



RIVO ROOS' NEWS

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Auskick Notes

Hi All,

The registration days were a huge success. At this stage we have about 40 Auskickers registered.

If you haven't registered, its not too late – registration forms can be downloaded from the website.

The packs have been delivered. If you haven't got yours yet, call Ray on 9457 1890 to arrange pick up.

Don't forget the season launch on Sunday 1st of May. At this stage training will be on Wednesdays between 4:30pm and 5:30pm. This will be confirmed on opening day.

Ray Gibson
Auskick Co-ordinator.

From the 9's news desk

Training has started for the 9's team. I'd like to welcome the new players to the club and of course welcome back the boys who played last season.

The first training session was spent getting to know some new names. The second training session was into the serious stuff and spent learning new skills and preparing for the first game.

We've got a good bunch of players who are looking forward to a good season.

Mike Kersey (coach)



Luke Kersey (front) signs up for his second season with the 9's, assisted by Debbie Wilkinson (Secretary) & Lucy Hames (Registrar). Barry Cable (10's coach) provides help for 10's players during the recent registration day at the Riverton club rooms.

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First with the 10's news

The first training session will be on Thursday 24 March between 4.30pm and 5.30pm.

I will be available after training to talk to any parents if they have any queries or questions in relation to the 2005 season.

Message to the 11's

Further information in the next edition.

14's Information

March 14's Team News

The 14's team is about to change in a big way, that being the joining with the Willetton 14's. Due to the loss of a number of players from both teams it was agreed to combine the teams to form one.

With the great players we now have from both clubs, the 14's will be targeting the finals this year.

There are some issues to iron out, such as training locations and Team management but we are looking forward to welcoming the new players.

The Rivo boys had a training run with Lynwood/Ferndale last Sunday and played with real heart and endeavour. All the boys have matured and all have improved.

We wish to thank Bob who acted as boundary umpire for the run and we hope he has recovered by now.

To any one who has not signed up yet, please do so as the team is well into our training for the start of the season.

Bill & Rod (Coaching Team)

Details for U17's

Further information in the next edition.

<p><u>Rivo Roos Website</u></p> <p><i>Anybody who would like photos, video or stories published on the club's website, please don't be shy, and contact the webmaster.</i></p>

Club sponsor

Nik Varga contact numbers are:



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Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to these players who celebrate their birthdays in February and March:



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Ricky Hill
 Michael Rhodes
 Jack Rhodes
 Joshua Foster
 Joseph Pingault
 Dylan Bodycoat
 Michael Ghazouly
 Jacob Van Gaten

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Bryce VanDyken
 Heath Carr
 Karl Kunze
 Benjamin Kunze
 Daniel Scheibling
 Darcy Shipard
 Matthew Gray
 Liam Andrewartha
 John Gibson
 Billy Marquet
 Connor Lewis

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2005

APRIL 2005

Wednesday 20th Committee meeting, 7.00 pm, Riverton clubrooms.

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		

Melville Junior Football Club



Proudly Presents:

David “Rhys-Jones

The former South Melbourne & Carlton AFL Grand Final player and club strong man will have you in stitches as he relives his experiences and other gossip from the AFL scene!

When: Tuesday April 5th from 7:00 P.M until 11:00 P.M
(Bar open until midnight and BBQ available!)

Where: M.J.F.C Clubrooms, Marmion St. Melville.
Cost: \$20

- Door Prize
- Raffles
- Video Highlights

Good Quality Memorabilia auction during interval

Limited tickets available so please contact your team Manager/ Club coach immediately, or phone Brenton Cunningham on 0411746866.