

The Mazonod Bugle

2012 ROUND 1 PREVIEW EDITION

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AROUND THE GROUNDS

ROUND 1 MATCHES

SENIORS— vs Old Camberwell

Central Reserve at 2PM

RESERVES— vs Old Camberwell

Central Reserve at 11:40AM

THIRD XVIII— vs Whitefriars

Central Reserve at 9:20AM

UNDER 19'S— vs Old Xaverians

Stradbroke Park at 2PM



Assistant Coach Ryan Power

Eyes on new recruits as season kicks off

A bumper crowd is expected to pack into Central Reserve this Saturday to see Mazonod attempt to exact revenge on Camberwell after a finals defeat in 2011.

There will be many new faces as Mazonod runs out on Saturday. Senior Coach Adrian Connolly will be stepping up for his first game after a year as Assistant, Ryan Power will play his first game as a playing Assistant coach after transferring from St Bedes, Byron Bonner (far right) will also make his return after a couple of seasons.

Under 19's JP Malietzis and Luke Greco are a chance to debut, and club newcomers Luke Broad, Sam Sylvester, Ben Castledine, Luke Castledine and James Egan are all in the mix. We will have to wait a bit longer for the debuts of Nick Thomas and Ben Phibbs who are both unavailable this week.

The influx of depth to the club should see a very strong Reserves side take the field against Camberwell. Familiar faces Cam Raine, Steve Balloch and Dave Maskill will be joined by a host of newcomers including under 19 graduates Adam Bau and Jake Little. New coach Scott Azzopardi (pictured right) is very excited about round 1.

The Clubbies have retired after their 2011 Premiership to make way for a Third XVIII under the VAFA's new competition. This will be captained by premiership player and illiterate



Bugle Reporter Dale Micallef and coached by former under 19s coach Paul McGowan. Huge numbers at training over summer should ensure Mazonod fields a very formidable line up in the early rounds.

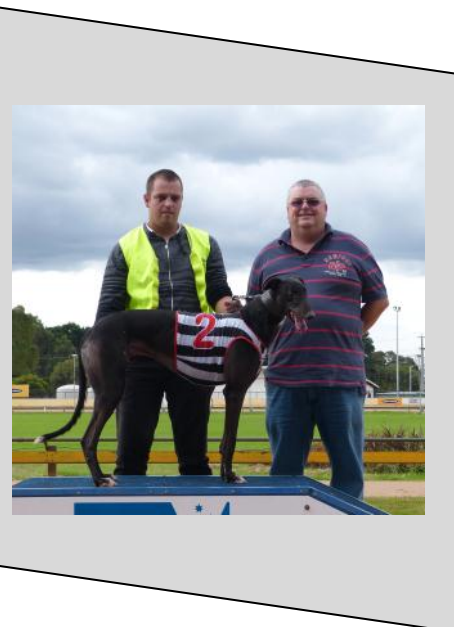


Record number crowd podium for photo

For the second straight year, the annual Mazenod Cup at Sandown Greyhounds was a resounding success. With healthy numbers from all areas of the club, a fantastic spread at the carvery, some top notch service at the bar, and some excellent advice at the TAB window from John Mann, the day has been heralded as a great event for the club. A

big thanks to Jace Kelly for his fantastic organisation and to Keely Barrow for her planning and donation of the painting for second prize in the raffle.

An ecstatic Anthony Ciavarella plans to remodel his living area around the painting after buying several hundred tickets in a bid to win it.



PaperBLACK now available

Retired AFL-footballer Heath Black reveals his struggles with his mental health, anger issues and alcohol abuse throughout his 12-year professional career, and his subsequent battle to overcome these demons, in his memoir *Black*.

Heath is brother to reigning Runner Up Senior B&F Jace Kelly.

Orders can be made through Jace or at www.heathblack.com.au.



Mazenod 2012—the place to be

After the resounding success of the 2nd Annual Greyhound Day (Mazenod Cup), we will now be publishing the entire social calendar for the upcoming year.

The first function of the year is this Saturday 21st April—the Parents, Partners, Mazenodians and Sponsors Luncheon. New Senior Coach Adrian Connolly will be speaking and this will be a fantastic way for all supporters to kick off the season. Details are on the next page. Bookings can be made to Paul Kelly on 0419 242 091

ROUND 1 APRIL 21ST MAZ V OLD CAMBERWELL (HOME) PARENTS/ PARTERS, MAZENODIANS AND SPONSORS LUNCHEON

ROUND 2 APRIL 28TH MAZ V RUPERTSWOOD (AWAY) UNDER 19'S DISCO

ROUND 3 MAY 5TH MAZ V MARCELLIN (AWAY)

ROUND 4 MAY 12TH MAZ V OLD ESSENDON (HOME) LIFE MEMBERS LUNCHEON

ROUND 5 MAY 19TH MAZ V FITZROY (AWAY)

ROUND 6 MAY 26TH MAZ V HAMPTON ROVERS (HOME) FOUNDERS DAY-KIDS CARNIVAL

ROUND 7 JUNE 2ND MAZ V BANYULE (AWAY)

JUNE 11 QUEENS BIRTHDAY- PUB CRAWL/ WATCH FOOTY/ GOLF DAY

ROUND 8 JUNE 16TH MAZ V MONASH BLUES (HOME) 1992 PREMIERSHIP REUNION

ROUND 9 JUNE 23RD MAZ V PARKDALE (AWAY)

ROUND 10 JUNE 30TH MAZ V MARCELLIN (HOME)

ROUND 11 JULY 7TH MAZ V FITZROY (HOME)

ROUND 12 JULY 21ST MAZ V OLD CAMBERWELL (AWAY) CAPTAIN NODDER

ROUND 13 JULY 28TH MAZ V HAMPTON ROVERS (AWAY)

ROUND 14 AUGUST 4TH MAZ V RUPERTSWOOD (HOME) SUNDAY 5TH-BLACK, WHITE AND BLUE DAY

ROUND 15 AUGUST 11TH MAZ V MONASH BLUES (AWAY)

ROUND 16 AUGUST 18TH MAZ V BANYULE (HOME) LADIES BRUNCH

ROUND 17 AUGUST 25TH MAZ V OLD ESSENDON (AWAY)

ROUND 18 SEPTEMBER 1ST MAZ V PARKDALE (HOME) THEMED DISCO (TBC)

8 OCTOBER—Presentation Night

Tickets to each event can be arranged at any time by contacting Jace Kelly on 0403 679 671. This is going to be a massive year socially for the club, and we encourage every player and supporter to get along to the functions.

PARENTS, PARTERS, MAZENODIANS AND SPONSORS

LUNCHEON

**ROUND 1
APRIL 21ST**

**MAZ V OLD CAMBERWELL
CENTRAL RESERVE CLUB ROOMS
STARTING 11:30AM**

\$25 PER PERSON

**BAR OPEN
SPIT ROAST LUNCH**

SENIOR COACH ADRIAN CONNOLLY SPEAKING

RSVP BY 17th APRIL
FOR CATERING PURPOSES
PLEASE BOOK A PLACE
CONTACT PAUL KELLY
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Baters Mazenod Memes

Inspired by a facebook group he saw, and sick of his look-alike or Robert Doyle, Bater has offered to contribute a Mazenod meme every week (we don't know how the word applies either). This week he examines Ross 'The Sitch' Fileccia.



After a somewhat questionable start last week, Dale Micallef has survived for another episode of...

Micallef's Pre Season Diary

Tuesday 11th April:

Dear Dairy,

My dream of playing ones has taken a massive step in the write direction. Last night I was elevated to the senior leadership group. All the hard work is starting to pay off. I feel on top of the world.

Friday 13th April:

Dear Dairy,

I am not sure what happened. Last night, I was selected on the bench in the 2's for the last practice match. This is no place for a club leader. I was a bit surprised at first, but I have just realised that they are obviously saving me for round 1. There will be Camberwell scouts out on Saturday and they don't want to give me away too early. I am absolutely flying and have had a flawless pre season.

Tuesday 17th April:

Dear Dairy,

I am gutted. In what can only be described as madness, I was last night named 3's captain. I can only assume this means I will not play seniors in round 1. This is a major disappointment and I can honestly say I never saw it coming. I blame Barge, who I saw lurking around the ground on Saturday. I am not sure where to go from here.

Dale Micallef.



MAZENOD SUPERCOACH

After a long and arduous pre season, the hard work by the boys has finally come to fruition and the starting Supercoach team has been named. There were some who peaked early in the pre season (Phibbsy) only to be thrown on the scrap heap as the months flowed on, while others (Sam Reed) were never realistically in contention, despite constantly sending picture messages to selectors of their 2011 Senior Best and Fairest Trophy. The side is quite formidable, with the only two changes going into the last week being Tank out for Steve Oldman (risky given his 2011 average of 0.66) and Dan McLean (knee) out for James Egan who showed some super form in the final practice match.



Total score: 0



Louis Greco

A REMINDER TO ALL:

**LADIES DAY IS LESS
THAN 3 MONTHS
AWAY!**



PLEASE ENCOURAGE LADIES
AROUND THE CLUB TO CONTINUE
TO SHOW US THEIR SUPPORT

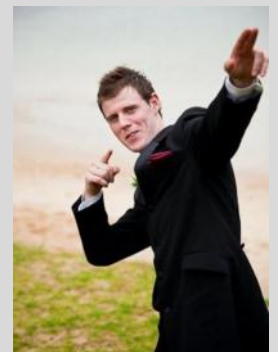
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SCENES AT MOCFC, BAUY ON THE BOUNDARY COLUMNIST DANIEL
BAU HAS DECIDED TO DELVE TO THE HEART OF THE CLUB IN 2012
TO BRING YOU THE INSIDE WORK. SO IT IS WITH GREAT PLEASURE

THAT WE BRING YOU...

Bauy in the Boardroom

Daniel Bau is on annual leave this week. Instead, we give you his
impression of Danny Zuko from Grease.



"T-Bok" Rees Thomas —>