



Rivo roos' news

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Team Information

There will be much more information from all the teams once the season is properly underway.

I have had an opportunity to see most grades training over the last month or so and it appears the club is set for a great season in 2005.

Good luck to all the players and coaches.

Editor.

From the 9's news desk

It was great to see so many boys turning up to training over the holidays. We played a scratch match against the 10's which has got the boys all fired up for the start of the season.

Please remember that for the whole season, players must be at the ground by 8.20am for a 9am start.

Cheers,
Mike (coach).

First with the 10's news

I have placed the 10s rules on the following web page:
http://www.rivorooos.com.au/teams_data.php?team=teams/2005-teams-10.txt

I have also handed out the rules at training but in case someone loses them they can get them on the web.

Barry Cable
(Coach)

NOTE: Rules are also in this newsletter.

Club Sponsor



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Rivo Roos Website

Anybody who would like photos, video or stories published on the club's website, please don't be shy, and contact the webmaster.

We now have a calendar on the website.
Slowly starting to publish up coming events on the calendar.

<http://www.rivoroos.com.au/cgi-bin/calendar.pl>

AFL Auskick & Junior Player Discount offer

All Auskickers can present their Auskick membership cards to receive 20% off Diadora football boots at Kmart.

Junior players can obtain a voucher to present when making their purchase. The voucher can be downloaded at www.football.com.au.

**Fixtures on the web
From Marilyn Grant (District Registrar)**

I will post the 2005 fixtures on the following website www.efjfc.org.au over the next couple of days.

We will be issuing Fixture Books very shortly (hopefully before Rd 3 - so don't go mad and print out the lot).

In addition to this we will shortly have set up a mobile phone website for parents / players that will show the time & place of the next game.
(Anyone can access it from their phone).

The url is: <http://w.ozemin.com/?w=ap9> for applecross 9s
<http://w.ozemin.com/?w=ea14> for east fremantle 14s
<http://w.ozemin.com/?w=ro11> for rossmoyn 11s

<http://w.ozemin.com/?w=ca17> for canning vale 17s etc. etc.

The 1st 2 letters of the club name (except rostrata which is 'ra' and winnacott kats which is 'wk') + the team age.

Note there is only one 'w' in 'w.ozemin.com', not 3.

If a club has more than 1 team in an age group, all games will show on the page. (e.g. canning vale 9s (ca9).

Please direct any queries etc. on the fixtures to me and I will pass them on to our Fixtures Coordinator - please make sure all your club members (Coaches; Team Managers; Parents & Players) are aware that queries must be sent through via a club official.

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Ovals & Locations

<u>CLUB</u>	<u>HOME GROUND & LOCATION</u>	<u>ALTERNATIVE &/OR EXTRA FACILITY (REFER FIXTURES)</u>
<u>Applecross Hawks</u>	GAIRLOCH - 9s to 12s	SHIRLEY STRICKLAND OVAL - 13S & OVER
	cnr Gairloch Road and McRae Street, Applecross	cnr Coogee Road and Drew Road, Ardross
<u>Attadale Bombers</u>	TROY PARK	.
	Burke Drive, Attadale - near Wireless Station	.
<u>Booragoon Bulldogs</u>	KAROONDA PARK - Main Oval - 9s to 17s	KAROONDA PARK - 2nd Oval - 9s to 17s
	cnr Karoonda Road and Nunweek Road, Booragoon	cnr Karoonda Road and Nunweek Road, Booragoon
<u>Bullcreek Leeming Bulls</u>	BEASLEY	PETER ELLIS
	cnr Karel Ave and Beasley Road, Leeming	Farrington Road, Leeming
<u>CanningVale Cougars</u>	CANNINGVALE	.
	The Ramble - Oval Adjacent to Canningvale Primary School	.
<u>East Freo Power</u>	HENRY JEFFERY OVAL	.
	cnr Preston Point Road and Wauhopp Road, East Fremantle	.
<u>Melville Hawks</u>	MARMION RESERVE	.
	Marmion Street, Melville - between Rome Road and North Lake Road	.
<u>Palmyra Demons</u>	MELVILLE RESERVE - OFTEN REFERRED TO AS STOCK ROAD OVAL	.
	cnr Stock Road and Canning Highway	.
<u>Riverton Roos</u>	RIVERTON RESERVE	.
	High Road, Riverton - between Vahland Ave & Riley Rd	.
<u>Rossmoyne Raiders</u>	SHELLEY RESERVE	.
	Koolan Drive and Bernier Road, Shelley	.
<u>Rostrata Rhinos</u>	PRENDWICK RESERVE	.
	Prendwick Way, Willetton	.
<u>Willetton Blues</u>	BURREDAH RESERVE	.
	cnr Pinetree Gully Road and Burrendah Boulevard, Burrendah	.
<u>Winnacott Kats</u>	WINNACOTT RESERVE	ALAN EDWARDS
	Winnacott Street, Willagee.	cnr North Lake Road & South Street.



2005 AFL AUSKICK Rules FLOW CHART

5-7 Years AFL Auskick Program & AFL Auskick SupaRulz



As at 20th December 2004

	AFL Auskick Program for 5-7 Year Olds	AFL Auskick SupaRulz for 8 Year Olds
1. Playing Field	Half senior size. Approx. 80m. <i>Divide into three zones –30/20/30m</i>	<i>Half senior size. Approx. 90m x 40m Grid with centre circle. Divide into three zones –30/30/30m</i>
2. The Team	6 or 9-a-side preferred – no rucks and rovers. Unlimited reserves. Rotate players every quarter.	9 or 12 a-side preferred – no rucks and rovers. Unlimited reserves. Rotate players every quarter.
3. Playing Time	<i>Up to 4 x 10 minute maximum quarters</i>	<i>Up to 4 x 10 minute maximum quarters</i>
4. Start of Play	A. Ball up between 2 centre players B. Players should be approximately equal size C. Players cannot take full possession out of ruck contests.	A. Ball up between 2 centre players B. Players should be approximately equal size. C. Players cannot take full possession out of ruck contests.
5. After a goal	As in 4. Different players contest the ruck each time. Goals can only be kicked by players in forward zone.	As in 4. Different players contest the ruck each time. Goals can only be kicked by players in forward zone.
6. Scrimmage	No diving on ball. Umpire stops play. Free kick awarded to nearest opponent.	No diving on the ball. Umpire stops play. Free kick awarded to nearest opponent.
7. Out of Bounds	A. From a kick. Kick awarded to nearest opponent. B. If doubt as to which team kicked the ball. Ball up 5m in C. Off hands or body - ball up 5m in from boundary D. Full possession rule.	A. From a kick. Kick awarded to nearest opponent. B. If doubt as to which team kicked the ball. Ball up 5m in. C. Off hands or body - ball up 5m in from boundary. D. Full possession rule.
8. Tackling	Players cannot hold with hands, knock out of hands, push in side, steal the ball. Players given every opportunity to deliver ball i.e. No harassing.	Modified hand tackle rule. Hold and release the “jumper only” with one or two hands. Strictly no slinging or deliberately bringing the opposition player to the ground. Grabbing the arms or applying a wrap around tackle is not permitted. Players once tackled and released have 3 seconds to dispose of the ball.
9. Bumping	No deliberate bumping. No deliberate contact is permitted. Incidental contact only.	Strictly no bumping allowed, except for incidental contact when players go for the ball.
10. Barging	Barging, fending off or chopping with hands passed opponents is NOT allowed. A free kick shall be awarded.	Barging, fending off or chopping with hands passed opponents is NOT allowed. A free kick shall be awarded.
11. Stealing/ Smothering/ Harassing/ Possession rule	Not allowed. The ball is possessed by the act of catching it, grabbing it or placing two hands on it when it is on the ground. Once the ball is possessed, all other players must back off to allow the player with the ball to kick or handball uncontested.	Not allowed. Modified hand tackle only.
12. Shepherding	Player not permitted to push, shoulder or block opponent not in possession of the ball.	Player not permitted to push, shoulder or block opponent not in possession of the ball.
13. Mark	Any reasonable attempt to catch ball directly from kick irrespective of distance travelled. No standing on the mark. No playing on allowed.	Any reasonable attempt to catch the ball directly from kick irrespective of distance travelled. Opposition player encouraged to stand on the mark. Playing on is allowed.
14. Bouncing the Ball	Player is permitted to bounce the ball only once then dispose of the ball.	Player is permitted to bounce the ball only once then dispose of the ball.
15. Kicking off the Ground	Not permitted to deliberately kick the ball off the ground.	Not permitted to deliberately kick the ball off the ground.
16. Order-off Rule	To be applied. Penalty time is umpire discretion	To be applied. Penalty time is umpire's discretion
17. Staying in	To stop congestion, umpire to instruct players to	To stop congestion, umpire to instruct players to

Position	stay in zone.	stay in zone.
18. Coaches	Coach is allowed on the ground to teach.	Coach is allowed on the ground to teach.
19. Spirit of the Game	Players and coaches to shake hands. Umpire to instruct players.	Players and coaches to shake hands. Umpire to instruct players.
20. The Game	No premierships points, no finals, no ladders, no match results, names of players published	No premierships points, no finals, no ladders, no match results, names of players published.
21. Awards	Participation, effort and skill achievement scheme.	Participation, effort and skill achievement scheme.
22. Clearances	Automatic clearance.	Automatic clearance.
23. Tribunals	No tribunal, discipline is responsibility of the club.	No tribunal, discipline is the responsibility of the club.
24. Other Rules and Laws	As per AFL Laws of Football	As per AFL Laws of Football



2005 AFL AUSKICK RULES FLOW CHART 9-10 Years & 11-12 Years

As at 20th December 2004

	9-10 Years	11-12 Years
1. Playing Field	Half senior size 90m x 60m	Two-thirds senior size. Approx. 110 x 80m.
2. The Team	9, 12 or 15-a-side – no rucks and rovers. Unlimited reserves. Equal game time rules applies (refer policy document)	9, 12 or 15-a-side – no rucks and rovers. Unlimited reserves. Equal game time rules applies (refer policy)
3. Playing Time	4 x maximum 12 minute quarters	4 x maximum 15 minute quarters
4. Start of Play	A. Ball up between 2 centre players B. Players should be approx. equal size. C. Full possession rule applies. D. Max. 3 players from each team closer than 20m to ball up.	A. Ball up between 2 centre players B. Players should be approx. equal size. C. Full possession rule applies. D. Max. 3 players from each team closer than 20m to ball up.
5. After a goal	As in 4. Different centre players each time.	As in 4. Different centre players each time.
6. Scrimmage	Umpire stops play. Send players back to positions and ball up used. Full possession rule applies.	Umpire stops play. Send players back to positions and ball up used. Full possession rule applies.
7. Out of Bounds	A. From a kick. Kick awarded to nearest opponent. B. If there is doubt as to which team kicked the ball - ball up 5m in. C. Off hands or body - ball up 5m in. D. Full possession rule.	A. From a kick. Kick awarded to nearest opponent. B. If there is doubt as to which team kicked the ball - ball up 5m in. C. Off hands or body - ball up 5m in. D. Full possession rule.
8. Tackling	Hand Tackle rule applies. After being tackled you must dispose of ball correctly (in three steps or three seconds) or free kick is awarded. Players cannot wrap around tackle, knock out of hands, push in side.	Wrap around tackle permitted in both 11's & 12's. Players can also hold with hands, bump in side, knock out of hands, steal out of hands, push in the side. Slingshot not permitted.
9. Bumping	Deliberate bumping is NOT allowed. Incidental/accidental contact is part of the game and may occur.	As per AFL laws.
10. Barging	Barge, fend off or chop past opponents. A free kick awarded.	As per AFL laws.
12. Stealing/ Smothering	Player may attempt to snatch or steal the ball but if unsuccessful, free kick awarded to opponent. This is to prevent the ball falling to the ground and a pack forming. No smothering.	Both stealing and smothering are allowed.
12. Shepherding	Player not permitted to push, shoulder or block opponent not in possession of the ball.	As per AFL laws i.e. Player is now allowed to shepherd more than 5m from the ball.
13. Mark	Catch ball directly from kick irrespective of distance travelled.	Catch ball directly from kick. Ball must travel 10 metres.
14. Bouncing the Ball (or touching the ball down)	Player is permitted to bounce the ball only once then dispose of the ball.	Player is permitted to bounce the ball once or twice then dispose of the ball.
15. Kicking off the Ground	Not permitted to deliberately kick the ball off the ground.	Not permitted to deliberately kick the ball off the ground.
16. Order-off Rule	To be applied. Penalty time up to umpire's discretion.	To be applied. Penalty time up to umpire's discretion.

17. Staying in Position	To stop congestion, umpire & coaches to instruct to stay in position.	To stop congestion, umpires & coaches to instruct to stay in position.
18. Coaches	Coach allowed on ground to teach.	Coach not allowed on ground. Runners are permitted
19. Spirit of the Game	Players and coaches to shake hands. Umpire to instruct players.	Players and coaches to shake hands. Umpire to instruct players.
20. The Game	No premiership points, no finals, no ladders, no match results, names of players published. Skill clinics, carnival days to be held.	No premiership points, finals or ladders. Match results (no scores) and names of players published. Skill clinics, carnival days to be held.
21. Awards	Participation, effort and skill achievement.	Participation, effort and skill achievement.
22. Clearances	Automatic clearance.	Automatic clearance.
23. Tribunals	No tribunal, discipline is responsibility of club.	No tribunal, discipline is the responsibility of the club.
24. Other Rules and Laws	As per AFL Laws of Football	As per AFL Laws of Football

Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to these players who celebrate their birthdays in April:
(Apologies to those players who are not listed – I have had to work with last years playing list.



Mitchell Walsh
Nathan Leinasars
Daniel Riley
Bradley Murphy
Kaleb Diggins

Blaise Walter
Jeffrey Smith
Adam Chidlow
Tim Cable
Luke Kersey

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2005 (Check the website for updates)

MAY 2005

Sunday 1st Season commences.
Saturday 21st Auskick Grid Game at East Fremantle Oval. Time – TBA.

SENIOR LIFE MEMBERS

Mrs Gloria Varschetti (Dec)	Mr Vic Varischetti	Mrs Kay Tames	Mr Neville Kiely
Mr Alf (A.J.) Smith	Mrs Bet (B.R.) Smith	Mr Geoff Fogarty	Mr Graeme Giles
Mr Ian Sharpe	Mr Jock McGowan (Dec)	Mr Max Nicholls (Dec)	Mr Rex Nicholls
Mr David Vodanovic	Mr Barry Lewis	Mr Alan Ahola	Mr Peter Pyke
Mr Rob Hayward	Mr Tom Cassidy (Dec)	Mr Anthony Cassidy	Mr Kevin Edgar
Mr Ken Ferguson	Mr Ross Monger	Mrs Carlene Wakefield	Mrs Alison Phelps
Mr Ron Phelps	Mr Alan Richardson	Mr Robert Parker	Mrs Marilyn Grant
Mr Paul Grigg	Mr Norm Mitsopoulos	Mr Bob Perhavec	

JUNIOR LIFE MEMBERS

Thomas Dickson	James Grant	John Grant Jnr	Travis Grigg	Rohan Lilly	Kane Mitsopoulos
David Olivieri	Jesse O'Keefe	Joshua Parker	Craig Phelps	Ashley Taunt	Mitchell Clark
Ben Fox	Clayton Grigg	Andrew Grove	Damien Grove	Brent Johnson	Ryan Kilgour
Ben Kunze	Karl Kunze	Jeremy Perhavec	Stephen McFarlane		