



SKYE SOCCER CLUB

Newsletter



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CLUB OFFICIALS

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Mike Storer	-	President
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CLUB ROOM

SKYE RESERVE

CAN YOU WRITE?

Is your team in print? If not, why not?

Please contact Bill Gent for inclusion in the next issue.

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CARNIVAL SUCCESS

It was very pleasing to hear of the performance by one of our Under 8 squads in winning the Annual Springvale City U8 carnival. The team coached by Sid Ross and managed by Mike Newman proved too good for their opponents on the day. The carnival itself brought together some of the best U8 sides in Victoria, well done boys.

Talking of carnivals, we are staging our annual U7 competitions in August and the U8's in July. Peter Lukey is leading a panel of managers and coaches in organising the two days. The U7 competition will be the seventh held at Skye. We have managed to win the shield once when Peter Lukey's boys defeated Peninsula in the final. However, Seaford and Peninsula have always proved to be worthy opponents, both winning the shield at least twice. We shall be running a raffle on both days.

Kathy and Greg Campbell have very generously sponsored the Under 12 MAGPIES, this isn't the first time that the couple have supported the club. We thank them sincerely for this latest contribution. Do you know of anybody willing to sponsor your team?

The team spirit in our Under 11's is something to be admired. after a string of losses the boys have come good. Obviously, the hard work put in by Cliff Woodhead, Dave Winsor and manager Ron Phillips is paying off.

MCDONALDS SKILL AWARDS

Apologies to parents who went to Seaford only to find the awards cancelled. It was a situation beyond our control and unfortunate that Seaford were given late notification of cancellation.

The raffle for the holiday was a great fund-raising effort and was won by Peter Lukey. A well deserved win to a hard working club member. (Thanks to Tony Hall for obtaining the holiday.)

T. HALL

CANTEEN REPORT

The canteen has a large variety of goodies to eat, as well as Socks, Shorts and Track-suits, all at good prices.

Please support your canteen service.

Many thanks go to the Ladies Auxillary for their efforts in organising and Mums for assisting. Thanks also for the behind the scenes people who keep the fridges working etc.

The money raised through the canteen assists in the purchase of trophies for the players and at the end of the season a generous cheque is handed over to the treasurer for club funds.

VICTORIAN SOCCER FEDERATION NEWS

VSF Travel Club have got special fares for you to LONDON ROME PARIS AMSTERDAM FRANKFURT & ZURICH from \$1275 return, return flights available up to 12 months. Low fares available to all destinations.

END OF SEASON TRIP

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Enquiries- ring Gus, Vicki or Lisa on 898 0731
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(Sounds like a nice change from Balnarring, Hastings Seaford etc.)

SKYE ROVERS SOCCER CLUB INCORPORATED

As of the 26th June 1985, your club is an incorporated body under the Association Incorporation Act 1981.

Incorporation protects committee members from litigation allows the body to enter into contracts and safeguards club funds.

A member of the club at the time of incorporation is any

parent or guardian of any under 16 player whose fees are paid for the current season with Skye. Any member is entitled to vote at the A.G.M. and the date of this meeting will be advised at a later date.

The purpose of the Club is

- (1) To promote the sport of soccer
- (2) To promote training in the skills of the game of soccer
- (3) To promote the ideals of sportsmanship.

The rules of the club are the model rules under the Associations Incorporations Act with only minor changes. Any queries on the above should be directed to the Secretary- Marilynne Duffy 783 5032 (evenings only)

Since it is getting near the end of the season and closer to the A.G.M. please consider standing for committee for the coming season. New ideas are always welcome and any assistance appreciated. The club is growing rapidly and already is the fourth largest junior club in Melbourne. Please take a part in this club's efforts to provide good soccer for the children in the area.

Next season promises to be one of the most exciting in the club's short history. This season brought new strip, next season means new grounds and clubrooms of our own.

MORE OF THESE DEVELOPMENTS WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE NEXT NEWSLETTER

MAGPIES UNDER 12A

WE STARTED OFF THE YEAR WITH GREAT EXPECTATIONS. FIRST OF ALL GOING UP INTO A HIGHER LEAGUE AND SECONDLY HAVING 3 BOYS WHO PLAYED IN THE SUCESSFUL REGIONAL SQUAD, WITH TWO OF THEM BEING SELECTED IN THE STATE UNDER 12 'S.

OUR BOYS SOON FOUND OUT THAT IT WAS NOT GOING TO BE EASY HOWEVER WE ACQUITED OURSELVES VERY WELL, CURRENTLY LYING ON FIFTH SPOT ON THE LEAGUE LADDER WITH ONLY A HANDFUL OF POINTS SEPERATING THE TOP FIVE. WE DREW NO LESS THAN EIGHT TIMES. WITH A LITTLE BIT MORE DEDICATION NEXT SEASON, WE SHOULD DO VERY WELL. CONGRATULATIONS TO THE COACH AND BOYS ON A GOOD SEASON

MIKE DUFFY

P.S. guess which team the secretary's son plays for? If you would like to assist in compiling the newsletter next year, your team can be CAPITALIZED!

P.P.S. Sweetest scores of the season ere the draws against Morn ington and the win over Seaford. It's good to beat the best.

THE JETS

1985 is proving to be the most challenging year for all the boys in the team as they have set a precedent by being the only team ever, to represent the Peninsula in Super League and actually win games. Midway through the season they lie in fifth position.

Our two younger players cemented their positions in the Under Twelve State Squad, with impressive displays in the successful U/12 Peninsula Team. Seven of our other boys were elated to be chosen to train for selection in the U/13 Victorian Squad, of which two were finally chosen. Even though only two were chosen, our congratulations go to all boys who participated.

We were all very proud to learn that Mr. Parrott, our coach for many years had earned the prestigious position of coach for the U/13 State Squad, and I'm sure I speak for all at Skye in wishing him the best of luck in his new position.

G. SAMBELL.

SPRINGVALE CARNIVAL-UNDER EIGHT

Skye Rovers Under 8's A & B won the Springvale Carnival held on Saturday 15th June. Six teams entered the carnival and Skye were drawn to play in the A group. Skye beat Springvale B 5-0 in their first game, and then played Doncaster Rovers. It was a hard fought 3-3 draw played with a strong wind favouring one end. In the semi-final, Skye played Springvale A and played a team effort to run out winners 2-1.

In the final, Skye again met Doncaster Rovers and in the first half had the use of the wind and were 3 goals up in the first 12 minutes. Doncaster scored just before half-time and at the break it was 3-1. The second half started with Doncaster scoring in the first few minutes, then scored the goal of the match and played superb soccer to run out winners 4-2.

Said coach Sid Ross, our team was superb and our defence was solid all day. Our forward line of Chris Traynor, Adrian Hough Stuart Plunkett and Christian DeLange all scored goals, with Christian getting a HAT-TRICK in the final.

Our back-line of David Ross and Andrew Fisher were fantastic and kept opposing forwards at bay. Jeff Newman, our keeper made some telling saves and the boys won with their excellent team-work.

I would like a special mention to go to all the parents who gave the team wonderful support all day, and to our team manager, Mike Newman, a special thank-you.

SID ROSS

WELL DONE UNDER 8'S A & B KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK.

UNDER 7's A & B SEASON 1985

In the true tradition of Sky soccer club, the under 7's have again made it clear to other clubs we are here to stay. I have been associated with the Skye Juniors for 5 years and it still amazes me how much potential there is on the Peninsula, not only with the Skye club, but other clubs producing young soccer players of great quality.

With 2 matches to play in the current season, these boys have shown the qualities of an up and coming team, to be reckoned with in the future. They show ball skills, positional play (sometimes), determination and never give up even when things look tough. As most of my team are only tiny and average the age of 6, when they come up against rather big 7 year olds, they still tackle hard and tag their best. What more can a coach ask?

I can not mention all the boys, as we have 16 in the A & B squads, but mention must go to the little 6 year old lads. Danny Spyve, the driving force in the A team, is so determined to succeed he is like a rover in defence and attack. When he learns to let the other players do their job instead of doing it for them, he will definitely make an excellent player. Cory Savage is another 6 year old, what a luxury to have a natural left footer in the side and can he grin when scoring goals. Another great little player in the team is 5 year old Scott Phillips, along with another Scott, Scott Buchanan. These boys can still play under 7's for another 2 years.

I would like to thank all the boys for such a great season, especially Mathew Cooper for his comment at half time against Karingal. When I told the boys not to bunch up, young Mathew replied "but they do in my Attari set", and Andy Beasley when John Savage gave them a half time Dressing Down, Andy reached up, grabbed John's cheeks, and said, "Good day, Chubby Cheeks". At this point, John cracked up and told the boys to go out and do their best.

I would like to thank John for his great help through the season, for it makes a coaches job so much easier to have a good manager. Thanks must go to all the parents for their participation during the season.

Special thanks must go to an under 13's player for his help through the season as our referee and as assistant coach, you have done a great job for the boys, the club and myself thank you Jamie Burrows.

As I haven't had the opportunity in a newsletter to thank a couple of people from the under 12's, I would like to do so now, firstly my manager Mike Duffy, for his help over the past 4 years - may it be for many more years, and also Ernie Wright for his help with the coaching of the under 7's & 12's over the past couple of years.

Last, but not least, I would like to make mention of this years change of colours. I feel the club has benefitted from the change. Being associated with the 2 teams, I was pleasantly surprised by the comments from opposing coaches, managers and parents at how smart the boys looked. I'm not saying it improved performances, but by golly, they looked good, didn't they?

GRAHAM BAULK
Under 7's & 12's Coach

Team Sponsors

Peninsula Music Academy

sponsoring the Under 10's Spurs.

Located at Karingal Hub and
Hastings.

Kleins for all your Jewellery.

Shops all over Melbourne,

sponsoring the Under 12A

Magpies.

Barry and Julie Seacombe

of Lakes Entrance, sponsoring

the Under 13s Gunners.