

On The Ball



Guildford McCredie Uniting Soccer Club

No. 18/00

IMPORTANT NOTICES

1. *There will be a coaches' and managers' meeting on Wednesday 26/7/00 at 7.00pm at my home to discuss Presentation Day 2000 and Registration 2001.*
 2. *The All Age players will be having a night out at the Teppi Yaki restaurant at the Carlingford Village centre on Pennant Hills Rd on Saturday 29/7/00 after the final round. Keep this night free and let Sheldon know if you're coming. (I'm assured that this year the restaurant does have seats!!)*
 3. *Photo money should be given to your manager \$12.50 for an individual and team or \$10 just for the team.*
- G. Wark/
Secretary

Results 22/7/00

Under 6 vs Lidcombe Churches 1 – 5

We went into today's game with high hopes of matching it with Lidcombe and for most of the first half we did just that. The game moved from one end of the field to the other with both sides having many scoring opportunities. Lidcombe scored first but soon after David Semialjac equalised. By half time Lidcombe led 2-1 and the game could have gone either way. Early in the second half Lidcombe lifted their game but we failed to match them. We made the mistake of standing and watching the opposition to see what they would do and paid the penalty. Joseph, Josh Achermann and Josh Joya defended grimly but we couldn't stem the tide. The boys will need to do more running and less watching if we hope to do better next week.

Goal scorer- David Semialjac

Encouragement Award- Joseph Taouk

Under 7 vs Carlingford Uniting Blue 10 - 1

A great all round team effort. Big improvement in team play. A good game in both offence and defence. In the end it was a very successful game with us winning by a big margin.

Goal scorers- Amarvir Singh 6, Adem Stevens 2, Joe Haddad 2

Under 9 vs OLOR Kellyville 5 – 0

When one of the opposition boys made a comment before the game, whilst standing in front of Cem and Caner, that this game was going to be easy because we only had 9 players, I felt sorry for him. After the game the opposition's coach also showed his distress as his team had 15 players. After a sluggish start the McCredie boys took over this game and Kellyville couldn't get a touch. John Paul, Cem, Ahmed and Steven all had terrific games. A special thanks to Sam who despite being sick made it to the game and helped out his team. We may have been in trouble if we had only had 8!! I did it again last week apologies to Cem as he scored 3 not 2.

Goal scorers- Ahmed Abdul-Hamid 4, Cem Tekirdag 1

Under 9 Knockout Semifinal vs St Michaels Baulkham Hills Purple 1 – 0

A special thanks to Amarvir, Adem and Joe from the under 7s for helping us out this afternoon. This game we would not have won with only 9 players. As it was it was a very different game from the morning's game. Our opposition was much stronger and didn't allow us to control the game. Our passes were cut off, the opposition tackled and Cem and Ahmed were not able to pass to each other. Having said this we did attack more than St Michaels and Ahmed's goal 2 minutes from time showed how important it is to chase everything. We play the final in two weeks time at Uren Park at 2.30pm.

Goal scorer- Ahmed Abdul Hamid

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Under 10 vs Lidcombe Churches 0 – 0

A very good effort against the number 1 team in the competition. But please parents get your boys to the game at the time shown on the schedule. It is too hard for the manager to organise the game card and the coach to arrange the team if we are waiting until the last minute to see who will turn up. We all need to be at the ground half an hour before the game starts. An encouragement award to Jason this week for a determined effort and the player award to Moheb for some very spirited defence.

Under 12 vs Greystanes Churches 1 - 1

This was not one of our better games. If we had played like we played last week we would have scored at least three more goals. Those players that made a break through had no one to back them up and the other players that did have someone backing them up didn't pass the ball and lost it. Despite this it was still an exciting game. Shamil was our player of the match, he had a great game and Elias received the Encouragement Award for his great effort every week. John also had a very good game saved a lot of balls from going into goals. We now have 4 hard teams to play so if we want to win we must play as a team. Remember teamwork and sportsmanship.

Goal scorers- Elias Sallak

Raahauge Cup vs Penrith Churches

Reserve Grade

4 - 2

Well the guys did it again! Today they knocked off the leading team in the competition and did it easily. If only we had clicked earlier in the year we would now be preparing for the semis rather than planning our end of season dinner (with seats!). I didn't see much of this game but if it was all like the last 15 minutes it would have been a pleasure to watch with halves making space, controlling the ball and building to clinical finishes like Anil's. Well done.

Goal scorers- Andrew Davis 2, Anil Mishra, Nick Creer

First Grade

2 - 4

That's the end of the competitive season for us with one game to go we can't make it to the semis. We had a strong team on the field today but a couple of errors and not quite enough intensity against a team who have had good results in the last few weeks cost us. Phil Chan and Steve Maltby were impressive as they sought to raise their games a notch at critical times. Unfortunately the rest of the team was unable to go with them.

Goal scorers- Phil Chan, Nick Creer.

Competition Matches for 29th July 2000

Under 6 vs OLQP Falcons C at Everley 1, Everley Rd., South Granville
9am kick-off **Meet at Everley at 8.30am**

Under 7 vs OLQP Falcons D at Everley 1, Everley Rd., South Granville
11am kick-off **Meet at Everley at 10.30am**

Under 9 vs Blacktown Uniting at Everley 1, Everley Rd., South Granville
10am kick-off **Meet at Everley at 9.30am**

Under 10 vs Lower Mountains Churches at Everley 1, Everley Rd., South Granville
11am kick-off **Meet at Everley at 10.30am**

Under 12 vs Carlingford uniting Blue at Everley 1, Everley Rd., South Granville
12pm kick-off **Meet at Everley at 11.30am**

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Raahauge Cup vs St Marys Coptic at Yatama, Alfred St., Clemton Park
Reserves at 1.30pm Firsts at 3.15pm **Meet at Yatama at 1.00pm**