

From the Field

Round 5 Match Reports



Under 5 Kangaroos Black

This was the first game in the rain for the U5s and the kids all had a great time. They are getting better every week, with some nice defense shown during the game.

Under 5 Kangaroos White

The kids loved the wet start and soon got into exchanging goals. It's awesome to see the training paying off in game and we can't wait to watch the team evolve over the season.

Under 6 Lions

We started a little late after waiting for the Doonside team to arrive. Once we got underway, we played 3-a-side until Doonside's 4th player arrived. It proved to be another tough game, but everyone tried their best to put our training into practice, even when we got tired during the second half. Great effort Lions!!

Under 6 Whales

At last we had 4 players for the game as Liam was back from his holidays and over the jet lag. Liam had clearly missed playing while he was away as he ran non-stop. Yara and Layla also ran constantly, dribbling and chasing the ball. Gabriel also showed how much his dribbling has improved this year, as well as some excellent passing and two awesome shots that unluckily bounced off the posts. I was so happy to see how hard everyone worked on the field, and how well all the team listened to the coach and to the referee. Special mention must go the Ropes Crossing team, who never gave up no matter how many times they lost the ball and were well-rewarded with a goal in the final seconds.

Under 7 Kangaroos

An awesome team effort this week with two players down. Aryan was on fire scoring 6 of our 9 goals while Mason spoke for everyone declaring "can we play again?" at the full-time whistle. Great team effort with a marked improvement on passing and calling.

Under 7 Lions

Well played great effort under 7 lions. They're starting to find their feet as a team and it's great to see them all give it a go!

Under 7 Magpies (Red)

The U7red Magpies did the best played hard and lost a few opportunities to score. A very sad game as we lost however we can only learn from it and try again.

Under 7 Magpies (White)

U7 Magpie white had a great game in wet and cold conditions. This week we worked very well as a team. We noticed that we have stopped trying to take the ball off each other as often, rather working well as a team to get some great team goals and brilliant shots at goal. We noticed improvements in player awareness on the field with some great defensive runs from most players and a couple of standout defensive tackles made by Lily and Elijah. Aiden had a great game making some gutsy offensive runs, earning a goal and backing up defensively as well. Marcus and Tilly ran hard all game hustling well for the ball all day, also making some great tackles in defense and contributing to the team goals by moving the ball into spaces and creating opportunities for the the taller, faster team mates to finish them off. Lovekirat scored some great runaway goals, we can see his dribbling and ball control improving each week. Thanks to all for still turning up in the cold drizzle.

Under 8 Echidnas

The boys had quite a few challenges to contend with, including the weather, injuries, and even playing for the opposition when half of their team didn't show up. They handled everything like great sports, even scoring for the opposition!

Under 9 Dolphins

The team did an awesome job this week, as they played down 1st half but managed to stay motivated and score. Aiden played a great game of attack and defense which saw him where ever the ball was. We welcomed back Cadean this season and he did a fantastic job being in goals 1st half.

Under 9 Lions

Under 9 Lions had a morning game in the rain, which I think they all loved! We had a win against Eastern Creek with the great teamwork from all. Special mention to the all-round

player of the week Liam who was able to do some incredible runs & also be on the defensive side. Hunter & Ruhan made some incredible plays & intimidated the other team with their persistence to receive players awards.

Under 10 Whales

Whales SuperStars started off extremely slow, maybe the cold and rain or Coach not saying anything, there were no ears. 1st 6 mins was nail biting, Workers scored with it deflecting off one of our players, then Coach could not keep quiet after that goal. As the rain come down, the boys in position, moving forward with continuous pressure from Workers yet Kings got through, Eyad and Mohamad got the ball out of our goal area, Himinake took ball through defence with Connor waiting on the side, moving forward receiving fast pass from Himinake, BANG Connor scored. On track we fought back and determined to stay focused, we had Kaelan who was just all over the place putting up a great fight with Anish, Navdeep and Samer they were on track along with Muttahir, Munahid and Ismail. All were in there giving their best.....back and forth it was just sheer misses from both sides as the rain come down it was hard to see at times. Our goalie saved some great ones, great work Samer along with Kaelan. On your feet moments, Coach, Manager with Julien trying to keep up the support as our Parents were under shelter trying to keep dry so very wet and well-done boys! Just more communication whilst under pressure, passing at the crucial moments with it all in motion you will all nail it together as a Team. Terrific working the ball and moving forward through the oppositions defence was great. Workers definitely kept our boys at bay with it being a hard game. All that fought the cold and rain to support, Awesome!

Under 11 Dolphins

It was another great day for soccer today. We lined up with 9 players and a reserve. Rooty Hill played strongly, and we were well tested during the first half. Henry and Tyrell were excellent in the forwards and was well supported by Chris on the left wing. A number of passes between the boys had Rooty Hill pressed at times as each team seem to take turns scoring goals. Joshua had an excellent game in midfield including landing a screaming goal from around 20 metres from the goal. Travis played his heart out and was well supported by Karanveer and Reshwan in the midfield. You could see the strain on the players faces as they continued to battle the Rooty Hill midfield for possession in the middle third of the ground. Ethan was again a standout player and J continued to head off attacks as they approached our goal line. Travis went into goal in the second half and stopped third amazing shots on goal from Rooty Hill in a space of around 15 seconds. An excellent effort. Another excellent effort from the team as they continue to apply the skills that they have acquired during training. A special shout-out to Tanya our Manager for here excellent organising skills.

Under 11 Kangaroos

Another great effort from the kids with some great goals scored against a very good Town Rangers team. That elusive first win WILL come soon.

Under 13 Girls

Well done today girls on another tough game and first win of the season. Ball control and playing to the position set by coach was the key factor today. There was very good communication between the girls. Game started well with our girls applying the constant pressure against our tough opponent Marayong. The girls missed at least 4 goals before Marayong girls scored a goal from a counter attack. Kings Langley girls replied with two quick goals leading 2-1 at half time. After half time the girls started applying constant pressure and was rewarded with a goal. The defence held its mark by keeping the opponent girls from attacking. Special thanks goes to Hayden (under 12) to play with us. She was excellent with her passes.

Under 20 Girls

Well done to the girls on the comeback today, to end up with a 3 all draw. Unlucky not to get that 4th goal at the end of the 2nd half as the girls kept up the pressure and dominated. Those early goals by Greystanes made us play catch up, so let's not do that again team. Definite improvements to the positional play and in our passing game and a lot more shots on goal, so well-done girls.

Over 35/6

It was always going to be a long day at the office when you only have 9 players available on the night, and the team from Tigers was too good to cede a 2-person advantage and expect to sneak a result. While the team worked hard and made Tigers earn their goals, injuries took their toll as the game wore on, and there was little that could be done. It was just one of those days.