

Our very youngest pups travelled to Etihad Stadium last Sunday to mix it up with the big boys. They all had a ball. Special thanks to Luke Kelly who has done so much for our Auskickers. Gus Tonkin was lucky enough to be selected in the Auskicker of the year competition and now participates in the AFL Grand Final parade and presents a medal to a premiership team player. Look out for him on the big day- go Gus!

Seniors –Despite a spirited first half, our seniors were once again found to be wanting in the areas of fitness and experience. Building on these areas will see a rejuvenated side take to the park next season.

Best Players: C.Price, B.Delmenico, J.Sala, Z.Denham, B.Storer, T.Collins. Awards: Rocket Ag- B.Delmenico-3, C.Price-2, J.Sala-1. Blue Sky-C.Price, Bartalotta's-B.Storer, Domino's-B.Delmenico, Java Spice-C.Price, Commercial Hotel-J.Sala,

Ressies In what turned out to be a long day at the office, Barham were just way too good. It's a good thing the seniors play straight after so the 2's had something to watch while having a beer.

Best Players: D.White, A.Merrett, S.Sanders, D.Baker, B.Baker, Cas Mitchell. Awards: Craig Fletcher Massage- D.White-3, A.Merrett-2, S.Sanders-1. Microw Developments- B.Baker, That Effect-J.Hickmott, Domino's-J.Haeusler, Beaufairs-S.Sanders.

Colts A heavy and damp ground resulted in a low scoring match for the Colts. As usual the young Doggies put in a valiant performance against superior numbers, succumbing by 2 goals. What a day for young Billy Schifferle who played three games (U14.5, U17, Resses) and then fronted up to boundary umpire for the Seniors. Good work Billy!

Best players: J.Haeusler, J.Hendy, J.Hickmott, L.McKay, A.Op't Hoog, L.Edwards. Awards: Thanks to all the sponsors who provide awards to our Colts this season Ian & Kay Ray, Microw Development, Domino's, Cruz Clothing, & Subway.

Under 14.5 Our boys fought hard all four quarters in a big improvement from the last time we met the Raiders.

Best Players: K.Belton, N.Simmons, M.Ryan, R.Featherby, M.Bennett, J.Brasser. Awards: Tyntynder Canteen-C.Sherman, McDonalds-N.Mensforth, Subway-J.Brasser, Arcade Café- N.Simmons, Bartalotta's Bakery-M.Bennett, Bakers Delight-G.Smith, Classic Fish Shop-K.Benfield, Coaches Award-X.Murphy.

Under 12 While the opposition was strong in the last quarter, our pups put in a fantastic first three quarters to take home the win.

Best Players: N.Louw, B.Clark, E.Schifferle, J.Bibby, L.White, S.Bull Awards: Tyntynder Canteen-B.Dunstone, Sportspower- Z.Pryor, Town & Country-L.White, McDonalds-W.Marsh, Footy- S.Bull, Subway- B.Van Heumen, Bakers Delight- B.Clark, Dominos-E.Schifferle, Leisure Centre- J.Bibby, Bartalottos-N.Louw, Footy Award-J.Kirby, Wood&Co-J.Robinson, Coach's Award-E.Ochaya

Netball

Last week at Barham we came away with solid wins across the courts in all grades except one. Lets keep this up leading into finals. Well done to Nic and Jade for their awesome 2016 Run Melbourne effort last Sunday raising money for Beyond Blue and Peter Mac. Along with Matt they made a substantial contribution to these worthy causes.

A Grade Defensive pressure all over the court enabling lots of steals, combined with accuracy in goals allowed us to come away with a convincing win. Wattie's Plumbing-Emma Smith, Bartalotta's Bakery –Teagan Lawry.

A Res Strong communication and teamwork helped us to maintain a strong lead throughout the game. Aspire Jewellery-Caitlin Wattie, Joe Bibby FS \$10 – Mel Maher.

B Grade Great defensive game, goalies working well and the centre court all combining beautifully in four consistent quarters. Shelley Clarke, Bartalottas Bakery- Hayley Morrison

B Res In another convincing win, these girls played a terrific team game. 'H's Homeward- Jenny Gilbert, Java Spice-Renee Louw.

17 & Under A great second half and a really solid defence has held us in good place to head towards finals. Stacey's Cash \$10–Holly Triplett, TFNC Ladies Award-Ella Stacey.

15 & Under In a slow start but with a good ending, our terrific defensive end held it together for a comfortable win. Subway-Sophie Triplett, Bartalottas Bakery-Stephanie Hartshorn.

15 Res these girls are continuing to play well and are looking forward to finals. Bartalottas Bakery-Wendy Tshuma, Subway-Mary Gabriel .

13 & Under Against a very tough opposition, the girls never gave up and fought hard to the end. There were some great passages of play and the game also highlighted some things to work on. Stacey's Cash \$10 –Lily Stacey, Subway –Savannah Hartshorn

13 Res The girls enjoyed position changes and are developing so well this season. Subway –Tahni Smith, Ladies Lunch Award-Ruby King.

Tonight's Barn Dance is a great family event where everyone gets to let down their hair after our last home game for the season. Get your dance boots on and come along for some good old fashioned bootscootin fun.

Woof! Woof!

Upcoming events -August 13th Family Ten Pin Bowling in Kerang on the way back from Cohuna.