



# On The Ball

*Guildford McCredie Uniting Soccer Club* (is an activity of McCredie Uniting Church.)

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No. 10/07

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**ALL FEES ARE NOW OVERDUE AND A \$20 LATE FEE APPLIES.**

Tables are now available on the website at [www.mccredie.org.au/soccer](http://www.mccredie.org.au/soccer)

Also on the website is a history of competition winners since 1962 – have a look, by pressing 'control, f' you can find any competition or club you are interested in, also there are some new links to other clubs on our site.

## LAPATHON

**Our annual fundraiser will be held on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> May.**

**Lapathon sponsorship forms will go out this week.**

**There will be no training on Tuesday the 29<sup>th</sup> or Wednesday the 30<sup>th</sup> so that all players can participate.**

### June Long Weekend

If you are planning to be away on the June Long Weekend 9 – 11<sup>th</sup> June please inform your manager. Team entries for the annual six a side go in this week and unless I hear otherwise we will enter as many teams as possible. Usually under 6 – 12 play on the Saturday and older teams on the Monday. This is yet to be confirmed for this year. Senior teams have the washout to catch up on the Saturday.

### RESULT From Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2007

**Raahauge Cup South Firsts** vs Waratah United 0 – 4

Everyone played really well tonight, we played as a team and ran around the opposition. Unfortunately we just couldn't finish, missing many opportunities. We were the better team on the night unfortunately the score really doesn't show it. The back line, Tony Craig and tTm all had great games.

### RESULTS from Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2007

**U6 RED** vs Carlingford Uniting Gold 5 - 2

Goal scorers – Joe Azzi 4, Qais Sungkar 1

**U6 WHITE** vs Carlingford Uniting 11 - 1

The boys ran away with this game at its early stages. Two quick goals by Fred Ishac kept the oppositions goal keeper at bay and by half time we were 6 goals up. Second half started with an own goal by the opposition as the pressure of 6 men up including our keeper. The decision by the coach finally paid off when Jamil puts one pass the net. Fantastic attacking game by all the boys. Job well done  
Goal scorers - Fred Ishac 6, Zion Woetai 3, Fred Bou Francis 1, Jamil Atileh 1.

**U7 RED** vs St Michaels Baulkham Hills

What a shame – we were all there, at the right place but no one to play against.

**U7 WHITE** vs OLOR Kellyville 0 – 3

This match showed us the importance of positional play and being able to clear the ball out of the middle. At times we were either caught bunched together or trying to dribble through a wall of defenders. We spent much of our time defending hard, especially Japhet who made sure he was always there as a solid line of defence. We did have some corners and some attacking breaks. As well we had a couple of opportunities at goal that were saved well by our opposition's keeper. In the second half the boys tried really hard and were unlucky with the final result.

**U8** vs St Bernadettes Castle Hill L 0 – 2

All Players played very well today. Jack, Rashane and Tommy always holding their positions on the field. Jobby and Bilal played their best and nearly scored a goal or two. We could have won this game if we had all players showing up at the game as we didn't have any reserves.

**U9 WHITE** vs St Michaels Baulkham Hills V 0 - 0

We absorbed a lot of early pressure, and our defence held stongly throughout the first half. Cameron and Peter worked hard all day and attacked well in the second half. A lot of opportunities went our way in the second half, but unfortunately to no avail. We had a remarkable improvement on last weeks efforts – thanks to a team playing as a team.  
Player of Match – Cameron Hunt.



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**U9 RED** vs St Michaels Baulkham Hills 0 - 2

Sadly we didn't have Fred and Arthur Maroun due to a death in the family. We were short 2 players we had 9 and the opposition had 15. But our team played very well, they spoke to each other and also listened to what the coach was saying and they didn't let a goal in the first half until about 3 mins before half time. 5 minutes before full time they scored again and we lost 0-2 but we and the parents were very proud of 9 reds performance. Even with a lack of players today we played very well. Even the other team's manager came up and congratulated 9 reds on their effort today, player of the match was Albion Jahiri.

**U10** vs St Michaels Baulkham Hills R 4 - 0

Another scratchy start with 5 air swings counted in the first 3 minutes. At half time after going down first we were just 1 – 0 up. The second half saw the boys pull away. Today's standout performers were Joey Nader, Shayan Kashef and our man of the match – Mohammad Morad.

Goal scorers – Daniel Jabou 3, Shayan Kashef 1

**U11** vs St Michaels Baulkham Hills P 3 - 1

The boys showed much improvement from last week, where the ball went up the sides and good passing from the centres and forwards, this produced 3 goals. The fullbacks also produced the goods by locking B/hill in their half under pressure. We had good running sprints from Jackson pushing up the side placing us in a good position to strike at B/hills goal. Jeremy in the centre forward controlling B/hills' attempts to come down the centre shows what a valuable player he is, and Jesse "the Terminator" determined to stop the opposition's progress into our half. These 3 are this week's MVP.

Goal scorers - Jeremy Gonzales 1, Abdulah Conteh 1, Milad Atai 1.

**U12** vs Carlingford Uniting 3 - 0

The boys really tried their best today and put a great effort into winning this game. Keep trying boys. Coaches tip of the week – when running at goal to shoot don't look straight at the keeper. If you do (and you did) you will kick it straight to him (and you did).

Goal scorers – Shaun Borg 1, Junior Clark 1, Jason Youssef 1

**U13** vs Carlingford Uniting 14s 2 - 4

Once again we didn't switch on for the first half. They get a lucky goal and we fell apart. For first 5 minutes after half time speech we played some brilliant soccer and were unfortunate not to go ahead of them. Unfortunately instead of continuing to play quick short passes, we started to hold onto the ball because we got too confident. Great performances from Justin, Eloy & Hayden. And a well placed goal from Mushtaba.

Goal Scorers – Mohammed Rahimi 1, Musthaba Nazary 1

**U14** vs Lidcombe Churches 6 - 3

We were 2 nil down before Rodney scored his first for the game. The pressure was on as we let Lidcombe get away to a 3-1 lead just after half time. Shortly after Hideki scored to make it 3-2. A flurry of balls hit the back of the net as Rodney scores, Sunday scores, Hassan scores and then Rodney completes his hat-trick. Good come from behind. Man of the Match Hassan.

Goal scorers – Rodney Keep 3, Sunday Achiek 1, Hideki Okuma 1, Hasan Tekirdag 1

**U15 White** vs St Demiana Punchbowl 10 – 1

Goal scorers – Kuag Reec 5, Mustafa Nazary 3, Shebit Kuchath 2

**U16 Black** vs Blacktown Reformed 5 - 3

We led this match for a total of 3 minutes. It just happened to be the right 3 minutes. When the coach left to get to his game we were 2-3 down and looking in some trouble. Cem played really well all game as did Wol, who started a great day with a very neat goal early and a penalty late. Really well done boys to guts out this win and never give up.

Goal scorers – Wol Reec 2, Caner Temel 1, Cem Tekirdag 1, Kon Kon 1.

**U17 Red** vs Lidcombe Churches 1 – 2

Not a bad effort with 9 players but we could have done so much more in this game. Why wait till the late minutes of the game to show what we can really do? Let's start thinking out there guys.

Goal scorer – Shiekheldin Yousif

**RC South RESERVES** vs Mortdale Baptist 2 - 3

Today proved that we can work well as a team and if we learn to put the ball in the net. Unfortunately we just didn't have the legs to hold out our lead, great games from Phil and Matteo

Goal scorers - Omid Rahimi 1, Beyhan Ada 1

**RC South FIRSTS** vs Mortdale Baptist 0 – 2

Our smallest defeat so far this season, finally our fitness is improving enough to carry us into the second game. Ben, Tony, Toby and Craig kept us in the game with strong defence however, we didn't have enough shots to get on top of the other team's fresh legs.

**RC North RESERVES** vs St Patricks Strathfield 0 - 4

Our game started extremely hard and fast with both teams playing very competitively. The pace of the game changed partway through the first half when an injury occurred. Waleed and Scott kept the pressure on with Maher surprising the opposition with his speed and Roger using is head on many occasions. Our teamwork has definitely improved but we still need to practice finishing off. Thanks again to the guys who played for us today.



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**RC North FIRSTS** vs St Patricks Strathfield 3 - 1

Good firm game today guys and its nice to see us starting to play as a quality team. If we keep this up we will be hard to beat. Thanks to the reserves for helping out again. Let's keep going boys well done.

Goal scorers – Peter Palmano 1, Abbas Ahmedov 1, Rafaele Messineo 1

**RC 1 RESERVES** vs St Columbas Castle Hill 3 - 0

A return to form today with a scrappy first half leading in to a much improved second half and some quality goals. David and James made a huge difference in the back and it was nice to see Ali and Moyses back. But the contribution of Wol from the under 16s and Maky's goals were a real highlight.

Goal scorers – Maky Maky 2, Bobby Sugarevski 1

**RC 1 FIRSTS** vs St Columbas Castle Hill 6 - 2

We really needed to bounce back after last week, and we did, but not without significant help from Kon, Wol and Steven from the 16s. With a number of unavailable players and Phil Chan fresh from climbing out of the ambulance last week, today could have been shaky, but Booph and Marco controlled the midfield, Pece played strongly and Phil Rafter had a good game in defence. David's keeping has also now stopped the freebies we were giving the oppositions each week through our willing, but inexperienced fill ins. But what about Maky's late strike – sensational.

Goal scorers – Jose Quiroga 2, Pece Kotevski 1, Marco Olmos 1, Maky Maky 1, Bobby Sugarevski 1

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## COACHES AND MANAGERS –

Full season draws are available as a hard copy as well as on the NSWCFCA site [www.nswcfa.com.au](http://www.nswcfa.com.au) .

Please double check what this newsletter says each week against the Association's draw.

Sometimes errors occur in copying that draw to our newsletter, and sometimes the Association makes late changes.

If you ever notice a discrepancy please notify me immediately – I have probably made the mistake!

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## There are two State Cup matches this week.

**Tuesday 15/5/07**

**Raahauge Cup North** vs St Patricks Strathfield at Jones Park (Banks St., Merrylands)  
**Meet at 7pm for a 7.30pm kick off** (A composite squad will be selected)

**Thursday 17/5/07**

**Raahauge Cup First Div.** vs Macarthur Wasps at Jones Park (Banks St., Merrylands)  
**Meet at 8pm for an 8.30pm kick off**

Squad is - David Merzi, Phil Rafter, Sam Prasad, Steven Ghadieh, Jose Saenz, Phil Chan, Marco Olmos, Steve Wark, Mirwais Waseeq, Pece Kotevski, Jose Quiroga, Caner Temel, Tito Jimenez, Ricardo Zuniga, Bobby Sugarevski, (unavailable – Dylan Trevor)

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## DRAW – Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2007

<b>U6 RED</b>	vs	Lidcombe Churches 9.00am Kickoff	at Granville (mini) <b>(meet at Granville at 8.30am)</b>	(Claremont St., Merrylands)
<b>U6 WHITE</b>	vs	Penrith Churches m 10.00am Kickoff	at Granville (mini) <b>(meet at Granville at 9.30am)</b>	(Claremont St., Merrylands)
<b>U7 WHITE</b>	vs	St Michaels Baulkham Hills Cat 9.00am Kickoff	Bella Vista <b>(meet at Bella Vista at 10.30am)</b>	(Cnr Crown Tce & Bella Vista Dve, Bella Vista)
<b>U7 RED</b>	vs	St Michaels Baulkham Hills Hat 11.00am Kickoff	Granville (mini) <b>(meet at Granville at 10.30am)</b>	(Claremont St., Merrylands)
<b>U8</b>	vs	OLQP Falcons Q 9.00am Kickoff	at Granville 4 <b>(meet at Granville at 8.30am)</b>	(Claremont St., Merrylands)
<b>U9 WHITE</b>	vs	OLOR/St Angelas Kellyville R 12.30pm Kickoff	at Kellyville <b>(meet at Kellyville at 12pm)</b>	(Memorial Dve., Kellyville)
<b>U9 RED</b>	vs	OLOR/St Angelas Kellyville W 11.30am Kickoff	at Kellyville 3 <b>(meet at Kellyville at 11.00am)</b>	(Memorial Ave., Kellyville)
<b>U10</b>	vs	OLQP Falcons Q 11.00am Kickoff	at Daniel 2 <b>(meet at Daniel at 10.30am)</b>	(Daniel St., Greystanes)
<b>U11</b>	vs	Bye		
<b>U12</b>	vs	OLQP Falcons 12.00pm Kickoff	at Daniel 2 <b>(meet at Daniel at 11.30am)</b>	(Daniel St., Greystanes)
<b>U13</b>	vs	McCredie 14 10.00am Kickoff	at Granville 4 <b>(meet at Granville at 9.30am)</b>	(Claremont St., Merrylands)
<b>U14</b>	vs	McCredie 13 10.00am Kickoff	at Granville 4 <b>(meet at Granville at 9.30am)</b>	(Claremont St., Merrylands)
<b>U15 White</b>	vs	McCredie Black 11.00am Kickoff	at Granville 4 <b>(meet at Granville at 10.30am)</b>	(Claremont St., Merrylands)
<b>U16 Black</b>	vs	McCredie White 11.00am Kickoff	at Granville 4 <b>(meet at Granville at 10.30am)</b>	(Claremont St., Merrylands)
<b>U17 Red</b>	vs	St Demiana Punchbowl 12.00pm Kickoff	at Granville 4 <b>(meet at Granville at 11.30am)</b>	(Claremont St., Merrylands)

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**Raahauge Cup North Div.** vs Wentworthville Uniting at Freame (Rees St., Mays Hill)  
(Reserves Kick off at 1.30pm, Firsts at 3.15pm) **(Meet at Freame at 1.00pm)**

**State Cup Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> – see previous page for details**

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**Raahauge Cup South Div.** vs Cronulla United at Everley 3 (Everley Rd., South Granville)  
(Reserves Kick off at 1.30pm, Firsts at 3.15pm)

**Meet at Everley at 12.45pm for the team photos.**

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**Raahauge Cup First Div.** vs St Merkorious at Yatama (Alfred St., Clemton Park)  
(Reserves Kick off at 1.30pm, Firsts at 3.15pm) **(Meet at Yatama at 1.00pm)**

**State Cup Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> – see previous page for details**