



Bullant anter

The official newsletter of the
Preston Bullants Junior Football Club

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Round 6 - Sunday 21st May

8:30	Preston City Oval	Tackers North	Preston Bullants	Vs	Banyule M
10:00	Telfer Reserve	Under 10 Blue	Bundoora	Vs	Preston Bullants
11:30	Stradbroke Park	Under 11 Red	Kew Rovers	Vs	Preston Bullants
	BYE	Under 12 Green			
9:30	Preston City Oval	Under 13 Green	Preston Bullants	Vs	Kew Rovers
11:00	Preston City Oval	Under 15 (3)	Preston Bullants	Vs	Fitzroy 2
13:00	Preston City Oval	Colts (2)	Preston Bullants 2	Vs	Boroondara Hawks 1
15:00	Preston City Oval	Colts (1)	Preston Bullants 1	Vs	Ivanhoe W



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at the Stars International Reception Centre
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Preston City Oval
Cramer Street, Preston
Map 18, F12

Zwar Park Bruce Street, West Preston
Map 18, F12



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our focus.....



A very quiet, but still entertaining round of home games this week at PCO, with only three games fixtured. A heart-breaking loss to start for the U10s, who were in front most of the game only to have victory snatched from them by a fast-finishing Glen Iris team. Chin up guys, still plenty of the season to go, and I'm sure this loss will provide them with a good lesson that coaches Leigh and Eugene will no doubt focus on at training this week. The U11s had a loss to top-four side Surrey Park, and whilst trying their hardest as they always do, as their coach Rod said they need to get onto the training track as a group regularly to get the rewards they deserve on game day. The 12s finally got to unfurl their flag from 2010 at PCO, ironically against the team they played in the Grand Final. Whilst the result was closer this time, they still came away with the win and had great joy singing the club song under the flag after the game.

OUTSTANDING RESPONSE - OUTDOOR RECREATION QUALIFICATION

The response was overwhelming from club players, members and their friends & families wanting to take part in the opportunity to gain an extra qualification, get paid for doing it and in the process contributing valuable funds to our club. Final tally: 63 participants. Many thanks to Tackers Mum and Preston Auskick Coordinator Siobhan Corr for the amazing effort she took in coordinating everything, attending training sessions to take enrolments, the countless email and phone call enquires she answered, and a final late night meeting to make sure enrolments were accepted on time! Special mention to Colts coach George Wakim for his efforts in persuading a lot of the Colts players to take part, as well as encouraging family members, friends and ex-PBJFC players to join in.

MILESTONES

Congratulations for 50 games for the Preston Bullants:

Liam McErlain (U12)
Max Michelinì (U12)

Congratulations for 100 outstanding games for the Preston Bullants:

Michael Kerrigan (Colts)

Congratulations to Aydin Dani U15 YJFL REPRESENTATIVE SELECTION

Congratulations to Aydin (U15) on being selected to represent the YJFL in the upcoming U15 Metropolitan Junior Championships.

DINNER DANCE – FRIDAY JUNE 24 DONATIONS NOW BEING ACCEPTED TICKETS ON SALE!

Our annual Dinner Dance is fast approaching and to make it a really successful fundraising effort we need LOTS of donations of goods and services to be used as Raffle Prizes, Silent Auction items and Main Auction items. If any families can help out, please contact either Milva (0412 118 687) or Tabatha (0405 105 728).

Tickets are now also on sale through your team manager – bring your friends, a great night is planned!

ROUND 6 HELPERS

Thanks to Canteen Managers Dee and Janis for their hard work on Sunday and to all the parent helpers. A disappointing effort from the U12 parent group in clean-up, despite prior warning during the week and a reminder on the day that as the last team playing for the day that they would be expected to help. We all want to go home early, 10 minutes is all it takes. Use of Preston City Oval is a hard-earned privilege, not a right: we take that privilege very seriously and aim to leave the place in a better condition than what we find it every week. It is not the role of the coach, team manager, and several committee members who are part of the U12 parent group, who already put in countless hours during the week looking after the team and the club, to then have to clean-up as well. To the few parents who did stay – especially the Michelinis, Spiros Soumilas and Paul O'Connell (thanks for the scones too, Paul and Maree!), who took on the main job of cleaning the rooms, and the small group who cleaned up the stands – your efforts were much appreciated.

GO Bullants

Lesley Langley

Dont Forget
Wednesday
25th May



Pizza Night

at Zwar Park

AFL and VFL players are scheduled to be there to take training drills with all age groups .

Training times have been allocated as follows:

Tackers / U10s	4.15 - 5.15pm
U11s / U12s	4.30 - 5.45pm
U13s / U15s	5.00 - 6.15pm
Colts	5.00 - 7.00pm

The players will try to give each group equal time so be patient and respectful of the opportunity that we have.

Dear Players/Families attending Wednesday's Pizza Night,

Due to the large crowd expected at Zwar on Wednesday for Pizza Night, we are asking that the following parking restrictions be observed:

- 1) The car-park will fill early and quickly, so for those arriving later than 4.15pm you will need to park in the side streets (observe parking restrictions there as well, and be respectful of residents). Please don't attempt to get into Zwar after this time, even to drop players off. We will have a number of areas blocked off for reserved parking and reversing will be difficult.***
- 2) Do NOT double park – this is dangerous and selfish and we ask that you consider the safety of the kids first.***
- 3) Do not park in the NMIT carpark until after 5.30pm***

Once training has finished, pizza, a can of drink and a showbag will be available to all players, coaches and team managers. Sorry, but due to the player/team official numbers we expect to be catering for we will not be making any arrangements for siblings, parents, etc.

'Globalnet' - Tackers

at Telfer Reserve Preston Bullants
vs
Bundoora 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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ASSISTANT COACH

Stuart Adcock
0418 550 362

TEAM MANAGER 1

Matthew Vicendese
0419 770 024

Goals : Jackson Kane 1, Maeve Chaplin 1

Best : Daniel Quattrone, Maeve Chaplin, Leo Amad, Max Mills, James Taylor, John Nassis

Helpers : Dom Vaiano - Goal Umpire, Vince Spataro - Umpire Escort / Boundary, Nick Nassis, - Time Keeper, Jodie and Anthony Azzopardi as trainers and Michael Keamy with the oranges

Match Report

The Bullants played away and the conditions were dry with a strong breeze blowing which made for a tough day. The opposition was short of players so we rotated three of our players each quarter to help them field a side.

The opposition was hard at the football, they were determined and gritty and the Bullants were in for a tough contest. We had the advantage of the wind in the first quarter and we were able to get a major through a great tumble punt from Jackson deep in the pocket. Alex was everywhere until he came from the ground injured.

The second quarter saw an onslaught of scoring shots by the opposition as it was there turn with the wind. Daniel was going in for the hard ball and getting lots of possessions. The big possession getters Leo, Julian and Alexander were working hard so too were Max and Ethan.

The second half continued to be tight, tough football. Maeve was rewarded for her hard efforts with a goal and Matthew M and Maivia showed the way with their tacking and shepparding. John and Nicolas were in the thick of things and made good contributions.

The opposition however made the most of their opportunities and were well "drilled" into using the right side of the ground coming out of defence and then switching the ball to take advantage of the breeze in their forward line.

The team should be congratulated for helping out and taking turns to play for the opposition.

Looking forward to next week at Preston City Oval.

Tim Fuggle



'Smartline' - U/10's

at Preston City Oval

Preston Bullants

5

8

38

vs

Glen iris N

5

11

41

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



COACH

Leigh Shoebridge
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Eugene Marino
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TEAM MANAGER 1

Kathryn Moraitis
0411 299 139

Goals : Jackson Sbrissa 1, Daniel Hallett 1, Jackson Vangelista 1, Jesse Talarico 1, Petar Jakovljevic 1

Best : Daniel Habchi, Samuel Kamolins, Jackson Vangelista, Jackson Sbrissa, Arben Dani and Jerry Moraitis

Helpers : Abib Dani, David Miller, Dean Kamolins, Simon Blaikie, Sam Mustafa, Simon Benedict, Joe Habchi, Zoe Katsouranis, Teresa Howard, Dragan Jakovljevic, Angelo Talarico and Spiros Moraitis

MATCH REPORT

A morning which had it all, strong winds, clear skies and showers, at Preston City Oval. We won the toss and went with the wind making the most of it, while it was around.

The boys played in good spirits and it was close for most of the match. In the third quarter we took a 2 goal lead going into the last quarter, but the opposition was kicking with a very strong wind. In the end we couldn't hold on and the boys were a bit disappointed

While we didn't get the chocolates this week it was good to see some real improvement across the group with standout work from Jackson Sbrissa, Jackson Vangelista and Daniel Hallett.

Arben Dani, Dion Mustafa and Noah Boon ran the ball out of defense well, and we scored very quickly. The boys who were rotated through the back line held up strong to some very tall boys.

Each week we can see some small improvements which is what we all need to move forward and work together as a team.

Kathryn, Eugene & Leigh



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'Adriatic' - U/11's

at Preston City Oval

Preston Bullants

1

3

9

vs

Surrey Park W

4

12

36

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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ASSISTANT COACH

Moreno Benetti

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TEAM MANAGER 1

Allie Benetti

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Goals : Matt Webb 1

Best : Matt, Copsey, Liam, Kevin, Anthony, Torky, Jackson, Jac R

Helpers : Rob Copsey, Lou Paolacci, Richard McAllister, John Katsikis, Stevenson Family, Anna Ciavarella, Peter Kerin, Josie Diab, Mal Chaplin, Sasha Curic Dean Gallaway

Match Report

On Sunday our boys played their round six game at Preston City Oval against Surrey Park W.

The boys ran out on the ground full of determination and high expectation and the type of football we played in the first half reflected this. We were getting a lot of run out of the centre from Kevin, Liam, and Matt, this combined with great defensive work from Copsey and Torky was holding us in good stead for the match.

With the number of forward entries we had I was amazed we didn't have five goals on the board. Luckily Matt was able to slot one through just before quarter time.

In the second quarter Jac R really stepped up and took control in the middle, this was helped by the silver service he was getting from Jarrod in the Ruck. Jackson continued taking those great overhead marks and we went into half time quite happy with our progress.

After half time the opposition lifted to a new level. It wasn't just their skill (that was on par with ours) - it was their hardness at the ball and commitment to each other that got them over the line.

After a great start to the season we have fallen away recently. We can't just rely on the usual six or so to get us over the line. We need full commitment.

Rod Webb



'Ararat' - U12's

at Preston City Oval

Preston Bullants

7

3

45

vs

Park Orchards R

5

5

35

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

Tim Rentos
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ASSISTANT COACH

Ray Epifano
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TEAM MANAGER

Debbie Hayes
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Goals : Noah 2, Lucas 1, Daniel 1, Liam 1, Josh 1 and Ben 1

Best : Selim, Nicholas Zonta, Luke Stella, Jack, Nicholas Fontana, Noah and Lucas

Helpers : Carlo Michelini, Vince Demarte, Dom Vaiano, Tony Stella, Darren McErlain, David Zonta, Aydan Ozdemir, Catriona Fogerty and Richard Mills

Match Report

Congratulations to Max Michelini and Liam McErlain on reaching their 50 game milestone.

Our first match at Cramer St for the year and it's the Grand Final rematch and unfurling of the Premiership Flag.

The boys were very focused for the match, they were so quiet before the game I thought I'd walked in the wrong rooms.

Overall a great team performance, with everyone contributing around the ground. Great work by Nicholas Z in the ruck, great use of his body.

Best game to date by Luke, getting involved in the play, working hard and never giving up.

Jack marked strongly around the ground and always looked for a team mate to pass to.

Our 50 game players, Liam and Max M ran hard all day, never gave up, second efforts were great.

Park Orchards never gave up and gave us all a heart scare by kicking 3 quick goals in the last quarter. But with great work by Christian F, Saro, Nicholas F and Aiden in the back line we were able to stop any further scoring and finished the match winning by 10 points.

The boys were especially excited to sing the song under their Premiership Flag. Great effort boys.

This week we have a bye, so enjoy your Sunday free of playing footy. Don't forget training as normal on Tuesday and Thursday.



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Antz at a Glance

10 Blue

Ladder After Round 6

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Balwyn Y	6	5	1	0	0	0	223	107	208.41	20
2	Glen Iris N	6	5	1	0	0	0	191	166	115.06	20
3	Park Orchards B	6	4	2	0	0	0	178	149	119.46	16
4	Preston Bullants	6	3	3	0	0	0	241	205	117.56	12
5	Ivanhoe B	6	3	3	0	0	0	105	115	91.3	12
6	Bundoora	6	2	4	0	0	0	172	230	74.78	8
7	Fitzroy 3	6	2	4	0	0	0	143	225	63.56	8
8	St Marys W	2	1	1	0	0	0	35	35	100	4
9	Whitehorse Colts	6	1	5	0	0	0	146	297	49.16	4
10	Camberwell 3	2	0	2	0	0	0	48	67	71.64	0

11 Red

Ladder After Round 6

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Doncaster	6	4	2	0	0	0	273	156	175	16
2	Surrey Park W	6	3	3	0	0	0	228	170	134.12	12
3	Glen Iris N	6	3	3	0	0	0	186	201	92.54	12
4	Richmond	6	3	3	0	0	0	175	228	76.75	12
5	Kew Rovers	6	3	3	0	0	0	187	246	76.02	12
6	Ashburton B	6	2	4	0	0	0	213	230	92.61	8
7	Preston Bullants	6	2	4	0	0	0	149	233	63.95	8
8	St Marys K	2	0	2	0	0	0	63	108	58.33	0

12 Green

Ladder After Round 6

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Glen Iris H	6	6	0	0	0	0	84	268	319.05	24
2	Surrey Park	5	3	2	0	1	0	120	250	208.33	12
3	Bundoora	5	3	2	0	1	0	177	231	130.51	12
4	Park Orchards R	2	1	1	0	0	0	54	85	157.41	4
5	Preston Bullants	2	1	1	0	0	0	75	59	78.67	4
6	St Marys W	2	1	1	0	0	0	82	57	69.51	4
7	Camberwell 2	5	2	3	0	1	0	170	223	131.18	8
8	Greythorn	5	2	3	0	1	0	192	223	116.15	8
9	Ivanhoe W	5	1	4	0	1	0	167	135	80.84	4

13 Green

Ladder After Round 6

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Hawthorn Citizens 1	6	6	0	0	0	0	524	81	646.91	24
2	Banyule B	6	5	1	0	0	0	477	104	458.65	20
3	Preston Bullants	6	3	3	0	0	0	192	277	69.31	12
4	St Marys T	6	2	4	0	0	0	361	228	158.33	8
5	Ashburton G	2	1	1	0	0	0	56	114	49.12	4
6	Kew Rovers	2	0	2	0	0	0	23	150	15.33	0

U15 (3)

Ladder After Round 6

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Doncaster Heights	6	5	1	0	0	0	602	213	282.63	20
2	Whitehorse Colts	6	5	1	0	0	0	512	343	149.27	20
3	Boroondara Hawks 2	6	5	1	0	0	0	357	286	124.83	20
4	Glen Iris G	2	1	1	0	0	0	108	95	113.68	4
5	Preston Bullants	6	1	5	0	0	0	287	556	51.62	4
6	St Marys T	6	1	5	0	0	0	252	541	46.58	4
7	Bundoora	6	1	5	0	0	0	207	455	45.49	4
8	Fitzroy 2	6	1	5	0	0	0	214	564	37.94	4

Colts 1

(interim to be confirmed)

Ladder After Round 6

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Preston Bullants 1	6	6	0	0	0	0	608	261	232.95	24
2	Banyule B	6	5	1	0	0	0	496	300	165.33	20
3	Ivanhoe W	6	4	2	0	0	0	580	312	185.9	16
4	St Marys 1	6	3	3	0	0	0	380	403	94.29	12
5	Park Orchards R	6	2	4	0	0	0	319	357	89.36	8
6	Warrandyte 1	6	2	4	0	0	0	323	415	77.83	8
7	Ashburton R	6	1	5	0	0	0	257	462	55.63	4
8	Kew Colts Kangaroos	6	1	5	0	0	0	236	689	34.25	4

Colts 2

Ladder After Round 6

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	FF	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Boroondara Hawks 1	6	6	0	0	0	0	566	186	304.3	24
2	Fitzroy 1	6	4	2	0	0	0	563	337	167.06	16
3	Greythorn 1	6	3	3	0	0	0	389	344	113.08	12
4	Preston Bullants 2	6	3	3	0	0	0	283	400	70.75	12
5	Beverley Hills	6	1	5	0	0	0	260	488	53.28	4
6	Ivanhoe R	6	1	5	0	0	0	264	570	46.32	4

2011

'Adriatic' - U13's

at Burwood Reserve 1

Preston Bullants

13

13

91

vs

Ashburton G

1

4

10

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 &
Tony Martello
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Goals : Tom 3, Andre C. 3, Jack, Peter, Harvey, Marlon, Andre B, Marc B, Mark S

Best See below

Helpers : Thanks to all the helpers on match day

Player Highlights:

Tom and Harvey's roving in the forward line and the good work of Jack, Peter and Samuel up forward; Marlon's contesting for marks; the discipline of the backline particularly Joe, Charlie, Julian, Liam, Karly, Mark and Matt M; on-ballers worked well at stoppages with Andre C, Marc B, Ben, Michael and Andre B implementing our team rules very well. Peter and Marlon rucked well when they got their chance. Matt P pulled in some good marks; Trent tackled and marked well; George, Joel and Kayne continued their excellent form on the wings.

Match Report:

We made good use of the wind in the first quarter and defended well against the wind with disciplined kicking to the right areas to keep them goalless to half time whilst scoring well ourselves. In a day when we had plenty of shots at goal I was really pleased to see players regularly kick to the dangerous areas 15-20 meters out from goal and not kick wildly towards goal. We also continue to make progress with switching the play.

Good on you kids, see you at training.



'Jakhard' - U15's

at Bulleen Park Oval 1

Preston Bullants

7

7

49

vs

Boorandara Hawks 2

12

6

78

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



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TEAM MANAGER 2

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Goals : Aydin Dani 2, Eriah Bidois 1, Mark DeMaria 1, Alex Dib 1, Daniel D'Addona 1, Tom Hickland 1

Best : Omar Sakkal, Aydin Dani, George Bountris, Tom Hickland, Christian Useinov, Yusuf Kocak

Helpers : Again thanks to all the parents who helped out with duties

Match Report

We travelled to Bulleen Park to take on 3rd placed Boroondara looking to improve on last week's performance. We again started well, winning a lot of early possession, but could not convert on the scoreboard, missing several shots at goal. Our attitude was a lot better than previous weeks with all the players contributing.

With scores close at the first break, we again let our opponents gain control with a 10 minute lapse in the second quarter where Boroondara kicked 3 easy goals from centre breaks.

Although 5 goals down at half time the message was to kick long & direct. We started to win the clearances through Yusuf, Aydin and Tom. Omar was great in defence and George was also doing well on his wing.

We cut the deficit to 17 points to get within striking distance going into the final quarter. Although kicking against the breeze, we continued to tackle hard and force our opponents into mistakes. Coen started to win the footy and we ran the ball into the forward line. Consecutive goals to Eriah and Mark saw us close to gap to 11 points with about 10 minutes remaining. 2 late goals from Boroondara did not reflect the closeness of the contest.

Although going down, I was really pleased with our improved effort and attitude against a team that had only previously lost one game. A win is certainly just around the corner.

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'Ray White' - Colts 1

At Victoria Park Lower

Preston Bullants

25

16

166*

vs

** Interim score to
be confirmed*

Kew Colts Kangaroos

2

3

15*

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



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TEAM MANAGER 1

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TEAM MANAGER 2

David King
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Goals : Hammoud 6, Abdulhadi 3, Tickner 2, Mamone 2, Judd 2, Gonnella 2, Powell 2, King 2, Hull 1, Sutton 1, Manaras 1, Holmes 1

Best : Team Effort

Helpers : Kane Lambert, Mark Langley, Neil Langley, James Kerrigan, Peter Baker, Ray Matters, Lily Cigagna, Laurie Marcon, Torrick Ouaida, Colin Hughes.

Match Report

Playing at Victoria Park has never been an easy journey for this team back in their younger age groups and there was an air of anticipation about this match. Celebrating Kerro's 100th was enough reason to make sure we did not take a back seat and kept the momentum from the first 5 rounds going.

Unfortunately our first quarter lacked intensity and a very quiet and lack lustre start against the wind did not reveal the standard of previous weeks.

The first quarter address had impact as the effort improved in the second quarter and we played well with the assistance of a solid breeze and the game plan returned along with the voice and encouragement of team mates.

Following the enforcement of the even up rule, we played into the wind and the effort continued with strong teamwork and high rotations to keep all players fresh and involved.

A further reduction of numbers in the last quarter lead to the game being prematurely and controversially called to an end which was a disappointing way of ending a Colts 1 match.

Well done to the team for accepting the conditions and the outcome and the manner in which you all handled yourselves given the unusual circumstances to the end of the match.

Go Bullants!

Ray White

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'Ray White' - Colts 2

at Gordon Barnard Reserve

Preston Bullants

6

10

46

vs

Greythorn 1

14

7

91

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

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TEAM MANAGER

Gina Kennedy
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Goals : Delle-Vergini 2, Maloney 2, Winchcombe 2

Best : Botoulas, Delle-Vergini, Francis, Graham, Maloney, Sims, Winchcombe

Helpers : John Gatt, Danniella Zimmermann, Mark Elridge, Maurice

Match Report

In what was a disappointing day all round. It all started with poor training sessions during the week and then a poor attitude before the game. If we are to continue to be successful at this level or better we need to show up ready to play and train week in week out.

Even though we had not played particularly well for the first 3 quarters we were still with in striking distance going into the last. However 2 quick goals to Greythorn made it pretty difficult to comeback from.

There were some great individual efforts from players at different stages but not enough team work throughout the 80 minutes to get us over the line.

The task doesn't get any easier as we take on the undefeated Boorandara Hawks next week. We have a point to prove after the last time we played them. So let's have a good week on the track and continue our winning record at home.

Ray White

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Northern Bullants vs Marcellin

Venue Preston City Oval

Time 2:00 pm

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Venue Visy Park

Time 11:00 am

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Northern Bullants vs. Box Hill Hawks

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Time 2:00pm



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