

Glenunga Under 9 Season 2016 – Round 1

Glenunga V's Flinders Park



Welcome to new season of football and to all those involved last year and the new children and families.

The team is starting to come together and you will find them start to grow and develop as young footballers and people over the weeks and months.

As parents it's good to take stock as where they are at now and compare it to where they are half way and at the end of the season.

The development curve is quite rapid.

Please feel welcome to ask me questions about my training and development plan.

I can give each parents areas of strength for your child as well as areas for development.

(That is where you as parents can be really helpful in further development)

As for our first round against Flinders Park.

Well that was a baptism of fire.

Boys such as Ashton, Angus, Archie and Alexander (the A team) Nic, Ned and Tom K playing their first games for the RAMS. Well done

Archer D won the toss and kicked with the wind.

The midfield did well to knock the ball forward. While the forward line structure held up well with the strong leading Louis Dawson providing a good target up front.



Louis had support with Archie and Ned crumbing the ball well while Henry also provided another option up forward.

Pre-game address (the boys look focused)



Jacob was a rock in defence stopping many attacks from the opposition and defending his ground very well.

Jacob also took the game on and drove the ball forward again and again to the advantage of his team

Jacob while under pressure looks to handball to the advantage of his tem mate

Quarter 2 :

Had some good passages of play with the boys moving the ball well.

The back line were under a lot of pressure with the ball coming in quickly and regularly

The highlight being Tommy boomers chase down and tackle on the wing.

Well done Tommy

Quarter 3:

Play of the day with the running through the midfield with a string of handballs to hit a leading target up forward then to square the pass of to goal was a fantastic passage of play.

As a coach and a parent its exciting to see that sort of football. Well done boys.



Reid finding space on the wing, looking forward for a team mate



Power house Dawson breaking a strong tackle

(might be due to Tattoo)

Q4.

It was great to see the contributions for each player especially the new players in the team.

There was another big team effort to push the ball forward and I feel the knowledge gained over the 4 quarters will hold each player in good stead to know where they have to be moving forward throughout the year.



Archie taking off with 5 quick steps (well done Archie)



The silky skills of Freddie driving the ball forward

Ashton takes another one of his strong marks.



Tommy (Booma) Waugh fires out a handball to Ashton under Pressure



Henry picks up the ball on the run while Archer call for it our wide

Nic spins to drive the ball up forward