



Bullant anter

The official newsletter of the
Preston Bullants Junior Football Club

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Round 12 - Sunday 17th July

10:00	Warringal Park	Tackers North	Heidelberg B	Vs	Preston Bullants
11:30	Balwyn Park Upper	Under 10 Blue	Balwyn Y	Vs	Preston Bullants
11:30	Preston City Oval	Under 11 Red	Preston Bullants	Vs	Glen Iris N
11:30	Greythorn Park	Under 12 Green	Greythorn	Vs	Preston Bullants
11:30	Balwyn Park	Under 13 Green	Balwyn B	Vs	Preston Bullants
13:00	Telfer Reserve	Under 15 (3)	Bundoora	Vs	Preston Bullants
13:00	Gordon Barnard Reserve	Colts (2)	Boroondara Hawks 1	Vs	Preston Bullants 2
15:00	Whatmough Park	Colts (1)	St Marys 1	Vs	Preston Bullants 1

Enjoy the week off.....

the serious stuff starts after the break



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Map 18, F12

Zwar Park Bruce Street, West Preston
Map 18, F12



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our focus.....



The old Waverley Park may be a distant memory but I think we can claim a new "Arctic Park" in Preston, scene of our 5 home games yesterday. Zwar Reserve produced mixed results across the board, with some of our teams relishing, and others cursing, the wide open spaces, the carefully laid tyre tracks, on-field attacks by excited dogs, and that rotten WIND!!!! Fortunately the rain held off and although we were all frozen to the eyeballs, we did stay dry. The Tackers probably had the best weather of the day early on, and enjoyed a top-class game. The 10s struggled to kick a major in their game, but played as usual with a lot of spirit. The 13s had a resounding win against the top side in their division, and played with a maturity and skill level that seemed well beyond their years. Our 15s haven't had the best season but continue to impress everyone with their persistence and resolve, and with continued hard work and a bit of luck a couple of wins to finish the season isn't out of the question. Colts 2 played a must-win game against Greythorn yesterday and came away with the four points, well done to coach Ryan Ewing and the players, who have all worked incredibly hard this season to be competitive in Division 2 (against a lot of other club's number 1 Colts team), and are now sitting comfortably in third position and contemplating finals action

Milestones

Congratulations on 50 games for the Preston Bullants: **Tama Lancaster (U13)**

Round 10 Helpers

Thank-you to Rosa and Rita for their hard work in the canteen this week, and to the helpers they had from the parents. Nice to have a BBQ on a cold winter's day, thanks to Frank (with support from Ric). Thanks to all the Dads who helped set-up and pack-up the interchange benches. Thanks to everyone who helped with clean-up, particularly Pete and Ruth Gilder.

Sunday Night Function

A smaller than expected crowd, and disappointingly not many families from our younger age groups, turned out for our mid-season club function, which the club goes to a lot of effort to put on for all our families so they can get together, enjoy a cheap (ie, FREE) but substantial feed and enjoy some good company. The main reason we run these functions is to foster club spirit and unity – this does not happen from just turning up to watch your kids play, it comes from also being involved in ALL aspects of the club. Those who did turn up enjoyed the wonderful spread put on by the U11s, who provided spit roasts, salads, gourmet rolls and nibbles for the hungry masses. Certainly a change from our usual fair of pizza, and a **BIG BIG** thank-you to Margie and Lou Paolacci, Allie and Moreno Benetti, Dean Galloway and John Rountos for providing the majority of the labour and organising all the food (much of it donations) and equipment. Thanks to all the Mums who helped serve and clean-up. Thanks as usual to Sam for keeping us refreshed.

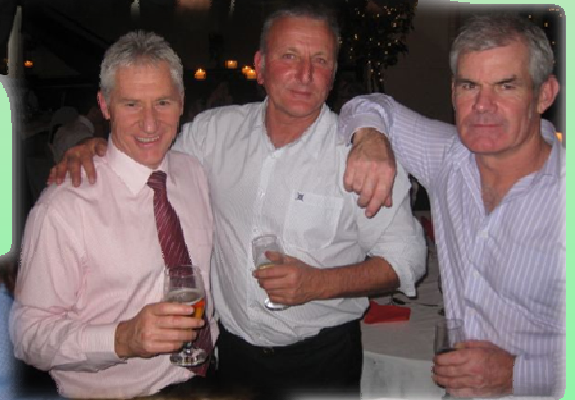


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'Globalnet' - Tackers

at Zwar Reserve Preston Bullants
vs
Ivanhoe W

Team List

36 Fletcher Adcock
16 Leo Amad
6 Alexander Azzopardi
30 Maeve Chaplin
33 Lucas Charalambous
2 Mathew Chilcott
14 Kate Dickson
5 Dylan Epifano
18 Edward Fuggle
19 Benjamin Gangi
31 Alex Johnston
1 Jackson Kane
13 Tomarni Keamy
17 Jack King
4 Brodie Lacey
20 Ethan Lowe
12 Darcy McErlain
32 Max Mills
22 Mathew Morabito
15 John Nassis
11 Maivia Pelle-Lopeti
10 Daniel Quattrone
23 Billy Rodda
9 Nicolas Spataro
26 James Taylor
3 Julian Toniazzo
8 Zac Vaiano
29 Anthony Vicendese



COACH

David Toniazzo
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Stuart Adcock
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TEAM MANAGER 1

Matthew Vicendese
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Goals : Matthew Morabito 1, Darcy McErlain 1, Maivia Pelle-Lopeti 1

Best : Darcy McErlain, Max Mills, Alexander Azzopardi, Maivia Pelle-Lopeti, Dylan Epifano

Round 10 Encouragement Awards: Leo Amad, Julian Toniazzo, Dylan Epifano, Edward Fuggle, Jackson Kane, Zac Vaiano and Darcy McErlain

Round 11 Encouragement Awards: Fletcher Adcock, Kate Dickson, Brodie Lacey, Mathew Morabito, Maivia Pelle-Lopeti and Nicolas Spataro

Helpers : Thank you to all the parent helpers

Match Report

The Preston Bullants played against Ivanhoe W at Zwar Reserve. It was an early morning game with a strong breeze towards the city end, it was cold and the tackers were in for another tough day against quality opposition.

Zac Vaiano was captain today as it would be his last game for the season, the coach asked his players to put in an extra special effort to give Zac a great send off.

The Preston Bullants kicked against the breeze in the first quarter and were asked to play hard contested football. It was a real great performance by both teams as either side could not trouble the scoreboard. Our Players defended well with Leo, Julian, Maeve and James controlling the backline.

The second quarter started like the first, hard contested football. Darcy and Zac converting goals late in the second quarter from some great team work.

The third quarter saw Maivia mark the football in the goal square from a huge torpedo punt from Julian, and Maivia scored a goal, not even 2 minutes later Maivia picked up the football from our forward line run, bounce and kicked a goal, what fantastic effort by Maivia.

The fourth quarter was a complete domination by the Preston Bullants with some spectacular goals and hard tackling. The marking, teamwork amongst the group, their second and third efforts were great to watch all day.

The player's efforts could not be questioned, the determination in their faces and to see the whole team improve over the season is very noticeable. The coach is extremely happy with all of his players the way they played today. On a special note I would like to congratulate Zac Vaiano on winning the best on ground medal given out by Ivanhoe W team and thank the whole family for all they have done and support over the season. We all hope you have a wonderful trip overseas and a safe return. To the other players keep up the great effort

David Toniazzo



'Smartline' - U/10's

at Zwar Reserve	Preston Bullants	0	7	7
	vs			
	Camberwell	6	2	38

Team List

3 Ethan Bell
 11 Angus Benedict
 36 Ezra Blaikie
 9 Noah Boon
 5 Christian Cholakovski
 8 Arben Dani
 26 Joshua DiNatale
 15 Henry Durran
 6 Daniel Habchi
 22 Joseph Habchi
 20 Daniel Hallett
 4 Latrell Hardaway
 19 Rory Howard
 28 Petar Jakovljevic
 32 Samuel Kamolins
 23 Isaac Katsouranis
 30 Matthew Maiolo
 34 Xavier Marino
 2 Ethan Miller
 1 Jerry Moraitis
 7 Dion Mustafa
 27 Kale Peters
 21 Zac Ray
 13 Jackson Sbrissa
 25 Jack Shoebridge
 17 Jesse Talarico
 35 Jackson Tierney
 10 Jackson Vangelista



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TEAM MANAGER 1

Kathryn Moraitis
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Goals : Nil

Best : Jesse Talarico, Rory Howard, Jackson Tierney, Joshua Di Natale, Latrell Hardaway and Ethan Bell

Helpers : Laurie Maiolo, Mark Tierney, David Miller, Teresa Howard, Sue Habchi, Tayla Herbert, Nada Hardi, Dean Kamolins and Mark Sbrissa

MATCH REPORT

It seems the holiday break didn't come soon enough, as we were beaten by a team which seemed to be more committed and determined to win the hard contests.

While the conditions were difficult it was the same for both sides and we were very flat throughout the game

At half time the opposition had kicked one goal one to our score of zero so we felt with an improved effort we were still in the game.

While we did the hard work in the second half which was great we just weren't able to convert and put pressure on the opposition.

There were some guys who didn't stop trying all day and they were :
 Joshua Di Natale, Gerry Moraitis, Samuel Kamolins and Daniel Hallett

Kathryn, Eugene and Leigh



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'Adriatic' - U/11's

at Whatmough Park

Preston Bullants

4

4

28

vs

St Mary's

4

5

29

Team List

43 Ali Al-Maliki
16 George Abdallah
27 Philip Arvanitakis
41 Joshua Benetti
8 Robert Catalano
14 Anthony Cavalli
33 Oscar Chaplin
25 Anthony Ciavarella
1 Daniel Copsey
5 Jackson Curic
22 Daniel Diab
18 Joshua Fasolo
10 Elijah Gonis
7 Eric Katsikis
17 Alexander Kerin
32 Jarrod Kitto
50 Tyson Lowe
61 Andreas Lunn
36 Daniel McManus
30 Ahmed Ouaida
12 Louis Paolacci
29 Jac Costa Rountos
20 Aidan Sloan
11 Daniel Stefanovski
21 Jackson Stevenson
19 Joshua Torcasio
4 Matthew Webb
9 Liam Webster-McAllister
24 Kevin Woodhouse



COACH

Rod Webb

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TEAM MANAGER 1

Allie Benetti

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Goals : George Abdullah 1, Anthony Cavalli 1, Jarrod Kitto 1, Jac Rountos 1

Best : Joshua Benetti, George Abdullah, Liam Webster-McAllister, Alexander Kerin, Kevin Woodhouse, Jac Rountos, Louis Paolacci, Anthony Ciavarella, Jackson Curic

Helpers : George Abdullah, David McManus, Richard McAllister, Greg Lunn, Eileen Sloan, Sasha Curic, Anna Ciavarella, Jill Taylor

Match Report

On Sunday the boys played St. Mary's at their home ground Whatmough Park. Over the years we've had some great battles there, and this game was no exception.

In the first quarter Preston won the toss and jumped out of the blocks straight away, with a great goal from George. George was getting plenty of the football on the wing and was instrumental in the teams great first half. Preston was hard at the ball as per the last few weeks and this was paying dividends, with excellent goals from Jarrod and 'L.A.'

The second quarter saw us continuing our great form. It is fantastic to see multiple handballs around the ground and at times our ability to cut the opposition up by hand or foot. The second quarter ended with Jac R kicking another great goal and other notable performances from Jackson, Alex, Louis, Anthony, Kevin and Ahmed.

In the second half the game shifted to and even higher level. Josh B was rock solid in defence, positioning himself perfectly, marking what he had to mark, punching what he had to punch and hitting targets by foot. Josh took the game on and played on at every opportunity, and his was a best on ground performance. Well done!

We could sense that St. Mary's was starting to get on top and the tide was turning against us, until finally we lost by one point.

This is a game we won't forget in a hurry. We were the better side on the day and very unlucky in the finish, however our game is improving in leaps and bounds and we can all sense our time is coming.

Rod Webb



'Ararat' - U12's

at Bulleen Park West

Preston Bullants

12

14

86

vs

Ivanhoe W

0

2

2

Team List

4 Riley Arbuckle
30 Harry Atkins
37 Aidan Baynes
12 Oscar Bennett
5 Lachlan Black
36 Saro Blaikie
39 Zackary Delmo
14 Daniel Demarte
7 Lucas Epifano
15 Christian Fakhri
11 Nicholas Fontana
18 Jack Hayes
19 Conor Howard
9 Liam McErlain
23 Max Michelini
3 Ben Mills
21 Sean O'Connell
25 Selim Ozdemir
44 Adi Ramadani
2 Karl Rentos
24 Jorge Soumilas
20 Christen Stella
22 Luke Stella
26 Riley Taylor
1 Max Vaiano
31 Joshua Vicendese
10 Noah Wright
28 Nicholas Zonta



COACH

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ASSISTANT COACH

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TEAM MANAGER

Debbie Hayes
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Goals : Zac 4, Max V 3, Lachlan 1, Josh 1, Jack 1, Sean 1 and Daniel 1

Best : Lachlan, Conor, Nicholas Z, Max M, Max V, Karl, Riley Taylor and Zac

Helpers : Carlo Michelini, Joe Fakhri, Paul O'Connell, Damien Howard, Cristina Fontana, Anna Soumilas, David Zonta, Shelley Delmo and Tabatha Rentos.

Match Report

Excellent performance by the Bullants on Sunday.

Everyone worked hard and listened to instruction, defence held up really well, the midfield ran their heart's out, the forwards played extremely well together, working as a team.

Continue training hard and continue playing hard, we still have 3 hard teams to play and we need to be alert in order to continue playing well into finals.

Well done to every player.

Cheers,
Tim

Well done to Max V who received a medal from Ivanhoe. A great gesture by their team.

Thanks to Lachlan Black, Adi Ramadani and Nicholas Zonta who each played a quarter for Ivanhoe because they were short, great effort boys and truly playing football in the spirit of the game.

Max V is starting his end of season footy trip early, he's off overseas with his family, hope you all have a great time.

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Antz at a Glance

10 Blue

Ladder After Round 11

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Balwyn Y	11	8	3	0	0	0	363	231	157.14	32
2	Park Orchards B	11	8	3	0	0	0	365	249	146.59	32
3	Glen Iris N	11	8	3	0	0	0	311	275	113.09	32
4	Ivanhoe B	11	7	4	0	0	0	286	202	141.58	28
5	Camberwell 3	11	6	5	0	0	0	365	266	137.22	24
6	Preston Bullants	11	4	6	1	0	0	337	319	105.64	18
7	Bundoora	11	4	7	0	0	0	269	363	74.1	16
8	Fitzroy 3	11	4	7	0	0	0	292	396	73.74	16
9	St Marys W	11	4	7	0	0	0	193	380	50.79	16
10	Whitehorse Colts	11	2	8	1	0	0	288	468	61.54	10

11 Red

Ladder After Round 11

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Doncaster	11	9	2	0	0	0	510	277	184.12	36
2	Glen Iris N	11	6	5	0	0	0	405	306	132.35	24
3	Surrey Park W	11	6	5	0	0	0	345	307	112.38	24
4	Ashburton B	11	5	6	0	0	0	415	406	102.22	20
5	Preston Bullants	11	4	7	0	0	0	315	398	79.15	16
6	Kew Rovers	11	4	7	0	0	0	311	467	66.6	16
7	St Marys K	11	3	8	0	0	0	287	370	77.57	12
8	Richmond	11	3	8	0	0	0	243	483	50.31	12

12 Green

Ladder After Round 11

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Glen Iris H	10	9	1	0	1	0	437	159	274.84	36
2	Park Orchards R	10	8	2	0	1	0	405	238	170.17	32
3	Preston Bullants	10	8	2	0	1	0	435	259	167.95	32
4	Greythorn	10	7	3	0	1	0	317	282	112.41	28
5	Surrey Park	9	5	4	0	2	0	261	204	127.94	20
6	St Marys W	10	3	7	0	1	0	307	376	81.65	12
7	Bundoora	10	3	7	0	1	0	288	364	79.12	12
8	Ivanhoe W	10	3	7	0	1	0	245	416	58.89	12
9	Camberwell 2	10	2	8	0	1	0	257	465	55.27	8

13 Green

Ladder After Round 11

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Banyule B	11	9	2	0	0	0	762	243	313.58	36
2	Hawthorn Citizens 1	11	9	2	0	0	0	544	301	180.73	36
3	Preston Bullants	11	8	3	0	0	0	503	271	185.61	32
4	Parkside	11	8	3	0	0	0	396	391	101.28	32
5	St Marys T	11	5	6	0	0	0	462	409	112.96	20
6	Ashburton G	11	5	6	0	0	0	381	480	79.38	20
7	Kew Rovers	11	4	7	0	0	0	214	568	37.68	16
8	Balwyn B	11	2	9	0	0	0	259	533	48.59	8

15 (3)

Ladder After Round 11

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Doncaster Heights	11	10	1	0	0	0	1080	393	274.81	40
2	Whitehorse Colts	11	9	2	0	0	0	843	633	133.18	36
3	Boroondara Hawks 2	11	7	4	0	0	0	584	478	122.18	28
4	Glen Iris G	11	5	6	0	0	0	584	448	130.36	20
5	Fitzroy 2	11	3	8	0	0	0	504	736	68.48	12
6	Bundoora	11	3	8	0	0	0	399	729	54.73	12
7	St Marys T	11	2	9	0	0	0	487	868	56.11	8
8	Preston Bullants	11	1	10	0	0	0	468	904	51.77	4

Colts 1

Ladder After Round 11

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Preston Bullants 1	11	10	1	0	0	0	1040	476	218.49	40
2	Ivanhoe W	11	8	3	0	0	0	1008	557	180.97	32
3	Banyule B	11	7	4	0	0	0	802	579	138.51	28
4	St Marys 1	11	7	4	0	0	0	773	661	116.94	28
5	Park Orchards R	11	4	6	0	0	1	535	606	88.28	20
6	Warrandyte 1	11	4	7	0	0	0	735	825	89.09	16
7	Ashburton R	11	2	9	0	0	0	476	823	57.84	8
8	Kew Colts Kangaroos	11	1	9	0	0	0	360	1202	29.95	4

Colts 2

Ladder After Round 11

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Boroondara Hawks 1	11	10	1	0	0	0	990	354	279.66	40
2	Fitzroy 1	11	9	2	0	0	0	1133	516	219.57	36
3	Preston Bullants 2	11	6	5	0	0	0	621	672	92.41	24
4	Greythorn 1	11	4	7	0	0	0	601	706	85.13	16
5	Beverley Hills	11	3	8	0	0	0	525	857	61.26	12
6	Ivanhoe R	11	1	10	0	0	0	421	1186	35.5	4

2011

'Adriatic' - U13's

at Zwar Reserve	Preston Bullants	12	4	76
	vs			
	Hawthorn Citizens	3	4	22

Team List

37 Marlon Alvaro
2 Michael Amad
1 Benjamin Augustus
8 Andre Botoulas
43 Marc Botoulas
7 Andre Cherubin
25 Peter Ciavarella
24 Kayne Davies
13 Julian De Angelis
19 Samuel Di Palma
3 James Dickson
15 Harvey Jepson
42 Giorgio Konstantinidis
26 Tama Lancaster
12 Jack Mansour
33 Joseph Mansour
11 Matthew Marchi
66 Joel Martello
5 Karly McNiece
17 Charlie Moran
27 Matthew Parente
9 Trent Raymond
14 Patrick Sinapi
16 Mark Skaf
18 Liam Sutton
4 Thomas Whitfield



COACH

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TEAM MANAGERS

Susanna and
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Goals : Mark 7, Matt P 2, Michael 1, Andre C 1, Harvey 1

Best See below

Helpers : Thanks to all the helpers on match day

Player Highlights:

Thanks to Trent who offered to play for the opposition when they only had 17. Another player turned up and he wasn't needed but it was a generous gesture.

Tama played his best game, full of confidence and good team footy; Michael led at the footy very well; Harvey kicked an excellent goal against the wind; Matt P was a star; Paddy marked everything; James presented well in the forward line; Matt M was reliable as always; Jack played in front and has turned into one of our very consistent players; Marlon and Peter rucked very well against a good opponent; Joe always does the little team things; Charlie is running at the footy with confidence; Karly was her usual reliable self on the wing; Callum is growing in his confidence to get the footy; Liam did some good things both in defence and on the ball; Joel played in front and won lots of the ball as a result; Chera and Ben played excellent games as did Marc and Andre; George copped a knock which limited his game time but his dad has reported that he is fine now; Tom continued his excellent form and positive approach and it was great to have Kayne back and he contributed in three different positions in his three quarters. I think I have forgotten someone. Oh that's right, Mark kicked 7 goals (5 in the last quarter) and was excellent all game, terrific effort

Match Report:

Today was a game where we had to play two completely different game styles, a defensive style into the strong wind and a more attacking style with it. Some of you were slow to follow the team rules in the first quarter but after that everyone was prepared to do the team things and be happy to play their part. As a result some of the passages of play today were very good, both defensively and attacking.

No training or game this week. Lets try and support Chera in the Yarra game next weekend. I will be in the Northern Territory for the next 10 days so good luck Chera and thanks to Peter for taking training on Tuesday of the second week of the holidays. Good on you kids, see you at training on Friday week.



'Jakhard' - U15's

at Zwar Reserve

Preston Bullants

4

2

26

vs

Glen Iris

14

13

97

Team List

39 Eriah Bidios
8 George Bountris
26 Damon Crase
16 Daniel D'Addona
21 Aydin Dani
16 Marc DeMaria
15 Alex Dib
32 Christian Fontana
57 Coen Giali-Brosnan
48 Habib Habchi
49 Thomas Hickland
10 Ali Ibrahim
35 Matthew Karan
59 Yusuf Kocak
5 Arthur Papathanasiou
2 Sam Parlati
81 Arthur Phlorides
23 Dylan Rizza
14 Omar Sakkal
75 James Searle
6 Eray Seker
12 Christian Useinov
13 Jake Wheeldon
18 Bernie Wright
3 Jordan Zayat



COACH

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TEAM MANAGER 2

Paula Brosnan
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Goals : Aydin Dani 2, Chrstian Usienov, Yusuf Kocak

Best : Aydin Dani, Jordan Zayat, Habib Habchi, Sam Parlati, Matthew Karan, Omar Sakkal

Helpers : Thanks to all the parents who helped with duties. Special thanks to Damien Wright who helped with boundary umpiring

Match Report

Back at home this week at Zwar on a cold and windy afternoon facing 4th placed Glen Iris. Again down on numbers and with a couple of boys playing injured and ill, our theme again was to compete and tackle hard and to be first in for the ball.

Although our opposition were bigger and taller, our boys battled hard with a lot of endeavour. Long goals to Aydin and Yusif early helped our confidence but again we failed to take full advantage of the wind with many forward moves thwarted by our opposition.

Although Glen Iris kicked away to a 6 goal lead by half time it was pleasing to see improvement from kids like Habib and Sam who were really having a go in defence. Aydin was working tirelessly and showing great leadership under close attention. Jordan was also laying many tackles and winning the hard contests.

We fought the game right out to the end and never gave up. It is good to see some improvement from the younger boys who are listening and following instructions.

Cheers
Peter Hackney

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'Ray White' - Colts 1

At Beverley Road	Preston Bullants	8	6	54
	vs			
	Banyule	10	14	74

Goals : Abdulhadi, Powell, Dalton 2 each, Cigagna, Hammoud 1 each

Best : Team Effort

Helpers : Simon Brian, Neil Langley, Zac Butler, Chris Hughes, Pete Baker, David King, Rob Gonnella, Bernie Dalton, Joe Cigagna, Steinicke Family

Team List

31 Joshua Abdulhadi
26 Luke Baker
15 Will Barbour
43 Ross Botoulas
17 Zachary Butler
11 Brendan Campbell
32 Adrian Chiodo
1 Mark Cigagna
13 Olsen Clark
41 Matthew Cottier
86 Sam Dalton
24 Damien Delle-Vergini
31 Michael Francis
29 Anthony Gatt
44 Corey Gibbons
7 Gerard Gilder
16 Adrian Gonnella
9 Lachlan Graham
2 Moustafa Hammoud
5 Joseph Hill
3 Lachlan Holmes
10 Thomas Hughes
34 Jordan Hull
18 Reed Jepson
29 Leigh Judd
45 Michael Kerrigan



COACH

George Wakim
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TEAM MANAGER 1

Torrack Ouaida
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TEAM MANAGER 2

David King
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Match Report

For those eagerly awaiting another episode from "Andy at the bar....." sorry to disappoint but the combination of the Dinner Dance and a hard slog on night shift has taken its toll so Andy has fled to Bali for some well earned RandR (well that's what he is calling it anyway). We hope he hasn't flown on Tiger as after this week's result we could do with the numbers getting shored up a bit more as we were down on a few key players and suffered our first loss to a strong Banyule who dished out good and hard fought game.

The Preston side that did take the field today played a solid game and was beaten in the end by a much stronger team but it was still very competitive up until the last few minutes of the last quarter when Banyule kicked away.

Regardless of the result, the lesson today was that we need to stick to the game plan and help each other which may mean to find that extra step or effort when it is needed the most.

If a loss can be described as "good", today's loss was as close to what could be termed a "good loss". A reality check and an experience that will be learned from; hurt a bit and help with the endeavour and drive to do better next time.

The two week break has come at a good time which will help the boys with niggling injuries chance to get over these, get back into training and come back stronger and fitter to see out the rest of the season with a solid finish.

Go Bullants

Ray White

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'Ray White' - Colts 2

at Zwar Reserve	Preston Bullants	9	6	60
	vs			
	Greythorn	7	8	50

Team List

64 James King
28 Eamonn Maloney
8 Luke Mamone
36 Harry Manaras
4 Damon Marcon
33 Mike Matters
25 Nikolas McNiece
14 Eli Moore
19 Lou Natoli
30 Bill Ouaida
2 Jake Powell
37 Anthony Pucci
14 Joshua Rentos
6 Sam Santo Martino
91 Harrison Simcoe
38 Joshua Sims
42 Moussa Sleiman
20 Paul Steinicke
18 Gerard Sutton
70 Carl Tickner
21 Nathan Winchcombe
25 Oscar Zimmermann



COACH

Ryan Ewing
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TEAM MANAGER

Gina Kennedy
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Goals : Jepson 2, Maloney 2, Sleiman 2, Delle-Vergini, Francis, Judd

Best : Campbell, Jepson, Judd, Matters, McNiece, Sims

Helpers : Joe Natoli, Dean Delle-Vergini, Daniela Zimmerman, John Gatt, Mark Elridge, Bill Winchcombe, Ray Matters, The Moore Family and all the helpers after the game.

Match Report

Already playing Greythorn twice this season and coming away 1 win, 1 loss and them breathing heavily down our backs we knew that this was a massive game for us and one that we were desperate to take the points away from.

At a cold and windy Zwar park it was very much an arm wrestle for the first half with only 5 goals kicked combined. With both teams pinching a goal into the wind Greythorn went in to the long break with a slight lead.

We decided that it would take a lot of hard work and determination in the last 40 minutes of the game to achieve the result that we were after. We also wanted to move the ball quicker so as we could cause the overlap and get it into the forward line so our forwards would be in one on ones rather than competing against 3 or 4 defenders.

This worked extremely well with us slamming on 6 goals in the term to go into the 3rd quarter time huddle with a 4 goal lead. It was pleasing to have this lead but we knew that we would not be able to sit back on the goal line and completely defend. We would have to attack as well and try to score into the wind.

Greythorn were always going to come out firing and we did well to defend their first attacks but after a couple of goals they kicked another to be within 4 points and they had the momentum with 3 minutes to go. Then with an excellent passage of play the ball landed in the hands of Moussa Sleiman who finished off nicely to put the margin out to 10 points with 90 seconds on the clock.

Once again we come up with a victory in a close game, which was pleasing being such an important game for the make up of the finals. We know that we need to continue to work hard so we can achieve the results that we are after.

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Northern Bullant Games

Support The Club

Under 19s (3) **Saturday 9th July**

Northern Bullants vs Old Trinity

Venue Preston City Oval

Time 2:00pm

Reserves Round 14 Saturday 9th July

Northern Bullants vs Sandringham

Venue Trevor Barker Beach Oval

Time 10:10am

Seniors Round 14 Saturday 9th July

Northern Bullants vs Sandringham

Venue Trevor Barker Beach Oval

Time 1:10pm



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