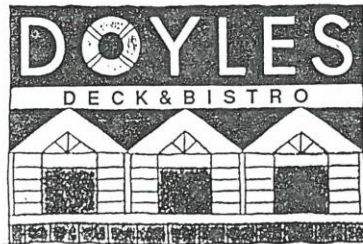


SOCCER TO ME by ALEC WILLS.



"EXCITABLE LOT THIS FRANKSTON MOB, THEY'VE ONLY WON THE TOSS!"

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Saturday  
June 23rd, 1990  
Kick-off ( Reserves 1 pm, First X1 3pm )

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE — DIVISION TWO

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME



FRANKSTON UNITED SOCCER CLUB  
McCLELLAND DRIVE FRANKSTON

Good afternoon everyone. It is with pleasure that we welcome the officials, players and supporters of the SOUTH SPRINGVALE SOCCER CLUB to McCLELLAND DRIVE.

With both teams lying first and second in the league the scene is set for a very interesting duel today, in what should be the match of the season at FRANKSTON.

COACHES CORNER

Some of the coaches at the WORLD CUP finals, will have high degrees of qualifications for their respective jobs, these days Physical Education, Public Relations, Psychology, Motivation all are key parts of the coaches job. Allied in most cases with an illustrious playing career. But all will be to no avail if you do not have the players in the first place.

Somebody, after one of our recent victories congratulated me on the job I had done, and it made me realise all the more of the above fact, I am not doing any more than I have always done, but I am fortunate this year in having a great squad of players for the job on assessing the playing staff I found that we had the talent.

SIMON PARROTT, STUART DOOLAN, BONIFACE BOTHA, PETER ADDICOAT who are just a season behind top soccer level, followed with at least a dozen more really talented young men, what we really needed was experience COLIN MITCHELL said he'd join me at UNITED, COLIN is a surprisingly good leader, he is motivating people most of the time without them realising it, often at training he has a great attitude around the club, COLIN is playing some vintage stuff at the moment, and is enjoying himself and the players are enjoying having him around.

ALAN "POLLY" PARROTT is a legend on the PENINSULA, to get him out of retirement was going to be a problem, his 19 handicap was in the way, plus a 16 stone body. ALAN hasn't trained most of the time with the rest, I've allowed him to do it in his own time, and he has come up trumps. I'm not the only one on a Saturday afternoon who has stood and applauded some sheer class at times, ALAN is playing the sweeper role to perfection.

They are two reasons for our current success, but there are many more, when JOE DONAGHY arrived at the club I was delighted for nothing engers me more than a player being shabbily treated by a club, it had happened twice to JOEY, for us a chance to put things right for him. We asked JOE to give us a go for a season to settle down, make his mark on the game in VICTORIA, and he can pick and choose from the offers and go with our blessings if he wished. Well "my word" JOE you've done us proud, 19 goals in 13 games ( to date ) is some record. Hardly missed a training session and works like a dog on the training track and on the field. There is a lot of professionalism about JOE and he is sure to attract offers, we hope he selects carefully we also hope he will decide to stay with our impending success.

We have been lucky having a large squad which helps when you are in trouble with injuries etc, DAVID CLIFFE for example who would otherwise be challenging for a first team spot in another position has admirably filled in for big BRIAN PAULDING another of the pre-season signings, we hoped would do this job for us, BRIAN has done superb, winning the Player of the Month in April and showing why he was a State League centre half, before getting a nasty injury to add to our woes at LALOR. But believe you me BRIAN will be back with vengeance.

I would go on and on, because it is a team performance that is winning for us we are conscious of pleasing the punters and hope to entertain, thats why I was so delighted when BILL BUCHANAN signed, "BUCKY" has been entertaining people for years with his subtle skills, and will be a big plus for us during the season, but the real entertainment for our team at the moment is "MR B" as his Mum calls him BONI BOTHA, this diminutive young man is just starting to blossom and is thrilling customers with some pure brilliance, a couple of goals recently would probably have graced the best grounds in the world, this fellow is going places believe me, take your timer son just let it all unfold.

MIKE BEVIS

FOOTNOTE: I asked MIKE to comment on the season to date, his appreciation of players is obvious and I believe that it would be reciprocal if you asked any of our players their thoughts on MIKE.

"1F"

A Soccer Saga. (With apologies to the famous poem by the late Rudyard Kipling)

If you can watch your team throughout the season

Wear a cheery smile and never moan

Take the long, long trail, to the away games

Or cheer on the Reserves when they're at home.

If you refrain from crowing when you're winning

And when you've lost, just take it on the chin

Spurn the lads on when they're up against it

And not keep telling them to "get stuck in".

If you can shiver in the wintry weather

And stamp upon your feet to keep 'em warm

If you can give a "gee up" and encourage

A player who has somehow lost his form.

If you can stop shouting and your ribbing

At the Ref, when p'raps you think he's gone astray

And remember he was standing in the "area"

Whilst you, perhaps were fifty yards away.

If you can stop yourself from bawling "Dirty"

"Turn 'im off" or "Take his number Ref"

('Cos you'll find that he won't take the slightest notice,

And so, you may as well, just save your breath).

If you can always show appreciation

And give a cheer to everyone that's tried

And give a hand for something really clever

Even if the fellow's on the other side.

If you can show yourself a thorough sportsman

Right throughout the ninety minute run

You're a credit to yourself and to your Club lad,

And in the finest sense --"YOU ARE A FAN MY SON".



NEXT FIXTURE V's UNI. OF MELB. AWAY 30th JUNE MEL REF: 43 G1

NEXT FIXTURE V's KEW EAGLES AWAY 7th JULY MEL REF: 45 K4

NEXT FIXTURE V's ASCOT ST MARKS AWAY 14th JULY MEL REF: 28 C9

NEXT HOME FIXTURE 21st JULY V's LYNDALD UNITED

# LEAGUE TABLES

FRANKSTON UNITED SOCCER CLUB  
McCLELLAND DRIVE FRANKSTON  
LEAGUE FIXTURES 1990

FIRST XI TABLE AS AT 16/6/90

TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
FRANKSTON UTD	14	12	1	1	40	12	25
SOUTH SPRINGVALE	14	11	2	1	34	9	24
ASCOT ST MARKS	14	10	2	2	30	13	22
MEADOW PARK	14	10	1	3	29	21	21
LALOR	14	7	4	3	30	15	18
BALLARAT	14	8	2	4	24	15	18
LYNDALE UNITED	14	8	2	4	24	17	18
WAVERLEY UNITED	14	5	2	7	19	17	12
BRINTONS	14	5	2	7	19	26	12
BRANDON PARK	14	3	5	6	15	19	11
FITZROY CITY	14	3	4	7	15	22	10
PORT UNITED	14	3	2	9	15	30	8
KEWEAGLES	14	2	3	9	16	41	7
UNL OF MELB.	14	1	4	9	14	28	6
SOUTH YARRA	14	1	4	9	11	29	6
RINGWOOD ROVERS	14	2	2	10	13	36	6

RESERVE TABLE AS AT 13/6/90

TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
MEADOW PARK	13	8	3	2	31	22	19
STH SPRINGVALE	13	8	2	3	24	13	18
FRANKSTON UTD	13	7	3	3	15	7	17
BALLARAT	13	6	4	3	34	17	16
LALOR	13	6	3	4	30	16	15
ASCOT ST MARKS	13	7	1	5	29	19	15
UNL OF MELB.	13	6	3	4	21	15	15
WAVERLEY UTD.	13	6	2	5	24	18	14
LYNDALE UNITED.	12	6	2	4	21	18	14
PORT UNITED	12	6	1	5	17	23	13
RINGWOOD R.	13	4	4	5	16	24	12
FITZROY CITY	13	5	1	7	24	36	11
SOUTH YARRA	13	4	2	7	25	29	10
BRINTONS	13	3	2	8	14	23	8
BRANDON PARK	13	2	3	8	16	26	7
KEWEAGLES	13	0	2	11	9	44	2

LATEST BAYSIDE LEAGUE TABLE AS AT 14/6/90

TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
PENINSULA S.	9	6	3	0	24	12	15
LAWTON PARK	9	6	3	0	22	11	15
ROSEBUD	9	7	0	2	41	6	14
KARINGAL A	8	5	3	0	24	11	13
NOBLE SOCIAL	8	6	0	2	41	14	12
NAVY	9	3	3	3	34	19	9
BOTANY PARK	9	3	3	3	22	22	9
NOBLE PARK	6	2	2	2	20	25	6
FRANKSTON UTD	5	1	2	2	9	9	4
KARINGAL B	9	1	2	6	19	31	4
LAWTON B	7	2	0	5	9	27	4
MORNINGTON W.	9	1	1	7	18	33	3
MORNINGTON S.	8	1	1	6	13	34	3
HASTINGS	7	0	1	6	9	41	1



FIRST ROUND OF THE PROVISIONAL LEAGUE CUP ( FIRST XI ) 7/10/90 3.00pm

WAVERLEY UNITED	VS	UNL OF MELB.	WILLIAMSTOWN	VS	RINGWOOD ROVERS
SUNSHINE PARK	VS	FRANKSTON UTD.	NORTHSUNSHINE	VS	BYE
FOREST HILL	VS	GLENROY	PORT UNITED	VS	CARRUM UNITED
NORTH CLAYTON	VS	ALTONA EAST	MITCHAM UNITED	VS	MELTON
EAST RICHMOND	VS	BRINTONS	MONBULK	VS	HAMPTON PARK
LYNDALE UNITED	VS	MENTONE UNITED	SOUTH WERRIBEE	VS	BRUNSWICK
SOUTH YARRA	VS	STH SPRINGVALE	MEADOW PARK	VS	CRANBOURNE
WESTVALE	VS	KEW EAGLES	MALVERN CITY	VS	BRANDON PARK

FIRST ROUND OF THE PROVISIONAL LEAGUE CUP ( RESERVES ) 7/10/90 1.00 pm

NORTH CLAYTON	VS	MENTONE UNITED	LALOR	VS	CARRUM UNITED
STH DANDENONG	VS	GLENROY	BYE	VS	LYNDALE UNITED
KEW EAGLES	VS	MELTON	FRANKSTON UTD	VS	MEADOW PARK
MALVERN CITY	VS	ST KILDA	BRANDON PARK	VS	SOUTH YARRA
WAVERLEY UTD	VS	SUNSHINE PARK	UNL OF MELB.	VS	BALLARAT
SOUTH WERRIBEE	VS	CRANBOURNE	MONBULK	VS	ALTONA EAST
PORT UNITED	VS	RINGWOOD ROVERS	ASCOT ST MARKS	VS	SOUTH SPRINGVALE
HAMPTON PARK	VS	WESTVALE	NORTH SUNSHINE	VS	BYE

## FIRSTS

MAR 17 UNL OF MELB.	H	W	2-1	DONAGHY 2	RESERVES	W	1-0	GILLICK
24 KEWE.	H	W	7-1	DONAGHY 4,B. BOTHA 2, SMART	W	2-0	M. SONN, DAY	
31 ASCOT S. M.	H	D	1-1	DONAGHY	L	0-1		
APR 7 LYNDALE	A	W	3-0	DONAGHY 2,B. BOTHA	W	3-0	GILLICK, MURDOCK, DARVILLE	
14 BRANDON P.	H	W	2-1	DONAGHY, DOOLAN	D	1-1	MEAD (PEN)	
21 PORT UTD	A	W	2-1	SKLEDAR, MITCHELL	L	0-3		
28 WAVERLEY	H	W	2-0	PARROTT, B. BOTHA	D	1-1	HOUSLEY	
MAY 5 LALOR	A	L	0-4		W	2-0	OWN GOAL, PRINCE	
12 S. YARRA	H	W	3-0	B. BOTHA 3	W	1-0	MURDOCK	
19 BALLARAT	A	W	2-0	DONAGHY 2	L	0-1		
26 FITZROY C.	H	W	4-0	MURDOCK, DONAGHY 2, B. BOTHA	W	3-0	HOUSLEY, BENNETT, M. SONN	
JUNE 2 RINGWOOD	A	W	7-0	MURDOCK, DONAGHY 3, KENNEDY, W. B. BOTHA, BUCHANAN	W	1-0	M. SONN	
9 BRINTONS	H	W	2-1	DONAGHY 2	D	0-0		
16 MEADOW P.	A	W	3-1	MURDOCK DONAGHY 2	W	2-0	A. BOTHA, SWEENEY	
23 SPRINGVALE	H							
30 UNI. OF MELB.	A							
JULY 7 KEWE.	A							
14 ASCOT S. M.	A							
21 LYNDALE	H							
28 BRANDON P	A							
AUG 4 PORT UTD	H							
11 WAVERLEY	A							
18 LALOR	H							
25 S. YARRA	A							
SEPT 1 BALLARAT	H							
8 FITZROY	A							
15 RINGWOOD	H							
22 BRINTONS	A							
29 MEADOW P.	H							
OCT 6 SPRINGVALE	A							

## MEADOW PARK 1 FRANKSTON UTD 3 ( RESERVES 2-0 )

LINEUP: A. Traynor, E. Kennedy, A. Parrott, D. Cliffe, C. Mitchell, C. Sonn, S. Parrott, B. Buchanan, B. Botha, J. Donaghy, K. Murdock.

RES: P. Addicoat, T. McMurtry, D. Bennett, J. Koot

Playing with a gusty wind behind us the boys quickly lifted the pace of the game, strong pressure on our opponent goal nearly brought BILLY BUCHANAN a goal, he was denied by an acrobatic dive by their goalkeeper.

KEITH MURDOCK who has been getting our first goal lately again scored No. 1 a crashing drive past the goalie into the top of the net.

We continued to control the game and a great lay off by BONI, to our goal ace JOEY, who then confidently rounded their sweeper and drove the ball home for No. 2.

MEADOW PARK stung into action and began to come into the game their midfielders tried individually to push forward and take on our defence.

With only five minutes to go till halftime we gave away an indirect free kick in the box, the first kick was driven into our net but the kick had to be retaken, this time it struck one of our defenders on the hand, a penalty. We have talked for years about ALAN TRAYNOR's goalkeeping and he was equal to the penalty making a magnificent save.

Our defence had to withstand determined efforts by the PARKER's in the second half, chances were missed by their forwards but somehow a goal had to come and a cross was headed home.

Our boys continued to fight away for both points and a costly mistake by their fullback who in trying a back ball pass only managed to make it elude their keeper and as quick as a flash JOE punished the mistake putting the ball in an empty net, overall a good team performance.

Our very young RESERVE side played their best match for the season beating the top side in great confidence well done boys!

LINE UP: J. Koot, N. Wheeler, S. Grimant, B. Sweeney, L. Hall, J. Stewart, M. Sonn, N. Skeldon, G. Housley, E. Zucchi, L. Prince.

RES: M. Addicoat, A. Botha, J. Gillick.



### LAST WEEKS RESULTS

ASCOT ST MARKS	2	VS	UNI. OF MELB.	1
STH SPRINGVALE	5	VS	KEW EAGLES	0
MEADOW PARK	1	VS	FRANKSTON UNITED	3
BRINTONS	2	VS	LYNDALE UNITED	0
RINGWOOD ROVERS	1	VS	BRANDON PARK	1
FITZROY CITY	0	VS	PORT UNITED	0
BALLARAT	1	VS	WAVERLEY UNITED	0
SOUTH YARRA	1	VS	LALOR	4

### NO LOOKING BACK

Rummaging can either turn up things you want to find or the other, I wasn't quite sure when I found a lot of FRANKSTON CITY SOCCER CLUB programmes of the late 60's and early 70's.

The realisation that time has slipped away very quickly and that sad to say FRANKSTON CITY now no longer exists. I read the programmes from back to front, some of them I had even edited myself ( I must be a glutton for punishment )

NIGEL BEVIS brother of our club coach was responsible for taking over where I left off.

Those familiar names came flooding back as I read, in those days and admittedly different times, players played for the love of the game and got themselves involved in all club activities.

Fortunately when this club was formed many ex City players helped form the club, and in later years others joined.

First team sides contained the names of GRAHAM BAULK now a backbone in junior coaching at the club, MIKE BEVIS senior coach, ALAN PARROTT still very active and giving those polished performances and last of all myself.

A character called ALEC WILLIS, a pom and friend of the BEVIS boys was a regular contributor to match programmes and I have included some of his sense of humour in this weeks effort as you will see he was a character but just another part of the CITY setup.

The present club is striving to emulate the rise of FRANKSTON CITY one cannot pretend it will be an easy task but your very presence at todays game will certainly encourage the players to even greater efforts.

### FRANKSTON GOSSIP

Both PETER SKLEDAR and DAVID MEAD were missing from last weeks lineups due to overseas trips.

On the injury scene STUART DOOLAN is back in training and will soon be back we hope in the first team squad, unfortunately BRIAN PAULDING's ankle injury which has kept him out of action is still proving to be a long recovery process.

Physio BOB OXLEY has been added to our training staff, BOB ex NAVY was once Physio for FRANKSTON CITY, welcome BOB.

PETER SKLEDAR has been doing an excellent job treating our walking wounded, sometimes forsaking his own training to ensure that others will be fit to play on the Saturday.

TOMMY WALL is now a frequent visitor to our home matches, one of TOMMY's sons, KEVIN, played on this ground for FRANKSTON CITY. TOMMY has been involved in soccer ever since his arrival in AUSTRALIA.

Whilst TOMMY lived in BENDIGO he was involved in establishing the round ball code in typical Aussie Rules Territory. He has come through soccers infancy when schools wouldnt allow the game and soccer balls if slighted were deflated very quickly with a sharp object.

Yes TOMMY is one of those nameless people who have spread the code in Victoria.

### PLAYER PROFILE

#### ALAN PARROTT

One of the most talented players in the FRANKSTON side at the moment is ALAN PARROTT.

ALAN was born in HITCHIN HERTFORDSHIRE but spent much of his early life in SUTTON and later became a SUTTON UNITED player in the top Amateur League in London.

Whilst at school ALAN represented his county in an under 15 side. On leaving school Alan played junior soccer for a local team, then moved to Sutton United after which he joined EPSOM EWELL in the Athenian league, they were senior challenge cup runners up while he was with them.

ALAN arrived in AUSTRALIA in 1968, settled in FRANKSTON and joined the city team. FRANKSTON CITY had been promoted to DIV 1 and ALAN became a regular player into the early 70's until a chance to play for J.U.S.T. at STATE and NATIONAL level was offered to him. J.U.S.T. at the time were a top side and had top class players it was a challenge - he couldn't resist. ALAN's overall game improved and he made the first team successfully, YUGOSLAVIAN became his second language.

In the early 80's what can best be described as a spell of semi retirement was taken by ALAN as he played a year for SKYE ROVERS as we were then in the BAYSIDE LEAGUE. We did the League and Cup double didn't lose a game and ALAN was Runner-Up Best and Fairest in the League.

KARINGAL signed ALAN the next season and he continued to show his vast experience for them as he does for us now.

It would be in appropriate if we didn't mention ALAN's coaching of Juniors, he developed

"THE JETS" squad for SKYE and his team was one of the best produced in VICTORIA, ALAN's son SIMON as was STUART DOOLAN are products of that team. His older son ADAM is now a footy star at FRANKSTON but young LUKE is following in Dad's footsteps and could be another future star.

Thanks for all the years ALAN.

### QUILL'S QUIPS

The players had sherry at half time, its' supposed to make them run. My mother gave me licorice.

It was so cold in BALLARAT recently that JOE had to drink his Smirnoff with gloves on.

Fisherman's motto: Bait and See

Is a fullback a drunk defender????????

One dog to another "Have you done your pools this week? " "Yes but missed the post."

Some of our Under 7's are so small they have to run around in the shower to get wet.

On the team sheet, thought we had a Chinese player when we saw R. WING.

Golfers are like nudists - they like going around in nothing.

I is Del Rrhea a Welsh International.

Finally a word for our Italian Supporters - SPAGHETTI

And not forgetting the Dutch Supporters - CHEESE

AND THE POMS - SPUDS What a meal! UGH!!!!