

HAWKS TALK

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Presentation 2009

Let's Celebrate 2009



Another great season over for the Hawks. It was a successful season competition wise with 10 teams making the Semi Finals and 6 the Grand Final with one winner - the U17/1's. For a full wrap up of the finals see my report as Competition Secretary. There has been some changes to

Junior Presentation this year with the location being moved to Glendenning Reserve from the Alroy Tavern. The Alroy Tavern has done a great job over the past two years catering for our junior presentation and will still host the Senior Presentation, but this year we decided to provide

some entertainment for all the junior players in the way of inflatable rides which required more room. Hopefully everything will go off without a hitch and it will be a fun and successful day for all our junior players and families. We also managed to get a "Dunk the Coach" booth which I'm sure all the players will love to have a go at. Congratulations to all the teams for a great season. We hope you all enjoyed the year at the Mighty Hawks and look forward to seeing you all back next season. Enjoy your presentation!



Our Under 17/1's Celebrating their Grand Final Victory

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President's Report

Another successful season for Doonside Hawks Soccer Club, with some pleasing results throughout the season and also during the finals series. This year saw 10 teams contest the Semi Finals series with 6 teams progressing through to the Grand Finals. Well done to all players, coaches and managers for your efforts this year. Also this year for the first time saw Doonside field 2 Over 35 sides (Div 1 & 3), with the Div 1 side unlucky to lose the grand final in a penalty shootout.

To the parents and supporters of Doonside Hawks Soccer Club, thank you for getting the players to training and the games on time. Also, thanks to the parents who volunteered their time for BBQ duty during the season, whenever their teams were rostered on.

To all the Coaches and Managers, thanks for the efforts that you have put in during the season, ensuring that training sessions are run, information about games and various events run by the club are distributed to all the players and parents and generally educating the players in improving their skills as individuals and as a team.

To all the sponsors who supported Doonside Hawks Soccer Club in the 2009 season, thanks. These sponsors are

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Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Management Committee for their hard work throughout the season. Many people seem to forget all the hard work that has been put in by the Management Committee, as well as helping out around the club whether during the weeknights or the weekends in the canteen and on the BBQ, many are also coaches and managers of their children's teams and then having to get their children to games over the weekend. So once again, congratulations and well done to all the Management Committee of 2009.

A special thanks to both Mal Withers and Rose Copland for their efforts this year. Mal took up the daunting position of Club Secretary this year and did an outstanding job, working tirelessly throughout the season to ensure the smooth running of the club and Rose who stepped up into the position of Competition Secretary mid-season. Well done to both of you on your efforts this year.

I hope that everyone takes the opportunity, during the summer break to relax, unwind and have a good time. I look forward to seeing all of you in 2010.

Jeff Harris
President
Doonside Hawks Soccer Club



Secretary's Report

2009 posed a new era for the club, we saw a changing of the guard with a new President, Jeff Harris and some new faces on our Committee.

2009 saw a new role for myself stepping down from the role of President to take on the task of Secretary which has made 2009 a very interesting season personally.

As a committee we strive to deliver the best playing environment for players of all ages from Under 6 to O35, their spectators and supporters. It is a tough formulae to get right but from feedback from many of our club members it appears we again got it right in 2009.

The committee have done an outstanding job in their respective roles and have worked together to deliver another successful season and for this I thank our 2009 Management Committee for their hard work and dedication to the members of our club and have further strengthened the foundations of our club as we continue the task of taking our club to the next level year in year out.

I think everyone around the club will agree in applauding the efforts of our Social Committee who again delivered some great, fun events for our members. The kids smiles were plentiful at the kids disco and again the Trivia night was a great success with many having a very enjoyable evening and the change of venue back to Glendenning Hall was a great success.

I would like to personally thank Fran for her contribution and efforts around her role as Treasurer and in organising many of the aspects which result in our presentation day and for her support throughout 2009. Thankyou to Rose for another outstanding year from the perspective of Publicity and thankyou for taking up the role for Competition Secretary when the position became vacant during the season, both roles are intensive in themselves but you seem to have handled both seamlessly.

I would like everyone to thank Sam for her efforts over the past years as Registrar, Sam has done an outstanding job during the season in ensuring that all players are registered and players to coaches and managers have cards to take the field, this being Sam's last year standing in this position due to work commitments we thankyou for your time in the role, although we will see Sam on the committee in a different capacity.

Thanks to Wes for his arranging of the Fire Station Training facilities for us to utilise for our monthly meetings and the coaches and managers meeting which made our meetings more effective and easier to run in a more formal arrangement, also thanks for the last minute dash to organise the Fire Brigade venue when imposing weather was looking to make our photo day a disaster, organising the last minute change of venue meant that the photo day was a success.

Finally thankyou to my wife Kellie and kids Adam, Brett and Cheyanne for their patience, taking on the role of Secretary this year seen a whole new level of Soccer Invasion on the family home and time needed away during the week to attend various meetings and club activities.

I hope to see our members return in 2010 and will see you all around the park next year.

Malcolm Withers
Club Secretary
Doonside Hawks Soccer Club



Treasurer's Report

A breakdown of the accumulation of funds as at 30 September 2009 is:

No 1 Account (main trading account)	\$***
No 2 Account (asset replacement account)	\$***
Canteen Account	\$***
Sponsorship Account	\$***
Total Funds	\$***

A detailed and audited statement of accounts has been submitted to the Annual General Meeting for adoption.

Our canteen had an extremely successful year thanks to the opportunity to host Over 35 games on a Friday evening and some great ideas from our Canteen Manager Michelle Harris - the closing balance prior to removal of funds to the main account was \$***. Special thanks to Michelle for running the canteen, maintaining stocks and banging her head against a brick wall while sorting rosters! Thanks also to all committee members who helped in the canteen, including collecting game fees and for making sure the Refs were paid. Our Social Committee ran a very successful Chocolate Drive this year and another great Trivia Night both of which were great fundraisers for the Club.

We were able to secure some new sponsorship during the year and other minor sponsors have taken up the offer to renew their sponsorship and we now see many teams in sponsored training shirts – thanks to IMEX, NAB Financial Planning, Choice Home Loans, S&C Logistics, HHH Electrics and the Alroy Tavern. We were also lucky enough to be one of the many recipients of \$1,000 from Woolworths which was spent to replace nets and other much needed equipment.

Bing Lee supplemented their support of the club again this year with many kind donations for our Trivia Night, various raffles and our two coffee machines for the canteen – making instant coffee at Glendenning a thing of the past! Many thanks to Bing Lee for their continued generosity to our club. Thank you also to Embroidme Norwest, Soccer Warehouse, Woodcroft Quality Meats and Carousel Inn for their continued support of our club throughout the year.

Thanks to all our players and their loyal supporters – we wouldn't have a club without you. Relax and enjoy your summer but don't forget to come back in 2010.

“Proud to be a Hawk”

Fran Lovric
Treasurer

Female Development Officer's Report

We have now established ourselves as a Female Development Club with the majority of our female players returning in 2009 along with many new players joining up to play. Again we were able to field teams in U10, U12 (2 teams), U14 & U16, along with an U8 Rooball team made up of all girls.

A few of our female players chose to take up the opportunity to attend the BDSFA Female Academy of Excellence again this year and their skills are improving greatly as a result. Our U12's took part in the U12 knockout day at Riverstone and while they had mixed success on the field, both teams had a great day and did our club proud with their fair play and good sportsmanship. We even had a few girls whose talent stood out on the day and were therefore invited to take part in some special training sessions held by Blacktown Spartans. Let's hope there are some Matilda's in the making among us!

2009 saw a return to the traditional 'home and away' draw for the females, which was welcomed with open arms by players, parents and supporters alike. It was great to see the girls back playing home games on a regular basis and therefore being able to enjoy the support of our home crowd. Although most of our teams struggled in their divisions this year, we are sure the girls love of the game is continuing to grow and we will see all of them back ready to take on the opposition head on in 2010.

'Proud to be a Female Hawk!'

Fran Lovric
Female Development Officer
Doonside Hawks Soccer Club



Competition Secretary's Report

This Season Doonside Hawks soccer club had 39 teams, 13 Rooball teams and 26 Full Field teams. The 2009 Season was a good one for the Hawks with 10 of our teams making the finals series. 6 of those 10 then went on to make the Grand Final, which was a fantastic result. Unfortunately we were not to remain that lucky and out of the 6 Grand Final teams only one was to walk away as the Grand Final winner - Congratulations to the U17/1's who were by far the best team in their competition and finished their season undefeated and Grand Final Winners.

They also had the honour of representing our district in the Champions of Champions competition where their winning streak came to an end against Canterbury in Round 2. Well done boys it was a fantastic season and you should be very proud of your achievements.

The other teams that were Grand Finalists were the O35/1's who came agonisingly close to victory but were eventual losers in a penalty shoot out with Quakers Hill. It was a great effort for the newly formed team to achieve so much in their first season. Well done Guys.

The Prem's also made the Grand Final with a fairy tale run of victories in the semi's that had the supporters jumping and cheering. Unfortunately they were outplayed by Parklea in the Grand Final going down 3-1, Congratulations to all the guys for making it all the way to the end and Congratulations to Jed for his achievements in his first year of Coaching the Prem's.

The U10/3's coached by our Secretary suffered a heartbreaking defeat in the Grand Final against Mt Druitt Town Rangers. after an awesome season that saw them as the first team into their Grand Final. The U13/3's also were defeated in golden goal in the Grand Final 2-1 by Plumpton after a fantastic season that saw them undefeated before the final series. Lastly our All Age 2's team were Grand Final runner's up after a terrific season.

I would like to thank all the Coach's and Manager's who have done a fantastic job in completing the team sheets this season and getting their teams to where they need to be each week. I would also like to thank Malcolm Withers for all his help with my new role and to Laurie Archer and the BDSFA who were always ready to answer any questions and offer help my way. I look forward to seeing you all back next year for Season 2010.

Regards

Rose Copland
Competition Secretary
Doonside Hawks Soccer Club

Team	Finished on Table	Final Series
Under 9/1	2nd	Quarter Finals & Finalists
Under 9/4	4th	Quarter Finals
Under 10/1 Girls	5th	
Under 10/3	2nd	Grand Finalist
Under 10/4	5th	
Under 11/2	5th	
Under 11/4	6th	
Under 12/1	6th	
Under 12/1 Girls	5th	
Under 12/2 Girls	8th	
Under 12/3	8th	
Under 13/3	1st	Grand Finalist
Under 14/1 Girls	6th	
Under 14/2	5th	
Under 15/2	2nd	Quarter Finalist, Finalists
Under 16/1 Girls	6th	
Under 17/1	1st	Grand Final Winner
AAM2	2nd	Grand Finalist
AAL3	4th	Quarter Finalist
AAM5	10th	
AAM6	8th	
AAM8	6th	
O35/1	2nd	Grand Finalist
O35/3	5th	
Reserves	6th	
Prem's	3rd	Grand Finalist



Vice President's Report

We have come to another seasons end for 2009. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the parents for there commitment and support of their children and the club throughout the year.

I would also like to thank the coaches, managers and the players who turned up every week to play soccer under the Doonside Hawks Banner. Thank you to the committee who every week made sure that the canteen was manned, the bbq was up and running (when there was enough home games to warrant the use of the bbq), and the fields were dressed.

I would also like to thank the Rural Fire Service for allowing us the use of their facility at Plumpton for the photo day and for the many meetings we held there.

Hope to see you all again next year.

Cheers

Wes Keaton

Vice President

Doonside Hawks Soccer Club



Registrar's Report

This was my second season as registrar for Doonside Hawks and again I was kept busy for most of the season registering players right up to the cut off of 30th June. It also saw an increase in players from the previous season of 455 to 493 for the 2009 season, which was mainly helped by having two O35 sides this year.

We as a club are getting stronger each year and I look forward to seeing the club grow even more in the 2010 season. As my work commitments have grown this year it is with sadness that I will stepping down from the role of registrar for the 2010 season, but will be around to assist the new registrar.

I would like to take this opportunity to say thankyou for all the support I have received from both committee members and club members of Doonside Hawks Soccer Club.

Samantha Dalkeith

Registrar

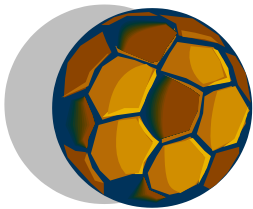
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AAL/3

Sunday 2nd August Doonside 0 v St Pats 1

Unfortunate result this week against a team we beat 3-0 last Friday. At least the game was slightly cleaner this time. St Pats scored around the 20 min mark and we weren't able to level the score. I'm sure we all tried our best because we wanted to win so badly, but unfortunately we didn't play as well as other weeks. Making the finals depends on next week and how other teams play. Fingers Crossed!!!!



U12/1 Girls

Round 8 catch up game Vs QHill

The girls finally won their first game of the year tonight with a very determined and gutsy win, 1-0 with Tayla scoring with a left foot shot. The girls dominated to such an extent, especially in the second half, that Jess C our goalie did not touch the ball but our failure to convert our chances kept them in with a chance and Jess S at the back was called into action to defuse a couple of tricky situations. Jess E was the first to nearly score when she put a big kick towards the goal which looked to bounce over the keeper only for her to make a last minute lunge at the ball and push it wide. We had shots blocked on the line, balls bouncing of players etc but they wouldn't go in. Finally we scored



U12/1 Girls

of a corner when the ball went across the goal where Tayla was on hand to hit a left foot shot into the back of the goal. We created several more chances but failed to convert them which led to a nail biting last few minutes. Well done tonight girls and hopefully we can finish the season with a couple more good results. Georgia was player of the match edging out Mel and Tayla. OH WHAT A FEELING!

Round 17 Vs Glenwood

The girls continued their recent good form with a gutsy display against the team running 2nd in the competition with a very unlucky 1-0 loss. The girls more than matched their more fancied rivals and with an ounce of luck could have equalised in the last 2 minutes when a shot when agonisingly wide with an open goal beckoning. We played the whole second half with only 10 players after Tahlia hobbled off just prior to the break with an ankle injury to re-enforce how well we played. Temmah was player of the match for her continued improvement just edging out Georgia who was everywhere. Jess S and Rhiannon also played well. Bad luck today girls.

Round 18 Vs Quakers Hill

Today was a big letdown after our previous efforts with the girls not showing much interest and they only decided to switch on in the last 15 minutes. In this



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U12/1 Girls

time they missed 3 runaways before Tayla scored to give us some hope but time would be against us. The girls must learn to switch on from the start not when we are down 2-0 and running out of time. If they played the whole game as they did the last 15 minutes, who knows what could have been.

U11/4

Doonside -v- Kings Langley Won 3-0

Man of the Match : Justin Walsh

Round 18 against Kings Langley, who need a win to knock Quakers Hill out of the top 4 and go into the finals.

Well this was a nail biter, and our boys played like it was our Grand Final. The pressure from Kings Langley was intense but it didn't take us long to make a break through their rock solid defence.

A bit of speed, some nice passing and Justin managed to put one into the net about half

way through the first half giving us a 1-0 lead.

Kings Langley made some good breaks but were shut down quickly by Lorenzo & Rahil. Any-

thing that managed to slip through towards the net was quickly snapped up by our 1st

U11/4

half Goalie, Sanveet. Continuing with the great team work Karandip, Alex and Karthik in the mid field took control of the ball and pushed the ball up front. Going to the break with a lead felt good but we were all nervous knowing that our opposition had more to lose than us and would come out fighting.

The 2nd half started with as much vigour as the 1st, and Kings Langley managed to get the ball into our half and take a few shots but much to their despair our 2nd half keeper, Rahil made some breath taking saves. It didn't take too long for us to keep our momentum going and we broke the line giving Aydin the chance to score an absolute cracker of a goal, shooting from well outside of the box and going straight over the Keepers head. From then on, we were on fire and although Kings Langley was relentless in attack the great work by Guled and Matty very quickly turned our defence to attack. Samuel worked tirelessly on out on the wing moving the ball up the line and giving us more scoring opportunities. Before you knew it persistence paid off when Austin was able to take advantage of a mistake by their keeper to secure a 3-0 win by getting a goal with only minutes to go. Well done boys.



U9/4

RD 17 - 01/08/09
Doonside 6 v Premier 0

As we head to the finals every game becomes more and more important. And this game was no exception and what a good game it was. There was strong defence from Justin, Krishneel and Shivesh, they were a great support for our goalie in the first half Benjamin. Our strikers and midfields capitalised on all opportunities resulting in goals being scored by Damon, Rajbir, Jayden, Justin and a double for Blake. The boys effort was constant with Mitchell, Zachary and Dylan constantly getting involved to help the team. Jacobs fantastic effort this week saw him receive Player of the Match this round. It was definitely a strong performance by the boys, Liam, Cayne and Connor making the defence of Premier work hard. One more round lets keep up the brilliant team work.

RD 18 - 08/08/09
Kings Langley 0 v Doonside 2

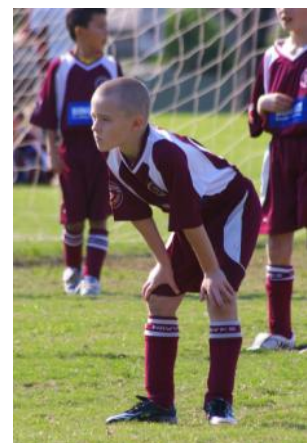
Well it came down to this last game of the season we needed a win to secure a spot in the finals and the boys did it! It was a brilliant game. All the boys showed commitment and great team work. Their passing was consistent and resulted in our goals

being scored by Mitchell in the first half and Jayden in the second. The efforts of Shivesh to defend resulted in him receiving Player of the Match for the final round. Well done mate! Overall a brilliant team effort. The boys ended the season only 2 points off first spot and equal third with for and against resulting in the boys finishing forth. The fact that the top 4 spots were within a few points is a credit to how far these boys have come and how well they played. No matter what happens next week these boys are all winners and they can all be very proud of there effort this season. Good luck boys!

Quarter Final 15/08/09
Tigers QHill 1 v Doonside 0

It was an exceptional effort by all the boys and a must win game but they were unlucky on the day going down by 1 goal. This score reflects how well they performed. The Tigers scored early in the first half but we were able to keep them out the rest of the game. We had a few chances at a goal but were unlucky not to convert. All the boys played with great devotion and gave it there all. I am very proud manager of a great team of boys.

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U12/1 Girls

After coaching representative soccer for the previous 7 seasons this year was a very frustrating but extremely enjoyable year. The girls were extremely harshly graded into the 1st division for this season, our team was made up of 7 players from last years u/12 whites which did not win a game, 3 from the u/12 maroons who came 3rd, an u/10 player and 1 player who had never played before. The early trial games showed promise but once the competition started and the "real" opposition appeared it was soon evident the girls were out of their league. The results didn't seem to bother the girls who just took it in their strides and they continued to try their hardest and despite the occasional lapse really made the oppositions earn their wins. The turning point in the season came when the girls played a night time catch up game and after being beaten 10-0 in the previous meeting with Riverstone ended up losing 3-4 in a game dominated by refereeing decisions, none went our way. The girls had a new self belief and started by playing in the u/12 girls gala day winning 3 losing 2 and drawing 1 of their 6 games to just miss the semi's by 1 point. They carried that form back into the last 5 competition games losing to Parklea 3-0, we were beaten 6-0 by them in the previous meeting, having a 1-1 draw against the team running 3rd in the competition, winning our first game 1-0, losing our second last game against the team running 2nd in the competition 1-0 despite playing the second half with 10 players and missing on open goal with only minutes left on the clock that would have given us a deserved draw. Unfortunately in our last game we played Quakers Hill who we had beaten the week before to record our first win of the season but this time the girls didn't seem interested and lost 2-1.

Despite not having a successful season by way of results the girls can all be proud of the way they conducted themselves throughout the sea-

son and the improvement shown in the last month and a half of the season, they showed that if they all pull together, and not rely on 2 or 3 players, that they can match it with any team in the competition. The players are:

Tahlia Braithwaite - Tahlia shows a lot of promise but must learn to control her temper, she has played some excellent games when she has played with "controlled aggression" where she gets stuck in and uses her size to advantage without going overboard. She has proven herself quite adaptable by being able to play several positions and has carried out the functions of these positions to the best of her abilities. Tahlia scored 1 goal in the u/12 gala day. Well done Tahlia

Brie Chessell - Brie has come on very good this year after a slow start to the season, maybe it was a confidence thing, to be a very good fullback and has displayed some great fighting qualities to save many goal scoring opportunities by the opposition. She has played a couple of games in the midfield where she also tried her hardest but if you saw her play, fullback was her spot, a very good season Brie.

Jessica Cook - Jess played mainly midfield and fullback and tried her hardest and improved immensely as the season went on but the biggest shock was still to come when she volunteered to go in goals 1 game and WOW although we lost, what a game. If Jess put her mind to it she would make a very good goalie. Good season Jess.

Melanie Costello - Mel had a very good season and mainly played in the midfield with the occasional game as stopper. She tried her hardest every game and was often called into action to get us out of trouble with her big kicks. Mel scored 1 goal for the season, keep up the good work Mel.

U12/1 Girls

Tayla Egan - Tayla played some excellent games and used her speed to have the opposition defences chasing dust but poor finishing, another confidence thing, kept her goal tally down. She started as striker but soon moved into the midfield and was our go forward player. Tayla scored the winner in our first win of the year and finished with 6 goals for the year, 3 in the gala day and 3 in the competition. Tayla was joint recipient of the coach's player of the year. A great season Tayla.

Jessica Eid - Jess was our starting goalkeeper and played some very good games but after getting a run on the field and scoring our first goal of the season after 7 games she lost interest in the goalie spot and starting to play in the midfield and as stopper. She carried out these positions quite admirably and proved to be a reliable and safe defender. Jess scored 1 goal for the year, good work Jess.

Emily Hawkes - Emily "Mel" played several positions but mainly as stopper or in the midfield and was a key member of the team. She has a very good kicking technique and used this on many occasions to get us out of trouble. Emily scored 5 goals, 2 in the gala day and 3 in the competition (2 great free kicks and the other the goal of the year), an excellent season Emily.

Rhiannon Lovric - Rhiannon played nearly every position on the field except sweeper and tried her hardest what ever position she played. She was another who didn't care how big or small they were, she would just get in their faces and talk their ears off. No really, what Rhiannon lacked in skill she made up for in enthusiasm, well done Rhiannon.

Jasmine Mackay - Jazzy played every game the same way, she would just get stuck in and kick and chase everything they either came or got in her way. She also played in goals and made

many a fine save, some of her saves even had opposition coaches amazed. If every player in the team played with the same intensity as Jasmine each week we would be unbeatable, good work Jasmine.

Temmah Ryan - Temmah was a first year player and improved immensely with every game. She mainly played as a striker and would get stuck in and try her best every time she took the field, she actually supplied the final pass for our first goal of the year. She scored 1 goal for the year in the u/12 gala day and was selected as our most improved player for the year. Well done Temmah.

Georgia Slingerland - Georgia was our every where girl and played many a fine game. She had an excellent year and despite being the baby of the team could always be relied on to lead by example. Georgia played midfield all year but was often the last player in defence to clear some dicey situations. Georgia was the coach's joint player of the year, a great season Georgia.

Jessica Stylli - Jess had a very good year and played mainly sweeper with the occasional game in midfield and the odd game as striker. Jess doesn't like sweeper but is very good at her position and is able to read the game well and kick with both feet which is a great asset for a sweeper. Keep up the good work Jess a really good year.



U6 Kookaburra's

These are the 5 questions we asked the kids and under that is there responses.

1. ***What do you like to do when you are not playing soccer?***
2. ***If you had \$10 pocket money what would you spend it on?***
3. ***If you could wish for one thing to happen in the world what would you wish for?***
4. ***What would you like to be or do when you are a grown up?***
5. ***If you had an invisible cloak for the day to wear what would you get up to and what places would you visit?***

Gisele Lucic-Posa

1. Swimming and shopping.
2. A toy torch.
3. I wish it would be summer all the time.
4. A dance teacher.
5. Pull down everyone's undies and go to the swimming pool.

Ali Ellabban

1. I like to play with my soccer ball at home and play Xbox 360.
2. I would buy a Ben 10 Alien Force toy.
3. I would wish for everyone in the world to make their own wishes.
4. I want to be a soldier or Ben 10 from Alien Force.
5. I would go to my uncles and cousins house to play there all day and sleepover.

Jye Lawn

1. I like to play footy.
2. A cool hat.
3. I wish for \$158.00 bucks.
4. I would like to be a policeman.
5. I would go to the beach and swim in the water.

Aimee Taylor

1. Playing running races with Ebony.
2. Ice creams.
3. To have a brother who can be nice to me.
4. Be happy and be a swimming teacher.
5. Just go to my friends houses and play.

Daniel Cutlac

1. I like to go fishing and I like to go to my cousins house and play guitar.
2. I will spend it on soccer ball and shin pads.
3. I wish to be rich and have no school.
4. I would like to go to Luna Park and be a good racing car driver.
5. I will visit Movieworld and Queensland.

Luke Haber

1. I like to play playstation, football, fishing with Dad.
2. I would spend it on myself, footy cards and toys.
3. Everything except nightmares.
4. A football player for the Dragons.
5. Mummies and Daddies bed rooms and other peoples houses.



Craig Posa(Manager), Daniel Cutlac, Jye Lawn, Gisele Lucic-Posa, Aimee Taylor, Marcel Haber (Coach), Ali Ellabban, Luke Haber

U12/1

BRAD – GK

Brad had a consistent season in goals. He made some vital saves throughout the season and towards the end became a more confident GK in himself & his ability to take charge of situations in and around his goal area. Well done.

CHRIS – FB

Chris had a good season at right fullback. Always went in hard and was a very reliable defender who could overlap down the wing & put in a nice cross. Improved his passing & dribbling skills. Well done.

CONNOR – FB

Did well throughout the year, very quick & reliable defender always looked for the short ball to use his pace by getting down the wing to get a cross in. Never gave his opposition any room to move. Well done.

JOSHUA.B - SWP

Played sweeper during the year, always went hard & fair. Josh could turn defence into attack by putting a nice long ball to the strikers. Did his job at the back of the defence well throughout the year. Well done.

JAYDEN - STP-MDF

Being the coach's son is hard. Jayden played in various positions during the year mainly at the back. Very quick player always there to cover the defence & score a goal when needed up front. Has good skills and pace & could beat a player with ease. Scored 5 goals. Well done.

SUNNY – FB

Well what an improvement, Sunny showed a lot of improvement during the year with his willingness to listen & learn he got more confident in his ability & it showed towards the end of the year. Always had a smile on his face. Well done good improvement.

MATT – MDF

Matt played in various positions during the year when asked to do a job for the team and always gave 110% putting his body on the line. Good dribbler of the ball when he was making his mazy runs down the wing to get a cross in. Scored 1 goal. Well done.

MARK – MDF

Mark had a consistent season playing at left half. Got down the side & behind the defence to get his crosses in & always fought hard for the ball. When asked to go to the middle of the park ran & tackled hard. Scored 1 goal. Well done.

BRADLEY – MDF

Missed a few games throughout the season but always gave 100% when on the field. Played mainly left or right half always got in & gave it his all going for the ball running and tackling. Well done.

KYLE – MDF

Moved to the centre of midfield for his passing game. Has good vision and could put a nice through ball for his strikers to run onto. Worked hard in midfield in shutting down his opposition with tight marking. Well done.

JARROD - MDF

Jarrold has a great left foot and showed this by scoring some good goals this year from distance which he needs to do more often. Worked hard in the midfield with tireless running & has good dribbling skills. Goals 6. Well done.

JASON – MDF

Played midfield & stopper during the year. A tireless worker who never shied away from the hard work. Controlled the middle of the park many times through the season. Good passer &

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skill as well. Very consistent year. Goals 5. Well done.

JOSHUA.S – STKR

Very pacey striker who made defenders life a misery at times with his speed & skill. Was unlucky through the year for the amount of work he done up front. Could beat a defender with ease & set up other players that ran off him. Goals 2. Well done.

RYAN - STKR

A bustling striker with a lethal shot to match could score a goal with either foot. Always ran hard at defenders and created a lot of scoring chances with his ability to beat his opposition hitting the post plenty of times this year. Our top scorer 7 goals. Well done.

From the coach

Well what a funny year. In the first round we were leading teams and letting them get back into the match to lose or draw which ended up with us only taking 6 points in the first round. Then the turn around where we took 30 points in the second half of year & showed what this team is capable of to just miss the semi's. Unlucky boys good finish to the year anyway, it was good to see u fight to the end. It's been a pleasure to coach the boys again. To all the parents thanks for the support & finally thanks to Wayne and Jaffa for all their help.

THANKYOU GLENN XUEREB.



U8 Sharks

These are the 5 questions we asked the kids and under that are their responses.

1. **What do you like to do when you are not playing soccer?**
2. **If you had \$10 pocket money what would you spend it on?**
3. **If you could wish for one thing to happen in the world what would you wish for?**
4. **What would you like to be or do when you are a grown up?**
5. **If you had an invisible cloak for the day to wear what would you get up to and what places would you visit?**

Drew Bunyan

1. Likes to play his Wii and Drawing & Colouring in.
2. He would save it to get enough money to buy a Playstation.
3. To have a cool car when he's older.
4. Wants to be in the Army.
5. Go to a candy shop and eat as much as he could.

Joshua Cassar

1. Motorbike riding.
2. Pokemon cards.
3. Be a better speller.
4. I would like to be a truck driver like my Dad,
5. I would visit Movie World in Queensland and Dreamworld.

Dylan Clements

1. Play Baseball.
2. I would buy McDonalds
3. I would wish that I could wish for anything, anytime.
4. I would like to be a soccer coach when I grow up.
5. I would go out of school and get a ripstick.

Nicholas Galayini

1. Play Playstation or my new DS, or play with Jake and Brock.
2. Chocolate.
3. No school.
4. Prime Minister of Australia .
5. Go to the chocolate factory and find out how my favourite chocolates are made. Visit the Prime Minister.

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Logan Gillon

1. Play Baseball.
2. Buy a cheap DVD.
3. For people not to be poor.
4. Become a vet.
5. Drive a Ferrari.

Nathan Haber

1. Play with my Brother and Mum. Play DS and Playstation and play with my toys.
2. Games, football cards, lollies and chips.
3. I wish I could fly like a bird.
4. Footy Player.
5. I'd like to visit China .

Joshua Heydon

1. Ride my scooter.
2. Lego.
3. Everything.
4. A Policeman.
5. Ride in a Limo and go to Jamberoo.

Nathaniel Olsson

1. Play with my dog, and Liam my brother.
2. I would save it, not spend it!
3. Win Lotto, and then I could buy my own soccer club.
4. I want to be a famous soccer player like David Beckham.
5. I would go to a soccer fields with my dog and let her run around, and play soccer.

Isaac (Miggy) Robillo

1. Play soccer in the backyard. Play with my Brother and Sister. Watch soccer on YouTube.
2. A Ben 10 toy.
3. I wish people would stop leaving rubbish on the ground. I wish people would not kill whales.
4. A famous soccer player....."The best that ever lived".
5. Not to work at school. Play on the basketball court in school when it's not my day. I would visit North America to play in Disneyland for free and I would also visit Antarctica .

Jake Taylor

1. Play the Playstation or the Computer.
2. Buy a soccer ball to play with it.

3. I would want to score a hat trick every game.
4. Play soccer for Australia .
5. Pick up the soccer ball and put it in the goal.



Top: Drew Bunyan

Middle: Megan Haber (Manager), Joshua Cassar, Nathaniel Olsson, Dylan Clements, Joshua Heydon, Jed Taylor (Coach),

Front: Nathan Haber, Logan Gillon, Miggy Robillo, Nicholas Galayini, Jake Taylor.

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Name: **Kaidon Brown**

Position Played: Midfielder

Favourite Sportsperson:

Favourite Movie: Simpsons

What Do You Enjoy Most About Playing Soccer? Dribbling the ball.

Name: **William Woods**

Position Played: Fullback

Favourite Sportsperson:

Favourite Band: Eminem

What Do You Enjoy Most About Playing Soccer? Having a good time with my mates.

Name: **Jahi Pritchard**

Position Played: Forward

Favourite Sportsperson: Darren Lockyer

Favourite Band: Chris Brown

What Do You Enjoy Most About

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Playing Soccer? Scoring Goals

Name: **Liam Camilleri**

Position Played: Midfield-Centre

Favourite Sportsperson: Harry Kewell

Favourite Band: AC/DC

What Do You Enjoy Most About Playing Soccer? Scoring Goals

Name: **Marco Dabbene**

Position Played: Midfielder

Favourite Sportsperson:

Favourite Movie:

What Do You Enjoy Most About Playing Soccer? Being a midfielder.

Name: **Nicholas Buenaatua**

Position Played: Midfielder

Favourite Sportsperson:

Favourite Movie:

What do you enjoy most about Playing Soccer? Playing with my mates.

Name: **Josh Nathan**

Position Played: Centre-Mid

Favourite Sportsperson: Harry Kewell

Name: **Nathan Turczac**

Position Played: Left Mid

Favourite Sportsperson: Willie Mason

Favourite Movie: Harry Potter

Name: **Thomas Bienasz**

Position Played: Right Forward

Favourite Movie: Pokemon

Favourite Sportsperson: Torres

What Do You Enjoy Most About Playing Soccer: Scoring Goals

Name: **Shariff Ellaban**

Position Played: Goalkeeper

Favourite Sportsperson: Renaldo

Favourite Band: Michael Jackson

What Do You Enjoy Most About Playing Soccer? Keeping out the

opposition.

Name: **Liam Smith**

Position Played: Fullback

Favourite Sportsperson: Tiger Woods

Favourite Band: AC/DC

What Do You Enjoy Most About Playing Soccer? Having Fun

Name: **Baley Wright**

Position Played: Forward

Favourite Sportsperson: Tim Cahill

Favourite Band: AC/DC

What Do You Enjoy Most About Playing Soccer? Passing the ball and having fun.

Name: **Jarrold Xerri**

Position: Played Centre Back

Favourite Sportsperson: Beckham

Favourite Band: AC/DC

What Do You Enjoy Most About Playing Soccer? Saving goals

The U9-1s did a great job this year they did their best every time they played. I wouldn't be the only one to say I was very proud of the boys and how they handled themselves on the field. Well done to all the boys for the wonderful effort they all put in this year and thankyou to all of the parents too. A big thankyou to Jaffa and James for all their effort in coaching and managing all the boys.



Prem's & Reserves

The start of the season began in November 2008 for the 2009 Prem's squad. There was a high player turnover from the previous year, but the nucleus of the squad was 100% committed to the cause. To fill the gaps, we were pleased to see some ex-Doonside Hawks juniors and friends of current players come down to give us a squad that was very strong.

We worked hard through the pre-season results were going our way for both Prem's and Reserves. Throughout the year, Reserves were in and out of the top 4 with the Prem's sitting on top of the ladder at times. A few injuries in the squad saw Reserves suffer, and a few losses on the trot, saw an end to their run.

Prem's suffered a mid season slump that saw them go from 1st to 5th with a position for the semis in doubt. It came down to the last game at St Pats, with a 2-0 win, we were through.

On this day, there was 2 things that I would like to mention publicly; the support from the Doonside community (committee, friends and family) was amazing. Our supporters are second to none. And secondly, this day saw the retirement of Glenn Xuereb' who has given 18 years of service to the Prem's Squad. The boys gave him a guard of honour to start the game and chaired him off when the game was finished. I know Glenn appreciated the sentiment and we all loved the fact that so many people came down to see him off. It won't be the last time we see Glenn; he is the O/35's problem now. haha

The semis saw a resurgence of form for the 1st grade, with a get out of jail win against St Pats and a convincing win against Minchinbury. Both games showed the quality and potential that this squad has. Once again our support through these games was fantastic.

Our Grand Final was against Parklea. The boys were jumping out of their skin to play the GF. There was a big crowd there to watch the match. We were up 1-0 nil for a while but this match was Parklea's. We had our periods of dominance, but they were the better team on the night.

To summarise the season, the squad exceeded our expectations, although Reserves missed the Semi's, they always gave 100% week to week... This was only achieved with the hard work from the lads on the field, at training and socially. The players this year became a squad and did it for each other.

We would like to thank the U/17's and O35's players that filled in throughout the season when we were short through injuries. In the long term we would love to see the juniors coming through to play Prem football for the Hawks and the 17's that were upgraded through the sea-

son, did the club proud

Finally I would like to thank the players for giving myself and Mick their commitment and respect to the squad, and the club this season. Thank you to The Doonside committee and their families for their support throughout the season. In my opinion, your support on game-day gave the lads the lift they needed to win. And thanks to Michael Messerschmidt, who shared the coaching role with me this season.

Prem's squad 2009

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| Daniel Abela | Mathew 'Pal' Morrison |
| Paul Barnes | Raphael Muema |
| Patrick Berghofer | Paul Murphy |
| Jonathon Bright | David Pedrucci |
| John Brillo | David Putland |
| Brendan Burston | Jarryd Saaghy |
| Peter Calderone | Stephen Scott |
| Jonathan Epselis | Mark "Chewy" Scriven |
| David Farrell | Harjaan 'Jay Jay' Sekhon |
| Zulf Goren | Joshua Sim |
| Andrew Housbey | Joshua Suwa |
| Mohammad Islam | Jordan Veleski |
| Scott Jackson | Matthew Vozzo |
| Jay Johnson | Nathan 'Jaffa' Wright |
| Micheal Messerschmidt | Glenn Xuereb |
| Luke 'The apprentice' Miller | Justin 'Jack' Yule |
| Maciej Mojsa | |



Glenn Xuereb retiring from the Prem's squad after 18 yrs



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2009 SEASON WRAP UP

This was always going to be a tough season for us. After finishing mid pack last year in Division 3 and losing a couple of players we were put up into Division 2 this year, but I must say the boys put in the hard work and had a great season, coming within a whisker of making the semi finals.

The boys finished the year in equal 4th place but missed out on the semis by just 4 "for and against" points.

I'd also like to highlight the fact that the boys conceded just 25 goals over the year, the second best in our competition, an excellent effort.

PLAYER PROFILES

James Harris played mostly mid field this year and was chosen on occasion to man mark opposition danger men due to his size and defensive ability.

Thomas Lofaro one of our smaller boys but TJ is always willing to scrap with the bigger players. Used in mid field this year because of his speed TJ is also happy to keep in goals when needed.

Thomas Marsh was our left fullback this year. Not our fastest player but one of our most tenacious. Comfortable using either foot as required in order to clear the ball.

Michael Smith played fullback and mid field this year. Missed the end of last year and the beginning of this year due to injury but proved very safe in defense when he returned.

Adam Withers our goal keeper. Adam was very safe in defense and directed the troops well from the back. Adam also made the most of his opportunities when playing out on the field.

Joshua Cristofoli (Josh) played out on the left wing and made many damaging runs during the season. Positioned himself well to pick up a lot of scraps around goals.

Alex Wedgwood is one of our quickest players and another one of our little men who play well above their weight. Alex played mid field for us and didn't stop running all year..

Predrag Alavanja probably our most technically skillful player. Used mostly in the middle of the park to direct play and on occasion used to man mark opposition danger men out of the match. Predrag was also our top goal scorer this year.

Adrian Menjivar was our main striker this year. He has a big kick and was our most dangerous penalty taker. Proved safe at the back when called upon to cover for Jonno. Our second top goal scorer this year.

Jonathan Godinez (Jonno) came back to the team this year after 2 seasons away. Played sweeper for us this year. Very safe at the back, reads the play well, led the backs well.

Ahmed Darwish our smallest player. Ahmed wasn't afraid to get in with the big boys and was rewarded with a goal this year. This little guy is quick and gets the job done. Big hearted player.

Shiva Krishna unfortunately Shiva missed a lot of the year. When he was available he was our reserve keeper. When on the field he followed direction well.

Aaron Omokaro probably our quickest player. Aaron played striker this year and is developing his skills well. Aaron scored his first goal for Doonside in Round 9.

Kasemphan Sukthet (Kasem) played up front at striker and also attacking mid field. He chased the ball down well and was rewarded with 2 goals this year.

Patrick Abouchaaya - This was Pat's first year with Doonside and what an asset he was to the team. Defended well at right fullback and ran the ball up well when given the opportunity.

I was very proud of the way the boys conducted themselves this year both on and off the field and on behalf of Jeff and myself I would like to say thank you to the boys for a great season. It was a pleasure to manage the team this year and I can't wait for next year!

David Marsh
Manager,
Doonside Hawks U14/2, 2009



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Some good hearted humour
when two team mates in the
O35/3's faced off against each
other as Coach's in the
U14/2's.

U12/3

Firstly I would like to thank the children and the parents for their support this year. We started off the season with a few hiccups but with two dual registrations and a change of coach, the season improved dramatically...and the team blossomed like champions.

Thankyou to Christian Talbot for taking on the role of coach, you made such an amazing difference to the team's self esteem, the team, the parent and myself would like to extend our appreciation, for all that you have done, you were fantastic with our kids and words cannot express how much we appreciate you taking over the role of Coach. I would also like to thank those parents that helped out with the bbq and Keith Leroy for being the Ground Official every week, without all of your support it would have been impossible to function efficiently as a team. Here is our team:

Nayab - Was a late arrival to the team and we welcomed him like an old mate, his skills in the mid-field were a great help.

Harsimran - Was one of our strikers and he worked hard every week to hit the back of the net with the ball.

Bailey - Is new to the game of soccer and every week we watched his soccer skills improve, his throw in's were terrific towards the end of the season. Well done.

Josh - Played stopper for our team and worked hard every week, fearlessly tackling our opposing teams players, Josh's game improved weekly along with his confidence.

Trent - Started the season as our sweeper until around the last six weeks when our new coach saw a goal keeper in the making, so Trent changed roles and improved weekly as our new keeper.

Bruce - played in our mid's he did his best to be wherever the ball was, he worked hard every week.

Kyle - played well wherever he was positioned, he worked hard every week, we were lucky to have such a versatile player in our team, Well done.

Mitchell - is new to the game of soccer coming from Rugby League, so learning new rules such as kick, don't catch applied he improved every week without one hand ball. Well done Mitch.

Nowell - Had a great time this year, he did his best to

mark up and stay on top of his opposing player. Nowell is a great team player and did his best all the time.

Braeden - was another striker although he travelled the field making sure he was wherever help was needed. Braeden had a great year he improved weekly and played to the best of his ability at all times.

Adam - played in our back with noticeable improvement every week, he is a great team player and did his best to help whenever needed. Well done.

Timothy - started the season as our goal keeper although he itched to be on the field amongst the action which he did end up doing toward the end of the season and enjoyed every minute.

Luke - Played in the wing for the majority of the season but once the new coach sorted the boys positions, Luke found his calling as our team sweeper taking Trent's place and it was very obvious that's where he belonged with his great boot.

Emily - Was one of our dual registrations and we were thankful for her arrival. She wasn't scared to take on the boys at all, her defence was outstanding.

Rhiannon - Was our other dual registration and we were as equally thankful to have her join our team, she also took on the boys with gusto and was a fantastic defender. Both girls were an asset to our team and we were delighted to have them join us.

Well done boys and girls we are proud of every one of you, you have all improved throughout the year, a tough beginning turned out to be a terrific ending. I look forward to seeing you all next year.

Jeanette Leske
Manager U12/3



U9/4

Well I can not believe the season has finally ended, it only seems like yesterday I was registering my son to play. It has been an interesting season with bad weather and of course, for the Under 9's a total regrading. This resulted in the comp starting again for the boys half way through the season. But we finished the season 4th on for and against (equal 3rd) and 2 points off 1st. We put up a great effort in the 1st final but unfortunately did not win 1-0. Very close game. It was with great pleasure that I was able to manage this team this season. They were a great bunch of boys. I hope they continue to play with such positive and fun attitudes. I would also like to thank all the families of the boys. Their support of the boys each week was great and for those who helped with BBQ, Fundraising and Ground Official duties a special thanks. Darryn McColl was our assistant coach this year, I would like to also thank him for his help. It was much appreciated. As both a Manager and a parent, my final thank you goes to Brad Dalkeith the Under 9/4's coach. He always showed commitment and fairness towards the boys in the team. He started out with a bunch of boys with different strengths and was able to transform them into a team who over the course of the season had improved and loved playing soccer every week. A job well done!

Dylan Becker

Favourite Movie: Alvin and the Chipmunks

Favourite Sportsperson: Brett Stewart

Favourite Position on Field: Mid can go up and down the field, 60% chance to score, I can not wait to get my goal.

Coach's Comment: Played fullback and midfield – always gave his best and has shown great improvement thru out the season. Keep up the good work.

Krishneel Chand

Favourite Movie: Ice Age 3

Favourite Sportsperson: David Beckham

Favourite Position on Field: Back I am good at the back and can tackle.

Coach's Comment: Played left fullback and midfield – as the season went on his tackling skills improved and showed he could play his position well. Well Done.

Justin Collier

Favourite Movie: Rush Hour 3

Favourite Sportsperson: Cristiano Ronaldo

Favourite Position on Field: Midfield you are able to help both the strikers and fullbacks to score and save goals
Coach's Comment: Centre Fullback – always gave 100% and was not scared to take on the opposition, we could always count on his big kick. Great team player.

Benjamin Dalkeith

Favourite Movie: Harry Potter

Favourite Sportsperson: Benji Marshall

Favourite Position on Field: Goal Keeper I like helping my team by saving goals and I love diving to save goals
Coach's Comment: Goalkeeper – he grew thru out the season in this position and saved some great goals thru out the year. Keep up the good work.

Jayden Davies

Favourite Movie: Transformers 2

Favourite Sportsperson: Andrew Johns

Favourite Position on Field: Striker I like being at the front.

Coach's Comment: Striker – was always on the run and scored some great goals this season and assisted with many more. Keep up the good work.

Mitchell Hughes

Favourite Movie: Harry Potter - all of the Series

Favourite Sportsperson: Michael Jennings

Favourite Position on Field: Midfield I can get passes to the forwards and we can score.

Coach's Comments: Forward and centre mid – very strong in the midfield and scored some great goals this season with his big foot. Well done.

Shivesh Jas

Favourite Movie: Transformers

Favourite Sportsperson: do not have one

Favourite Position on Field: Midfield can run the whole field.

Coach's Comments: Midfielder and fullback – always gave 100% and utilised some great skills on the field this season. Keep up the good work.

Liam Kocsis

Favourite Movie: Pokemon Lucario and the Mystery of Mew

Favourite Sportsperson: Nathan Hindmarsh

Favourite Position on Field: Striker I like to score, I am fast and know tricks to get past defenders and goalies.

Coach's Comments: Right forward – always held position well and could always rely on him to finish the job. Good team player.

Cayne Matejus

Favourite Movie: Yesman

Favourite Sportsperson: Hasem El Masrie

Favourite Position on Field: Fullback

Coach's Comments: Left fullback – wasn't afraid to go into tackles and showed great improvement as the season went on. Keep up the good work.

Connor McColl

Favourite Movie: Pokemon

Favourite Sportsperson: Jarrod Hayne

Favourite Position on Field: Fullback I stop the ball getting to the goal keeper.

Coach's Comments: Right fullback/ back up goal-keeper – always held his position well and was never

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afraid to go in hard in tackle when defending his goals.
Well Done.

Jacob Miller

Favourite Movie: 12 Rounds

Favourite Sportsperson: Triple H

Favourite Position on Field: Midfield love running all over the field.

Coach's Comments: Right midfielder – always gave his best and showed great improvement thru out the season. Keep up the good work.

Rajbir Nijjar

Favourite Movie: Shark Boy and Lava Girl

Favourite Sportsperson: Brett Lee

Favourite Position on Field: Fullback you get to do long kicks.

Coach's Comments: Midfielder – always tried his best and always played with great enthusiasm. Well done.

Damon Sutton

Favourite Movie: Happy Gilmore

Favourite Sportsperson: Cristiano Ronaldo

Favourite Position on Field: Mids you get more opportunity to score goals.

Coach's Comments: Centre midfielder – played position well by assisting the backs and forwards when needed and showed a “never give up attitude”. Well done.

Blake Talbot

Favourite Movie: Zombieland

Favourite Sportsperson: Jonathon Thurston

Favourite Position on Field: Striker

Coach's Comments: Left forward – a good team player who always chased the ball down and his passing of the ball assisted many goals this season. Keep up the good work.

Zachary Thalib

Favourite Movie: Madagascar 2

Favourite Sportsperson: Benji Marshall

Favourite Position on Field: Left Mid I have a chance at scoring a goal.

Coach's Comments: Midfield/allrounder - with his never give up attitude he showed both his defending and attacking skills and is a great asset to have on the field. Well done.

From the Coach:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the U9/4's for a great season. It was a great pleasure to coach a bunch of boys who were keen to learn and grow as a team.

Our achievements this year showed how our strength and never give up attitude helped us make it to the semi

finals.

I would also like to thank Margaret and Darryn for their assistance this season and also to the parents for their continued support to both the boys and myself. Hope to see you all in 2010.

Brad



U8 Kangaroo's

Bianca Chaterjee – Bianca was new to the game this year and was poached from the U7s to play in our all girl U8 team. Although she missed a few games, she was keen to play and learn and will benefit from another year in Rooball next year before heading onto the big field. Let's get those flashy white boots a bit dirtier next year Bianca!

Tayla Craig – What a little terrier – Tayla can outrun and outplay most opposition players and goes in hard for the tackle coming out with the ball the majority of the time. She reads the play well and is really going to be one to watch in the future.

Natalia Lisowski – Natalia was often left alone in the backline but luckily was very reliable and able to save the day on many occasions. With her ability to read the play and time her tackle perfectly she was able to bring many 'strikers' to their knees.

Alicia Patanan – Alicia runs like a whippet and is not afraid to tackle – her fast thinking and faster legs were rewarded throughout the season with a few goals and a few assists as well. Don't forget to take your glasses off Alicia!!!

Natarsha Srsa – This was Natarsha's first year playing but I wasn't surprised to see her go in hard right from the start having seen how her sister Lucinda had taken to the game. Natarsha improved from week to week and I even thought we might see a goal before the end of season - especially when that DS was on offer!

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Cheyenne 'Shorty' Watkinson – Shorty's skills and confidence definitely grew throughout the year and there was some good aggressive plays being made by the end of the season. Cheyenne will also enjoy another year on the Rooball field where I am sure she will teach some of those boys a lesson or two. Remember, Shorty – run hard & play hard.

Cheyenne 'Blondie' Withers – Blondie impressed many with her aggressive play when going for the ball – many a goal was stopped by a fast run by her to cut off a pass. Great season Blondie – good things do come in small packages. By the way I know you want to be called 'Blossom' but I can't get out of the habit of saying 'Blondie'!

Special thanks to Michael Brown and his U8 Echidnas who helped us out on many occasions so we were able to field a full team or just be there to give my girls a break. Thanks boys – much appreciated.

Thanks also to Danny for helping with the team this year.



U6 Sharks

Deklyn: "The Skilled Shark"

Deklyn showed fantastic skills in all areas of the game. This little shark does not stop. Attacking, defending, passing and terrific teamwork skills he has it all.

Mitchell: "The Left Foot Legend"

Mitchell has great ball control skills and a fabulous powerful left foot. Mitchell never stops trying he has a heart of a lion and a love for the game.

Jessika: "The Little Energiser"

Jessika has a wonderful attitude towards the game. She improved so much throughout the year. Jessika never stops trying, always willing to get in the middle and give her best. What a fabulous 1st year.

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Ryan: "The Step-Over King"

Ryan shows great skills and his trade mark step over has the opposition baffled. Ryan also has a great awareness of the game, a wonderful sportsman.

Thomas: "The Speed Demon"

Thomas shows lightning speed to get to the ball in attack and defence, also showing good ball skills making this young man a great soccer player. What a fantastic 1st year.

Emma: "The Power Player"

Emma showed great skills and tackling techniques throughout the year. Emma has a powerful kick and a great friendly nature, making her a fantastic sports-woman and great soccer player.

Cooper: "The Tackling Tiger"

Cooper kept improving all year. Cooper showed great tackling techniques and ball skills. Cooper is very enthusiastic about the game of soccer. Cooper is always willing to give his best.

U/6 SHARKS:

*What a fabulous team! As a coach I couldn't have asked for a better team, in **attitude** and **skills**. I as a coach really enjoyed the season. Watching these young soccer players come together as a team, improve on their skills and share the love of the game is a wonderful achievement for me. I would like to thank Don Nash who was our team manager, for all his help throughout the season with training and game days, THANKYOU!*

PARENTS:

I would like to thank the parents of the U/6 Sharks. You all made the effort each week with training and game days. Your continued support throughout the season was greatly appreciated. The kids really thrive when we have a great cheer squad and I have to say most of the time our supporters by far outnumbered the players on the field, this is wonderful to see.



Player's Profiles

U6 Magpies



Getting to know the players of the U6 Magpies

What is your favourite colour?

Max	Red
Zac	Green
Jayden	Red
Julius	Blue
Abby	Pink
Jason	Yellow
Brannen	Green
Walter (Coach)	Blue
Sarah (Manager)	Red

What is your favourite food?

Max	Nuggets
Zac	Fruit Loops
Jayden	Popcorn
Julius	Popcorn
Abby	Pasta
Jason	McDonalds
Brannen	Wraps
Walter (Coach)	BBQ
Sarah (Manager)	Japanese

What is your favourite TV show?

Max	Little Einsteins
Zac	Wiggles
Jayden	Ben 10
Julius	Ben 10
Abby	Simpsons
Jason	Ben 10
Brannen	Ben 10
Walter (Coach)	Two and Half Men
Sarah (Manager)	Project Runway

What is your favourite movie?

Max	Transformers
Zac	Ben 10 movie
Jayden	Star Wars
Julius	Harry Potter
Abby	Hanna Montana
Jason	Bolt
Brannen	Ben 10 movie
Walter (Coach)	Transformers
Sarah (Manager)	Casablanca

What was the best thing about playing soccer this year?

Max	Scoring goals
Zac	Kicking the ball
Jayden	Scoring goals
Julius	Beating the other teams
Abby	Winning the trophy

Jason Brannen	Scoring goals Playing with the other kids
Walter (Coach)	Watching the kids grow & have fun & enjoy the game.
Sarah (Manager)	Watching the kids have fun and come together as a team.

What a great season. I have really enjoyed managing the U6 Magpies in 2009. I would like to thank the parents for their co-operation through out the season and thank you to Walter for coaching the team and bringing out the best in our players.

Highlights

- Our seven players, Max, Zac, Jayden, Julius, Abby, Jason & Brannen, who were playing as individuals in the beginning came together as a team.
- The player's skills developing.
- The look of achievement on the player's faces when they were presented with the Player of the Week trophy.
- The reaction when they scored a goal – jumping up and down, fists punching the air, running around the field (even if it was at the wrong end!).
- Watching Jayden & Max at the disco – forget soccer we have the next Aussie dance stars.

THANK YOU TO MAX, ZAC, JAYDEN, JULIUS, ABBY, JASON & BRANNEN - A FANTASTIC TEAM & A GREAT SEASON IN 2009.



OUR END OF SEASON CELEBRATION



U10/1 Girls

This year was like a roller coaster ride, the girls started off the season with some good wins but then fell in a hole losing a couple of games before they got it back together to finish off the season as they had started.

Overall this season has been a good one for the team, as the girls were always giving their all and improving with every game they played. The girls soon realized that they could beat sides, if they worked together for the entire match. Even when the girls did lose the game, they were narrow, heart breaking defeats. I can only commend their girls on their enthusiasm and enjoyment whether it was at training or during the game. As a coach, it brought me great joy and pleasure to be able to watch the girls develop their skills this year and to also see the great friendship that developed amongst the girls

On behalf of the rest of the team and myself, I would like to thank the parents for the support and encouragement during the year. As it is this type of dedication that made my job easier ensuring that we had a full side every week.

Finally, I would like to thank our sponsor's
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The Team:

Ellen Slingerland; Mikayla Harris; Lucinda Srsa; Madeleine Lovric; Jade Copland; Caitlin O'Connor; Jadeine Quayle; Aleisha Thornton; Summer Honey; Kate Rankin; Jordan Van Baars; Zoe Chessell; Deannae Nohra and Telleah Watkinson

Regards

Coach – Jeff Harris Manager- Cindy O'Connor



U6 Lions

These talented young athletes have enjoyed a tremendous year. They all played exceptionally well and showed great sportsmanship not only towards each other but also to the teams they have played against.

Each person has enjoyed the euphoria of scoring goals and has brought with them to the team their own different skills and personalities.



Jacob is extremely fast and has the strongest kick of any 6 year old I have seen. His kicks are so strong that he has scored goals from the other end of the field. Jacob was "Man of the Match" in Rounds 5 and 11.



Ethan is our pocket rocket. He can be in the thick of attacking one moment and the next he's at the other end protecting his goal. Ethan was "Man of the Match" in Rounds 2 and 15.



Brock not afraid of the ball or opponents gets in there and challenges everything. He plays well as a forward or a back. Brock was "Man of the Match" in Rounds 7 and 12.



Xavier is a natural sweeper. He prefers to hang back just a little to clean up any loose balls. He also has a strong kick and gets the ball back to the forwards. Xavier was "Man of the Match" in Rounds 10 and 14.



Lachlan started off the year very quiet by the end of the year he had done a total turn around. He has become more confident and kicks the ball when it comes near him. Lachlan was "Man of the Match" in Rounds 3 and 17.



William new to the game of soccer learnt very fast what the game was all about and instinctively knows when to fall back and work as a full back. William was "Man of the Match" in Rounds 1 and 16.



Michael isn't afraid to put his body on the line (just like his big brother Jay) to save or gain the ball. He is able to kick with his left or right foot when scoring goals. Michael was "Man of the Match" in Rounds 6 and 13.

Many thanks go to Michelle and Paula (just two of our great parents) for organising a great team end of year picnic. It was a great day. Well done boys you all should be very proud of your achievements this year.

Keep enjoying your soccer.

Gail



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Stephen

It was Stephens first season but that didn't stop him from chasing down the ball at every opportunity. Showing no fear, it was not unusual to see Stephen face an opponent that towered over him. It was his sheer determination that made Stephen an asset to the team



Rahil

No matter where he was on the field he never stopped surprising his team mates or the opposition. It didn't matter if it was a controlled cross from the side line giving the opposition goalie a scare, chasing down an attacker that broke our defense or filling in as goalie Rahil never gave up.



Lorenzo

What a great year Lorenzo had, his wonderful ability to read the game and predict the opposition's next move enabled him to turn defense into attack with his well placed boot. A solid defender Lorenzo gave 110% every week.



Justin

Justin had a good season, his reliable boot saw him find the back of the net regularly. A good team player, always looking for an opportunity to move the ball into clear space.



Guled

A good all rounder, Guled was able to play just about anywhere and fill the gap when needed. A strong and accurate kick turned defense into attack when needed to or his great ball skills meant he was able to out play the opposition and break their rhythm.



Karandip

A quiet achiever and great team player, Karandip could be heard directing play in the backline. A solid defender, he was always there to stop that opposition break or help the keeper. Directing play in the backline.



Aydin

Mr reliable, it didn't matter what position he was asked to play, Aydin proved himself as a great all rounder. There wasn't a game that Aydin didn't cut the mid-field to pieces and having a 1 on 1 battle with the goalie.



Alex

Often dazzling the opponents with his fancy foot-work, Alex had a great season. It didn't matter whether he was playing up front or in the mid field Alex was always able to thrill and entertain us with his magic.



Sanveet

Sharing the duties of goalie with Austin, Sanveet saved many goals much to the disappointment of the opposition striker. When on the field he was always there to steal the ball and get it up to the forwards.



Gurdit

Whenever Gurdit took the field he made sure he gave his best effort. A great asset to the back line he blocked the opposition attack at every opportunity.



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Samuel

New to the team, Samuel enjoyed the season. Playing out on the wing, it was his speed that allowed him to get the ball up the business end of the field and his skillful cross often gave the centre's a good scoring opportunities, of course that was unless he slipped it past the goalie himself.



Austin

Austin decided to have a break from being a full time keeper this year. It was not a problem to adapt to being on the field again, as sweeper he helped protect the goals and up front he enjoyed the feeling of scoring a goal or two himself. A terrific season and great contribution to the team.



Karthik

Speed is vital and luckily for us Karthik was able to deliver this every week. Pushing the opposition attack to the side line, out running their forwards or just being able to cover the gaps in our own defense, Karthik was a dependable part of the team.



Matty

If you want consistency, then you can depend on Matty 100%. Playing either in the back or defensive mid, Matty never gave up moving the ball to our attack. Often frustrating the other team with his strong running and determined cover defence.



All Age Ladies - Div 3

What a season, we started the season off a bit slow and it didn't help with the injuries we encountered. We welcomed a few new players to the team and it was a pleasure to see them grow week to week thru out the season. With our great team spirit and willingness to get on with the job, we were success for another year with making the semi finals. Unfortunately our dreams of making the grand final this year ended with losing the semi final, but we did not go down without a fight.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Jeff for his assistance this year and also to the ladies of the AAL3 for another great year, it was a pleasure to coach you and I wish you all the very best for the 2010 season, (I will still be there as a supporter).

Brad



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This season was a season of 2 halves in which we played some very good football and at other times lost concentration and played ordinarily. What we did learn this season is how to pass the ball and play great attacking football and score goals. If we can improve our concentration and stick to the game plan, we will become a good side that can achieve great results.

Mickeal

Mickeal you are a good solid keeper who this season has learnt a lot about positioning. You have good reflexes and good kick both from your hands and from goal kicks. Keep working on your positioning and trust your ability to stay off your line when the ball is at half way and you will continue to improve.

Lyndon

Lyndon you have good speed and nice close ball skills to dribble the ball. During the season your passing game improved and you showed that you can score goals. Keep working on your close ball skills and passing game and you will continue to improve as a player. Good season.

Lauren

You have lightening pace that this year helped you get in behind a lot of defences. This year your finishing improved out of sight with you learning to be calmer when shooting for goal and passing the ball past the keeper rather than straight at them. When you start being first to the ball in defence you will be even more effective. Great work in being our leading goal scorer.

Bayley

Bayley, when you put your mind to it and don't stand back you are a solid defender who wins a lot of tackles. Have more confidence in your ability and you will perform at a higher level more consistently. Keep learning to concentrate and get in good positions and you will become a better player.

Nigel

For your 1st year of soccer you had a very good season and got better as the season went on. You chased the ball hard and always tried your best scoring a couple of good goals this season. Keep working on your kicking and passing skills and you will keep improving. Well done.

Blake

You have some very good skills and we see them a lot in training but not always on the game day. When you play a little more aggressively these skills come into your game and you win good tackles and make good passes to the wing and strikers. Work on this and you will be a much more consistent player.

Good season.

Bardia

Bardia, you have a very good clearance kick and settled well into a defensive role. You can play in a number of positions and showed what a good defender you can be particularly when playing on the right. With some more work on your concentration and using your clearing kick out of the box, you will greatly improve as a defender. Good work this season.

Brodie

You did well this season particularly towards the end of the season. You have a good kick and can run well with the ball. With a little more work on your passing game and getting more involved in play, you could be a greatly improved player. Good work this season.

Brandon

You showed that you are a versatile player starting well as a striker this year and settling down well as a holding midfielder by the end of the season. You can pass the ball well, tackle and showed you can finish well. If you improve your positional play a little you will become an outstanding player. You do listen and follow instructions well. Well done this season.

Aarnav

This season you showed that you can tackle very well. You have a good kick that can clear the ball well from our line when you concentrate but need to have more confidence to use that big kick more often. Also sometimes do not hold your position well enough but with some more work on that will be an even better defender. Well done this season.

Ryan

You had a good season this year and developed some good leadership as captain. Played the first half of the season in centre of defence helping organise it and done well but went much better when you went to your normal position on the wing. You do very well when running with the ball and showed good

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vision to pass the ball often. Scored some good goals but need to work more on your finishing. A very good season.

Marc

Mark, you consistently played well in the backs with some great tackling and cover defending. You also did well passing the ball out of defence to the midfield. You are good running with the ball but sometimes try to do this when a clearing kick is needed. Work on improving your clearing kick and you will be a top defender. Well done this season.

Sean

For a player in your first season you showed some great skills running and passing the ball. You showed some good awareness in making good passes. You need to learn not to always run to the ball and hold your position and allow the ball to come with you. When you do this you will find that you became a fantastic player. Good first season Sean.

PJ

You greatly improved this season in a lot of areas. You become more confident in your ability and this meant that you used the abilities you have more. You tackled and won lots more ball and also improved your passing game. You need to remember not to toe poke the ball which you some times do and could be a little more aggressive. A great season of improvement for you this season PJ well done.

Prabhjot

You have great tacking skills and it was great to see you pass some great balls out of defence in to the midfield to start our attacking raids. You did some good work organising our defence too. Work on improving your positional play a bit and not always going towards the ball making sure that someone always stays in the middle and you will take your great skills and become a great leader in the team. Good season.



U16/1 Girls

This season was one of great learning with a number of players playing for the first time. Despite this and some of the score lines that went against us, it was a season that in many ways was quite successful. During the season we learned to play as a team and at times played some great soccer. The main issue was having enough fit players on the park at any one time with the majority of our games being played short. However this never effected your attitude and commitment or your love of the game. In all the years I have been involved with soccer, I have never seen a team of players with the dedication and commitment that you showed and I was extremely proud to be associated with you. I hope you all enjoyed your season and come back next year and I wish you all the very best.

2 Erin Miller

Erin you showed some great leadership this year to go along with the skills that you have developed over the years. You spent most of the season playing out of position in our defense but showed what a strong defender you are. In addition to the leadership you started to be a more physical player which as this continues will make you a better all round player. Keep up the good work Erin.

3. Remy Kokatis

Remy you had a great first season with us and are a player that is always full of energy and enthusiasm. You are a very skillful player who developed a good combination in our central midfield with the players around you and often caused the opposition trouble. Remy, you will be a fantastic player when you can stay in position more which will be much easier when you play in a full team each week. Great season Remy

4. Erin Overton

Erin you had an outstanding season moving from midfield into defense. Despite this switch, you were our most improved player this season. Never taking a backward step even against much bigger opposition, you almost always won your tackles. You learned to position herself just right to stop crosses coming in and made it difficult for opposition attackers. Keep working on your clearing kick and you will improve even further. Great Season Erin.

5. Caitlin Putland

Caitlin played in a few positions when needed this year but mainly on the wing. On a number of occasions this year you showed what a tenacious and strong player you are with great ball moving and crosses. When in the mood, you have a great long pass as well. Caitlin you

U16/1 Girls

would improve even further if she could find more consistency which would come with more focus and "getting in the mood" more often. This will help you take the next step. Well Done.

6. Tahlia Miller

Tahlia had a bit of a disruptive season this year but did show great improvement over the course of the season. You are a player who very much got involved in the play and made many good tackles and passes. In some games you were a little bit timid and will continue the improvement she showed this year if you have a little more confidence in your ability. Well done.

7. Christie Lee Smith

Another player who joined us for the first time this year and played mainly in our defense and midfield. Christie Lee your great pace and ability to read the play allowed you to win a lot of challenges. You are a good tackler and will greatly improve as you learn to pass the ball more often and learn different methods of kicking the ball. A great first season Christie Lee keep improving.

8. Sarah D'Oliveiro

Sarah you are a player who on her day is a tenacious and energetic player and who can constantly pressure the opposition. During the season you showed this on a number of occasions. You are a great character around the team however would be much improved being more of a team player. Sarah you will greatly improve when you learn how to position yourself so you can stay on her feet more rather than being knocked to the ground. Well done this season Smiley.

9. Breegan Schwass

Breegan played for the first time in competition this year and was outstanding no matter where she played. You were outstanding in goals a position you selflessly played often without complaint despite not wanting to be there. You were also brilliant in the centre of our defense and a great leader on and off the pitch as our captain. You will improve when you learn to clear the ball from our box with the great clearance kick you have but a great season and very worthy joint winner of this years coach award. Fantastic season Breegan.

10. Demi Francis

For a player that was playing a number of years above your age you had an outstanding season. You never

took a backward step against bigger and older opposition often having to play up front on your own which showed great courage. You have great speed, are good with the ball at your feet and showed you are a good finisher. You will improve as a striker when you put more pressure on the defenders when the ball is on half way but this is difficult when you are up front on your own. Demi a well deserved co winner of the coaches award. Great work.

11. Caitlyn Suto

Caitlyn unfortunately battle a few injuries this year but you showed great improvement for your first season. You showed some good ability with the ball at your feet and when playing in defense you showed good ability to keep players out on the sideline. When playing in goals you also showed some good ability and made some excellent saves. A good first season Caitlyn who will be better with a little more confidence in her ability.

15. Rachel Abouchaaya

Rachel you showed some good combinations in our central midfield with some of the players around you. You have a good short passing game, run well with the ball and showed on a couple of occasions that you have a great shot scoring a couple of great goals from distance. You would be more effective staying more central and getting forward a little more but this will be much easier playing in a full team each week. Great season Rachel keep up the good work.

16. Allie Rutherford

Allie a good first season and you improved well over the course of the season. You are an energetic player who always gave 100% each week and you showed some good skills. Once you learn to position your body a little better and use your height you will be a much better player. Keep on working on your skills and have some more confidence in your ability and you will improve greatly next season. Good work Allie.



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U7 Kookaburra's

What an impressive season the U7 Kookaburra's had. Despite limited training this year, the boys have all developed surprisingly well both individually and as a team. By seasons end they were playing as a team, supporting each other and most importantly having fun. It was a delight to coach these boys and I wish them all well as they move up into the under 8's next season.

Questions I asked the team:

1. What did you enjoy most about the season?
2. What did you learn?
3. Will you be playing again next season?

Josh

1. Making new friends
2. How to kick the ball and got more confidence over the season.
3. Yes

Josh showed great determination and significant improvement towards the end of the season. When he puts his mind to it, Josh has real potential and good skill.

Tristan

1. Playing soccer with my team mates and scoring goals
2. New ball skills and team work
3. Yes I will be playing next year.

Tristan's support play is his real strength. All season he would break with speed up the wing and put in a great cross which would more often than not result in a goal. Tristan has a real mind for the game.

Diego

1. Kicking the ball around and being with my friends
2. Team work and kicking the ball with my knee
3. Yes I will be playing again next season

As the youngest player on the team Diego showed massive improvement throughout the year. He never stopped enjoying the game and always listened and practiced what advice he was given.

Jonathon

1. I enjoyed playing the game every week.
2. I learnt how to play as a team.
3. Yes of course.

We could always rely on Jonathon to bring energy to the game. His speed and eagerness led to many goals and several crucial saves. He would never give up and gave 110% each game and during training.

Logan

1. Tackling, scoring goals and playing with mates
 2. Kicking longer, running faster
 3. Yes, definitely
- GO THE HAWKS !!!!!

Logan was never afraid to challenge the opposition. He would consistently win the 50/50 ball. His strength and attacking gameplay meant he made lots of breaks and scored numerous goals.

C.J.

1. Scoring lots of goals. Playing soccer with my friends.
2. Teamwork & passing
3. Yes.

A talented little player who showed a lot of skill and potential. His positioning showed a real understanding of the game and he was always a team player. He was unselfish with setting up goals and often scored them himself.

Connor

1. Running, passing and scoring goals
2. Dribbling the ball
3. Yes

A committed player with great defensive work. His ball skills are impressive and when he combined this with his speed, he was able to take on the opposition with a lot of success. Connor is very much a team player and is unselfish in his support for team mates.

A thankyou should also go to the Manager, Alicia Ozanne, for all her work during the season, and to the parents for their encouragement and support to the boys.



U10/3

We had an outstanding season this year, the season started with the team setting a goal to make the Semi Finals. After 18 rounds of soccer all involved in the team sat and watched some outstanding games, We had some big wins and narrow losses which made for an exciting season.

The boys ended up finishing 2nd after majority of the year holding 1st spot, the old saying comes to mind that it is harder to hold onto first then fight for it. After a couple of unfortunate losses and a draws we drop into 2nd and watched the table every week to see if the games would go our way to get back into the top spot. Not to worry though the boys 3 weeks from the end of season realised their goal of achieving the Semi Finals and reset ourselves to make the Grand Final.

Shannon and I could not have been happier with the way the kids developed their individual skills, come together as a team and developed into a team that others feared to play, the boys were focussed and every week took their best game to the paddock.

Every player pulled their weight and we have been fortunate enough to take out the coveted prize of Silver Goals for 2009 which is a credit to our Goal Keeper Bradden and defensive line up being, Blake, Brett, Deeraj, Matty H and Josh who were relentless in their game.

We finished the season with 14 wins, 2 losses, 2 draws - 46 Goals for and 13 Goals against.

We were unlucky but so close to achieving the Golden Goals falling short by a minor 4 goals with the last 3 weeks seeing a 3 way battle between the Under 10 - Under 13 and Under 15 for the prize.

Our Mid Field were essential to our

game every week and are always the work horses of the team having to run non stop for 50 minutes, attacking and suring up the defence but we had one of the strongest in the comp being Tyler, Dylan, Jordan, Daniel, Abraham, Danyon and Joe. Up front we had Strike force Nathan and Kyle

Our Captains were outstanding in leading the team and should be proud of their achievements, Jordan Captained our team for the majority of the season before heading of to the UK to trial for Man U and Tyler stepped in to finish out the season.

Boy be proud of what you achieved this year, I have enjoyed coaching you all season and I am extremely proud of what you achieved all season, proud that we are not a I player team but a team of players.

Every week you went out there did it for your mates and had fun along the way as a coach that is what we should strive for and leave the result as a bonus.

Good Luck to Dylan, Daniel and Jordan who have headed off to try for Spartans, remember there is always a spot in the team for you and hope you come back in 2010, but remember when playing for Australia your old coach and manager want tickets!!



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U12/2 Girls

On behalf of Michelle and Myself, I would like to thank all of the Girls and Their Families for the effort and support through out the year.

The start of the season saw some experienced players come together with some new players to the game. When I asked who wanted to be Goal Keeper? No Answer came forward. But within a couple of Games the 2 Shannon's, Ash and Abileigh would be challenging each other for the spot with Shannon Honey becoming our no 1 with Abileigh and the others close behind. Our Centre fullbacks and sweeper positions where hotly contested with Ash, Shannon and Bella rotating between them.

The outside backs Bonnie, Brittany and Tayla showed the opposition the sideline all day and never gave up, I of you is in for a surprise at the presentation for your hard work this year. Mid-field and Forwards where a mix of old and new players with Abileigh, Elsy, Anita, Tiarna KK and Anna all playing better each week. The team had an up and down year with our best result and first points coming with a draw just before the rain put a stop to the season. We were on a roll and really starting to build for our first win with excellent results before the draw to be stopped by the weather.

All year the Girls never gave up no matter how bad the result and always had a smile. Who are we? Hawks. Who Are We? Hawks.

WHO ARE WE? HAWKS!

Players Player was Shannon Honey.

Hope to see you all next year.



U13/3

First of all I would like to congratulate all the boys for a fantastic season, going through undefeated Minor Premiers. Moving up a division this year from Division 4 to 3, my expectations were to do our best to make the finals, but to go through undefeated far exceeded my expectations. I'd like to thank the new players that joined the team this year, Jayce Munro, Martin Gatto, Khalid Moussa, Mohammed Mohammed & Keinan Brown who returned to the team after a years absence, you have all fit into the team well and strengthened the team. Thanks also to all the returning players who put in 100% week in, week out.

I'd also like to thank the parent's for their support all year for the boys. Although losing the Grand Final in golden goal was tough on the boys, I'm still very proud of them for making the Grand Final the second year in a row and for the dominating year that they had on the field.

Thanks also to Igor my Manager who did a great job in his first year as a Manager. Look forward to seeing you all back in 2010 to continue our winning ways.

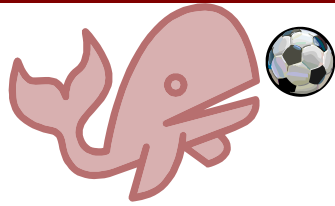
**Regards
Brent Copland
Coach**



Our team is made of:

- Alex Baldock - Fullback**
- Liam Baverstock-Ward - Fullback**
- Keinan Brown - Fullback**
- Justin Copland - Midfield**
- Thomas Dunn - Forward**
- Martin Flowers - Midfield**
- Martin Gatto - Midfield**
- Joshua Kennedy - Forward**
- Mohammed Mohammed - Midfield**
- Khalid Moussa - Midfield/Fullback**
- Jayce Munro - Striker**
- David Nyang - Forward**
- Sid Prasad - Midfield**
- Shane Seeto - Forward**
- Jarrood Suto - Goal Keeper**

U8 Whales



George Elias

Favorite sport: soccer

Favorite breakfast before game: Weat-Bix

Favorite Jersey Number: 2

What sport are u going to play next year? Rugby union (winter sport).

Comments:

What an outstanding season he had. George was an awesome attacker, who was often cutting through opposition and taking very powerful shots at goal. The team really missed George when he got sick through the season. Wow what a great talent George has, keep up on the great work hope to see you back with us next season.

Jason Nestoriadis

Favorite sport: soccer

Favorite breakfast before game: cheese and Mortadella toast

Favorite Jersey Number: 8

What sport are u going to play next year? Soccer for the hawks

Comments:

Wow Jason what an excellent season. Jason defended often just hanging back to sweep and clear out opposition often saving some sure goal's. Also did some really great attacking with some good passing to his team members. Well done Jason hope to have you back with us next year.

Joshua Mijas

Favorite sport: soccer

Favorite breakfast before game: coco pop's

Favorite Jersey Number: 1 (goaly)

What sport are u going to play next year? Soccer

Comments:

An outstanding season Joshua with out a doubt he was the best goaly, just a natural. Joshua saved so many goals that we lost count after 50 or so. What a great team player who we hope to see with us next year.

Ifran

Favorite sport: soccer

Favorite breakfast before game: coco pop's

Favorite Jersey Number: 6

What sport are u going to play next year? Soccer

Comments:

Wow what great attacking this season Ifran, as well as often leaving the opposition stunned with his speed, and his excellent shots at goal. Well done Ifran it was a great season and we hope to see you with us next year.



Stelio Tiskas

Favorite sport: soccer

Favorite breakfast before game: coco pop's

Favorite Jersey Number: 5

What sport are u going to play next year? Soccer

Comments:

An outstanding season for Stelio. What a great defense player, he saved us some sure goals this season; he was just sweeping behind the team and cleaning up with some very powerful kicks. His time as goally was exceptional. The opposition was very lucky to get one passed him. Well done and we hope to see you with us next year.

Alkiviadis Tiskas

Favorite sport: soccer

Favorite breakfast before game: Corn Flakes

Favorite Jersey Number: 7

What sport are u going to play next year? Soccer

Comments:

What a great first season of soccer, alky did some great defending, often saving the team a sure goal against us. Alky scored the last goal of the season at Francis Park. A terrific season we sure hope you return to play with us next year.

Jackson Rangitonga

Favorite sport: soccer

Favorite breakfast before game: coco pop's

Favorite Jersey Number: 4

What sport are u going to play next year? Soccer

Comments:

Jackson's performance was excellent this year with some great goals which the opposition found it very hard to contain, he would kick the ball straight through, with some good passes and great goals. Keep it up. Hope to see you back with us next year.

Mitchell Blissett

Favorite sport: soccer

Favorite breakfast before game: Milo

Favorite Jersey Number: 10

What sport are u going to play next year? Soccer

Comments:

Mitchell's performance was just outstanding wearing his signature number 10 jersey, he showed amazing skills cutting through the opposition. During his time as goal keeper it proved to be very challenging with a few of the strikers goals catching Mitchell by surprise. Keep up the practicing through the summer and keep working on the ball skills, hope your back with us next year.

Application to Coach for the 2010 Season

Applications are now being received for all Coaching positions for the 2010 season. If you wish to apply for a particular team, send your details prior to 15th of December 2009 to:

**Doonside Hawks Soccer Club
The Club Secretary
PO Box 48
DOONSIDE NSW 2767**

Please include the following information:

1. Name and contact details.
2. Preferred Age group.
3. Previous coaching experience - if any.
4. Current Licence Details—if any.

For all new coaches wishing to apply to coach a team next season, A Grass Roots course must be completed and all new Coaches will be sent on this course by the club.



Every Man and his dog were at the Prens Grand Final to support Doony. :)



Our Prens players being escorted onto the field by some of our young players at the Grand Final



Our Over 35/1's - Grand Final Runners up 2009



The Under 11/2's enjoy their last game in wacky style



Service Awards

5 Year Service Awards

Daniel Abela - Premis
 Tyler Atfield - U10/3
 Zachery Boyd - U11/2
 John Brillo - Premis
 Justin Campbell - U15/2
 Jade Copland - U10/1G
 Benjamin Dalkeith - U9/4
 Christopher Dalkeith - U12/1
 Harsimran Dhaliwal - U12/3
 Sharif Ellabban - U9/1
 Beau Hardy - U11/2
 Danyon Hossack - U10/3
 Joshua Kennedy - U13/3
 Deren Kilic - U15/2
 Kyle Kovacs - U12/3
 Bayley Long - U10/4
 Fran Lovric - AAL3
 Joshua Nathan - U9/1
 Alex Macias - U11/4
 Aiden Mantourogrou - U11/2
 Ryan Miller - U10/4
 Daniel McDougall - U10/3
 Nathan Perry - U10/3
 Nicolas Rios - U11/2
 Rebecca Sciarrelli - AAL3
 Jake Vella - U11/2
 Luke Wardrope - U12/3
 Nathan Wright - Premis

10 Year Service Awards

Rebecca Baldock - AAL3
 James Harris - U14/2
 Andrew Housbey - Premis
 Michael Ruming - U15/2
 Andrew Sondaar - U17/1
 Therese Ruming - U15/2
 (Manager)
 Malcolm Withers - U10/3
 (Coach & Club Secretary)

15 Year Service Awards

Nathan Martyn - AAM8

*15 year players also
become Life Members*

**CONGRATULATIONS TO
ALL OUR SERVICE
AWARD RECIPIENTS**



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