

HAWKS TALK

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Prem's Reserve's Buddy System

Our Prens and Reserves Squad approached our club a few weeks ago with a proposition to develop and run a Junior Team Mentor Programme. The Programme will run over the rest of the season with 2 Prens/Reserves Players being appointed to all Junior teams from Under 9 to Under 16 and our Under 17's.

So from next week you will start to see players from the Prem/Reserves attend your children's training sessions and games. They have committed to 6 visits per season, they will participate in training run by the teams coach and do the drills and exercises like the Junior players, make mistakes like the Junior players and be corrected by the coach - this process is to show the kids no matter how old you are or even what level of soccer you play you can and will make mistakes and you can always learn something at training.

The players in some cases will also run a training session or drill and will attend where possible some of the teams games, we have had coaches arrange pre game pep talk - half time overview of what is working and what is not and the post game overview.

This is a fantastic initiative by our Prens/Reserves, not only is it support for our junior players but also support for our Prem/Reserves. It allows the kids to get to know who our Prens/Res are and also shows the kids that there is a development opportunity to a higher level of soccer at DHSC.

For our Girls teams the buddies are extended to include our All Age Ladies Players, therefore for our Under 10/12/14 & 16 Girls teams your buddies will be 1 Prens/Res Player and 1 All Age Ladies Player.

What do we ask of you??

Coaches and Managers - Work with your team buddies, communicate as to how they can get involved in your team, training and games. Where they want to, encourage and allow for your buddies to run a session or drill and get them involved in your team.

Parents - Bring your kids down to the home fields one weekend when the Prens/Reserves are playing at home, give your child the opportunity to reciprocate the support of the buddy, watch him play his game and meet the rest of the Squad. For the Girls teams where possible and depending on clashing times come down watch the All Age Ladies play.

Thanks to Jed Taylor and the Prens/Reserves Squad and our All Age Ladies for taking the time and effort to help our junior players.

Malcolm Withers
Secretary





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All Age Ladies Div 3

Round 4 - 26th April Doonside 1 v Glenwood 6

With 4 players away, 3 of them backs and the other our goal keeper we had one reserve. Play looked quite even but Glenwood eventually used their strong powerful kicks to start the scoring. With a player having to leave we were left with only 11 and B1 with a knee injury saw her going into goals at second half. Some great saves were made by both our stand in goalies and it was just unlucky our defence wasn't at its usual form. The new ladies in the team seem to improve every week and it won't be long until they start scoring some goals. Amanda Harper scored one in the second half to get us on the board. It's a shame the final score didn't reflect what hard effort the ladies put in.

Round 5- 3rd May Doonside 1 v Prospect 4

This week we played against Prospect, an Under 21's side who had 3 reserves. With only one sub on the bench all the ladies had to put in extra effort. There were some great passes and clever tackling from Doonside but unfortunately Prospects younger, fitter and faster side got 3 in the net in the first half. There were some amazing saves by stand in goalie Julie the entire game. Every lady on the team put in 100% and as coach/manager for the day I couldn't have asked anymore of them.

We definitely dominated the second half with prospect unable to score till the very end. Alicia produced a great goal in the second half and Amanda H came close a few times. The back line made some great clearances and tackled till the very end, often saving goals when Prospect thought they had it in the bag. Midfield didn't give up the entire game, even red faced and sore they kept going. I'm glad we don't have a player of the match because it would be impossible to choose this week. I'm sure the next time we play it will be a lot closer and we may come off with a win.

Round 6 - 10th May Doonside 0 v Marayong 1

Not going to say too much about this game. There was a lot riding on it, with pride being a major factor. There was a bit of push and shove throughout the whole game, Marayong clearly getting annoyed at not getting past our defence. It's unfortunate that after so many shots at goal we didn't get one in. We didn't play our game and the score shows it. Hopefully next week we will be calling out more, getting in position and putting one in the back of the net. Cheers to the committee for the pink socks and breast cancer fundraising done on the day.



The All Age Ladies in their Pink Socks on Mother's Day for the Breast Cancer Fundraiser

All Age Ladies - Div 3

Round 7- 17th May

Doonside 1 V Rooty Hill 2

Only one reserve today for a very hot match at Whalan. With crippled Belinda as coach, we were more worried if she was going to hurt her leg more by walking up and down the sideline all game! A dual goal to Lana and Amanda saw us up one-nil quite early. Some pushing and shoving by both teams made it an edgy game.

Newcomer Selena slotted into our back line perfectly with some great clearances. Rooty Hill got 2 in the goals, one towards the end of first half and one in the second. Unfortunately some lucky saves by Rooty Hills keeper kept the score 2-1. Some questionable decisions by the ref saw our supporters outraged on the field and the sideline. Hopefully next week we can quit this losing streak.

U10/4

Round 1

Doonside 1 Vs Plumpton 13

Today we came up against a good side but we did not hold our positions or pass the ball. I am sure that we all know that we can play better than that. There were a few boys in this team that were playing their first ever game of competitive soccer and learned a lot from the experience. Brandon had a great game when he went on as a striker a position he had not played before. He pushed the ball wide and not only scored the winner but set it up by passing the ball wide to Lyndon who put in a good cross. Just goes to show what we can do when we pass the ball. Work hard at training and we will improve on this.

U10/4

Round 2

Doonside 4 Vs St Pats 6

Missing a few players today we played really well in some patches with some good passing and running with the ball. Some times we passed the ball really well and made some good runs into the opposition defence scoring some good goals and just missing a few others. We need to work on organising our backs more to stop giving the opposition space but when they got behind our defence Prabhjot was fantastic chasing back making some great tackles. Much improved performance and keep working hard Prabhjot.

Round 3

Doonside 4 Vs Workers 1

Again a much improved performance on week 1 with us dominating the possession well. We still went for the same ball sometimes and passed the ball to players that were not in a better position but we are learning and having fun. PJ had a great game today winning quite a few challenges and making some good passes while Nigel playing on the wing scored his first ever goal with a great strike into the top of the goals from about 12 yards. Lets keep working hard at training.

U16/1 Girls

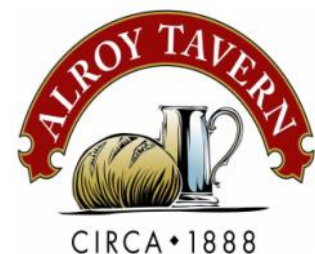
Round 1

Doonside 0 Vs Rooty Hill 14

Even though we played a side much better than us today the score did not reflect the effort you girls put in or how close we were to them. We did pass the ball well at times and run the ball into their box forcing them to give away some corners and even got a few shots off that needed saving. We just need to play the ball wider earlier and we will be much better. Good games



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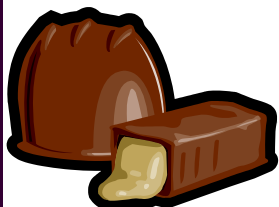
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U16/1 Girls

from Erin Overton who moved into defence in the second half and was outstanding and Caitlyn Suto who was playing her first competition game. Thanks to Alana and Shanese (sorry about the spelling) from the 14s for helping out. We will not come across sides like this every week and you are all improving really well. Keep up the hard work.

Round 2 Doonside 1 Vs Glenwood 0

What a game, the opposition have had most of their players together for years and will be one of the teams to beat. Tonight we kept them scoreless and beat them. Outstanding contributions from every player on the field and it is very hard to mention any individuals as it was such a great team effort. Christie Lee playing her first competitive game was outstanding in defence and Breegan was awesome in goals while Erin Miller's organisation and leadership in defence was brilliant along with her marking of the opposition's best player. Thanks to Alana, Michaela and Juylia from the 14s for their help. A well deserved win and outstanding performance showing that we can really compete with these teams in division 1. Congratulations girls the hard work is starting to pay off.

RD 4 - 26/04/09 Doonside 0 v Prospect 6

This round found the boys up against the competition leaders. The boys all put in

U9/3

a 100% effort. The player of the match this week was Jayden. He consistently was tackling and produced some great passes. He plays with great enthusiasm. The backs had to work hard today and showing some big kicks was Justin and Shivesh. There was some great defence shown by Cayne also which helped prevent more goals being scored. Jacob, Damon and Blake showed good support

U9/3

of each other and never stopped trying to break Prospects defence. The game was hard but all the boys kept trying right up until full-time. Great effort guys!

RD 5 - 2/05/09 Tigers Quakers Hill 1 v Doonside 1

Firstly, thanks to all the families and friends who attend each week to support the boys, it is great to see. Well the boys had a close game this week. Our coach Brad and assistant coach Darren were proud of how the boys played. They have been definitely listening at training. Their passing has improved greatly. The boys were unlucky to have a goal scored against them in the first half. They never gave up. There was some great kicks from our second half goalie Benjamin. While Liam and Dylan showed some great tackling. Zachary was awarded player of the match this round. His constant involvement in play was great to watch. Both Connor and Krishneel also showed great improvement this week. Our goal was scored in the second half. A fantastic pass by Jayden helped Mitchell make the goal. It is great to see improvement each week!

RD 6 - 9/05/09 Seven Hills 2 v Doonside 0

The game this was not going to be easy and the boys started the first half very sluggish. They seem to have forgot the basics. Our goal keepers had a tough job this game as Seven Hills were constantly in our half and scored their first goal in the first half. At half time Brad spoke to boys which seemed to work and they played a lot better in the second half. Benjamin received Player of the Match this round for his great goal keeping effort. It was a hard decision between him and our other goalie Connor. Both boys did an excellent job this round defending our goal. Seven Hills scored their second goal late in the second half. The boys had a much improved second half but boys don't forget the basics.

U9/3

RD 7 - 16/05/09

Doonside 1 v Plumpton/Oakhurst 3

A great team effort by all the boys this week which resulted in a good game to watch even though we didn't come away with the win. It was an evenly matched game. The first half saw it even with 1 goal each, with Mitchell scoring our only goal. Some great kicks and defence was shown by Justin, Cayne and Connor keeping the score low. Great defence skills were also shown by Krishneel, Shivesh and Benjamin who also had some great runs down the sideline. Player of the Match this round went to Dylan who kept putting in great effort. There was some great passing between the boys especially Jacob, Damon and Blake. While Jayden, Liam, Rajbir and Zachary never stop tackling. We had a couple of chances to score in the second half but we were unsuccessful but the boys never stopped trying. Well done!

U6 Kookaburra's

2/5/09 Doonside v Prospect.

We were blessed with a beautiful morning to play Prospect at our home turf. As a coach I was pleased to see all our players turn up very keen to play and also to have fun and show the parents there skills.

We have played 5 games as a team and I can already see some huge potential amongst the kids. This round was played in good spirit and Doonside kookas managed to find the net many times and defended well.

I would like to thank all my super players for having a go with fun being the main focus. The encouragement award was given to Aimee Taylor for good kicking and holding her own amongst the boys.

U6 Kookaburra's

A special mention goes out to Daniel, Luke, Toby, Ali, Giselle and Jye who make my job enjoyable and are likely to become future stars for the club.

Coach Marcel Haber.

Date 16.05.09

Venue: Newbury oval

What a morning it turned out to be for all. The sun was out but the wind made playing very difficult for the kids and uncomfortable for the parents. Once again the kids turned up with the right attitude and were happy to get the match on the way. We found ourselves a bit rusty and the Newbury Bulls took advantage attacking quickly.

It took some time before our team connected well with the ball and started to show what they are made of. A quick pep talk from the coach and the kids were on there way to making amends for the slow start.

The Doonside Kooka's equalised early in the second half, the match was very fast paced and the wind helped the ball roll along faster all over the ground. It was a very even match for both teams. Luke Haber ended out taking the player of the match for scoring some great goals.

Daniel Cutlac also scored some goals whilst the rest of the team defended well and dribbled the ball with great patience. Congratulations go out to Toby and Ali who managed to block out and prevent some great opportunities for the opposition, Jye also made his presence felt everywhere on the field.

Marcel Haber.
Under 6 Kookas coach.



Prem/Reserves

Reserves

Round 4

Doonside 0 v Seven Hills 2

Not much you can say about this game. We weren't without our chances, but we were beaten by a better 'playing' side on the night. The boys will have to start collecting points or their season will get away from them.

Round 5

Doonside 5 v Riverstone 0

We have had a little bit of a reshuffle through the Reserve grade. In the hope of turning the season around. The lads started confidently and never let Riverstone into the game. The passing and communication were excellent. Even though the opposition were not as strong as other teams we have played, the thoroughly deserved this win.

Round 6

Doonside 2 v Minchinbury 2

Minchinbury got off to a great start, with a couple of goals. But the boys hung in there for a draw. At times, the game was scrappy, but we were proud of the way the lads got back into this match. Well done boys... We need to keep picking up these points.

Round 7

Doonside 1 v Rooty Hill RSL 4

This was our worst start to any game this year. We let Rooty Hill walk in 3 goals in the first 10mins. To the lads credit, this was the half time score. We were confident that we could comeback from the deficit, but it would take some work. Too much rushed possession or lost ball was costing us. We were unable close the gap on this one. It may go down as a missed opportunity.

Premier League

Round 4

Doonside 1 v Seven Hills 1

The boys were looking forward to Playing Seven Hills. They are last year winners. This would be a great test to see how the boys stand against the title holders. Well they didn't hold back today. In my opinion we were unlucky not to come away with all the points in this game. Seven Hills should of lost their goal keeper due to a savage challenge, but it wasn't to be. We finished the stronger of the two sides today, but have to be content with sharing the points.



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Prens/Reserves

Round 5 Doonside 3 v Riverstone 0

This game started off as a great game, with Doonside enjoying most of the possession. After scoring through the first half, the Riverstone keeper lost his cool with the linesman and got his marching orders. This just started a chain of events that led to the Riverstone sideline hurling abuse. Throughout all of this, the lads held their composure and won the match comfortably.

Round 6 Doonside 0 v Minchinbury 2

If anything, the boys just didn't turn up today. The thought this was going to be an easy one. No one told Minchinbury about this and they totally outplayed us today. Both of their goals coming from set pieces. We had a lot of chances ourselves, which was probably the only upside to the match that was played so poorly. We can chalk this one up as a lesson.

Round 7 Doonside 3 v Rooty Hill 1

We had enough chances to be up by 5 at half time, but we settled for 2-0. This is a terrible score to lead by. Rooty Hill hardly got to touch the ball in the first half. The second half was slow, and we let Rooty Hill back into the match with a lazy goal. The lads answered back with one of their own, to get us out to 3-1 and that's how it stayed. We had a great first half, slow second half.

U14/1 Girls

Round 4 Doonside 0 v/s Glenwood 6

It was a very windy day which made it very hard to play soccer it wasn't one of our best games. With the wind blowing so hard it made it very hard to put the ball in the net although our goalies tried very hard. We need to get a permanent goal keeper that is what is letting you down. Keep on trying and keep up the good work you have Quakers Hill next week good luck

Round 5 Quakers Hill 2 v/s Doonside 1

Well what a difference having a goal-keeper makes in Emma Sutton. The game could have either way But some questionable refereeing decisions went against us. Girls played well good luck you have Kings Langley next week.

Round 6 Kings Langley 1 V/S Doonside 3

Good teamwork passing the ball and looking around to see where your players are and it paid off with 3 great goals scored. Good luck you have Parklea on Friday night and your first state cup game against Enfield on Sunday. Good luck with both games.

Round 7 Doonside 0 V/S Parklea 1

Our first Friday night game at Glenwood you were all over them but could not get the ball in to the net. You all had a good game see you all on Sunday in the state cup game against Enfield. Good luck.

U14/1 Girls

Doonside 3 V/S Enfield 0

Our first State Cup game and what a game you all had This was your best game yet .You all stayed in your positions and looked for players to pass the ball to and scored 3 top goals .You are now into the 3rd round of the state cup .Keep up the good work you have Riverstone next week.

U14/2

Round 4, 26/4/09

Doonside 2 v Schofield 1

First Half

After a good win the previous week the boys looked keen to play Schofield. This was Michaels first game of the season after sustaining an injury in pre season, and although he lacked match fitness he played well. Aaron also had a good game and chased down a number of through balls but was unable to finish with a goal. We conceded a goal in the 20th minute but were still well in the match.

Second Half

We played some entertaining soccer and kept the pressure on Schofield until Pedrag equalised with a good goal mid way through the half. James and Josh were playing well out wide and at the 22 minute mark Kasem followed through on a shot from Adrian which came off the bar, managing to get a head on the ball to put us up 2-1

Man of the Match: Kasem

Round 5, 2/5/09 Bye

Round 6, 9/5/09

Doonside 3 v Parklea 3

This was a match that got away from us. We were on the attack from the

U14/2

start and went ahead 1-0 after a goal from Adrian in the 23rd minute only to concede a soft goal 2 minutes later.

Half time score 1-1.

We started the second half well and after goals by Pedrag in the 5th minute and Adrian in the 7th minute it looked like we would win this one easily.

However the boys lost their intensity and let Parklea back into the game. We conceded 2 late goals to come away with a draw.

Man of the Match: Jonathan

Round 7, 16/5/09

Doonside 2 v Prospect 1

First Half

Another solid performance by the boys. Very windy conditions which were against us in the first half and unfortunately swung around to be against us in the second as well.

Despite a slow start in which we conceded a relatively soft goal in the 10th minute of the first half, the boys stuck to the task and eventually the game started to turn our way. In the first half our backs were continually turned around by long wind assisted through balls but the backline of Pat, Adrian and Thomas defended well. Adam in goals also had a good game and made a number of good match winning saves. We tried a new formation this week and as the first half came to a close our mid field was starting to click.

Second Half

The second half started where the first ended and at the 8 minute mark Pedrag had scored to level the scores. The mid field was working hard to bring the ball back through to the forwards.

Man of the Match: Adrian & Adam



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U6 Magpies

Round 5 - 2/5/09 v Plumpton

This was our best game to date. The team's training is really starting to pay off. Zac joined Max, Jason, Abby, Jayden, Brannen and Julius for his first game. Our players are spreading themselves across the pitch and taking up defence and attacking positions on their own. They are also passing the ball to each other more often. A fantastic effort by Max McAdams saw him awarded the player of the week trophy.

Round 6 - 9-5-09 v Town Rangers

All players are improving leaps and bounds. Zac, Abby, Jayden, Brannen, Julius & Max played well together. The team is starting to show how they are thinking what to do with the ball before kicking it. Their passing is also improving. Zac's improved skills earned him the player of the week trophy.

Round 7 - 16-5-09 v Lourdes

Abby, Jayden, Brannen, Julius, Max, Jason & Zac were nearly blown off the pitch by the wind today. The first minutes of the game were a bit wobbly but the team came together and pulled out great match. Brannen was awarded player of the week for his great effort.

Round 4 - 26/4/2009

U11/4

Doonside 1 -v- Kings Langley 2

Man of the Match : Lorenzo
Well done boy's it was a tough game, only 9 players taking the field we held them to 0-0 in the first half. The second half saw Kings Langley catch us off guard and slip in a quick goal. We kept cool, maintained our heads and held in

U11/4

there with our relentless attack. We managed to get back in the game with a penalty shot by Justin slipping through their keepers fingers. As the game drew on though we tired a little and that gave Kings Langley another chance to find the back of the net. They did their utmost to defend our goals and did an amazing job. Good on you Boys!!

Round 5 - 2/5/2009

Doonside 1 -v- Prospect 2

Man of the Match : Austin
The boys played ok. It was really close. They did their best. There was a few tired ones out there but it didn't stop them. Sanveet did really well in goals for the full game and Austin did well in the backs.
Keep trying boys!

Round 6 - 9/5/2009

Doonside 1 -v- Plumpton 2

Man of the Match - Alex Macias
The boys tried their best but unfortunately it was not meant to be this weekend.
Keep trying fellas!

Round 7 - 16/5/2009

Doonside 0 -v- Tigers QHill 6

Man of the Match - Stephen Bali
OMG did the wind play havoc with us this weekend. Up until half time we were 0-0. Then came 2nd half and the wind just was not in our favour at all. They tried hard but were exhausted.

U7 Echidna's

ROUND 5

Round 5 saw the U7 Echidnas take on Glenwood, the Echidnas have been coming along nicely since the start of the season and I think this was their best performance so far with a total team effort, with Chase in his adopted



U7 Echidna's

defence role Zaldy, Ethan, Ranish controlling the middle and Shafin and Zack pushing on up front and the ever roaming Khalub the Echidnas were unstoppable. Man of the match was tuff but for this week it went out to Ranish "Congratulations", and a special note to Zack's great acting skills after being hit with the ball in the face he made everyone laugh on the side and continued on unfazed.

ROUND 6

Round 6 brought the U7 Echidnas home to meet Workers, once again great performance by all, a great effort and all round improvement saw Zaldy take out the Man of the match. This award is becoming harder and harder as the hole team put in 100%, keep up the good work Echidnas.

ROUND 7

Round 7 took the U7 Echidnas to St Patricks, for a very windy afternoon. It was hard for both teams as the ball was blown all over the place, but it did not stop them from having fun. The Echidnas welcomed a new player to there team and I'm sure he will settle in very soon, Welcome Nicholas.

U10/3

Round 1 v St Pats 4 - 0 Win

A great start to the season with the team having their first test as a new squad, we seen changes in our line up from Under 9's with players from 2 teams being formed to make the u10/3. The boys performed well, played a well structured game and dominated play. Goals were well put together from a strong team effort with Dylan scoring 2, Daniel scoring 1 and Joe putting away a well placed penalty. A goal each to Daniel and Dylan was well set up by Nathan. Our defence played a strong game keeping the opposition out of the

U10/3

game and giving very little opportunities for our opposing team to pressure our keeper. Player of the Match went to Dylan.

Round 2 v Oakville 6 - 1 Win

Round 2 was backed up from the double header weekend and the boys recovered well from a loss on the Saturday, they corrected everything that went wrong the previous day to pull together an outstanding win. The team effort and control thru the mid field and was great to see, something that was missing in our loss against Rooty Hill. When the boys maintain focus and use each other up the field they dominate play. Our Goals came from Kyle, Danyon put 2 away, Nathan and Daniel and Dylan. Player of the Match went to Jordan.

Round 3 v Rooty Hill 1 - 3 Loss

From the start of the game we dominated play, an early goal from Tyler off a Daniel cross set us up well but was also our undoing. The boys lost focus and mid field went missing, we seemed to back off with a mindset that this was to be easy. After half time we re gathered our focus and got back to our game, we had shot after shot which went straight to their keeper, we dominated majority of the ball but Rooty Hill were able to run away a few quick goals which seen the boys struggling to recover from. Bradden played an upstanding game and our backs fought well but with mid field missing the opposition had the run of the middle of the park. It was a loss which we were able to learn alot from. Player of the Match - Tyler.

Round 4 v Newbury 5 - 1 Win

The boys played well they maintained there structure throughout the game and we got to see the goal of the season so far when Kyle headed in a great cross. Structure in the game is



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strengthening but we need to work more on using the players around us when moving up the field, we are starting to see some individual efforts which when the work result in shots or goal but missing the easier option of 1-2 passing and support in attack. Defence continues to be strong and dominant with Blake, Brett, Josh and Matty H across the back line. Goals today came from Jordan, Tyler, Nathan and 2 from Dylan. Player of the Match Kyle.

Round 5 v Mt Druitt 3 - 1 Win

With top of the Competition tightening and sitting in 4th place and playing 3rd this game was going to be a critical point in the season. Mt Druitt Town being Grand Finalist in Div 4 and showing dominance in Div 3 we were ready for a good game and we weren't disappointed. The game was tight and the boys kept their focus throughout the game, mid field maintained their structure and we again started to see the players use each other when moving the ball up the field. Mt Druitt place our backs under a great deal of pressure and our Goal Keeper Bradden played an outstanding game challenging balls one on one and never faulted in his position. Goals from Kyle, Dylan and Daniel secured the result but Bradden with his outstanding game in goals won us the game. Player of the Match Bradden.

Round 6 v Premier 10 - 0 Win

The boys after their win last week secured 1st place on the table by For and Against with 3 teams on same points. The boys were to dominating for Premier, our boys played a strong, focussed and well structured game which reflected in the result. It is hard to watch another team to lose by 10 goals but we have to play our game

and take the result. Team work produced goals and boys when you use each other, play smart balls into space and play as a team we are very strong. Goals today came from Tyler, Dylan, Daniel, Danyon, Kyle and 5 goals to Nathan. Player of the Match Nathan.

Round 7 v Parklea 4 - 1 Win

Last Round win gave our team separation in Goal difference to hold the top spot, but today's game was the decider to give us separation from one of the 2 other teams who we are on equal points with. The game was great to watch the boys settled in well, we are building consistency in maintaining structure and focus throughout the game which was a worry after the training session we had during the week, I was unsure as to how the boys were going to perform. The boys turned up with new attitudes and went out and played their game delivering 4 goals from Tyler, Danyon and 2 from Nathan. The win leaves us in a good position going into Round 8, if we can maintain our process and deliver a win this round and with Rooty Hill playing Parklea with Parklea wanting to get back points lost last weekend we may be able to move clear into first spot going into the turn of the season. Boys now is the time not to be settled in top spot, getting to the top of the table is hard but holding onto it is even harder. Training is a process of preparation for week ahead and developing your skills - you need to be prepared to learn and focus on training as much as your game. Player of the Match Danyon.

Under 10 Knock Out

We entered the boys into the Under 10 KO which gives them the opportunity to show their stuff to the BDSFA and have the opportunity to be selected for a skills camp at the end of the season, the boys played 2 Division



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U10/3

1 Teams, 1 Division 2 Team and a the leader of Division 4.

We went well, we missed our striker Nathan but held our own against each team especially where one of the Div 1 teams won the grand final last year in Div 1 and was playing an eligible Under 11 Div 1 player in their team on the day, we won 3 games and lost 1.

Our loss was unfortunate, we dominated most of the game, unlucky shot on post and a questionable offside call didn't help when you went into the game 1 goal down at Kick off but overall I could not have asked for more form the boys on Sunday - 4 games in 3 hours after 12pm is always hard to deliver on but they did.

We discovered a couple of new positions for players with Josh having a blinder in the centre mid field and DJ playing a great game in the backs. Braden again showed why he is one of if not the best keeper in our age division and all boys gave 110% on the day and had alot of fun. We missed out on the semi spot and had to beat Plumpton Div 4 to move to the semi's but they were in a good position all day when they played 3 Div 1 teams with a 3 goal head start and us with a 1 goal head start.

U9/1

The under 9/1s are starting to really bond together as a team round 7 against seven hills was an awesome game . Seven hills is the team they beat in our comp unfortunately they beat us the score was 1 . nil a lucky goal it was for them as with the heavy winds blew the ball in .

Sharif Ellabban was the goal keeper and got the man of the match saving some great goals. Keep up the great work boys time for us to blossom !

MANAGER

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U8 Kangaroo's

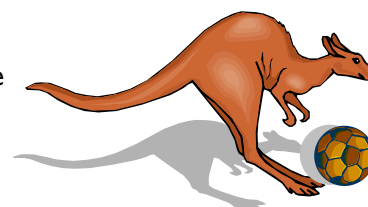
Sat 2 May vs Rooty Hill RSL

It was good to take the field with a full team today but the opposition was fast and with no breaks the girls were doing it tough. We played our best but couldn't seem to find our 'groove' today. Natalia and Bianca had the difficult job of guarding the goals to which Bianca was heard to say "never again"!! Although Cheyanne's (Blondie) first question before kick off was "when can I have a break?" she ran the whole game and earned herself Player of the Match.



Sat 9 May vs Parklea

With only 5 players available we had to borrow from Parklea and play 6 v 6 – sorry girls no break again today! All the girls played a great game today were well supported by our borrowed players (one of them even scored our only goal for the day!) Cheyanne and Tayla had plenty of practice in goals with many shots coming their way but both did themselves proud with some great saves. Although she was injured Natalia managed to 'soldier on' and was Player of the Match this week.



Sun 16 May vs Glenwood

Yippee – we have a reserve today!!! What a great game – probably our most evenly matched opponent and the girls were on fire right from the start. Alicia took an early run up the field but hit the post. She wasn't so unlucky next time and managed to score a lovely goal and give the team a much needed lift. Tayla, playing her 'never say die' game as usual, managed a second goal during the second half which put us one up – could this be it?? Coach, manager, parents & players were counting down the minutes but it wasn't to be – Glenwood managed to equalize in the last few minutes but definitely our best game to date and amazing how some 'fresh legs' can make such a difference. Great halves in goals by Cheyanne & Alicia and today Player



U8 Kangaroos

of the Match goes to Cheyenne (Shorty) for her greatly improved game.

A special thanks to Nick Brown and Brayden Nohra of Doony U8 Echidnas for helping us out today – we hope you and your team mates will be able to help us again.



U12/1 Girls

Rd 4 Sunday 26/4/09 Riverstone 9 vs Doonside 0

The girls again started very slowly and were 1 down after 20 seconds, we had a chance to reply almost immediately missing a runaway from the next phase of play. The girls were very flat and with a lot of help from us Riverstone managed to score another 8 goals while we created as many chances as them only for poor finishing stopping us from scoring any goals. In a very poor team display Jasmine was player of the match today.

Rd 5 Sunday 3/5/09 Doonside 0 vs Parklea 7

The girls showed little interest in the first half and were down 5-0 at the break. After some strong words at the break the girls came out a different team and took the game to Parklea restricting them to 2 goals while creating 2 or 3 great chances for ourselves only for some good goalkeeping and a bit of bad luck preventing us from scoring. If the girls can show as much commitment as they did in the second half today, our

U12/1 Girls

first win is just around the corner. Player of the match today was Tayla.

Rd 6 Sun 10/5/09 Doonside 0 vs Rooty Hill 4

After the promise of last week the girls were again very ordinary and against a team that we could have beaten were down 3-0 at the break and could have been down further. Another rev up at half time had the girls showing a glimpse of what they could do, but again it was too late. Jasmine was player of the match.

Rd 7 Sun 17/5/09 Glenwood 5 vs Doonside 1

The girls best effort of the season with the final score not doing the girls justice. The girls matched Glenwood all the way and only a few lapses in concentration led to their goals and us being down 3-0 at the break. To their credit the girls never gave up and despite falling 5-0 behind kept pressuring them and we finally scored our first goal of the season after some good passing the ball ended up with Jess C who kicked the ball to Temmah who then passed into the penalty box where Jess E controlled the ball and kicked it into the far corner, it was well worth the wait. All the girls played good today with Georgia, Tayla, Jess E and Jess C standing out but they were pipped by Tahlia for the player of the match. We got one monkey off our back today, let's hope our first win is not far off.



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U12/1

Doonside 1 v Prospect 3

Today's game was scrappy from the start & we had our chances to take the lead but did not and soon found ourselves behind a goal again. We kept attacking but that goal did not come. The second half was much the same it wasn't until the last 5 mins that we controlled the ball and scored. Another one that got away. Goal; Jarrad (1)

Doonside 1 vs Parklea 2

Well what a game. Tale of two halves, the first half was very good passing, running, tackling a lot of energy & we scored a very good goal with a nice through ball to lead 1-0 at the break after Parklea did not get near our goal. The second half Parklea had 2 chances & put them away after we let them back into the game. Boys the game is 2 halves not one. GOAL Jayden (1)

Doonside 0 vs Rooty Hill 3

This one was a grudge match & we let R/Hill take control and were a goal down after 10 mins but soon started to get back into the game with some nice passing and ball movement & had Rooty Hill on the run. But against the run of play they scored 2 lucky goals. Unlucky boys it will come keep working hard.

STATE CUP

Doonside 0 vs Queens Pk 1

Well this was a good game against a good team we lost the match but the boys played very well I actually had a smile after the game even though we lost because the boys put in a mighty effort right to the end and were unlucky not to win this game. They passed, ran, moved for each other & tackled hard this could be the turning point for the year well done proud of the game today.

U7 Kookaburra's

Doonside Vs Prospect

Prospect started out well scoring first. Doonside kept their heads high and never gave up. Jake did well defending goals and everyone had great attempts at scoring. Doonside showed a promising second half with goals scored from both CJ and Tristan. Well done everyone.

Team player of the week goes to CJ for showing great energy and never giving up.

Doonside Vs Plumpton

U7's did extremely well. They stayed strong & energetic throughout the game. Doonside worked together well, made some great passing moves & marked their players. Goals were scored by Connor, CJ, Jonathan & Tristan.

Team player of the week goes to Logan for making some great attempts at goals and involving his team mates in some great plays.

Doonside Vs Glenwood

U7 Kookaburra's have come a long way. They practise hard and listen to the feedback provided to them: this shows in their game. They continued to hassle for the ball and looked for passes to their team mates. They demonstrated they were the stronger team and goals were scored by CJ, Connor, Tristan and Jonathon. A great effort by our newest member Diego and both Logan & Josh made some great attempts on goals.

Team player of the week went to Connor for showing great team work.

Well done Kookaburra's, have fun and keep up the good work.



U8 Echidnas

Round 5 Doonside V Plumpton/Oakhurst

Wow up to round five already and the boys are playing some fantastic soccer showing the skills they have been learning at training each week. This week was another outstanding effort from all the boys defending the goals was Keenan and Jack. Braydon played a strong game and showed his fight for the ball and his tackling skills. Ryan is full of enthusiasm and each week performs to at his best.

Player of the Match went to Ryan for his enthusiasm and attack on the ball.

Round 6 Doonside V Parklea

A fantastic game the boys had to work hard on their defence in the first half lead by Nick and Stirling. In the second half the boys were more dominating in attack lead by Jack, Ayush, Harrison and Ethan all were able to score some goals. The boys are working hard for each other and continue to play exciting games to watch.

Player of the Match went to Nick for his fantastic efforts in defence, well done Nick.

Round 7 Doonside Vs Glenwood

This week with only just enough players on the field we were up against a tough club in Glenwood. In goals we had Keenan and Nick both were on the ball and only one goal was let in towards the end of the game. Both players showing a liking to this position that is a very hard to fill. Fantastic efforts to our goal scorers Jack and Braydon who had to get through solid defence to score. This week our best performances was in mid field and defense with Ethan and Stirling showing us how it is done.

Player of the Match this week went to Ethan for his outstanding efforts all over the field, well done Ethan.

U10/1 Girls

Round 4 Doonside 1 v Glenwood 2

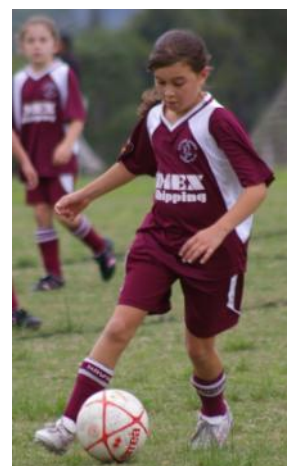
The backline is doing well this week, keeping the ball away from the goals. Very nice break done by Aleisha. Jade is trying very hard to keep the ball away from the goals. Aleisha has made a break has scored - top goal, well done. Lucinda and Caitlin are trying hard in defence. Ellen has made several good saves. Zoe and Lucinda are defending and playing well. The girls did well in very windy conditions.

Round 5 Doonside 0 v Plumpton 3

The girls are defending well keeping the ball out of goals. Jordan and Jadeine are playing so well. Mikayla and Dean-nae are keeping the back line well. Telleah did a great job keeping the ball out of goals. Plumpton scored in the last few minutes of the 1st half. This will not get the girls down. Well done Jade giving us her big kick to get the ball way over the 1/2 way line. Aleisha and Zoe did a great job of bringing the ball all the way down to the goal area. Jadeine took the kick but Plumpton goalie got it. Lucinda took a big tumble for the team and gets right back up. Well done to the team, very good play.

Round 6 Doonside 0 v QHill 2

The team are doing well keeping the ball out of Quakers end. Great defence by the backs playing very well together. Ellen trying hard as always keeping the goals out. Lucinda's having great defence as always getting in and keeping the ball away from the goals. Quakers score's 2 first half, the girls really giving it their all and working well as a team. Jade has a great run from the end of the field attempting a goal, great try. Fantastic saves by Ellen. Telleah and Kate are tackling well and trying hard. The girls are working well as a team. Well done girls.



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**Round 7
Kings Langley 3 v Doonside 0**

Even though we are short of players the girls get off to a good start. Very good attacking display by Zoe, Madeleine Kate and Aleisha. Jade and Mikayla kept things well at the back keeping the ball away from the goals. It's hard to believe we only have 10 players. Summer, Lucinda, Caitlin and Ellen in goals all played their best and never stopped trying. Nice effort by our girls.

U13/3

The 13/3's have been having a blinder at the start of the season. They have come up from 4th division and they have certainly earned the upgrade. The team is coming together on the field to secure no losses and only one draw, putting them on the top of the ladder. Jayce Munro, who joined us this season, has displayed some awesome talent and speed, covering large portions of the field, defying opposition players to score some excellent goals. The pocket rocket, Alex Baldock is continuing to show that its not the dog in the fight but the fight in the dog. Alex has been challenging the opposition and continues to keep pushing the play up to set up some awesome goals. Martin Gatto and Khalid Moussa have joined us as well this season, adding some great depth to the team. The whole team has demonstrated exceptional enhanced skills and game play. Once again our Goalie, Jarrod Suto has made some difficult and entertaining saves. Round 4 at Harvey Park proved to be a challenging game with the wind howling and blowing the ball all over the field. Despite the wind, Doonside created some new angles of attack to secure a win and make for an entertaining match.

Player's of the Round

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