



South Croydon Football Club - Your Community Club

Bulldog Briefs..

Round 13 wrap up, and this week's activities.....

Hello members, sponsors and supporters,

A terrific milestone in our club's history last weekend as the seniors were able to defeat Rowville for their 4th win in a row, secure 7 wins for the year this far, which is the best result for any season when the club has been in Division 1 - plus the team currently sits 5th on the ladder! What a fantastic game of footy - a few anxious moments at the end, but terrific response from supporters and all watching when the final siren rang. Great that the EFL radio team was their the broadcast and showcase the game (pity they couldn't get too many of our players names right!) The seconds had another slow start, but really showed what they are capable of in the second half - unfortunately they ran out of time when they were running over the top of their opposition. The U19s again put up a solid showing and improve with every outing.

There is a real buzz around the place, as we set ourselves for the return fixture against East Ringwood after the split round. Let's strive for 5 seniors wins in a row and wins in the 2nds and U19's as well!

Many of you would have seen the new furniture in the rooms last Saturday and we are please to say that the bar was installed (with a few temporary adjustments) early this week. The rooms are really starting to take shape! There is not much left to do and we should be able to start re-erecting our memorabilia once the handover is complete. The official council opening has been set for 3rd August where invited guests will take part in the formalities, led by our Federal Labor Member and club sponsor Mike Symon MP.

While on furniture, there will be an opportunity this Thursday and beyond for anyone interested in some of the old chairs (and limited tables) to bid for them auction style. Other bits and pieces may also be available. All proceeds will go jointly to the football/cricket club for further room refit use.

Finally while we have no game this weekend, Thursday night is business as usual with full training and dinners on - U17s will be training at Cheong and they and their parents will also be staying for dinners, so lets get a big crowd in the social rooms this week.

Football - Full results

Seniors	South Croydon			17			4			106			def			Rowville			15			12			102		
	1QG	1QB	Q1PTS	2QG	2QB	Q2PTS	3QG	3QB	Q3PTS	4QG	4QB	PTS	1QG	1QB	Q1PTS	2QG	2QB	Q2PTS	3QG	3QB	Q3PTS	4QG	4QB	PTS			
South Croydon	3	1	19	9	2	56	11	3	69	17	4	106															
Rowville	2	4	16	5	7	37	8	10	58	15	12	102															

South Croydon

Goal Kickers: B. Allan 5, R. Mallison 4, G. Strachan 3, J. Crowle 2, S. Dinnell 2, D. Coghlan

Best Players: B. Allan, C. Dinnell, G. Stephens, G. Strachan, S. Cuthbert, R. Mallison

Rowville

Goal Kickers: C. Morris 5, M. Stanley 3, N. Hicks 2, J. Dyson 2, S. Georgiou 2, A. Frawley

Best Players: A. Frawley, M. Crozier, J. Powell, C. Morris, M. Jackson, J. Dyson

Fantastic contributions across the ground - a real team effort with all standing up when it counted. Blair had a day out with his 5 majors and setting up a couple others (very relaxed in the radio interview afterwards too!), with Disco, Sticks, Strachnie and Robbie all having terrific games. Could have mentioned many more, as Damo did in the after match awards. Keep up the great work seniors!

Reserves	South Croydon			14	5	89	def by Rowville			15	15	105
	1QG	1QB	Q1PTS	2QG	2QB	Q2PTS	3QG	3QB	Q3PTS	4QG	4QB	PTS
South Croydon	1	1	7	3	2	20	7	4	46	14	5	89
Rowville	4	3	27	7	6	48	12	12	84	15	15	105

South Croydon

Goal Kickers: M. King 5, D. Bowes 2, J. O'Toole 2, L. Arthurson , D. Janky , J. Humphris , J. Rodriguez , S. Cali

Best Players: L. Arthurson, M. King, S. Cali, R. Humphrey, J. O'Toole, D. Bowes

Rowville

Goal Kickers: D. Orlando 5, L. Houghton 2, M. Watson 2, B. Walsh 2, J. Davis , A. Walker , J. Dear , D. Spark

Best Players: R. Neate, D. Orlando, M. Watson, J. Davis, B. Walsh, D. Mathers

Sorry to say that this was another game that could have been won. A real old fashioned spray by Matt at half time fired the boys up and to their credit the second half was a really good performance where we outscored Rowville 11 goals to 8. You just need to wonder why this is the case - why cant this group play four quarter footy on a consistent basis? Lets turn this around with a win against East Ringwood in a fortnight. Was great to see Zippy get through his first game for the year unscathed.

U19's	South Croydon			13	4	82	def by Rowville			19	12	126
	1QG	1QB	PTS	2QG	2QB	PTS	3QG	3QB	PTS	4QG	4QB	PTS
South Croydon	1	0	6	4	2	26	9	3	57	13	4	82
Rowville	4	1	25	6	4	40	13	9	87	19	12	126

South Croydon

Goal Kickers: J. Tucker 4, J. White 2, C. Phelan , T. Gibson , L. O'Toole , M. Schinck , T. Turner , P. Rooney , J. Deklijn

Best Players: J. Tucker, J. Deklijn, C. Nucifora, M. Schinck, P. Dyck, E. Woods

Rowville

Goal Kickers: M. Seedsman 7, D. Boavida 4, C. Clarke 2, B. Kernick 2, G. Pears , T. O'Brien , M. Wheeler , L. Wright

Best Players: J. Hall, M. Seedsman, B. Kernick, C. Clarke, D. Boavida, H. Walsh

Another solid performance by the boys while unable to take the bickies. They are putting some scores on the board and realising that they can be competitive with the majority of teams. Improvement continues - keep faith in each other and the game plans. Jake's recent good form continues - this time up forward. Good to see Nuci and Evan get in amongst the best.

Membership - Kennel Club

\$100 weekly draw - Week 13 winner - Billy Carter - bar manager extraordinaire! Well done Billy - your shout!

Kennel Club membership still remains good value - we still have three home games and the end of year draw. I'm sure that we could even do a deal if anyone still interested in membership! Speak to Steve Bishop (0408 170 297) if interested.

Sponsorship

Sponsor of the Week for Rd 13 - **TSG Group** - the # 1 brand in tobacco and gift franchising. Great club supporter and Mudlarks founding member Ian Scholfield will look after any franchising inquiries. Contact TSG on 1800 777 079 or visit their website at www.tsgfranchise.com.au

Sponsorship is a fantastic way to assist your community club - we still need more player sponsors - a modest \$150 to sponsor a favourite player. Please speak to Matt Higgins (0411 752 994) or Stephen Quon (0417 556 591) for full details.

Thursday Nights

This Thursday we welcome U17 players, their parents, and junior club representatives as they join our players, members and supporters for dinner. Great value at \$12. On the menu this week - Lasagna, chips & salads, followed by fruit platters. **Help out the kitchen team by getting your order in early when you arrive.**

Social Events - key diary dates

- ** July 26 (Friday) Mudlarks Business Lunch
- ** July 27 (Rd 14) 2003 Colts Premiership Reunion
- ** August 3 (Rd 15) Vets reunion function (day)
- ** August 3 (Rd 15) Last Man Standing Raffle (evening)

All social enquiries to Cathy White or Chris Dinnell - follow updates via club calendar on the website or club phone app.

Club Community News

**** Help us maintain our licencing conditions** - did you know that only SCFC members and signed in guests of club members are approved to purchase and consume alcohol within our rooms? Help us out by becoming a member and having your guests sign our register on arrival. More awareness to members on these topics to come - keep an eye out and help your club comply with licencing regulations.

**** Last Man Standing Raffle - 3rd August evening.** This is a major club fundraiser - fantastic prizes to the value of \$10,000 and entry to the draw on the night! All players please sell your allocated tickets and return proceeds and ticket stubs to Cathy White as soon as possible. ALL TICKETS MUST BE SOLD! Any supporters looking to acquire a ticket to this great event see Cathy or one of our players.

**** The Mudlark Coterie Group Business Luncheon for 2013 is on!**

Guest speaker is **Ben Graham - ex Geelong captain and NFL player**. Great day expected in the new and improved Cheong social rooms on Friday 26th July 1pm to 4 pm.

For full details and flyer check out the website or the SCFC smart phone app. Tickets from Paul Lewis on (0417 057 881) or Ian Scholfield (0439 933 260).

Social Media

Follow the club on Facebook - @South Croydon Fc or on Twitter @SouthCroydonFC or via the **Smart Phone app** or club website for all the latest news and alerts.

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Merchandise

How about a club hoodie or jacket? For all your SCFC apparel see Bryan King! Nothing better than seeing all our supporters and members in red, white and blue! **** New scarves and jackets now available ****

Next game

Another massive game after the split round break when we are back at Cheong against East Ringwood on July 27. We are expecting a huge crowd and hoping to have a 'Call to Arms' theme for the day - supporting the Cancer Council. All teams will be fighting hard to turn around the Rd 5 results so we need all our supporters on board cheering them all over the line - 5 consecutive senior team wins and positive results also in the 2s and U19s! Get behind us and make it a massive day.

Woof woof - go doggies!!