

The Firkin Magpie 2015 Round 4

Today we welcome our valued sponsors to Footy Park. We value your continuing participation with the Kalangadoo Football Club and hope you have an enjoyable day.

It might have been a tad cold but conditions at Tant for the granny replay were fine and a far cry from the previous few weeks. The oval and surrounds were picture perfect and just waiting for a footy to be kicked around.

Jarrad's Magpie Minstrels had a wakeup call after a visit from Port Mac the previous week had us drop back in the bees ladder.

Any thoughts the boys may have had of recovering a bit of lost ground this week were soon dashed as a 'fleet' of ambulances ferried the injured Pies to hospital.

With Reece now in the seniors our blokes lacked a stand out option to score a rock and roll, where as the tigers had a major contributor.

In between our injuries being ferried off the ground by overworked medico's Lubola and Feathers the locals led the term by sixteen points at the quarter and a non-recoverable forty eight at the break. Their job was made that much easier given our three injured blokes gave the Tigers an opportunity to run havoc.

This they did adding five to a solitary in the third before closing out the game King Dicks by ninety.

Superstars of the last century, Lubola and Feathers were tempted to sneak the boots on as they could see the damage the injuries were having on the boys.'Young' Timbo Krieger has himself pencilled in for the Hawks game today. Crouchy is on the lookout for the black cat that the blokes walked in front of.

Best for the Doo were Travis Scholz, Jesta McPhail, Aiden Auld, Zac Dunn, Pratty and Brendon Emms (with three goals).

The club, players and supporters wish all the best to severely winged pies in Jay McPhail, Craig Redford and coach Jarrad Kilsby, who had been booked that night by Tant for a 'Muzak' night.

It might have been billed as the grand final replay but the much heralded event showed eight new faces on the Doo team sheet. Young son of a gun Sam McManus was a new face as he began his senior career. This talented junior was only playing minis a couple of years ago.

Sadly as we welcome Sam to the big time we must bid farewell to journeyman Michael Jones who has decided to call it quits. This bloke may have been here there and everywhere but in his three stints at the Doo he has been involved in three grand finals that included last year's premiership, coached the Pies



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seniors, as well as the Senior Colts who he enjoyed the 2013 flag with. His work ethic is something to be admired and the 'Dustin Fletcher' of the Mid South East leaves a legacy as is evident on the field by his young bloke Tyler who has all the skills of the 'old man'. I am sure media man Fred will duly concur with this.

In a sign of things to come old mate Killer opened our account in an impressive opening term that saw the Doo boys go to a twenty point quarter lead.

Benny's boys gave a kick arse display in the second with Killer and his forwards running rampant extending the lead to six goals.

The 2014 runners up started to play catch up footy in the second half with the pies bench all injured to one extent or another, as if the Bees bugger of a day was not enough.

Going into the last the Tigers had closed it up to five goals. The final term had Tant narrow it down a tad more with the horse already bolted to show the Doo twenty one point victors.

Big fella Dallas played his best game for the Doo to be pick of the bunch along with Coach Benny, Rednut Jack Casey, Killer with his seven goals, Chrissy and Lachy Jones.

Another casualty of the Ghost train, with the 1980 Doo BMX champ CrackerJACK Lepley attempting a 360 with pike over the railway museum crossing. Jack's trusty tredley had other ideas and old mate rocked up at Thursday night footy training with a bit of bark off his pins.

The Doo Hilton front bar Medical fraternity think tank recommended Jack's high blood pressure be cured by a trip, so our patient and his ever patient Janeen are island hopping in the Pacific. To be more specific the couples treasured Woofa Lilly was all set to be smuggled on board until a Nation wide alert was triggered by Johnny Dipstick and his two fleabags. Tough luck Lilly! Looks like Lake Leake is it.

A lot of activity down George Street with the imminent arrival of Missus Who from a fact finding tour of Brian BC Casey's adopted state. Gav has had to move back over the road and take his paper plates with him.

Notice a few comments about the comments of the Budgets Expert. We had a far more hostile bloke in Doozer back in the late ninety's and the advice we got from the league back then was to Suck It Up!

Anybody with a bit of bullshit PLEASE let me know. After 30 something years in this 'job' it doesn't get any easier.



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