

On The Ball



Guildford McCredie Uniting Soccer Club

No. 11/99

IMPORTANT NOTICES

Thankyou very much to all the parents who accompanied our teams to the six a side, who provided transport for others, who looked after the teams between games and who so patiently waited for games through some long delays. The boys themselves all seemed to have a good day which, of course is the most important thing.

Highlights of the day included :

- Adem Stevens entertaining a circle of Under six's including Raymond, Jordan and Sameer with an impromptu two up demonstration;*
- the Under 8s exciting second round match;*
- Chafic and Denny's World Championship Wrestling between games;*
- our club President, Rev David Wrightson's, valiant attempt to watch every game and meet every player and parent;*
- Elias, Patrick and others climbing out of sick beds so they wouldn't let their team mates down.*

During the day on as many as half a dozen occasions comments were made to me from other clubs about what a good bunch of kids we have, how terrific our kids look in their uniforms and how happy other clubs are that we have joined the competition. For these things, mums and dads, you should be very proud. After all they're your kids!

G. Wark - Secretary

RESULTS for six a side 12/6/99

U/6 Round 1 vs OLQP Falcons 2 - 0

Goal scorer – Amarvir Singh 2

Round 2 vs Bye

Quarter Final vs Greystanes Churches 0 – 2

U/8 Round 1 vs St Columbas Castle Hill 0 – 2

This was not a good game for us and we were all wondering why we had got up so early!

Round 2 vs Yaralla Blue 1 – 1 (0 – 1 corners)

This game was a beauty. This is what six a side soccer is all about. The game was exciting with both teams leading at different times and our boys played great soccer. Mat saved goals, Nabeel tackled, Patrick ran everywhere, Denny passed the ball to Caner, Caner tackled well and set up the goal and Ahmed kept his position and scored a great goal. The coach lost his voice and the mums and dads were happy (I think) that they had got up early.

By the way, this team that beat us by a corner, went on to win the final. Well played boys.

Goal scorer – Ahmed Abdul-Hamid

U/10

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Because of the size of our team we were able to enter two teams in the six-a-side – an under 9s who had difficult games playing with only 5 players, and an under 11s who also found it difficult with no reserve player. Both teams had two games each and were defeated in both. Unfortunately we were short of players due to last minute drop-outs.

A big thankyou to Chafic Khoury Geagea from the under 8s for helping us out on the day, he played with the under 9s and put in a great effort.

It was a great day despite our defeats – we shared cups of tea/coffee, cakes, lamingtons and lollypops. It was good to have time to sit down, have a chat and get to know everyone a little better. Thankyou to those parents who helped transport the extra kids and parents. Back into the competition this week boys – remember your positions and good luck.

RESULTS for six a side 14/6/99

All Age A Grade

Round 1 **defeated Yaralla Sports**

Goal scorers – Greg Wark 2, Peter Chapman-Stone 1.

Round 2 **lost to Lidcombe Churches**

Goal Scorer - Greg Wark

All Age B Grade

Round 1 **lost to Chester Hill Sports**

Round 2 **lost to St Matthews Baulkham Hills**

Goal scorer – Sheldon Smith (and last Saturday – wrongly credited to Macca)

No room for a report. Good time had by all except Matt Broadbent who was the only person all weekend for whom an ambulance was called! Concussion but OK now (even wants to still come to training! – maybe he was hurt worse than we thought!)

Draw for Saturday 19/6/99

U/6	vs	Lidcombe Churches	at Philips Park 2	(Martin St., Lidcombe)
			11am - Meet at Philips	at 10.30am
U/8	vs	OLQP Falcons	at Daniel Street 1	(Daniel St., Greystanes)
			10am – Meet at Daniel Street	at 9.30am
U/10	vs	Lidcombe Churches	at Philips Park	(Martin Street Lidcombe)
			11am - Meet at Philips	at 10.30am
Raahauge Cup vs Yaralla Soccer Club			at Everley Park	
Reserves	1.30pm	Firsts	3.15pm	