



On The Ball

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

OTB 6/14

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Club Photos will be taken on Saturdays 17th and 24th May

Photos need to be paid for before the photos are taken – please pay your team manager.

17th – Under 8 reds, 8 whites, 9s, 10s, 11s, 14s, 16s, RC

18th - AAL

24th – Under 6 reds, 6 whites, 7 Reds, 7 Whites, 12s, 13s.

LAPATHON

This year's annual lapathon, our club's only significant additional fundraiser will be held on 21st May in lieu of training.

LAPATHON

Sponsorship form

Wednesday 21st May, 2014

Name	Telephone number	Amount per lap or the sponsor may choose to donate a total amount.	Total donation
Total amount collected			

It is expected that players under 13 years will complete not more than 25 laps

We do not seem to have copies of the following birth certificates. If your name is here please forward a copy of your birth certificate, passport or citizenship paper to your team manager this week.

Abbas Al-Kaabi
Rehab Shabir
Ahoi Ahoi

Hassan Al Shamariy
Jeffrey Farah
Ringo Ajang

Akot Akot

Sunday 25th May Kings Sevens

We have entered teams in the under 12, 13, 14, 16 and 18 competitions – see your coach for details

Annual Queen's birthday six a side

No competition games on the June long weekend but the annual six a side tournament will be taking place. ALL teams will be entered into this event and where more than 12 players are registered we will enter two sides.

6-a-side soccer tournament, for Juniors, Men and Ladies.

Dates: Saturday June 7th (U6 to U12)

Monday June 9th (under 13,14,16, AAM, O35, AAL, U16L)

7 players per team. Every team will play a minimum of 2 games.

VENUE:

Everley Park
Everley Rd
South Granville

RESULTS – 3rd & 4th May 2014

U6 Red vs St Bernadettes Castle Hill Lions 14 - 1

Under 6 Red had a fantastic game this Saturday, even though we only had 5 players! And we won 14-1! It was hard work for all the players, though. And they were all fantastic. Adhar scored a record 8 goals - he was on fire! Adam scored a whopping 4 goals too - a record for him. Talitha and Wek each scored 1 goal, and Keeyan, Talitha and Adhar managed some great goal saves between them. With the shortage of players, we tried some position playing, with forwards and backs, and the kids were amazing at trying to learn a new skill. We missed the other players though. The team is loving the game, and look forward to each match, especially the wins!

Goal scorers – Adhar Yaac 8, Adam Assan-Larry 4, Talitha Chung 1, Wek Deng 1





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U6 White vs OLQP Falcons Green 9 - 1

What a game today the team was on fire. Where do I start? Despite the rain and the cold weather everyone played really well. Joey was unstoppable today running like a bullet and scoring 4 goals without hesitation with the help of Omar who was playing in all positions and running non stop and was so determined to score! Andrew and Badih did a fantastic job goalkeeping and helping the team to win. Lamar, Danielle, Ryan, Nouredine and Dut were so strong and full of energy in defence and other positions, they kept the ball out of the danger zone, They gave it their all today helping the team stay strong and winning. God job everyone we are very proud of the team work today.

Goal scorers: Joseph Douehi 4, Dut Atak 2, Omar Elbizri 1, Andrew Sleiman 1

U7 Red vs OLQP Falcons Brown 10 - 0

With the conditions I didn't expect many players to turn up and we commenced the game with only four. It didn't take long for the boys to step up and we were 5 goals up in the first 10 minutes. With Zain as a brick wall at the back it was impossible for opposition to get anywhere near our goals and with exceptional passing from the entire team the goals just kept coming. Everyone played a top game today but man of the match clearly must go to Zain. Keep it up boys if we play like that every week we will be untouchable. One last thing lets hope the roar destroy western sydney in Sundays grand final so Greg can have a sook ha ha ha. (I didn't edit this out – I even left the poor punctuation for you Marco – Greg) Man of the match Zain
Goal scorers Ahoi Ahoi 8, Gerardo Cavasinni 1, Zain Ali 1.

U7 White vs OLQP Falcons Orange 2 - 11

The under 7 whites today played against OLQP Orange and showed improvement from last week's loss. The opposition in the first half out played our team but the players kept at it and our players showed that they are capable of producing good periods of play when they want to. The second half was better for the team as we were able to score two goals which lifted the players' morale during the game. Moustafa, Jonathan and Isaiah tried hard in goals but some of the shots played by the opposition were just too good to stop. Jonathan Soud today scored his first goal for the team and for GMUSC. Lucy Sultana came ever so close to scoring her first ever goal after dribbling the ball and beating the defence but was denied by the keeper, Solange Swalah McDahrou was another who came close but was once again denied. Moustafa was our only other goal scorer for the day. Yar showed signs of improvement from last weeks effort and created a few opportunities for her self. Adam Harvey and Christian playing their first game back after illness both had a good games as well. Slowly but surely, the team will improve each week and all the players will see their skill levels improve as well.

Goal scorers: Jonathan Soud 1, Moustafa Ajaj 1

U8 White vs Hills Spirit Red 2 - 6

It was cold, it rained, we didn't have all our players, but reality was we were beaten by a better team and didn't play well ourselves. Owen got us off to a good early start with a great solo goal, but then it was an uphill battle when the Hills Red replied swiftly with 2 of their own goals. They had 2 standout kids that really dominated and even with 3/4 of our kids nearby in defence we just didn't stop their breaking runs. Down 4-1 at half time, Fouad got us within striking distance early in the second half, but it got tough. They defended well and attacked even better. Sebastian starred as our goalie for most of the game stopping a few goals in the first half and more in the second. His drop kicks out of the goal area was nothing short of fantastic. His starring role in goals, earnt him player of the match. At the end of the game the kids had great fun and learnt a valuable lesson to lose a game as good sports which they were.

Goal scorers: Owen Thai 1, Fouad Ayoub 1

U8 Red vs St Bernadettes Castle Hill Lions 0 - 4

Today's game was full of excitement and enthusiasm despite the rain. The team seemed to be so in tuned with what's going on. They tried so hard and were so determined to score but it just didn't happen. Anthony managed to escape with the ball and had two attempts at scoring but was unlucky. Joey also had a few attempts but just doesn't seem to have it in him anymore. Yasmin played goalie 1st half and saved a couple of goals. She did such a great job at saving the ball that it made her man of the match. Well done Yasmin! Elisa and Ibrahim also played goalies. Ibrahim had big kicks throughout the game. Elisa and George were just happy to be there and playing. Kareem played good defender as did Joshua and Mark. Good game team!



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U9 vs **St Bernadettes Castle Hill Eagles** **3 - 0**

Goal scorers - Mohammed Mattar 2, Samuel Kidane 1

U10 vs **OLQP Falcons Blue** **0 - 6**

I think the kids must of slept in today due to the rain, thinking that the game would be cancelled. Well that's the excuse I'm going with for our loss today. The opposition played amazing today, it was unlucky for us. Even though we lost our kids still tried hard, Izabella tried to get more involved today, good effort. John attempted a goal it was unfortunate for him it would've been victory for him, also great passing from him. Adam shines on that field he always gives it his best, keep it up champ! Michael was playing great defence also attempted to score, Gregory also trying hard had but can put a little more effort in. Better luck next week!

U11 vs **Lidcombe Churches** **5 - 0**

Today's win was a just reward for constructive play by the team. Each player performed their role, which resulted in many opportunities to score whilst keeping our opponent scoreless. Our goalie, Elias, shut anything that got through our defenders: Deng, Ryan, Peter & William, & his kicks often initiated an attacking raid. The defenders, worked well together to dispossess their opponent & get the ball forward to the mid-fielders: John-Luke, Shaleen, Yilmaz, Joel & Geetansh. Christopher, James & Adhel made strong contributions playing as either a midfielder or defender. The mid-fielder's exploited both sides of the field before crossing to our forwards: Christian or Mounir as well as supporting them in front of goal. Our first goal came after a nice cross from the right by John-Luke to Christian lurking near the back post, who tapped in for a goal. Many more chances were created & some shots just missed but at half-time we went in only 1-0 up. The second half, produced four more goals. John-Luke scored after Christian's cross from the left towards goal found him too, lurking near the back post, and then striking nicely to beat the Lidcombe goalie. The next goal came after a great cross from Christopher on the right to Shaleen in the middle who then put through a nice ball for Christian to run onto on the left before striking cleanly to score. The next goal came after some consistent pressure from left crosses towards goal found Christian lurking this time at the near post, he then struck cleanly with his right foot for a goal. The last goal was another nice strike from Christian's left foot after he got clear of the pack in front of goal. Geetansh played well in the midfield role, keeping his position, passing effectively & kicking a great cross towards goal. Man of the Match: Geetansh Kaushal.

Goal scorers: Christian Frangie 4, John Luke El Rahi 1

U12 vs **Hills Spirit** **4 - 0**

Another great game by our boys today, starting off with only 7 players we managed to get two goals within 10 mins. By the second half we had a full team, and were able to score an extra two, all to Joe Azzi. Well done! Defensively the boys played exceptionally well, not giving the Hills spirit an opportunity to score throughout the whole game. Overall it was a great game today. Man of the match went to Charles!

Goal scorers: Joey Azzi 4

U13 vs **Kings Old Boys** **0 - 5**

good news & bad news. Bad news we lost by 5 goals & the good news is we discovered a good talent in our team, Richard turned to be a great goalie despite the 5 goals his sheets were shaking by, he actually saved a lot more. he was our man of the match. Team did not get up to the challenge this week, cold, wet & had no subs. Jasper had to get off sick & Peter was already playing sick & others could not really warm up to the game. few things to learn before our next game & work on at training. Man of the match :) Richard. well done mate that was a great effort.

U14 vs **Regents Park** **3 - 1**

No subs today and up against our friends from Regents Park who have given us some great games over the last 2 seasons. They may have put us out of last year's semi but not today. Our first goal came from a great tackle and pass from Daniel and a powerful run by Matthew R, with a cross to Kabin to finish. Biyan played very solidly in defence and launched a great free kick to score his first goal for the club and our second for the game. Biyan's corner found a blistering header from Jake and our third goal. Thuzar had her first game with the team too and really showed the way with some tremendous headers. Great game team.

Goal scorers: Kabin Rana 1, Biyan Limbu 1, Jake Mitwali 1



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U16 vs Pendle Hill Tigers 0 - 0

0 - 0, not a good result. We defended really well, delivering another clean sheet, which was really pleasing. We showed good teamwork, talking, supporting and passing, which gave us the dominant field position for most of the game. Unfortunately our attack wasn't strong enough to break through their defence. Our strength on the ball, our pace, our shots, all need to be improved to take advantage of the skills that we are developing as a team. We need to train harder (maybe a session or 2 trained by the 14s or 11s coach is in order?).

RC1 Reserves vs South Hurstville Uniting 2 - 1

Scrappy match but we came away with the win. We created plenty of chances but our finishing was poor. We need to play smarter and finish our chances or we will pay the price in the future.

Goal Scorers: Mick Massih 1, Mohammed Al Delaimi 1

RC1 Firsts vs South Hurstville Uniting 1 - 2

As with reserve grade the match wasn't pretty as both teams control wasn't the best with the cold & wind playing a big part. We held them well in the first half but went into half time 1 nil down due to us not closing down players within our 18 yard box. Second half started well and the pressure & positive runs paid off when we were awarded a penalty which Wil finished nicely. For the majority of the remainder of the second half we finally increased our pressure and played some positive quick passing football which was causing our opposition some real problems. Unfortunately, a combination of tired legs, injuries, breakdown in team positioning, lack of composure/patience and some plain bad luck gave them an opportunity which they took. We can feel hard done by but there were a number of fantastic saves by Darren which kept us in it; and quite a few of them were 1v1's.

Goal scorer: Wil Wark 1

Ladies vs Holroyd Rangers 4 - 4

When the other side comes off cheering and we come off like we've found 20c and lost a dollar – you get an idea of what sort of result this was. Taufa and Mika finished nice goals and Genell scored two out of sheer persistence. These moments were few and far between though. Laura and Chantelle ran hard and Sarah Irving was good all day. With 3 minutes to go we were up 4- 3 after being behind most of the match. Everybody wearing red thought we had saved ourselves from a bad day. Holroyd were determined to make sure we hadn't – and they were right.

Goal scorers – Genell Hunt 2, Taufa Kivalu 1, Mika Oo 1



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Wednesday 7th May 2014 – State Cup Round 1

Raahauge Cup Firsts vs **Greystanes Churches Prem Res** at Jones 1 (Banks St., Merrylands)
 8.00pm Kickoff **(meet at Jones at 7.30pm)** **(dismantle field)**

Thursday 8th May 2014 – State Cup Round 1

Raahauge Cup Reserves vs **Wentworthville Uniting Prem League** at Jones 1 (Banks St., Merrylands)
 8.00pm Kickoff **(meet at Jones at 7.30pm)** **(dismantle field)**

Saturday 10th May 2014 – Round 5

U6 Red vs Hills Spirit Blue at Everley (mini) (Everley Rd., South Granville)
 9.00am Kickoff **(meet at Everley at 8.30am)**

U6 White vs St Columbas Castle Hill at Everley (mini) (Everley Rd., South Granville)
 8.00am Kickoff **(meet at Everley at 7.30am)** **(set up field)**

U7 Red vs St Bernadettes Castle Hill Eagles at Everley (mini) (Everley Rd., South Granville)
 10.00am Kickoff **(meet at Everley at 9.30am)**

U7 White vs St Bernadettes Castle Hill Tigers at Everley (mini) (Everley Rd., South Granville)
 11.00am Kickoff **(meet at Everley at 10.30am)** **(dismantle field)**

U8 Red vs Lidcombe Churches at Philips (Martin St., Lidcombe)
 9.00am Kickoff **(meet at Philips at 8.30am)**

U8 White vs St Bernadettes Castle Hill Lions at Eric Mobbs 2 (Excelsior Ave., Castle Hill)
 10.00am Kickoff **(meet at Eric Mobbs at 9.30am)**

U9 vs Wentworthville Uniting at Freame (Rees St., Mays Hill)
 10.00am Kickoff **(meet at Freame at 9.30am)**

U10 vs Wentworthville Uniting at Everley 2 (Everley Rd., South Granville)
 9.00am Kickoff **(meet at Everley at 8.30am)** **(set up field)**

U11 vs St Bernadettes Castle Hill Eagles at Eric Mobbs 2 (Excelsior Ave., Castle Hill)
 12.00pm Kickoff **(meet at Eric Mobbs at 11.30am)**

U12 vs Wentworthville Uniting at Everley 2 (Everley Rd., South Granville)
 10.00am Kickoff **(meet at Everley at 9.30am)**

U13 vs Hills Spirit at Everley 2 (Everley Rd., South Granville)
 11.00am Kickoff **(meet at Everley at 10.30am)** **(dismantle field)**

U14 vs Rydalmere FC at Everley 1 (Everley Rd., South Granville)
 9.00am Kickoff **(meet at Everley at 8.30am)** **(set up field)**

U16 vs Merrylands SFC at Everley 1 (Everley Rd., South Granville)
 10.15am Kickoff **(meet at Everley at 9.45am)** **(dismantle field)**

Raahauge Cup 1 vs St Columbas Castle Hill at Eric Mobbs 2 (Excelsior Ave., Castle Hill)
(Reserves Kick off at 1.15pm Firsts at 3.15pm) (Meet at Eric Mobbs at 12.45pm)

Sunday 11th May 2014

All Age Ladies vs Ermington United at Guildford West Sportsground (Foray St., West Guildford)
 1.00pm kick off **(Meet at Guildford West at 12.15pm)**