

## Om The Ball

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

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No. 17/03

#### **RESULTS**

#### **Tuesday 8/7/03**

State Cup RC Firsts vs St Matthews Baulkham Hills (Premier League) 2 – 0

We put these guys out last year and played well enough to do it again this year. Our defence was rock solid and our patience in the mid field paid off in two late goals. Sez played a blinder, as did Mick, Geoff and Steve. Well done guys.

Goal scorers - Mick Lakin 1, Pece Kotevski 1

#### Wednesday 15/7/03

A Grade K/O RC Firsts vs St Matthews Baulkham Hills 5 – 2

A good result spoilt by post match indiscipline leaving two guys up before the judiciary and the team in a lot of hurt at the most important time of the year.

Goal scorers - Mick Lakin 1, Pece Kotevski 3, Bobby Sugarevski 1

A Grade K/O RC North vs Hills Alliance 2 – 0

Saturday 12/7/03

Raahauge Cup North vs Penrith Churches

Reserves 3 - 5

In the first half we had total control and scored three unanswered goals. In the second half it was a totally different game. The enthusiasm and commitment was still there but we simply collapsed and had no reply to Penrith. Musa Yildirim defended like a Trojan (well he is Turkish!!- Greg), but for no result. Goal scorer – Joe Yildirim 2, Musa Canli 1

6 - 0

Good run against a weaker side. Plenty of shots missed. We need to take more time in front of goal boys. Goal scorers – Ben Smith 2, Wayne Goodwin 1, Matthew Verity 1, Kari Bergsson 1, Abdul Khan 1

Raahauge Cup First Div. vs Yaralla

Reserves 3 - 1

Good strong win giving the reserves a three point buffer at the top. We do need to take care that we do not rely too heavily on first graders scoring. We need to get the reserves strikers, like Nim did today, into some form for the semis. Sez was strong in goals, Ricardo played well on his return today and Goksel and Moyses were again much involved.

Goal scorers - Nimlesh Prasad 2, Pece Kotevski 1

Firsts 0 - 0

The one that got away. Hakki was amazing in the first half pulling off two magnificent saves. Unfortunately we were unable to capitalise. We hit the back of the net 4 times only to have each disallowed (offside 3 times and high feet once) and hit the post twice. Not good up front. On Tuesday night we were patient, today when the goals did not come quickly panic set in and everybody tried to save the game by themselves. Not the way to do it. With about ten to go we got our act together but we couldn't get through. Still on top but our lead has narrowed to the single point. Read the end of this newsletter to see if we hold onto our lead as we play St Lukes next week.



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#### **RESULTS** Saturday 19/7/03

U6 Red vs Fairfield City

7 - 4

Have continued to improve, beating Fairfield City for the second time this year. Combinations that have been drilled at training are starting to pay off withy some spectacular goals being scored by James and Hamza. Goal scorers – James Elliott 4, Hamza Sajadi 2, Keely Sharwood 1

U6 White vs Blacktown Uniting 4 - 0

A much improved Blacktown Uniting team gave McCredie Whites a really hard game today, with the boys needing to play at their best. A great game played by Samuel who ran all day and tackled hard, Allan had a good first half in goals, then played strongly on the field in the second half and Mahammad who scored a hatrick.

Goal scorers – Mohamed Abdul Hamid 3. Rvan Castellarin 1

U7 vs Wentworthville Uniting 0 - 1

A good week of competitive soccer by the boys in a really tough game. With Guildford going down 1 nil but having many instances of attacking play by our forwards and halves and a steadfast defence by fullbacks. The goalkeepers' full hearted play was exceptional keeping the score to just 1 nil. MVP Jesse Skiller for his defensive play. Thanks to Jamie from the under sixes for helping out.

VS OLQP Falcons 2 - 3

A tough game today against the top team. After a 2 week break the team performed well, our forwards are really starting to pass the ball around. Shaun had a great game scoring 1 goal and saving many others, Jason Youssef did the same. Our backs did a good job defending – Kerim, Yonja and Jake well done. Jake Ajaje won the man of the match award.

Goal scorers - Jason Youssef 1, Shaun Borg 1

**U9** vs **Yaralla** 1 - 0

Overall a pretty poor performance with everybody off their game. Playing against a lower ranked team with only 8 players!!! - we are capable of so much better.

Goal scorer - Billy Koutzas 1

**U10** vs **Yaralla** 5 - 0

The boys were great today. First five minutes of the game and a goal had been scored. From then on it was as usual, there was no holding back the goals. The boys played their best and were happy with the outcome 5-0. Man of the match was Anthony El Hessen

Goal scorers - Wahid Kaka Ali 3, Joe Haddad 1, Cihan Yorulmaz 1

**U11** vs **OLQP Falcons P** 1 – 1

Instead of being a bit rusty after a couple of weeks off the boys came out fresh and fired up. We concentrated on our defence then counter attacked with Pierre scoing a great goal from outside the 18 yard box. At 1 nil up at half time we had the Falcons measure. Unfortunately they lifted in the second half and we lost some momentum. We hung on for a draw which was probably a fair enough result but still disappointing after our great start. Keep trying guys.

Goal scorer - Pierre Mereb 1

U12 vs St Michaels Baulkham Hills P 1 - 1

Incredibly disappointing result. The nine boys who played were brilliant and we lead for most the match after a superb goal from Caner. Steven was inspirational in defence, Tim solid in goals and Rabur tireless out wide. Unfortunately a freak goal volleyed from distance into the top corner probably finishes our premiership hopes. It's now full steam ahead for a President Cup berth and hopefully trophy.

Goal scorer - Caner Temel 1

U13 vs Carlingford Uniting 6 - 4

Very good game seeing as we only had 8 players. Good early goal by Yehia followed up by a blinding goal from Cihan. Walid played excellently in goals and Rhys had a generally good game. Well done team!! Goal scorers – Cihan Ada 3, Yehia Ammoun 2, Bassam Ghoneim 1



### On The Ball

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6 - 2

Other activities include Salsa Youth Group -11 to 16 yrs (Tues evenings), Sunday School and Sunday morning worship 10.30am.

U14 Red vs St Columbas Castle Hill

Well I didn't think we were going to win this game. We had a very shaky first half. But when it got to 2 all after a penalty shot we got our act together. Thanks to Yusuf crossing the ball so many times it helped Jasvinn and Bilal get the goals. Jasvinn's second goal was so quick it caught everyone off guard, then his last goal he walked in. We made Jasvinn player of the match. This win keeps our President's Cup chances alive! Goal scorers – Jasvinn Singh 4, Bilal Ghoneim 2

U14 White vs Blacktown Reformed 3 - 1

Goal scorers - Caner Temel 2, Rocky Naing 1

U15 vs Bye

Raahauge Cup North vs St Columbas Castle Hill Orange

Reserves 2-3

Very disappointing. Down 2 nil, came back to 2 all. This team could win the premiership if they played to their capabilities. The team harmony needs to be restored. Great goals by Big Musa - John Goal scorers – Musa Canli 2

**Firsts** 2– 2

Playing the team that was equal second with us we started well but mid way into the first half St Columbas put away 2 goals. To our credit Guildford came back just before half time to be 2 all. Second half Guildford were the better side but could not get the goal into the net. Good hard game from Matt V and good all round effort again by Kari and Ben.

Goal scorers - Wayne Goodwin 1, Michael Hession 1

#### Raahauge Cup First Div.

Reserves vs Hills Alliance 0 - 1

A really good effort this. With almost none of our regulars (thanks to Jasvinn, Bilal and Yusuf from the under 14s, a guest appearance from Adrian and who was that old pretender in goals?) the boys were unlucky not to snatch a draw. Still on top of the comp and hopefully a few more players next week.

Firsts vs Castle Hill Baptist 2 - 1

Hakki, Geoff, Varney, Greg, Sez, Steve, Nick and Bobby make for a pretty impressive team – unfortunately these were the unavailable guys today. This win was up there with our best performances of the year. Moises played his best game of the last two years, Carlos was fabulous, Pece is on fire at present and Tito and Nim showed themselves again to be the most gifted players in the reserve grade competition. Mick saved us filling in in goals and answered all his own questions about why he has to do it when Hakki is not there. Thanks to Jameel and Gaven from the RCN Reserves for helping out. Dominating display in the first half and a gutsy defensive effort in the second when our legs realised they'd played a full 90 minutes already. Goal scorers – Pece Kotevski 1, Moises Palacios 1



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| U6 RED  | vs | DRAW- Saturday 20<br>McCredie White<br>10am Kickoff  | 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2003<br>at Everley (mini)<br>(meet at Everley at | (Everley St., South Granville) <b>9.30am)</b>                        |
| U6 WHITE  | vs | McCredie Red<br>10am Kickoff   | at Everley (mini)<br>(meet at Everley at                              | (Everley St., South Granville) <b>9.30am)</b>                        |
| U7  | VS | Carlingford Uniting<br>10am Kickoff  | at Homelands 2<br>(meet at Homelands                                  | (Homelands Ave., Telopea)<br>s at 9.30am)                            |
| U8  | vs | St Matthews Baulkham Hills<br>9.30am Kickoff   | at Greenup<br>(meet at Greenup a                                      | (Cecil Ave., Castle Hill)<br>at 9am)                                 |
| U9  | vs | Greystanes Churches<br>9am Kickoff   | at Everley 1<br>(meet at Everley at                                   | (Everley St., South Granville) <b>8.30am)</b>                        |
| U10   | VS | Blacktown Reformed   | at Bert Saunders 1  | (Kiata Rd., Doonside)  |
| KNOCKOUT FINAL  | VS | 9am Kickoff<br>Wentworthville Uniting<br>1.30 pm Kick off  | (meet at Bert Saund<br>at Daniel St.<br>(meet at Daniel at 1)         | ders at 8.30am)<br>(Daniel St., Greystanes)                          |
| U11   | VS | Wentworthville Uniting 12pm Kickoff  | at Everley 1<br>(meet at Everley at                                   | (Everley St., South Granville) <b>11.30am)</b>                       |
| U12   | VS | Penrith Churches<br>11am Kickoff   | at Everley 1<br>(meet at Everley at                                   | (Everley St., South Granville) <b>10.30am)</b>                       |
| U13   | VS | Wentworthville Unting<br>10am Kickoff  | at Everley 1 (meet at Everley at                                      | (Everley St., South Granville) <b>9.30am)</b>                        |
| KNOCKOUT FINAL  | VS | St Matthews Baulkham Hills<br>2.40 pm Kick off   | at Daniel St.<br>(meet at Daniel at 2.                                | (Daniel St., Greystanes)<br>.10pm)                                   |
| U14 RED   | VS | Penrith Churches<br>9am Kickoff  | at Everley 3 (meet at Everley at                                      | (Everley St., South Granville) <b>8.30am)</b>                        |
| U14 WHITE   | VS | St Michaels Baulkham Hills<br>10.30am Kickoff  | at Crestwood 3<br>(meet at Crestwood                                  | (Peel Rd., Baulkham Hills)<br>d at 10am)                             |
| U15   | VS | Blacktown Uniting  | at Golden Grove (Isa  | ac Smith Pde., Kings Langley)  |
| KNOCKOUT  | VS | 12pm Kickoff<br>Carlingford Uniting Blue<br><b>Wednesday 23/7/03</b> 7.30 pr   | (meet at Golden Gr<br>at Jones<br>m Kick off                          | ove at 11.30am)<br>(Banks St., Merrylands)<br>(meet at Jones at 7pm) |
|   |    | s Fairfield City/ Wentworthville at Freame<br>rves Kick off at 1.30pm, Firsts at 3.15pm)                             |   | (Rees St., Mays Hill)<br>(meet at Freame at 1.00pm)                  |
| Raahauge Cup First Div.   |    | vs Lidcombe Churches<br>Reserves Kick off at 1.30pm,   | at Phillips 1<br>Firsts at 3.15pm)                                    | (Martin St., Lidcombe) (meet at Phillips at 1.00pm)                  |
| STATE CUP Semi final  |    | vs Telopea Church of Ch<br>Tuesday 22/7/03 8.30pm Ki   |   | (Banks St., Merrylands)<br>es at 8pm)                                |
| A Grade K/O Semi finals   |    | **RC1 vs Greystanes Churches at Jones (Banks St., Merrylands) Tuesday 29/7/03 7.30pm Kick off (meet at Jones at 7pm) |   |  |

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