

The Firkin Magpie 2015 Round 14

Hopefully the last 2015 game at Footy Park was witnessed by Benny's boys and supporters as we roll on to the final series'

As alluded to by old mate Milo and Hooker there is a smell of finals in the air. This of course is all the more exciting if you happen to be involved in them. A good crowd on the hill ensured and arvo of quality BS between the Doo and their neighbours.

Another great day of footy with games played in excellent conditions with the sun shining and hardly a breath of wind and no rain. The junior colts were on fire and played an excellent team game against a Glencoe side that tried all match. Final scores were 22.15 to 0.0. The match was arguably the best for the season with coaches Darren and Reece very pleased with the way the team played. Darren moved the team around all match giving players a chance to play in positions they wouldn't normally play.

All players have showed great improvement this year and it was really evident that the skills level have increased. Goal kickers were Luke McIntyre and Tye McManus with six each, Josh Telford with three, Gaj Frost and Leigh Redford with two each and Lucy Koch, Mitchell Varcoe and Nathan Reiley all with one. Best players were Tye McManus easily best on ground receiving the McDonalds award, 2nd best Hungary Jacks award Luke McIntyre, 3rd best Video Ezy award Matt Davies, 4th best Subway award Josh Telford, 5th best Fasta Pasta award Leigh Redford and 6th best Richie Rich award Gaj Frost.

The senior colts put up a good effort going down 14.9 – 6.7. Goal kickers were Joel Michalski and Ben Stott with two and Liam Carlson and Adam Mulraney with one each. Best players were 1st best Krieger Cool Cash award Ben Casey, 2nd best Fasta Pasta award Ben Sstott, 3rd best Thursday Night Teas award Conner Jones, 4th best Ladies Canteen award Liam Carlson, 5th best Bakers Delight award Lachy Farrugia and 6th best Life Members award Stephen Just.

Both games were played in good spirits and were very well umpired, thanks umps.

As always a big thankyou to all our sponsors, supporters and our volunteers. It was a big day for the Junior Club with it being our turn to run the gate and wood raffle. Thanks to all those who did their bit with this great fundraiser. There was good attendance at the Junior Club luncheon and the Junior Committee thank all parents for attending. The junior club put on a casserole night that was well attended by all and thanks to all families who donated a casserole and thanks to Trudi Carlson, Kim Telford, Darren and Leah Ousey and Tara Jefferies for being on serving and clean up duties, well done ladies. A final reminder if you have not paid your club fee of \$30 please catch up with Ro or Heidi.



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The Glencoe Bees were firmly entrenched in the four with their run beginning from when we fronted them in the first round as the Doo boys fell over by SFA.

Jarrad's Bees had a couple of blokes back for their second to last game and were pleased to get out of the game injury free, apart from Johno Kilsby who got a TKO helping out the Bees. Captain Pud watched from the safety of the boundary after his highly prized wisdom teeth were yanked

The Spud supporters started to gather early for their main game as Jarrad's Bees lost four from Thursday named side.

Three goals down at the first bell only to be eight down the schizenhauzen going into the half break that shunted the Doo boys eleven down the gurgler going into the last. The Spuds on the hill were getting horned up for the main game as their B grade Spuds piled on another five to a big fat zero.

Young Westy continued his good form to lead the pack and was ably assisted by big fella Stewie McLaughlin who will be a MIA today in our last outing as he kisses his Batchelor days goodbye before a Fiji beach wedding bash on our first semi. Veteran Johno Kilsby was a worthy recipient of a prize after getting a Glencoe donged award. Others to contribute were Reece, Camo Auld and Craig Redford (3 goals).

The Murphies were expected to put a bit of a fight after being elevated to the four and this was possibly the case in the first half as they opened up the scoring before young Kriegs booted two including a rock and roll to knock the spud goal ump arse over head.

Coming into the second seven points up our blokes managed six that included three from Coach Benny to the Spuds three to see the Doo boys sucking their healthy club oranges thirty one points up. With super coach Benny's boot laces touching the ball before the siren sounded and the ball sailed through the sticks.

Glencoe opened up the second half strongly getting the first two goals before the Doo replied with the next four. Chrissy said "Hello Glencoe" to the Spuds growing on the boundary after he copped a fifty metre and came off. Young free Willy got a back to back as the Doo boys rolled onto a looking good eight goal break.

It took five minutes before the Doo slotted their first goal of the final term to indicate the opening of the flood gates. Kreigs found three to round out an eight goal game complemented by another seven goal kickers to have the Doo boys sneak over the line by one hundred points.

Best were Jimmy Davies fresh from a candle blowing episode the previous week, Chrissy, Micky D, Free Willy, Kriegs and Mister Magic Lachy, Killa got four.



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Aunty Kerry was looking like she had won the lottery after the game making the bold prediction that her canteen days as Chief Poohbah were over. Our Florence Nightingale of the kitchen has strung a few together answering Bulljaws plea for help in this much sought after position (she also didn't like to see a grown man cry). Early betting is on young Cocko Carlson Reece putting his resume in.

Mystery surrounded her last shift with reports of a Snake problem after the Doo canteen resident Snakes were found with their Heads bitten off. Turns out that young Frank Mules was the culprit after getting a bad case of the munchies the previous Sunday when he raided Aunty Kerry's lolly larder whilst enjoying being a free range kid under the eagle eyes of his old man. The job will be that much easier Benny when number two rocks up.

Late reports in of Uncle Jonny being marooned in the Mount after helping Matty cut his cake at Shadows.

Early morning gravy stirrer and A grade manager Troy gave a visual display on the effects of the Indonesian volcano using a ciggy lighter and cardboard boxes by making sure wind conditions would not allow the ash to settle on the hallowed Nethead surface.

Mrs Who and Carol who are surviving quite well without the man about the house. One thing that she reckons she doesn't miss is his bloody snoring.

The Mexican night went a treat with Tequila and Sombreros taking over the Magpie Bar as Sandy Corner tried to keep all the banditos behaving themselves. Pancho Kilsby,(middle name Jarred) copped Sandy's evil eye as the evening wore on. Mariska went home blind after leaving her glasses (including a Schooner glass) at the Doo Hilton. Hubby Gazza welcomed her home. Nice lot of happy snaps of Micky D and family in their Wherethafukarwee Indian costumes from the previous week. The Spuds all racked off for their Glencoe cup with background music from The Pretenders. Sorry to bore old mate Cav with my infrequent Acme Thunderer references, but only 4 weeks to go bro and you won't have to worry about me anymore.

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