



Notes from Secretary

After a hard game on the weekend at North Warrnambool in boggy trying conditions, we look forward in running out the game on Melville Oval this Saturday. On Monday night the boys sat down and reviewed some games that they have played in so far this season, to find ways to improve their own games. With plenty of Reserves players looking for promotion, the Club is sitting in a healthy position despite our position on the ladder. This Saturday will be a tough game for both Under 18.5's and Seniors and with the form our Reserves are in, hopefully they walk away with another win. The Under 18.5's need to find their form and stick to the game plans, so they can regain their confidence. I expect with a win on Saturday, they can get their season back on track as they take on the ladder leaders Warrnambool. In Netball we always knew last weekend at North would be a tough ask, with 5 out of 6 teams above us on the ladder. This Saturday is the day to turn the tables, as we take on bottom placed Warrnambool. This will be the right opportunity to focus on game plans and implement training drills into a game situation and trust our style. This will be the same for all grades and the close matches to watch on the weekend will be the 15 & Under and 17 & Under.

Senior Football Hamilton Kangaroos 4.6.30 lost to North Warrnambool 13.9.87 Goal Scorers 1 Tim Meulendyks, Allan Martin, Hugh Douglas, Eric Guthrie

Coaches comments: Jarrod Holt

A wet morning made for a slippery boggy ground over at North Warrnambool in our round 8 clash. We didn't get off to a great start with North kicking 4 goals to nothing straight up and we were trailing all day from there. North skill level was far more efficient than ours and they made us pay every time we turned the footy over and we weren't prepared to work hard enough back, to put them under the required pressure. Positives for the day were Jayden Watson in his first game, presented well up forward and shown that he has a bright future. Also Eric Guthrie in his first game for the club was impressive through the midfield. We will stick at it and just work harder until we get it right.

Best Players: L. Crawford, J. McIntosh, D. Logan, J. Riddle, J. Meulendkys, E. Guthrie

Reserves Football Hamilton Kangaroos 10.9.69 Defeated 3 Ryan Newell, Nick Armstrong North Warrnambool 2.3.15

Goal Scorers

1 Scott Richards, Ali Ross, Sam Youngman, Charlie Youngman

Coaches comments – Angus Brown

After watching the u/18s chops the ground up during some heavy rain the 'Roos Twos' took to Bushfield swamp with a slightly modified game plan and a new look midfield thanks to promotion, relegation, injury and illness (not an allergy to rain and mud as suggested by some). Despite this the match went to plan with four goals with the dry ball in the first and two each guarter after that in a bit of a slog. North managed to kick 2 goals for the day thanks to a couple of lapses in concentration.

The highlight was the apparent flotilla of Youngmans having a RHG after coming back from the seniors. The lowlight: the coaching staff getting muddy shoes and socks due to poor choices in footwear.

Warrnambool is the only team in the league we haven't beaten yet (this year or last), and we will look to rectify that this week.

Best Players: L. Uebergang, C. Youngman, S. Youngman, J. Iredell, M. Ross, C. Quinn

Under 18.5's Football Hamilton Kangaroos 2.7.19 lost to North Warrnambool 3.4.22

Goal Scorers 1 Taine Morris, Sam Crow

Coaches comments – Jason McIntosh

Terrible weather and ground conditions made Saturdays match a real slog. All that was asked from the players was a full 4grt effort. I couldn't have asked for much more in the effort department at all as every one in the selected side gave it their all. Only going down by 3pts in what was a low scoring affair, the boys fought hard right until the final siren.

Best Players: L. Watt, J. Cullinane, F. Kent, S. Quinn, R. Sigley, S. Crow

A Grade Netball

Hamilton Kangaroos 30 lost to North Warrnambool 51

Goal Scorers 21 Kelsey Lewis & 9 Clare Crawford

Best Plavers Amanda Huf, Renae Beks, Ally Feely

Coaches comments – Sara Byrne

The first 10 minutes of the first quarter was fantastic with the girls doing everything we had worked on. They were patient bringing the ball down the court and shot well. Then the game changed and we started falling back into really bad habits. After that North just ran all over us. They seemed to want it so much more than our girls. We now need to regroup and refocus and come out against Warrnambool with a different attitude.

17 & Under Netball Hamilton Kangaroos 22 lost to North Warrnambool 47

Goal Scorers

13 Sarah Cleaver, 4 Chelsea Glare & 2 Sophie Holcombe

Best Players

Sophie Holcombe, Stevie Pevitt-Holmes, Aly Smead

Coaches comments – Jody Roth

Start of 17 & Under, saw the rain come down strong. North came out and had full control through out this quarter. Second quarters confirmed why North are second on the ladder. Fourth quarter saw north finish strong.

Roos need to regroup and play to the ability we are capable.

A1 Grade Netball

Hamilton Kangaroos 24 lost to North Warrnambool 37

Goal Scorers 11 Marni Perry, 9 Steph Franklin & 5 Steph Holcombe

Coaches comments – Jessica Beattie

North Warrnambool proved to be tougher opposition than expected and got out to a five goal lead before we managed to register a score. We had patches when we got to within 2 goals during the first half but we were unable to sustain this intensity through the entire match. After half time North extended their lead as we turned over the ball with a series of uncharacteristic errors. Although we registered a loss this game can be chalked up as an important learning opportunity as it highlighted areas of our game we need to work on that will prove to be the difference between winning and losing come finals time.

Best Players: Rebecca Sherlock, Jess Quinn, Regam Luhrs

A2 Grade Netball Hamilton Kangaroos 37 defeated North Warrnambool 19

Goal Scorers 23 Molly Neeson, 7 Rebecca Grayson & 7 Chloe Uebergang

Coaches comments – Rhainne Lewis

The A2 girls once again in Round 8 came away with another win this week. They were all once again very impressive as they have always started each game with their best quarters and this game was no exception! They came out firing with a 12-4 first 12mins of netball. And having an even better 3rd quarter with a 13 goals quarter. We came away with a reasonably strong win in 18 goals. (37-19).

This game gave some great opportunities for some positional changes for most of the mid court girls which was great. I commend ALL the girls because no matter what changes I made, it made no difference, the girls just went out there every quarter and played their netball like I had asked of them. Particularly my two little girls in the centre court in Georgina Groves and Libby Murray, they took timely intercepts and had heaps of hands to balls, also their driving was amazing and really created space for everyone else. Once again Molly Neeson shot 23/37 of our goals, she used her height to full advantage and it paid off with her holding even though in the 1st quarter she was trying to move around and come out of the ring, until she realised it was easier to use her height. I would love to mention something each girl did well and that I was happy with because I definitely could. Our mental and physical stability at the moment is right where it needs to be and I think we have made our mark on this competition. Well done girls, be very proud!

Best Players: Georgina Groves, Libby Murray, Molly Neeson

15 & Under Netball Hamilton Kangaroos 19 **lost to** North Warrnambool 37

Goal Scorers 13 Abbey Sutherland, 3 Emily Pertzel & 3 Sophie Duncan

Best Players Taylah Casey, Neve Claffey, Taylah Casey

Coaches comments – Amanda Huf

The girls played really well for the first half but just fell away a little bit in the last half. North Warrnambool are very strong and the girls should be proud of their effort against the 2nd placed team.

Keep your heads up girls and come out firing against Warrnambool next week.

13 & Under Netball Hamilton Kangaroos 6 **lost to** North Warrnambool 37

Goal Scorers 4 Sophie Robinson & 2 Meg Sutherland

Best Players Brooke Stone, Nikki Menzel, Madeline Casey

Coaches comments – Kira Ryan

This week we came up against ladder leaders North who are very tall across the board, and very well drilled.

We did well to stay with them for the first quarter but they were just too good for us over the next three. North have set the bar high for all the other u13 teams and we now know that that is the standard we are working towards emulating come finals time.

Round 9 – V Warrnambool at Melville Oval – Saturday 14th June First Game at 10.00am



Hamilton Kangaroos – Ladder

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Seniors			Reserves				Under 18.5's		
1	Warrnambool	32	1	Hamilton Kangaroos	32	1	Warrnambool	32	
2	Koroit	24	2	Portland	28	2	North Warrnambool Eagles	24	
3	North Warrnambool Eagles	20	3	North Warrnambool Eagles	20	3	Hamilton Kangaroos	20	
4	Portland	16	4	Camperdown	20	4	Portland	20	
5	South Warrnambool	16	5	Warrnambool	16	5	South Warrnambool	20	
6	Terang Mortlake	12	6	Terang Mortlake	12	6	Cobden	16	
7	Cobden	12	7	South Warrnambool	12	7	Camperdown	8	
8	Port Fairy	12	8	Cobden	8	8	Terang Mortlake	8	
9	Camperdown	8	9	Port Fairy	8	9	Koroit	8	
10	Hamilton Kangaroos	8	10	Koroit	4	10	Port Fairy	4	
A Grade			A1			A2			
1	Koroit	32	1	Portland	28	1	Hamilton Kangaroos	32	
2	North Warrnambool	28	2	South Warrnambool	28	2	Port Fairy	28	
3	Hamilton Kangaroos	24	3	Hamilton Kangaroos	24	3	Camperdown	22	
4	South Warrnambool	20	4	North Warrnambool	24	4	Portland	20	
5	Portland	14	5	Koroit	16	5	South Warrnambool	18	
6	Camperdown	14	6	Cobden	16	6	Warrnambool	12	
7	Port Fairy	12	7	Camperdown	12	7	Koroit	12	
8	Cobden	8	8	Terang Mortlake	8	8	Cobden	8	
9	Terang Mortlake	4	9	Port Fairy	4	9	North Warrnambool	4	
10	Warrnambool	4	10	Warrnambool	0	10	Terang Mortlake	4	
	17 & Under			15 & Under			13 & Under		
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7	Port Fairy	12	7	Warrnambool	10	7	Port Fairy	10	
8	Portland	8	8	Portland	8	8	Hamilton Kangaroos	8	
9	Warrnambool	4	9	Terang Mortlake	6	9	Terang Mortlake	6	
10	Koroit	0	10	Camperdown	0	10	Warrnambool	0	

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