet and soggy game not only for the players but for our sideline cheer squad. It was great to be able to have all of players take the field today with the added bonus of being able to welcome back Gabby to the team. Today our game tactics were not as strong as last week with players being out of position, not passing and bunching up but they keep trying and won our fourth game. Our defensive line held strong today limiting the opposition's attack. Our attack although were breaking their line, were not passing well and missed some good scoring opportunities. Jeremias was able to find the back of the net 3 times including a good goal from a free kick. Some areas to keep working on but it is also great to see the connection growing between our players to make a great start to the season.

Goal scorer: Jeremias Ezenwa-Ndukaku 3



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U12 Red vs **OLQP Falcons Blue** 12 - 0

The weather report wasn't good, but great expectations of finally having a full team were quickly shutdown when only 10 players turned up including 2 being borrowed from U11s again. We didn't let that deter us and started strong. Plenty of passing through midfielders, Chris, Mujtaba, Michael and Jayden kept the pressure on to score. Rhys as usual made his runs but lack of players means lack of players to pass to. The pressure eventually resulted in a goal from a perfect volley from Chris to score our first. Then the flood gates opened and Rhys put in 3 straight goals. Our defenders Lukacs, Antonio, Joachim and Charles held the back line perfectly, the game was kept in the opposition's half. Our substitute keeper Logan only touched the ball once, but it was a good kick. Nathan made it to the game and made an immediate impact. Scoring just before half time. 2nd half was all downhill, players got to switch the positions a bit, giving everyone a chance to play up front. Plenty of missed shots due to inaccuracies but it didn't really affect the outcome of the game. Game finished 12-0 but doesn't really reflect how much heart the kids showed. Even in the rain, short players and no subs, they gave their all and came away with a great result. Thank you once again to our regular supporting players from the under 11s, Joachim and Michael, who also won their match afterwards.

Player of the match: Lukacs Bause

Goal scorers: Nathan Borg 6, Rhys Bautista 3, Christian Sleiman 1, Joachim-Cruz Taliauli 1, Lukacs Bause 1

U12 White vs **Greystanes FC White** 1 - 1

Today was not what we hoped for. Players were not so organised nor did they play their potential. We were caught ball watching more than attacking. We were not decisive on how we wanted to play our attacks. We seem to hold on to the ball too long and our long balls kept getting to the opposition's defence rather than our strikers. George made extremely nice saves in goals today that kept us in the game. Our defence held pretty well especially Jacob. He was phenomenal, controlling the defence line and played with remarkable maturity. The team's passing was also not on point today giving much of the ball away to the opposition. However our boys stayed positive and we know we will do better next time!

Goal Scorer: Youssef Musseme 1.

U12 Girls vs **OLQP Falcons** 1 - 6

Nice to have 5 reserves on the bench. Although we didn't need the loss. We need to stick to the positions you have been given. Good to see lots of energy from everyone. Opposition was just too good for us today. Thanks must go to the U10girls for their time and effort to give us a full team each week.

Goal scorer - Mona Yousefi 1

U13 Red vs **McCredie White** 0 - 2

Today's game against the whites was messy. Too many hand balls and free kicks were given away. Nabil, Luke, Brandon, and Daniyal held a tight line. Elio in goals had quick reflexes, but was unlucky. Abbas, Ghadir, and Ali Y tackled well in the middle. Ali E, Bilal, and Charbel broke through a couple of times, but the ball got too far away. Really need to work on fitness as the boys started walking and waiting for the ball. Player of the match - Shabir challenged and chased the ball more than anyone this game. Coach's encouragement award - George for defending on the left hand side.

U13 White vs **McCredie Red** 2 - 0

After two losses for our team, it was great to finally have a win. They all turned up ready to play. Defense did not give the striker any opportunity to pass. Two long kicks to Michael allowed two great goals. Man of the match went to Hamza for his great defence.

Goal scorer - Michael Karaki 2



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U13 Onyx vs Kings Old Boys 9 - 1

We emerged as clear winners with a scoreline of 9-1, after leading 2-1 at halftime. Stefan was the star of the match, as he scored a phenomenal five goals, showcasing his incredible scoring abilities and helping the team secure a commanding victory. In addition to Stefan's outstanding performance, Jason, Hassan, Mykal, and Mustafa also contributed to the team's success, with one goal each. It was a great team effort, and the players displayed excellent coordination and teamwork, which ultimately resulted in a resounding victory for U13 Onyx. The team's performance was particularly impressive in the second half, where they scored seven goals to secure a dominant win over their opponents. Overall, it was a fantastic display of skills, and U13 Onyx deserves all the credit for their exceptional performance on the pitch. This win will undoubtedly boost the team's confidence and morale, and they will be looking to build on this victory in their upcoming matches.

Goal scorers – Stefan Rusu 5, Jason Azar 1, Mykal Abdou 1, Mustafa Jaffari 1, Hassan Shah 1

U13 Div 1 vs Rydalmere FC 8 - 0

We emerged victorious with an incredible score of 8-0, after leading 4-0 in the first half. The team put up a commendable performance with Nik and Hassan scoring three goals each, while Daniel and Hossein also managed to find the back of the net, with one goal each. It was a great day for Nik and Hassan, who were both in top form and displayed exceptional skills on the pitch. Their hat-tricks proved to be the backbone of the team's victory, and they were rightly hailed as the stars of the match. Meanwhile, Daniel and Hossein also contributed significantly to the team's success with their impressive goals. This victory will surely boost the team's morale and help them move up in the league standings. It was also a special moment for Hossein, who scored his debut goal in division 1, which will surely be a memorable experience for him. Overall, it was an excellent team effort, and the boys deserves all the credit for the remarkable victory over Rydalmere.

Goal scorers – Nik Dimitriou 3, Hassan Shah 3, Hossein Al Shanawa 1, Daniel Allouche 1

U14 vs Toongabbie Demons 2 - 2

It was great despite the wet conditions to have all but 2 at the game today. We started slow and let the opposition get an early goal we were quick however to strike back with a nice passage through the middle. Half time talk was mainly focused on making sure we don't condense so much in to the middle and remember to use our wide players. We took this on board and were able to score another from a cross early in the second half. Just when we thought we had the win in the bag a free kick with seconds to go forced a draw. Very proud of everyone's efforts today.

Goal Scorers - Moian Amiryan 1, Muhammad Nazari 1

U15 vs Regents Park Saints 1 - 5

U16 vs Bye

Raahauge Cup Reserves vs Wentworthville Uniting Blue 0 - 3

With 16 regular reserve graders being available today, no first grade help was required. This is great for the squad but does mean that Reserves are "on their own"! We felt this in the middle of defence today and were hurt early when an unlucky deflection finished at the feet of the Wenty striker, everybody in Red caught scrambling and a freakily good shot found the net in the first few minutes. 0 - 1 is how it stayed as we regained some of the composure from last week and set about our task. Again Dylan stepped up, JP worked hard and Antonio took his shots. In the second half we tried a few things to try and get the goal back and Afshin playing a little higher, saw him with more ball. Sticking our passes continues to be a problem for us though which makes it hard to sustain pressure, meanwhile our opponents found the net again via a penalty and another late one to finally seal it.



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Raahauge Cup Firsts vs Greystanes FC washed out - postponed

So frustrating that for the first time all year we had 14 fresh first graders, some of whom had been at the ground for 2 hours, all warmed up, already wet and dirty, 3 officials, a good crowd, an opposition equally keen, but no game. Greystanes have no idea of the bullet they dodged.

Premier League Reserves vs St Columbas Castle Hill 6 - 0

Another day against Columbus in the rain... Today felt reminiscent of last year but instead of it raining in the build up to the games meaning we needed to often cancel them, we were able to step out onto a rainy Everley Park. Have to count our blessings where we can fellas! Add to that we had the luxury of 2 full squads today meaning minutes now become very competitive. Our boys started off really strong with some good wing play with both Booker and Petey looking dangerous down the sides. On Wednesday we focused on crossing with purpose and connecting with the ball. It was fantastic to see us score and create a number of chances all over the park. About 10 minutes in a great cross from Tim opened the scoring with Dbouk finishing nicely. From that moment it was really our game to lose. 3-0 at the half was a fair result given the way both teams were playing. At half time the message was to take our time, focus on control, and keep the clean sheet. Introducing Rado into the mix added a new threat and was great to see him off the mark after only just joining the club. The standouts today were in our core, the Centre backs and centre Mids looked really on the pace today. Given that stability down our spine we were in control for large portions of the game. Man of the Match went to Booker - another great performance mate!

Goal scorers, Will Booker 2, Ahmed Dbouk 1, Will Wark 1, Daniel Radosevic 1, Peter Hourani 1

Premier League Firsts vs St Columbas Castle Hill 5 - 1

After a disappointing loss last week, the message in build up for this match was to right our wrongs by keeping our shape and being clinical at the important moments. Additionally, unlike most weeks we had only 2 people doubling up. It was seriously great to see and has given the coaching team some difficulties in determining what our best 11 is. We haven't had much game time together this season but we line up as a team that aims to play the best football. With the ability to play at a good speed / tempo and adapt to our oppositions defensive tactics shows how much we can improve and grow as a team as the season progresses. Managing minutes will be the next task moving forward. Going 1-0 up through a goalkeeping blunder set us up much like the last game, where the opposition were mostly chasing the game. Lucky to not be punished in the transition, we oozed class notably when Terence, Will and Bright were on the ball. And walking into the break at 3-0 was again, a fair result in a half where we dominated. Much like reserve grade, the half time talk was a logical one. Don't concede goals and we would win the game. Keeping our tempo and control was also important. We had moments where we looked shaky in the centre and I will harbour the responsibility for that as the changes in our midfield were too frequent and disjointed. Having to change shapes to accommodate play styles can't happen as often as it did.

Nevertheless, our quality prevailed and goals from Tez and Wil buried the game after a back pass blunder. A massive shout out to the returning Bright Owusu. Much love for this kid who makes our (and our oppositions') jaw drop every time he beats a player - we are glad to have you back. And lastly, a bigger shoutout to Terence who looked a class act out there today holding players off, controlling the ball and connecting the midfield and forward line. A true Man of the Match performance.

Goal scorers, Simon Owusu 2, Bright Owusu 1, Terence Robin 1, Wil Wark 1

Sunday 30th April 2023

U14 Girls vs Merrylands SFC washed out

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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Tuesday 2nd May 2023

U16 vs Greystanes FC White at Guildford West Sportsground (Foray St., Guildford West)
7.45pm Kick off (meet at Guildford West 7.15pm)

Wednesday 3rd May 2023

U15 vs Pendle Hill Tigers at Binalong 1 (Binalong Rd., Old Toongabbie)
7.45pm Kick off (meet at Binalong at 7.15pm)

All Age Ladies vs OLQP Falcons Blue at Jones 2 (Banks St., Merrylands)
7.00pm Kickoff (meet at Jones at 6.15pm to set up field)

Over 35s vs Inter Parramatta White at Jones 2 (Banks St., Merrylands)
8.00pm Kickoff (meet at Jones at 7.30pm) **(dismantle field)**

Thursday 4th May 2023

Raahauge Cup Firsts vs Greystanes FC at Jones 1 (Banks St., Merrylands)
7.30pm Kickoff (meet at Jones at 7.00pm to set up field)



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Saturday 6th May 2023

U6	vs	OLQP Falcons Silver 9.00am Kickoff	at Everley mini (meet at Everley at 8.15am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U7	vs	Greystanes FC Red 10.00am Kickoff	at Everley mini (meet at Everley at 9.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville) (dismantle field)
U8 Red	vs	OLQP Falcons White 10.00am Kickoff	at Everley 4 (meet at Everley at 9.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U8 White	vs	Kings Old Boys Blue 10.00am Kickoff	at Homelands (meet at Homelands at 9.30am)	(Homelands Ave., Telopea)
U9 Red	vs	OLQP Falcons Blue 11.00am Kickoff	at Daniel Street 1 (meet at Daniel at 10.30am)	(Daniel St., Greystanes)
U9 White	vs	Wentworthville Uniting Gold 11.00am Kickoff	at Everley 4 (meet at Everley at 10.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U10 Red	vs	Inter Parramatta 11.00am Kickoff	at Jones 1 (meet at Jones at 10.30am)	(Banks St., Merrylands)
U10 White	vs	Wentworthville Uniting 12.00pm Kickoff	at Everley 4 (meet at Everley at 11.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville) (dismantle field)
U10 Girls	vs	Bye		
U11 Red	vs	Greystanes FC White 10.00am Kickoff	at Everley 2 (meet at Everley at 9.00am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U11 White	vs	Babylon Chaldean 11.00am Kickoff	at Phillips (meet at Phillips at 10.30am)	(Martin St., Lidcombe)
U12 Red	vs	McCredie White 11.00am Kickoff	at Everley 2 (meet at Everley at 10.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville) (Grey change jerseys in canteen)
U12 White	vs	McCredie Red 11.00am Kickoff	at Everley 2 (meet at Everley at 10.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville) (dismantle field)
U12 Girls	vs	Lidcombe Churches 9.00am Kickoff	at Everley 4 (meet at Everley at 8.15am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U13 Red	vs	Kings Old Boys 12.00pm Kickoff	at Homelands (meet at Homelands at 11.30am)	(Homelands Ave., Telopea)
U13 White	vs	Inter Parramatta 12.00pm Kickoff	at Everley 1 (meet at Everley at 11.30am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U13 Onyx	vs	Babylon Chaldean 12.00pm Kickoff	at Phillips (meet at Phillips at 11.30am)	(Martin St., Lidcombe)



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U13 Div 1	vs	Auburn FC 9.00am Kickoff	at Everley 1 (meet at Everley at 8.00am to set up field)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U14	vs	Pendle Hill Tigers 10.15am Kickoff	at Everley 1 (meet at Everley at 9.45am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
U15	vs	Merrylands SFC 11.35am Kickoff	at Merrylands Park (meet at Merrylands at 11.00am)	(Burnett St., Merrylands)
U16	vs	Lidcombe Waratah 11.30am Kickoff	at Everley 1 (meet at Everley at 11.00am)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
Raahauge Cup Reserves	vs	Babylon Chaldean 1.15pm Kickoff	at Everley 1 (meet at Everley at 12.30pm)	(Everley Rd., South Granville)
Raahauge Cup Firsts	vs	Columna 3.15pm Kickoff	at Everley 1 (meet at Everley at 12.30pm)	(Everley Rd., South Granville) (dismantle field)
Premier League Reserves	vs	Kings Old Boys 1.15pm Kickoff	at Jones 1 (meet at Jones at 12.30pm)	(Banks St., Merrylands)
Premier League Firsts	vs	Kings Old Boys 3.15pm Kickoff	at Jones 1 (meet at Jones at 12.30pm)	(Banks St., Merrylands) (dismantle field)

Sunday 7th May 2023

U14 Girls	vs	Glenwood Redbacks 10.10am Kick off	at Glenwood Reserve 1 (meet at Glenwood at 9.40am)	(Forman Ave., Glenwood)
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Tuesday 9th May 2023

Premier Reserves State Cup	vs	Wentworthville Uniting Gold 7.00pm Kickoff	at Jones 1 (meet at Jones at 6.30pm to set up field)	(Banks St., Merrylands)
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Wednesday 10th May 2023

All Age Ladies	vs	OLQP Falcons Red 7.00pm Kickoff	at Jones 2 (meet at Jones at 6.15pm to set up field)	(Banks St., Merrylands)
Over 35s	vs	OLQP Falcons 8.00pm Kickoff	at Jones 2 (meet at Jones at 7.30pm)	(Banks St., Merrylands) (dismantle field)



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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
