



# On The Ball

**Guildford McCredie Uniting Soccer Club** (is an activity of McCredie Uniting Church.)

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No. 19/02

*Don't forget the end of season barby and disco (details on the back) and the Presentation Day which will be on a Sunday morning late September or early October. The date will be confirmed next week so – WATCH THIS SPACE.*

*A very late congratulations too, to both the **Abdul Hamid family** and the **Saraya family** on their recent additions. The future of the club is assured!!*

*The Saturday after the season is the annual **President's Cup** for the top teams in each age group. It will again be played at **Everley Park**. At this stage the under 11s look good things, the under 12s pretty good and the under 13s possibilities to qualify. (both the 12s and the 13s look much better after Saturday's results). We could really use some assistance on the day in the canteen whether or not your team qualifies, so consider offering your services to Helen.*

*No **President's Cup** for the minis but our u6 white and u7 Red teams both remain undefeated with just two games remaining, the u7 red's breaking the club record this week for the largest win – see their report.*

*Don't forget the web has all the information you could need about the association [www.go.to/nswcfa](http://www.go.to/nswcfa)  
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## RESULTS Saturday 10/8/02

**U6 Red** vs **OLQP Falcons** 1 – 4

OLQP simply outplayed us in all departments. We started off very sluggishly and never got back any momentum. Mahammad and James tried all day. Linton, Justin, Bilal, Sam and rebecca also put in good effort. The main thing is that they tried hard and enjoyed themselves.

**U6 White** vs **OLOR/St Angelas Kellyville** 5 – 1

With a hot day, large field and longer playing time, the team was impressive. Passing the ball as a team meant the opposition was going to struggle. Keep up the good work, with our hardest game coming up, we need to be on the ball. Curtis received the encouragement award for his team contribution.  
Goal scorers – Aarn Demirel 2, Ibrahim Ada 2, own goal 1

**U7 Red** vs **Yaralla Blue** 17 – 0

Yaralla (b) are not one of the stronger sides in our competition and today the boys took full advantage. We scored some great individual goals but most came from sustained attack and good teamwork. On the occasions when Yaralla made it into our half they were turned around by our solid defence and clearing kicks. In a game where it was hard to pick a player of the match, Junior received the encouragement award.  
Goal scorers – Junior Clark 8, Jason Youssef 5, Mark Balaz 2, Damien Fleming 2

**U7 White** vs **St Michaels Baulkham Hills** 1 – 2

Hard game today and very close. Dhanushan and Eamonn nearly scored several times. Congratulations to Jake who scored his first goal of the season. Jason and Jake had a big game today with Jason receiving the best player award.  
Goal scorer - Jake Ajaje 1

**U9 Red** vs **St Columbas Castle Hill** 4 – 0

Good to see Bobby made it back in time for the game. Nil all at half time. Second half all boys played excellent. It must have been thanks to Gemma and Teresa coaching them on Tuesday and Friday. Great defence by Dharshan. A great effort to those boys that scored goals. The encouragement award went to Dharshan Sriranjjan.  
Goal Scorers – Amarvir Singh 2, Joe Haddad 1, Emilio Chalhoub 1

**U9 White** vs **Carlingford Uniting** 3 - 1

Despite Wahid's great work by scoring 3 goals, the player of the match was Justin. He did everything a coach could ask for, playing tough but fair with brilliant clearances and always being positive. His efforts gave the team an extra lift. Also fine performances from our super keepers, Abdul and Cihan.  
Goal scorer – Wahid Kaka Ali 3



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It's one thing to beat the lower teams comfortably, but it's quite another to compete with the top teams. Carlingford are very strong this year, and easing ourselves into the game for the first five minutes is deadly. Carlingford were two nil up within four minutes and by the time we were ready to play the game was already getting away. We must mark our men, not just follow the ball, and challenge the opposition, not just stand back waiting for them to kick it to us (because the good teams don't). John Ghabach was fantastic, tackling everything, and winning all the balls in his zone. Patrick toiled hard all day and bagged a terrific goal to take us to half time just 2-1 down after our appalling start. Nabeel too had a strong defensive game, again through his willingness to get amongst it and tackle opposing players.

Goal scorer – Patrick Ajnas 1

**U12** vs **St Matthews Baulkham Hills** 3 – 2

A good result in an important game. Our boys had a slow start but a good goal by Nathan from a pass by Romy led to us being only behind 2-1 at half time, but showing we could do it. Our second half was up with our best for the season. The boys all put in extra effort, played a sensible game and were rewarded. A couple of good saves by Joey, a fine long kick for goal by Cihan, a strong final save by Eddy were all highlights. Lewis was awarded player of the game.

Goal scorers – Nathan Cross 1, Cihan Ada 1, own goal 1

**U13** vs **St Michaels Baulkham Hills P** 3 – 1

If you enjoyed last week's game you should have seen today's game. It was a really exciting, close game. Fernando used his head a lot, in fact the St Michaels' coach thought he had a target on it! Yusuf kicked the most amazing goal, I'm glad his mum was there to see it. Toni played a hard game and I hope her foot is OK. Thanks to James, Wayne was able to come out of goals in the second half and helped to keep the pressure on when the opposition was starting to tire, he was our player of the match. Zeeshan defended well and received the encouragement award. Everyone deserves to be congratulated as you played as a team and the sportsmanship was great. A special mention goes to George for coming along and supporting the team even though he is injured.

Goal scorers – Jasvinn Singh 1, Bilal Ghoneim 1, Yusuf Temel 1

**U14** vs **Blacktown Reformed** 1 – 1

A much better performance this week with many breaks by the forwards, unfortunately just not being able to finish them off. Our lack of passing the ball when on attack let us down, but solid defence by our backs kept us in the game – let's see if we can finish the season off with a couple of wins!

Goal scorer - Ibrahim Al Zaidy 1

### Raahauge Cup

No game but a terrific night out and a pretty good roll up, particularly by the first grade guys. If we had got this many to some of the big games we may still be playing!! Highlights of the night were the worldly advice to the youngsters from old man time Miro, the tales of previously unexplored regions of Holland from Marty, Steve Maltby's ability to score when away from the playing field and the late and menacing appearance of Bitza and his leather jacket clad Eastern European Stazi. It seems all and sundry will be back to go around again in 2003 and apparently next year we will be winning the comp. Can't wait.

### COMPETITION TABLES as at 9/8/02 (ie before last Saturday)

#### Under 9 Div 1

Wentworthville Uniting	26
Coverdale Christian School	23
Yaralla	21
St Michaels Baulkham Hills	19
Carlingford Uniting	18
<b>McCredie</b>	<b>17</b>
OLQP Falcons	16
OLOR/St Angelas Kellyville	8
St Columbas Castle Hill	1
St Bernadettes Castle Hill	1

#### Under 9 Div 2

OLOR/St Angelas Kellyville	27
Yaralla	26
Lidcombe Churches	23
St Bernadettes Castle Hill	19
Blacktown Reformed	17
St Michaels Baulkham Hills	13
<b>McCredie</b>	<b>12</b>
Carlingford Uniting	9
Blacktown Uniting	4

#### Under 11

Carlingford Uniting	28
OLQP Falcons	27
Blacktown Reformed	26
<b>McCredie</b>	<b>22</b>
St Michaels Baulkham Hills P	18
Penrith Churches	15
St Columbas Castle Hill	13
Blacktown Uniting	11
St Bernadettes Castle Hill	8
St Michaels Baulkham Hills C	5
Coverdale Christian School	4
OLOR/St Angelas Kellyville	3



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## Under 12

Wentworthville Uniting	29
Blacktown Reformed	26
St Matthews Baulkham Hills	24
<b>McCredie</b>	<b>22</b>
Carlingford Uniting Blue	22
Yaralla	14
OLQP Falcons	13
Lidcombe Churches	10
Fairfield City	8
St Bernadettes Castle Hill	6
Carlingford Uniting Gold	6

## Under 13

Coverdale Christian School	25
St Columbas Castle Hill Black	24
St Michaels Baulkham Hills P	21
Lidcombe Churches	19
<b>McCredie</b>	<b>18</b>
Penrith Churches F	17
Blacktown Reformed	12
Penrith Churches G	12
St Michaels Baulkham Hills B	2
St Columbas Castle Hill O	0

## Under 14

(including Saturday)

Fairfield City	30
Uniony Juventud	21*
<b>McCredie</b>	<b>13</b>
Carlingford Uniting	13
Blacktown Reformed	11
Blacktown Uniting	5*

## FINAL STANDINGS BEFORE THE SEMI FINALS

### All Age

Lidcombe Churches	26
St Matthews Baulkham Hills	22
Penrith Churches	21
Greystanes (St Col)	21
St Columbas Castle Hill	20
<b>McCredie</b>	<b>14</b>
Greystanes Churches	11
Wentworthville Uniting	9

### Raahauge Cup 1sts

St Marys Coptic	28
Chester Hill Sports	26
Eastern Star	24
Moorebank Rovers	24
<b>McCredie</b>	<b>22</b>
St Matthews Baulkham Hills	20
Campbelltown Wasps	12
St Lukes Concord	12
St Pauls Castle Hill	12

### Raahauge Cup Reserves

St Pauls Castle Hill	30
St Marys Coptic	28
St Lukes Concord	26
Chester Hill Sports	25
Uniony Juventud	21
<b>McCredie</b>	<b>17</b>
Lidcombe Churches	16
St Matthews Baulkham Hills	11
Campbelltown Wasps	6

## COMPETITION ROUND – Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> August 2002

<b>U6 RED</b>	vs	St Columbas Castle Hill	at Everley (mini)	(Everley St, South Granville)
		10am Kickoff	<b>(meet at Everley at 9.30am)</b>	
<b>U6 WHITE</b>	vs	Fairfield City	at Everley (mini)	(Everley St, South Granville)
		10am Kickoff	<b>(meet at Everley at 9.30am)</b>	
<b>U7 RED</b>	vs	Wentworthville Uniting	at Everley (mini)	(Everley St, South Granville)
		11am Kickoff	<b>(meet at Everley at 10.30am)</b>	
<b>U7 WHITE</b>	vs	OLOR/St Angelas Kellyville	at Coolong (1)	(Morningson Ave., Castle Hill)
		11am Kickoff	<b>(meet at Coolong at 10.30am)</b>	
<b>U9 RED</b>	vs	Carlingford Uniting	at Homelands Reserve	(Homelands Ave., Telopea)
		10am Kickoff	<b>(meet at Homelands at 9.30am)</b>	
<b>U9 WHITE</b>	vs	Yaralla	at Powell Creek 1	(End of Victoria Ave, Concord West)
		10am Kickoff	<b>(meet at Powell at 9.30am)</b>	
<b>U11</b>	vs	St Michaels Baulkham Hills C	at Everley 1	(Everley St, South Granville)
		10am Kickoff	<b>(meet at Everley at 9.30am)</b>	
<b>U12</b>	vs	Lidcombe Churches	at Everley 1	(Everley St, South Granville)
		9am Kickoff	<b>(meet at Everley at 8.30am)</b>	
<b>U13</b>	vs	St Michaels Baulkham Hills B	at Crestwood 3	(Peel Rd., Baulkham Hills)
		10am Kickoff	<b>(meet at Crestwood at 9.30am)</b>	
<b>U14</b>	vs	Fairfield City	at Everley 1	(Everley St, South Granville)
		11am Kickoff	<b>(meet at Everley at 10.30am)</b>	

Players need to adhere strictly to these times and must be at the ground ready to play ½ an hour before kick-off time (NOT HALF AN HOUR BEFORE HALF TIME!).