



GIVE IT THE CHOP

President's Blurb

Welcome to Round 7 of the 2016 season - Peninsula Strikers Vs Sandringham FC.

Welcome to all of our supports / members and to our guests, who join us today for today's Home Game.

Also welcome our visitors, players, members, and friends and families including those visitors today from Sandringham FC, I sincerely hope, you all, have an enjoyable afternoon with us

Regardless of the result today, please come and enjoy a chat refreshments including something to eat with us after the game.

Tonight we will hold our joker poker, where you could win \$400, for just \$2 a ticket. Pick the Joker and you may win \$400 cash, if you're drawn out and you don't pick the Joker, we will give you a free drink.

Well our results over the last fortnight has seen our teams cope a return of what we were dishing out at the start of the season.

Like all teams we have suffered injuries, red cards, work commitments change the face of our teams over the past couple of weeks frustrating our senior coaching staff. Our seniors suffering 2 loses at the hands of Doveton and last week Nth Caulfield. I am generally not one to blame referee's though last week's game against Nth Caulfield was nothing short of a disgrace leaving our supporters and I'm sure theirs, scratching our heads at what occurred when Matt Morris Thomas was sent off as a result of a free kick awarded to Strikers, which then saw the referee giving MMT another yellow seeing him sent off. While 20 minutes out we received another red resulting in Strikers playing the last 15 with 9 players, unfortunately this was always going to cause us to struggle against the likes of Nth Caulfield, who now sit in 2nd position. I know the boys are eager to bounce back to their winning ways this afternoon against Sandringham.

Reserves: Our reserves have fared slightly better defeating Doveton, though it was a different story again last week at Caulfield also. I know once again our reserves are very disappointed in their performance last week and again today will be out to return to their winning ways. Good luck boys.

Last Sunday: Our ladies team, last Sunday suffered their first defeat at the hands of Harrisfield and play Dandenong Thunder here Tomorrow at 11am. Come down and show your support here tomorrow to them.

Metro 5:- Dave McKinney's Metro 5 team returned to their winning ways defeating South Yarra, Well done lads keep the faith.

This Week Metro 5 are away to Skye United kick off 1pm.



Round 8 Fixtures Reserves, KO 1:00 pm First, KO 3:00 pm



Veterans: Last week, our vets enjoyed a week off which was terrific as I'm sure there were a few sore heads last Sunday after I name the team of the half decade. It was an enjoyable night naming this team, while all players named received a plaque commemorating this auspicious occasion, I'm sure it will hold pride of place in their homes, well done and congratulations to all those players who were selected. Please see the team later in the matchday book our Vets continue to share top spot on the ladder.

Tomorrow, the boys play Montrose in the Cup at home kick off 3pm

Lights / Expansion & Payment

During the month of May our club / players / members will be selling raffle tickets run by Rotary International – **Tickets will be \$2 each and are tax deductable.** For every ticket sold the club will receive a percentage and that will help pay for our lights.

CAN YOU HELP?

Sell tickets to support your club in its funding for our new change rooms? for the club please see Clayton or Myself for books.

 1^{st} prize \$15000 holiday, 2^{nd} \$3000 weekend away, 3^{rd} \$1000 Debit card and 4^{th} \$1000 Electrical goods. (Great Prizes)

Clubroom Upgrade / Refurbishment & New Change Rooms (It's finally HERE)

As you will see our new change rooms have started. This first stage will take approximately 3-4 months.

After 40 years it's finally here, it's a reality, with our \$100K grant from Sport Rec Victoria, our two (2) new woman's change rooms will commence. As you will see from drawings inside the club, these rooms will be situated to the left of the current club as you look at it.

This is fantastic news for our club, after local State Member Paul Edbrooke, local member for Frankston announced \$100K towards the upgrade for our woman's change rooms. Council last year, announced \$545,000 in the 2015/2016 budget. With the help of Cr Colin Hampton current Mayor James Dooley including Peta Murphy, the new Labour candidate for Dunkley, we have secured the much needed funding for our club along with you, I look forward to the fantastic positive changes that we will see occur from next week, to the end of the season and beyond.

I've been informed that the entire project should be finish prior to Christmas.

Now, I need your help to secure our contribution for this project. The club is required to contribute \$10,000 for the lights and \$15,000 for the club. Please do all you can to assist the club in raising these funds.

Thank you, Trevor Johnson, and his company Pest Police for being our clubs major sponsors. Trevor is one of our current, senior long term players who is backing his / our club for the future. If you can help by sponsoring the club every bit helps and brightens the future of Peninsula Strikers FC. The clubs other major sponsors for 2016 are Beretta's Langwarrin Hotel and Burdetts Sand, soil & concrete.

2016 Membership:-

Have you purchased your club membership for 2016 yet?

Your 2016 membership card not only supports your club, it entitles you to free entry on game days, it also gives you 10% off when you purchase any drink at the bar. Extended for the month of May, you can get etch your name is the clubs history and "Be a Brick" building a club for the future, for just \$100. Come on what are you waiting for?

Club Helpers Needed:

Can you assist???: - (Before you complain.... have you volunteered yet???)

We require 2 or 3 people to assist with the gate and game security which will only take up a few hours on your time, once a year, if we all chip in.

This was advertised on FB last week & we didn't have any volunteers, apart from those who had already volunteered prior to that notice, those being Alan Anderson, Tim Dewhurst, Dave and Gary Buckley, Tony Hall, Bruce Mitchell and finally Troy Hicks from the juniors.

Tony Hall has already completed two weeks in a row on the gate, thank you Tony. Tim Dewhurst is always helping out behind the bar and we thank you Tim very much. While Bruce Mitchell carries out Joker Poker each Home game Saturday, thanks Bruce.

I know there is many more of you out there who would like to help **your** club on game day Saturday's: - Remember many hands make light work — so Please give your name to Clayton at the bar, or let me know if you can help, it would be appreciated, thank you team.

Mark Brandon CSM

(Chopper)

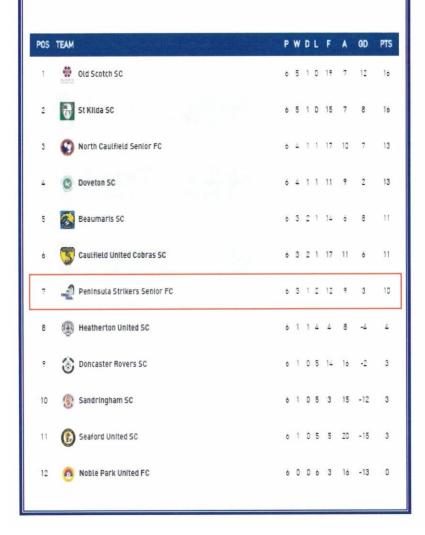
President

"Go Strikers"

Men's State League 2 South-East - Reserves

POS	TEAM		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	0	North Caulfield Senior FC	ò	5	1	D	28	5	23	16
2	7	St Kilda SC	ó	5	0	1	14	5	9	15
3	0	Doveton SC	Ó	4	1	1	19	12	7	13
4	3	Doncaster Rovers SC	6	4	0	2	20	17	3	12
5	3	Caulfield United Cobras SC	ō	3	1	2	14	11	3	10
6	702	Peninsula Strikers Senior FC	ó	3	1	2	11	15	-4	10
7	9	Sandringham SC	Ó	3	0	3	23	14	P	9
8		Beaumaris SC	ó	2	1	3	12	14	-2	7
9	(1)	Heatherton United SC	Ó	2	7	3	7	9	-2	7
10	0	Old Scotch SC	ó	1	1	4	7	13	-6	4
11	0	Noble Park United FC	6	0	1	5	5	26	-21	1
12	(?)	Seaford United SC	Ó	0	0	6	10	29	-19	0

Men's State League 2 South-East - 1st Team



SAVE THE DATE

- Steve Taylor Memorial Day

 Saturday 11 June 2016
- President's Ladies Day Luncheon
 Saturday 9 July 2016
- Cassino Royale Dress to Impress
 Saturday 6 August 2016
- \$3,000 Major Draw
 Sunday 11 September 2016
- Presentation Night Frankston RSL
 Saturday 29 October 2016



Player Profile -

Keely Moore



Position - sweeper

Ocupation/study - Ritchie, Canadian bay hotel, backyard bar.

Favorite food - chicken Parma

Favorite music - depends on my mood but partial to bangers.

Favorite past time - playing soccer

Favorite place - curled up in bed

Likes - animals, wet weather and going out Dislikes - vegetables and babies.

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Metro Div. 5 report

Yippee! We have our first win for the season, after being so unlucky in our last game. We overcame St Yarra being up 2-0 at half time and running out winners with a score of 4-1. This being my 3rd Coaches report for 2016, I should mention and introduce the players of the Metro Div. 5 side.

They are;

GK Daniel Moraga

Defenders Callum Walker, Lewis Walker, Matthew Narayan, Druian Wood-

ward

Victor Galvez

Defensive Mid. Field Joshua Simmons, Marcelo Maraga,

Wingers Robert Miscamble, Grant Davies, Calvin Head, Matthew Caballe-

ro,

Attacking Mid. Field Josh Vega, Tom Fullaway, Aaron Vega,

Striker Scott Mc Kinney

This team has great potential. It has taken to game 4 to get our first win but we cannot forget that the team only trains one night a week with our Veterans Bayside Team (Thanks Guys) and there are six new players this year, that have not played together at all. Some cannot even make every training, due to their part time work commitments or Uni studies! This team is all about keeping the players interested in the beautiful game and being around the Peninsula Strikers Club. It definitely has individuals that could play senior football when they are ready to.

Well again we found ourselves against a lot more experienced and larger side, and it turn out they were very strong in the air by half time I don't think we had won a header, even thought we were 2-nil up, it was our speed that was finding them out. So we were playing the long balls from the keeper to our strikers. Which force them to drop the back 4 and used their keeper as a sweeper, which opened up the mid field and Simo and Arron were get the ball in there and passing it out to our wings were Grant D. and Matt C and Calvin H. were start to settle in to these positions and I am quite happy with this arrangement.

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2^m half Sth Yarra came out and try to put pressure on the boys with intimidation and some physical stuff but they all stood up and we got another 2 goals, and it was something they deserved,

We play Skye this weekend at Skye if anyone would like to come down and watch I am sure the boys would appreciate the support

Metro Division 5 Coach Dave Mc Kinney

Veterans Team

Our first team of the half decade was named a fortnight ago at Centenary Park. I would like to congratulate all those players past and present who made the team. Well done to you all.





The Peninsula Strikers Football Club would like to thank Burdett's for their continued sponsorship and support.

In particular Andrew Burdett's recent contribution to the club being our new exposed aggregate concrete area directly outside the clubrooms, including Burdett's supply of gravel to ensure the area is level for our safety.

Burdett's Cafe - Relax and unwind while you shop with a latte; enjoy lunch or light refreshments with friends or book for one of our famous "High Teas". We are fully licensed and can cater for group bookings.

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If you know anyone who would like to become a sponsor of the club speak with Chopper or call him on 0403 337 988

Woman's Team

The girls lost for the first time last week going down to top of the table Harrisfield. It was a hard fought game with the opposition taking there opportunities through some very experienced players. The team was a little disappointed but I was pleased with the way the girls played and how they really took the game up to them. We are yet to hit our stride and I'm sure the return round will have a very different outcome.

When we put this team together at the start of the year the agenda was set by the club and myself to create a strong women's team with not only a high standard of play on the pitch but with the values and respect that will make strikers the premier women's team on the peninsula. The team is not disappointing.

The game this week is at home against Dandy Thunder and like every other game we anticipate a hard tough game. We will be without our stand in goalie Sarah beamish who tore ankle ligaments last week, but fortunately we are blessed to have three great keepers in the squad and Britt o Neil is more than capable between the sticks.

I'm sure we will bounce back this week. We kick off at 11 tomorrow come down and cheer the girls on, it is always an exciting spectacle.

Regards

Marty



Reserves Team players Names & Numbers

17 GK	Jason Giccominato
18	Dion Brown
19	Ilir Qaniu
20	Harry Chapman
21	Bailey Brown
22	Ben Meiklem
24	David Jones
25	Jarrod Nardino
26	Francesco Brancatto
27	Adrian Pace
28	Kevin Garcia
29	Izaak Barr
30	Connor Tzelios
31	Jack Carter
32	Axel Quintanilla
33	Steven Windsor
34	Dion Stallbaum
35	Michael Elhassan
36	Aedan Thorning

Match Report Reserves

After coming off the back of two great wins to put us truly in the mix; the group were brought down to Earth by the league leaders. We went into the game full of confidence but that was short lived as we copped some early goals and then we were chasing the game from that point.

Things didn't help with some controversial and challenging decisions from the Ref, but that's no excuse-we were beaten well. There was a lesson to be learned - we cannot go into a game seemingly unprepared for this competitive league because we will be found out, and truly we were.

On the flip side, we are a really good team and have played a great year so far. I put this match down to us all having a bad day and am anticipating that we will put things right on the weekend against Sandringham.

Yours in Sport,

Mark Duff



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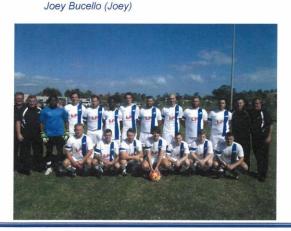
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THE COACHES CALL

1st Team

Coach:- Craig Lewis
Ass Coach:- Billy Buchanan
Club Physio: Mike O'Wilkes
Team Manager:- Charlie Pace

1 - GK	Richard OJO
2	Johnny Watson
3	Michael Miller
4	Callum Richardson
5	Tasim Tairi (V/Captain)(Tas)
7	Cameron Leopold
8	Lindurim Tairi (Captain)(Chopper)
9	Ali Osmani (Ali)
10	Ibrami Ibraimi (Iba)
11	Connor Keeley
12	Trevor Johnson
13	Paul Presti (Presti)
14	Mark Szczesnowski (Mark)
16	Ezekiel Yinka - Kehinda (shay woo)
17	Alex Hopson
23	Joey Bucello (Joey)



Seniors Match Report

A season of great high's and very disappointing lows so far for the Peninsula Strikers.

Last weekend proved to be a very disappointing day for our club at North Caulfield. The reserve team capitulated with a terrible performance and heavy loss. This was followed by a very poor senior team performance in which we lacked discipline, structure, desire and effort.

Since pre-season began late last year, the playing group have showed that they are capable to perform and succeed at this level. Some very solid performances in the FFA Cup, followed by some strong performances in the league, highlighted that we can be a very strong, competitive side. All that came crashing down on Sunday last week.

Although we had several players missing due to injuries and several more players carrying knocks into the previous two games, the level of performance and lack of desire to win a football match was something we will not accept at this club. We lacked discipline, failed to work as a unit and our structure was fractured.

I do believe strongly in this group of players and through hard work, commitment and a strong desire to succeed, we will get back on track. That must start today against Sandringham.

As the Senior coach of the club, it has been very hard to reflect on the past two weeks of football, however I must take the responsibility of the playing groups performances. Let me assure you, we will continue to work hard to ensure that we turn the previous weeks, below standard performances around and provide you, our loyal supporters a better standard of football than what we have delivered recently.

Craig Lewis