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Newsletter of the Maroubra Saints Junior Australian Football Club
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Premiers : U12-2005, U10-2006, U10-2007, U11-2007, U12-2009,
U13 Div 1-2011, U16 Div 1-2012, U10-2013, U12 Div 3-2013, U16 Div 1-2013,
U10-2014, U11-2014, U12 Div1 -2014, U17 Div 1- 2014

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President's Message...

What a wonderful weekend of footy. Sunny skies and no cancellations! Away round this weekend so good luck to everybody. A quick shout out to all those parents who helped over the weekend with canteen, barbecue and ground managing. Club Secretary Graeme Parsons was particularly happy with a great turn out of ground managers for virtually every age group at Heffron with the following parents worthy of mention: U5 (Set-up) Chris, U6 Jo Robinson (Austin's Mum), U7 Nick Williams (Alfie's Dad), U8 Sam Pierce (also did set-up) (Cameron's Dad), U8 Andrew Hookings (Harry's Dad), U9 Andrew Meagher (Reds) (Toby's Dad), U9 Graeme Parsons (Blacks) (Finn's Dad), U11 Nathan Goldschmidt (Blacks) (Ryan's Dad), U11's also packed-up the ground & Velly took charge of this.

Also thanks as always to the Heffron canteen cleanup crew headed by the mighty Jodie Harper.

And of course to all the parents that helped at Pioneers as well. We'll get to you next home round!

Huge congrats to our superstar girls Greta, Margot & Angela who represented NSW at the Youth girls national competition.

Special mention for Angela who was selected in the All Australian team. Amazing achievement! Well done!

Go the Saints!

Cheers,

Bruce

Youth Girls Nationals in WA... by Greta Stonier (Co-Captain U18YG)

Going to Perth and competing in the National Championship was an amazing experience.

We learnt so much, from footy knowledge to life skills. We had to be very independent and be responsible for our own development as well as our peers. We cooked our own healthy meals, went for morning walks on the beach, recovery sessions in the ocean and pool, and had game reviews after every game to see what we could do better for the next one. Our team NSW/ACT was a great group of girls, we got to know each other so well and have all built strong connections with people all over Australia, as we had the privilege to mix with girls from other teams.

It is also great that Angela Priftis, aged only 15, was selected into the All Australian team. She played with determination and without hesitation and as one the youngest on our team, she captained NSW/ACT into the grand final. We are incredibly proud of her. (G. Stonier)

Maroubra Saints Committee & members would also like to congratulate our three Maroubra Saints girls **Greta Stonier**, **Margot Vella** and **Angela Priftis** who represented NSW in the Youth Girls Nationals Competition in Western Australia this past week. A special congrats goes to **Angela Priftis** who went on to be selected in the All Australian Team. Well done to all, the club is very proud of your efforts.



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Club Charity Raffle - GO Foundation - win a Signed AFL Ball by Goodes & O'Loughlin...

Maroubra Saints chosen charity this year will be the **GO Foundation**.

The GO foundation was founded by Sydney Swans players **Adam Goodes** and **Michael O'Loughlin** to provide Indigenous children with scholarships to quality schools and to help meet education expenses.

Go into the draw to win a Limited Edition GO Foundation AFL Football personally signed by the founders of the GO Foundation, Adam Goodes and Michael O'Loughlin (with authenticity certificate) by **buying a \$5.00 raffle ticket from the Canteens at Home games**. 100% of money raised will go to the GO Foundation – flyer below.

Raffle to be drawn at the Red, Black & White Ball 8/8/15.

www.go-foundation.org



Junior Sports Star Competition...

Each year the Southern Courier run a Junior Sports Star competition recognising local sports talent. Over \$30,000 in prizes to be won. To nominate your child, a player in your team or just someone you know who you think deserves to be recognised go to:

<http://www.dailytelegraph.com.au/newslocal/junior-sports-star>



We NEED organisers for Annual Red, Black & White Ball...

We are once again looking forward to our main social event for the year, the Red, Black and White Ball. **We now need a team of parents to organise this night to ensure it goes ahead** with some fresh ideas and enthusiasm. An event co-ordinator and team is needed to make sure another fun night is had.

Parents willing to help out, please contact Vanessa maroubrasaints@gmail.com or your Team Manager.



This Sat 16th - Sydney Swans v Geelong Ticket Offers...

Bring a Buddy to this weekend's blockbuster match with one of these two (2) ticketing offers:

- 2- for- 1 Silver or Gold tickets

OR

- Save 20% on group tickets (minimum of 10 people) PLUS every group member receives a Sydney Swans cap!

To book contact Kira Duroux 02 9339 9197 or via email durouxk@sydneyswans.com.au



Australian Sports Camps – July holidays...

The camps will be held at the Uni Of NSW Playing Fields in Daceyville, Macquarie University in Macquarie Park and a new camp at the North Narabeen Reserve in Warriewood over the July School Holidays. The camps will again feature coaching from an experienced panel with guest coaches also attending, including Callan Ward and Nic Davis and some other players this winter. The program is for players of all standards aged 6 to 17 and provides three days coaching from 9 to 3 daily. There is a 30 % discount on offer until May 29th available on our web site, so its a good time to book for any juniors over the next few weeks, via the web site. For all dates and locations please go to australiansportscamps.com.au Tony Miles, Australian Sports Camps [0418 354 826](tel:0418354826)



The Sinners are back...

The Sinners were established for the fathers of Maroubra Saint Juniors to have a kick and relive former glories.....over 35's AFL in Sydney. The Maroubra Sinners cater for all levels of AFL experience, in fact our group includes former NRL, Rugby Union, Soccer and AFL players to first time novices. The Sinners are all about participation and enjoying a social footy Club environment . We have more than 70 registered members ranging from 30 years old through to over 50. Let Baz know if you are interested: Email: maroubrasinners@gmail.com Website: www.maroubrasinners.sportingpulse.net

First training session will take place this Sunday 17th May 9.00am at Heffron.

17 May 9am Heffron	21 June 9 am Heffron	26 July 3pm Heffron
24 May 3pm Heffron	28 June 9am Heffron	02 Aug 9am Heffron
31 May 3pm Heffron	05 July 9am Heffron	09 Aug 9am Heffron
07 June 9am Heffron	12 July 3pm Heffron	16 Aug 9am Heffron
14 June 9am Heffron	19 July 9am Heffron	



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This Week's Game – Round 5 - Sat 16th May

U5	v Glebe Greyhounds	8.10am	Jubilee Oval
U6	v Glebe Greyhounds	8.10am	Jubilee Oval
U7	v Glebe Greyhounds	9.00am	Jubilee Oval
U8 Red	v Glebe Black	10.00am	Jubilee Oval
U8 Black	v Glebe White	10.00am	Jubilee Oval
U8 White	v Easts White	10.00am	Trumper Park
U9 Red	v Moore Park Black	11.00am	Bat & Ball Oval
U9 Black	v Glebe Black	11.00am	Jubilee Oval
U10 Red	v Glebe Black	1.00pm	Jubilee Oval
U10 Black	v Glebe White	12noon	Jubilee Oval
U10 White	v Glebe Greyhounds	12noon	Jubilee Oval
U11 Black Div 1	v Wests	2.05pm	Picken Oval
U11 White Div 1	v Easts Red	2.05pm	Jubilee Oval

This Week's Game – Round 5 - Sun 17th May

U12 Div 3 (Fri Night 15/5/15)	v Glebe (Washout re-match)	5.00pm	Jubilee Oval
U12 Div 1	v Westbrook	11.25am	Mike Kenny Oval
U12 Div 3	v Cronulla Green	12.40pm	Gwawley Park
U13 Div 1	v Cronulla	2.00pm	Gwawley Park
U14 Div 1	v Canada Bay	9.55am	Drummoyne Oval
U15 Div 2	v Cronulla	3.25pm	Gwawley park
U17 Div 1	v Easts	10.00am	Village Green (UNSW)
U17 Div 3	v Miranda	12noon	Lincoln Oval (Waratah Park #4)
U14YG	v Queenwood Black	11.00am	Middle Head Oval
U18YG	v Manly Bombers	2.30pm	Weldon Oval

Results- Round 4- Sat 9th & Sun 10th May

Maroubra Saints U11 Black Div 1	(2.14-26)	def by	(7.14-56)	Newtown Red
Maroubra Saints U11 White Div	(7.5-47)	def by	(9.4-58)	Moore Park
Maroubra Saints U12 Div 1	(6.10-46)	def	(5.7-37)	Willoughby
Maroubra Saints U12 Div 3	(4.3-27)	def by	(14.15-99)	Cronulla Blue
Maroubra Saints U13 Div 1	(4.1-25)	def by	(10.8.68)	Kellyville/Rouse Hill
Maroubra Saints U14 Div 1	(2.3-15)	def by	(11.11-77)	Manly/Pittwater
Maroubra Saints U15 Div 2	(1.4-10)	def by	(6.8-44)	Ramsgate
Maroubra Saints U17 Div 1	(15.7-97)	def	(4.9-33)	Kellyville/Rouse Hill
Maroubra Saints U17 Div 3	(4.3-27)	def by	(6.3-39)	Baulkham Hills
Maroubra Saints U14YG	BYE	BYE	BYE	-
Maroubra Saints U18YG	(5.9-39)	def	(2.3-15)	Queenwood

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Maroubra Saints JAFC
Charity Raffle
We encourage all Saints families to support this Charity
Tickets \$5.00 each
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Adam Goodes & Michael O'Loughlin**



SYDNEY SWANS
VS
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SATURDAY, MAY 16
7.20PM AT ANZ STADIUM

Bring a buddy to this weekend's blockbuster match with one of these great ticketing offers:

- * 2-for-1 gold or silver tickets;
- OR
- * save 20% on group tickets (minimum of 10 people) PLUS every group member will receive a free Sydney Swans cap.

To book, contact Kike Duroux on 02 9339 9197 or via email at kduroux@sydneyswans.com.au.

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* Terms and Conditions: Ticket prices include GST and booking fees. Transaction fees from \$5.40 may apply. Limit of 10 tickets per transaction. Offer valid for gold and silver reserved seats when purchased online using a valid password. Not valid in conjunction with any other offer. Offer expires at 5.00pm on 15/05/16 AEST unless sold out prior.