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21 August 2014

This week, final H & A round for 2014

All teams at HOME this weekend V Croydon.

Past Players & Officials Day, President's Raffle draw





Past Players & Officials Day ~ THIS Saturday Mooroolbark V Croydon 12.00 midday until end of Snrs game \$5 schooners & Finger Food EVAN HOCKING (funny man/Comedian) 1.00pm Inside - own area, behind glass and full view of the ground. Bring a friend - all welcome!





Check out Evan's new Facebook Page and be up-to-date with gigs! Facebook: Evan Hocking Comedian

2014 President's Raffle

Ticket stubbs and money for the 2nd half raffle are currently being collected. Please return A.S.A.P. As we hope to draw this on Saturday!

1st \$2000 worth of blinds and awnings

2nd Top of the range, all-terrain bicycle from TooFat

3rd Weber Q 220 (RRP\$400) from Classic Fireplaces, Geelong. www.classicfireplaces.com.au



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POS	TEAM	Р	W	L	%	PTS
1	North Ringwood	16	14	2	179.06	56
2	Croydon	15	12	3	126.98	48
3	Doncaster	15	9	6	112.41	36
4	Mooroolbark	15	8	7	100.62	32
5	Mulgrave	15	8	7	95.69	32
6	Waverley Blues	15	5	9	85.46	22
7	Doncaster East	15	5	10	81.82	20
8	Bayswater	15	4	10	95.17	18
9	East Burwood	15	2	13	60.85	8

MUST WIN!!

To make Finals:

we must win this weekend.

Mulgrave can lose, but not by
much ~ we are 5% ahead.

Other games this weekend:

Mulgrave V Bayswater Doncaster V East Burwood Donc East V Waverley Blues

Nth Ringwood - Bye.

POS	TEAM	Р	W	L	%	PTS
1	Croydon	15	12	3	144.17	48
2	Doncaster	15	11	4	141.33	44
3	Waverley Blues	15	10	5	163.14	40
4	Doncaster East	15	10	5	119.37	40
5	North Ringwood	16	8	8	111.1	32
6	Mulgrave	15	7	8	91.68	28
7	Bayswater	15	5	10	69.67	20
8	Mooroolbark	15	3	12	60.34	12
9	East Burwood	15	2	13	62.96	8

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CONGRATULATIONS from the Seniors to the Juniors.

Our Junior club has had a fantastic year with 5 teams in the Finals - 1 appearing in a Grand Final.

Medallions and ribbons for 50 games and 100 games played, dinner every Sunday night, training, Aus-kickers and meeting AFL Players.

It's a fantastic future that we see and we would like to Congratulate everyone involved.

It's a big day to run 3 x home games at Heights Reserve, but Kiloran has 2 ovals double the work - every week!

Well Done to all volunteers, kids and parents, you are creating a very exciting future!

POS	TEAM	Р	W	L	%	PTS
1	Mulgrave	14	13	1	263.39	52
2	Mooroolbark	14	12	2	351.9	48
3	Doncaster East	14	9	5	128.74	36
4	North Ringwood	15	8	7	100.74	32
5	Croydon	14	4	10	71.54	16
6	Doncaster	14	3	11	52.29	12
7	Bayswater	13	0	13	18.49	0

2014 Vet's

Congratulations to Gordo, Craig Pretty and Yak, to get the 2014 Vet's team up and running.

Unfortunately the boys missed out on Finals, but have had a good season, after a slow start and low numbers earlier in the year.



Hopefully we'll see the whole team on Saturday for post-season schooners @ Past Players Day. . . . A must win game against Croydon!

. . . . Back into retirement they go, until next year!

Under 15s Next year (2015)

In preparation for the 2015 football season, all interested players are invited to attend an information evening that will detail what you can expect for the coming season and beyond.

The evening will be a great opportunity for you to find out about the extensive Football Development program and support services that our club has to offer players and their families.

Former Western Bulldogs & All Australian player Lindsay Gilbee who is now in a Development Coaching role at the St Kilda Football Club will also be in attendance to give you an insight into the life and expectations of an AFL draftee. Parents and Players welcome - questions encouraged!

Monday 8 September, 7.15pm - 8.30pm @ the ClubRooms.

Contact Hayden or Dale Watkins for more details.

Mooroolbark Football Club

2014 Presentation Night

Sentors - Reserves - U19s



Friday 26 September

7.00pm - 11.00pm

Yering Meadows Golf Club

Cnr Victoria Rd & Macintyre Lane, Yering

\$70.00 p/person \$60.00 - p/person U19s

Presentation, 2 course meal, tea/coffee Beverages; cash on purchase

Dress - semi-formal

* please advise Denise if you have any special dietary needs.

Presentation Night

Please put together a table of 8-10 people and advise Denise A.S.A.P.

The players will provide entertainment, roving reporting around the room and some audio/video laughs!

A later finish than previously advertised, looking at midnight/12.30pm-ish. Book Now!

Bookings essential

RSVP by 17 September Denise 0414 422 932 den.dave@bigpond.com

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Lap of Honour

I don't know why Rick Dimma thinks he's so important but I heard he did a lap of honour around the Baysie ground last week. It seems that when Rick was leaving the joint he was deep in conversation with his passenger, Billy Francis, and drove straight past the exit. You should be concentrating when you're driving Ricky!!

No Jet Lag

It was great to see Smithy back in the Green & Gold last week after a few weeks out because of work commitments up North. I actually asked Paris last Thursday night if he was bringing Smithy back through the Reserves 'cause he had missed 5 weeks of training. Paris's reply was "if you own a Lamborghini you don't keep it locked up in the garage". Anyway, Smithy's plane landed in Melbourne at 3.00am on Saturday and the lad went home for a few hours kip then fronted up at Bayswater for the Seniors and played to his usual high standard, being named in the best. (This photo was taken when we last played Croydon - hope it's like this again on Saturday!)



Not So Dear

To all you sooks out there who whinge about the \$4.50 you have to pay for a heavy can of beer at Mooroolbark, I hope you had a dry afternoon/evening at Bayswater last week and refused to pay the \$5.00 they were charging (and they're not the only ones). See things aren't so bad at the Stable.

Tough School

Adrian Gileno had a day out down forward last week booting 7 of our 11 goals, and could have had a few more but for a bit of inaccuracy late in the game. The 3 BOG sheets that I hand out were all returned after the game and one of them couldn't fit Adrian in the top 5 players. It reminded me of a few years ago when Kid Talevski needed 5 goals in the last game of the season to reach the ton. The big Russian went on to kick 13 majors but wasn't judged BOG. That honour went to Linners (who picked up about 45 possessions on the day). And who do you think got the honours on Saturday over Adrian? That's right, that little bald headed fella again. It's a tough gig being a full forward.

Birthday Crackers

Congratulation to our ageing trainer "Crackers" Downie who turned 50 years of age last Friday. A few people gathered at Brycees to help him celebrate and judging by the slow pace he was setting on Saturday, they must have had a good time.

Whilst sending good wishes, Happy Birthday to the old fart and everyone's mate Bernie Stock. A good bloke, genuine old timer and Life Member of everything. Well Done Stocky, and thanks for all of your help with both Cricket and Footy clubs.





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