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Season 2010 Round 7

Fundraiser

Just a reminder fundraiser money is due on 31 May 2010



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Hard Copies of the Binnak Bulletin will cease effective 1 June 2010

If you haven't already, please advise your Team Manager of your current email address so you can receive the Binnak Bulletin via email. If anyone requires a hard copy please advise your Team Manager. Once a list is compiled can Team Managers, please advise Marina Perri, Secretary on secretary@stdamiansjfc.com.au with your updated email addresses.



Garvey Night

Sunday, 30 May 2010

It is the Life Members Night with special guest Michael Hurley



For our second Garvey Night can any parents from our Under 10R & Under 10G team who will be attending the evening and who are willing to help out, can you please contact Marina Perri on 0419 009 798 to register as helpers please.

Upcoming Garvey Nights have been scheduled for:

27 June 2010-Special Guest-Marc Murphy from Carlton

25 July 2010
29 August 2010

Special Mentions

Congratulations to Billy Karatzas on making the Under 15 squad for the Yarra Junior League.

Tackers Fundraiser

Sausage Sizzle-26 May 2010 from 5.00 pm
Please come along and help the Tackers
raise money for their Presentation Night
\$2.00 for a sausage in bread

Justin Wenke and Phiv Demetriou from Impact Training Solutions will be coming to St Damians and will conduct some specialised training on:

Friday 11 June 2010

Phiv -U12 5.30 am to 7.00 pm and Youth Girls -7.00 to 8.30 pm

Hey Kids have some fun and register your kick on line daily, you can win prizes and St Damians can win \$5000 for new jumpers and equipment. You must be 12 years old and over register. Simply click on this link:

<http://www.defencejobs.gov.au/armyaward/kickforclub.aspx>

If anyone would like to contribute to the 'special mentions' please email Marina Perri on secretary@stdamiansjfc.com.au and we will endeavor to include them in the Binnak Bulletin.



Ground Set-Up & Ground Pack up

Committee members will be on hand to help.
Set-up starts at 8.00 – 8.30am on Sunday morning and takes no longer than 1 hour.

Round 8

Ground Set Up Binnak and Garvey- Tackers

Ground Pack Up Binnak - Colts

Ground Pack Up Garvey - Under 11R

Sportsman's Night

Finally Gentlemen, the date for the Sportsman's Night has arrived

This year Sportman's Night will be held on Friday, 16 July 2010, 7pm, at Greenville Receptions

Tickets will cost \$110.00 and will not only include a 2 course meal and appetizers, but will also put you into the draw to win 10 slabs of beer and enter your ticket into the Last Man Standing draw with the first prize being \$1500.00 hard cash.

This year the four sports stars in attendance will be:

Kevin Bartlett (MC)

Tom Haffey

Peter "Crackers" Keenan

Ray Gilson (a well known comedian)

Anthony Koutoufides



Tickets will be on sale shortly from your Team Manager.

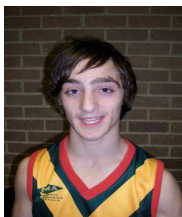
Tickets cannot be purchased at the door.

As this is our major fundraiser for the year please keep this date free and hope to see you all there.



2010 PLAYER MILESTONES

Tim Cronin-50 Games-Colts and 100 YJFL Games



Firebrand That's the one word to describe our Tim.

Tim came to the Club in 2007 with a bunch of players from Bundoora, this drastically changed the make up of the team winning a Brown division premiership and the rest they say is history. Over the next two years players have come and gone but Tim's dedication to the team has been unquestioned.

Tim is a small player but his ability to take high marks and his capacity to work in and around packs is amazing. Always adding Pizzazz to the game he is definitely exciting to watch. Cursed with a hot head but blessed with football skills saw him get over the line to win the Wally Tyrell medal last year as a Junior Colts player. We hope his energies can be focused to continue to be the dynamite player he is and see out the season to finish in fine style.

Ricky Bramham-50 Games-Colts



Ricky took a break from Junior Football for the 2009 season and returned to St Damians in 2010. Ricky is a tall kid with reliable hands to take marks and able to position himself to help his teammates. Ricky is a smart player who uses his head positioning himself to maximise the games potential, but also listens to his coach and can be relied upon to carry out his instructions. Ricky was a valued member of the 2007 under 14's premiership side. In 2010 Ricky has continued to grow and fill out and is happy to make his presence felt in and around the packs. We congratulate him on his 50 game milestone and look forward to watching him play out his Junior career with St Damians.

Lewis Balcombe-100 Games-U14



'Lewis', 'Lewie', 'lou', 'the shermanator', 'Riley'...has been so ominous with the No. 11 jumper for some time. Playing off half back Lewis is a good reader of the game and runs off his player racking up the kicks. His ability to run the footy off half back, play on the ball, kick goals up forward and from down back saw him awarded 'best-on-ground' in a Grand Final Premiership. Lewis plays with real passion and grit, has captained the team, pushes himself hard at training and challenges his team mates. 100 SUPER games Lou.



Sean Johnson – 100 – U14



'Seany' has been able to go into any position and provide some team lifting dash. Possessing nice ball skills, Sean is good in 'one-on-one contests', able to find space and be that link up player then go forward and kick a couple of goals. Top performer in a Premiership season and an instrumental player in finals series. Sean is a good user of the footy, and now plays through the middle. Solid at training...works hard, has fun a great team mate to all. Well done on 100... a lot of good football to come for Sean!

Kalin Tobin-50 Games-U13R



This is my first year of coaching Kalin and he is a boy who is very quiet but with hard work on the training track and on field has put himself into some of the main positions on the team. His ruck work has been really fantastic because he has a really surprising leap. He also has a very good attitude in that he wants to learn and work hard for his Teammates. Like all of the boys in this team he has great manners and is a pleasure to coach. Well-done Kalin

Cameron Pevitt-50 Games-U13R



What can I say about Cameron? One of the problems with Cameron is that he is to dame quiet. He comes to training does as he is told, works hard at his skills and is a terrific kid. Loves his football as was the case a couple of weeks ago when he was told by a doctor that he wasn't aloud to play for two weeks because of a sore wrist well he pestered his parents for two days and in the end they gave in, (like all of us do) but he came out and played his best game for the season and has not looked back. Well-done Cameron on your 50 th game



Theo Krokidis-50 Games-U12



I have had the privilege in coaching this young key forward player for the past 2 years. Theo is one player I can turn to if I need some pack marks taken in the forward line. Theo is a fantastic team player and plays a big part as one of our tall targets in the forward line. Theo is a great kid to coach as he always looks forward to a challenge. His ability to break open packs gives his team mates the opportunity to kick goals. There is no doubt that Theo gives 110 % each time he runs out on the footy field and is a great team player which as a coach is what you want from your kids. We congratulate Theo on his 50 games and look forward to seeing him have a long career at St Damians JFC. Enjoy the day and let's give him a big win boys.

Liam McLeod-50 Games-U11G



Liam is to be congratulated on 50 great games. Liam began in Tackers and has held the Ruck duties for the majority of the time, with fantastic results. Liam rarely loses a tap, giving our midfielders great opportunity on the ground. He takes a fantastic grab and his celebrations after kicking a goal are memorable. A reflection of Liam's ability was his 3rd placing in last year's Best and Fairest. With Liam's ability I hope for Carlton's sake he is the next Matty Kruezer, but judging by how much Liam loves a goal I'm sure he'd prefer to be the next Eddie Betts, he'd just have to stop growing now! Well done Liam on 50 games!

Ben McCluskey-50 Games-U11G



If Benny spent as much time on his homework as he does with a footy in his hand he'd be the smartest kid in Australia. I've had the pleasure to see, first hand, how much he lives and breathes football, and how much he enjoys being around his team mates. Ben is a half back flanker/midfielder with pinpoint skills and amazing leg speed, making him one dangerous player with the ball in his hands. He topped off a great year last season with 2nd place in the Best and Fairest, and his leadership is evident being voted by his team mates as co-captain. Ben loves telling the coach where he should be placing players, which tells me he could coach Hawthorn's 11th Premiership one day! Can't wait to see your 100th game milestone mate, well done.



Zero Tolerance

As a junior sporting club our duty of care is to provide all players and officials a safe sports environment where nothing but respect matters. The club would again like to remind all players and families that we are a

ZERO TOLERANCE CLUB where nothing but **ZERO TOLERANCE** will be tolerated.

Yarra Junior Football League

From the YJFL Website

The season has gotten off to a great start and we welcome the many new faces around the clubs for 2010.

A few issues have emerged from a number of games and we would appreciate each club taking note to ensure that these matters are corrected from Round 5:

1. Coach Bibs are not always worn, particularly at the lower age levels.
2. Runners and Trainers are spending too long on the grounds-refer to YJFL By Laws 5.3 and 5.4
3. Team Managers are not always bringing team sheets to the umpires at half time.



FIXTURE ROUND 7 – 23/05/2010

Team	Time	Home Team	Away Team	Venue
Tackers R	11.30 am	Macleod	St Damians	Windsor Park
Under 10R	10.00 am	North Brunswick	St Damians R	Allard Park
Under 10G	11.30 am	Greythorn 1	St Damians G	Greythorn Park
Under 11G	3.00 pm	Macleod	St Damians G	Windsor Park
Under 11R	11.30 am	Ashburton B	St Damians R	Burwood Reserve 2
Under 12	10.00 am	St Damians	Bullen Templestowe	Binnak Park
Under 13G	1.00 pm	Banyule	St Damians G	A J Burkitt Oval
Under 13R	11.30 am	St Damians R	Richmond	Binnak Park
Under 14	1.00pm	St Damians	Glen Iris	Binnak Park
Under 15	3.00 pm	St Damians	Bundoora	Binnak Park
Colts	3.00pm	Whitehorse Hills	St Damians	Springfield Park
Youth Girls	9.15 am Saturday 22/5	Wallan	St Damians	Ford Park 2

FIXTURE ROUND 8 – 30/05/2010

Team	Time	Home Team	Away Team	Venue
Tackers R	8.45 am	St Damians	St Marys W	Binnak Park
Under 10R	10.00 am	St Damians R	Parkside R	Garvey Oval
Under 10G	10.00 am	St Damians G	Camberwell 2	Binnak Park
Under 11G	11.30 am	St Damians G	Kew 1	Binnak Park
Under 11R	11.30 am	St Damians R	Balwyn	Garvey Oval
Under 12	11.30 am	Balwyn B	St Damians	Balwyn Park
Under 13G	1.00 pm	St Damians G	Bundoora	Binnak Park
Under 13R	11.30 am	Heidelberg	St Damians R	Warringal Park
Under 14	3.00pm	Canterbury R	St Damians	Canterbury Sports Ground
Under 15	1.00 pm	Ashburton G	St Damians	Ferndale Park
Colts	3.00pm	St Damians	St Marys 2	Binnak Park
Youth Girls	9.00 am Saturday 29/5	Diamond Creek U18s	St Damians	Ford Park 1

NOTE: Every attempt is made to ensure fixtures are correct at the time of print but fixtures are continuously changing and at the total control of the league so to be sure of all fixture times we recommend that you log onto the leagues website for confirmation of all game times – full fixtures can be viewed at www.yarrajfl.org.au



Round 6 - 16 May 2010 – Match Day Reports

Tackers Red

Coach: Craig Parker

Goals: Bronson, Massimo and first time goal kicker Tarkyn

Best Players: Mitchell, Dicko, Bronson, Jarryd, Jacob, Jayden, Daniel

Special Mention: Boys you can all learn a tackling lesson from Jarryd, Jacob and Bronson

Comments: Round Robin Day today - played four games today. Took a little while to get going but the last game was a ripper. Thank you to all the parents for helping and the donations were greatly appreciated. Special thanks to the Team Manager.

Under 10 R - 0.0.0 *lost to Beverly Hills R 7.7.49*

Coach: David Potter

Goals:

Best Players: Darcy, Daniel, Thomas, Christian, Ricky, Lachlan

Special Mention: Darcy proved what you can do when you try

Comments: The first half was the best football we have played all year. The fight we displayed in the first half proves that we can be competitive in this grade. Well done guys.

Under 10 G - 6.8.44 *won against Fitzroy 2 – 0.1.1*

Coach: John Marrone

Goals: Connor - 3, James, Jarrod & Billy - 1

Best Players: The Whole Team

Special Mention: James Lucente - great 50th game. Liam Fyffe - great game on your birthday.

Comments: Excellent team game. Followed the game plan perfectly. Keep up the hard work and the pressure. Look forward to our next challenge. Well done boys.

Under 11 G - 0.2.2 *lost to Doncaster Heights - 1.5.11*

Coach: Tom McCluskey

Goals:

Best Players: Harry F, Ben, Christian, Stevie, Ali, Liam

Special Mention: Ali - tired but still kept on going. Jordan - good talk. Stefan - competitive all day.

Comments: Fantastic team effort against an undefeated opposition. Very good game to watch, we will win our next close game after two close losses this season.

Under 11 R - 5.2.32 *lost to Doncaster - 5.5.35*

Coach: Paul Healy

Goals: Travis - 2, Jacob, Lucas, Adam - 1

Best Players: Lucas, Jordan R, Jamie, Jacob H, Joel, Nathan

Special Mention: Joel & Michael M - great captains game.

Comments: Best team game you have played boys. Well done on a top four quarter effort. The talk improved in the second half. Look forward to the same effort next week.

Under 12 G - 7.6.48 *won against Glen Iris H – 4.0.24*

Coach: Gary Moorecroft

Goals: Matt V - 4, Tyler - 2, Beau & Kyle - 1

Best Players: Jake, James, Adam, Cooper, Dylan and Alex

Comments: Good win today boys, worked hard all day. Our tackling was great but we need to work on playing four quarters. Now we work on two wins in a row.



Under 13 R - 12.14.86 won against St Marys K 1.2.8

Coach: David Mcaleer

Goals: Dylan, Bobby, Sam, Justin - 2, Nathan, Brandon, Samuel, Luke - 1

Best Players: Sam, Liam, Jordan, Trent, Aiden, Gino

Comments: This week we worked in reverse. Our first half we were lazy. Our second half the boys worked really hard for each other. Ran well, tackles were up and a really great last half.

Under 13 G - 3.6.24 lost to Hawthorn Citizens - 5.9.39

Coach: Danny Smith

Goals: Matthew B - 2, Sean - 1

Best Players: Matthew C, Sean S, Ricky R, Brayden C, Pota, Scott D

Special Mention: Matthew Caruso - great backmans game. Also Brayden on his 50th game - well done.

Comments: Our boys today were just too slow. Must get to training boys, we have to be alot fitter than where we are at the moment. We have to start playing 4 quarters of footy again instead of 2.

Under 14 - 8.7.55 lost to Ashburton - 15.13.103

Coach: Frank Sergi

Goals: Alexander - 3, Carl - 2, Jules, Lewis, Nic S - 1

Best Players: Andre, Julian, Carl, Riley, CJ, Lewis

Special Mention: Nic Sergi, Ben Sergi, Chris I, Alexander

Comments: Got off to a slow start, worked our way back into the game and the third quarter was our best for the year. Ran out of legs in the last quarter. Score does not reflect the closeness of the game.

Under 15 - 8.2.50 lost to Warrandyte - 20.9.129

Coach: Paul James

Goals: Anthony, Chem -3, Nick & Dion - 1

Best Players: Anthony, Joel, Jesse, Chem, Billy K, Mitch L, Ashley S

Special Mention: Thanks to Jack Cameron for running water.

Comments: Well done boys on a tremendous effort against a top notch team. Kept your heads up and played hard till the end. Superb effort!

Colts - 4.5.29 lost to Greythorn 2 - 17.17.119

Coach: Mick O'Keeffe

Goals: John C, John N, Ben W, Jake J

Best Players: Ricky, John, Patrick, Paul, Ray

Special Mention: Nic O'Connor - welcome to the team. Aaron Ford, Ben Nicholson

Comments: First half ok. Second half hmmm.

Youth Girls - 5.5.35 drew with Jacana - 4.11.35

Coach: Robert Privitelli

Goals: Rebecca P - 3, Louise and Louise - 1

Best Players: Rebecca, Louise, Mahli, Lisa, Melissa, Renee

Special Mention:

Comments: Terrific game. The girls showing that they can be competitive against any opposition. Excellent result.

