



Soccer Dribble



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Gala Day Edition!

Dates for Your Diary

Hornsby RSL All-Age Soccer Club

40th Anniversary Reunion Presentation Night

When: Saturday September 19th.

Who: All players & supporters of the club welcome

Tickets: \$55 pp

How: Purchase tickets on 9477 7777 RSL Ticket office

Sunday 20th September

Presentation Day & AGM

Hornsby North Public School

Entry via Cawthorne Street (off Galston Road)

Commencing at 11am with trophy presentations (every child gets a trophy) the AGM and election of Committee.

BBQ and soft drinks supplied for the family.

Come along and join the fun! No uniform required.

Saturday 30th January, 2010

Registration Day at Hornsby Mall

Outside St George Bank

9am – 2pm

U6 - U8 \$150

U9 – U18 \$170

For all Registration enquiries please contact the Registrar Lucy Bal on 0434 878 228 or

lucybal@optusnet.com.au

Sunday 7th February, 2010

Grading Day at Hornsby North Public School

Further information will be available at Registration Day.

Match Reports



U6 Azure

This was the first Gala Day for most of the U6 Azure team, and the players had a blast. In the first game against West Pymble Koalas, our Team A were slow off the market in the abbreviated 15 min games, and went down 3-0. Our Team B won 4-3 with Nicholas Slevin bagging 2 goals and Zac O'Shaughnessy scoring 2 goals as well.

In our next game, we edged past Mt. Colah Stallions with Team A winning 1-0 from a "right place at the right time" and the only header of the season, by Will Jovanovic. Team B had Zac O'Shaughnessy find the net twice to take his team to a 2-1 win.

Then our biggest game came when Team A really hit their strides by defeating eventual pool winners, Hornsby Heights Koalas 4-1. Two skilful goals by Morris Wren and two superb goals by Daniel Marine showed great team work for Team A. Unfortunately Team B ran out of gas and went down 0-2.

Overall, we had a great time this year and our thanks goes out to the parents of U6 Azure, for their support and cooperation!

Iggy Jovanovic - Manager

U6B Coach Report

We had two goal scoring machines, that being Ishanesu and Zeerak who really aided the team in obtaining the goals and have been outstanding from the start of the season. Liam has been a great all rounder who has assisted in all areas. Liam, Hugh, Yajat have been good all round players who have assisted in midfield and defence. Zaki and Brendan have been great sportsman and great entertainment to the rest of the team and great personalities on the pitch. As a team we have had many ups and downs and have lost our fair share of matches as the wins we have had. But whilst playing the matches the boys have befriended the other team right from the start whether it be through hugs or even sharing those jokes with each other. Gala day was not that great in terms of winning but we could only field a team of 3 and 4 so we were always going to struggle score wise. But at the end of it we noticed a great two teams showing character and spirit with Zaki, Brendan, Liam, Hugh and Yajat all contributing more than their usual selves and that included a lot more running around till the end. Not to mention Ishanesu and Zeerak's usual contribution of skill.

Ravi Rana - Coach

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U6-Cherry Coach Report and Gala Wrap up

What a ride that was this year with the best team in the comp as far as I am concerned. Gala day proved no different with some ups and downs, with us just missing out on making it to the final by 1 goal. All of the boys put in a tremendous effort on the day with outstanding game play, sportsmanship and effort shown on all accounts. We had a number of shots on goal that just did not find their mark, with a solo goal for the day from Marcus.

To sum up the year, I would like to thank Monique for being a wonderful and determined manager, Dennis' parents for providing clean jerseys every week and helping out with coaching and managing, and Warrick, Eden's dad, for being an invaluable help throughout the year also. On top of that I would like to thank all of the parents for being so involved with and supporting not only their own child but the whole team. From the early training sessions where the boy's had trouble staying within a defined training area with the ball, some seemed to be heading north towards Brooklyn or east into the national park, they have all certainly come far. Jason, the KDSA coach was also impressed with the development of the skills that the boys have acquired throughout the year. Well done boys. I have also learnt a number of skills along the way, and to say that I enjoyed the challenge would be an understatement.

Eden, as the youngest player being only four years of age throughout the season and only turning five just before gala day, showed commitment and determination at training every week which paid dividends by season end. Ryan has developed into a determined player with excellent speed, goal shooting and dribbling skills. Dennis has shown true grit and determination, especially when the odds were against us. Sam had a cheeky smile that would complement his defence and attacking skills. Daniel would leave the opposition team in his wake as he smashed another goal into the nets. Andy developed his dribbling and defence skills and combined with Edward midfield caused the opposition no end of trouble. Edward (Eddy as I liked to call him) would rise above his abilities and excel at defence and attack. Tomas, our second youngest, after returning from a trip overseas morphed into the new and improved Tomas the Tank, once he got the ball, look out, he was heading towards the goal and nothing was going to get in his way. Marcus left his best to last, developing into a well rounded invaluable player by season end with determined body on the line defence and finding the net on occasion. Finally Kodey, who was always first to training and first to arrive on match day, managed to develop not only his team playing but also his kicking skills to such an extent that he could literally kick the leather off the ball.

This was your team boys, this was my team, and to the parents this was our team. Be proud of what we have all accomplished, as individuals and as a team. Thank you.

Matthew Wall - (Proud) Coach U6Cherry

U7Azure

A successful end to the season at a crowded Regimental Park in Killara. The boys were in top form today, opening up with a superb 3-0 win, and then following that with a hard fought 1-0 win, to have maximum points from 2 games. Everyone was playing well, trying their hardest under an increasingly hot sun. In the third game, we came up against Brooklyn, who pipped us at the post with a late goal in both games to win 4-3 overall. The boys showed how far they have come this season by not all crowding around the ball and looking for space. Thanks to all the boys for their efforts, and to their mums and dads for their help and support. Best wishes to Nida, who was unable to make it to the Gala Day.

See you all at Presentation Day.

Graham Richley - Coach

U7Blue – Gala Day Report

It was an enjoyable day of fun for all the boys. Our team played against Berowra, West Pymble and Wahroonga.

The team played some terrific football but unfortunately were outdone on the day by Berowra who took out the pool match.

Scores for the day

Team 1
Berowra 5 Hornsby RSL 1
Hornsby RSL 3 West Pymble 2
Hornsby RSL 1 Wahroonga 0

Team 2
Berowra 2 Hornsby RSL 0
Hornsby RSL 2 West Pymble 2
Hornsby RSL 1 Wahroonga 1

Geoff Dalley - Coach

Under 8A Azure - Semi finalists!

Gala Day kicked off at Blackman Oval, Lane Cove. All team members were present and fit to play, which was a welcome change. Our first match was played against Lindfield, resulting in a 3-0 win.

The second match against Northbridge was a pleasing 2-0 win and a chance to take on Kissing Point in the semi-final. Despite the score being 0-0 at full time, Kissing Point's lone corner enabled them to contest the final. Overall a frustrating result. 5 goals scored without a goal scored against us.

Thank you to all players, supporters and in particular to the committee of Hornsby RSL Youth Club who have given us this opportunity to proudly represent the Club.

Chris Tysoe - Manager

U8Blue

It was with much anticipation that the under 8 Blue team arrived for Gala Day. With afternoon games the order of the day, the boys had all morning to get themselves ready and psyched for this end-of-season treat. We were drawn to play teams from the lower north shore, which provided us with the additional motivation of beating these 'unknowns'. The first game against Chatswood Rangers got underway and after some champagne football throughout, we went down 2-1. Not to be knocked out that way, we returned for the next game ready to advance, goals ablaze into the next round. By the end of the second game, we were out of the competition, having a 0-0 draw and not enough goals or corners for that matter for us to be in the semi's. Just falling short in our quest for glory didn't dampen the enthusiasm or good sportsmanship the boys exhibited, like so many times throughout the year. 2009 was a wonderful season, once again for this fantastic little team. They have been superbly led by their coach Peter Burns who has guided their progress with patience and passion to bring out their best again this season.

Dave Supple - Manager

U9A Gala Day Report

Our Gala Day draw was a little daunting as we had to play SC Pymble and Northbridge. The first game was against SC Pymble and it was a fantastic game. All our players put their heart and soul into it. We lost 1-0.

The second game was like 2 games in one. In the first half we were hammered but in the second half we kept them scoreless. It was a great display of our team working together.

Thank you to all the players and parents for such a terrific year. It is a pleasure to be part of such a great team. A HUGE thank you to Alex and Mathias our coaches for giving up their time.

Looking forward to seeing you all next year!!!

Lynne Slevin - Manager

U9B Gala Day and Final Report

Well the Gala Day was a good team effort.

The results were 2 Losses and 1 Draw.

As this is my final report for the season, the team played with a good team spirit and commitment. The results through the season did the team no justice. I would like to thank the parents for their great support and encouragement.

Further more a thank you to Parminder Singh and Peter Wright for being my team managers. Thank you to Carol Coomber for doing the roster of oranges and shirts.

Finally I hope everyone enjoy the season as I did and hope to see everyone next Season.

Peter Neuenkirchen – Coach

U10 Semi Finalists

We had a great gala day, clearly the dominant team in our pool winning 1 nil and then 3 nil. We then went down in the semis 1 0 after we conceded an early goal and despite towing everything except the kitchen sink at the opposition just couldn't pull the goal back.

I was very proud of all of our players and I know that James was too. Alistair found his goal scoring touch which was great to see and Ewan came within a whisker of scoring showing great potential for next season. Alen and Joseph were our mid field dynamos also contributing to our scoring. Nick A showed courage in different roles and had a headache for the rest of the day after being hit in the head. A special mention for Jeremy who did a fabulous job in goal. Seems like someone put superglue on his gloves as everything stuck. Nick B was our stalwart always available in defence midfield or pushing up. Can't do without him. And finally Ran and Corey, the mainstay of our defence. We would never have made it through without them.

Thanks to all of the parents who help make this a great team and to James for pulling it all together every Saturday. Special mention to Ros and Gig for helping out so much. I have enjoyed every minute of the season and hope you all have too.

Carol Stables - Manageress U10

U11 – Gala Day Report

Today we had 2 games to play in the pool.

Our first game was against Mt Colah & it was an exciting game. We took an early lead in the corners with 3 in the first half with Henry nearly scoring a great header off a Jamie corner. Mt Colah hit back with a few corners before we finally scored a goal to lead 1- Nil. The team played well & it looked like a win was coming when we won a corner with only 90seconds of play. The corner fell to a Mt Colah player who ran the length of the field to score a great goal & force a 1 - 1 draw.

This meant we had to win our second game against Lindfield if we were going to progress to the next round. This game was also a close game but Lindfield took their chances as we missed a couple of ours & Lindfield won the game 2 - 0.

The entire team did a great job on the day & again made all of our parents & supporters very proud of their efforts & the spirit in which they played the games. Thanks guys for a fantastic season & for all the effort you put into the games this year.

To our coach AK, Thank you for your outstanding efforts in developing the squad throughout the season & the excellent level of commitment you have invested into teaching the team about football & life throughout 2009.

John Warren - Manager

Hornsby RSL Youth FC – Committee Positions

Role	Responsibilities
*President	<p>Represent the Club at all District Association meetings and events. Collaborate with the Hornsby RSL Youth Club President. Chair the Executive and Full Committee Meetings. Escalate Club issues to the District Association. Perform the role of Club Ambassador at external functions Produce a monthly written report</p>
*Vice President	To assist the President with their responsibilities
*Secretary	<p>Responsible for all Club communications, this entails:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Convening Committee meetings and recording and distributing the minutes and action items. • Providing signed Meeting Minutes to the Youth Club Secretary via the Youth Club Representative • Distributing District Association Circulars as appropriate • Managing correspondence into and out of the Club • Managing Club documentation • Maintaining Club distribution lists • Compiling and distributing the Club Newsletter, the Dribble. • Accountability for the Club website <p>Collaborate with the Hornsby RSL Youth Club Secretary. Produce a monthly written report</p>
*Assistant Secretary	To assist the Secretary with their responsibilities
*Registrar Lucy Bal	<p>Responsible for all Club Registration activities, this entails:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning and leading registration day activities • Implementing and maintaining a Club on-line registration system • Ensuring District Association requirements are met • Accountability for ID cards • Ensuring all registration fees are paid before a player is eligible to train and play • Registering the players with the Youth Club <p>Produce a monthly written report</p>
*Treasurer	<p>Responsible for all Club financial matters, this entails:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintaining the Club Bank Account • Managing all monies received and paid by the Club • Maintaining a financial balance sheet • Reconciling monies received with receipts • Banking monies received • Ensuring Youth Club requirements are met <p>Collaborate with the Hornsby RSL Youth Club Secretary. Produce a monthly written report.</p>
Recorder	<p>Communicate requirements of the Recorder to the team managers Ensure team managers have sufficient number of match cards Record scores on District on-line system each Saturday Deliver winning Competition match cards to the KDSA Head Office</p>
Equipment Manager Peter Neuenkirchen	<p>Ensure the Club has the appropriate uniforms and equipment. Distributing uniforms and equipment to the teams</p>

	<p>Collecting uniforms and equipment from the teams at the end of the season.</p> <p>Place orders with uniform and equipment with suppliers</p> <p>Keep track of uniforms and equipment</p> <p>Order trophies for presentation day.</p> <p>Keep track of annual trophies and collect them in time for them to be engraved for new recipients</p>
Head Coach	<p>Responsible for all Club coaching and training matters, this entails:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promoting the achievement of coaching qualifications by Club coaches • Coordinating responses to District Association Circulars concerning training, coaching and tournaments • Organising indoor training • Representing the Club regarding Small Sided Games deployment • Organising School Holiday Football Clinics • Representing the Club to the District Association on all training and coaching matters • Ensuring the Club has appropriate training facilities • Developing a Club coaching policy •
Assistant Coach	To assist the Head Coach with their responsibilities
Web Master	<p>Overall maintenance of website content ensuring currency</p> <p>Training users</p> <p>Point of contact for website provider</p>
Youth Club Coordinator	<p>Attend Youth Club Meetings and present a month written report at the monthly meeting.</p> <p>Provide signed meeting minutes to the Youth Club</p> <p>Report back matters arising at Youth Club meetings.</p>
Fund Raising Manager	Manage all aspects of fund raising.
Member Protection Information Officer	<p>The first point of call for any enquiries, concerns or complaints about harassment or abuse. The MPIO provides information and moral support to persons with concerns/complaints.</p> <p>To improve awareness of child protection and harassment free sport and provide a safe and enjoyable sporting environment.</p>

* Members of the Executive