

Football and Netball have had a week off due to the split round, and they will now come out firing this week for Round 10. Nhill host Stawell at Davis Park and all grades will be backing themselves for a win. This includes the Senior Football side who are a good chance if they can show the same endeavour as

previous weeks. Our hockey teams continue to do well, even though they've been running a little low on players at times. A full report for their last couple of matches can be found in this edition.

This Saturday we have our Last Man Standing Draw. This is sure to be a great night. Remember, everyone needs a ticket to enter and there's only 300 for sale. Most have already been sold, but if you don't have one then the social committee may still be able to help you out. There's also some other dates members should be locking away in their calendar, with Grand Final reunions and a past players day also coming up. Most importantly, our Presentation Night and Vote Count has been locked in for Saturday the fourth of October, so please don't book anything on that date (Beery, we're looking at you!). Full details will be released later in the year, so please keep an eye on Tales and our Facebook page to stay up to date.

The club would also like to put a big thank you out to the Wimmera Bakery who donated 250 pies for our annual pie night. It's always a big success and greatly appreciated.

Finally, the canteen are after a couple of extra helpers for this Saturday, so if you're able to put your name forward then please see Marg Devanny. Remember, many hands make light work!

Good luck to all teams this Saturday.

The Editor.





Left

Aaron "Chops" Huttig in front of the new electronic scoreboard, as Emma Janztzki and coach Trevor James take in the play from the sidelines.

Bottom Right

Adam in goals with Grady looking on. Both enjoying the wet weather.

Blue Ribbon Award

Riley Deckert (left) has played all his junior football for the Nhill & District Sporting Club. Riley has a good friend network in Nhill and after starting boarding school this plaved vear on permit for an opportunity to play with his mates and for his local club. Unfortunately in his last permit game he broke his leg and now we all wish him well on a speedy recovery so he can get back to the game he loves.



Hockey Report

Our young junior Leopards have recorded a win and a loss from the last two rounds, winning 6-1 over Dimboola Kookaburras but going down to Warracknabeal Revengers 2-0 last Saturday. The older players are showing very impressive skills development and as testament to their hard work, Dakarai, Lachie, Victoria, Emily, Ellie and Chloe are becoming regular inclusions in the senior ranks. Mitchell Meek played his first game last week, playing strongly and not giving up the chase.

After being dealt a harsh defeat at the hands of ladder leaders Yanac men in the open competition two weeks ago, Rangers returned strongly last weekend to secure a 0-0 draw with Dimboola Men. The depleted Rangers again called on Leah and Emma from Thunderbirds to field their side.

The Birdies are also struggling to field a full side each week, with player continuity becoming evident during match play. Despite this, the girls are still proving very competitive only narrowly going down to ladder leaders Yanac Women 1-0 and Dimboola Women 3-1 in their last two encounters. Alannah Creek made a strong return to the team last week, scoring the Birdies only goal and 2 umpires votes.

This weekend see's the Leopards take a rest with the bye, Rangers take on Warracknabeal Hoops at Yanac and Thunderbirds take on Warracknabeal Women at Kaniva. Unfortunately school holidays and injuries are taking their toll, with Rangers likely to forfeit their match.

Until next time ... Stick it to 'em!



Club Rosters

Keeping this club running takes a lot of hard work. Therefore, there are a number of rosters about the club to help spread the load. Please be prompt for your duties and if you're not sure what needs to be done then please ask. If you are not able to make your allocated date or time then you need to <u>arrange</u> <u>your own swap</u>. Complete copies of the rosters can be found around the club.

2014 Nhill Canteen Roster - Round 10, July 5th, Stawell				
9:00 am - 12:00	11am - 2pm	12pm -3pm	2pm -5pm	
Megan Hall	Jenny Morgan	Kristy Schneider	Marg Devanny	
Kristy Nottle	Pritchard family	Janet Harris	Jess Butcher	
Marg Devanny	Pam Sutherland	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed	

2014 Afternoon Tea Roster - Round 10, July 5th, Stawell				
Provide Afternoon Tea		Prepare & Serve	Provide Soup	
Mandy Alexander	Karen Wheaton	Leah Gurry	Robyn McEldrew	
Sarah Etherton	Amanda Cole		Emma McGuiness	

2014 Tea Roster				
3 July 2014	Thursday	U 14 Football		
5 July 2014	Saturday	Sam Borgelt	Stawell	
10 July 2014	Thursday	U 17 Football		
17 July 2014	Thursday	Maggies Pizza		
19 July 2014	Saturday	U 15A Netball	Minyip Murtoa	



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Football Report

We started well in the first quarter against Ararat, implementing the game plan we had been working on. This was probably our best start of the year considering most games we have been jumped early on. The second quarter was very disappointing as we didn't stick to the game plan, evident by the 8 goals Ararat kicked to 1 for the term. After half time we re-grouped and focused on the game plan. Once again the scoreboard didn't reflect our effort and dedication for the second half. It was encouraging to see we had desire for the football. Congratulations to Lucas Dahlenburg on making a memorable debut and we wish him well for what will be a long and successful career with the Nhill Tigers. Congratulations also to Liam Albrecht for his 50th senior game.

Warracknabeal was always going to be a tough game but given our strong performance earlier in the year at home, I was confident we could match it with them. Two late changes disrupted the selected side but we went in with the aim to be competitive for four quarters. Unfortunately although trying all day, our pressure dropped off a bit in the second and third quarters. We started well and finished really well, with the final quarter probably being our best quarter for the year. George McWaters rucked well all day and now we need to concentrate on winning the ball out of the centre more consistently. The team could have easily given up in the final term but battled hard to the end to almost win the quarter.

We need to take this form into our game this week against Stawell at home. After a week off, the boys have trained well with good numbers, including a fun night of games at the stadium. Thanks to our loyal supporters for once again sticking with us every week. Good luck to all teams this week. Go Tigers.

Shane Grover, Coach.



From The President

Hello to the best supporters in the Wimmera.

We welcome Stawell to Davis park this week and have a great chance to record our first senior win. All other teams are going well in football, netball and hockey.



Horsham Wool & Skins

On the football front, we welcome Des Anthony to the coaching staff and wish him all the best. His input has been terrific so far.

In the following weeks we have a few events on. The Aus Kickers will train at Davis Park on Thursday 10th of July. Then the parents match under lights will be on Friday the 18th. On Saturday the Aus Kickers will also have another game to show off their skills (played between the end of Under 17s and start Reserves).

That same day we will open the new umpires change rooms and meeting room. We will also be hosting reunions for the '64, '65 & '69 Senior flags, '64 Reserves flag and the '69 Under 16s premiership. It's going to be a big day.

Ticket holders for the Last Man Standing are sure to have a good night. I'm looking forward to seeing everyone there. Remember, there can only be one winner.

Also a big thanks Mick for a great night at the Union after the Warrack game.

Good luck this weekend to all players in all sports. Go Tigers.

John McLeod, President.

Dates For Your Diary

Sat 12th July - Horsham Saints vs. Nhill Tea At The White Hart, Junior Ten Pin Bowling Night

Sat 19th July - Nhill vs. Minyip-Murtoa

Grand Final Reunions Aus Kickers

Sun 17th August

Car Rally

Sat 23rd August - Nhill vs. Warrack Eagles

Past Players Day



White Hart Hotel

Last Man Standing Draw

<u>Date & Time:</u> Saturday, 5th July 2014 Round 10 vs Stawell Starts at 6.30pm

1st Prize \$10,000 2nd Prize \$1,000 3rd Prize \$500

5 x \$100 Spot Prizes throughout the night

<u>Cost:</u> \$100 per ticket Only 300 tickets MUST have a ticket to gain entry

Free Beer, Wine & Soft Drink (7pm - 10pm) Nibbles Provided

Members selling tickets are reminded to have them back to Emily Gladdis by <u>Thursday, June 19th</u>

Games Night

<u>Date & Time:</u> Saturday, 19th July 2014 Round 12 vs Minyip-Murtoa Starts at 7:30pm

> <u>Where:</u> Davis Park

> > Cost: \$5

Get your tams ready for a fun night of games and activities.

All ages welcome so come along for a great night!

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The Draw

Round 11 - Saturday, 12th July 2014 Horsham Saints vs. Nhill

Round 12 - Saturday, 19th July 2014

Nhill vs. Minyip-Murtoa

Round 13 - Saturday, 2nd August 2014

Dimboola vs. Nhill

Round 14 - Saturday, 9th August 2014 Nhill vs. Horsham

Round 15 - Saturday, 16th August 2014

Ararat vs. Nhill

Items For Tiger Tales

Do you have something worth including in Tiger Tales? All items need to be submitted to the editor no later than the Tuesday evening prior to the next football/netball home game. Please send all contributions to: shrive.ioshua.w@edumail.vic.gov.au

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