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It's the culmination of months of toil and sweat during pre-season followed by the seemingly never ending demands of what can be a long, unforgiving home and away season.

Now, players, both in the Peter Jackson VFL and TAC Cup, find themselves in an abbreviated four week season where the pressure and expectation increases.

For those clubs involved in this week's Elimination Finals it begins what is in effect a mini Grand Final each and every week. Win and survive, lose and the season is over.

Everything seemingly shifts up a gear: speed, tempo and, of course, pressure. Finals football can define a player.

It's about seizing the moment, taking your opportunity, making the extra effort to help the team and keep that premiership dream alive.

Intrinsic to finals football is the opportunity and exposure it offers players to showcase their talent on a stage where the spotlight shines more brightly than during the home and away season.

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History tells us that players who perform well during the TAC Cup finals enhance their prospects of being selected in the various NAB AFL Drafts later in the year. It can also be the making of a VFL player.

Finals are also a time of celebration. It's not only confined

to the next four weeks when we witness clubs chase premiership glory.

It's a time when we also recognize the outstanding individual

achievements. In the not too distant future we will toast the winners of the JJ Liston Trophy as well as the Morrish Medal for the fairest and best players respectively in the Peter Jackson VFL and TAC Cup.

The VFL and TAC Cup Teams of the Year will also be unveiled, recognising those players whose play over the past five months has been exceptional.

Already, we have seen an extraordinary finish last week where Port Melbourne full forward Dean Galea kicked seven goals, including three in the last quarter, to oust Frankston's Michael Lourey by one goal for the honor of the Jim 'Frosty' Miller Medalist as the VFL's leading goal kicker.

All Victorian football fans are invited to join in the monthlong celebration that comes with finals football.

All the best to all players and clubs involved in the finals over the next 4 weeks.

Finally, as you would be aware, the AFL Commission during the week imposed significant sanctions on the Essendon FC relating to its supplements program in 2011 and 2012. At the conclusion of discussions between all parties designed to bring the matter to a resolution in the overall interests of football, it was determined by the AFL that the Essendon VFL side would be permitted to play in the 2013 VFL Finals. I acknowledge this decision has created some debate, but it should be noted the AFL were in the best position to make this call given their role in the Essendon FC investigation and their access to all related information.

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TAG Gup finals

The TAC Cup season is once again set for an entertaining finish as the 2013 finals begin with four tantalising matchups, as Justin Jenvey reports.

2013 sees the opportunity for a new premier after the last year's champions the Oakleigh Chargers failed to make the finals. Along with Oakleigh, the North Ballarat Rebels and Sandringham Dragons don't return to September and are replaced by Eastern Ranges, Northern Knights and the Western Jets.

At this stage Geelong would appear favourites to take the title after a fantastic home and away season. The Falcons have moved from the bottom of the eight in 2012 to the top of the eight in 2013 after recording 14 wins and are a very good chance to make their first Grand Final since 2000 when they claimed the premiership.

That year they took on the Eastern Ranges and there is every chance that this season's Grand Final could be contested by the same two teams. Eastern Ranges jumped 10 spots up the ladder to second to make their first finals appearance since the 2009 season. Darren Bewick's men will be looking to add another premiership to the teams 2002 triumph.

Dandenong Southern Stingrays have again had another successful campaign having made the top four for a sixth consecutive season. The Stingrays will be looking to make up for a straight sets exit from last season's finals. This year's team has a good opportunity to win the team's maiden premiership, something which has eluded them in the past.

The perennial powerhouse of the last decade, Calder starts another finals series looking to add to their already impressive trophy cabinet. Their first challenge will be trying to beat the top placed Falcons, who they knocked out of the finals in 2010. The Cannons have been extremely impressive of late having knocked of the Falcons and Eastern Ranges in the last two rounds.

The Western Jets return to finals action after missing

out last year and will take on Murray in what should be a good match. The Jets haven't made an extended run in the finals for a number of years and that's what they'll be aiming for.

Northern Knights are another team to return to finals play, ending a two year absence from September. The Knights last finals win was way back in 2007 so they will hope for at least one win this time round. They play the same opponent who knocked them out of the finals when they met in 2010.

Last year's grand finalists Gippsland again return for another shot at a premiership. In the last four years the Power have twice lost grand finals and twice been knocked out without winning a game after securing a double chance. It's going to be a tough task to go all the way from seventh but those returning from 2012 will be hungry after the disappointment of last year's one point loss.

Murray have had mixed results over the last five seasons, missing out on finals on two occasions, losing in the first week twice and of course winning the 2008 premiership. The Bushrangers play the Jets and will look to avenge a 10 goal loss from round eight and advance deeper in to September.

*See below a table regarding this year's top eight teams, and their finals record over the last five years

Team	Played	Won	Lost
Geelong Falcons	9	3	6
Eastern Ranges	4	1	3
Dandenong Stingrays	13	7	6
Calder Cannons	12	9	3
Western Jets	4	1	3
Northern Knights	3		3
Gippsland Power	13	6	7
Murray Bushrangers	5	3	2

QUALIFYING FINAL I: GEFLONG FALGONS V GALDER GANNONS

This Qualifying Final pairing has made a rapid rise up the ladder this season, with Geelong Falcons and Calder Cannons moving from seventh and eighth to the double chance.

NOT that it really needed to, but Geelong Falcons sent a timely reminder to its rivals last week.

And, in particular to Qualifying Final foe Calder Cannons, which jetted into the top four at the last moment thanks to a five game winning streak and Western Jets being shot down by Sandringham Dragons.

When naysayers — unsighted and unheard for virtually the entire season — began to appear in recent weeks to question whether Geelong was the real deal or a pretender, the Falcons set the record straight.

Pitted against Dandenong Stingrays, comfortably sitting third with its own five game winning streak, Geelong let the TAC Cup community know just why it has been the competition trendsetter.

Geelong kept the Stingrays goal-less in the first half — Dandenong's kicking was woeful, but the bottom line is it didn't kick its first goal until the third quarter.

And, by that stage the Falcons were on route to an emphatic 41-point victory.

It underscored Geelong's dominance and that really has been the story of the home and away season.

The Falcons won its first eight games – mostly by large margins – before it inexplicably lost against Eastern Ranges by 18 goals.

It managed two goals while Eastern kicked 20. It was so far off a true indication of the club's ability.

Call it an aberration, particularly given it fell during the heart of the NAB AFL Under 18 Championships.

Geelong embarked on another four game tear before Northern upset it by seven points in Round 14. And then followed a four point win against Bendigo and a one point loss against Calder.

All of a sudden, talk

switched to the Falcons being vulnerable. Ask Dandenong Stingrays players just how vulnerable they found Geelong last week.

So, for the third time this season, Geelong goes head to head with Calder, which has gained momentum in the second half of the season.

The Cannons owned just four wins after the first 10 rounds. Included in one of those losses was a 27-point defeat by Geelong.

But, Calder proved a far more formidable team in the second half of the season.

After Northern inflicted a 51-point defeat on them in Round 12, Calder has been on a roll winning its past five games to lift itself from sixth to fourth

As mentioned earlier, included in that run was a one-point win against Geelong in Round 16 at Simonds Stadium.

And, to show that was no fluke, Calder last week beat second-placed Eastern by 47-points.

It sets up an enthralling Qualifying Final with a Preliminary Final spot for the victor.

Calder is in grand form, but Geelong didn't finish two games clear on top without good cause.



QUALIFYING FINAL 2: EASTERN RANGES V DANDENONG STINGRAYS

In a large leap up the ladder from 2012, the Eastern Ranges face top four regulars Dandenong Southern Stingrays in a Qualifying Final.

CHANCES were always strong that Eastern Ranges and Dandenong Stingrays would go head-to-head in a Qualifying Final before the final home and away game in the TAC Cup played out.

And, that's exactly how it's played out although neither Eastern nor Dandenong could be happy with the circumstances that locks together the two clubs.

The Ranges and the Stingrays come into the Qualifying Final attempting to rectify poor performances last week.

Eastern has to put behind them a 47-point loss against Calder, a match where they were completely outplayed in the second half.

Dandenong has to rebound from a 41-point defeat by Geelong, a match where their poor conversion saw them have to wait until the third quarter to score their first goal.

While the strong seasons from both clubs have earned

them a double chance, both know the importance and benefit of winning a Qualifying Final and advancing straight to a Preliminary Final.

Although missing its private school students as well as an injury to star Tom Boyd, Eastern had won five in a row before Calder unceremoniously ended that streak

The Stingrays had put behind them a mid-season slump where they lost four in a row to get back into contention with a series of thumping wins.

They defeated Murray, Bendigo, Sandringham and North Ballarat by margins ranging from eight to 16 goals.

Twice this season Dandenong has gone on five game tears, but, it was dealt a reality check by Geelong. Big time.

The club that puts behind them last week's loss and gets back to

its previous good form will emerge with a win.

This is the third match up between the clubs this season.

Dandenong won the first, back in Round 3, when it posted an eight goal win at Bayswater then Eastern travelled to the Stingrays home and took away a 10-point win.

It could be said that neither team was at its full capacity in either match, but how often does that happen?

More than likely talented players will be missing from the Qualifying Final, but players can't get caught up in that peripheral stuff.

No doubt that good players can help, but nothing lifts a club more than all its players contributing to the cause not jumping on the coat tails of the more gifted players.

It will be the club that plays as a team not as individuals that will earn the week's rest and await a Preliminary Final herth







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ELIMINATION FINAL 1: WESTERN JETS V MURRAY BUSHRANGERS

The Western Jets and Murray Bushrangers meet this Sunday at Visy Park, with their season on the line.

WESTERN Jets didn't see the monster that was Sandringham Dragons coming that delivered it an Elimination Final against Murray Bushrangers.

And, by the time it did, the Dragons had well and truly slayed the Jets and its hopes of securing a top four finish, and with it the coveted double chance.

It came without warning as just five points separated Western and Sandringham at half time.

The Jets knew all about tight, contested, pressure football. After all, it had played in 11 games decided by 18-points or less during the season.

But, Western would have no answer to Sandringham, which restricted them to just two points in the second half while kicking 8.8.

Not only was it Western's biggest loss for the season, but coupled with Calder's victory it pushed the Jets down to fifth and into a showdown with the Bushrangers.

Ironically, the Bushrangers know exactly what the Jets endured. They suffered a similar loss against Sandringham just the week before.

To its credit, Murray rebounded from that shellacking to defeat Northern to retain eighth spot and, ironically, keep Sandringham out of the finals.

And, that stopped Western having to face the Dragon slayers in successive weeks.

Murray only had three points to spare from the surging Knights last week, but that's all they needed.

Not only did it arrest a three game skid, but gave Murray a shot of avenging a 63-point defeat Western inflicted at the club's only meeting back in Round 8.

The Jets held Murray to just four goals that game, its second smallest goal haul of the season.

Certainly, Murray's win against Northern will give it great confidence as it was only the second club in the finals they've beaten this season.

The Bushrangers defeated Gippsland by three points back in Round 3, an identical margin to the one that they prevailed against Northern.

Murray will need to find a reliable avenue to goal, something that has troubled it most of the season. No fewer than 11 times were Murray held to 10 goals or less

in a game.

At no stage did Murray post a century scoreline with its highest score — 15 goals — coming against wooden spooner North Ballarat.

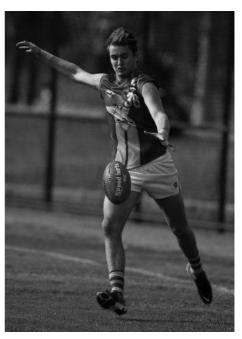
Conversely, Western kicked scores of 11 goals or more 12 times. That ability to apply constant scoreboard pressure could prove telling.

Western struggled considerably both times they played Sandringham this season. They'll be keen to erase that game from its memory banks and focus on the consistent form it displayed throughout the season.

It was a season where Western defeated Northern, Calder and Gippsland, albeit by single digit amounts, but it also thrashed Eastern by 17-goals.

How will Western respond to last week's loss? Just how much confidence will Murray gain from its win against Northern?

For the victor the premiership hope is alive. For the loser, the season is over.





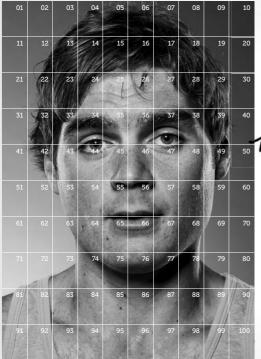
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ELIMINATION FINAL 2: NORTHERN KNIGHTS V GIPPSLAND POWER

The Northern Knights make a triumphant return to the finals, and will confront a finals regular in the Dandenong Southern Stingrays.

GIPPSLAND and Northern are tales of differing seasons. And, after this weekend's Elimination Final the curtain will drop for the final time on one of their seasons.

After the Power won eight of its first 11 games with losses against Oakleigh and Murray by less than one goal, Gippsland always figured to play finals.

No such surety with Northern, which sat ninth with three and a half wins after the midway point.

The second half of the season produced starkly contrasting results.

Gippsland became mired in a slump that saw them not only drop from second to seventh, but having to snap its losing streak against Bendigo in the final home and away game to ensure a spot in the finals.

Admittedly, the Power lost three games by 10-points or less, but those narrow defeats can take its toll on player's confidence and self-doubt can become a constant companion

While there was little to no power in Gippsland's second half, Northern Knights burst to life. The Knights won six of its last eight games to climb into the eight and overhaul Gippsland.

During its rejuvenation, the Knights toppled Geelong, Dandenong and Calder, who all finished in the top four.

But, the Knights won't be entirely happy with how the season ended.

Northern's trip to Wangaratta last weekend proved costly. Not only did it lose by three points, but also the defeat ruined its chances of a top four finish.

Victory would have seen the Knights climb to third and with it gain the double chance. Instead, it finds itself fighting for its existence this season against Gippsland, buoyed that it has kept alive its flickering season.

The clubs stand at 1-1 in its season's battles. They were territorial affairs.

Gippsland defeated Northern by 26-points back in Round 8 at Morwell when Josh Scott kicked five goals and Jordan Cunico provided another snapshot of his talent.

Northern repaid the favor in Round 15 at Cramer Street when they posted a 35-point victory built on Marcus Bontempelli's dominance and ably assisted by Ben Lennon.

So, now it comes down to a single game season, played out on a neutral venue.

Can Northern put behind them the agonizingly close defeat last week that took away a top four spot?

Can Gippsland surge on its confidence building win against Bendigo?

Really, players can't reflect on what might have been. That's gone. What is important is the task at hand.





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James Tsitas - Geelong Falcos

Best thing about TAC CUP Footy?

The competitiveness of the competition, the intensity and the high skill level

What are three things you can't live without?

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What is your favourite road trip destination?

Sunshine Coast, Queensland

What's something your coach says too much?

He always asks how people are they're going

What's your favourite song at the moment?

(Still) Harlem Shake

What song do you think best describes AFL National Talent Manager and TAC Cup: Future Stars panellist Kevin Sheehan?

Smooth Criminal



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Missed out on a ticket to the Morrish Medal night, where the best and fairest player in the TAC Cup will be announced? Then tune to taccup.com.au after 6:30pm on Sunday September 8 for a live broadcast of the night.

Vincy a Rising Star

Former Oakleigh Charger Jack Viney was the Round 21 NAB AFL Rising Star nominee.

Jack was Melbourne's best on ground against Fremantle at the MCG. His 28 possessions – 14 kicks, 14 handballs, five marks, five tackles and goal – was his best performance in his 12-game career.

Since his AFL debut in Round One, the 19-year-old

midfielder has played with a desire for the contest. He has overcome a toe injury and since his return in Round 17 has averaged 22 possessions.

Jack is Melbourne's first NAB AFL Rising Star nominee this

Interim Melbourne Coach Neil Craig said Jack's last month had been very consistent.

"Jack has a fiercely competitive mindset, the only other player I've coached at such a young age with a similar mindset was Patrick Dangerfield. Jack has a thirst for wanting to be the best player he could possibly be.

"The element that has really impressed me about Jack is that he really cares about wearing the Melbourne jumper; playing for Melbourne is more than just playing AFL football and he has great passion to change the perceptions of the Melbourne Football Club. As he continues to develop, he will bring a lot of joy, pride, excitement and hope to Melbourne supporters," he said

Jack was a second round selection in the 2012 NAB AFL Draft. He signed with Melbourne in October 2012 and was a father-son section (selection 26 overall). Jack's father Todd is a former Melbourne captain who played 233 AFL games.

He played for Vic Metro in the 2011 and 2012 NAB AFL Under-18 Championships, as well as with Casey Scorpions in the Peter Jackson VFL in 2012. He is a graduate of the AIS-AFL Academy.

Jack played junior football with Ashburton and the Oakleigh Chargers.



Falcons claim minor premiership

THE Geelong Falcons have claimed the TAC Cup minor premiership for the first time since 2009 following a dominating performance against premiership rival Dandenong in the final round of the season, as Brad Green reports.

The Falcons will now face the Calder Cannons — who beat them a fortnight ago with a goal after the siren — in the First Qualifying Final at Carlton's Visy Park this Saturday afternoon for a spot in a Preliminary Final.

It's the 11th straight season that the Falcons have been part of finals action and they'll be keen to go at least one step better than their Semi-Final result from 2012.

The Falcons took advantage of the Stingrays' inaccurate kicking to record a 13.5 (83) to 5.12 (42) at Victoria Park. Dandenong failed to score a goal in the first half, kicking 10 behinds to allow the Falcons to lead by 28 points at the main break.

Falcons coach Andy Allthorpe said the reason for the Stingrays inaccuracy was the pressure implied by their defenders

"The (forward 50) entries for the game were pretty even (41-39 in Dandenong's favor) so it wasn't if they weren't taking the ball in," Allthorpe said.

"We just took our opportunities in front of goal. Our backs are certainly defending pretty well.

"We've kept two good teams to under 10 goals in our last two games.

"We focused this week on the contested ball and tackles and (forward 50 entries). We worked hard on what we wanted to do. There's still a few areas we need to tidy up but we're confident going into the finals."

The Falcons' goals came from a mix of tall and small forwards, with Scott Dixon booting three along with Marcus Thompson. Doug Bond, Aaron Christensen and Hugh Goddard each chipped in with two.

Jye Cross was excellent in defence supported by Sam Russell while Nic Bourke, James Tsitas and Joe Maishman won plenty of the ball in the midfield. Allthorpe had high praise for ruckman Luke Davis, who has played the position all season despite being only 195cm.

"It was probably his best game," Allthorpe said of the Barwon Heads' big man.

"He got back and supported the back half and

was involved in our transition, which was great. He just gets out there and works hard, does his bit for the team. He's a bit unheralded."

The Falcons are likely to regain key forward Patrick McCartin for the Qualifying Final but doubts hang over the fitness of gun rover and potential top 10 draft pick Lewis Taylor.

Allthorpe said everyone involved with the club is excited to be part of the finals.

"We feel really organised," Allthorpe said. "Everyone knows their role and what's expected of them and we're ready to get out there and give it our best shot."

The Falcons-Cannons match will be played at 2pm this Saturday at Visy Park, Carlton.



Last Time They Met

QUALIFYING FINALS



VS



GEELONG FALCONS VS CALDER CANNONS

Head to Head - Played: 32 Geelong Falcons: 19

Calder Cannons: 12 Drawn: 1

Last time they met (2013):

Rd 7, Geelong Falcons 14.11.95 d Calder Cannons d 10.5.65 Rd 16, Calder Cannons 8.10.58 d Geelong Falcons 8.9.57



VS



EASTERN RANGES VS DANDENONG SOUTHERN STINGRAYS

Head to Head - Played: 37 Eastern Ranges: 13

Dandenong Southern Stingrays: 24

Last time they met (2013): Rd 3, Dandenong Stingrays 20.14.134 d Eastern Ranges 12.14.86

Rd 10, Eastern Ranges 9.13.67 d Dandenong Stingrays 8.9.57

ELIMINATIONS FINALS



VS



WESTERN JETS VS MURRAY BUSHRANGERS

Head to Head - Played: 30 Western Jets: 15 Murray Bushrangers: 14 Drawn: 1 Last time they met (2013):

Rd 8, Western Jets 14.11.95 d Murray Bushrangers 4.8.32



VS



NORTHERN KNIGHTS VS GIPPSLAND POWER

Head to Head - Played: 35 Northern Knights: 15 Gippsland Power: 20 Last time they met (2013):

Rd 8, Gippsland Power 13.19.97 d Northern Knights 10.11.71 Rd 15, Northern Knights 16.116.112 d Gippsland Power 11.11.77



TAG Gup Finals Frenzy

The TAC Cup Radio team are looking forward to broadcasting each finals game live this weekend. Gabe Sorrentino previews this weekend's matches:

Saturday

2nd Qualifying Final (Eastern Ranges vs Dandenong Stingrays)

The Ranges have had an excellent season and took the liberty of resting a few players last week. The Stingrays have had a mixed year, some good wins and ordinary losses. During the season, they shared the results: in Round 3, the Stingrays won by 48 and in Round 10 the Ranges won by 10. This should be a close encounter, with the Ranges to win by 6 points.

1st Qualifying Final (Geelong Falcons vs Calder Cannons)

The Falcons have been the best team all year but have been in less than idea form in the last few rounds. The Cannons on the other hand are red hot. They have won their last 5 games and defeated the Falcons by a point recently. This should be a classic match; the Falcons have been the bench mark for most of the season but have struggled to keep the high standards from earlier in the

year. The Cannons will need to play at their best to win. Falcons by 22 points.

Sunday

2nd Elimination Final

(Northern Knights vs Gippsland Power)

The Power finally broke a 5 game losing streak against Bendigo Pioneers. The Knights have won 6 of their last 8, with the two losses being by small margins. In the two contests this season, both teams have shared the results, the Knights winning three weeks ago by six goals. The Knights by 24 points

1st Elimination Final (Western Jets vs Murray Bushrangers)

The Bushrangers had a good win against the Knights last week, to break a 3 game losing streak. The Jets need to lift from last week but have been in and around the top 4 for most of the season. At their best the Jets should win by 20 points.

TAG GUP RADIO REVIEW

Jets Misfire

The TAC Cup Radio team travelled to Highgate Reserve for the final home and away match of season 2013 between the Sandringham Dragons and the Western Jets. After Saturday's results, the game had a bearing for the Jets and their top 4 aspirations and for the Dragons; there was simply ending the season on a winning note.

In the first quarter, with the aid of the breeze, the Dragons led by two goals. It was an entertaining quarter, with Josh Kelly kicking two goals and the Dragons midfield dominating. The second quarter was a tight struggle with only one goal kicked to the Jets in the 20-minute mark. The Dragons played an excellent defensive game, forcing the

Jets wide and making it difficult to score.

The third quarter by the Dragons was awesome. Seven goals five to one behind and the game as a contest had ended. The Dragons showed that they would have been a force in the finals, if they had made it. They dominated the centre clearances, were able to score from most entries into the 50m area and the half back line were impenetrable, led by Kurt Heatherly. The last quarter saw the players go through the motions and the Dragons held the Jets to one behind once again. In the end, the Dragons won by 59 points.

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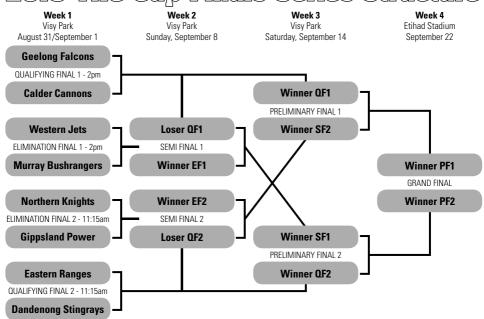
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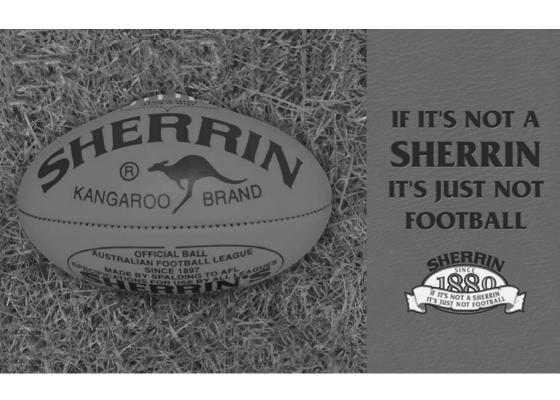


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2013 TAG Gup Finals Series Structure











CALDER CANNONS: This week the boys get another opportunity to play against the top team Geelong Falcons in the Qualifying Final at Visy Park. It was a fantastic effort by all players and staff to reach fourth spot in Season 2013,

and we look forward to what we hope will be a great finals series. The Cannons would like to take this opportunity to thank our always dedicated staff, they have yet again put in a huge year and we hope that the boys are able to represent them fittingly in the finals. Also thanks must go to the players parents and families for their commitment to our program and their great assistance throughout the year. We look forward to celebrating with all staff and families at the Robert Hyde Medal Presentation Night, this year to be held at Sherwood Receptions (Somerton Road, Greenvale) on Friday 4th October, please book your tickets with Meg in the coming weeks. Be sure to jump on the website (www. caldercannons.aflvic.com.au) or follow us on Twitter for all the latest info and updates @CalderCannonsFC. Go the mighty Cannons!



DANDENONG STINGRAYS: The

Dandenong Stingrays would like to take this time to congratulate all players who were elevated into the latest intake into the prestigious AFL / AIS Academy program

for the 2013/14 year. The Dandenong Southern Stingrays continued their long run of players to be named. This year sees 5 players named in either Level 1 or 2. We take the time to congratulate the following players and their families, local coaches and clubs and everyone who may have helped or influenced their development: Our three Under 16 players Jacob Weitering (Mount Martha JFC), Kieran Collins (Langwarrin JFC) and Gach Nyoun (Narre Warren North Foxes JFC) were named after a strong showing at the AFL NAB Under 16 Championships and our two Top age players for the 2014 season Daniel Capiron (Edithvale-Aspendale FC/Caulfield Grammar) and Tom Lamb (Edithvale-Aspendale FC) were also rewarded with a second year in the AFL AIS program after a solid year with the Stingrays, Vic Country Academy and Caulfield Grammar. The Dandenong Southern Stingrays are now on Twitter, please follow us at Dandenong Stingrays@DandyStingrays



EASTERN RANGES: As the 2013 TAC Cup Fixture draws to a close, the Eastern Ranges are looking forward to competing in the upcoming finals series with their first finals game against Dandenong

Southern Stingrays today. Certainly, this season has been a better one for the team but this success couldn't have been achieved without the support of many people. Therefore, the Eastern Ranges wish to acknowledge the support and loyalty offered by the parents, families and friends throughout the

duration of the season. Without doubt the TAC Cup program for both parent and player can be quite time consuming so we are grateful for your commitment to this program. To our TAC Cup coaches, High Performance and medical staff, match day and administration staff and our large number of volunteer staff we are indebted to you for your support and encouragement every week. This will be the first time since 2009 that the Eastern Ranges will play finals and we hope to represent the region well. To the 51 players who represented the Eastern Ranges this season you are to be commended in the way in which you've approached this season. We would like to congratulate the 29 players who have made their debut for the Eastern Ranges in the 2013 TAC Cup. season. This is a fantastic achievement for all players and they should be very proud of what they have accomplished and we look forward to working with the returning players for the 2014 TAC Cup season. The Eastern Ranges would also like to congratulate all graduating players from the TAC Cup program. Your magnificent hard work and efforts over the past years has been really wonderful and we wish you the best of luck for your future football development. The Pennington Medal will be held on Sunday 13th October at The Knox Club. Eastern Ranges would like to thank all their wonderful sponsors for the 2013 season. These sponsors are The Knox Club, Bayswater Jayco, Bendigo Bank Community Branches, SBH Auto Sales, Phil Mundays Panel Works, Ultratune Croydon & Ringwood, Excel Drive School, Musashi, Diadora Australia and Subway Chirnside for all their wonderful support.



GIPPSLAND POWER: We cemented an Elimination Final spot with last Saturday's hard-fought win over the Bendigo Pioneers. In heavy conditions at Morwell we got a winning break in

the third term which we were able to defend in the last and so get the final round 4 points. It has really been a very close TAC Cup season as the final ladder positions indicate and an excellent finals series is promised. Today we meet Northern Knights at Visy Park in the first of the 2 scheduled knockout finals. It is a win each in our rounds 8 & 15 meetings in the home & away games with similar margins in both games. TAC Cup teams finishing 1 to 4 have a double chance, 5 to 8 are on sudden-death. Next week's Semi-Finals and the following week's Preliminary Finals are also at Visy Park and the Grand Final is at Etihad Stadium. Crossover finals apply so that in the Preliminary Finals there are no repeats of earlier finals matches. Alex Carr. Eddie Morris & Paul Pattison have played in all 17 Gippsland Power games to date this season and Lachlan Channing, Nathan Dennison, Aaron Heppell, Rohan Hildebrand & Declan Keilty have played in 16. Every player on our 39-name list has played a game during the season and so have 3 of our U/16 players. Our leading goalkickers to date are Josh Scott 51, Alex Carr 22, Eddie Morris 15, Alex Saunders 15, Ben Kearns

14 & Declan Keilty 13. We can advise that our vote count and presentation night wind-up function will be held at the Morwell RSL on Friday 25 October commencing at 6.00 PM. Players, parents & officials please RSVP by Friday October 4 to the invitation that was attached to your August 21 club Newsletter. Early replies will be really appreciated. Anyone requiring more information can phone the Club office. Our U/16 & U/15 development camp dates are Tues. Sept. 24 and Thurs. Sept. 26 respectively. Gippsland Power staff available on our Morwell head office phone number 5134 8133 are Talent Manager Peter Francis, Development Manager - TAC Cup coach Nick Stevens, Development Manager East Gippsland Rob Reid, football administration officer Stan Morgan, AFL Vic. trainee Troy Oakley & facilities caretaker Roger Knowles.



MURRAY BUSHRANGERS: As we move into finals action, the Bushrangers would like to take the opportunity to thank our partners for the 2013 season - Hume Building Society, AFL SportsReady, Action Aluminium and Dunstan's Construction

Group who are the Club's main partners this year. Thanks also to the many Kelly Club members and Player Sponsors both at TAC Cup and Under 16 Level. It goes without saying that your support enables us to operate in the way we do and provide the opportunities for our players to be the best they can be. Thanks also to AFL Victoria and their main partners including TAC for their continued support of the TAC Cup. Socially, a reminder that the Presentation Day Luncheon will be held on Sunday October 6th at the Gateway, Wangaratta. Be sure to book your place with AJ Carson. Finally, best of luck to all teams who enter the 2013 Finals Series; the culmination of another exciting year of TAC Cup football. Go Bushies!



NORTHERN KNIGHTS: The Northern Knights wish Coach Marco Bello and the team every success in their Elimination Final this Sunday against Gippsland Power at Visy Park. Many thanks to George

laccobaccio and other parents for organizing this week's Pasta Dinner at the Club. Your efforts are greatly appreciated by all players and staff. We acknowledge the following Knights Squad members who won local League Best & Fairest Awards: Lewis Glasgow—U/17 Northern Football League, Reid Brandt—Colts (2) Yarra Junior Football League, Beid Brandt—Colts (2) Yarra Junior Football League, Darcy McPherson—U/16(Blue) NFL, Daniel Jarvis—U/16(Red) NFL, Marcus Borg-U/15(Blue) NFL, Mark Pavlovsi-U/15(Red) NFL. We look forward to all these players progressing through the ranks to TAC Cup. Saturday, 5th October: Northern Knights Vote Count & Presentation Night: Held at 'Rydges Bell City', Preston. Bookings via the Club. We look forward to everybody getting together to celebrate our final night for Season 2013. Check 'KnightLife' Newsletter online

for further details. The Club takes this opportunity to thank our Major Sponsor, Technika (Mark Galea), Club Sponsors, Contra Sponsors, Donors & all our individual Player Sponsors for their generous financial contributions and outstanding support throughout Season 2013. We also thank all our Coaches and Support Staff for their committed efforts and tremendous support of the players in both the TAC Cup and Development Squads over the entire year and we look forward to the upcoming finals with great anticipation.



WESTERN JETS: The Western Jets would like to thank all our sponsors for their support again this season. In particular our major sponsor Victoria University and all their students for their hard work again this

season. We would also like to thank associate sponsors Burbank, 13CABS, ACE Real Estate, Westpac, Buffalo Sports, Subway Altona, Bakers Delight Coburns Square, Freddy's Fruit, Village Cinemas, Logical Copying Systems, Divella, Ace's Place and Vinyl Wraps. Also to our TAC Cup player sponsors: Fuji Xerox DMS (Connor Menadue) Enviroprotect Pty Ltd (Pele Manivong) Sherrin (Jayme Lawson) St Albans Exhaust Centre (Jake Greiser) BorCor. Commercial Joinery (John Corso) Plaster Wholesalers (Daniel Hillier) Rod Beckwith (Tyson Sims) Premier Roofing Ptv Ltd (Billy Myers) Shane & Ashlee Ferrari (Braden Ferrari) SPA Electrics Pty Ltd (Mitch Hughes) Transpacific (Lachlan Hickey) C and K Drake (Mitch Norton) CP Sutherland P/L (Tim Sutherland) Temuskos Produce Australia (Hayden Bray) Williamstown Superules (Jake McKenzie) Patrick Autocare (Brenton Payne) Western Way Roofing (Brett Bewley) IRM Interiors Ptv Ltd (Javden Laverde) Jet Pets Animal Transport Pty Ltd (Mitch Ellis) 1Step Communications (Leslie Butler) Container Logistics (Ben Forbes) Loan Link Ptv Ltd (Aidin Elkasovic) O'Brien Boiler Services Ptv Ltd. (Caleb Sullivan) Zamperoni Bros Painters & Decorators Ptv Ltd (Mitch Appleby) Moonva Dairy (Brent Ellis) Right Way Motors (Mike Maglogiannis) Hillside Football Club (Luke Pulitano) Greenvale News and Lotto (James Sicily) Whitehorse Truck and Bus (Ryley Stuhldreier) Ellis Plumbing Services (Corey Ellis) Inspirations Paint West Footscray (Liam Duggan) Commercial Reality (Harley Walshe) M & K Stafford Engineering Ptv Ltd (Harrison King) Patlee Transport Ptv Ltd (Nick Jones) Toll IPEC (Liam Carter) Village Real Estate (Will Krithararis) RM Roofing (Jason Robinson) C O'Halloran Plumbing (Zac O'Halloran) Yarraville Seddon Eagles (Lachlan Knight) Aussie Rules Services Pty Ltd (Peter Bell) MMC Electrical Ptv Ltd (Harley Armstrong-Weston) Joe Luppino Building Services (Daniel O'Leary) Total Steel Ptv Ltd (David laccarino) Bacchus Marsh Bobcat Service (Mitch Gillespie) Caroline Chisholm Catholic College (Joseph Blake) Reach Foundation (Duom Dawam) Huggy's Plumbing (Mark Orr) Laverton Swim and Fitness Centre (Daniel Burton) and Grevillea Nursery and Landscaping (Dillon Viojo-Rainbow). Go Jets!

Senior metropolitan representative football returns

Senior metropolitan representative football will be back with a bang in 2014 as Melbourne's six senior leagues go head-to-head on the eye of the 2014 season.

The triple header, scheduled for late March, will see the six competitions in action on the same day in the first allencompassing carnival since 1999.

A Metro senior team, to be coached by Hawthorn champion Peter Schwab, will be then selected and pitted against the Peter Knights-led WorkSafe AFL Victoria Country No.1 side in July.

The battle between the best of the bush and the best of the burbs will be the first match of its kind for more than 20 years.

Based on the results of one-off representative games over the past few years, metropolitan leagues have been seeded one-to-six by AFL Victoria.

The Victorian Amateur Football Association will start in the No.1 position, hoping to remain at the top in a mouth-watering clash with the second-placed Eastern FL.

Essendon District FL (3rd) will take on the Northern FL (4th), with the Western Region FL (5th) and Southern FL (6th) match set to determine who finishes in the last position on the rankings table.

Promotion and relegation will apply to all matches to avoid leagues playing against each other in consecutive years.

All three games will be played at the same venue (yet

to be finalised) on the same day in a triple header to determine bragging rights for the next 12 months.

AFL Victoria General Manager Grant Williams said reintroducing a metropolitan representative carnival to the Victorian football calendar would be a great showcase for community football.

"In recent years, leagues have played against each other in one off matches but not since 1999 have they played against each other as part of a structured program managed by AFL Victoria.

"We now manage the WorkSafe AFL Victoria Country Championships and consider the timing right to implement a senior metropolitan representative program."

Williams said a Metro vs Country showdown, planned for July, provided an added incentive for players to represent their league in the metropolitan carnival.

"The Metro team will be selected from the six sides competing in the initial carnival, and be pitted against WorkSafe AFL Victoria Country No.1 team, made-up of the best players from leagues that compete in WorkSafe AFL Victoria Country Championships."

The appointment of former Hawthorn player and senior coach Peter Schwab adds another layer to the contest with his former premiership teammate Peter Knights continuing as coach of the WorkSafe AFL Victoria Country No.1 team.



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1	Aaron Bond	25-Apr-95	173	65	Rowville		
2	Ben Cavarra	20-Dec-95	173	69	Ferntree Gully		
3	Nick Evans	1-Jun-95	178	71	Norwood		
4	Rory Sheridan-Ferrie	30-Jul-96	188	71	Vermont		
5	Daniel Erasmus	2-Mar-95	190	89	Scoresby		
6	Jack Edwards	11-Feb-95	190	87	Rowville		
7	Christian Petracca	1-Apr-96	185	96	Beverley Hills		
8	Daniel Nielson	9-May-96	192	87	Vermont		
9	Sam Gibson	9-Jan-95	184	84	Ferntree Gully		
10	Jordan Walker	30-Dec-94	185	77	Donvale		
11	Daniel McStay	24-Jun-95	193	86	Vermont		
12	Mitchell Honeychurch	2-Mar-95	175	65	Vermont		
13	Dion De Pace	11-Jun-95	198	86	Belgrave		
14	Mitchell Keedle	21-Feb-95	184	69	Norwood		
15	Michael Apeness	28-Jan-95	199	101	Donvale		
16	Scott McInerney	19-Aug-95	178	67	Knox		
17	Thomas Boyd	22-Aug-95	199	102	Norwood		
18	Connor O'Sullivan	25-Dec-94	196	92	East Ringwood		
19	Luke Hannon	28-May-96	187	75	Upwey-Tecoma		
20	Daniel Greenwood	11-Aug-95	177	76	Vermont		
21	Joseph Fisher	26-Jan-95	187	79	Vermont		
22	Hayden Lazslo (Nee Pottage)	12-Aug-94	198	94	Healesville		
23	Andreas Roth	3-May-95	174	72	Donvale		
24	Chudier Gatwech-Chol	1-Jan-96	181	70	Lilydale		
25	Christopher McDougall	26-Apr-96	174	66	Whitehorse Colts JFC		
26	James Belo	16-Apr-95	186	78	East Ringwood		
27	Jacob Crowe	18-Apr-95	179	82	East Ringwood		
28	Daniel Welsh	11-Jul-95	186	85	Gembrook/Cockatoo		
29	Matthew Collins	1-Apr-95	190	83	Donvale		
30	Tim Anderson	9-Mar-95	178	80	Woori Yallock		
31	Jarrod Healy	10-Mar-96	183	75	Coldstream		
32	Hugh Skate	13-May-96	182	72	Lilydale/Yarra Valley Gr		
33	Matthew Traynor	12-Dec-96	177	72	Rowville		
34	Kyle Staples	13.05-95	190	84	Vermont		
35	Darcy Smith	18-Aug-95	194	85	Donvale		
36	Adam Miles	3-Apr-95	180	72	Mooroolbark		
37	Liam Riley	14-May-95	180	73	Mazenod Old Collegians		
38	Jarrod Lake	10-Jan-96	190	82	Boronia		
39	Liam Wale-Buxton	9-Sep-96	198	97	Upwey Tecoma		
40	Matthew Burt	22-Feb-96	180	66	Lilydale		
41	Abraham Nyok	6-Dec-96	196	86	Lilydale		
42	Kevin Kean	18-Apr-96	172	75	Noble Park		
43	Nathan Cairns	2-Mar-95	189	77	Ringwood		
44	Ryley Monkhorst	8-Mar-95	198	92	Woori Yallock		
45	Jason Lange	10-Apr-95	183	175	Ferntree Gully		

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1	Billy Hartung	24-Jan-95	176	71	Mornington		
2	Jordan Bastinac	31-Aug-95	182	76	Berwick		
3	Angus Scott	18-Jun-95	175	70	Edithvale-Aspendale		
4	Nicholas Battle	02-Aug-95	172	71	Doveton		
5	Taylor Joyce	02-Feb-96	187	85	Beaconsfield		
6	Alex Harnett	12-Apr-96	183	80	Frankston YCW		
7	Nathan Foote	13-Dec-95	178	71	Narre Warren		
8	Jack Wheeler	29-Jan-96	171	68	Noble Park		
9	Jack Lonie	13-Aug-96	173	66	Seaford		
10	Clayton McCartney	11-Jun-95	176	70	Cranbourne		
11	Zak Jones	15-Mar-95	181	74	Mt Eliza		
12	Blake Pearson	16-Jan-95	174	74	Doveton		
13	Ryan Marks-Logan	18-Jun-94	191	75	Frankston Bombers		
14	Daniel Capiron	14-Jun-96	188	80	Edithvale-Aspendale		
15	Hayden Rigg	15-Apr-96	184	67	Mt Eliza		
16	Jake Wilson	27-Jun-96	183	84	Berwick		
17	Blake Mullane	18-Apr-95	181	86	Mt Eliza		
18	Nathan Gardiner	15-May-95	187	84	Cranbourne		
19	Brady Egan	18-Dec-94	188	84	Rye		
20	Rourke Fischer	20-Aug-96	184	82	Seaford		
21	Matt Rennie	16-Jun-94	190	81	Rowville		
22	James Hammond	31-Mar-95	187	82	Mt Eliza		
23	Dale Gawley	24-Dec-95	193	83	Narre Warren		
24	Jack Soroczynski	13-Aug-95	186	81	Narre Warren		
25	Troy Jacobson	08-Jan-95	186	77	Somerville		
26	Daylan Kempster	27-Jan-96	192	84	Keilor Park		
27	Jayden Tomkins	22-Sep-95	188	73	Sorrento		
28	Joseph West	08-Oct-95	189	80	Berwick		
29	Tyle Williams	05-Nov-94	189	80	Dromana		
30	Tom Lamb	19-Oct-96	191	82	Edithvale-Aspendale		
31	Joshua Newman Jake Gains	22-Dec-94 06-Aug-95	181 191	80 72	Mornington Berwick		
33	Trae Tohiariki	27-Jan-95	178	86	Seaford		
34	Ben Giobbi	04-Apr-96	181	81	Narre Warren		
35	Luke Rowe	24-Jun-95	192	86	Somerville		
36	Corey Micari	14-Jul-95	188	89	Frankston YCW		
37	Caleb Gray	28-Oct-96	182	80	Crib Pt		
38	Agape Patolo	22-Apr-95	197	98	Noble Park		
39	Jack Holden	27-Jan-96	184	77	Edithvale-Aspendale		
40	Emmanuel Jakwot	24-Jan-95	186	73	St John's OC		
41	Josh Pickess	12-Sep-95	180	75	Frankston YCW		
42	Matt Homfray	10-Jan-96	189	85	Narre Warren		
43	Sam Crawford	12-Nov-95	180	74	Mornington		
44	James Harmes	05-Oct-95	183	75	Devon Meadows		
45	Nicholas McPherson	08-Dec-95	179	73	Beaconsfield		
46	Mitch White	10-Apr-96	188	82	Seaford		
47	Kyle Gray	14-May-96	189	81	Edithvale-Aspendale		
48	Joel Monger	03-May-96	189	81	Mt Eliza		
49	Brody Connelly	09-May-96	186	77	Berwick		
50	Aaron Pawel	10-Jun-96	195	90	Seaford		
51	Joel O'Sullivan	02-Aug-95	190	88	Mornington		
52	Dylan Barfoot	27-Jan-96	203	89	Cranbourne		
53	Daniel Moloney	11-May-96	180	74	St Bedes Mentone		
54	James Freeman	14-Feb-96	188	69	Mt Eliza	1	
55	Daniel Dickinson	03-Aug-95	185	85	Somerville	1	
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58	Aaron Wilson	26-Feb-96	186	72	Narre warren	+	
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1	Lewis Taylor	17-	-Feb-95	173	73	Terang-Mortlake	
2	Billy Beardsell		-Jun-96	171	71	St. Albans	
3	Marcus Thompson		-Jun-95	171	71	Leopold	
4	William Langley	03-	May-95	176	75	Geelong Amateurs/	
						Geelong College	
5	Aaron Christensen	_	-Apr-95	174	63	Lara/Geelong Grammar	
6	Meyrick Buchanan		-Sep-93	177	77	Colac	
7	Harrison Kol		May-96	179	63	St. Marys	
8	Tom Batarilo	11	-Jul-95	178	75	Geelong Amateurs/ Geelong Grammar	
9	Alex Hickey	ne	-Jan-95	180	75	Geelong Amateurs	
10	Kody Spokes		-Jun-95	179	81	Colac	
11	George Cameron		-Feb-94	180	75	Newtown	
12	Reid Adams		-Apr-95	178	76	St. Josephs	
13	Darcy Lang		-Nov-95	181	75	Colac	
14	Teia Miles		-Nov-96	178	63	St. Josephs	
15	Doug Bond		May-95	180	68	Deniliquin/Geelong Grammar	
16	James Tsitas		-Mar-95	180	77	Grovedale	
17	Samuel Russell		-Dec-95	180	73	Newtown/Geelong College	
18	Joe Maishman		-Dec-95 -Apr-96	178	71	St. Marys/Geelong College	+
19	Lachlan Devine		-Apr-95	182	85	St. Josephs	
20	Nick Dixon		-Oct-96	179	70	Geelong Amateurs/	
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21	Thomas Mathieson	ng.	May-95	185	71	Bell Park	
22	Jacob Sharp		-Mar-95	179	79	Geelong Amateurs	
23	Campbell Floyd		-Jul-96	183	65	Birregurra	
24	Jack Hudson		-Aug-96	183	71	Leopold	
25	Matthew Boag		-Apr-95	185	90	Torquay	
26	Will Couch		-Jun-95	184	80	Warrnambool/Geelong College	
27	Sam Crawley		-Oct-95	184	74	Terang-Mortlake	
28	Willis Flanders		-Feb-94	185	79	St. Josephs	
29	Patrick Bright		-Mar-96	184	69	Bell Park	
30	Nicholas Bourke		-Feb-95	187	76	Kolora-Noorat	
31	Scott Dixon		-Jan-95	187	89	Geelong Amateurs/	
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32	Blake McPhee	23	-Feb-96	186	80	Grovedale	
33	Jayden McHenry		-Feb-95	189	80	Leopold	
34	Brandon Verfurth		-Oct-96	184	72	St. Josephs	
35	Jackson Nelson		-Mar-96	186	78	St. Marys	
36	David O'Sullivan		May-95	188	76	Colac	
37	Alex Moloney		-Jun-95	191	81	Terang-Mortlake	
38	Jack Williams		-Aug-95	187	82	Colac	
39	Darcy Gardiner		-Sep-95	192	84	Queenscliff	
40	Zaine Cordy		-Oct-96	191	75	Ocean Grove/Geelong College	
41	Xavier Lourey		-Jan-95	191	84	Terang-Mortlake	
42	Jye Cross		-Mar-95	191	85	Bannockburn	
43	Luke Maddock		-Jan-96	190	83	West Saints	
44	Patrick McCartin		-Apr-96	192	90	St. Josephs/Geelong Grammar	
45	Steven Presani		-Jan-96	191	90	Colac	
46	Tom Rieniets		-Oct-96	192	75	Colac	
47	Luke Davis		-Jun-94	195	79	Barwon Heads	
48	Fraser Fort		-0ct-95	196	84	South Barwon	
49	Hugh Goddard		-Aug-96	195	92	Geelong Amateurs/	
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50	Jack Berry	06-	-Dec-95	195	94	Irrawarra-Beeac	
51	Lochie Donne	05-	-Jan-96	194	79	St. Josephs	
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1	Charlie Van Der Byl	29-Aug-95	182	77	East Keilor		
2	Jarryd Bonello	08-Jul-95	182	75	Greenvale		
3	Roarke Smith	11-Sep-96	180	70	Sunbury Kangaroos		
4	Harrison Taylor	31-Oct-95	184	74	Riddells Creek		
5	Ben Allan	04-Jun-96	177	65	Pascoe Vale		
6	Jayden Foster	01-Jun-95	194	87	Aberfeldie		
7	Lachlan Cavanagh	19-Nov-96	189	78	Strathmore		
8	Anthony Prestia	13-Mar-95	174	79	Aberfeldie		
9	Sam Good	14-Jan-96	194	74	Aberfeldie		
10	Josh Rule	02-May-95	177	77	Strathmore		
11	Tom Madden	20-0ct-95	182	69	St Bernards		
12	Reilly O'Brien	20-Aug-95	200	95	Moonee Valley		
13	Tanner Nilsson	07-Dec-96	182	69	Glenroy		
14	Marcus De Leur	06-Mar-96	188	79	St Bernards		
15	Jedd Clothier	04-May-95	189	82	Narooma (NSW)		
16	Jesse Corigliano	30-Apr-96	182	76	Strathmore		
17	Nathan Blair	05-Jul-95	186	83	Romsey		
18	Jason Cooke	06-Feb-95	183	79	Sunbury Lions		
19	Ben McDonald	14-Jun-95	195	94	Maribyrnong Park		
20	Jake Owen	11-Nov-94	191	82	Woodend		
21	James Latham	07-Mar-96	188	81	Keilor		
22	Charly Williams	05-Jan-95	170	73	Aberfeldie		
23	Billy Morrison	15-Apr-95	191	90	Jacana		
24	Xavier Dimasi Lachlan Ronaldson	14-Nov-96	183	90	Kilmore		
25		07-May-95 30-Apr-94	194 189	83 96	Glenroy		
26 27	Daniel Thompson Jacob McCormack	17-Feb-95	185	74	Aberfeldie Fitzroy		
28	Mitch Jensen	01-Mar-95	184	68	Essendon Doutta Stars		
29	James Ferry	09-Nov-94	189	84	Gisborne		
30	Jack James	29-Oct-96	181	72	Gisborne		
31	Matt Goodyear	20-Jul-96	183	76	Gisborne		
32	Jack Baker	11-Dec-96	185	85	Gisborne		
33	Tom Donoghue	18-Feb-96	170	78	Rupertswood		
34	Mark Kovacevic	23-Jan-96	200	110	Greenvale		
35	Peter Wright	08-Sep-96	202	95	Moonee Valley		
36	Damien Cavka	03-Jun-96	183	79	Keilor		
37	Ricky Schraven	08-Feb-96	172	71	Greenvale		
38	Jayden Walker	11-May-95	189	87	Greenvale		
39	Touk Miller	22-Feb-96	175	77	Maribyrnong Park		
40	Liam Berry	25-Feb-95	183	76	Rupertswood		
41	Will Considine	14-Nov-95	193	89	St Bernards		
42	Josh Cauchi	01-Jan-96	170	64	Pascoe Vale		
43	Paul Ahern	01-Aug-96	177	73	Keilor		
44	Errol Mcconnell	09-Mar-95	179	74	Oak Park		
45	Aaron Christensen	15-Nov-95	190	74	Sunbury Lions		
46	Joel Madden	26-Sep-94	188	83	Aberfeldie		
47	Artur Petryshyn	15-Jan-96	183	71	Greenvale		
48	Matthew Merlo	14-Mar-95	183	85	Aberfeldie		
49	James Barnes	27-Feb-95	195	93	Keilor		
50	Jake Lever	05-Mar-96	190	82	Romsey		
51	Victor Carboni	29-Jun-96	175	75	Aberfeldie		
52	Caleb Harward	02-Aug-96	174	73	Maribyrnong Park	1	
53	Tristan Davies	05-Jul-95	187	82	Aberfeldie	1	
54	David Quillerat	16-Oct-94	193	90	Romsey		
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No.	NAME	DOB	HT	WT	PREVIOUS CLUB	G	В
1	Cameron Conlon	03-Jul-95	198	87	North Heidelberg		
2	Matthew Haynes	19-Mar-94	189	78	Yarrambat JFC		
3	Billy Murphy	21-Jun-96	170	63	St Mary's JFC/Ivanhoe Grammar		
4	Ben Lennon	05-Jul-95	187	79	Macleod/Ivanhoe Grammar		
5	Ned McKeown	23-Jul-95	182	80	Bundoora		
6	Marcus Bontempelli	24-Nov-95	191	83	Eltham/Marcellin College		
7	Jayden Short	24-Jan-96	177	66	Bundoora		
8	Jordan Perry	01-Apr-95	183	77	Marcellin College		
9	Lewis Beers	01-Apr-33	187	76	Ivanhoe JFC		
10	Jesse Tardio	07-Jan-95	179	72	Parkside/Marcellin College		
11	Kyle McDonald	19-May-95	179	69	Greensborough		
12	Jacob Smith	12-Jan-96	181	74	Banvule JFC		
13	Liam Bowkett	19-Oct-95	193	85	. ,		
14	Jake Potter		193	88	St Mary's (NFL)		
-	Julian Soccio	08-Nov-95	188	80	South Morang Greensborough/Xavier College		
15		15-Apr-95					
16	Billy Jenkin	20-Aug-95	179	86	Montmorency		
17	Jake Kalanj	27-Feb-95	184	78	Eltham		
18	Kain Proctor	12-Nov-96	170	58	Fitzroy Stars		
19	Chris McCabe	30-Aug-96	176	74	Eltham		
20	Tom Grimes	01-Dec-94	190	74	Hurstbridge		
21	Zac Ballard	25-Feb-96	183	79	Warrandyte		
22	Jason Castagna	12-Jul-96	181	72	Warrandyte/Marcellin College		
23	Garrett McDonagh	19-Jun-96	183	73	West Preston		
24	Chas Bromley	01-Mar-94	183	80	Lower Plenty		
25	Josh lacobaccio	15-Aug-96	175	71	St Mary's JFC		
26	Xavier Cahill	31-Jul-95	177	76	Montmorency		
27	Eamon Gilbert	02-Jul-95	192	78	St Mary's (NFL)		
28	Ciaran Porter	29-Jul-96	192	82	St Mary's JFC		
29	Lewis Glasgow	02-Jul-96	180	76	Eltham		
30	James Lowe	14-May-96	190	82	Banyule JFC		
31	Hugh Curnow	25-Feb-95	182	73	Fitzroy/Trinity Grammar		
32	Liam Hunt	03-Feb-95	184	76	Eltham		
33	Josh Turner	29-Mar-95	183	74	Lower Plenty		
34	Joel Bramble	04-Jun-95	190	86	Whittlesea		
35	Michael Kerrigan	21-Aug-95	184	87	Northcote Park		
37	Kyle Langford	01-Dec-96	188	67	Macleod JFC/Ivanhoe Grammar		
38	Nick Mackay	22-May-96	184	73	Greensborough		
39	Jungala Ellis	27-Jan-96	167	65	West Preston		
40	Michael Tilmouth-Turner	14-Sep-96	188	85	West Preston		
42	Clark Sloan	30-Dec-96	197	80	Whittlesea/Assumption College		
43	Anthony Condello	17-Apr-95	171	70	West Preston		
44	Sam Switkowski	20-Nov-96	176	64	Research JFC		
45	Trent Crouch	07-Jan-96	177	67	Ivanhoe JFC/Ivanhoe Grammar		
46	Brody Waugh	14-Jul-95	182	73	Bundoora		
47	Michael Boundy	20-Nov-95	190	91	St Mary's (NFL)		
49	Gerard Sutton	13-Apr-95	183	67	Northern Blues (VAFA)		
50	Anthony Di Paolo	11-Aug-95	197	93	Lower Plenty		
51	Damandeep Aujla	25-Feb-96	181	79	Mill Park		
52	Sam Peet	14-Mar-97	197	86	Yarrambat		
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No.	NAME	DOB	HT	WT	PREVIOUS CLUB	G	В
1	Adam Diamond	18-Sep-95	170	67	Rosedale		
2	Alex Saunders	10-Jul-95	177	68	Bairnsdale		
3	Bradley Olsson	26-Nov-96	187	76	Sale		
4	Christian Buykx - Smith	27-Mar-96	192	81	Traralgon		
5	Josh Cashman	29-Dec-94	180	75	Sale		
6	Lachlan Channing	14-Feb-95	176	71	Maffra		
7	Jordan Cunico	7-May-96	184	72	Traralgon		
8	Mitchell Stanlake	9-Feb-96	182	76	Newborough		
9	Tom Muir	17-Nov-94	190	81	Warragul		
10	Jack Hammond	30-Jul-96	182	73	Bairnsdale		
11	Bohdi Walker	8-Feb-96	182	82	Sale		
12	Mitchell Mustoe	13-Apr-95	183	82	Traralgon		
13	Aaron Heppell	13-Jan-95	181	78	Leongatha		
14	Rohan Hildebrand	17-Jul-95	180	80	Traralgon		
15	Frazar Brouns	10-Oct-95	191	87	Traralgon		
16	Wes Russell	11-Mar-95	192	100	Bairnsdale		
17	Ben Thomas	12-Feb-95	187	75	MDU		
18	Troy Toussaint	6-Dec-95	174	76	Pakenham		
19	Lukas Webb	4-Mar-96	184	77	Lakes Entrance		
20	Brenton Rees	6-Oct-95	178	72	Sale		
21	Nicholas Dinsdale	25-Jul-95	181	67	Heyfield		
22	Jack Leslie	27-Apr-95	198	93	Sale		
23	Doug Grining	9-May-96	191	72	Traralgon		
24	Nathan Dennison	3-Feb-96	180	82	Bairnsdale		
25	Declan Keilty	8-May-95	192	80	Moe		
26	Brandon Bailey	18-Nov-95	179	65	Morwell		
27	Ashley Di Ciero	1-Mar-96	182	86	Traralgon		
28	Paul Pattison	10-May-95	178	72	Korumburra - Bena		
29	Ben Kearns	12-Nov-94	184	79	Churchill		
30	Alex Carr	4-Feb-95	180	73	Maffra		
31	Adam Wallace	5-Feb-95	183	78	Sale		
32	Edward Morris	20-Aug-95	178	71	Garfield		
33	Brett Waddell	24-Apr-95	173	75	Bairnsdale		
34	Liam Nash	2-Dec-95	186	81	Mirboo North		
35	Josh Scott	3-Mar-94	190	80	Lakes Entrance		
36	Nathaniel Paredes	3-Jan-95	177	79	Ellinbank		
37	Ben Northover	28-Aug-95	186	94	Traralgon		
38	Jake Thomas	9-May-95	201	89	Sale		

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1	Brett Bewley	14-Apr-95	185	81	Darley		
2	Hayden Bray	17-Oct-96	170	61	Hoppers Crossing		
3	Liam McMahon	11-Apr-96	177	78	Hoppers Crossing		
4	Liam Duggan	11-Dec-96	182	72	Bacchus Marsh		
5	James Sicily	06-Jan-95	186	75	Keilor		
6	Ben Forbes	17-Dec-96	187	73	Keilor		
7	Lachlan Hickey	31-0ct-95	179	74	Melton Bloods		
8	Ben Said	06-Nov-95	169	66	Sunbury		
9	Mitchell Hughes	06-Jul-96	178	71	St Bernards		
10	Nicholas Jones	20-Sep-95	173	77	Hoppers Crossing		
11	Tim Sutherland	25-Mar-96	184	66	Bacchus Marsh		
12	Jake Mckenzie	12-May-94	181	75	Altona		
13	Mike Maglogiannis	28-Apr-95	173	72	Hoppers Crossing		
14	Pele Manivong	17-Jul-96	173	74	Altona		
15	Connor Menadue	19-Sep-96	185	66 78	Spotswood		
16	Billy Myers	05-May-96	185		Darley		
17 18	Mitchell Norton Luke Pulitano	01-Jun-96	174 166	64 67	Altona Hillside		
19	Tyson Sims	18-May-96 25-Apr-95	174	78	Keilor		
20	Ryley Stuhldreier	12-Mar-96	182	81	Bacchus Marsh		
21	Duom Dawam	01-Jan-96	200	75	Hoppers Crossing		
22	Jake Greiser	22-Aug-95	180	88	Keilor		
23	Joseph Blake	19-Apr-96	189	77	Sunshine		
24	Brent Ellis	05-Jul-95	190	72	Keilor		
25	Daniel O'leary	17-Sep-95	177	72	Altona Vikings		
26	Mitchell Ellis	05-Jul-95	190	74	Keilor		
27	Corey Ellis	09-Oct-96	184	74	Keilor		
28	Braden Ferrari	03-Mar-96	193	85	Hoppers Crossing		
29	Mitch Gillespie	13-May-96	186	84	Darley		
30	Jason Robinson	17-Jul-95	187	82	Altona		
31	Ajdin Elkasovic	06-Apr-94	181	73	St Albans		
32	Anthony Fawcus	10-Sep-95	193	84	St Albans		
33	Harrison King	11-Feb-95	188	89	Werribee		
34	Mitchell Appleby	25-Mar-95	190	85	Hoppers Crosssing		
35	Omar Abou-Zeid	22-Feb-95	176	73	Altona		
36	Matthew Singleton	27-Aug-95	193	83	Wesley		
37	Jayden Laverde	12-Apr-96	187	75	Keilor		
38	Jayme Lawson	09-Nov-95	183	79	Werribee Districts		
39	Brenton Payne	03-Sep-96	192	74	Bacchus Marsh		
40	Caleb Sullivan	16-Feb-96	192	91	Werribee Districts		
41	Dillon Viojo-Rainbow	08-Feb-96	185	79	Hoppers Crossing		
42	Harley Armstrong-Weston	17-May-95	195	82	Sunshine Heights		
43	Harley Walshe	23-Feb-94	196	90	Spotswood		
44	Daniel Burton	02-Dec-94	190	94	Point Cook		
45	Liam Carter	11-Sep-96	186	69	Melton Bloods		
46	John Corso	02-Jan-95	181	91	Rupertswood		
47	Peter Bell	03-Jan-95	191	90	Taylors Lakes		
48	William Krithararis	24-0ct-95	181	80	Spotswood		
49	Lachlan Knight	07-Jan-96	186	85	Yarraville/Seddon		
50	David laccarino	20-Dec-94	182	81	Williamstown		
51	Zachary O Halloran	03-Mar-96	195	91	St Bernards		
52	Mark Orr	18-Feb-95	195	97	Melton		
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MATCH UMPIRES:

Field Umpire: Nicholas Finch (18) Field Umpire: Tyler Hankinson (37) Field Umpire: Daniel Lawlor (d) Emergency Field: Hayden Gavine (19)

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Boundary Umpire: Lachlan Alexander **Boundary Umpire:** Brendan Gherashe

No.	NAME	DOB	HT	WT	PREVIOUS CLUB	G	В
1	Brady Pritchard	03-Dec-96	177	74	Yarrawonga FC		
2	David Mennen	16-Dec-96	183	76	Benalla Saints FC		
3	Jarman Impey	09-Jul-95	176	78	Shepparton Bears FC		
4	Dylan Wilson	11-Aug-95	173	67	Wangaratta Rovers FC		
5	Elijah Wales	22-Jan-96	173	67	Myrtleford FC		
6	Matthew Munro	17-Nov-95	181	69	Albury FC		
7	Michael Gibbons	15-May-95	174	70	Lavington FC		
8	Henri Peni	01-Feb-96	177	73	Shepparton Swnas FC		
9	Tyler Berry	17-Jan-96	178	70	North Albury		
10	Nathan Drummond	19-Jan-95	181	82	Mooroopna FC/		
10	readian Brannona	10 0411 00	101	02	Melbourne Grammar		
11	Kieran Ellis	30-Jan-95	187	73	Albury FC		
12	Jack Crowe	22-Mar-95	177	76	Euroa FC		
13	Louis Vescio	18-Nov-95	178	76	Wangaratta Magpies FC		
14	Jake Sharp	11-Jan-95	187	76	Myrtleford FC		
15	Ryan Speed	14-Sep-95	180	66	Albury FC		
16	Matthew Brett	02-Aug-94	188	79	Shepparton United FC		
17	Kristian Cary	15-Mar-95	182	81	North Albury FC		
18	Nick Mellington	22-May-96	186	84	Benalla Saints FC		
19	Patrick Sullivan	24-Mar-95	181	72	Myrtleford FC		
20	James Martyn	19-Jun-95	183	79	Benalla Saints FC		
21	Nick Holman	29-May-95	186	79	Kyabram FC		
22	Caleb Marchbank	07-Dec-96	190	84	Benalla Saints FC		
23	Max King	24-Sep-95	200	90	Wagga Tigers FC		
24	Ryley Norris	03-Jan-95	182	78	Alexandra FC		
25	Jake Wild	09-Jul-96	186	83	Yarrawonga FC		
26	Brodie Webster	16-Feb-96	183	80	Benalla Saints FC		
27	Bryden Squire	23-Feb-95	182	73	Shepparton FC		
28	Tom Holman	24-Sep-96	190	81	Kyabram FC		
29	Brydon Hodgson	16-Sep-96	184	73	Lavington FC		
30	James Taberner	04-Apr-95	193	82	Myrtleford FC		
31	Jackson Clarke	15-Oct-96	191	82	Wangaratta Magpies FC		
32	Jade Cleeland	30-Mar-95	198	84	Wangaratta Magpies FC		
33	Harrison Payne	03-May-96	185	83	Corowa Rutherglen FC		
34	Nick Coughlan	12-Sep-96	192	80	Albury FC		
35	Dylan Van Berlo	16-Jan-95	193	83	Wangaratta FC		
36	Mitchell Mahady	09-Sep-96	193	82	North Albury		
37	Lachlan Devine	11-Jul-95	193	88	Mooroopna FC		1
38	Dan Howe	04-Dec-95	190	75	Rennie FC/Xavier College		
39	Jydon Neagle	29-Aug-94	185	77	Walla FC		
40	Isaac Edgar	28-Aug-95	180	79	Albury FC		
41	Robert Staff	02-May-96	193	79	Euroa FC		
42	Will Carlile	02-Jul-96	193	85	Wangaratta Rovers FC		
43	Nick Sneyd	08-Apr-95	180	77	Shepparton United FC		
44	Mitchell Dalbosco	13-Feb-95	179	75	Myrtleford FC	1	
46	Alex Tattersall	11-Mar-96	198	80	Mooroopna FC		1
47	Kayne Turner	31-Dec-95	179	64	Mooroopna FC	1	
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Boundary Umpire: Kieran Ferguson **Goal Umpire:** Matt Richardt

Goal Umpire: Wesley Gilmour **Emergency Goal:** David Wallace



POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	For	Agst	%	PTS
1	Geelong Falcons	17	14	3	0	1426	948	150.42	56
2	Eastern Ranges	17	12	5	0	1551	1251	123.98	48
3	Dandenong Stingrays	17	10	7	0	1334	1094	121.94	40
4	Calder Cannons	17	10	7	0	1417	1190	119.08	40
5	Western Jets	17	9	7	1	1464	1280	114.38	38
6	Northern Knights	17	9	7	1	1437	1368	105.04	38
7	Gippsland Power	17	9	8	0	1535	1282	119.73	36
8	Murray Bushrangers	17	9	8	0	1110	1258	88.24	36
9	Sandringham Dragons	17	8	8	1	1144	1169	97.86	34
10	Oakleigh Chargers	17	6	10	1	1122	1384	81.07	26
11	Bendigo Pioneers	17	3	14	0	1031	1459	70.66	12
12	North Ballarat Rebels	17	2	15	0	757	1466	51.64	8

Player	Team	LW	Total
Josh Scott	Gippsland Power	-	51
Christian Petracca	Eastern Ranges	-	32
Andreas Roth	Eastern Ranges	-	31
Nathan Gardiner	Dandenong Stingrays	-	29
Mitchell Norton	Western Jets	-	28
Josh Cauchi	Calder Cannons	-	27
Jack Lonie	Dandenong Stingrays	-	25
Callum Cathcart	Sandringham	-	24
Peter Wright	Calder Cannons	4	23
Thomas Boyd	Eastern Ranges	-	23
Alex Carr	Gippsland Power	1	23
Billy Hogan	Oakleigh Chargers	1	23
Matthew Traynor	Eastern Ranges	-	21
James Sicily	Western Jets	1	21

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Player	Team	Kicks
Edward Morris	Gippsland Power	28
Matt Crouch	North Ballarat Rebels	26
Ben Lennon	Northern Knights	23
Sam Heavyside	Bendigo Pioneers	22
Billy Hartung	Dandenong Stingrays	21
Michael Gibbons	Murray Bushrangers	21
Jake Maher	Bendigo Pioneers	20
Jarryd Bonello	Calder Cannons	19
Dallas Willsmore	North Ballarat Rebels	19
Josh Turner	Northern Knights	18
Jay Kennedy-Harris	Oakleigh Chargers	18
David laccarino	Western Jets	18
Ben Cavarra	Eastern Ranges	17
Jarman Impy	Murray Bushrangers	17
Jake Sharp	Murray Bushrangers	17
Darcy Byrne-Jones	Oakleigh Chargers	17

MARKS

Player	Team	Marks
Angus Scott	Dandenong Stingrays	11
Dallas Willsmore	North Ballarat Rebels	11
Sam Heavyside	Bendigo Pioneers	10
Joe Maishman	Geelong Falcons	10
Louis Herbert	North Ballarat Rebels	10
Tom Grimes	Northern Knights	10
Max Hayes	Sandringham	10

Jarryd Bonello	Calder Cannons	9
Ryley Norris	Murray Bushrangers	9
Darcy Byrne-Jones	Oakleigh Chargers	9
Alex Urban	Oakleigh Chargers	9
Kurt Heatherley	Sandringham	9
Peter Wright	Calder Cannons	8
Nicholas Bourke	Geelong Falcons	8
Darcy Gardiner	Geelong Falcons	8

HANDBALLS

Player	Team	Handballs
Sam Heavyside	Bendigo Pioneers	21
Will Maginness	Oakleigh Chargers	21
Aaron Heppell	Gippsland Power	19
Adam Wallace	Gippsland Power	19
Liam Hunt	Northern Knights	18
Darcy Byrne-Jones	Oakleigh Chargers	18
Michael Gibbons	Murray Bushrangers	15
Matt Crouch	North Ballarat Rebels	15
Joshua Kelly	Sandringham	15
Touk Miller	Calder Cannons	14
Joe Maishman	Geelong Falcons	14
Ben Lennon	Northern Knights	14
Aidan Franetic	Oakleigh Chargers	14

GOAGHES VOTES

E Morris - Gippsland K. Turner - Murray

A. Franetic - Oakleigh Chargers

L. Davies - Geelong T. Miller - Calder

J. Kelly - Sandringham Dragons

UMPIRE NUMBERS

1 Richard MILLS 16 Matthew OAKLEY 2 Robert YOUNG 17 Jarrod WAIGHT 3 Matthew BROWN 18 Nicholas FINCH 4 Michael CURTIS 19 Hayden GAVINE 5 Andrew McCOY 20 Robert O'GORMAN 6 Andrew TALBOT 21 Brent WALLACE 22 Jason SCHILLING 8 Shaun GLEESON

30 Ashley BEDFORD 32 Haydn O'CONNOR 33 Robert MONK 34 Jarryd BARRY 35 James DAVEY

29 Jack EDWARDS

36 Daniel BUTCHER 9 Jamie GRINDAL 24 Tim CARLOS 11 Brett RITCHIE 25 Gareth VERBERNE 37 Tyler HANKINSON

Note: AFL Umpires will wear 27, 28, 31, 38, 39, 40

ROUND SEVENTEEN

Gippsland Power	3.1	6.6	10.14	11.19	85
Bendigo Pioneers	3.1	5.3	6.4	8.6	54

Gippsland Power

Goal Kickers: T. Toussaint 2, B. Kearns 2, A. Carr, B. Rees, B. Walker, R. Hildebrand, N. Dennison, J. Cunico, E. Morris

Best Players: E. Morris, A. Wallace, J. Leslie, M. Mustoe, C. Buykx-Smith, C. Ambler

Bendigo Pioneers

Goal Kickers: B. Spurr 2, S. Ayre, S. Heavyside, B. Edwards, J. Hargreaves, J. Cua, L. Barrett

Best Players: S. Heavyside, B. Poyser, J. Mc Grath, B. Evans, B. Connelly, J. Cua

Murray Bushrangers	5.0	5.4	7.8	9.10	64
Northern Knights	2.5	5.7	6.10	8.13	61

Murray Bushrangers

Goal Kickers: J. Schache 4, M. King, D. McDonald, J. Impy, N. Holman, K. Turner

Best Players: K. Turner, D. Howe, M. Gibbons, J. Schache, N. Holman, J. Impy

Northern Knights

Goal Kickers: H. Curnow 2, L. Hunt, M. Haynes, S. Peet, C. McCabe, W. Murphy, B. Lennon

Best Players: B. Lennon, L. Hunt, H. Curnow, J. Short, M. Bontempelli, J. Potter

Dandenong Stingrays	0.4	0.10	3.11	5.12	42
Geelong Falcons	4.0	6.2	9.2	13.5	83

Dandenong Stingrays

Goal Kickers: D. Gawley, W. Hartung, T. Lamb, A. Scott, J. Pickess Best Players: N. Foote, T. Lamb, J. Bastinac, D. Kempster, J. Soroczynski, W. Hartung

Geelong Falcons

Goal Kickers: M. Thompson 3, S. Dixon 3, D. Bond 2, H. Goddard 2, A. Christensen 2, R. Adams

Best Players: L. Davis, J. Cross, S. Russell, J. Tsitas, N. Bourke, J. Maishman

Oakleigh Chargers	6.4	9.8	12.12	17.16	118
North Ballarat Rebels	1.3	3.7	5.7	8.10	58

Oakleigh Chargers

Goal Kickers: J. De Goey 2, G. Dickson 2, H. Beasley 2, A. Urban 2, J. Billings, W. Maginness, K. Answerth, B. Hogan, D. Moore, K. Dove, N. Prowse, J. Kennedy-Harris, D. Byrne-Jones Best Players: A. Franetic, D. Byrne-Jones, W. Maginness, J. Kennedy-Harris, J. Toohey, B. Borland

North Ballarat Rebels

Goal Kickers: D. Butler 2, J. Palmer, L. Herbert, X. Vearing, D. Tucker, L. Cassidy, J. Brennan

Best Players: M. Crouch, L. Herbert, D. Willsmore, S. Bennett, D. Tucker, K. Hendy

Calder Cannons	4.3	6.6	10.10	14.16	100
Eastern Ranges	2.2	4.2	7.3	8.5	53

Calder Cannons

Goal Kickers: P. Wright 4, P. Ahern 3, J. Owen, R. Schraven, J. Clothier, M. Merlo, N. Blair, R. O'Brien, V. Carboni Best Players: T. Miller, M. Jensen, N. Blair, P. Ahern, R. O'Brien, P. Wright

Eastern Ranges

Goal Kickers: J. Parsons 2, C. Jones 2, S. Gibson, T. Cody, K. Staples, B. Cavarra

Best Players: D. Welsh, B. Cavarra, L. Hannon, T. Cody, A. Bond, J. Fisher

			11.0	10.10	0.4
Western Jets	2.2	3.5	3.6	3.7	25

Western Jets

Goal Kickers: J. Robinson, D. laccarino, J. Sicily Best Players: C. Ellis, L. Duggan, J. Robinson, D. laccarino, J. Sicily, J. Greiser

Sandringham Dragons

Goal Kickers: B. Maynard 3, A. Spencer 3, J. Kelly 2, A. Brayshaw, M. Hayes, C. Salem, T. Wilkinson

Best Players: J. Kelly, K. Amon, Z. Merrett, A. Spencer, W. Hayes, K. Heatherley

Round 1 (Metro Round)

Sunday 24th March

Calder Cannons 11.9.75 def by Northern Knights 15.7.97 Oakleigh Chargers 9.16.70 def by Eastern Ranges 17.16.118

Sandringham Dragons 16.9.105 def Western Jets 12.10.82

Round 2 (Faster Weekend)

Saturday 30th March

Bendigo Pioneers 12.18-90 def North Ballarat Rebels 7.6-48 Ginnsland Power 12.13-85 def Dandenong Stingrays 8.14-62

Geelong Falcons 10.16-76 def Murray Bushrangers 9.4-58 Sunday 31st March

Western Jets 17.7-109 def Northern Knights 15.12-102

Eastern Ranges 7.7-49 def by Sandringham Dragons 10.10-70

Oakleigh Chargers 11.14-80 def Calder Cannons 11.7-73

Round 3

Saturday 6th April

Gippsland Power 14.7-91 def by Oakleigh Chargers 14.12-96

Murray Bushrangers 8.15-63 def Bendigo Pioneers 3.5-23 Eastern Ranges 12.14-86 def by Dandenong Stingrays 20.14-134 Sunday 7th Anril

North Ballarat Rebels 5.6-36 def by Geelong Falcons 14.14-98 Northern Knights 10.11-71 vs Sandringham Dragons 9.17-71

Western Jets 14.11-95 def Calder Cannons 14.9-93

Round 1 (Country Round)

Saturday 13th April

Bendigo Pioneers 6.8-44 def by Gippsland Power 23.11-149

Murray Bushrangers 12.15-87 def North Ballarat Rebels 6.5-41 Geelong Falcons 18.10-118 def Dandenong Stingrays 7 11-53

Round 4 (Metro Round)

Saturday 20th April

Western Jets 11.11-77 vs Oakleigh Chargers 11.11-77

Eastern Ranges 17.15-117 def Northern Knights 10.11-71

Calder Cannons 11.12-78 def Sandringham Dragons 7.10-52

Saturday 27th April

Northern Knights 13.15-93 def Bending Pigneers 10 12-72

Calder Cannons 12.11-83 def North Ballarat Behels 3 11-29

Oakleigh Chargers 4.8-32 def by Geelong Falcons 10.12-72 Murray Bushrangers 12.8-80 def by Eastern Ranges 17.11-113

Sandringham Dragons 7.8-50 def by Gippsland Power 9.16-70

Sunday 28th April

Western Jets 12.15-87 def by Dandenong Stingrays 15.8-98

Round 6

Saturday 4th May

Queensland Scorpions 4.10-34 def by Calder Cannons 21.15-141

Bendigo Pioneers 11.17-83 def Oakleigh Chargers 11.3-69

Tasmania 9.10-64 def by Eastern Ranges 19.9-123

Dandenong Stingrays 13.9-87 def Murray Bushrangers 5.7-37

Geelong Falcons 18.11-119 def Northern Knights 3.5-23

Sunday 5th May

Gippsland Power 18.11-119 def Western Jets 16.13-109

North Ballarat Rebels 1.7-13 def by Sandringham Dragons 5.9-39

Development Weekend - 11th & 12th May

Saturday 18th May

Western Jets 8.15-63 def by Tasmania 12.9-81

Sandringham Dragons 12.16-88 def Oakleigh Chargers 5.7-37 NSW/ACT Rams 7.11-53 def by Murray Bushrangers 12.11-83

Bendigo Pioneers 9.5-59 def by Dandenong Stingrays 10.16-76

Northern Knights 12.14-86 def North Ballarat Rebels 10.8-68 Calder Cannons 10 5-65 def by Geelong Falcons 14.11-95

Eastern Ranges 15.14-104 def Gippsland Power 11.11-77

Round 4 (Country Round)

Saturday 25th May

Bendigo Pioneers 8.8-56 def by Geelong Falcons 9.11-65

Dandenong Stingrays 13.10-88 def North Ballarat Rebels 5.5-35

Murray Bushrangers 10.7-67 def Gippsland Power 8.16-64

Round 8

Saturday 1st June

Murray Bushrangers 4.8-32 def by Western Jets 14.11-95

Calder Cannons 14.5-89 def Dandenong Stingrays 6.11-47

Ginnsland Power 13.19-97 def Northern Knights 10.11-71

Geelong Falcons 16.11-107 def Sandringham Dragons 4.2-26

Eastern Ranges 13.14-92 def Bendigo Pioneers 4.14-38

Sunday 2nd June

North Ballarat Rebels 16.15-111 def Oakleigh Chargers 5.10-40

Development Weekend - 8th & 9th June

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Saturday 15th June

Northern Knights 11 8-74 def by Western Jets 12 17-89

Rendino Pioneers 13 11-89 def Calder Cannons 7 10-52

Gippsland Power 18.17-125 def North Ballarat Rebels 5.9-39

Geelong Falcons 2.9-21 def by Eastern Ranges 20.9-129

Oakleigh Chargers 10.5-65 def Dandenong Stingrays 8.6-54

Sunday 16th June

Murray Bushrangers 10.18-78 def Sandringham Dragons 8.15-63

Saturday 22nd June

Sandringham Dragons 11.8-74 def by Northern Knights 13.4-82

North Ballarat Rebels 11.11-77 def Bendigo Pioneers 10.11-71

Western Jets 9.10-64 def by Geelong Falcons 10.7-67

Calder Cannons 11.11-77 def by Gippsland Power 16.18-114

Oakleigh Chargers 9.17-71 def by Murray Bushrangers 13.14-92

Sunday 23rd June

Dandenong Stingrays 8.9-57 def by Eastern Ranges 9.13-67

Saturday 29th June

Eastern Ranges 8.9-57 def by Western Jets 25.12-162

Bendigo Pioneers 8.10-58 def by Murray Bushrangers 13.13-91

Gippsland Power 15.9-99 def Sandringham Dragons 10.10-70

Northern Knights 12.17-89 def Dandenong Stingrays 7.9-51

Sunday 30th June

Geelong Falcons 17.11-113 def North Ballarat Rebels 6.8-44

Calder Cannons 10.12-72 def Oakleigh Chargers 7 7-49

Saturday 6th July

Murray Bushrangers 3.4-22 def by Dandenong Stingrays 17.15-117

North Ballarat Rebels 6.5-41 def by Eastern Ranges 16.16-112 Sandringham Dragons 17.14-116 def Bendigo Pioneers 11.5-71

Geelong Falcons 15.7-97 def Oakleigh Chargers 6.6-42

Sunday 7th July

Northern Knights 13.18-96 def Calder Cannons 6.9-45

Western Jets 11 11-77 def Ginnsland Power 10 15-75

Round 13

Saturday 13th July

Calder Cannons 12 20-92 def Western Jets 13 13-91

Oakleigh Chargers 20.10-130 def Northern Knights 16.16-112

Dandenong Stingrays 18.15-123 def Bendigo Pioneers 8.5-53

North Ballarat Rebels 4.6-30 def by Murray Bushrangers 15.5-95 Sunday 14th July

Sandringham Dragons 8.15-63 def Eastern Ranges 9.8-62

Gippsland Power 6.9-45 def by Geelong Falcons 10.9-69

Development Weekend - 20th & 21st July

Saturday 27th July

Dandenong Stingrays 15.17-107 def Sandringham Dragons 5.7-37

Gippsland Power 13.13-91 def by Eastern Ranges 15.11-101

Northern Knights 13.10-88 def Geelong Falcons 11.15-81

Oakleigh Chargers 7.14-56 def Bendigo Pioneers 5.14-44 Sunday 28th July

Murray Bushrangers 10.7-67 def by Calder Cannons 18.12-120 North Ballarat Rebels 6.12-48 def by Western Jets 8.6-54

Round 15

Saturday 3rd August

Oakleigh Chargers 4.10-34 def by Western Jets 10.9-69 Bendigo Pioneers 13.6-84 def by Geelong Falcons 13.10-88

North Ballarat Rebels 1.4-10 def by Dandenong Stingrays 8.10-58 Eastern Ranges 12.23-95 def Murray Bushrangers 8.8-56

Sunday 4th August

Sandringham Dragons 6.9-45 def by Calder Cannons 15.10-100 Northern Knights 16.16-112 def Ginnsland Power 11 11-77

Development Weekend - 10th & 11st August

Round 16

Saturday 17th August

Bendigo Pioneers 6.6-42 def by Western Jets 16.20-116

North Ballarat Rebels 4.5-29 def by Northern Knights 17.7-109

Dandenong Stingrays 11.14-80 def Gippsland Power 10.12-72 Geelong Falcons 8.9-57 def by Calder Cannons 8.10-58

Sunday 18th August

Eastern Ranges 10.12-72 def by Oakleigh Chargers 8.8-56

Sandringham Dragons 12.19-91 def Murray Bushrangers 5.8-38

Round 17

Saturday 24th August

Gippsland Power 11.19-85 def Bendigo Pioneers 8.6-54

Murray Bushrangers 9.10-64 def Northern Knights 8.13-61

Dandenong Stingrays 5.12-42 def by Geelong Falcons 13.5-83

Oakleigh Chargers 17.16-118 def North Ballarat Rebels 8.10-58

Sunday 25th August Calder Cannons 14.16-100 def Eastern Ranges 8.5-53

Western Jets 3.7-25 def by Sandringham Dragons 12.12-84

Finals Week 1 - Qualfying & Elimination Finals Saturday 31st August & Sunday 1st September Visy Park

Finals Week 2 - Semi Finals

Sunday 8th Sentember Visy Park

Finals Week 3 - Preliminary Finals

Saturday 14th September Visy Park Finals Week 4 - Grand Final

Sunday 22nd September Etihad Stadium

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