



On The Ball

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

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PHOTOS OF THE WEEK



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The All Age Ladies celebrate a golden goal Grand Final victory! That's 4 in a row!



Results Wednesday 21/8/24

All Age Ladies **Grand final**

vs

Wentworthville Uniting

1 – 0 (Golden goal)



What a great game. These teams have a long history and tonight's game didn't disappoint. Both teams defended very well and the game was a bit of a stalemate, with neither team able to break through. We were strong across the park with Danni and Narges holding the midfield and Sarah I and Keely controlling the back. Ameneh impressed with some quick running and pressure just when other legs were flagging. We went into extra time 0-0 when Faith found a lovely through pass for Eddie, who battled shoulder to shoulder with the defender before shooting from 20 or so metres and finding the net. Cue the celebrations!

Results Saturday 24/8/24

U6 Red vs Kings Old Boys Blue 12 – 0

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Goal scorers – Ali El-Cheikh 5, Demir Karacayli 4, Mosese Nuilala 3, Zein El Kassar 2

U6 Red vs Greystanes United 8 - 0

Our 2nd game for the morning and last game of the season and we were very sluggish with full tummies from eating so much between games. The opposition were stronger too but nothing these boys couldn't handle. After a slow start we hung in there, dug deep and through a diving save from Raphael we kept the opposition scoreless.

Goal scorers –5, Demir Karacayli 2, Mosese Nuilala 2, Zein El Kassar 2, Ali El-Cheikh 1, own goal 1

U6 White vs Inter Parramatta 2 - 2

Our team faced off against Inter parramatta in a tightly contested match that ended in a well-deserved draw. Our players Akkuna, Zahid, Jordan, Melvin, Ruben and Ryan showed high energy at the game displaying ball control and passing. A lot of near misses & a hard battle game today - but proud of our team efforts.

Our team also organised a small picnic for our players/parents in between the game break time.

Goal scorers - Zahid Hakimi 1, Melvin Maharjan 1

U6 White vs Kings Old Boys 2 - 0

U6 White took the field again today with 5 players for their final game of the season and secured a well-deserved victory against Kings Old Boys. Although a bit tired after the first game and our break, our players Zahid, Akunna, Melvin, Ruben and Ryan started strong creating several scoring opportunities and supported each other throughout the game - leading us to well deserved victory. This final victory is a lovely end to our soccer season.

Thankyou Lionel (Parent Coach) for helping our team today. Thank you to all the players, parents, and supporters for your incredible dedication throughout the season!

Goal scorers - Akkuna Iheanacho 1, Ruben Shrestha 1





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U7 Red vs McCredie White 2 – 4

Goal scorers – ?

U7 Red vs Wentworthville Uniting 5 – 6

Goal scorers - ?

U7 White vs McCredie White 4 - 2

Goal scorers – Raymond Basnet 3, Eyad El Dakkour 1

U7 White vs Lidcombe Churches 5 – 6

Goal scorers – Raymond Basnet 2, Eyad El Dakkour 2, Hasnan Hussain 1

U8 vs OLQP Falcons White 4 – 5 (penalties)

It was a nerve-wracking match on Saturday against OLQP White. Both teams gave it their all in an attempt to proceed to the grand final. We were very evenly matched with OLQP White and it was an extremely close game. Sebastian scored our first goal, which spurred the team on. Sohail scored our second goal of the match and then a third goal from him saw us take the lead, 3-2. Unfortunately, OLQP White equalised with a third goal of their own and this sent us into extra time. With neither team scoring during extra time, we then faced off in a penalty shoot out. Despite giving it our all, OLQP White won on penalties. We are so proud of the team for getting this far! It wasn't the result that we had hoped for, but as Josh said after the game, we have to be gracious in defeat. Goal scorers: Sohail Khanzada 2, Sebastian Cortese 1

U9 Girls

vs

Inter Parramatta

2 – 1 (golden goal)



In a thrilling U9 Girls Soccer Finals match, two teams showcased exceptional talent and determination on the field. The game was evenly matched throughout, with both teams displaying impressive skills and teamwork. Talei and Jacinta each had an opportunity to score, showing great determination and resilience! Amazing defence from Amellia and Hajira in goals, both saving the day with multiple saves. Our centre backs, Jessica, Zoe displayed their incredible ability in clearing the ball, with strong passes to their teammates, they definitely saved the day! It was amazing to see the confidence boost from Eva, Tisha and Achol, all having turns to get to the ball and have a pass and Dalilah also played really well in midfield. The final score at the end of regular time stood at 1-1, leading to an intense period of additional time. With the rules specifying that the first team to score in extra time would secure their spot in the grand finals, the atmosphere was electric. As players from both sides pushed themselves to the limit and the clock ticking down, Jacinta appeared with the ball, manoeuvring past defenders and found the back of the net, scoring the decisive goal. The crowd erupted in cheers as the girls celebrated the 2-1 victory. Their hard work and determination throughout the tournament had paid off, sending them off to the grand final!

Goal scorer: Jacinta Taleb 2



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U10 Red vs

It was an important game today. Lose and we're out, win and we get a chance to make amends on last week's disappointing loss to our rivals Greystanes Black. But on reflection it may have been the game we needed to lose before the most important game of the season, the Grand Final. Having gone through undefeated over the entire season and often winning games with casual ease. I was always worried that a subconscious level of complacency might sneak into the team's mind that we just needed to turn up to win our games. This complacency didn't happen today. The boys were hungry and fired up. From kick off they played with tenacity and dominated the opposition. We had to be patient, despite a barrage of shots at goal and corners into the box, it wasn't until after 10 mins into the first half did Josh break through for our first goal. Josh was captain today and he lead by example, scoring his brace shortly after the first. Because we relentlessly attacked, the only thing the opposition could do was play long ball clearances. But when they did this, David and Laith were simply outstanding, defusing every attack and getting the ball back to their team mates to continue the onslaught. David, would not let a single play get past him and had incredible composure under pressure. With these 2 playing in front of Animesh in goals, meant he was able to keep another clean sheet. Aidan terrorised their right side defence in the first half and then their left side in the second half with his dancing feet which they simply couldn't stop and was unlucky not to bag a few goals himself. George lead the attack as striker, creating so many chances and finishing off a fabulous goal of his own. When Laith had the opportunity in the second half to move forward, he didn't waste it. With his tricky footwork, he weaves around his opponents and finished with a goal of his own. Erik, Paul, Issah and Jiaming contributed through the middle and played a strong part to ensure we dominated that part of the field. Irfan playing up with us for the finals, as our replacement player for Obaida also did a fantastic job through the middle. Wonderful game today, but the jobs not yet done. 1 game to go. Goal scorers: Joshua Azar 2, George Catangui 1, Laith El-Cheikh 1

U11 Grand final next week

U11 Girls Grand final next week

U12 White

vs

Lidcombe Churches

0 – 1



Sadly, today we did not achieve the result all of the team wanted. For the whole match we never stopped trying but we were not making the strong connections we had done in previous games. We had many shots at goal but sadly didn't find the back of the net. One good push from Lidcombe and they scored their winning goal. Big thanks to Julian Azar who has been an amazing help to our team this season and also Jabari Uno for his assistance. It has been an amazing season and we are so proud of all of the players. We have had a lot of fun and achieved a lot of growth. Thank you to the amazing parents. Still the best cheer squad ever. A huge shout out to our great coach Peter who supports each child and gives his all every week.

U13

Grand final next week

U14 Girls

vs

Inter Parramatta

1 – 2

We fought hard. Not the result we were hoping for. Heads up we will come back next year even stronger.
 Goal scorer – Danielle Sleiman 1

U14 Red vs **McCredie Onyx** 0 - 4



Game didn't kick Off till 12.30pm after the 2 previous games both went into extra time and the one before us went into a Penalty Shootout between 2 of the Greystanes Clubs. Reds were holding their own in the first half. Big Ali took an awesome free kick on the side, unlucky it hit the crossbar. Reds threatened to score two more times and made Onyx defenders nervous. Unfortunately, Onyx put the 1st goal in which went just over our Goalkeeper Ghadir's hands from a left cross in the 25th minute. 2nd half saw Reds running into the sun & downhill to Kick Off & at 1 -0 down were well in the game. 8 mins in & Onyx got a corner from the right hand side put it right over into the 6 yard box to score their 2nd with a lovely header. Gethyn and Brandon were running everything down. Reds had lost of concentration and Onyx headed 2 more balls into the back of our net. The scoreline is not indicative of how the game was actually played. 2 of our players had to retire injured. A good game boys, but not the result that you had been looking for to put us into next week's Grand Final. You should be proud of making the Finals again for our 2nd year in a row! Good luck Onyx in grand final
 Players of the Match:- Brandon & Gethyn Encourage:- The whole team GMU REDS.

U14 Onyx vs **McCredie Red** 4 - 0
 Goal scorers – Jason Azar 1, Hassan Shah 1, Jamie Pham 1, Mustafa Jaffari 1

U15 vs **Greystanes FC** 2 - 3
 Goal scorers - ?

PL White Reserves vs **Inter Parramatta** 2 - 1
 Goal scorers – Terrence Makunde 1, William Wark 1

PL White Firsts vs **Inter Parramatta** 0 - 2



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GRAND FINAL DRAW

Saturday 31st August 2024

U9 Girls Grand final	vs	OLQP Falcons White	at Jones 3	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		9.00am Kick off	(Meet at Jones 3 at 8.30am)	
U10 Red Grand final	vs	Greystanes FC Black	at Jones 3	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		11.30am Kick off	(Meet at Jones 3 at 11.00am)	
U11 Grand final	vs	Greystanes FC Black	at Freame	(Rees St., Mays Hill)
		9.00am Kick off	(Meet at Freame at 8.30am)	
U11 Girls Grand final	vs	Inter Parramatta	at Jones 3	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		9.30am Kick off	(Meet at Jones 3 at 9.00am)	
U13 Grand final	vs	OLQP Falcons White	at Jones 1	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		10.00am Kick off	(Meet at Jones St at 9.30am)	
U14 Onyx Grand final	vs	Kings Old Boys	at Jones 1	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		11.30am Kick off	(Meet at Jones 1 at 11.00am)	
Premier Reserves White Grand final	vs	winner of Inter Parramatta & Greystanes FC	at Jones 1	(Banks St., Merrylands)
		1.00pm Kick off	(Meet at Jones 1 at 12.30pm)	

GUILD FORD McCREDIE UNITING SOCCER CLUB

ANNUAL PRESENTATION EVENING,

Friday November 8th, 2024

Granville South High School
Rowley Rd., Guildford

6.30pm

Sausage sizzle included