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*****FROM THE PRESIDENT*****

Well another season comes to a close and I guess it's a good time to reflect back on the highlights and disappointments of the year.

Our Juniors, whilst not winning any Leagues, did as usual, perform well. The Mc Donald's Awards are obviously very popular and must be making a difference to the skill of our boys.

We recently commenced Junior Disco's every month or so, on a Friday night and these have been an outstanding success. If these continue next year I hope parents will take the opportunity of staying after the Disco to enjoy the benefits of the clubrooms.

On a disappointing note it was very sad to see the U/16's gradually fade due to a lack of boys of this age willing to play. This surely illustrates the dangers of allowing a squad to be too small in earlier years.

Turning to our Seniors, who, I believe, have had an outstanding year. Nigel Bevis and Norm Wood have built up a Reserve and Senior side which have more than held their own in the 3rd. Division. Karingal has never before made the last 16 in the Docherty Cup and the last 8 in the Metro. Cup. Added to these achievements the youngest Reserve side we have ever fielded finishing third in their League should make every supporter proud of our players performance this year.

I hope many members will attend the A.G.M. on the 25th. Oct. at 8.00pm. in the clubrooms to fully inform themselves of the finances of their club. Looking at the Club's finances one can only say that this has not been a good year. To give members some idea of the costs involved last year it cost us \$7500 for equipment, ground fees, referees, U.S.T. and I.L.M.C. fees whilst our membership fees only brought in \$4000. Power charges, mostly for floodlighting for training, were over \$3000.

Before closing I would like to thank all our supporters, benefactors and sponsors, without whom our club would find it difficult to exist. And on behalf of the supporters I should thank the girls in the kiosk who have supplied us with beverages, food and a warm smile even on the coldest days. Finally, thanks to Gary Pead, Bill Mc Gowan and those two super reporters Karen and Lois for making our magazine the best.

Brian Moran.

*****SENIORS*****

The following players have represented Karingal this season with honour:-

- Tim Dillon 18 Goalkeeper from Mornington, has kept well this season and has played all but one match.
- Keith Towers 22 Vice Captain, an outstanding year at sweeper, full back and midfield.
- Nigel Plaskett 24 Captain. Another determined performance from the skipper now in his 17th. year with Karingal.
- Ray Dunn 25 Played only 13 matches all at left back after moving over from Mornington.
- Kevin Iles 22 Played in early cup matches and gave good performances before transferring to Langwarrin.
- Mark Rees 27 Transferred from Rosebud and played magnificently at centre back before a hamstring injury lost us his services for the last 10 games of the season.
- Jason Symonds 16 Transferred from Rosebud and has played in most First Team matches this year. A skillful player with great potential.
- Glenn Barker 19 Transferred from Melbourne, formerly with Pines, Glenn's superb heading and competitiveness make him a most valuable player.
- Kevin Burrough 22 Tricky winger with a powerful shot. A tremendous first half of the season from Kevin made him one of the most respected wingers in the Division. Scored many great goals to cap off a fine season.
- Kevin Moore 20 A season as target man saw a good season from this fine player. Also a top defender Kevin found the net more than 15 times this season.
- Martin Moore 17 A season in mid field for the Fourth Division's top scorer in 1982 saw Martin's powerful shooting add punch to a brilliant attack and tough tackling to the mid field position.

- Andy Wright 19 An injury laden season for 1982 Player of the Year. It seems that each time Andy got form back yet another injury would cost him games. Still an aggressive and courageous performer.
- John Rowe 32 A busy and competitive year in attack from the oldest member of the team. A delightful character with a never say die attitude and a flair for goal.
- Jim Hull 25 Many fine games from this centre back until he decided to try his luck at Langwarrin mid season.
- Steve Wood 16 Represented the Red Devils on many occasions with much credit, work and study cost him and us much of his ability.
- Craig Pase 16 Classy passer who has shown enormous potential this season since moving from Baxter. Still at school and has a very bright future indeed.
- Tony Boundy 16 Reserve goalkeeper who played one game in goal for the First Team. A finalist for State Selection with other young Karingal goalkeeper Craig Millar 14.
- Jim Millar 15 'Blooded' with senior training at games after a top season with the U/15's. Jim's future shows enormous promise.
- Gerry McDonagh 16 Very bright youngster who stands out in the Reserve side. 'Blooded' towards the end of the season in the First Team. Another young Red Devil with enormous potential.
- Otto Leenstra 25 Transferred from Mornington and played several First Team games. Tough tackling defender and determined competitor.
- Steve Dobinson 18 Reserve Team's top scorer with over 20 goals. Represented the First Team twice and sent our supporters in a frenzy when he scored at Coburg. Popular lad with a lot of talent.

Many thanks for season '84 to all players, senior staff, especially Norm Wood, and all our supporters.

Nigel Bevis.

*****RESERVES*****

Regular Reserve Players :-

Tony Boundy. Tom Millington.

Bernie McGuinness. Tom Weir.

Otto Leenstra. Steve Wood.

Gerry McDonagh. Mark Dillon.

Bill Pullen. Steve Dobinson.

Gavin Dobinson. Jim Millar.

Craig Millar. Michael Taylor.

Steve Griffin. Chris Lymer.

1984 saw the Reserve team improve from 11th position to 3rd. in the League, with 17 wins compared to 7 in 1983. As well we improved our goal difference from -18 to +21.

I invited junior players (Jim Millar and Michael Taylor U/15, and Craig Millar U/14) to train with the Reserve Squad and this proved to be a bonus for all concerned.

We also saw the development of Tony Boundy, Chris Lymer, Steve Griffin, Gerry McDonagh, Mark Dillon and Bernie McGuinness which is a large asset for the future.

Finally, thanks to Tommy Weir and Otto Leenstra for their steady influence on the younger players.

Norm Wood.

PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	POINTS	POSITION
26	17	2	7	52	31	36	3rd.

PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	POINTS	POSITION
26	11	6	9	42	42	28	7th.

*****UNDER FIFTEEN*****

COACH Jack Elsworth.

MANAGER Kevin Coldrey.

SQUAD

Elwyn Tyrie.	Paul Moore.	Eddie Murphy.
Brian Reese.	Andrew Coldrey.	James Millar.
Peter Gray.	Stevie Jones.	Andrew Astfalck.
John O'Kelly.	Mike Taylor.	Geoff Thompson.

RESULTS

PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	POINTS	POSITION
14	6	2	6	34	37	14	6th.

1984 has been a year of re-construction brought about by the loss of five of last year's team. We have been fortunate in gaining Andrew Astfalck, Brian Reese and Peter Gray from Cranbourne, John O'Kelly from Skye, Elwyn Tyrie from Seaford and Geoff Thompson from Ballarat, although Geoff's family moved to Beaumaris midway through the season and thus he was unable to continue with Karingal.

These players made a fine contribution and Andy Astfalck, along with James Millar and Mike Taylor, represented the Club at Senior level as well as in the Reserves team.

Although outclassed by Box Hill each time the teams met, Karingal improved greatly in the second half of the season, avenging first round defeats and losing only to Box Hill and Malvern City.

In the preliminary rounds of the Regional Championships we won all four of our matches including one against Super League team Dingley. We again played Dingley in the Final and were unfortunate to go down 2-3 on penalties after extra time had been played.

Congratulations to all players for their performance, and my thanks to all parents who supported the boys during the year, especially Graham Astfalck who acted as linesman all season.

*****UNDER FOURTEEN*****

COACH Kevin Burrough.

MANAGER Andy Wright.

SQUAD

Craig Millar.	Adam Hughes.	David Anderson.
Stephen Bottomley.	Bradley O'Neil.	Darren Bullock.
Andrew McLaren.	Brian Vowels.	Jason Day.
Jason Coaker.	Mark Jones.	David Hookes.
Mark Mills.		Andrew King.

RESULTS

PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	POINTS	POSITION
14	7	4	3	31	22	18	3rd.

The boys started off the season with some really big wins. They were going through teams like a hot knife through butter. The soccer the boys were playing was fast, skillful and exciting to watch. Support from parents was reasonable, with only few ever present, helping out by ferrying boys to away games with Kevin and I.

We, unfortunately, had to concede our first Cup match as we were given only two days notice that it was an away game in the Preston area on a Saturday afternoon which, sadly, coincided with a Senior game which both Kevin and I were involved in.

The boys led the League Table at the halfway mark of the season. Unfortunately results started slipping with silly goals being let in and valuable points being dropped. With two games to go we were two points behind the leaders but were approx. 17 goals behind them. However, losses in both games saw us finish in third position.

Overall the boys have to be pleased with their result. They put a lot of effort in and only narrowly missed promotion.

*****UNDER THIRTEEN*****

COACHES John Rochfort.

MANAGER Albert Vose.

John Tweddle.

SQUAD

Michael Parratt.	Doug Armstrong.	Adam Van Kralingen.
Mark Johnstone.	Jamie Middleton.	Gary Housley.
Wayne Van Den Tol.	Lee Taylor.	Michael Connel.
Derek Fagan.	Paul Rochfort.	Andrew Vose.
Craig Cameron.		Paul Fellows.

RESULTS

PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	POINTS	POSITION
18	0	0	18	16	104	-	10th

The Under Thirteen team battled hard throughout the season, finding it difficult in a top league. However, despite being beaten every week the boys always gave one hundred percent. Thanks boys for not giving up and coming to training every week.

On behalf of the boys and their parents I would like to thank the two coaches for their efforts. Thanks also to parents for running the line, giving lifts, supplying oranges and especially providing encouragement and support to the boys each week, you did a great job.

Finally, to all the boys in the squad, although finishing at the bottom of the League you have continually been coming up against good players which can only improve your game and stand you in good stead for the future. Best wishes for next season.

Albert Vose.

*****UNDER TWELVE "A"*****

COACH Colin Butler.

MANAGER Rune Gustafsson.

Another soccer season is just about finished, with, at the time of writing this report, only the Peninsula Cup left to be played.

I personally think it has been a very good season for us. We finished third on the League ladder behind the winners Mornington and runners up Mordialloc who finished on the same points as us but with a better goal average of only six goals more than ours.

The team played an entertaining, attractive brand of soccer and on most occasions showed plenty of skill and flair. It should be pointed out that we did win against all teams at least once. What is more important than winning though is attitude and sportsmanship, and in this department the boys have been absolutely tremendous. It is both a pleasure and an honor to be involved with such a team.

The team throughout the year has consisted of :-

Goalkeeper.	Nicholas Gustafsson.
Defence.	Adam Moss, Nick Clonaridis, Robert Phelps.
Midfield.	Mark Parratt, Timothy Stokes, John Porter.
Forwards.	Darren Butler, David Spence, Brett Anderson and Leigh Shearn with Peter Oram very capably filling in as both forward and defender.

Thank you very much boys, you are a splendid bunch and a splendid team. Stick together and keep it up.

I would also like to thank all the parents. The tremendous attitude and sportsmanship displayed by the boys stems, of course, from you.

And last but not least, a big thank you to our coach Colin who has done a magnificent job with the boys. Not only has he taught them a lot about soccer and its skills but also about enjoying the game which, of course, is what it's all about.

*****UNDER TWELVE "B"*****

COACH Charlie Mc Niell.

MANAGER Dick Jones.

SQUAD

Ashley King.	Robert Poole.	David Parkes Butcher.
Peter Hughes.	Ben Holloway.	Bill Thomas.
Gerard Mc Laren.	Simon Moran.	Rory Mc Ginty.
Con Xanthopolous.	Kevin Mc Guinness.	Michael Mc Farland.
Kevin Jones.	Christopher Oakley.	Peter Kyriazis.
	Andrew Kyriaropolous.	

RESULTS

PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	POINTS	POSITION
15	6	3	6	31	27	15	5th.

The boys have done very well this season as can be seen from the results above. Most of the boys have been playing 1-2 years ahead of their age group and Charlie has done a tremendous job coaching, with not so much an emphasis on winning but improving their all round abilities, although having a squad of 16 has not made it easy at times.

As this is the last report for the season I would like to take this opportunity to thank Kerry Kyriaropolous and John Xanthopolous for giving up their time to give the boys an extra nights training. Thanks also to the parents who helped with strip cleaning and supply of drinks etc.

Summing up for the season I think the highlight was the trip to Mt. Gambier which was enjoyed by all. Thanks again to Kerry and Mike Oakley for their help on the trip. Finally, thanks for giving your time and effort Charlie. I know the boys and parents appreciated it.

*****UNDER ELEVEN "B"*****

COACH Bob Poole.

MANAGER Bill Mc Gowan.

SQUAD

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| 1. Daniel Symons. | 2. Richard Poole. | 3. Daniel Carter. |
| 4. Daniel Curtin. | 5. Trevor Cranch. | 6. David Knife. |
| 7. Darren Tibballs. | 8. Joe Trevaskis. | 9. Andy Irwin. |
| 10. Shane Mc Gowan. | 11. David Price. | 12. Brent Juddery. |
| 13. Michael Weigert. | 14. Simon Kent. | |

RESULTS

PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	POINTS	POSITION
14	8	2	4	45	27	18	3rd.

An encouraging first year in junior ranks for the boys with a well deserved result. Coach Bob Poole has been able to mould a strong team and has settled the boys into positions which not only suit their talents but are also ones which all the boys are enjoying playing in.

With every team member indicating their eagerness to return next year we can expect a bright start to the 1985 season.

I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of the boys, to thank Bob for the effort that he has put in this year. We are sure that his guidance, encouragement and commitment to the team has played a major part in our achievements.

*****UNDER TEN*****

COACH Danny Docherty.

MANAGER John Casham.

SQUAD

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|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Stephen Shaw. | Patrick Clancy. | Howard Mitchell. |
| Stephen Anderson. | David Oram. | Elton Timmins. |
| Gary Casham. | Daniel Docherty. | Robbie Tutolo. |
| Travis Shearn. | Adam Ayers. | Danny Burns. |
| | Lee Rochford. | |

PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST
15	8	1	6	50	17

With our very small squad being reduced to only the bare minimum of eleven boys due to the withdrawal of Danny Burns and Lee Rochford half way through the season, and with three of these eleven boys never having played soccer before, we really had an uphill struggle all year.

However, the boys battled well but our inability to clear our lines under pressure cost us games that we really should have won. A lot of work will have to be done in improving that particular skill BEFORE next season if we are to achieve any success in the Official Junior Leagues.

Our team spirit was excellent and I would like to thank all the parents for their efforts throughout the season. In particular, thanks to Don Anderson and Paddy Mitchell, and Michael Oram who was our official linesman and did an excellent job under very trying conditions.

We look forward, optimistically, to a much better season in 1985.

Danny Docherty.

*****UNDER NINE "A"*****

COACH Gary Horton.

MANAGER Beth Tweddle.

SQUAD

- Chris Jones. An exceptional goalkeeper who has had a great season letting in only 8 goals in 17 matches.
- Steven Dillon. Although in his first year at Karingal, Steven has developed into a solid and creative full back.
- David Makin. Plays central defender in our 3-4-3 formation. A great defender with excellent positional sense.
- Kevin Moore. Another first year player Kevin is a really determined full back who loves to get stuck in.
- Steven Armstrong. A right mid fielder Steve is a big, strong boy who never gives in.
- Iain Tweddle. Has the ability to beat players with great ease. Has also got his fair share of goals this season.
- Darren Logan. A left half who is also a good all round player with good ball control and distribution.
- Bruce Wotherspoon. A dynamic right winger and a very strong running player.
- Craig Butler. A centre forward who is a reliable scorer with good ball skills and a great talker on the field.
- Steven Davie. A creative and skillful centre forward. Has the record of not missing a penalty in three years.
- Duncan Weir. A left winger Duncan is the most improved player this year.
- Stuart Bennett. A versatile team player who has played well in defence as well as up forward this year.
- Gary Owen. A strong defender with a good kick who always puts in 100% effort.

PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST
24	21	0	3	78	11

Gary Horton.

*****UNDER NINE "B"*****

COACHES Steve Clark.

MANAGER Gary Marshall.

Liam O'Kelly.

SQUAD

Jason Brickley.	Jonathon Marshall.	Tony Monks.
Michael Poole.	Christian Scott.	Anthony Symons.
Con Bond.	Joshua Whitehead.	Chris Dearthcott.
Simon Hay.	Orson Johnson.	Mark Harmon.
Simon Mallia.		Adam Leenders.

RESULTS

PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	EFFORT	ENJOYMENT
13	0	0	13	1	(lost count)	100%	200%

Considering the boys only got together the week after the First round, with the majority coming from Under Eight grade and not one of them having played on a full size pitch, we all had a good fun year. The boys developed a tremendous team spirit and the supportive parents are, without doubt, the most vocal in the competition.

Steve Clark, as coach, was joined during the year by Liam O'Kelly and they have brought the boys a long way in preparation for their second year in Under Nine competition next year.

Thanks to the parents who supported by attending each week, I'm sure it helped the boys during the season.

Finally, to the boys, there is an old saying that goes "It matters not whether you win or lose but how you play the game", and in that respect you are a true team of champions.

Gary Marshall.

*****UNDER EIGHT*****

COACHES Bernie Mc Guinness.

Steven Griffin.

MANAGER Michael Oakley.

SQUAD

Simon Pate.	Daniel Mc Gowan.	Paul Dobinson.
Shaun Upston.	Neil Cooper.	Ryan Carter.
Damian Williams.	Steven Oakley.	Andrew Docherty.
Craig Finlay.	Mark Sargent.	Darren Pead.

RESULTS

	PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST
'A' Team	17	11	2	4	56	23
'B' Team	17	12	4	1	62	15

This season the Under Eight squad started the season with 21 players. We divided the squad and nine players formed a composite Under Nine 'B' team with some players from the Under Nine squad. The remaining 12 boys formed our Under Eight squad.

During the season Bernie and Steve concentrated their coaching on skills development and some team play. The progress by the squad, in both areas, was well beyond expectations. All the boys passed their 'Mc Donalds Blue Award' for skills and they all received K.U.S.C. Superstar Awards for various aspects of team play.

Generally, the main emphasis has been on skills development and having 'a lot of fun'. We now look forward a little more seriously to playing on a full-size pitch next year.

Thanks again to Bernie and Steve, and also to the team of assistant coaches/parents/cheer squad on the sideline each week!!!

Mike Oakley.

*****UNDER SEVEN*****

COACH Phil Asplin.

MANAGER Alex Ormond.

Summary of performances in the Official Competition.

	PLAYED	WON	DRAWN	LOST	FOR	AGAINST
'A' Team	18	10	2	6	66	24
'B' Team	18	11	2	5	44	25

***'A' TEAM** APPEARANCES GOALS HAT-TRICKS SUPERSTARS MINI-AWARD

Paul Albert.	14	-	-	2	1
Jamie Ferguson.	16	16	1	2	1
Jed Shearn.	17	16	2	2	1
David Splatt.	17	19	3	2	1
Craig Williams.	12	14	2	1	1
Ben Winning.	18	18	2	2	1

***'B' TEAM**

Simon Boundy.	14	2	-	1	1
Steven Casham.	17	7	-	1	1
Luke Frederickson.	17	11	2	1	1
Ben Hay.	16	2	-	1	1
Timour Madkour.	14	1	-	1	1
Danny Patten.	18	2	-	2	1

Congratulations to the squad for excellent performances, giving their supporters an exciting time.

Thanks to the parents for their marvellous and generous support throughout the season.

Thanks to Ron Shearn for taking training when the coach has not been available.

Finally, all of us cheer the efforts of coach Phil Asplin in creating a squad the Club can be proud of in years to come.

Alex Ormond.

*****K.U.S.C. VISITS MT. GAMBIER*****

During the September school holidays three Clubs from Melbourne and one Club from Adelaide visited Mt. Gambier as guests of the eight Clubs in the South Eastern Football Association for a weekend of soccer. Karingal was represented by two U/12 squads (A and B) and an U/14 squad.

The Clubs taking part were :-

From Mt. Gambier : Apollo, International, Millicent, Croatia, Blue Lakes, Central, Portland and Naracoorte.

From Melbourne : Altona Gate, Keilor City, Karingal Utd.

From Adelaide : Beograd.

Most of the Karingal party left the clubhouse by coach on Friday 24th August at 12 Noon. We were very warmly welcomed by our hosts in Mt. Gambier and after a restful night (for a few) in billeted accommodation, commenced playing on Saturday at 9 am. The results of the weekends activities on the field were :-

Under 12. Round 1. Karingal A 11 d. Portland 1.
Karingal B 2 d. Croatia 0.
Round 2. Karingal A 3 d. Blue Lake 0.
Keilor City 3 d. Karingal B 1.
Semi Finals: Altona Gate 4 d. Karingal A 1.
Keilor City 4 d. Karingal A 2.

Under 14. Round 1. Karingal d. Naracoorte (forfeit).
Round 2. Beograd 3 d. Karingal 0.
(because we had only played one game we were allowed to compete in the Rd. 4 losers comp).

Round 2. Karingal 5 d. Apollo 0.

Semi Final : Karingal 4 d. Portland 1.

Final :- Karingal 2 d. International 1.
(on penalties)

Congratulations to Steve Parratt for organising the trip which was thoroughly enjoyed by all those who participated.

KARINGAL UNITED SOCCER CLUB

Karingal United Soccer Club was formed in 1967 under the auspices of the Karingal Sports Association, a now defunct body that looked after the sporting requirements of the residents of Karingal. Junior teams were entered for the first time in the 1968 season in what was then known as the Southern Region, embracing teams from the Peninsula and Dandenong and northward to the Brighton area.

The club grew rapidly in those early years and became very successful, both on and off the field, winning many League championships in different age groups as well as Cup competition. By the early Seventies teams were entered in every age group from Under Seven to Under Seventeen.

The suggestion of running a Senior team was raised for the first time in 1971 when we had an Under Seventeen side with nowhere to go the following year. It was again raised at the end of 1972 and finally a side was entered in the then District League South in 1973. We did not set the soccer world alight during our years in this competition but we did find ourselves a comfortable, regular position around the middle of the table. Coaches and players were hard to keep in those days and each successive year usually found us with a new coach and almost a new team.

Our fortunes changed in 1977 when we were invited to apply for membership to the Provisional League where we stayed in 2nd. division until 1981. That year we were fortunate to gain the services of Nigel Bevis as coach and our Seniors had their most successful year to date, finishing 3rd. Due to a vacancy we were promoted to 1st. division. 1982 saw us with a much changed team with an accent on youth and we again finished in 3rd. position. A reorganization of the League structure enabled us to apply for and gain promotion to 4th. Division of the Metropolitan League in 1983 where we finished in 6th. position. Once again at the end of 1983 there was a reorganization of the Leagues, Karingal applied for and gained promotion to 3rd. Div. finishing this year in 7th. spot. Promoted 5 times in 11 years without finishing 1st. or 2nd. A somewhat unusual record.