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FRANKSTON CLTY SOCCER CLUB

SEASON 1970

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE

DIVISION TWO

versus

WAVERLEY

29th August, 1970

Official Programme

CITY CHATTER

Good afternoon everybody and welcome to our ground for the home game against Waverley. This is a revenge match for us as both teams lost at Waverley. For our reserves it was the first defeat of the season. We welcome the Waverley Club, its players, officials and supporters to what may prove to be an interesting game. In our own camp our chances diminished a little with our loss last week at Sandringham. This was an unexpected loss but playing with virtually 10 men all the second half, owing to an injury to Albert Mathews, we still had the bulk of the play as usual but without the finishing touch. We still are in with a chance however thanks to Coburg and Albion, both of whom dropped a point. Ajax now begin to creep up the table and look our biggest danger, being that we have yet to play Coburg and Albion are flagging.

Our committee have been putting a lot of thought and hard work into ground improvements, and have come up with an Ace. Within a week, in fact this day we may have the main pitch fenced all round. Further to this, there are plans to rail the pitch itself before the end of the season, and before the end of next season to provide dressing rooms.

It is hoped by 1973 to have a Grandstand also by the main pitch. This is tremendous progress and we must extend our thanks to our committee and to the Frankston Council for their co-operation in this very progressive step. Incidentally, we have to charge Admission for our next home game against Athena in two weeks. Pensioners and children, of course, will be admitted free. I believe the admission fee will be 40 cents. Hope you enjoy today's fare with the game against Waverley. Incidentally, new boy Brian Jones, another Welshman could be playing today. Brian arrived three weeks ago from the U.K. and had four months or so with Newport County in the English fourth Division. He has shown out well in the training sessions and in the 3rd team and could gain a place today. Cheerio, until next time.

FRANKSTON (0) 1 V SANDRINGHAM (0) 2

Scorers:- Lawson

Team:-

Papontsakis

Hall

Lewis

Schroeder

N. Bevis

Finch

W. Houston

Parrott

Mathews

Scourfield

Lawson

Report: A bad loss in a hard badly refereed game. As usual the bumpy conditions cut down our effectiveness and despite heavy pressure throughout the match we went down 2 goals to one. Keith Lawson scored our goal with a good shot when a good movement by Houston and Schreeder found him alone in the goal mouth. Sandringham took the lead direct from a free kick and with Frankston pressing for a winner after Lawson's equaliser, Nigel Bevis miskicked in the area and let in Sandringham for their second goal. Despite throwing Bill Houston up front in a desperate effort to clinch the game we ended up losing by the odd goal in three. Best players - Houston, Lewis and Schroeder.

FRANKSTON RES. (5) 10 V SANDRINGHAM (0) 0

Scorers: - Morgan 8. Farcas 2

Todd

Pask

Team:-

Dixon

DIAGI

Jones Quennell Lymer Farcas Skelley Cummings Parry

Morgan

Report: This victory wasn't as overwhelming as it seems but the efficient teamwork of the reserve side was a delight to watch and has increased their changes of taking this pennant. The obvious thing about this game was Dave Morgan's goal efforts, most of which were gems. Lou Farcas also scored two good goals. The men behind the success were Jerry Pask scheming skilfully all day and the speed of Parry and Quennell on the wings.

Report: - (Cont'd.) The defence was almost faultless but there was so much pressure from Morgan and Co. they had little to work for. Best - Pask, Morgan and Parry.

OUR GOALSCORING DILEMMA

The 1970 season so far at least, has seen goal scoring by us range from the sublime to the ridiculous. It is common knowledge that the first team goal getting potential this season so far at least has been far short of what it should be. When you consider that Mick Benton, playing half the season at left back, is second top scorer we can see that we lack severely in the goal's department. Had we have had the half chance experts of the calibre of Mick Mail and John Walton I think we could expect to be in a much better position than we are.

In one or two games only, we have not had the mid-field and the defensive area well under control. Whether it is too late to find a remedy for our "Achilles Heel" or not remains to be seen unless we do, I fear we will miss out again, even though our closes rivals are letting us off the hook seemingly every time we fail.

In complete reverse, two players have scored 8 & 7 goals in a match. David Morgan with a club record of 8 goals last week against Sandringham has now notched 20 goals in his some what few appearances this season. To put it in its right prospective it was an end product of an efficient reserve side, nevertheless I am pleased to think that had we played another 90 minutes he would have doubled his tally. Lou Farcas scored 7 out of 7 in a third team game against Clayton. Lou now unfortunately has to continue a P.E. Course with the Navy. David however remains a good possibility to help our sagging morale. The point is: to score goals is not only a talent but an effort, and the trier will always succeed in the long run. Nobody gives you goals, even if they are bottom of the league, and goal power can be determined by chance exceptance, willing effort, accurate shooting and a determination to put the ball in the opponents goal, which surely is the very idea of the game.

TODAY'S LINE UP

FRANKSTON (BLUE)

B. Papoutsakis

A. Hall

J. Skelley

K. Schroeder N. Bevis

W. Lewis

B. Jones

K. Lawson

A Parrott D. Morgan M. Bevis

J. Lucchesi Hicks

Johnson Waller C. Lucchesi

Beattie

Quy

Boggan

Haberle

Appleton

Mayer

(RED) WAVERLEY

FRANKSTON CITY RESERVES

Dixon

DoboT

Libberter

A. Jones

Lymer

Cummings

Quennell

Pask

Parry

Scourfield

Monty

President

A. Pryor

Vice Presidents

N. Stanley H. Cook

Chairman J. Barcley Vice Chairman

E. Bardsley

Life Members

A. Prycr

H. Gussenhoven L. Gussenhoven

Hon. Secretary N. Stanley

Hon. Treasurer

J. Dale

Committee

J. Barclay, E. Bardsley, P. Bartlett, H. Baulk, P. Goss, H. Gussenhoven, N. Jones, G. Lewry.

Colours

Founded

Brown

Blue & Gold

1951

Team Manager H. Gussenhoven

Coach T. Newbiggin Trainer P. Goss

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