

The History of

Newtown Football

Club

1874—1933

and

Chilwell Football

Club

1874—1933

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League Unknown to Date: 1874—1878

1874 SEASON

Participating Teams
• Chilwell
•
•
•
League Unknown SENIORS
1874—GRAND FINAL
Not Known
Not Known
Not Known
Goal Kickers
Best Players
Not Known
Goal Kickers
Best Players

1876 SEASON

Participating Teams
• Chilwell
• Geelong West
• Newtown
• North Geelong (Premiers)
League Unknown SENIORS
1876—GRAND FINAL
North Geelong
Not Known
North Geelong
Goal Kickers
Best Players
Not Known
Goal Kickers
Best Players

1878 SEASON

Participating Teams
• Chilwell
• Geelong West
• Newtown
• North Geelong (Premiers)
League Unknown SENIORS
1878—GRAND FINAL
North Geelong 1.8 (14)
Chilwell 1.6 (12)
North Geelong
Goal Kickers Collins (1)
Best Players W.H. Batten, R. Brown, H. Atkins, Jackson
Chilwell
Goal Kickers
Best Players

1875 SEASON

Participating Teams
• Chilwell
• Newtown
•
•
League Unknown SENIORS
1875—GRAND FINAL
Not Known
Not Known
Not Known
Goal Kickers
Best Players
Not Known
Goal Kickers
Best Players

1877 SEASON

Participating Teams
• Barwon
• Chilwell
• Newtown
• North Geelong
League Unknown SENIORS
1877—GRAND FINAL
Not Known
Not Known
Not Known
Goal Kickers
Best Players
Not Known
Goal Kickers
Best Players

Geelong District Football Association: 1879—1918

1879 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Chilwell	
East Geelong	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong (Premiers)	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1879—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
North Geelong	4.2 (26)
Geelong West	3.2 (20)
North Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Conflicting data—the above results are as per the G DFA records according to North Geelong Football Clubs records (no Grand Final—North Geelong was the leading team after a series of games.

1881 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong (Premiers)	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1881—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
North Geelong	2.27 (39)
Geelong West	0.3 (3)
North Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Conflicting data—the above results are as per the G DFA records and the North Geelong FC records, according to the Geelong West Records—Geelong West 2.2 (14) defeated North Geelong 1.1 (7).

1883 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong (Premiers)	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1883—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
North Geelong	2.8 (20)
Geelong West	1.8 (14)
North Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
	Binns, W.H. Bullen, Crofts, Carcy, Gorman, Healey, Huggins, Kearney, Kerley, McKenzie, T. McCoy, Reid Rickets, Trait, Turley
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Goal Kickers
Best Players

1880 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Chilwell	
East Geelong	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1880—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West	2.5 (17)
North Geelong	1.3 (9)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
North Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1882 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Chilwell	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1882—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West	3.3 (21)
North Geelong	1.0 (6)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
North Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Conflicting data—the above results are as per the G DFA records according to the Geelong West Records—Geelong West 3.3 (21) defeated North Geelong 0.3 (3)

1884 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1884—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West	4.7 (31)
Barwon	1.6 (12)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Conflicting date the G & DFA and Geelong West Football Club have the above record, North Geelong's records state no Grand Final—North Geelong played 14 matches won 12, one draw, one loss.

Geelong District Football Association: 1879—1918

1885 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1885—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West 6.6 (42)	
Barwon 3.0 (18)	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1887 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1887—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West 7.7 (49)	
Barwon 5.4 (34)	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1889 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1889—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West 9.13 (67)	
Newtown 2.8 (20)	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Newtown	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1886 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon (Premiers)	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1886—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Barwon 4.5 (29)	
Geelong West 3.1 (19)	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1888 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon (Premiers)	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1888—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Barwon 8.9 (57)	
Geelong West 6.10 (46)	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1890 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1890—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West 3.15 (33)	
Barwon 1.0 (6)	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Conflicting data G DFA show the above results and Geelong West's records show—Geelong West Football Club 3.15 (33) d Barwon Football Club 5.4 (34)

Geelong District Football Association: 1879—1918

1891 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
West End (Premiers)	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1891—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
West End	5.6 (36)
Newtown	2.8 (6)
West End	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Newtown	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1893 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones (Premiers)	
Newtown Magic	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1893—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Marylebones	3.9 (27)
Geelong West	2.6 (18)
Marylebones	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1894 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West (Premiers & Champions)	
Marylebones	
Newtown Magic	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1894—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West *	7.2 (42)
Marylebones	1.2 (8)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Marylebones	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1892 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West (Premiers & Champions)	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1892—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West *	9.14 (68)
Newtown	4.9 (33)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Newtown	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Conflicting data G & DFA records show the above result but the East Geelong Football Club records state that East Geelong (Marylebones) finished first on the ladder with 52 goals for and 40 against. Second was Geelong West with 24 goals for and 37

1895 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones (Premiers)	
Newtown Magic	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1895—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Marylebones	5.12 (42)
Barwon	1.4 (10)
Marylebones	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Geelong District Football Association: 1879—1918

1896 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West (Premiers & Champions)	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1896—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West	11.4 (70)
Newtown	8.13 (61)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Newtown	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1898 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones	
Newtown (Premiers)	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1898—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Newtown	8.3 (51)
Chilwell	4.1 (25)
Newtown	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1900 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones	
Newtown (Premiers)	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1900—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Newtown	5.13 (43)
Chilwell	2.5 (17)
Newtown	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1897 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones	
Newtown (Premiers)	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1897—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Newtown	4.7 (31)
Chilwell	2.5 (17)
Newtown	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1899 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones	
Newtown (Premiers)	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1899—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Newtown	3.5 (23)
Barwon	2.4 (16)
Newtown	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1901 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon United (Premiers)	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1901—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Barwon United	8.11 (59)
Chilwell	4.3 (27)
Barwon United	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Geelong District Football Association: 1879—1918

1902 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones (Premiers)	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1902—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Marylebones	4.12 (36)
Chilwell	5.2 (32)
Marylebones	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1904 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones (Premiers)	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1904—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Marylebones	11.12 (78)
Barwon	3.7 (25)
Marylebones	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1906 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Ashby	
Barwon (Premiers)	
Chilwell	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1906—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Barwon	2.10 (22)
Ashby	3.4 (22)
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Ashby	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Barwon awarded premiership because they were top of the ladder prior to the finals matches.

1903 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell (Premiers)	
Geelong West	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1903—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Chilwell	5.6 (36)
Marylebones	4.7 (31)
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Marylebones	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1905 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Marylebones (Premiers)	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1899—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Marylebones	11.10 (76)
Chilwell	6.5 (41)
Marylebones	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Geelong West Football Club changed it's name to Ashby Football Club from 1906—1909.

Geelong District Football Association: 1879—1918

1907 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Ashby	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
East Geelong (Premiers)	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1907—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
East Geelong	5.11 (41)
Barwon	2.7 (19)
East Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1909 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Ashby (Premiers)	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Marylebones	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1909—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
Ashby	9.9 (63)
Barwon	1.15 (21)
Ashby	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1910 SEASON

2nd Rate Football Association—Minor League—Participating Teams	
Geelong West	
Germantown	
Newtown (Premiers)	
2nd Rate Football Association—Minor League SENIORS PREMIERS	
Kardinia Park	
September 10, 1910	
1910—GRAND FINAL	
Newtown	4.7 (31)
Geelong West	3.10 (28)
Newtown	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Goal Kickers	Macher (1), Stoate (1), Donahue (1) Dudderidge (1)
Best Players	William Graham, Stoate, Macher, S. Nankervis, D. Nankervis, Rankin, Baensch
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Goal Kickers	Glynn (1), Haberman (1), Muir (1)
Best Players	Liddicut, White, Glynn, Fisher, Muir, Jenkins, Maguire

1908 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Ashby	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
East Geelong (Premiers & Champions)	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1908—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
East Geelong *	7.11 (53)
Ashby	5.2 (32)
East Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Goal Kickers	McCreay (2), Getson (1), Heins (1), T. Girney (1), Mulligan (1), George Tansing (1)
Best Players	
Ashby	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1910 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
East Geelong (Premiers)	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1910—GDFA GRAND FINAL	
East Geelong	7.17 (69)
Chilwell	7.7 (49)
East Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Goal Kickers	George Tansing (2), J. James (2), Powers (1), McCartney (1), V. Carr (1)
Best Players	
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Conflicting data the results above are as per East Geelong's records the G & DFA's results are East Geelong 4.7 (31) defeated Geelong West 3.10 (28).

Geelong District Football Association: 1879—1918

1911 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
East Geelong (Premiers)	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1911—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
East Geelong	3.6 (24)
Geelong West	2.6 (18)
East Geelong	
Goal Kickers	Getson (2), V. Carr (1)
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1912 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
East Geelong (Premiers)	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1912—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
East Geelong	11.5 (71)
Geelong West	6.13 (37)
East Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
	Tom Brownlees, Syd Smith, Sedwick Getson, Hopkins, Bill McCarter, Johns, J. James, E. Miles
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1913 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
East Geelong (Premiers)	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1913—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
East Geelong	6.4 (4)
Chilwell	2.8 (20)
East Geelong	
Goal Kickers	Bendle (2), Getson (2), James (1), Beard (1)
Best Players	
	Getson, Gibney, Miles, Collins, Morgan, Westaway, James, Kelly, Bendle
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Third Rate Geelong Competition (1920—1914) SENIORS	
1913—GRAND FINAL	
Shelford	4.6 (30)
Newtown	3.6 (24)
Shelford	
Goal Kickers	Robinson (1), Weton (1), Miller (1), Cason (1)
Best Players	
	Allen, Robinson, Weston, Miller
Newtown	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1914 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
East Geelong	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1914—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West	8.5 (53)
Chilwell	6.13 (49)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Conflicting data the G DFA records show the above Geelong West Football Club records show the below.

Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
Geelong West Oval	
1914—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West	8.7 (55)
Chilwell	3.11 (29)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	Jim Kearney (3), J. Knell (2), G. Davie (2), Potter (1)
Best Players	
	Jim Kearney, Maguire, Powers, Jones, Arnott, R. Knell, Cocking, Game, Davis
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

The East Geelong records show the results below.

Geelong District Football Association SENIORS	
1914—G DFA GRAND FINAL	
East Geelong	4.10 (34)
Geelong West	4.3 (27)
East Geelong	
Goal Kickers	Bendle (2), Heyward (1), Morgan (1)
Best Players	
	Getson, Hardiman, Evans, Tompkins
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Geelong District Football Association: 1879—1918

1915 SEASON

Participating Teams

Barwon

Chilwell

East Geelong

Geelong West (Premiers)

Newtown

North Geelong

Geelong District Football Association SENIORS

1915—G DFA GRAND FINAL

Geelong West 4.11 (35)

North Geelong 3.4 (22)

Geelong West

Goal Kickers G. Davie (1), J. Knell (1), Jim
Kearney (1), L. Mitchell (1)

Best Players W. Thompson, Cocking, Maguire,
Jones

North Geelong

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Newtown records show.....

SENIORS

1915—GRAND FINAL

Chilwell* 9.8 (62)

Newtown 6.3 (44)

Chilwell*

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

1916 SEASON

In recess due to WW1

1917 SEASON

In recess due to WW1

1918 SEASON

Participating Teams

Barwon

Chilwell

East Geelong

Geelong West (Premiers)

Newtown

North Geelong

Geelong District Football Association SENIORS

1918—G DFA GRAND FINAL

Geelong West 4.6 (36)

East Geelong 4.5 (29)

Geelong West

Goal Kickers

Best Players P. Fagan, L. Armstrong, H. Milgate

East Geelong

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Conflicting data the G DFA records show the above Geelong West Football Club records show Geelong West 86. (54) defeated East Geelong 6.5 (41).

Geelong District Football League: 1919—1921

1919 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barrabool	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
East Geelong (Premiers)	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football League SENIORS 1919—GDFL GRAND FINAL	
East Geelong 7.12 (54)	
Geelong West 5.13 (43)	
East Geelong	
Goal Kickers Gliddon (3), James (2), Rainsford (1), McQueen (1)	
Best Players Armstrong, Patterson, Brooks, Oates, Everett	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1920 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
East Geelong (Premiers)	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong District Football League SENIORS 1920—GDFL GRAND FINAL	
East Geelong 8.6 (54)	
Barwon 2.11 (23)	
East Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players Gliddon, Jones, Bill McCarter, Alan Batty	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1921 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon (Premiers)	
Chilwell	
East Geelong	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Queenscliff	
Winchelsea	
Geelong District Football League SENIORS 1921—GDFL GRAND FINAL	
Barwon 13.11 (89)	
Queenscliff 5.6 (36)	
Barwon	
Goal Kickers Binch (4), Topping (4), Darrah (3), Kelly (2), Perkins (1)	
Best Players Albert Topping, Armstrong, Harrison, Pelly	
Queenscliff	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Geelong Junior Football Association: 1922—1932

1922 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell (Premiers)	
East Geelong	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1922—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
Chilwell	10.14 (74)
North Geelong	9.11 (65)
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
North Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1924 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon (Premiers)	
Barwon Rowing Club	
Chilwell	
East Geelong	
Geelong West	
Military	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1924—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
Barwon	8.7 (55)
Geelong West	6.5 (41)
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1926 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon (Premiers)	
Chilwell	
Ford	
Geelong West	
Military	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1926—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
Barwon	9.11 (65)
Geelong West	9.9 (63)
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1923 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon Rowing Club	
Chilwell (Premiers)	
Geelong West	
Military	
North Geelong	
Portarlington	
Queenscliff	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1923—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
Chilwell	14.13 (97)
Geelong West	9.13 (67)
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1925 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Barwon Rowing Club	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Military	
Newtown	
North Geelong (Premiers)	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1925—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
North Geelong	9.7 (61)
Chilwell	7.10 (52)
North Geelong	
Goal Kickers	Duggan (3), Black (3), Manson (2), Everett (1), Evans (1)
Best Players	Everett, Duggan, Jones, Barrent, Black, Brough, Thomson
Chilwell	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1927 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Military	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Queenscliff	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1927—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West	8.13 (61)
Barwon	7.11 (53)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	W. Welsh, Turner, Coles
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Geelong Junior Football Association: 1922—1932

1928 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon (Premiers)	
Belmont	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Queenscliff	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1928—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
Barwon	7.6 (48)
Geelong West	6.10 (46)
Barwon	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1930 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong (Premiers)	
Queenscliff	
Werribee	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1930—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
North Geelong	14.11 (95)
Queenscliff	14.9 (93)
North Geelong	
Goal Kickers	
Ralph Crook (3), Gill McMahon (2), Danny Farrelly (2), Harry Harvey (1), J. Austin (1), R. Storey (1), Gil Cunningham (1), S. Furze (1), J. Bowie (1), A. Brown (1)	
Best Players	
A. Brown, Cyril Henry, J. Austin, R. Storey, S. Finlay, Ralph Crook	
Queenscliff	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1932 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Bacchus Marsh	
Barwon	
East Geelong	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Queenscliff	
Werribee	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1932—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West	8.13 (61)
Queenscliff	7.9 (51)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
George Rushton (4)	
Best Players	
George Rushton	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1929 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Barwon	
Belmont	
Chilwell	
Geelong West	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Queenscliff (Premiers)	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1929—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
Queenscliff	17.8 (110)
Chilwell	13.15 (93)
Queenscliff	
Goal Kickers	
Norm Johnson, Les Wayth, C. Rowbottom, Albert Chessells, Reg Wells	
Best Players	
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1931 SEASON

Participating Teams	
Bacchus Marsh (Debut)	
Barwon	
Chilwell	
East Geelong	
Geelong West (Premiers)	
Newtown	
North Geelong	
Queenscliff	
Geelong Junior Football Association SENIORS	
1931—GJFA GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West	11.19 (85)
Bacchus Marsh	9.11 (65)
Geelong West	
Goal Kickers	
Jack Welsh	
Best Players	
Bacchus Marsh	
Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

1933 SEASON

Participating Teams

Barwon

Chilwell (Final Season due to merger 1934)

Geelong West (Premiers)

Guild Scouts

Newtown (Final Season due to merger 1934)

North Geelong

Queenscliff

Werribee

Geelong Junior Football Association

SENIORS

1933—GJFA GRAND FINAL

Geelong West 22.10 (142)

Queenscliff 10.5 (65)

Geelong West

Goal Kickers Norman Glenister (8)

Best Players George Rushton, Norman Glenister, Ron Houghton, Brunger, Jack Williams, Delahunty

Queenscliff

Goal Kickers

Best Players

The History

of the

Newtown Football Club

1874 — 1933

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INTRODUCTION

About Newtown:

Newtown became a town in 1924 and a city 1949. It was swallowed up by the City of Greater Geelong in 1993.

The population of the Newtown—Chilwell area, which is an inner Geelong suburb is defined by the border of the Barwon River to the south and west, Aberdeen Street in the north and Latrobe Terrace to the east. It is the home of many of Geelong's oldest and most valuable properties. The population of Newtown and Chilwell peaked at 12,290 in 1996 before prices began to rise dramatically.

The Barwon River runs around Newtown and several large reserves that contain playing fields, sporting clubs, wetlands and a bicycle/walking track are beside it. There are hundreds of beautiful Victorian and Edwardian houses, and several historic mansions, including Barwon Grange, west of the river. Newtown neighbors the established Queens Park golf course in the west and Kardinia Park to the east. The suburb boasts some of the city's finest schools—The Geelong College, Sacred Heart College and St Joseph's College—and several excellent shopping Centre's. Many of the smaller and simpler homes to the north of the suburb were renovated in the 1980s and 1990s. Newtown has a mixed population that ranges from wealthy and established areas through to multicultural Pakington Street.

The first land sale in what was known as New Town was in 1839 and views over the river and the city attracted some of Geelong's wealthier citizens. In 1840, Captain Lawler bought land in a street that now bears the name of his steamer, Aphrasia. Most of the first allotments were large in the 1850s, subdivisions began to reduce the number of 25 acre estates in New Town. Throughout the late 1800s, most building activity occurred around Noble, Pakington and Fyans Streets. There were 30 to 40 houses built every year during the 1920s and 1930s. In the 1950s, subdivisions filled up much of the rest of the suburb.

The population of Newtown and Chilwell peaked at 12,290 in 1966, before prices began to rise. The Hermitage (built in 1959/60) and the National Trust Building, The Heights (1855) with its German influences, are superb historic mansions. Barwon Grange (1856) beside the river, is also open to the public and another reminder of Newtown's wealthy beginnings.

Newtown vacant allotments were amongst those in the suburbs where preliminary 'trial kicks' were held in 1860; but the Geelong Football Club's first ground was near the Agricultural Society's Showground's (Ryrie and Garden Streets) and Newtown players thought the distance too far. They decided to remain members only on the understanding that matches would be on the Argyle ground.

Some of the better know footballers from the borough of Newtown were George Stevens of Newtown, brother of Bishop Stevens, also played senior football with Geelong.

They were followed by others Newtown players in the Geelong team for many years — Dr. Alec 'Shacko'

Timms, son of H. Timms Snr, Captain of Geelong, Frank Brockwell, Arch Thompson, Jim Palmer, Wally 'Jumbo' Sharland, Les 'Guv' Smith, Arthur Pink and many more mentioned in this book.

By the 1870's there was a growing public interest in other local football teams.

Established:

Earliest records show the Newtown Football Club in 1875. Other Newtown football teams were: Newtown Juniors better known as Newtown Magic's, because their Guernsey's were supplied by Cr. John McLeod and bore the trademark of of his Magic Soap Works (Victorian Soap and Candle Co.) on the back of the Geurnsey 'a heart pierced with an arrow', Magic Soap Works was located in Riversdale Road, Newtown near the Barwon River. Newtown Imperial Minor

Club Colours:

Newtown played in the blue and white hoops of Geelong.

Home Ground:

Newtown Football Club: rear of the Great Western Hotel. Their club rooms were in Skene Street, Newtown opposite the Gold Diggers Hotel.

Competitions participated in:

Since the formation of both clubs they have been involved in the following leagues:

- **1874 -1878** League unknown
- **1878-1918** Geelong District Football Association (GDFA)
- **1919-1921** Geelong District Football League (GDFL)
- **1922-1932** Geelong Junior Football Association (GJFA)
- **1933-1938** Geelong District Football League (GDFL)

Newtown Football Club Premierships	
SENIOR:	1897—1898—1899—1900—1910

Newtown were runners-up in 1889, 1891, 1892, 1896, 1913 and 1915.

By 1933 Newtown were 25 pounds in debt.

THE TROPHY CABINET – SENIOR CLUB PREMIERS

* PREMIERS & CHAMPIONS

1897

Geelong District Football Association

Newtown Football Club 4.7 (31) d. Chilwell Football Club 2.5 (17)

1898

Geelong District Football Association

Newtown Football Club 8.3 (51) d. Chilwell Football Club 4.1 (25)

1899

Geelong District Football Association

Newtown Football Club 3.5 (23) d. Barwon Football Club 2.4 (16)

1900

Geelong District Football Association

Newtown Football Club 5.13 (43) d. Chilwell Football Club 2.5 (17)

1910

Geelong District Football Association

(2nd Rate Football Association)

Newtown Football Club 4.7 (31) d. Geelong West Football Club 3.10 (28)

SENIOR FOOTBALL GRAND FINALS

Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1889—GRAND FINAL

Geelong West	9.13 (67)
Newtown	2.9 (20)

Geelong West

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1891—GRAND FINAL

West End	5.6 (36)
Newtown	2.8 (20)

West End

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1892—GRAND FINAL

Geelong West *	9.14 (68)
Newtown	4.9 (33)

Geelong West

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1896—GRAND FINAL

Geelong West *	11.4 (70)
Newtown	8.13 (6)

Geelong West

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS PREMIERS
1897—GRAND FINAL

Newtown	4.7 (31)
Chilwell	2.5 (17)

Newtown

Goal Kickers Bonney (2), Potter (1), Dyer (1)

Best Players Bunce, Dear, Griffiths, Kelly, Pinniger, Sykes, Sandford, Wilson

Chilwell

Goal Kickers Lee (1), Fowler (1)

Best Players Harvey, Francisco, Kirby, McAdam, Rennick, Davis, Adler, Avery

Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS PREMIERS
1898—GRAND FINAL

Newtown	8.3 (51)
Chilwell	4.1 (25)

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Chilwell

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS PREMIERS
1899—GRAND FINAL

Newtown	3.5 (23)
Barwon	2.4 (16)

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Barwon

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS PREMIERS
1900—GRAND FINAL

Newtown	5.13 (43)
Chilwell	2.5 (17)

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Barwon

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong District Football Association
(2nd Rate Football Association)
G DFA—SENIORS PREMIERS
1910—GRAND FINAL

Field Umpire: M. Shelley

Goal Umpires: J. Allsop, C. Nelis

Newtown	4.7 (31)
Geelong West	3.10 (28)

Newtown

Goal Kickers Machar (1), Stoate (1), Donahue (1), Dudderidge (1)

Best Players William, Graham, Stoate, Machar

Geelong West

Goal Kickers Glynn (1), Haberman (1), Muir (1)

Best Players Liddicut, White, Glynn, Fisher, Muir, Jenkins, Maguire

Third Rate Geelong Competition
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1913—GRAND FINAL

Shelford	4.6 (30)
Newtown	3.6 (24)

Shelford

Goal Kickers Robinson (1), Weston (1), Miller (1), Cason (1)

Best Players Allen, Robinson, Weston, Miller

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1915—GRAND FINAL

Chilwell *	9.8 (62)
Newtown	6.3 (39)

Chilwell

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

CLUB OFFICIALS

YEAR	PRESIDENT	VICE PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER
1875	Dr. David Boswell Reid			
1876				
1877	H. Swindels		J. Weddell	R. Fegan
1878			J. Burley	
1879				
1880				
1881				
1882				
1883				
1884				
1885				
1886				
1887				
1888				
1889				
1890				
1891				
1892				
1893	Cr. John McLeod		W.H. Westaway	T. Smith
1894				
1895	W. Harding			
1896				
1897				
1898				
1899				
1900				
1901				
1902				
1903				
1904				
1905				
1906				
1907				
1908				
1909				
1910				
1911				
1912				
1913				
1914				
1915				
1916	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1
1917	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1
1918				
1919				
1920				
1921			H. Williams	
1922				
1923				
1924				
1925				
1926				
1927				
1928				
1929				
1930				
1931				
1932				
1933				

Newtown Football Club: 1874 — 1933

SENIOR COACHES, CAPTAINS, VICE-CAPTAINS & MANAGERS

YEAR	COACH	CAPTAIN	VICE-CAPTAIN	TEAM MANAGER
1875				
1876		R. Fegan		
1877		W. Murphy		
1878		W. Rowe		
1879		E. McKenzie		
1880				
1881				
1882				
1883				
1884				
1885				
1886				
1887				
1888				
1889				
1890				
1891				
1892				
1893		C. Pike (Newtown Magic)	J. Wheelans	
1894				
1895				
1896				
1897				
1898		George Sandford		
1899		George Sandford		
1900		George Sandford		
1901				
1902				
1903				
1904				
1905				
1906				
1907				
1908				
1909				
1910		Arthur Collins		
1911				
1912				
1913				
1914				
1915				
1916	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1
1917	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1
1918				
1919		Jack Pender	Ernie Everett	
1920				
1921				
1922				
1923				
1924				
1925				
1926				
1927				
1928				
1929				
1930	S. Hedley	S. Hedley		
1931				
1932				
1933				

PLAYERS TO AFL/VFL/VFA

BROCKWELL, Samuel F. (1897)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Magics
- Debuted: 1897
- Played: 1897—1898
- Career Matches: 29
- Career Goals: 0

South Melbourne Football Club

- Debuted: 1899
- Played: 1899—00
- Career Matches: 15
- Career Goals: 4
- DOB: 4 February, 1871

PALMER, Jimmy (1897)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1897
- Played: 1887
1899—1902
- Career Matches: 53
- Career Goals: 8
- DOB: 19 December, 1877

Recruited from Newtown. A busy winger for Geelong who occasionally ran too far with the ball. He could hold down a defensive post or be used in attack. He had fine dodging ability and was also a good mark.

PINCOTT, Arthur (1897)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1897
- Played: 1897—1900
1902—1903
- Career Matches: 72
- Career Goals: 0
- DOB: 3 March, 1877

Ex-Newtown player who as a staunch defender, mainly in the back pocket.

Pincott relished pressure situations and was a solid mark.

THOMPSON, Arch (1897)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1897
- Played: 1897—1901
- Career Matches: 61
- Career Goals: 14
- DOB: 5 August, 1875

Recruited locally from Newtown. Thompson was a genuine utility, capable of playing in most positions. He also was noted for his pace.

DEAR, Alf (1898)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1898
- Played: 1898—1899
- Career Matches: 22
- Career Goals: 3

Essendon Football Club

- Debuted: 1900
- Played: 1900
- Career Matches: 6
- Career Goals: 1
- DOB: 30 September, 1878

Ex- Newtown and Geelong College

BELCHER, E. Norm (1899)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1899
- Played: 1899
1902 and 1906
- Career Matches: 8
- Career Goals: 3

Essendon Football Club

- Debuted: 1904
- Played: 1904
- Career Matches: 2
- Career Goals: 0
- Height: 182 cms
- Weight: 77 kgs
- DOB: 10 July, 1879

PLAYERS TO AFL/VFL/VFA

BUCHAN, Tommy (1899)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1899
- Played: 1899—1902
- Career Matches: 41
- Career Goals: 29

WALKER, Dick (1899)

Carlton Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: Round , 1899 vs Collingwood
- Played: 1899
- Career Matches: 11
- Career Goals: 7
- Last Game: Round 17, 1899 vs Melbourne
- Jumper No: 75
- Height: 179 cm (5'10")
- Weight: 72.5 kg (11.)
- DOB: 10 August, 1872

DE GRUCHY, Bill (1900)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1900
- Played: 1899
- Career Matches: 1
- Career Goals: 0

SANDFORD, George (1901)

St Kilda Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1901
- Played: 1901—1902
- Career Matches: 11
- Career Goals: 0
- DOB: 6 July, 1872

He made his debut with St Kilda at 28 years of age.

BAKER, Jack Sr. (1901)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1901
- Played: 1901—1902

BAKER, Jack Sr. (1901)

- Played: 1901—1902
- Career Matches: 7
- Career Goals: 7

Forward from Newtown.

ROSSER, Jack (1903)

Essendon Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1903
- Played: 1902
- Career Matches: 8
- Career Goals: 1

EVERETT, Ern (1918)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1918
- Played: 1918
- Career Matches: 1
- Career Goals: 0

GROSS, E. Vic (1919)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1919
- Played: 1919—1922
- Career Matches: 39
- Career Goals: 2
- Jumper No: 7
- Height: 183 cm
- Weight: 78 kg
- DOB: 19.03.1900

Ex—Newtown and Geelong College. He was a good mark and had great pace.

REED, Doy (1919)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1919
- Played: 1919
- Career Matches: 4
- Career Goals: 7
- DOB: 1 July, 1895

PLAYERS TO AFL/VFL/VFA

SHARLAND, Wallace 'Jumbo' (1920)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1920
- Played: 1920—1925
- Career Matches: 49
- Career Goals: 41
- Jumper No: 18 (1920)
10 (1921-23)
22 (1924-25)
- Height: 191 cm
- Weight: 82.5 kg
- DOB: 11.11.1902

A ruckman recruited from Newtown and Geelong College who was known descriptively as 'Jumbo', Geelong's Wally Sharland only managed 49 games in six seasons with the Pivotonians, he was widely considered to be one of the most accomplished ruckman of his day.



He had the rare champions' ability of always appearing to have sufficient time to accomplish whatever manoeuvre he chose, and his all round skills were good.

An accurate palmer of the ball, he could also function effectively as a ruck shepherd when required, using both his height (191cm - tall for the time) and weight (82.5kg) to good effect.

The high regard in which Sharland was held is shown by his selection to represent the Big V on 4 occasions

Once that career was over he became a noted football writer and was one of the very first football broadcasters.

SMITH, Leslie M. 'Guv' Smith (1921)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1921
- Played: 1921-1929
- Career Matches: 123
- Career Goals: 17
- Jumper No: 16
- Height: 173 cm
- Weight: 72 kg

SMITH, Leslie M. 'Guv' Smith (1921)

- Weight: 72 kg
- DOB: 28.05.1900

Awards Honours:

Member 1925 Premiership
Life Member
Geelong & District Football League President 1945-1956



Evincing a rare combination of blistering pace and remarkable steadiness and assurance, Les Smith gave consistently useful service to Geelong in 123 VFL games, during which he kicked 17 goals, between 1921 and 1929. The air of authority he tended to exude led to his being given the nickname 'Guv'. He arrived at Corio Oval from local club Newtown, and was used mainly as a wingman or rover initially, before finding his true niche in the back pocket, which was where he lined up in the victorious challenge final of 1925 against Collingwood. Late in his career he developed a fine understanding with arguably the Cats' greatest ever full back in George 'Jocka' Todd. Smith's decision making was first rate, and he was regarded as one of the hardest defenders to obtain kicks against in the VFL.

He first played with Newtown in 1918.

PINK, Arthur (1923)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1923
- Played: 1923—1925
- Career Matches: 34
- Career Goals: 22
- Jumper No. 1

LAMB, J. Garnet (1928)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Newtown Football Club
- Debuted: 1928
- Played: 1928—1929
- Career Matches: 9
- Career Goals: 0
- Jumper No: 14 (1928)
25 (1929)
- DOB: 23.01.1908

1874 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1875 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1876 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1877 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1878 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1879 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1880 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1881 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1882 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1883 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1884 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1885 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1886 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1887 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1888 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1889 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

Geelong District Football Association	
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP	
1889—GRAND FINAL	
Geelong West	9.13 (67)
Newtown	2.9 (20)

Geelong West

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

1890 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1891 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

1892 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

1874 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1875 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1876 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1877 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1878 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1879 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1880 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1881 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1882 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1883 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1884 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1885 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1886 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1887 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1888 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1889 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

Geelong District Football Association

G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP

1889—GRAND FINAL

Geelong West	9.13 (67)
Newtown	2.9 (20)

Geelong West

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

1890 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1891 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

1892 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

1893 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

In 1893 Newtown Juniors were better known as Newtown Magic because their Guernsey's were supplied by Cr. John McLeod and bore the trademark of the Magic Soap Works (Victorian Soap and Candle Co.) on the back of the Guernsey 'a heart pierced with an arrow', Magic Soap Works was located in Riversdale Road, Newtown near the Barwon River.

NEWTOWN MAGIC FOOTBALL CLUB—1893 TEAM

Surname	First Name	Surname	First Name
Anderson	C.	Marsham	C.
Anderson	E.	McIntosh	J.
Bell	W.	Moore	W.
Benusee	G.	O'Neil	J.
Brockwell	W.	Palmer	J.
Brockwell	F.L.	Palmer	K.
Dykes	A.J.	Pike (C)	C.
Fahey	C.	Shepperd	J.
Hayes	J.	Thompson	J.
Kelly	W.	Wheelans (VC)	J.
Lewis	A.J.	Young	F.

1894 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1895 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1896 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

1897 SEASON

“PREMIERS”—Geelong District Football Association

1898 SEASON

“PREMIERS”—Geelong District Football Association

1899 SEASON

“PREMIERS”—Geelong District Football Association

1900 SEASON

“PREMIERS”—Geelong District Football Association

1901 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1902 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1903 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1904 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

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Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1906 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1907 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

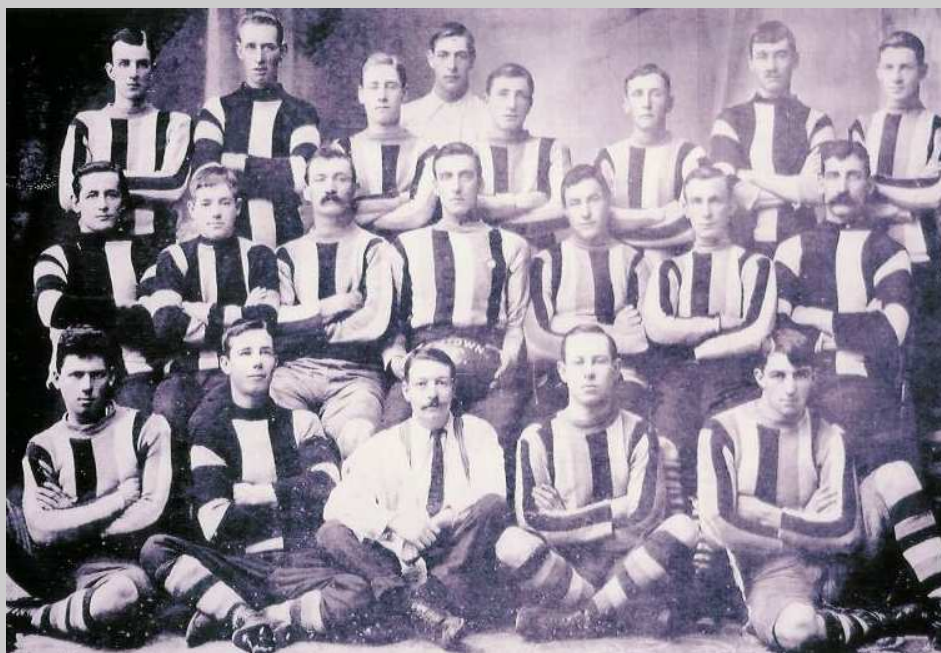
1908 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1909 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

NEWTOWN FOOTBALL CLUB — 1909



1910 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

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September 9, 1910

FOOTBALL

The Geelong and District Football Association have appointed J. Grogan to umpire the match. Lethbridge v. Golf Hill, to be played on the ground of the former, tomorrow.

The following matches will be played tomorrow:

Ashby v. Chilwell—In Kardinia Park.

Ashby will be picked from Cocking, Davie, Gates, Glover, Grundell, Gorman, Hay, Heaiy, Hodgins,

Kingwell, Knell (2), McLean, McRae, Murphy, Pender, Peterson, Pike, Thewlis, Woods (2) and Young.

Chilwell will be picked from Allen, Britter, Brownbill, Chisholm, Challis, Clarke, Casey, Clutterbuck, Downie, Hogan, Humphries, Hardiman, Jory, Johnson, James, Kirby, Lowe (2), Luttrell, Moulden, Markin, McGee, Pitman, Palmer, Rankin, Russell, Tan Sing, Simmonds and Whittington.

East Geelong v. Drysdale—At Drysdale.

Produce Employees v. Leopold—On Richmond Crescent.

Geelong West v. Newtown—On the oval, **Geelong West** will be picked from Binglestoff, Conway, Cole, Cleveland, Fisher, Glynn (2), Groves, Gates, Grundell, Hope, Habermann (2), Jenkins, Liddicut, Myles, Morgan, Markham, Matthews, Muir, Maguire, Peterson, White and Williams.

Newtown team will be picked from Bright, Banfield, Collins, Chair, Donohue, Dudderidge, Emond, Eldridge, Graham (2), Heyward, James, Kohl, Knell, Luttrell, Macher, Marshall, Morris, Murphy, Patten, Ruffin, Stoate, Thorley (2) and Webber.

1910 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

I.O.R. v. O.S.T.—On the Friendly Societies Reserve.

The final match in connection with the 2nd Rate Football Association will be played tomorrow on the Geelong oval, which has been placed at the disposal of the association by the committee of the senior club.

The competing clubs are the Newtown (winners of the minor premiership, and the Geelong West (winners of the match against German-town last week). Both teams have some good players in their ranks, and an

interesting game should eventuate. M. Shelley will be field umpire, and Messrs. J. Allsop and C. Nelis goal umpires. A collection is to be made at the gates to defray expenses.

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NEWTOWN v. GEELONG WEST

This match was played on the Geelong Oval on Saturday. The ground was in good order, although rather heavy. A. Collins captained Newtown and G. White captained Geelong West.

On the bounce Geelong West forwarded and scored a minor point.

Newtown rallied, and worked their way towards the beach goal. They were not to be denied and after some very tricky play by Macher, Stoate and Graham the first-named scored a goal. Both teams settled down to the game, and scored point for point.

Newtown eventually ran out winners by three points the scorers were: Newtown, 4 goals 7 behinds: Geelong West, 3 goals 10 behinds. Goalkickers for the winners were Macher, Stoate, Donohue and Dudderidge; and for the losers, Glynn, Haberman and Muir. All on the winning side played well. Liddicut was the pick of the Geelong West team and he was well assisted by White, Glynn, Fisher, Muir, Jenkins & Maguire. The victory leaves Newtown Football Club the premiers for 1910.

NEWTOWN FOOTBALL CLUB

2ND RATE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION—MINOR LEAGUE PREMIERS 1910



1911 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1912 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1913 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1914 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1915 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1916 SEASON

In recess due to World War 1

1917 SEASON

In recess due to World War 1

1918 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1919 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

NEWTOWN FOOTBALL CLUB 1919



**NEWTOWN FOOTBALL CLUB
1919**



1920 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football League

1921 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football League

1922 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1923 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1924 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1925 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1926 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1927 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1928 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1929 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association



Back Row: I. Emond, J. Hedley, G. Van Eede, R. Barling, N. Carter, J. Impey, F. Carter, ??

Middle Row: R. Clements, M. James, A. Rawson, W. Moodie, S. Hedley, R. Nicholson, S. Swaine

Front Row: ?? , F. Wilks, S. Lucas

1930

1930 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1931 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1932 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1933 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football League

(Final Season as Newtown Football Club amalgamated with Chilwell Football Club to become Newtown & Chilwell Football Club commencing Season 1934)

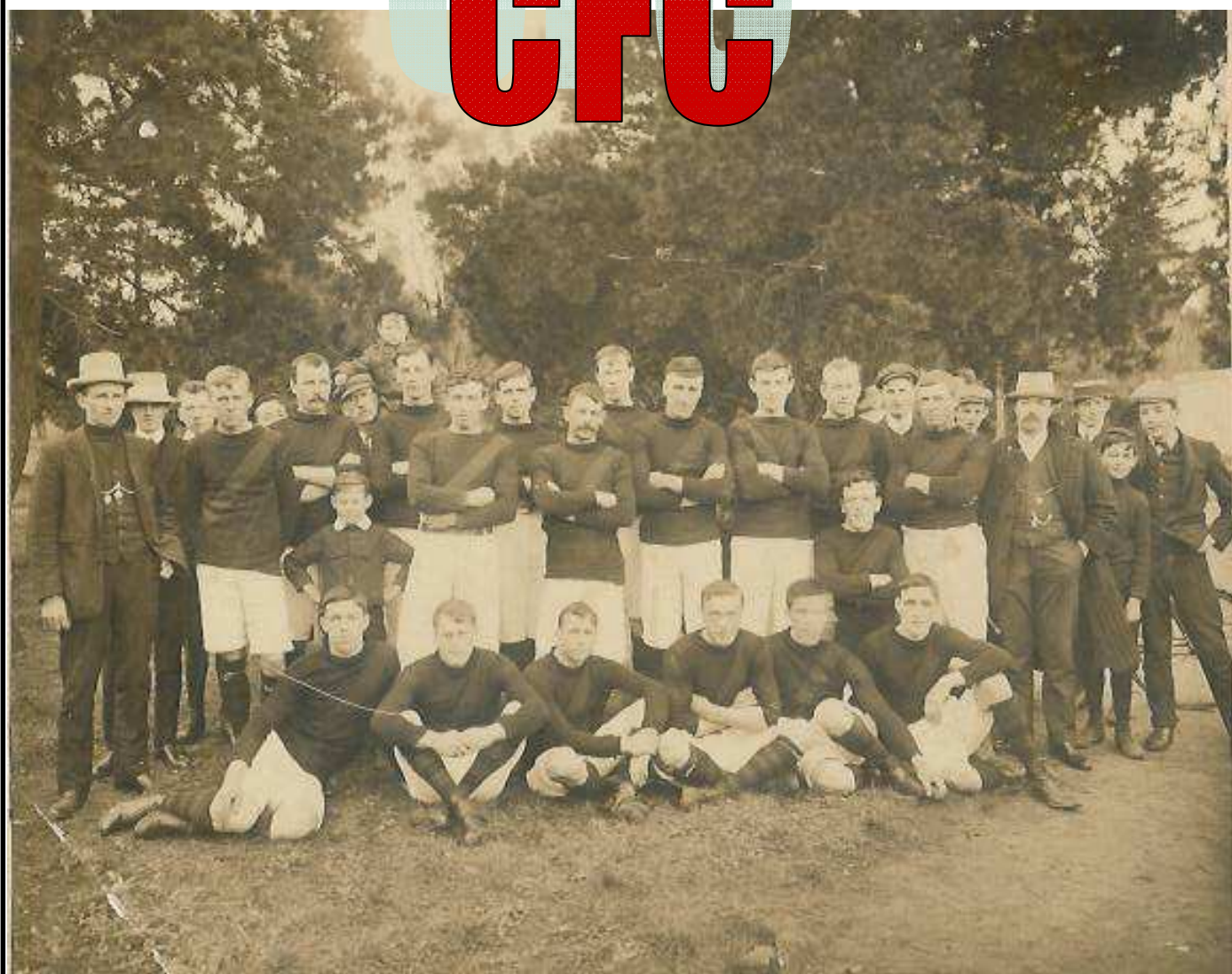
The History

of the

Chilwell Football Club

1874 — 1933

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INTRODUCTION

About Chilwell:

Chilwell was a small suburb contained within Newtown on the western border of Geelong city.

To the south of Newtown, Chilwell enjoyed access to Bal-yang Sanctuary and the Barwon River, as well as easy access to the city in the east.

Commerce occupies some of the riverbank but Chilwell was mainly residential. Several reserves and schools, including Chilwell Primary and St Roberts Catholic School, enhance streets lined with charming old houses.

The streets of Chilwell attracted a high proportion of Roman Catholics from Ireland during what were the Anglican years of settlement.

The area between Pakington Street and Belfast Street was known as Irish Town for many years. The name Chilwell was substituted during the 1950s. Chilwell was the Nottinghamshire hometown of the wife of James Austin, who owned 50 hectares of land south of Irish Town and sold it by subdivision around 1850.

The area grew quickly and had 2,200 residents in 1851. During the 1850s, housing spread between Chilwell and Newtown to the north and west.

Chilwell was divided into section areas for a long period:—Marnock Vale—West Melbourne Rd to Bridge St (Captain Fyans Estate).
Riversdale—From Bridge St to Pakington St.
Irish Town—From Belfast St to Pakington St.

According to references in the book **'The Earlier Days of Newtown & Chilwell'** - *"Some noted footballers lived in the suburbs of both Newtown and Chilwell, and their influence was felt at the Geelong Football Club from the beginning.*

Dr. David Boswell Reid of Chilwell had taken a leading part in forming the Geelong Football Club in 1859.

Some of the better know footballers from the borough were H. Timms Snr., of Chilwell, and his brother who were in the first football team in Geelong; Dr. Boswell Reid also of Chilwell played with Geelong on the old Argyle ground in 1860.

They were followed by many others 'Chilwell supplied a great proportion of the players in the Geelong team for many years — Edward 'Wingy' Stevenson of Chilwell, Ted Rankin of Riversdale and his sons Bert and Cliff of Chilwell.'

By the 1870's there was a growing public interest in other local football teams.

Chilwell Football Club existed by 1879—Chilwell's general meeting in July that year was at the Sawyers' Arms Hotel. It was assumed that they probably played on Chilwell Flat (Kardinia Park) as often as not, but one game between East Geelong and Chilwell drawing press

comment in June 1881 was at South Geelong (that is, south of the Grammar School, rather than Kardinia Park). Blood, hair and one (artificial) tooth flew. These exhibitions were 'a disgrace to all parties'. If a few similar matches took place, said the Geelong Advertiser, a great deal of interest would be centred on the combatants."

Established:

Earliest records show the Chilwell Football Club was formed 1874.

There is some confusion about Chilwell Football Club in early records there were reference's to the Clarendon Football Club and the Riversdale Football Club, the two latter were short term and appear to have amalgamated with Chilwell Football Club.

Clarendon Football Club: competing years circa: 1881—Premiers 1886 Grand Final: Clarendon 4.0 (24) def East Geelong 1.0 (6)—League unknown believed to have merged with Chilwell.

Riversdale Football Club: competing years circa: 1891—League unknown believed to have merged with Chilwell.

Club Colours:

Chilwell's colours — a Black Guernsey with a Red Strip, the same as AFL Club Essendon.

Home Ground:

1876—Chilwell Football Club: south end of Kardinia Park. Their clubrooms were in Saffron Street, Chilwell.

Competitions participated in:

Since the formation of both clubs they have been involved in the following leagues:

- **1874 -1879** League unknown
- **1879-1918** Geelong District Football Association (GDFA)
- **1919-1921** Geelong District Football League (GDFL)
- **1922-1932** Geelong Junior Football Association (GJFA)
- **1933-1938** Geelong District Football League (GDFL)
- **1939** Geelong District Football Association (GDFA)

Chilwell Football Club Premierships	
SENIOR:	1903—1915—1922—1923

Chilwell were runners-up in 1878, 1897, 1898, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1910, 1913, 1914, 1925 and 1929.

Players killed in WWI

- * Joseph T. Crawl (Killed soon after the landings in Gallipoli)
- * Les 'Flogger' James

THE TROPHY CABINET – SENIOR CLUB PREMIERS

* PREMIERS & CHAMPIONS

1903

Geelong District Football Association

Chilwell Football Club 5.6 (36) d. Marylebones Football Club 4.7 (31)

1915

Geelong District Football Association

Chilwell Football Club * 9.8 (62) d. Newtown Football Club 6.3 (39)

1922

Geelong Junior Football League

Chilwell Football Club 10.14 (74) d. North Geelong Football Club 9.11 (65)

1923

Geelong Junior Football League

Chilwell Football Club 14.13 (97) d. Geelong West Football Club 9.13 (67)

SENIOR FOOTBALL GRAND FINALS

**Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1878—GRAND FINAL**

North Geelong	1.8 (14)
Chilwell	1.6 (12)

North Geelong

Goal Kickers	Collins (1)
Best Players	W.H. Batten, R. Brown, H. Atkins, Jackson

Chilwell

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

**Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—RUNNERS UP
1897—GRAND FINAL**

Newtown	4.7 (31)
Chilwell	2.5 (17)

Newtown

Goal Kickers	Bonney (2), Potter (1), Dyer (1)
Best Players	Bunce, Dear, Griffiths, Kelly, Pinniger, Sykes, Sandford, Wilson

Chilwell

Goal Kickers	Lee (1), Fowler (1) Harvey, Francisco, Kirby,
Best Players	McAdam, Rennick, Davis, Adler, Avery

**Geelong & District Football Association
G DFA—RUNNERS UP
1898—GRAND FINAL**

Newtown	8.3 (51)
Chilwell	4.1 (25)

Newtown

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Chilwell

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

**Geelong & District Football Association
G DFA—RUNNERS UP
1900—GRAND FINAL**

Newtown	5.13 (43)
Chilwell	2.5 (17)

Newtown

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Barwon

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

**Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1901—GRAND FINAL**

Barwon United	8.11 (59)
Chilwell	4.3 (27)

Barwon United

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Chilwell

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

**Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1902—GRAND FINAL**

Marylebones	4.12 (36)
Chilwell	5.2 (32)

Marylebones

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Chilwell

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

**Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS PREMIERS
1903—GRAND FINAL**

Chilwell	5.6 (36)
Marylebones	4.7 (31)

Marylebones

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Chilwell

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

**Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP**

Marylebones	11.10 (76)
Chilwell	6.5 (41)

Marylebones

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Chilwell

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

**Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1910—GRAND FINAL**

East Geelong	7.17 (69)
Chilwell	7.7 (49)

East Geelong

Goal Kickers	George Tansing (2), J. James (2), Powers (1), McCartney (1), V. Carr (1)
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Best Players

Chilwell

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

**Geelong District Football Association
G DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1913—GRAND FINAL**

Played at West Oval
Attendance 3,000 - Gate \$140

East Geelong	6.4 (40)
Chilwell	2.8 (20)

East Geelong

Goal Kickers	Bendle (2), Getson (2), James (1), Beard (1)
Best Players	Getson, Gibney, Miles, Collins, Morgan, Westaway, James, Kelly, Bendle

Chilwell

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

**Geelong & District Football Association
G & DFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP
1914—GRAND FINAL**

Geelong West	8.5 (53)
Chilwell	6.13 (49)

Geelong West

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Newtown

Goal Kickers	
Best Players	

Conflicting data the G DFA records show the above Geelong West Football Club records show the below.

SENIOR FOOTBALL GRAND FINALS

Geelong District Football Association

GDFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP

1914—GRAND FINAL

Geelong West	8.7 (55)
Chilwell	3.11 (29)

Geelong West

Goal Kickers Jim Kearney (3), J. Knell (2), G. Davie (2), Potter (1)

Best Players Jim Kearney, Maguire, Powers, Jones, Arnott, R. Knell, Cocking, Game, Davis

Chilwell

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong Junior Football Association

GDFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP

1925—GRAND FINAL

North Geelong	9.7 (61)
Chilwell	7.10 (52)

North Geelong

Goal Kickers Duggan (3), Black (3), Manson (2), Everett (1), Evans (1)

Best Players Everett, Duggan, Jones, Barrent, Black, Brough, Thomson

Chilwell

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong & District Football Association

G & DFA—PREMIERS

1915—GRAND FINAL

Chilwell *	9.8 (62)
Newtown	6.3 (39)

Chilwell

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Newtown

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong Junior Football Association

GDFA—SENIORS RUNNERS UP

1929—GRAND FINAL

Queenscliff	17.8 (110)
Chilwell	13.15 (93)

Queenscliff

Goal Kickers

Best Players Norm Johnson, Les Wayth, C. Rowbottom, Albert Chessells, Reg Wells

Geelong West

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong & Junior Football Association

GDFA—PREMIERS

1922—GRAND FINAL

Chilwell	10.14 (74)
North Geelong	9.11 (65)

Chilwell

Goal Kickers

Best Players

North Geelong

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong & Junior Football Association

GDFA—PREMIERS

1923—GRAND FINAL

Chilwell	14.13 (97)
Geelong West	9.13 (67)

Chilwell

Goal Kickers

Best Players

Geelong West

Goal Kickers

Best Players

CLUB OFFICIALS

YEAR	PRESIDENT	VICE PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER
1875				
1876	A. Smerton		J. Oke	
1877			A.T. Wheelans	U. Roberts
1878	William Beales		D. Ryan	
1879				
1880				
1881				
1882				
1883				
1884				
1885	W.H. Collins			
1886	W.H. Collins			
1887	W.H. Collins			
1888	W.H. Collins			
1889	W.H. Collins			
1890				
1891				
1892				
1893				
1894				
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1896				
1897				
1898				
1899				
1900				
1901				
1902				
1903	D. Pescott	J. Cairns W. Croft M. Pender C. Spendlove	H. Pittock	P. Marriott
1904	D. Pescott			
1905	D. Pescott			
1906	D. Pescott			
1907	D. Pescott			
1908				
1909				
1910				
1911				
1912			P. Marriott	
1913				
1914	WW1	WW1	WW1	WW1
1915	WW1	WW1	WW1	WW1
1916	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1
1917	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1
1918	WW1	WW1	WW1	WW1
1919				
1920				
1921			George Murphy	
1922			W. Pizaro	
1923	R.C. King	L. Walsh J. Barnes G. Clarke	W. Miller	George Murphy
1924				
1925				
1926				
1927				

CLUB OFFICIALS

YEAR	PRESIDENT	VICE PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER
1928	H.D. Tomlinson	F. Minifie O.R. Shave B. Mason J. Downs D. McGill	J.W. Barnes J. Alsop (Assistant)	
1929				
1930				
1931				
1932				
1933				

SENIOR COACHES, CAPTAINS, VICE-CAPTAINS & MANAGERS

YEAR	COACH	CAPTAIN	VICE-CAPTAIN	TEAM MANAGER
1875		M. Johns		
1876		J. Backwell		
1877		J. Backwell		
1878		W. Johns		
1879		J. Dean		
1880				
1881				
1882				
1883				
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1898				
1899				
1900				
1901				
1902				
1903		E. Frances		
1904				
1905				
1906				
1907		J. McCarthy		
1908				
1909				
1910				
1911				
1912				
1913				
1914	WW1	WW1	WW1	WW1
1915	WW1	WW1	WW1	WW1
1916	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1
1917	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1	In Recess WW1
1918	WW1	WW1	WW1	WW1
1919				
1920				
1921				
1922				
1923	W. Miller	W. Miller	H. Jacka	
1924				
1925				
1926	W. Miller	W. Miller	H. Jacka	
1927				
1928	H. Britter	H. Britter		
1929				
1930				
1931				
1932				
1933				

PLAYERS TO AFL/VFL/VFA

RANKIN, Edward 'Teddy' (1891)

Geelong Football Club

DOB:	11 March 1872
Height:	178 cm
Recruited from:	Riversdale
Jumper No:	0
Debuted:	1891
Played:	1891—1897; 1899—1910
Career Matches:	180
Career Goals	35

Awards Honours

Club Captain—15 matches



'Teddy' Rankin began with Geelong in 1891.

In a 1903 semi-final he became the first Geelong player to notch up 100 League matches, an achievement that appears all the more meritorious when you consider that he missed the entire 1898 season after contracting typhoid. During a match in the 1890's at Brunswick St, Oval on a wet day, he became the first player to touch the ball on the ground every ten yards instead of bouncing it. This had not previously occurred to anyone that such an action was within the rules.

He received many offers to play for other league clubs over the years but resisted them all.

He was firmly against the practice of payment to players. He served Geelong for 20 seasons.

Edward 'Teddy' Rankin had two sons, Bert and Cliff, both from Chilwell Football Club, who both followed in their father's footsteps, representing both Geelong and the VFL with considerable distinction.

COLES, Charles 'Dummy' (1897)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1897
- Played: 1897—1898
1900—1904
- Career Matches: 72
- Career Goals: 81
- Height: 183 cm
- Weight: 83 kg
- Position: Follower

COLES, Charles 'Dummy' (1897)

- DOB: 21 July, 1879
- Death: 20 August, 1942 Geelong

Originally from Chilwell, Charles 'Dummy' Coles was an extremely effective follower whose career with Geelong was undermined, and ultimately ruined, by injury. Strong overhead, and exceptionally mobile, he teamed particularly well with fellow ruckman Henry 'Tracker' Young and the pair were at the forefront of many of Geelong's best moves.



Coles was a fine kick, and was sometimes asked to fill in at full forward, which he normally did to good effect. He made his VFL debut in the competition's opening round in 1897, and had played a total of 72 senior games and kicked 81 goals by the time that his career was brought to an end by a badly broken leg sustained in the round 8 clash with Collingwood in 1904.

He had earlier been forced to miss numerous matches through various injuries, the worst of which was probably the broken arm he suffered in 1902 (ironically, also against Collingwood).

He was killed in 1942 while acting as a doorkeeper at the Palais Royal Dance Hall in Geelong.

BARLING, Bert (1897)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1897
- Played: 1897—1998
- Career Matches: 18
- Career Goals: 4

HARDIMAN, Jack (1900)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1900
- Played: 1900-1901
- Career Matches: 21
- Career Goals: 11

Richmond Football Club

- Played: 1908
- Career Matches: 15

PLAYERS TO AFL/VFL/VFA

HARDIMAN, Jack (1900)

- Career Goals: 5

Father of Harold "Peter" and Les.

HORMAN, George (1904)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1904
- Played: 1904
- Career Matches: 1
- Career Goals: 0
- DOB: 1 October, 1883

BEALES, Claude Alfred H. (1905)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1905
- Played: 1905
- Career Matches: 1
- Career Goals: 0
- DOB: 23 August, 1887
- Died: Abt. 1963 Queensland

CROWL, Joseph T. (1906)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1906
- Played: 1906
- Career Matches: 4
- Career Goals: 0
- Jumper No: 9
- DOB: 13 December, 1883

Ex Mercantile and Chilwell, Crowl was killed in action at the landings at Gallipoli, Turkey on 27 June 1915 (aged 31).

JAMES, Les 'Flogger' (1909)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1909
- Played: 1909—1911
1913—1915
- Career Matches: 72
- Career Goals: 14
- Jumper No: 6 (1913—1914)
8 (1915)

JAMES, Les 'Flogger' (1909)

- DOB: 29 June, 1890

A serviceable rover/winger or forward who was a hard worker and constructive in his team play. A good ball-getter with plenty of dash. He was killed in World War 1. Les was originally credited with playing with Geelong in 1919, but this was the mistake of a local reporter who believed the pre-war star was making a comeback when, in fact, his brother Syd was making his debut.

MARSHAM, Harry 'Nipper' (1909)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1909
- Played: 1909—1915
1917—1919
- Career Matches: 129
- Career Goals: 63
- Jumper No: 3 (1913—1914)
10 (1915)
- Height: 185 cms
- Weight: 89.5 kgs

Awards Honours

Captain (1917) 24 games

Richmond Football Club

- Played: 1916
- Career Matches: 7
- Career Goals: 4
- Jumper No: 10
- Height: 185 cm
- Weight: 90 kg

Strongly built and tireless, Geelong's Harry 'Nipper' Marsham was a key figure at the club for the better part of a decade.

Recruited from Chilwell, he made the first of his 129 VFL appearances in 1909.

Most of his football was played as a ruckman, but he was also a useful marking option up forward, as his career tally of 63 goals appears to confirm.

He played for the state side twice in 1913. In 1916, when Geelong was in recess, Marsham played 7 games and kicked 4 goals for Richmond. Returning to the



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MARSHAM, Harry 'Nipper' (1909)

Pivotonians as skipper in 1917 he found himself at the centre of controversy the following year when he was dropped from the side for trying to dictate policy to the selectors.

Widely acknowledged as one of the most effective ruckmen of his generation, Marsham was a VFL interstate representative on 3 occasions.

TODD, Reg (1910)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1910
- Played: 1910
- Career Matches: 2
- Career Goals: 0

RANKIN, Bert (1912)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1912
- Played: 1912—1915
1917—1923
- Career Matches: 132
- Career Goals: 21
- Jumper No: 13
- Height: 178 cm
- Weight: 77 kg
- Position: Centreman
- DOB: 17 February, 1893

Awards Honours:

- Geelong Best & Fairest 1917
- Victorian Captain 1922
- Geelong Captain 1923 (Captain 21 matches)



Bert Rankin debuted for Geelong in 1912, only two seasons after his father, Edward Rankin, had retired. A highly skilled and clever player, he inherited his father's fleetness of foot and adroitness, as well as being a marvellous exponent of the drop kick. He played his early football on the forward lines before moving to the wing, where his exceptional pace could be exploited to maximum effect. In 1917 he took over as the

RANKIN, Bert (1912)

senior side's centreman, and for the next seven seasons he was without peer in the position anywhere in the land. When interstate football resumed after the war, Bert Rankin became a regular fixture in VFL representative sides, and was appointed captain in 1922. He and his brother Cliff were the first siblings to play together in the same VFL combination.

In 1923, Rankin appeared set to embark on the most

exciting phase of his VFL career when he was appointed captain of Geelong. However, late in the season his form deteriorated, and he was dropped, whereupon in a display of petulance that seems hard to credit nowadays he walked out on the club and never played again. In eleven seasons with the Pivotonians he played 132 senior games. He also played seven times for the VFL.

WEBBER, Edward (1912)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1912
- Played: 1912-1913
- Career Matches: 6
- Career Goals: 3
- Jumper No: 4 (1912)
24 (1913)
- Height: 180 cms
- Weight: 79 kgs
- DOB: 12 March, 1894

BRITTER, Harry (1914)

Melbourne Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1914
- Played: 1914
- Career Matches: 5
- Career Goals: 5
- Jumper No: 9



Geelong Football Club

- Debuted: 1924
- Played: 1924
- Career Matches: 1
- Career Goals: 0
- Jumper No: 26

Played in the 1923 Geelong Reserves Premiership.

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RANKIN, Cliff 'Ticker' (1915)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1915
- Played: 1915; 1919—1928
- Career Matches: 153
- Career Goals: 400
- Jumper No: 6
- Height: 175 cm
- Weight: 69 kg
- DOB: 4 December, 1896

Awards Honours

- Club Captain for 58 games
- Leading Club goal kicker from 1920—23
- Member of the 1925 Premiership side
- Club Captain & Coach for 1925 Premiership side
- Victorian Captain—1926
- Represented Victoria 14 times
- Geelong Team of the Century (emergency)



Son of former Geelong champion Teddy Rankin, and brother of team mate Bert, Cliff 'Ticker' Rankin was one of the last goal sneaks in the VFL to specialise in the place kick. Despite making his league debut in 1915 he never played a full season until 1920 due to the war, during which time he played rugby while on war service.

The following year he began to make a name for himself as a clever and highly effective forward, topping Geelong's goal kicking list for the first of four consecutive times.

In 1921, he booted 63 goals to overhaul Percy Martini's club record of 51 established in 1910.

Appointed captain-coach of the Cats in 1925 he had the honour of leading them to their first ever league premiership that same year.

A regular VFL interstate representative, Cliff Rankin captained the Big V in 1926 against both South Australia and Western Australia. He continued at Geelong until the end of the 1928 season, having captain-coached the team from 1925-27.

In 153 VFL games he kicked a total of 400 goals, adding a further 30 goals in 14 interstate appearances.

STOKES, Richard 'Dick' (1915)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1915
- Played: 1915 and 1917
- Career Matches: 12
- Career Goals: 1
- Jumper No: 18 (1915)
14 (1917)

BRADY, Tom C. (1917)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1917
- Played: 1917—1919
- Career Matches: 17
- Career Goals: 14
- Jumper No: 22 (1917—1918)
14 (1919)

MACKAY, Norman (1917)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1917
- Played: 1917—1918
- Career Matches: 21
- Career Goals: 5
- Jumper No: 20
- DOB: 15 November, 1890

ROSS, Jack W. (1919)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1919
- Played: 1919—1922
- Career Matches: 35
- Career Goals: 1
- Jumper No: 28 (1919)
23 (1920—1922)
- Height: 183 cms
- Weight: 81 kgs
- DOB: 4 April, 1891

A solid follower recruited from Chilwell, Ross was a Victoria representative. He made his senior debut at 28 years of age.

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STEVENSON, Edward 'Wingy' (1922)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Jumper No: 15
- Debuted: 1922
- Played: 1922—1929
- Career Matches: 105
- Career Goals: 30
- Height: 166 cm
- Weight: 57 kg

Awards Honours

- Member 1925 Premiership Team
- Life Member



One of the smallest men ever to represent Geelong, and indeed, at just 166cm and 57kg, among the most diminutive ever to play top level football anywhere, Edward Stevenson was nevertheless a tenacious and highly effective footballer. Originally from Chilwell, he made his senior VFL debut in 1922, and went on to play a total of 105 games, and kick 30 goals, over eight seasons. Extremely quick, both in terms of movement

and of thought, he was a proficient ball winner, and his disposal skills were excellent. He played most of his football for the Cats on a wing, and was nicknamed 'Wingy' as a consequence. He was on a wing when Geelong clinched its first ever VFL premiership by beating Collingwood in the 1925 challenge final. Stevenson also occasionally played on the forward lines, and was an accurate kick for goal.

FLEMING, Roy (1923)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1923
- Played: 1923 and 1926
- Career Matches: 13
- Career Goals: 10
- Jumper No: 17 (1923)
10 (1926)

Played in the 1925 Geelong Reserves Premiership side.

MURRELLS, Frank (1924)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1924
- Played: 1924 and 1925
- Career Matches: 4
- Career Goals: 1
- Jumper No: 26

Played in the 1925 Geelong Reserves Premiership side.

MOCKRIDGE, A. Frank (1925)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1925
- Played: 1925—1931
- Career Matches: 72
- Career Goals: 2
- Jumper No: 18 (1925)
17 (1926—1931)
- Height: 175 cms
- Weight: 79 kgs
- DOB: 1904



Frank Mockridge was a solid, unspectacular but eminently reliable footballer who occupied a number of different roles during the course of his seven season VFL career with Geelong. Best known as a defender, he also produced good football when thrown onto the ball, especially if a

negating function was called for.

He joined Geelong from Chilwell, and made his league debut as a twenty-one year old in the round 10 clash with South Melbourne at Corio Oval in 1925. Later that season, the Cats broke through for their first flag for thirty-nine years when they overcame Collingwood in the challenge final, but Mockridge had yet to fully establish himself, and failed to achieve selection. When Geelong next reached the decisive match of the season, against Richmond in 1931, Frank Mockridge's best days as a player were behind him, but despite having made just 7 senior appearances for the year he earned a place on the bench, and ended the afternoon as a premiership player despite never actually taking the field. It was the last time Mockridge ever wore a Cats jumper as he retired after the match, having played a total of 72 VFL games and kicked 2 goals.

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HARDIMAN, Harold 'Peter' (1927)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1927
- Played: 1927—1938
- Career Matches: 160
- Career Goals: 45
- Jumper No: 27
- Height: 182 cms
- Weight: 81kgs
- DOB: 21.07.1879

Awards Honours:

- Selected in the 1931 and 1937 Premiership Team
- Best and Fairest 1933
- Represented Victoria five times
- Geelong team of the century



Harold was 22 when he made his debut for Geelong, not taking up football until his late teens, Harold Hardiman, who while with Geelong always went by the nickname 'Peter' to avoid confusion with teammate Harold Craven, developed into a highly skilled follower. A member of Geelong grand final-winning teams in 1931 and 1937, he was one of the best players afield in the former match. Recruited from Chil-

well, Hardiman made his Geelong debut in 1927, two years before his younger brother Les arrived at the club, and went on to give the Cats twelve years of sterling service over 160 games. His selfless style was such that he seldom attracted plaudits in the way of media accolades or Brownlow votes, but he was held in great esteem by everyone at Geelong because of his wholehearted and energetic devotion to the team cause.

Hardiman, who was one of the last regular exponents of the place kick to play for the Cats, was selected to represent the VFL in 1931.

HARDIMAN, Les 'Splinter' (1929)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1929
- Played: 1929—1937
- Career Matches: 135
- Career Goals: 236
- Jumper No: 21 (1929)
25 (1930—1937)
- Height: 183 cms
- Weight: 80.5 kgs
- DOB: 1 April, 1911
- Death: 1962

Awards Honours:

- Selected in the 1931 and 1937 Premiership Team
- Best and Fairest 1933 "Theo Lewis Cup"
- Represented Victoria five times
- Geelong Team of the Century
- Life Member 1946



Six years younger than his brother Harold, Les 'Splinter' Hardiman was arguably the more gifted all round player of the two. Renowned for his ability seemingly to 'hang' in the air, Hardiman (number 25 in the photo, taken during the 1937 grand final against Collingwood) could hold down full back, centre half forward and full forward with equal assurance. A versatile player who could kick either foot, he made

his Geelong debut in 1929, and went on to play 135 VFL games for the Cats, including the winning grand finals of 1931 with his brother Harold and was selected in 1934, 1936 and he was a key man in the 1937 Premiership team. Booting a total of 236 goals, and winning the club's best and fairest award in 1933. He also made 5 interstate appearances for the VFL in 1938 and the age of only 27, Les Hardiman joined Haydn Bunton Senior and Keith Shea in transferring to Subiaco, where he added a further 65 league games over the next four seasons. In 1938 he played two games for his adopted state against South Australia, while two years later he won the Maroons' fairest and best award. Later had a stint at Yarraville. Les tragically died in a car accident in 1962.

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JONES, Teddy (1930)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1930
- Played: 1930
- Career Matches: 1
- Career Goals: 0
- Jumper No: 21
- Height: 171cms
- Weight: 75 kgs

FERGUSON, David J 'Dave' 1931

North Melbourne Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1931
- Played: 1931
- Career Matches: 7
- Career Goals: 0
- Jumper No: 35
- DOB: 05/02/1903

Dave Ferguson player with Chilwell Football Club 1929 and 1930 winning the Best & Fairest that year prior to that he played with the Geelong Football Club 1924, 1925 Premiership Team, 1927 and 1928.

- Recruited from: Boulder City (Kalgoorlie) Football Club
- Debuted: 1924
- Played: 1924, 1925, 1927 and 1928
- Career Matches: 1924 (8), 1925 (18), 1927 (4), 1928 (9)
- Career Goals: 5
- Jumper No: 1925-25 (3), 1927-28 (5)
- Height: 177cms
- Weight: 86 kgs

A defender who played a memorable game at full-back against Gordon Coventry in the 1925 grand final which Geelong won. He marked the ball at all angles and showed the fearless approach that was his trademark when he took a mark saving a mark while falling backwards in the closing stages of the game.

STAPLETON, Tom (1933)

Geelong Football Club

- Recruited from: Chilwell Football Club
- Debuted: 1933
- Played: 1933 and 1935
- Career Matches: 6
- Career Goals: 0
- Jumper No: 9

1933 was the final season for Chilwell Football Club as they merged with Newtown Football Club to form Newtown & Chilwell Football Club.

GAMES REGISTER FOR PLAYERS—SENIORS

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SURNAME	FIRST NAME	1875	1876	1877	1878	1897	1903	1910	1912	1923	1926	1928	1929	1930		
Johns (C)	M	1875														
Backwell (C)	J		1876	1877												
Johns (C)	W				1878											
Lee						1897										
Fowler						1897										
Harvey						1897										
Francisco						1897										
Kirby						1897										
McAdam						1897										
Rennick						1897										
Davis						1897										
Alder						1897										
Avery						1897										
Crowle	C						1903									
Davey	J						1903									
Davis	T						1903									
Duncan	J						1903									
Evans	H						1903									
Frances	A						1903									
Frances (C)	E						1903									
Hardiman	T						1903									
Harvey	G						1903									
Horman	A						1903									
Horman	H						1903									
James	A						1903									
Kirby	W						1903									
Mitchell	T						1903									
Robertson	A						1903									
Siedel	A						1903									
Smith	G						1903									
Whelan	J						1903									
White	F						1903									
Williams	H						1903									
Allen								1910								
Britter								1910								
Brownbill								1910								
Chisholm								1910								
Challis								1910								
Clarke								1910								
Casey								1910								
Clutterbuck	Norm							1910	1912							
Downie								1910								
Hogan								1910								
Humphries								1910								
Hardiman	R							1910	1912							
Jory								1910								
Johnson								1910								
James								1910								
Kirby								1910								
Lowe								1910								
Lowe								1910								
Luttrell								1910								
Moulden	S							1910	1912							
Markin								1910								
McGee								1910								
Pitman								1910								
Palmer								1910								
Rankin								1910								
Russell								1910								
Tan Sing								1910								
Simmonds								1910								
Whittington								1910								
Evans	T									1923						
Wighton	J									1923	1926					
Mellan	J									1923		1928				
Oates	R									1923	1926					
Reid	E L									1923						
Stott	H									1923	1926					
McKenzie	R									1923						
Brooke-Ward	L									1923						
Ross	J									1923						
Sykes	E C									1923						
Gay	J									1923						
Lucas	J									1923	1926		1929			
Jacka (VC)	H									1923	1926					

GAMES REGISTER FOR PLAYERS—SENIORS

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SURNAME	FIRST NAME	1875	1876	1877	1878	1897	1903	1910	1912	1923	1926	1928	1929			
Miller (C)	W									1923	1926					
King	E J									1923		1928	1929			
Murrells	F									1923	1926					
Gilmour	L									1923						
Grey	C									1923		1928				
Mellan	R									1923	1926					
Salmon										1923						
Scott	R									1923						
Scott	W									1923						
Kirby	R									1923	1926					
Mockridge	Frank										1926					
James	Jugger										1926					
Rainsford	H										1926					
Hudd	W										1926					
Butterworth	H										1926					
Walker	N										1926					
Emerson	W										1926					
Henry	R										1926					
Britter (C/C)	Harry											1928				
Horrower	E											1928				
Stapleton	T											1928				
Shell	T											1928				
Edwards	C											1928				
Hardiman	Les											1928				
Cameron	G											1928	1929			
Impey	A											1928	1929			
Emond	B											1928	1929			
Harrison	B											1928				
Jones	E											1928				
Haines	L											1928				
Stoneham	J											1928				
O'Sullivan	D											1928	1929			
Clubb	W											1928				
Haines	D											1928				
Corbett	J											1928				
Dehelin	D											1928				
Murrells	C											1928				
Clearson	L												1929			
Harrison	W												1929			
King	W												1929			
Murrells	C												1929			
Edwards	C												1929			
Coles	C												1929			
Stapleton	F												1929			
Spendlove	S												1929			
Sherson	C												1929			
Roach	J												1929			
Ferguson	David J 'Dave'												1929	1930		
Morris	T												1929			
Satchwell	J												1929			
Clubb	W												1929			
O'Sullivan	J												1929			
Murrells	A												1929			
Stevens	B												1929			

1874 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1875 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1876 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1877 SEASON

Participated—League Unknown

1878 SEASON

Runners-Up—Geelong District Football Association

1879 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

Chilwell's general meeting in July 1879 was at the Sawyer's Arms Hotel and they played on Chilwell flat (Kardinia Park).

1880 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1881 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

A Press comment in The Geelong Advertiser—June 1881

"One game between East Geelong and Chilwell was at South Geelong (that is, south of the Grammar School, rather than Kardinia Park).

Blood, Hair and one (artificial) tooth flew. These exhibitions were 'a disgrace to all parties'.

The Geelong Advertiser said that if a few similar matches took place a great deal of interest would be centred on the combatants."

1882 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1883 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1884 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1885 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1886 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1887 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1888 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1889 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1890 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

When former Club President (1885—1889) Mr. W.H. Collins died on 2nd August ,1890 Chilwell Football team wore black crepe on their sleeves the following Saturday.

Mr. Collins was the founder of the Union Wool Mills.

1891 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1892 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1893 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1894 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1895 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1896 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1897 SEASON

1898 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

1899 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1900 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

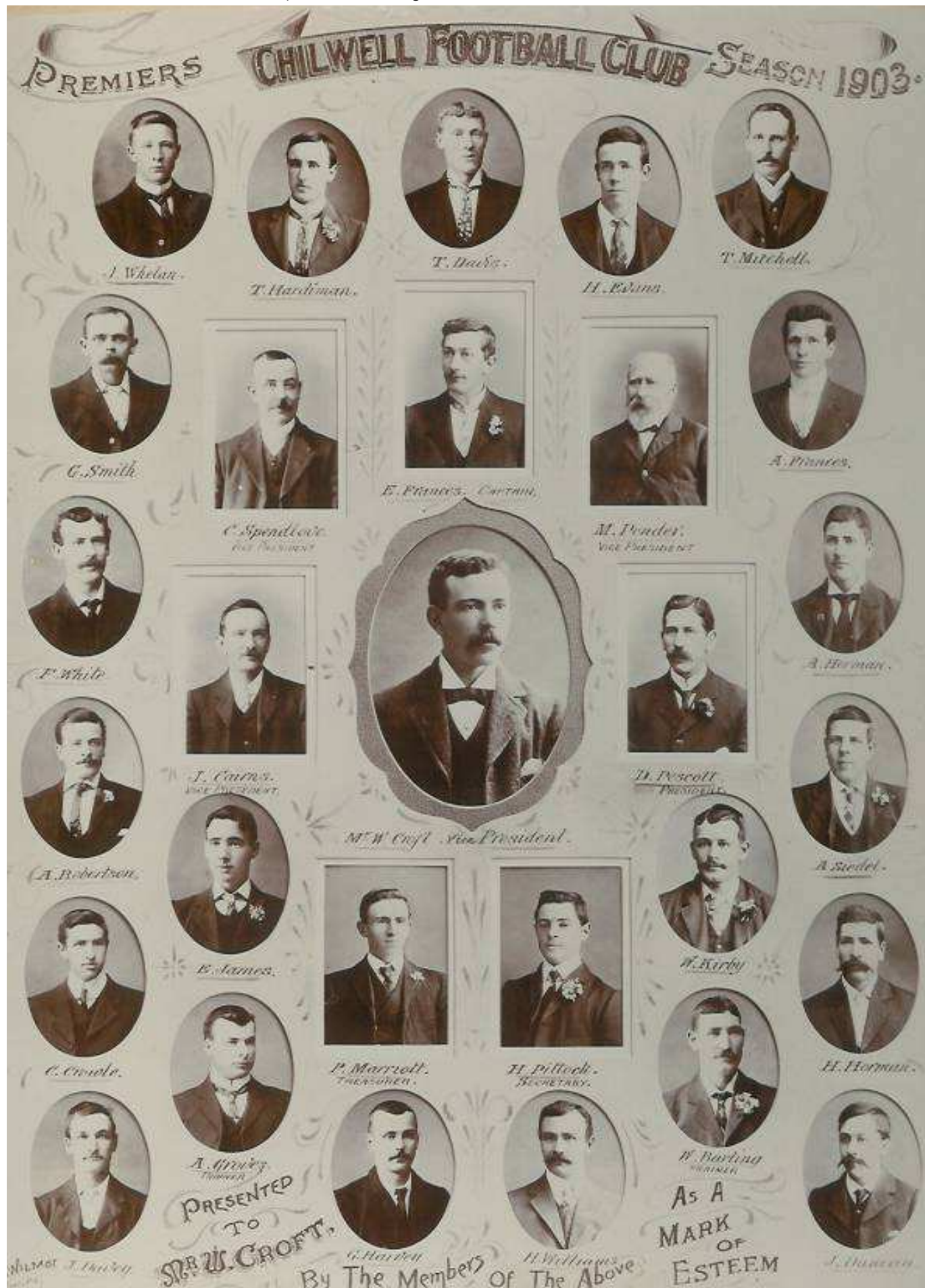
1901 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

1902 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

1903 SEASON Participated—Geelong District Football Association



1904 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1905 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1906 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1907 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1908 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1909 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1910 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

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September 9, 1910

FOOTBALL

The Geelong and District Football Association have appointed J. Grogan to umpire the match. Lethbridge v. Golf Hill, to be played on the ground of the former, tomorrow.

The following matches will be played tomorrow:

Ashby v. Chilwell—In Kar-dinia Park.

Ashby will be picked from Cocking, Davie, Gates, Glover, Grundell, Gorman, Hay, Healy, Hodgins, King-well, Knell (2), McLean, McRae, Murphy, Pender, Peterson, Pike, Thewlis, Woods (2) and Young.

Chilwell will be picked from Allen, Britter, Brown-bill, Chisholm, Challis, Clarke, Casey, Clutterbuck, Downie, Hogan, Humphries, Hardiman, Jory, Johnson, James, Kirby, Lowe (2), Luttrell, Moulden, Markin, McGee, Pitman, Palmer, Rankin, Russell, Tan Sing, Simmonds and Whittington.

East Geelong v. Drysdale—At Drysdale.

Produce Employees v. Leo-pold—On Richmond Crescent.

Geelong West v. Newtown—On the oval, **Geelong West** will be picked from Benglestoff, Conway, Cole, Cleveland, Fisher, Glynn (2), Groves, Gates, Grundell, Hope, Habermann (2), Jenkins, Lid-dicut, Myles, Morgan, Mark-ham, Matthews, Muir, Maguire, Peterson, White and Williams.

Newtown team will be picked from Bright, Banfield, Collins, Chair, Donohue, Dudderidge, Emond, Eldridge, Graham (2), Hey-ward, James, Kohl, Knell, Luttrell, Macher, Marshall, Morris, Murphy, Patten, Ruffin, Stoate, Thorley (2) and Webber.

I.O.R. v. O.S.T.—On the Friendly Societies Reserve.

The final match in connec-tion with the 2nd Rate Football Association will be played tomorrow on the Geelong oval, which has been placed at the disposal of the association by the committee of the senior

club. The competing clubs are the Newtown (winners of the minor premiership, and the Geelong West (winners of the match against Ger-mantown last week). Both teams have some good play-ers in their ranks, and an interesting game should eventuate. M. Shelley will be field umpire, and Messrs. J. Allsop and C. Nelis goal umpires. A col-lection is to be made at the gates to defray expens-es.

1911 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1912 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association



1913 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

1914 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong District Football Association

1915 SEASON

“PREMIERS & CHAMPIONS”—Geelong District Football Association



1916 SEASON

In recess due to World War 1

1917 SEASON

In recess due to World War 1

1918 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1919 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football Association

1920 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football League

1921 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football League

Participated—Geelong Athletics Football Association (Chilwell 2nds)

1922 SEASON

“PREMIERS”—Geelong Junior Football Association

1923 SEASON

“PREMIERS”—Geelong Junior Football Association

SEASON 1923—COMMITTEE



Back Row: R. Oates, H. Jacka (Vice-Captain), W. Pizaro, L. Walsh (Vice-President),
W. Trainor, E. Stephenson, J. Barnes (Vice-President), D. McGill

Seated: G. Murphy (Treasurer), W. Miller (Captain & Secretary), R.C. King (President),

1923 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

PREMIERS 1923



Back Row: T. Evans, J. Wighton, J. Mellan, R. Oates

Centre Row: E.L. Reid, H. Stott, R. McKenzie, R.C. King (*President*), L. Brooke, J. Ross, E.C. Sykes

Front Row: J. Gay, J. Lucas, H. Jacka (*Vice-Captain*), W. Miller (*Captain*), E.J. King, F. Murrells, L. Gilmour

Front: C. Grey

Also played 1923: R. Mellan, Salmon, R. Scott, W. Scott, R. Kirby



1924 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1925 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong Junior Football Association

1926 SEASON

“PREMIERS”—Geelong Junior Football Association



Back Row: Unknown Trainer, F. Mockridge, J. Lucas, Jugger James, H. Rainsford, H. Stott, W. Hudd, R. Kirby, T. Butterworth, R. Oates, W. Pizaro

Centre Row: E. Anderson, G. Clarke, N. Walker, Wighton, H. Jacka (Vice-Captain), W. Miller (Captain), W. Emerson, R. Henry, F. Murrells

Front Row: Dan Whelan (Boundary), C. Jenkins, Unknown, V. Maguire (Umpire), R. Mellan, J. Beales

Front: S. Huggins

1927 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1928 SEASON Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association



Back Row: F. Minifie (Vice-Pres), R. Henry (Trainer), E. Horrower, T. Stapleton, O.R. Shave (Vice-Pres), B. Mason (Vice-Pres)

2nd Back Row: J. Downs (Vice-Pres), T. Shell, C. Edwards, L. Hardiman, G. Cameron, A. Impey, J. Alsop (Ass. Sec)

Middle Row: G. Beasley (Trainer), B. Emond, W. Harrison, J. Mellan, H.D. Tomlinson (Pres), E. Jones, E. King, L. Haines, J. Beales (Trainer)

2nd Front Row: J. W. Barnes (Hon. Sec), C. Grey, J. Stoneham, D. O'Sullivan, H. Britter (Capt/Coach), W. Clubb, D. Haines, J. Corbett, D. Dehelin, D. McGill (Vice-Pres)

Front Row: C. Fort (Time-Keeper), L. Jones (Trainer), C. Murrells, E. O'Shannese (Trainer), J. Sire (Custodian)

1929 SEASON

“Runners-Up”—Geelong Junior Football Association

CHILWELL FOOTBALL CLUB
RUNNERS-UP 1929



Queenscliff 17.8 (110) def Chilwell Football Club 13.15 (93)

Back Row: Harry Britter, J Corbett, E. Harrower, C Fort, C Etherton, Edward Stevenson

5th Row: G Kee (Trainer), A Impey, D O'Sullivan, L Clearson, G Cameron, W Harrison, R Henry (Trainer),

4th Row: E O'Shannessy (Trainer), B Emond, L Wilmore, C Duncan, J Duncan, D McGill, W King, F Casperson

3rd Row: C Mitchell (Trainer), C Murrells, C Edwards, C Coles, B Mason, F Stapleton, S Spendlove, C Sherson, G Lynch, J Alsop, J Beales (Trainer)

2nd Row: L Henry, J Roach, Don O'Sullivan, David J. 'Dave' Ferguson, E King, T Morris, A Lucas, J Satchwell, J Barnes

Front Row: W Clubb, J O'Sullivan, G Clarke, A Murrells, B Stevens

1930 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

Senior Best & Fairest Player 'F.C Walker Cup': David J 'Dave' Ferguson

1931 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1932 SEASON

Participated—Geelong Junior Football Association

1933 SEASON

Participated—Geelong District Football League

(Final Season as Newtown Football Club amalgamated with Chilwell Football Club to become Newtown & Chilwell Football Club commencing Season 1934)



Norm Jamieson - Dunn - W. Miller (Capt)



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