



Caulfield Bears Junior Football Club

2018 Annual Report

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President's Report

This year has been tremendously exciting for the Caulfield Bears Junior Football Club, with big successes on and off the football field.



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2018 has been another great year for our Club. Key highlights of the season included:

- Two premierships: Under 11 Polars and Under 12 Girls Polars
- Lightning Carnival win: Under 10
- Inter-league representation for three players
- SMJFL ‘best & fairest’ awards for eight players
- Overall growth in teams with fifteen registered teams at the Club
- Continued expansion of girl’s football with three girls only teams
- The first Club in the League to reach 100% compliance with Child Safety Standards
- Works due to commence on upgrade to changing rooms at Koornang Park
- Allocation of \$25,000 from the State Government for an electronic scoreboard
- Four new sponsors and a sponsorship base contributing 15% of our total revenue

These achievements not only demonstrate our continued commitment to offering the best quality football programs, but also the focus on improving facilities for all our members and wider stakeholders.

Below is a more detailed snapshot of our progress during the year.

Facilities & Equipment

The Koornang Park facility and associated tenant Clubs (Caulfield Bears Junior Football Club, Caulfield Bears Football & Netball Club and Carnegie Cricket Club) have been the recipients of three major grants:

1. Solar Panel Installation: In the pre-season, solar panels were installed at Koornang Park thanks to a \$25,000 grant from the Federal Member for Higgins, Ms Kelly O’Dwyer. These panels have helped the Club to reduce its energy consumption and associated costs.
2. Upgrade to changing rooms: \$400,000 has been allocated to upgrade the changing rooms at Koornang Park, in particular, to make the facilities unisex and appropriate for the growth in female members. These funds were received from The City of Glen Eira and the State

Government of Victoria, via lobbying from the Member for Oakleigh, Mr Steve Dimopolous. The contract for the works has gone out to tender and is due to commence before the end of 2018.

3. Installation of electronic scoreboard: The State Government of Victoria has allocated \$25,000 for the installation of an electronic scoreboard at Koornang Park. The remaining funds required to purchase and install the scoreboard will be covered by the three tenant clubs and it is anticipated that the scoreboard will be in operation during season 2019.

As the Club continues to grow, it is of vital importance that our facilities are upgraded and continually maintained.

With fifteen teams playing football, it was also necessary to apply for a secondary overflow ground and we were fortunate to again be allocated East Caulfield Reserve (ECR) for the duration of the season.

Having this second ground meant that our teams could conduct training with greater space and on match day, we were able to request afternoon fixtures for our girl’s teams (as was the preference) and reduce congestion with our modified rules teams who did not have to play two games on the same oval.

New equipment was purchased for ECR, including a new scoreboard, stretcher and items for the kitchen.

Football Department

Under the leadership of Michael Gurrie, Coaches were asked to focus on skill improvements and continued emphasis on player expectations and behaviours. Michael was again assisted with three Coaching Coordinators: Adrian Nelson (Under 8 – Under 12), Gary Birrell (Under 13 – Under 17) and Gilbert Hennquin (Girls Teams).

Thanks goes out to our coaches and assistants who dedicate enormous amounts of time and energy to getting the best from their players each and every week.

The results that we saw on the field this season with five of our twelve eligible teams making finals (and one missing out by the narrowest of margins!), two grand final wins and our Under 10 team winning

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their Lightning Carnival is a testament to the hard work and dedication from the Football Department.

After three years heading up the Football Department, Michael Gurrie is stepping down this year and on behalf of the Club, I would like to thank Michael for the tremendous amount of work he has undertaken for the Club and the energy and passion displayed.

Registrations / Team Selection

Registrations in Season 2018 continued on the same growth trajectory as seen over the prior two years. An additional team was fielded from 2017, making fifteen in total, with every age covered from Under 8s through to Under 17s.

For the first time in the Club’s history there were sufficient numbers to grade teams in the Under 12 age group. Every effort was made to follow the best possible process and keep families informed along the way. Inevitably, not every player was happy with the outcome and as with any new process, improvements can be made. It is acknowledged that there are lessons to be learned from the grading process in 2018 and this will be taken into consideration for next season.

In other age groups there were teams that had higher numbers than we would have liked. Whilst this scenario is not ideal, alternative options were explored and every effort was made to give all the players the most playing time possible without having to resort to sending kids away from the Club. It is the view of the Committee that giving all players an opportunity to participate is paramount.

Female Participation

The continued success of our girl’s program is something the Committee is very proud of. Under the guidance of our Girls Football Coordinator, Gilbert Hennequin, after just two seasons, we have increased from one team to three teams with plans well advanced for representation at all age groups (Under 10, Under 12, Under 14 and Under 16) next season.

The girls group continues to thrive and improve their football skills. Thanks to the generosity of major club sponsor, Ckaos, every girl at the Club was given their own

football so that they could work on their skills outside of formal training sessions. These types of initiatives aim to provide ‘catch up’ for the girls who may not have been playing as long as their male counterparts.

We are excited with the talent that is coming through girl’s football, as demonstrated by the Inter-League selection for two of our female players (Jenna Cassamento and Tess Keogh) and an SMJFL best and fairest nomination for a player (Sienna Rogers) in the Under 14 girls team.

At the end of season 2018, our Under 12 Girls Polars had won their first ever Grand Final and have the honour of being the first ever girl’s premiership side at the Caulfield Bears.

Auskick

Whilst the Auskick program is not formally part of the CBJFC, it receives our full support in recognition of its importance as a feeder into our club.

We continued our work with AFL Victoria, supporting their program of sending ‘Game Development Officers’ into local primary schools to conduct football clinics during PE classes. The Club funded clinics in a variety of local primary schools.

Our Auskick Liaison, Silvana Kerrin, continued the highly successful “Boot Squad” for our older age Auskickers. This was a highly sought over program that provided extra skills for those players involved. After several years in this role, Silvana is stepping down as Auskick Liaison. Her passion and dedication towards this program has been outstanding and we thank her for all her contributions.

Player Welfare

The health and safety of our players remains a priority at the Club. The Caulfield Bears were the first club within the SMJFL to reach 100% compliance with all the ‘Child Safety Standards’ mandated by the Victorian Government and our governing body, the SMJFL. We take these obligations very seriously and our Child Safety Officer, Kim Thurlow, worked tirelessly in the pre-season to educate the Committee and our key volunteers on their roles and responsibilities with regards to child safety.

We continued our association with Colbrow Medics to provide qualified paramedic services at Koornang Park. The Colbrow Medics are engaged to assist all Trainers (for ‘Home’ and ‘Away’ teams) with any injuries on the field as well as being available to help any spectators.

In addition to these services, we provide Physiotherapy assistance to club members. We have extended our partnership with local firm, JBA Physio and they provide us with a qualified Physiotherapist to attend the Under 17 teams weekly training sessions and assist any player with their injury concerns.

In addition to this service, information and injury prevention nights were held in the pre-season with the goal of educating players on their responsibilities towards their own health and well-being. These are services that sets us apart from other clubs and demonstrates our commitment to providing the best care possible for our players.

Club Values

The Caulfield Bears prides itself on being a community minded club. We aim to support and promote local business wherever possible and we encourage our players to be involved in community activities and to ‘give back’ wherever possible.

Our Club supported the SMJFL charity partner, the Robert Connor Dawes Foundation, selling beanies and promoting awareness for brain cancer.

Our Family Night raffles are regularly donated to causes that have an affinity with our members and our Comedy Night fundraiser donated funds to a local primary school teacher in need.

Our older team members are encouraged to assist younger teams with their training; this has been particularly evident during Saturday Auskick sessions where members of the Under 15 team and the U12 Girls team regularly assisted.

At a Club level, our teams support each other with a ‘club first’ perspective, working together rather than in competition with each other; teams ‘lend’ their players to each other when numbers are short and players are willing to make an effort to get to another ground and play a second match to help out.

It is testament to these club values, that this year we were able to recognise three players (Liam Corbett, Jack Kirkham and Oscar Fraser) in the Under 17 team who had achieved a ten year milestone with the Club.

Football Achievements

In our modified rules teams (Under 8 – Under 10), there is no official winning or losing, scores are not published and there are no competition ladders or finals. Achievements come from learning the fundamental skills of the game, developing a sense of sportsmanship and instilling values of fair play and team spirit.

For our older aged teams (Under 11s and above), achievements come in many forms. For some it may be reaching a fifty or one hundred game milestone, being selected for an Interleague team or winning a 'Best & Fairest' award. For others, it may be that they have kicked their first ever goal for the Club or that they had the opportunity to participate in a finals game for the first ever time. Whatever the achievement, they should each be celebrated on their own merits.

Season 2018 saw one of our strongest finishes to the year with five teams qualifying for finals:

- Under 11 Grizzlies (Dale McCabe)
- Under 11 Polars (Shane Walsh)
- Under 12 Girls Polars (Adam Conrad)
- Under 13 (Gary Birrell)
- Under 15 (Andrew Beet)

Out of the five teams, two of them progressed through to a Grand Final (Under 11 Polars and Under 12 Girls Polars) with both teams victorious.

Club Support

Our premier partners, Gary Peer & Associates continued to support the Club with jumper naming rights. Under the direction of Alistair Rowlands, the Club was successful in bringing on board an additional four new sponsors for season 2018: Carnegie Construction, @The Catch, JBA Physio and Steve Dimpolous MP.

We are grateful for the continued support of sponsors: TMS, Ckaos, Colliers, Zagame's Caulfield, Bendigo Bank McKinnon-Ormond Branch, iConnect Financial, David Southwick MP, Kelly O'Dwyer MP, Len's Meats and Boost Juice.

Without the generous contribution of our sponsors, we would be unable to fund many of the activities and facilities that we enjoy at the Club.

Our Club is run by volunteers, all of whom have families and other work commitments to balance. Without these volunteers, our children would not be able to participate in junior sport or be part of a community club.

At times you may not like a particular decision that is made by the Club. We do not claim to get every decision right 100% of the time, but there is always an intent to do what we consider to be in the best interests of the Club as a whole. Decisions are never made in isolation; usually there are a variety of factors that have to be taken into consideration and there is rarely one 'right answer'.

The Committee has worked together effectively and cohesively, challenging each other when necessary, but always supporting each other and providing a united team. Managing a football club does involve a significant amount of time from those involved and I would like to personally thank the 2018 Committee for their support, dedication and passion towards the Caulfield Bears for the benefit of all members.

This has been my third and final year as Club President and I am incredibly proud of what we have all achieved. The time is now right to hand over to a new team for an injection of new ideas and perspectives to ensure that our club remains in the best position for continued success.

Louise Nelson



Treasurer's Report

I am pleased to present the Caulfield Bears Junior Football Club results for the Financial Year ended 30 September 2018 where the club realised a surplus for the year of \$4,354.

Registrations

Both registration income and expenses increased by about 3% compared with the prior year. This reflects a similar increase in registered player numbers.

In addition to our continued investment in areas such as Auskick (reinvigorated Registration Day) and provision of first aid services (Colbrow medic, physiotherapist), we also made a significant investment in new areas such as:

- Football training equipment (bump bags, footballs, cones, bibs), including a football to take home for each registered female player;
- 3 permanent run-through banners for player milestones; and
- A new scoreboard and stretcher for East Caulfield reserve.
- Other notable expenditure incurred during the current financial year included:
 - Introduction by the SMJFL to have 2 field umpires for all non-modified rules games;
 - An additional team fielded from Round 5 after the Under 12 girls team was split into 2 (additional SMJFL affiliation fees, insurances, etc);
 - Compulsory purchase of grand final DVD's from the SMJFL, including 2 for the 2018 season and 1 carried over from the 2017 season (\$462 each).

It's worthwhile pointing out that our SMJFL affiliation and umpires fees have increased from \$15k to \$26k (up 75%) in the space of 2 years, whilst our registration income has only increased by 25% over the same period.

Merchandise

Merchandise revenue increased by 9% as a result of increased registration numbers as well as a higher proportion of new players.

Prima facie merchandise costs decreased 20% compared with the prior year although this is distorted due to the purchase of new playing jumpers. Last year we spent \$14.6k on new jumpers versus only \$2.4k in the current year. In fact, over the last 2 years the club has purchased more than 400 new playing jumpers at an average cost of \$40 each.

If the playing jumpers are excluded, then our merchandise costs have actually increased by almost 30% compared with the prior year, despite merchandise revenue only being up 9%. During the year we increased our stock of playing shorts, socks and hoodies which should lead to increased revenue in future years.

Merchandise is an area that the club has identified as requiring a revamp. We are looking at ways to improve its procurement, the link to sponsorship, the range of merchandise offered for sale, accessibility as well as financial reporting and controls.

Food and drink

Food and drink sales and purchases were both down 10% versus the prior year. The main reason for this were a decrease in numbers at our family nights. We weren't helped this year by inclement weather which no doubt turned people away, as well as the timing of the season with Round 1 (our first family night which is traditionally our biggest) occurring on the last weekend of the school holidays. We also saw a decrease in numbers at our comedy night which is one of our main fundraisers.

Initiatives at a glance:



Footballs for all female players



Reinvigorated Registration Day



New permanent milestone banners

The committee has identified the need to review the format of both the family nights and comedy night to see if improvements can be made.

Our canteen ran relatively smoothly throughout the year returning a profit of around \$8k which was slightly lower than last year.

During the year the club invested \$1k in new equipment for the canteens, including a new BBQ as well as a new dim sim steamer for East Caulfield reserve. The club also invested \$910 in conducting Responsible Service of Alcohol training for 14 parents which is the first time in a number of years the club has offered this training.

Fundraising and Sponsorship

Sponsorship was at similar levels to the prior year. I'd like to acknowledge the generosity of one of our sponsors, Ckaos, for funding the provision of training footballs for all registered female players.

Fundraising was unfortunately down from the prior year, mainly due to the decreased attendees at our family nights and comedy night which is an issue I've already touched on above.

Along with our co-tenants, the club was excited to announce during the year that it had secured \$25,000 of funding from the State Government towards the cost of an electronic scoreboard at Koornang Park. The funding agreement with the State Government has been formally executed and we expect the first tranche of money to be received shortly after the date of this report.

John Margerison

Results for the last 5 years:

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Receipts					
Registrations	62,591	61,118	50,438	49,334	35,516
Merchandise	17,028	15,571	9,459	17,368	9,080
Food and Drink	38,209	46,511	40,106	42,366	31,962
Fundraising/ Sponsorship	22,592	24,021	18,578	12,098	17,767
Other	1,154	1,218	3,136	4,875	5,152
Total Receipts	141,575	148,439	121,719	126,041	99,477
Payments					
Registrations	69,895	67,215	35,749	43,776	25,386
Merchandise	31,179	31,322	20,248	45,121	17,173
Food and Drink	24,713	26,361	23,451	24,326	24,274
Fundraising/ Sponsorship	-	-	1,084	1,218	-
Utilities/Insurance	10,830	10,044	11,316	10,594	10,960
Other	604	917	27,804	5,243	6,648
Total Payments	137,221	135,858	119,652	130,278	84,441
Net cash increase (decrease)	4,354	12,581	2,066	(4,237)	15,036



New training equipment



Colbrow medic at Koornang Park games



\$1000 in new canteen equipment



\$400,000 to upgrade change rooms

Profit and Loss	YTD 2018 Actual \$
Registrations	
Registrations Juniors	61,401
Registration Auskick	1,191
Merchandise	
Merchandise	17,028
Food and Drink	
Bar	8,856
Canteen	23,799
Kitchen	3,568
Finals hosting income/Interleague	1,987
Fundraising	
Sponsorship	20,299
Fundraising and Raffles	2,293
Other	
Interest Received	1,154
Total Receipts	141,575

Expenses

Registrations	
Auskick	3,226
Auskick Reimbursements	1,520
SMJFL Affiliation Fees	12,590
SMJFL Umpires	13,214
First Aid – Accreditation	1,165
First Aid – Sports Trainer	7,791
First Aid – Supplies	1,352
Football Operations – Accreditation and Development	378
Football Operations – Canteen Vouchers	2,496
Football Operations – Admin (Postal, registration day, banners ect.)	12,462
Football Operations – Football and Equip	10,668
Lightning Premiership	1,050
Coaches Training and Development	500
Coaches and Volunteer Functions	1,483

Profit and Loss	YTD 2018 Actual \$
Food and Drink	
Bar Purchases	4,262
Bar Wages	300
Canteen Game Day	10,832
Canteen Kitchen (Family Nights)	1,149
Canteen Manager	4,356
Liquor Licence	969
Team Social Nights	2,844
Utilities	
Cleaner (weekly)	1,250
Cleaning (final/special)	166
Glen Eira Council	5,939
Food Act Registration fee	139
Insurance	3,337
Merchandise	
Merchandise	25,176
Trophies (end of season)	4,593
Trophies (50/100 games)	1,410
Other	
Bank Charges	604
Total Payments	137,221
Net Change to cash	4,354



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Auskick Report

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In my last year as the Auskick Administrator I really enjoyed being involved each week and getting to know the parents and children, while helping to provide a fun and inclusive environment for anyone who wanted to participate.

For April Matthews in her first year it was challenging to not only get to know everyone but to also recruit age group coaches and to be trained in running the new program. April did a great job and there were several others that consistently pitched in to help. Registration numbers were similar to the prior year. Our registration numbers finished up at 127.

Our Groups

New families were welcomed in the kinder/prep group. This group of 38 came together each week through the great work of Karen Massier. Consistent with previous years it was great to see many parents getting right into the action and helping throughout the season. Weekly numbers were reasonably consistent apart from some extremely chilly days – it is however a winter sport!

The Grade 1's and 2's were coached by Craig Diss who once again stepped up to the plate he was ably assisted by Andy. Again, many parents helped steadily throughout the season which was great. Not many absentees in this group during the season, with 22-24 consistently arriving each week. Many of these families have shown interest in continuing in Auskick and/or as a player for 2019

Most of the Grade 3-5 group were registered with The Boots Squad. This was the second year we have run this program; the main purpose of this group was to have U9-U11 players challenged by an industry recognised coach. This program was designed and delivered by Kyle Pinto a level 2 accredited coach, with Ian McNicholas from the Caulfield Bears senior squad playing a support role. We had 29 register, with consistent attendance by 25-27. We received great feedback from parents and the recommendation will be to continue with this type of program. It was great to see so many girls participate in this program.

The girls group had 16 girls consistently attend the session. This group was coached by Marcus van Lint who in his 3rd year of Auskick coaching did a fantastic job with many parents commenting on his positive

approach. Marcus had great support with Josh Miller as his assistant coach.

The growth of our Caulfield Bears Junior Club is also heavily reliant on the continued growth in Auskick numbers starting with the Prep group. It is very important that Auskick and the junior Club work in conjunction to support our Auskick program and promote wherever and whenever we can i.e. local community fete's, Street Fair, letterbox drops and schools, to name a few.

Events

We had several fantastic events during this season, that both our children and parents were able to get involved in. A big highlight was the Grid & Rules game at the 'G' in August at an Essendon versus Hawthorn game. How exciting this was for all the kids (and parents).

We once again had Specky Events attend our Mother's Day event where we also had our Mums Vs Kids match and Monster Raffle! It was an extremely successful day, with a great time had by all. Donations from parents and businesses in the local community were much appreciated.



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Finally, in preparation for perhaps playing in an under 8 side next year the grade one Auskickers got to play in their very own Lightning Carnival. A great time was had by all and I'm sure they are now very excited about playing for the Bears next year!

It is all these events along with weekly BBQ's, Hot Dog Days, Footy Fan Days etc. that brings this program together. Thanks to all that helped during the year.

A big shout out to our coaches and weekly volunteers! They have all done an amazing job and their time and efforts are very much appreciated by the rest of the team, the kids and the parents.

The club very much looks forward to next year, welcoming new families, sharing more fun with existing families and working with new and existing coaches.

Silvana Kerin





Team Reports



“At a Club level, our teams support each other with a ‘club first’ perspective, working together rather than in competition with each other”

Under 8’s

Our youngest Bears had a great season, developing their skills and learning how to play as a team. Every single player developed over the year and the season culminated in a fantastic Lightning Carnival in Port Melbourne.

Mauro Affinita





Under 9's

A big effort from our recruiters in the off season meant that the Under 9s started with a big squad of 28 players in 2018.

While this meant that we were never short of players, it did unfortunately mean rostering kids off some weeks and a reduced amount of on-field time each week. Many of our Bears also very generously helped out some of our opponents when they were under numbers to ensure a competitive game.



We started the season with three team principles:

- Train like we play
- Pats on the back for good play
- We're the Under 9 Bears

These principles were reinforced on the training track, and it was really pleasing to see examples of their use on game day - players making sure they congratulated their teammates for great marks, warming up with enthusiasm and looking out for their injured teammates.

With the core of the team made from last year's Under 8s squad, focus at training was on getting our new players' skills up to speed, and then concentrating on field positioning and moving the ball on efficiently by hand and foot. It was pleasing to see all players improve their skills over the year, and for the team to work towards moving the ball from end-to-end with purpose.

During the year, we also tried to ensure our Under 9s were not just better footy players, but better kids. At training, we used our cool down periods to talk about things like goal-setting, hydration, fair play, respect for umpires, perseverance and the importance of school, amongst other topics.

On field, the Bears started the season strongly with some good wins in the early grading rounds. After moving to a new division, there was only one game where the Bears were outclassed.

The remainder of the season saw a series of very tight results, with the Bears always very competitive. The Under 9s can hold their heads high knowing that they gave their best in every match over the year.

The year came to a conclusion with the Lightning Carnival at McKinnon Reserve. The Under 9s played excellent football in all three matches, and were particularly good in locking down the opponents when the Bears were kicking into a very strong headwind. As a bonus, the team also featured on the Seven News, with Cara, Sydney and Angus B all being interviewed (along with parents Jodie and Dave).

A big thanks to all of the parents who helped make the year run smoothly, particularly Dave as assistant coach, Matt as team manager and Buzz as our parent umpire all year.

See you all in 2019!

Derek Waters



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Under 10's

It was all about continuing on with all the lessons learnt in the U9's and adding in a few more tricks in 2018.

We lost 3 of our 21 players from 2017 but were lucky enough to add 6 in for the 2018 season taking our list to 24. Our new players were Adam, Harry, Tyler, Veer, Sheldon and Ilias. Every game we played during the home and away season was close with the bears winning their fair share. The team were always at training, players rarely missed out attending which really helped with their skill development. We continued our rotation policy. We also made sure that each week each player got a minimum of 3 quarters. We really wanted to use this year to give every player the opportunity to play in all positions as we knew that in the long term the Bears would be much better off as a club.

Our main game day strategies were simple;

1. Get the ball – be first in
2. Apply pressure – opposition not to get easy possessions
3. Always stay in the game – if you're having an off day pick yourself up and contribute in the form of a good tackle or chase
4. Four quarter concentration

Our side could be described as a team that was fierce at the contest. I think this is what made us competitive in each game we played.

Our real moment to shine as a team was at the Lightning Premiership – which we won. There was not one passenger on the day with everyone contributing in some way.

Like in 2017 our parent group were fantastic. I know Silvana our team manager could depend on any one of them to help on match day or even at training.

A big thank-you goes out to our wonderful volunteers – Silvana, Team Manager – Jodie, Trainer – Malcolm, Assistant Coach – Mick and Josh, Umpires. All in all, it was a great year for the U10's culminating in the Lightning Premiership win.

Finally, five of the U10 boys (Jack, Lewis, Lucas, Grady and Cooper) finished off their 2018 season playing in the U11 Polars premiership win. During the year, these boys and others backed up both the U11 teams and we really appreciate their efforts.

Pat Kerrin





Under 11 Polars

The team comprised of 18 players at the start of the year, however during the year 1 player pulled out so we had 17 players.

Every week we received great support from Pat Kerins Under 10 (we qualified 5 Under 10s for the GF)

At the start we commenced with 15 Carnegie Primary boys and 3 others so it was a new experience for the boys as all the Carnegie boys had never played in the one team. Fitness training started in Feb and continued for 3 weeks. This comprised of interval running training at Lords Reserve, approx. 5 km of interval running training was a great grounding for the boys and their fitness levels

The year started very well in the grading section with 3 big wins. The concern was being pushed up to a higher group, however, we stayed in our starting group, to which I was happy considering our low numbers.

We continued throughout the year improving every week. Lots of running and skill work at training helped us in the games, although our marking was always very weak compared to most teams. Through the year we lost only 3 games, to 3 different teams. The pleasing thing is that we beat all those teams when we played them again, including Prahran in the last round to secure 2nd position on

the ladder. In the semifinal we beat Prahran again, through relentless pressure and concentration levels at an all-time high.

The year culminated with a special day on Sunday with an amazing grand final win against Ajax. Relentless pressure and winning contested ball was our key focus and the improvement of skills through the year was the highlight. Our fitness I believe was far superior to all other teams. Our best and fairest Rory Wright was invited to the league B and F and I will be shocked if he doesn't win, as his year has been superb.

The key to our GF win was that we had 22 contributors. An amazing year and as coach I was very proud.

No major injuries apart from a concussion with great support from parents and my assistants throughout the year.

Shane Walsh





Under 11 Grizzlies

After a slow start to the season, the team ramped up after round 3 and never looked back!

Dale McCabe (Coach)

A first year out from modified rules, teams were allocated in March forming the U11 Grizzlies out of three different teams from last year and of course some new players to the Club.

Coached by Dale McCabe, with Assistant Lachlan Rayner (Ethan's older brother), Runner Simon Williams and assistance at training and match day by Adrian Nelson, the players quickly formed a positive friendship group with training on Friday afternoons at Koornang Park. The focus at the start of the year was on building teamwork and improving skills. The team was generally focused and keen to learn.

The first game of the year against Ashwood at Moorleigh Reserve was on the final Sunday of the Easter School Holidays. To that point, the entire team had not all trained together, but showed immediate dedication to the contest in wet, shivering conditions, losing by less than a kick to a bigger bodied Ashwood. The next few weeks of grading rounds that followed saw steady improvement against strong teams, resulting in the Bears kicking eleven goals in Round 4 against Brighton Beach and winning well.

With ladders reset, the Grizzlies went on to win 8 games in a row, topping the ladder throughout this time. The wins were due mainly to a team-first ethos. As players were rotated throughout the year in different positions and parts of the ground, we saw many different goal kickers, including some kicking their first goal ever for the football club.

Our first official loss at East Caulfield Reserve in Round 12 after leading all day was against what was to be our bogey team, the East Brighton Vampires. Regrettably after finishing second at the end of the season, we faced them in a Semi Final at Murphy Reserve in Port Melbourne. The early morning conditions were worse than round 1, with many of our players struggling to physically cope with the cold, wet and wind. The Vampires were too strong on the day, ending our season.

There were many highlights throughout the season. Best and Fairest winner Cameron Green was also runner-up in the SMJFL Best and Fairest, with his attack on the ball, encouragement of the team, athleticism, and focus to improve his football skills, all help him deserve this honour. Well done Cam! Joel Farrar and Kristian Taalika also placed in the team Best and Fairest.

Many of the team also ran through the new club banner to honour their 50th Games for the Bears. It was a positive celebratory environment around the team throughout the year.

Specific thanks to our Team Manager Katherine Roberts who went above and beyond to make sure everything was always in place for the players, and to keep the coaching group organised. Thanks also to Chris Karamihos, our sports paparazzo who took the most delightful candid, action-packed shots throughout the year.

Well done to the Grizzlies and an enjoyable year of football. We look forward to seeing you all back at the Bear Cave in 2019!

*Report kindly supplied
by Adrian Nelson*



Under 12 Polars

The 2018 season saw the grading of U12 kids across two teams, with the stronger players being allocated under the Polars team.

Given the grading of talent, the club were keen to stretch the Polars team and nominated us for Division 2 which was a great challenge for a group coming from 3 teams across Divisions 4-6 the previous season, and many not having played together before.

The grading games saw mixed results with some good football being played. A win in the first game against a usually strong East Malvern was extremely satisfying and was followed by an exciting 1 point win against East Brighton in round 3. These games saw every player make a contribution, which was needed to make an impression in Division 2. In between these two wins, there were two significant losses to Beaumaris (eventually regraded to Div 1) and Ormond. So, it was clear that there was going to be some tough games in this division, however we proved that if everybody did their bit, we would be more than competitive.

Early in the season it was evident that it was a challenge for some players to adjust to the faster pace and stronger opposition. Some of the higher performing teams certainly had more height and skill than us. When we had a bad day and didn't get our hands on the ball, it was a long day.



During this time it was a challenge for the coaching group to determine where to best settle some kids down in positions. The first 6 or 7 games was certainly about rotating kids to give them a taste of different positions on the field. However, from there we did settle a few of the kids into areas of the ground and this was of benefit to them and the team overall.

The team clearly needed to become more habitual in getting to the ball first. So a two pronged theme of "Leading Your Opponent to The Ball" and "Get Your Hands on it First" was the major focus for the remainder of the year. Training had a heavy element of competitive work which started to pay dividends as the year progressed. A poor performance was when we only had a few turning up and following the themes, leading to the opposition holding too much possession and punishing us. However, there were multiple great days where we pulled it together for the whole game.

One of their best performances was against the eventual premiers East Sandringham in round 7 when they lost by only 4 goals and put in a consistent effort. The pinnacle of their season came in round 10 against 2nd side at the time, East Brighton, where it all came together.... competitiveness, skills, and 7 goals to defeat them by 15 points. It proved that they were good enough when they put their mind to it and was just reward for their continued discipline at training and positive attitude.



Under 12 Grizzlies

The Grizzlies had a challenging year. Starting with no coach organised, we thankfully found a volunteer at the last minute!

There was significant improvement in the group over the year in terms of their competitiveness, skill level and footy knowledge. Having had a year in Division 2, they experienced what it is like playing against better opposition and will be better for it in 2019.

A dominant year by Lucas Bremner saw him a convincing winner of the best and fairest on 80 votes, ahead of 2nd place getter Jake Gurrie on 36 and equal 3rd place getters, Ged Saunders and Lucas Agar only 1 further vote behind. Most Improved player went to Harvey Loetsch and Best Team Man went to Ashley Margerison.

I would like to thank my Team Manager, Mark Thomas, for doing a sterling job over the season as well as the parent group who stepped up and performed their role when asked of them. Also, thanks to my coaching support team of Matt Joyce, Jake Golding and Joel Saunders.

Thanks for the club for the opportunity to coach and I would look forward to playing a role in taking the group forward again in 2019. Go Bears!

Rowan Brittain

Luckily Geoff Dart had volunteered to be assistant which took off the immediate pressure. After my accreditation process I took over the coach after round 3. In the grading games we did show some promise and played a good game against St Peters in round 5 going down narrowly which gave players and parents a lift. Sam Jackson as manager was once again a tour de force and made the job as coach a much easier. We are very lucky to have her. We picked up two new players Raff Gleeson and Sam Poole, both had fine seasons picking up the B&F and R/UP B&F respectively, There was a general improvement in most of the boys and they stayed committed to the end in what proved to be a difficult season as we only won one game for the season.

While the results weren't encouraging I think it was a credit to the boys that their morale seemed to be retained. Training was well attended throughout the year and the parents offered support and encouragement. I would like to thank Geoff Dart who was a great contributor all season and all those who volunteered in various roles at different stages.

Ken Mackie



Under 12 Girls Grizzlies

The U12 Grizzlies team had an amazing and inspirational year that epitomised the spirit in which football and sport in general should be played.

The girls had great fun and throughout the year showed great development in their skills and ability to play as a team, and at all times showed respect to their team mates, opposition players, and the umpires.

There were many memorable moments such as playing against Beaumaris in arctic conditions. It was early in the morning in the middle of winter and the rain was horizontal and the oval was under water. And to keep warm the zones were doing aerobics when the ball was down the other end. Despite the conditions the girls managed to get on the scoreboard against one of the best teams and when everyone still turned up to training the next week we knew this was a great team who loved their footy.

The team was formed at short notice following the grading period with 11 of the 16 squad in their first year of competitive football. Despite the lack of experience the team worked together, supported each other. It didn't take long for the girls to start hassling the coach to do more tackling drills. The team had a range of ages playing and came from many different schools, but all the girls helped each other and had a good time doing it which included the occasional song and dance during breaks.



It was awesome to hear the girls fire each other up before every game, and win or lose, the girls always walked off with a smile, and with an especially big one when they got to sing the club song – with gusto!

The parents were also super amazing and deserve special thanks for the fulfilling the many roles throughout the year with most families being required to perform at least one role, and sometimes more, each week.

Likewise the parents must be commended for their encouragement of the team and players on game day and in the rooms which made for many proud players, in what is a pioneering period of women's football. And a super special thanks to Alex Hopley, who was amazing as our team manager.

In 2019 some of the older girls will move up to another age group but hopefully many of the team will get to play together again at some stage in their football career. So keep that football close, get outside for a kick, and keep having fun. Well done team for an amazing, inspiring, and unforgettable year. Go Bears!

Tony Wiegard



Under 12 Girls Polars

Undefeated Season, Premiership winner.
First ever Bears girls winner.

The highlights of our season were as follows:

- Smashed the GF, saved the best until last, dominated the game from the first bounce
- Had fun, the girls danced every goal they got, lifetime friendships
- Every Player at least 3 BnF votes
- Kicked at least one goal, most players kicked 2 or more.
- Even team BnF – 4 girls within 4 votes of winning 3rd in BnF
- Every girl was Captain during season
- Significant improvement in every girl
- I do not know exact stats but everyone played every zone at least 25% of the year
- Team bond, new friendships
- Female Assistant Coach / runner
- Parent bonds that developed quickly and strongly
- Massive attendance from the bears community at the GF, great to see support for the girls

- Sponsorship from the club where all the girls got a footy, what an awesome gesture, I really need to thank CKAOS
- Liam Shiels and Georgia Walker attending training, the girls loved it
- A president who is a role model for girls football, started it at CBJFC, plays it, supports it, first female president, well done Louise, and the girls know this
- Gary Birrell support getting footy's, training grounds etc.

I love footy full stop. I love kicking the footy with both Jas and Jack, I love going to their games and watching both teams equally. I learnt so much from coaching the girls, I developed new skills, I had a ball and time permitting will do it again.

Adam Conrad



“The fact that through hard work we made finals, was a testament to the boys resolve and commitment throughout the year”

Under 13's

After losing six players from last years squad for various reasons, school, moving interstate among a few, pre season saw our numbers a bit light on. We managed to get a few new recruits, including three boys who had never played before.

Through a solid lead up to Round One – all was ready to improve on last season. To the credit of all, we managed to make finals, which for the majority of the squad, baring one, was their first experience.

The team produced more consistent performances throughout the year and worked very hard on skills, team work, roles within the side and a further understanding of the game. Whilst our finals campaign wasn't the ending we would have liked, the fact that through hard work we made finals, was a testament to the boys resolve and commitment throughout the year.

A great year on many levels, with a lot of individual improvement.

- A big thanks to Justin assistant / co coach - great year
- Simon and Mike - for being runners throughout the season and their input on game day
- Josh and Alex - for sharing boundary duties week in and out - sometimes a thankless job
- Paul Caon - team manger extraordinaire, for the amount of work he put in throughout the year, some beyond the call of duty, without his help things would have been a lot harder for both Justin, myself and the team
- Nerida - for filling in for Paul when required and patching up the team when necessary along with Sam
- And finally the parent group, who are always willing to help out, a BIG thank you. To the boys, stay together, continue to listen, work hard, practice and never know what 2019 could bring.



Best & Fairest	Jackson Cauchi
Runner Up	Hugo Birrell
Runner up	Nick Mavropoulos
Most Improved	Patrick Gerrand
Most Disciplined	Harry Nelson
Coaches awards	Jackson Healey and Oscar Gardiner

Gary Birrell





Under 14 Girls

The U14 Caulfield Bears Girls football team is the most awesome, radical and inspiring group of footballers ever.

We may not have played finals but we started from scratch and by the end of the season the girls had a genuine understanding of basic skills and game strategy. Most importantly, they developed a love of the game and a fantastic team spirit.

All the parents were just as awesome as their daughters and provided fantastic support and encouragement to the team. We all got a real thrill out of watching our feisty girls throw themselves into the contest, confront their fears and learn a new and difficult game.

The highlight of the season was a hard fought loss to AJAX. Despite the scoreboard not reflecting our dominance this was a breakout match where we implemented a game strategy, tackled hard all day and played with enormous spirit for four quarters.

We had many great contributors throughout the season and we are grateful for the passion and leadership of our captain and best and fairest winner, Sienna Rogers. A team is only as good as its off-field leaders and we are lucky to have Assistant Coach, Jacinta Hamilton and Team Manager, Cate Walsh.

We all hope the girls will continue with their football career next year. In the off season please encourage the girls to kick the footy around. They really need to practise basic ball skills – come on footballers! – off the screens and kick the footy in the park with your mates!

Nick Rhoden





Under 14's

After the heady finals campaign of 2017, it was pleasing to have the majority of our playing group back in 2018, with a couple of strong additions.

The U14 list started at the ideal number of 22, an easier group to manage on game day than last seasons' 27, but we were challenged early by some significant injuries in round 1 meaning the playing group had to dig very deep to cover these early losses to our numbers. But resilience is a core ingredient of this team and we started with 3 from 4 wins during our grading rounds, despite playing with limited numbers.

Our first big challenge in the regular season were the Waverley Park Hawks, a team that had finished grading rounds at over 400%. It was only in the final 10-minutes that momentum swung and the Hawks clawed free from our clutches. The following week, St Kilda proved a just that little bit better at the rapid-transition play than the Bears, teaching us some important tactics in defence that we brought out later in the season with much aplomb.

The biggest win for the season was against Beaumaris, a 95-point margin that kept the Sharks goalless. Two of the highlights for the team were in our last 2 games; against the Hawks (eventual minor premiers) where a draw was only achieved in the dying seconds due to a last-minute Hawks goal, and a runaway win against St Kilda (eventual finalists) on their home turf.

Overall, I'm really pleased with the cohesion and development of the group. Although we're not a large-bodied team, our strengths rely on all players performing their role for 4 quarters and releasing our fast and skilful players on the outside after competing hard when the ball is in dispute. Our supporters were treated to some extremely entertaining football through the season, and the team are starting to appreciate how hard work translates into satisfaction, fun, and goals! In particular, the composure of the group really grew through the season, and it was a delight to see fast chains of possession allow us to move the ball towards our scoring end as a group.

Everyone associated with this playing group should rightly feel proud of the team with the manner and respect in which they approach their footy. We always try to play in the right spirit; hard and fair, and hopefully this leaves a lasting impact on the group later in life.

We're sad to see Jenna Casamento finish with our group. Jenna was a super defender for our team; strong, fearless and team-oriented, and it was a pleasure to see her finish the season with some great work in our forward line too. All the best with your future footy endeavours, Jenna!

Thank you to all of our volunteers for making the season possible, come rain or sunshine. A particular mention to "The Dream Team" - our managers, Kylie and Andrew King, for stepping in and getting all our admin done in sterling fashion each week.

Big thanks to our runner, Dameon, who juggles multiple Sunday games but always gets the job done. Just-as-big thanks for our second assistant/forwards coach, George, for pitching in at training and instructing the forward line each Sunday. And a massive thanks to Mark, assistant coach, who again answered the call of duty, and went over-and-above to keep me in line and add some genuine enthusiasm into each and every interaction with the playing group.

Best and Fairest:

Equal 1st:	Angus Nicolay and Andrew Callaghan
2nd:	James Dimogotsi
3rd:	Miro Foldvari
Rising Star:	Aidan Chen
Sharp Shooter:	Charlie Clancy
Club man:	James Cooper

Rob Beveridge



Under 15's

Late November, Koornang Park. Enthusiastic players. Preseason began. We trained hard for four weeks leading up to Christmas and came back to it in late January.

On the hot afternoons we finished the session with a swim at the pool which the players really enjoyed. We'd lost a couple of players but recruited a couple and kept working hard. At the end of pre-season the playing group chose their leadership group: Nicholas Karamihos (captain), Andy Kim (v.c.), Cormac Dungan, Harry Penhall and Harry Beet (d.v.c.)

April. The season had arrived. Nineteen players. Expectations were high but the reality was difficult. We struggled to field a full team each week. Players were on school camps and family holidays. Injuries also took a toll on the team. We kept plugging away each week and never lost faith. At the end of the grading games we remained in Division 4.

By the end of round 8 we had one win and three losses, for the reasons listed above. We had played good football at times but were over-run late in some games because we were undermanned. We went to top-of-the-ladder Beaumaris in round 9. In very wet and windy conditions we played excellent team football for four quarters and defeated them.

We'd turned the corner. That was the first of five wins in the last seven games, the

result of continued hard work, a full list and fabulous teamwork. We finished 3rd on the ladder and qualified for the finals. Ultimately we lost a close 1st Semi-final to East Sandringham but we learnt so much along the way. It was an exciting season and has made us very keen for 2019 to start.

Best and Fairest:

- 1st:** Dom Hart
- 2nd:** Nicholas Karamihos
(also in the top three place getters in the SMJFL Division 4 awards)
- 3rd:** Harry Beet
- 4th:** Harry Penhall
(also the top goalscorer in Division 4)
- 5th:** Leo Dipacce
- 6th:** Boopa Munasinghe

I must thank Andrew Callaghan and Haddi El Shorbagy from the U14s, who played six home and away games with us as well as the final. They helped us reach the finals.

Thanks must go to all the parents, a wonderful group of people, for their match-day contributions and continual support of the team. Particular mention must be made of Ross Duggan, our enthusiastic, no-fuss team runner. John Strom was reliable and efficient as team medic. Jane Harding did

an excellent job as team manager: the team functioned so smoothly all season due to her hard work and attention to detail. Finally, special mention for assistant coach Tim Nichols: a good friend, loyal and honest. We've coached together for many years now and I couldn't ask for a better assistant. Tim, along with everyone involved in the team, understands that Bears football is about the boys playing footy with their mates and enjoying themselves while learning important lessons and life skills along the way.

I'm very proud of the players and their effort, attitude and improvement this year. It's a privilege and an honour to be their coach. They're a fabulous group of young men.

Thank you to everyone connected with the U15s in 2018 for believing in the team and working so hard. I hope to see them all again when we continue our journey in 2019.

Andrew Beet



Under 16's

It certainly was an interesting season for the Under 16's, statistically we had our best season with 11 wins and 4 competitive losses.

We started with 18 players, losing 6 from 2017, luckily, we found 5 recruits that fitted in very well. The Season began with us in Division 3, we won all 4 grading games and found the competition very even and suitable. However, the League deemed it necessary to merge three divisions into two which changed the landscape.

The boys accepted the challenge basically going up a grade; we went along nicely playing great honest footy, many times without a bench due to several injuries to some key players.

WE pushed both the top teams East Malvern & Dingley with no bench earning respect and realising we were worthy in Division 2. We lost by 5 points to East St Kilda when they had 19 on the ground to steal a goal, we continued to cope with injuries and win but we kicked far too many behinds that hurt our percentage which eventually cost us a finals berth by 3%.

Our last game against East Sandy was probably our best as it was a crunch game against a very good team with some exceptionally strong players, however, we spoiled their party to win by 8 points, a ripper game. Although we just missed finals action we proved throughout the season to

be more than competitive, the boys have built and strong bond over the years and we found some exceptional new players that has enhanced our group.

Training numbers were good and the boys continued to support each other through their social media connections, it was a most enjoyable & rewarding year watching the players develop their games and mature into young men. We have the nucleus of a very good team with plenty more growth and improvement, I encourage them to stick together next season, work hard on their fitness over the off season and come back next season determined to succeed.

Again many people to thank. Firstly the Club, President Louise and her committee, they do tireless work to enable all the kids to play in a great environment.

To our Parent Group who always support the team each week, helping out whether its in the canteen or bringing oranges, they are a great bunch and should be proud of their boys.

Special mentions to George Duncan Umpires Escort, Rod Sharman-Smith Boundary, Tim Bailey Match Reports, Samantha Radlow and Marita Carmen Medical Trainers, the Goal Umpires

and Time Keepers, you ensure we can concentrate on the game. To Peter Manakis & Greg Ritchie, the 3 of us make up the Coaching Team, their expertise and experience in footy has given the boys great structure and direction, we did well guys.

To Jason Woods, he is the Ultimate Team Manager and always there for me for a chat or discussion when I need it, he has done an incredible job over the years & is much appreciated by all.

To our wonderful players who put their bodies on the line every game, it has been a pleasure coaching them. They are respectful, keen to learn and made us all proud with their skills and attitude.

Finally thanks to my family for encouraging me to do what I love and supporting the mighty Bears.

Award winners to be added after Presentation Day. GO BEARS!

Marc Bullard



Under 17's

2017 was a year of endless possibilities for nineteen returning Bears, who welcomed five fresh new faces to the playing list.

After achieving the ultimate success in 2017 – a new challenge was set for the playing group with Division 2 football in season 2018. Players in and out in the off season, which left us with a healthy list of 26 players signed up for 2018. Throughout the grading games it was a time for the team to work together and get a feel of what football was going to be like in a higher division, it was also a chance for players to test themselves out in new positions and work on playing together with new faces in the mix.

Wins/losses and draws came our way throughout the year – on field the boys played a disciplined hard running game style, which saw them take the game on down the corridor at all costs an attractive style that corresponded to what the boys wanting “Bears Footy” to be known for. Ultimately the season came down to the final round, where a win was needed to put us through to a second consecutive finals appearance. Unfortunately the football gods weren't on our side and the season concluded at the end of the home and away season with us missing out of finals by 2 premierships points and heavy percentage gap.

During the year I witnessed a group of boys mature into young men. This particular team has been acknowledged internal from the club and amongst the league for its terrific display of sportsmanship. The group deservedly has been awarded with the SMJFL Sportsmanship Award, for their act of kindness and inclusion towards an opposition team and player. This award outweighs any premiership cup or medallion, in the end it shows that this team and club is producing quality people and I am incredibly proud of this achievement above all for this team.

I would like to personally thank all the parents and volunteers who contributed to making this season another enjoyable one. In particular Damien Fraser and Sam Kirkham, for the tireless work behind the scenes in getting the team on the park week in and week out.

Our 2017 Awards:

- Best and Fairest: Jackson Courtney
- Runner up Best and Fairest: Hudson Milnes
- 2nd Runner up Best and Fairest: Jack Kirkham

- Coaches Award: Max McCulloch
- Most Improved: Aidan Yates
- Most Consistent: Thomas Robb
- U17's Division 2 League Best & Fairest Place getter: Emin Ladevic
- 2018 SMJFL Sportsmanship Award: Caulfield Bears JFC U17's Division 2 Team

Milestones:

- 50 games: Lachlan Priest
- 100 games: Fletcher Ford, Joshua Pincus, Bhayne Lundgren, Harry Shulman, Harrison Beveridge
- 150 games: Jack Kirkham, Liam Corbett

Management Team:

- Coach: Anthony O'Shea
- Assistant Coaches: Sam Kirkham/Gary Birrell
- Team Managers: Damian Fraser & Sam Kirkham
- Trainer: Shane Robb

Anthony O'Shea

2018 Milestones

Rd	Name	Team	Milestone	Rd	Name	Team	Milestone
R1	Patrick Carman	U16	50	R9	Spencer Duggan	U15	50
R1	Max Bremner	U11P	50	R9	Liam Campitelli	U12G	50
R2	Billy Duncan	U16	100	R9	Lachlan Hudson	U12G	50
R2	Rory Wright	U11P	50	R9	Jacques Land	U11P	50
R2	Joshua Agar	U16	100	R9	Patrick Rowlands	U11P	50
R2	Joel Farrar	U11G	50	R9	Harry Beet	U15	100
R3	Andrew Callaghan	U14	100	R10	Otis Karamihos	U11G	50
R3	Lachlan Thurlow	U12P	50	R10	Jack Kennedy	U12G	50
R4	Charles Nelson	U11G	50	R10	Johnny Roussos	U11P	50
R4	Jarvis Dart	U12G	50	R10	Phoenix McCabe	U11G	50
R4	Oliver Jackson	U12G	50	R10	Samuel Luth	U12G	50
R4	Aidan Chen	U14	50	R10	Gabriel Gauci	U13	50
R5	Fletcher Ford	U17	100	R10	Bhayne Lundgren	U17	100
R5	Dominic Hart	U15	100	R10	Nicholas Jones	U11G	50
R5	Thomas Walsh	U11P	50	R11	Jed Williams	U11G	50
R5	William Roberts	U11G	50	R11	Henry Nicolay	U16	100
R5	Quinn Cooper	U12P	50	R11	Seb Poole	U12G	50
R6	Noah Will	U11P	50	R11	Jenna Casamento	U14	50
R6	Jake Gurrie	U12P	50	R11	Oliver McCurdy	U11P	50
R6	James Cooper	U14	50	R12	Angus Nicolay	U14	100
R7	Liam Golding	U12P	50	R12	Henry Abbott	U12G	50
R7	Oscar Gardiner	U13	50	R12	Angus McNeill	U11P	50
R7	Lachlan Mackie	U12G	50	R12	Dominic Nicolay	U11P	50
R7	Jack Joyce	U12P	50	R12	Jaikiah Honner	U11G	50
R7	Hugo Hales	U12G	50	R12	Benjamin Webb	U13	50
R7	Lachlan Mathieson	U12G	50	R12	Thomas Graham	U12G	50
R7	Rocco Casamento	U12G	50	R13	Harry Shulman	U17	100
R7	Felix Fraser	U12G	50	R13	Luca Greco	U11G	50
R8	Jakob Sekker	U11P	50	R13	Bailey Cormick	U11P	50
R8	Joshua Pincus	U17	100	R13	Harrison Beveridge	U17	100
R8	Charlie Boyles	U11G	50	R14	Grady Kerin	U10	50
R9	Jeremy Dalton	U12P	50	R15	Jordan Larkins	U12G	50
R9	Luca Waterstone	U16	100	R15	Lachlan Priest	U17	50



Rd	Name	Team	Milestone
R15	James Williamson	U11P	50
R15	Nicholas Lanaras	U15	100
R15	Mack O'Keeffe	U11P	50
R15	Liam Corbett	U17	150
R15	Jack Kirkham	U17	150
SF	Ethan Rayner	U11G	50
GF	Tom Ritchie	U11P	50

“Achievements come in many forms. For some it may be reaching a fiftty or one hundred game milestone, being selected for an Interleague team or winning a ‘Best & Fairest’ award. Whatever the achievement, they should each be celebrated on their own merits.”

Louise Nelson

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