



On The Ball

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

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No. 14/01

IMPORTANT NOTICES

- 1. Club management would like to make it very clear to parents that this club is not a babysitting service. Parents who abandon their children at soccer matches without their supervision and without thought for the other parents in the team and club management will forfeit their child's position in the club. This cannot be stressed enough following recent incidents of children being abandoned and the good nature of other parents being taken for granted. It is definitely understood that at times it is impossible for parents to be at all their children's games if they have children playing in different teams. These are definitely not the parents being referred to here, we appreciate the efforts these parents go to in providing for their children and supporting our teams.***
- 2. In the next week raffle ticket sales will begin. If anyone or anyone's business is able to donate any prizes these would be gratefully received. Please contact me this week. Thanks.***
- 3. Any prospective referees? I have copies of the laws of soccer available and can arrange for you to sit the exam. See me about it.***
- 4. Wondering what's happening in the Association? How your team is going? Next Saturday's weather? Its all on the web - go.to/nswcfa***

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RESULT Wednesday 27/6/01

A Grade Knockout Semi final vs Greystanes Churches 3 - 0

This was probably our easiest night match but we made tough work of it at times. As we found we had more time on the ball we began to take too much time, going straight up the middle instead of using width. We held the ball too long such that the forwards found it difficult to time their runs and often getting caught off side. Be that as it may we had 90% of the ball and our keeper touched the ball only twice (and then only after we were leading 3-0). We will play the final of the A Grade knockout in a fortnight and the semi final of the state cup Tuesday evening 3/7/01 at 7.00pm

Goal scorer- Ozhan Gogebakan 3

RESULTS Saturday 23/6/01

U6s vs Lidcombe Churches 3 - 3

We started today's game with only six players and found the going tough against enthusiastic opposition. Junior showed what a great team player he is by turning up to play even though he had been very sick all week and still wasn't all that well. The boys tried hard but at half time we were down 2 nil and everyone was very tired. Emmanuel and Joshua made some great breaks in the second half and Ibrahim scored to bring us back to 1-2. However Lidcombe scored again and it looked to be all over, but nobody told Junior, who really dug deep and landed two late goals from wide out. Tom just about ran himself into the ground defending and bringing the ball back upfield all game. Everybody was proud of the boys' efforts under very difficult circumstances.

Goal scorers – Junior Clark 2, Ibrahim Ada 1

U7s vs St Lukes Concord 0 - 3

Our players are having good games but there is too much watching the ball and not enough playing. Don't be afraid, you are a fantastic team so go out there and get them. Today's encouragement award goes to Nicholas Saliba.

U8s vs OLOR Kellyville 0 - 0

The boys had a hard game today. Our defence was strong but their attack was strong too. The boys were up and down the field, but we just could not get a score in. It was a tough battle ending in a 0-0 draw. The encouragement award went to Dharshan Sriranjjan.

U8s Knockout vs OLOR Kellyville 0 - 0 (lost on goal kicks)

The boys knew what they were up against this afternoon. It was certainly another tough game, the team tried their best. At the end of the game it was 0-0 so we had extra time. Adem was just about to score us a goal when the ref blew his whistle. Kellyville won on corners. It was disappointing to see some rude parents from our opposition. The achievement award went to Rodney Keep. We were proud of our boys because they were great sportsman.

U10s vs St Michaels Baulkham Hills 1 - 1

Almost all our players found the ground in time for the pre game warm up and today we played like we were more prepared. Our first goal was a bottler, Tony saved a shot, kicked it to Caner who passed it to Tim, Tim to Mat, back inside to Caner, Caner to Ahmed, Ahmed to the back of the net. One minute St Michaels think they might get a goal, the next



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they concede one. Steven had his best game of the year and took the player of the match trophy, Tony had a good game in goals, Toufic again showed we've got a couple of good sweepers in the team and Vashnaal played strongly (and gets his name spelt correctly as a reward). Goal scorer – Ahmed Abdul Hamid 2.

U11s vs **Lower Mountains Churches** 8 - 2

The moves where the team showed its power most were when we moved forward as a team concentrating on passing to our players that were in the clear. On many occasions players switched the play by passing across the field and getting clear of the flood of opposition players who were packing their backline. A good team effort capped off by excellent passing and team play, particularly by Larry and Nathan who both earned player awards this week.

Goal scorers- Yehia Ammoun 3, Bassam Ghoneim 1, Cihan Ada 1, Nathan Cross 1, Larry Smith 1, Romy Abdul Hamid 1

U12s vs **St Columbas Castle Hill Black** 0 – 0

This game was a bit harder than we thought it was going to be. At the time it looked like we just couldn't get it together. But looking back at the video replay it was a different matter. You all played very well No wonder Raddad, Mohammed and Wayne were exhausted, they played extremely hard. John was our player of the match for his excellent defence, he saved the day a few times. Jasvinn received the encouragement award for continually playing a great game, he plays well up front and is a great goalkeeper. We need to concentrate on our fitness if we want to continue to win. Keep up the good work, we can do it!

U14s vs **St Marys Churches** 0 - 3

Although we only had 9 players on the field the boys played a good game. In the first half we had a few attempts at the goal without much success. Every player contributed throughout the game. Player of the match was Robbie Dagher.

Raahauge Cup Reserves vs **Castle Hill Baptist** 1 - 3

We started strongly scoring early, and despite the fact that in the first round we didn't get close to Castle Hill, we looked to have their measure early. Unfortunately Castle Hill got a couple of quick goals and whilst they only led by the solitary goal for most the match our guys couldn't get back into it.

Goal scorer- Senol Ada

Firsts 3 – 2

A very good win against the team that were just above us. We are now equal and a semi final spot is again within our grasp. Psychologically today was important too, because we are likely to play Castle Hill in the first semi, have now beaten them twice and we were a little weakened today, having some players unavailable.

Goal scorers – Sunil Mishra 1, Nick Creer 1, Ozhan Gogebakan 1

Competition Matches for 7th July 2001

Under 6	vs	OLOR Kellyville	at	Everley (mini)	Everley Rd., South Granville
		9am kick-off		Meet at Everley at 8.30 am	
Under 7	vs	St Bernadettes	at	Parraweena	Parraweena Rd., Castle Hill
		10am kick-off		Meet at Parraweena at 9.30 am	
Under 8	vs	Wentworthville Uniting	at	Everley 1	Everley Rd., South Granville
		9am kick-off		Meet at Everley at 8.30 am	
Under 10	vs	OLQP Falcons	at	Everley 1	Everley Rd., South Granville
		10am kick-off		Meet at Everley at 9.30 am	
Under 11	vs	Blacktown Uniting	at	Everley 1	Everley Rd., South Granville
		11am kick-off		Meet at Everley at 10.30 am	
Under 12	vs	St Marys Churches	at	Everley 1	Everley Rd., South Granville
		12pm kick-off		Meet at Everley at 11.30 am	
Under 14	vs	St Matthews Baulkham Hills	at	Greenup,	Cecil Ave., Castle Hill
		12pm kick-off		Meet at Greenup at 11.30 am	
Raahauge Cup vs		St Matthews Baulkham Hills	at	Everley 1,	Everley Rd., South Granville
Reserves	at 1.30pm	Firsts	at 3.15pm	Meet at Everley at 1.00pm	

State Cup SEMI FINAL vs Wentworthville Uniting at Jones Park, Banks St., Merrylands Tuesday 3/7/01
7.00pm Kickoff