



# On The Ball

Guildford McCredie USC (is an activity of McCredie Uniting Church.)

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www. mccredie.org.au/soccer (the draw is being progressively added)

OTB 4/09

Club Secretary – Greg 9682 7779 Assistant Secretary – Peter 9632 9203

Interested in sponsoring a team or advertising in this newsletter? – call one of the above numbers.

**Coaches and Managers meeting – Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2009**  
**McCredie Uniting Church, 486 Guildford Road, Guildford**  
**7pm start.**

It is very important that ALL coaches and managers are in attendance. Player ID cards, match cards and important information about the start of the season will be discussed.

## FINAL OPPORTUNITY FOR REFEREE'S COURSE FOR 2009

Lecture – Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> April 7pm – 10pm

Exam - Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 7pm

Association Offices 3/9 Chester Hill Rd., Chester Hill

Congratulations to the RC1 side (with some PL help) finishing the Preseason Cup as Runners Up to Lidcombe Churches SC. Well done guys - **muy bueno!**

Also congratulations to Lukman Sungkar, Dylan Trevor and Carlos Calderon who have successfully completed the Referees Certificate. We can all look forward to seeing them running around and not seeing anything!

The following players have had their emails bouncing - Anthony El Hosni, Joseph Rizk, Christian Frangie, Rusheel Raj, Anthony Huynh. Please send an email to the club to notify us of your new address.

### ***IMPORTANT NOTICES***

- 1. If for any reason your child is unable to play or attend training you MUST inform your coach or manager AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.***
- 2. If you have questions regarding your team ask your manager.***
- 3. If it is raining on a Saturday morning call the team manager to see if the game is on. Most often games will still be on so do not just stay at home, you will be letting your child's team down!!!***
- 4. Please assist the coach and manager, they are working unpaid for your child. There may be nets to put up or pull down, corner posts to stick in, players to be picked up (particularly if a parent has more than one child playing in different teams) or shirts to wash.***
- 5. This Club, the NSW Churches Football Association and Granville District SFA have high expectations of our parents and players. Please support our teams, but no abuse of players or officials will be tolerated and bans or fines could result.***

***Greg Wark – Secretary 9682 7779***



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## RAIN – WHAT TO DO

### It's raining, it's Saturday!! Is the game on??

Your manager will know if the game is on, give them a call. Very rarely is a decision made before Friday evening. If I have not called your manager, the game is on, even if it is raining!

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### It's raining and it's training tonight!! Is training on??

Coaches and managers call the wet weather line **9294 8586**. If the ground is closed you cannot train, *even if it's not raining!!* Parents and players call the manager or coach.

| TEAM    |                         |                     | Phone     | Mobile       | Training           |
|---------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------|--------------|--------------------|
| U6      | Megan Warwick           | Coach               | 9632 9203 | 0415 979 031 | Wednesday 6.00pm   |
| U6      | Norm Wehbe              | Manager             | 9682 1958 | 0413 973 529 |                    |
| 7 WHITE | Tom List                | Coach               | 9637 0161 | 0417 840 331 | Wednesday 4.30pm   |
| 7 WHITE | Lyn Beehag              | Manager             | 9637 0161 | 0416 282 115 |                    |
| 7 RED   | Amarvir Singh           | Coach               | 9682 6163 | 0421 757 818 | Wednesday 4.30pm   |
| 7 RED   | Nathan Borg             | Manager             | 9885 3900 | 0416 866 262 |                    |
| U8      | Serhat (Sam) Tuzcuoglu  | Coach               |           | 0401 066 911 | Wednesday 5.30pm   |
| U8      | Kellie & Matt Burgan    | Manager             | 9681 6776 | 0439 966 070 |                    |
| U9      | Greg Wark               | Coach               | 9682 7779 |              | Wednesday 4.30pm   |
| U9      | Claudia Tiller          | Manager             |           | 0416 030 303 |                    |
| U10     | John Zhou               | Coach               | 9682 6226 | 0402 990 620 | Wednesday 5.30pm   |
| U10     | Elizabeth Carder        | Manager             | 9632 1305 | 0400 468 349 |                    |
| U11     | Tom List                | Coach               | 9637 0161 | 0417 840 331 | Tues & Weds 5.30pm |
| U11     | Moana Te Ariki          | Manager             | 8720 2404 | 0419 217 413 |                    |
| U12     | Greg Wark               | Coach               | 9682 7779 |              | Wednesday 5.45pm   |
| U12     | Carolynne Wark          | Manager             | 9682 7779 | 0438 682 777 |                    |
| U13     | Mirwais Waseeq          | Coach               | 9643 1513 | 0415 441 769 | Wednesday 5pm      |
| U13     | Frank & Laraine Skiller | Manager             | 9885 3558 | 0403 836 592 |                    |
| U14     | Michael Kamaratos       | Coach               | 9701 7140 | 0419 017 533 | Wednesday 5.30pm   |
| U14     | Glen Watkins            | Asst. Coach/Manager |           | 0407 208 450 |                    |
| U14     | Sam Eid                 | Asst. Manager       | 8812 7612 | 0413 361 112 |                    |
| U15     | Carlos Calderon         | Coach               | 9885 0869 |              | Wednesday 6pm      |
| U15     | Philip Rafter           | Manager             |           | 0414 461 371 |                    |
| U16     | Ian Warwick             | Coach               |           | 0402 748 017 | Wednesday 7pm      |
| U16     | Dave Entwistle          | Manager             | 9648 6716 | 0410 555 469 |                    |
| RCN     | Marco Cavasini          | Coach               | 9681 1459 | 0415 272 689 | Wednesday 7pm      |
| RC1     | Carlos Calderon         | Manager             | 9885 0869 |              | Wednesday 7pm      |
| PL      | Greg Wark               | Coach               | 9682 7779 |              | Wednesday 7pm      |
| PL      | Philip Rafter           | Manager             |           | 0414 461 371 |                    |

**IF FOR ANY REASON YOU OR YOUR CHILD IS UNABLE TO PLAY YOU MUST RING YOUR TEAM MANAGER ASAP  
(WHO WILL RELAY THIS INFORMATION TO THE COACH).**



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## **NOTICE TO CLUBS**

### **SHINGUARDS / SHINPADS**

- OFFICIAL POLICY -

The Association is committed to providing a **safe environment** in which affiliated Clubs can play and enjoy soccer. In particular, the Association requires players' equipment to be of a safe standard. The issue of appropriate standards for senior players' shinpads/shinguards is an emotive one that is raised each season. The purpose of this Notice being to clarify the **minimum acceptable** standards for this equipment.

Law 4 of the FIFA Laws of Soccer is quite specific in that shin guards must "**provide a reasonable degree of protection**". This Association's official policy deems a reasonable degree of protection is the covering approx. 80% of the shin area. A guideline for this on an average size senior player would be coverage from 2" (5cm) below the knee to 1.5" (4cm) above the ankle.

Most professionally supplied shinpads/shinguards marked "Senior" may therefore appear to suffice for Senior Players. Sizing can be difficult to estimate, but shin pads of less than 200 mm in size would not appear to give adequate protection for a Senior Player of average size and **will not** be accepted by the referees of this Association.

The Association Insurance Policy will not cover senior players whose shinpads/shinguards do not meet these size standards, and consequently no exemptions will be considered.

For junior and mini players, shinpads/shinguards must always be worn and must conform to the same coverage standards as senior players.

**NO PLAYER SHALL BE PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY GAME OF THIS ASSOCIATION UNLESS THEIR EQUIPMENT, SPECIFICALLY SHINPADS, COMPLIES WITH THE LAWS OF THE GAME.**

## **NOTICE TO CLUBS**

### **JEWELLERY**

**\*\*THIS NOTICE SHOULD BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO FOR THE SEASON. PLAYERS DISREGARDING THIS NOTICE WILL BE ISSUED WITH AN AUTOMATIC CAUTION - YELLOW CARD \*\*\***

Clubs are advised in accordance with **Law 4** of the FIFA Soccer Laws, the following jewellery may not be worn by players participating in any match conducted by NSWCFCA:

- a. **Watches of any type.**
- b. Rings, other than flat wedding rings.
- c. Earrings, Necklaces and wrist bracelets (all types of material – there are no exceptions), bangles or chains.
- d. Facial piercing (such as eyebrow, nose, ears, lips, tongue etc) is not acceptable and must be removed prior to play.

All of the above are not necessary to play soccer, the only aspect they bring to the play, is possible injury.

Referees have been instructed to issue a **YELLOW CARD IMMEDIATELY** when the offending player enters the field of play. The offender will also be requested to leave the field to remove such jewellery.

**NOTE: All items of jewellery are potentially dangerous.**

Club Secretaries **must advise by copy of this notice to all players** to ensure that their members comply with this provision.



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## DRAW – Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2009

|                                |    |   |  |                                   |
|--------------------------------|----|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| <b>U6</b>                      | vs | Lidcombe Churches                               | at Everley (mini)                      | (Everley Rd., South Granville)    |
|                                |    | 9.00am Kickoff                                  | <b>(meet at Everley at 8.30am)</b>     | <b>Set up field</b>               |
| <b>U7 WHITE</b>                | vs | Lidcombe Churches                               | at Phillips 2                          | (Martin St., Lidcombe)            |
|                                |    | 10.00am Kickoff                                 | <b>(meet at Phillips at 9.30am)</b>    |                                   |
| <b>U7 RED</b>                  | vs | Newington Gunners Red                           | at Everley (mini)                      | (Everley Rd., South Granville)    |
|                                |    | 10.00am Kickoff                                 | <b>(meet at Everley at 9.30am)</b>     | <b>Dismantle field</b>            |
| <b>U8</b>                      | vs | Newington Gunners                               | at Wilson                              | (Newington Rd., Silverwater)      |
|                                |    | 10.00am Kickoff                                 | <b>(meet at Wilson at 9.30am)</b>      |                                   |
| <b>U9</b>                      | vs | St Bernadettes Castle Hill                      | at Excelsior 2                         | (Excelsior Ave., Castle Hill)     |
|                                |    | 9.00am Kickoff                                  | <b>(meet at Excelsior at 8.30am)</b>   |                                   |
| <b>U10</b>                     | vs | OLOR/St Angelas Kellyville B                    | at Excelsior 2                         | (Excelsior Ave., Castle Hill)     |
|                                |    | 12.00pm Kickoff                                 | <b>(meet at Excelsior at 11.30am)</b>  |                                   |
| <b>U11</b>                     | vs | Baulkham Hills Sports                           | at Ted Horwood 1                       | (Park Rd., Baulkham Hills)        |
|                                |    | 8.30am Kickoff                                  | <b>(meet at Ted Horwood at 8.00am)</b> |                                   |
| <b>U12</b>                     | vs | Baulkham Hills Sports                           | at Ted Horwood 3                       | (Park Rd., Baulkham Hills)        |
|                                |    | 9.30am Kickoff                                  | <b>(meet at Ted Horwood at 9.00am)</b> |                                   |
| <b>U13</b>                     | vs | Winston Hills Bears                             | at Everley 2                           | (Everley Rd., South Granville)    |
|                                |    | 11.05am Kickoff                                 | <b>(meet at Everley at 10.30am)</b>    |                                   |
| <b>U14</b>                     | vs | Lidcombe Waratah White                          | at Coleman Park 1                      | (Georges Ave., Lidcombe)          |
|                                |    | 10.00am Kick off                                | <b>(meet at Coleman at 9.30am)</b>     |                                   |
| <b>U15</b>                     | vs | Lidcombe Waratah                                | at Everley 2                           | (Everley Rd., South Granville)    |
|                                |    | 9.45am Kickoff                                  | <b>(meet at Everley at 9.15am)</b>     | <b>Set up field</b>               |
| <b>U16</b>                     | vs | Auburn District                                 | at Everley 2                           | (Everley Rd., South Granville)    |
|                                |    | 12.15pm Kickoff                                 | <b>(meet at Everley at 11.45am)</b>    | <b>Dismantle field</b>            |
| <b>Raahauge Cup North Div.</b> | vs | Parramatta Salvation Army                       | at Everley 3                           | (Everley Rd., South Granville)    |
|                                |    | 3.15pm Kickoff                                  | <b>(meet at Everley at 2.45pm)</b>     | <b>Dismantle field</b>            |
| <b>Raahauge Cup First Div.</b> | vs | St Matthews Baulkham Hills                      | at Greenup                             | (Cecil Ave., Castle Hill)         |
|                                |    | (Reserves Kick off at 1.30pm, Firsts at 3.15pm) | <b>(Meet at Greenup at 1.00pm)</b>     |                                   |
| <b>Premier League</b>          | vs | St Matthews Baulkham Hills                      | at Everley 1                           | (Everley Rd., South Granville)    |
|                                |    | (Reserves Kick off at 1.30pm, Firsts at 3.15pm) | <b>(Meet at Everley at 1.00pm)</b>     | <b>Set up and Dismantle field</b> |