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KARINGAL UNITED SOCCER CLUB MAGAZINE

Presidents Message:

With 1981 starting, I guess we all have some hopes and ambitions for the coming year. As far as Karingal United Soccer Club is concerned, I believe there is an air of optimism for a very successful year both on and off the field.

Your Executive is very pleased to have obtained the services of Nigel Bevis as our Senior Coach. Nigel with his vast experience is going to make a major contribution to the performance of our seniors in 1981.

With regard to our juniors, Ted Thornton, our Junior Vice-President, and for that matter, the whole Executive Committee, are most determined to improve the standard of our juniors. As a first step towards this, we have invited Fred Brooks, to give a session on Sunday 22nd March from 9.30 - 1.30. Fred is on the Victorian Coaching Panel and specialises in coaching junior coaches. So on that day I hope to see all our junior coaches AND parents who are interested in coming along for what should be a most enjoyable four hours.

On the social side, I know Roy McLaren has got a number of exciting things on the go. So in 1981 I look forward to watching some exciting soccer with you and to sharing some enjoyable social events in our clubrooms.

Brian Moran.

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We are pleased to have World Travel Headquarters, Frankston with us this year as our major sponsor. If you have any travel arrangements to make within Victoria, Interstate or overseas, we urge you to contact World Travel. You will not get a discount on your arrangements but you will get a good friendly and efficient service and Karingal United Soccer Club will benefit as well. Let them know you are from our club and let Alan Johnstone know as he is keeping a record of all transactions. Remember, support the firm that supports your club.

'How do I stop getting uptight, doctor?'
'Try going to bed sober.'

GALA DAY WITH CLAYTON

On Sunday 1st March, Clayton Soccer Club - juniors and seniors - will be coming to Ballam Park as our guests for a Soccer Gala Day. This will be the third such annual event and if the past two years are anything to go by, it will be a great day of soccer.

Last year the clubs fought out fifteen games for the Bill Kiezenberg Gala Day Trophy. Clayton won 7, Karingal won 6 and 2 were drawn. All together 74 goals were scored. Clayton took off the trophy.

Now we meet again. Another good day is promised and hopefully this year Karingal will win back the trophy.

COMING SOON.

SOCIAL.

FEB 28 : DISCO

APR. 4 : PRE-SEASON DANCE

SOCCER.

MAR 1 : CLAYTON GALA DAY.

MAR.14 : SEN. vs STH. YARRA (HOME)

MAR.21 : SEN vs. NUNA. U. (HOME)

MAR.28 : SEN vs E. BRUNS'K (HOME)

MAR.29: JUNIOR SEASON
STARTS.

No. 1 MAR. 1981

SECRETARY'S REPORT

By the time you read this, Registration Day will have come and gone. Therefore, I urge you, if your boy has not been registered with the club for 1981, to do so as soon as possible. The season is starting earlier than usual this year, and it is important that we know as early as possible what boys we have with us for the year. You can register your boy by contacting myself, any member of the Committee, or his team manager.

As I said, the season is starting earlier than usual this year. This is due mainly to the fact that the World Youth Championships are being held in Australia during October and all domestic soccer is to be completed before then. Our senior league program gets under way on March 14th with a home game against South Yarra, relegated from Division 1 this year and continues on March 21st with another home game against Nunawading United. This should give us a chance to make our best start to a season since we entered the senior ranks. So I hope you will turn up to cheer the team on its way to the Championship!

Our junior program gets under way on the week-end of 28th/29th March with the first round of the league championships. It is hoped that this year, we will be fielding teams in all age groups from Under 7 to Under 15 with two teams in some age groups where numbers warrant. The Under 7 to Under 9 season will not start until Saturday 25th April. The program for all juniors is as yet unknown. Teams do not have to be entered until the beginning of March.

I would like to draw your attention to the advertisements in the magazine, in particular, to World Travel Headquarters. This year, this travel firm is our major sponsor. If you are travelling overseas or interstate, consult them. Although you will not get a discount on your travel arrangements, Karingal Soccer Club will benefit from the travel arrangements made for members by World Travel. Consult them and let them know you are from Karingal Soccer Club. If your travel arrangements are finalised through World Travel, I would ask you to just give Alan Johnstone a ring and let him know. He would like to keep a record of members travelling through this travel firm. As for the other advertisements in the magazine, they are all supporters of the club in some way or other and, therefore, should be supported by you, the member whenever possible.

This year sees the second year of the revitalised club magazine. It was a great success last year and I am sure Alan Johnstone, our Editor, will do all in his power to maintain, if not improve, the high standard and quality he attained last year. I consider the magazine to be a very important function of the club, to let everyone know what is going on, in and around the club. Contributions will be accepted from any member who feels so inclined. Just contact Alan if you wish to contribute in any way.

Our clubhouse, as some of you will have noticed, has been improved over the three years it has been in existence. Improvements are still being carried out and will continue as and when finance is available. At present the immediate task is to move the canteen. It is being moved onto the front wall so that those serving behind the hatch can still see the soccer in progress on the grounds. Dick Jones would like to hear from anyone who has time to spare to assist him in carrying out the alterations.

Finally, may I wish each and every one of you, officials, players and members, and in particular, those members and players who are joining us for the first time, a happy and satisfying season. May we all be pleased and proud to be a part of the "Red Devils" in the coming months.

Peter Hull

NEW SENIOR COACH

Our club was fortunate during the Summer to secure the services of Nigel Bevis as our new senior coach for the 1981 season. Nigel had just ended a 12 year association with Frankston City Soccer Club - as a player, then as a junior and senior coach. He has a wealth of soccer experience and the Karingal senior players can only benefit from this.

Alan Lewis has been appointed Reserve team coach, and George Eadie (ex Triestina and Frankston City player) has joined Nigel as his assistant coach.

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IS
THE YEAR OF
THE RED DEVILS

Senior Fixtures.

Homeground	:	Ballam Park	
Kick off	:	Reserves - 1.00 p.m.	
	:	Seniors - 2.45 p.m.	
<u>March</u>	14th	: South Yarra	Home
	21st	: Nunawading	Home
	28th	: East Brunswick	Home
<u>April</u>	4th	: Clayton	Away
	11th	: North Geelong	Home
	18th	: Shepparton	Away
	25th	: Hawthorn	Home
<u>May</u>	2nd	: Langwarrin	Away
	9th	: Hawksburn	Home
	16th		
	23rd	: Lalor	Away
	30th	: Ballarat	Home
<u>June</u>	6th	: South Yarra	Away
	13th	: Nunawading	Away
	20th	: East Brunswick	Away
	27th	: Clayton	Home
<u>July</u>	4th	: North Geelong	Away
	11th	: Shepparton	Home
	18th	: Hawthorn	Away
	25th	: Langwarrin	Home
<u>Aug:</u>	1st	: Hawksburn	Away
	8th	: Lalor	Home
	15th	: Ballarat	Away



"Well, as I was taking a corner
— I caught sight of this beautiful blonde in the crowd"

IMPORTANT.

THE SENIORS FIRST 3 LEAGUE GAMES ARE AT HOME - MARCH 14/21/28. IT COULD GIVE US A GREAT START TO THE SEASON. WE URGE ALL MEMBERS TO COME ALONG AND CHEER THE TEAM ON. THEY NEED YOUR SUPPORT.

COACH'S COLUMN

I was very pleased to accept the position of senior coach for 1981 with the Karingal Soccer Club, and look forward to enjoying every success this season.

Although the move away from State league was a little difficult, my first few weeks at Karingal supported the reputation that Karingal has enjoyed, as a sound and strongly administered club with enormous potential.

With the help of Assistant Coaches, George Eadie and Alan Lewis, I hope we can pull off success in all competitions that we enter, certainly, promotion from the

Provisional League Division II is top priority, but we also intend to be chasing winning that league, and the Reserve Division, and be looking for the Provisional League Cup. The Dockerty Cup, to be realistic, is not much of a possibility, but we'll see if we can grab a few scalps before we go.

George Eadie, a former Glasgow Policeman, played State League soccer in the mid sixties, after some years in the English, semi-pro southern league. I am pleased to renew an association I had with George whilst playing together for Frankston City.

Alan Lewis comes to us from Baysiders, Baxter, and has already shown valuable clubmanship in the short time so far.

It's good to see most of last years players back again and indeed, many new faces to help with the season's campaign.

We will work very hard to get together a strong Reserve side to enable the 1st team to maintain the consistency required to win any league championship. To help this we are hoping to run a 3rd team in the Bayside League 2nd Division and to make all players registered for Karingal get what they came for - a game of soccer.

It is also hoped that the coaching staff, together with senior players, can get around to all junior teams for a coaching session, as the season goes by, to help bridge the gap between Junior and Senior bodies and give the Club a stronger bond.

Nigel Bevis.

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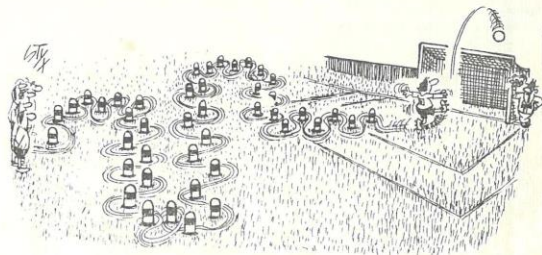
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FROM THE TOUCHLINE.

It has been interesting watching the progress of the senior team over the past few weeks. There seems to be a new enthusiasm among the players and this must be mainly accredited to our new coach. Numbers at training are up and still growing every week, and listening to some of the players talking there seems to be a greater determination to get really fit this year. It has certainly been showing on the field recently.

Five friendlies in three weeks, resulting in 1 defeat, 2 draws, and 2 wins, shows the gradual improvement in play and this is even more significant since coach Nigel Bevis is obviously still trying out the players in different positions.

In the first game against Pines, the seniors gave a good show in the first half but after the interval, probably due to some positional changes and some lack of fitness, allowed Pines to run out easy winners.

The next three games, Hampton (1-1), Mornington (1-0), and Monbulk (2-2) gave us an all round improvement in fitness and some good running and positional play but some of the finishing was poor and a little tightening up in defence seemed to be needed.

Bayside league team Skye came to Ballam Park last week with a team full of experience but probably a bit lacking in fitness. Things began to come together for Karingal. An understanding was developing, passing was good and players seemed to give a full 90 minutes effort. Karingal were one up at half time but this could have been more and in the second half, as Skye were tiring, they turned on the pressure to win 4-1.

The team are shaping up well, and with still some players to come back yet, the 1981 season is looking promising.

SPECTATOR

**FRIDAY IS SOCIAL
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ALL MEMBERS AND
GUESTS WELCOME
(9 p.m. - 11.30 p.m.)**

YOU BE THE REF.

1 Leaving the pitch at the end of a match a player strikes a spectator. Should you (a) send the player off, or (b) report the incident to the appropriate authority?



2 The ball was the correct weight before the start of the match, but at half-time you find it is underweight. Should you (a) take no action, or (b) change the ball?



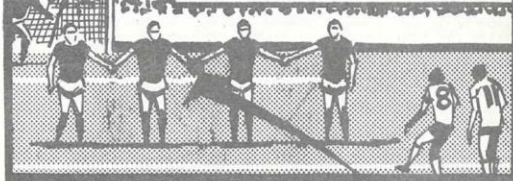
3 An attacker runs offside but before you can whistle, a defender catches the ball and places it for a free-kick. Should you award (a) an indirect free-kick to the defender, or (b) a direct free-kick for handball?



4 Can you show two yellow cards to the same player?



5 Four defenders form a "wall" in the penalty-area by joining hands at arms' length. When the ball is kicked it strikes a defender's arm. What action should you take?



ANSWERS

5. Award a penalty.
4. No.
3. A direct free-kick against the defending player (b).
2. Take no action (a).
1. Report the incident to the appropriate authority (b).

JUNIOR ROUND - UP.

The junior season gets under way in a few weeks time, and by the time this issue goes out, most teams will be organised and in training. Unfortunately, at the time of going to print (prior to Registration Day) there was not much junior news to hand.

START OF SEASON:

Under 7's to 10's : Saturday 25th April
Under 11's to 16's : Sunday 29th March

Under 7:

Manager : Alex Ormond (789-5451)
Teams will be organised after Registration Day. Alex is looking for a coach and he would be pleased to hear from anyone who might be interested in taking on the job.

Under 8:

Manager : John Lillywhite (789-4097)
Coach : Ron Owens

Under 9:

Manager : Yet to be announced.

Under 10:

Manager : Rob MacLeod (789-2593)

Under 11:

Manager : Norm Cooney (789-1006)

Under 12:

Manager : Yet to be announced.
Coach : Ted Thornton
Asst.Coach : Dick Jones

Under 13A:

Manager : Yet to be announced.
Coach : Chris Fletcher.

Under 13B:

Manager : Sheila Hull
Coach : Doug Twaites

Under 14:

Manager : Alan Lewis (059) 71-2245
Coach : Bonny Nardella
Training : Thursdays 4.30 - 6.00.

Under 15:

Manager : Yet to be announced.

THE YEAR OF
THE RED DEVILS

"Here's the transfer
you keep pestering
me for — you soak
it in water — stick
it on your arm —
peel it off — and it
leaves a pretty little
picture"



REGISTRATION DAY A GREAT SUCCESS.

Registration Day on 15th February this year was a great success. It was a very hot sunny day but this didn't stop all the people rolling up from 10 o'clock onwards to register their sons and pay their subscriptions. By 1-0'clock the rush was over and nearly 120 families had signed up for the new season — a high number for any registration day.

During this time, the seniors and reserves went through a tough training session for nearly two hours — particularly tough in the extreme heat.

The fete and fun games went off well — so many people seemed so happy with the bottles of champagne they won.

As usual the social committee did a great job. Roy McLaren would like to thank:-

Ann Clark for running the cake stall and selling raffle tickets.

Karen Mauger for manning the toy stall along with her friend.

Ethel for doing a great job in the kiosk as usual.

Karen Clarke, and everyone else for helping out during the day.

Bill Keizenberg for donating so much of his money in attempts to win bottles of champagne.

All in all a most successful day.

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING?

The 1980 soccer season may have ended in September last year, but the activities at Karingal Soccer Club carried on right through the summer.

At the Annual General Meeting in October, a new committee was elected with Brian Moran as President. In summing up the season just ended, it was obvious that 1980 had been a good year for the club both on and off the field.

The End of Season Dinner/Dance at Wingham Lodge was very well attended and turned out to be a highly successful evening.

An important event in October was Tom Hanlon's decision to take on the job of Clubroom Manager for a second year. There were sighs of relief all round! Tom has the assistance of John Tweddle this time which makes a dynamic duo - two Scotsmen, one a Rangers fan and one a Celtic fan!

Early in November, the clubrooms were packed for Macka's Music Hall and what a great night it was. Good news for the lucky one's who attended that evening - Macka's will be back again this year.

An important event in December was the appointment of Nigel Bevis as Senior Coach, all part of Karingal's ambitious plans for 1981. Already early indications are that Nigel's experience is having a promising effect on our senior players.

The Pre-Christmas Dance at the clubrooms was very successful. Over 100 members and friends attended and danced to a great band. By popular demand, this band will be back with us again very soon.

During these months there were also the regular social nights on Fridays, 150 Club draws, raffles, working bees.

Just because the soccer playing comes to an end, it doesn't mean life at the club ends as well. Far from it.

Alan Johnstone.



"Okay, boss - I may not be a Kevin Keegan, but then you are no Brian Clough"



The "Vine" column starts up again for the new season and once again, over the next seven months, we will be looking for news items. If you have any personal items, special events, announcements, anything at all of interest that you would like printed in this column, please ring Alan Johnstone, 789-4057.

Bev and Keith Button, popular long standing members of our club, had a happy event last month with the birth of their daughter, Rebecca. Congratulations to you both.

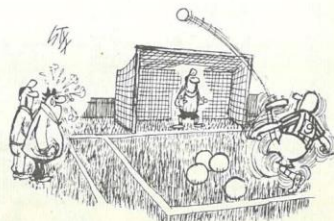
Another happy event in February was the birth of a daughter, Kristy Ann, to Rosaline and Max Draper. This also gave Tom and Rose Hanlon, Rosaline's parents, their first grand-daughter, and anyone who saw them at the club just after the event could see just how delighted they both were. Congratulations to the parents AND grand-parents.

The club welcomes to Karingal, Doreen Newport, mother of Diane (Cockcroft) and Virginia (Mauger). Doreen has come out to Australia from Gosport in England to join her daughters and settle in Frankston. Already she has become a regular guest at the club on Friday evenings. It's nice to have you with us Doreen.

Other popular guests at the club on Fridays recently are Bill and Ann Lewis, out here on holiday from Caerphilly in Wales and staying with their daughter Bibby and her husband Billy Davis. They arrived early in January and go back home early in May. Friday evenings at the club won't be quite the same after this happy couple leave in May.

Don't forget, please ring Alan Johnstone with your news items - 789-4057.

"But, what do you expect for £200, boss, Franz Beckenbauer?"



AROUND THE CLUBROOMS

It is all happening around the clubrooms these days. Friday nights are really jumping with good crowds rolling up; Sunday lunchtimes are becoming very popular; working bees have been busy all summer; and a new bar roster has been organised. Things are looking good but as usual there are a lot of people to thank for all their help.

Thanks to Ann Clarke for volunteering to look after the towels in the clubrooms again this year and for all the other work and time she puts in, helping us. Ann was a great help to us last year as well.

Thanks to John Tweddle for taking on the job of Assistant Club Manager. He is really a great help to me.

Thanks to Joan Lamb for helping behind the bar on Sundays during the games. It's good to see her son George back playing in the Reserves again this year along with his friend John Bentley.

Thanks to all the volunteers who have gone on the bar rosters. This help is invaluable and really eases my workload as Club Manager.

Thanks to Dick Jones and all his helpers on the many working bees.

It is really good to have Ron Owens back in to the club again. Last year and again this year Ron will coach a junior side, and recently he joined the bar roster in the club rooms.

It is also good to see so many new faces and the number of old familiar faces turning up at the games and in the club on Friday nights.

Talking of Friday nights. This family night is becoming so popular recently, that if you want to be sure of getting a seat you'd better get up there early and beat the crowds. Maybe we should get some more tables and seats!

Tom Hanlon,
Club Manager.

"He's in training for next season"



SPECIAL MENTION

Over the past few months, there has been a lot of work done in the clubrooms.

The kitchen was changed into a store; the store was changed into the ladies powder room; the powder room was changed into a kitchen. The wall panelling has been completed. The outside woodwork has been painted.

As usual a loyal little band of members have been busy doing all this, but one man must get a special mention and this is DICK JONES.

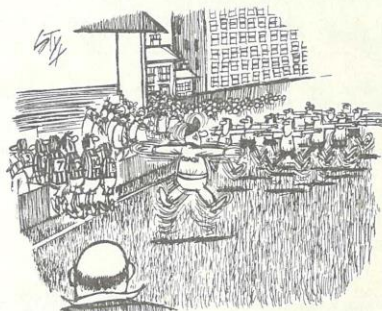
Dick took the job on to organise all the alterations and renovations and he has been involved in everything. He never missed a working bee - even at the expense of getting his own jobs done at home!

Dick's latest effort was the making of the steel doors to the kiosk. A great piece of work and it saved the club hundreds of dollars.

The club can't thank Dick enough for all the time and effort he has put in. It is all greatly appreciated.

Alan Johnstone.

"Look at that for professionalism, mate - they beat us eight-nil - then start training for their next match"



"We never settle down in one place long enough to buy a house. My husband is a football manager, you know"



LADIES KEEP FIT.

Apart from a short break over the holiday period, the ladies keep fit classes carried on right through the summer.

Sessions are still being held on Tuesday evenings at the clubrooms - 7.30 to 8.30 at the still reasonable cost of 50 cents.

They are always looking for new members, so why not come along on Tuesday evenings and give them a try. Everyone is welcome.



"Magic — absolute magic — the way you two wizards made yourselves disappear when the pressure was on"

150 CLUB.

The 150 Club is in action again this season. The first draw took place in the clubrooms at the end of January.

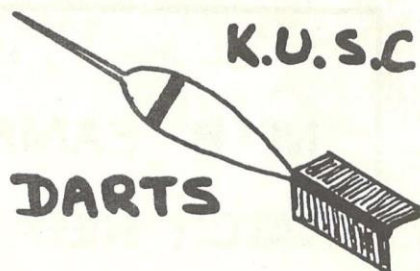
First prize winner this month was Mr.B.Mauger.

Many thanks to those members who supported this months draw.

The next 150 Club draw will take place on Friday 27th February and on the last Friday of each month right through the season.

There are still a few tickets left and if you would like to take part in the monthly draw - \$2.00 per month - please contact Roy McLaren.

This particular evening each month is fast becoming a popular social evening for members. As well as the 150 Club draw, there are some games of Bingo (non-profit making), raffles with good prizes and, of course, good old-fashioned conversation. Why not come and join us.



Here we go again with another Darts season underway. The starting date is the 25th February. I would like to take the opportunity of thanking the magazine for letting me do the darts column each and every month.

Karingal are once again putting on a good show with four darts teams going into the league. The big news this year for Karingal is, of course, the departure of Karingal 2 to join Frankston City. However, Karingal are still supporting a Karingal 2 team made up from the excess players from last years Karingal 1 along with a few new faces. One of the new faces is John Bennett, not only a new member of Karingal but also a newcomer to Australia.

The Old Karingal 2 team, however, did not take all it's players away with them. Torres Memhed decided not to go to Frankston but joined Karingal 1 instead. Well done, Torres!

As this is the first news about Karingal Darts, I would like to invite other players this season to have their say in the magazine. If they would like to ring me (059 755 828), I will make sure their item will go into the column.

Ray Saunders

P.S. The Editor would like to thank Ray for doing the darts column again this year. Darts are an important part of the Club now and it should have it's own space in the magazine.

'At three a.m. Jock phoned a barman at his home and asked, 'What time do you open up, Jimmy?'
The barman replied, 'Go to sleep and stop bothering me.'
At 7.30 a.m. the phone rang again, and Jock asked, 'Hey, Jimmy, what time do you open up?'
'Look, pal,' replied the barman, 'you can't get in till ten.'
Said Jock: 'I'm no' trying to get in - ah'm trying to get oot!'

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SOCIAL

The 1981 soccer season is just about to start but the social committee have been hard at work since the day they were elected over three months ago. Dances, music hall, etc. were arranged during the summer months and were well supported.

The Social Committee this year is:-

Vice President : Roy McLaren
Secretary : Lynda Warren
Treasurer : Margaret Moran
Committee : Diane Cockroft
Virginia Mauger
Keith Button
Bill Daisley
Nigel Plaskett

The Committee would like to thank all the people who have been supporting the many functions so far and also the "150 CLUB".

COMING EVENTS

DISCO

Saturday 28th February.
K.U.S.C. Clubrooms.
\$4.00 per head.
B.Y.O. plate.

PRE-SEASON SUPPER DANCE

Saturday 4th April
K.U.S.C. Clubrooms.
Smorgasboard supper.
Same group as Christmas dance.

EVENTS IN THE PIPELINE

Macka's Music Hall.
Progressive Dinner.
Fashion Parade.
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EDITORIAL

The start of a new season and the first edition of the club magazine for 1981. Last year was the magazine's first in its present format and we believe it was quite well received by most members. Again this year, once a month right through to September, we hope to cover ALL the club's news - seniors, juniors, darts, social, keep fit, anything that makes us a truly UNITED club.

There seems to be a different atmosphere around the club these days. It probably had its roots during last year, but just at the moment there seems to be an air of optimism, even excitement. People are talking about the club and taking an interest. A number of old members are drifting back. Crowds at friendly matches are good. Attendance at the club on Friday evenings is high. Things are looking good. Last season was a good one. Let's hope 1981 will be even better.

The response from magazine sponsors has been tremendous this year. Most of last seasons advertisers are back with us and they are joined by a number of new ones. I can never stress enough how important these sponsors are. Without them there probably would not be a club magazine, certainly it wouldn't be in its present format. They are helping us, and now you can help them by checking out the adverts before you make any purchases and by using them whenever possible. Don't forget to mention our magazine if you contact them.

You may have noticed in recent news items in the local press that we are now promoting our old name - THE RED DEVILS. In the early years of the club, the name "Red Devils" was widely known and respected in soccer circles throughout Melbourne. Club members had a certain pride in the name. Officially we will always be Karingal United Soccer Club but in the months to come, you will be hearing a lot about Karingal Red Devils.

The next issue of the magazine - at the end of March - will include all the regular junior teams reports and club and player personality profiles. Watch out for it.

I am always looking for ways to improve the magazine and if anyone has any suggestions I would be happy to hear from them. Ring me on 789-4057.

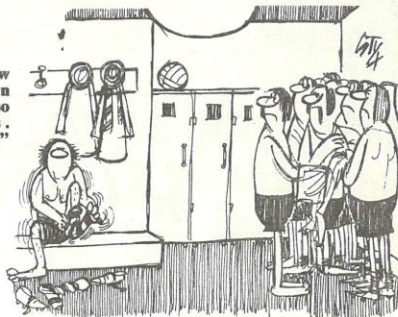
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