

Auskick V Mums 2021

It was third time lucky when the annual Mums v Auskickers fiesta finally got underway on Friday night after a couple of cancellations over the season. What an evening it was, combined with the Fundraiser and Music with Doc Halliday, Gairloch was a buzz!! The weather was perfect, the athompshere electric and the mums and Auskcickers turned on a magic display of skills. The Mums were treated to a pre-game rev up by AMPJFC LEGEND Todd Paterson. The message delivered was simple and fired up the mums to take on the challenge of the small but mightly and fierce Auskickers. Laughter and screams of delight carried across Gairloch for the next hour. It was a spectacle for the ages and another Auskicker v Mums Showcase that didn't disappoint. Congratulations to all involved, in particular Auskick coordinators Danielle Priestly and Kylah Morrison.



AMPJFC Milestones Round 9-14

Throughout the season AMPJFC proudly recognises the dedication of players who have achieved Game Milestones. Congratulations to the following players:

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Sam Lowe

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Junior Football Club 50 GAMES Jake Heron

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Indigenous Round

Round 11 with home games fixtured at Shirley Strickland for Saturday and Sunday, AMPJFC celebrated Indigenous Round across the Youth teams at Shirley Strickland on Saturday and Sunday this weekend. The Years 7-10 adorned the AMPJFC Indigenous Round jerseys using the design by past Clontarf student and ex-premiership AMPJFC Hawks player Tyrell Mick. The celebrations were lead by Noongar Elder Brett Collard and AMPJFC Club Life Member Peter Firth. Players from all teams participated in a smoking ceremony and welcome to country and proceeded to the middle of the ground to interlock arms as a show of solidarity to stand against racism in our game.

AMPJFC wishes to acknowledge our Clontarf and other indigenous players at our Club and recognise their contribution to our Club. They provide us with a wonderful opportunity to embrace diversity, cultural difference and promote acceptance, tolerance and respect.





Year 12

Celebrating our 12's

As season 2021 draws to a close AMPJFC wishes to highlight and acknowledge the Year 12s. It isn't an easy year for the boys to continue their footy and tackle ATAR, but this lot have stuck it out. Some of our boys have been with us since the days of Auskick and through to Juniors. This lot have been tough, they've been in finals nearly every years since Year 7, they've tasted glory, being the 2019 Premiers and they've tasted defeat, but they've always stuck together. We'd like to acknowledge Eric Cain and Andrew Dwyer who have also been along for the ride either as Coach of these boys or Assistant Coach. Coming out of retirement with his boys already through the AMPJFC system, Dave Da Silva stepped back into the role of Head coach of the Year 10 team in 2019 and tasted glory at the end of the season.

Let's celebrate the Year 12s for the amazing ride they've taken us on!! Thank you for what you have brought to the Club and for sticking with us!! Goodluck for your future as outstanding young men, whether it be in football or your careers. We celebrate and thank the Year 12 parents, and acknowledge those that have been along for the ride from Auskcick and junior years, taking on the many volunteer roles needed in the team, and celebrated the wins and losses along with the boys. For many of you this is your final year at our Club and we thank you for your support through the years. You are always welcome back to the Hawk's nest at our new home any time!!

This year the 12s have been in the highest division in the competition and sat second on the ladder. The final game of the season, the boys took on and beat ladder leaders, Jandakot. This week the the 2nd semi, the 12s will take on ladder leader Jandakot again at Santich Park, South Coogee 4pm Sunday. Get along and support the boys, a win will put them straight into the Grand Final, a loss will see them play again next week. Win or lose, the boys will always put on a show and we are immensely proud of what they bring to the table each week. Their parents only know how exciting their games are with such closely contested games all season, you'll be on the edge of your seat!!!



Compare and Net South Trading Sand Fulform Luke Kempin, Jordan Brinde, Sand Fulform Ben Ford, Fazie Abdullah, Graham Williams, Hayden Noordhoek, Joe Cuccovia, Jean-Paul Nunis, Max Bickford Nathan Smith, Scott Elder Jordan Leeflang

2010 was the last time we had a Year 12 team

APPLECROSS JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB 17's TOYOTA CUP PREMIERS — 1990



BACK ROW (L to R): RONALD KANG, JASON MARKWART, AL FIELD, IAN WILLIAMSON, MICHAEL KAPITEYN, SCOTT THOMPSON, JOHN GCODING, MATT STEINHOFF, JUSTIN OSBORNE, FRONT ROW (L to R): SOLO CONSTRUCTION OF A CONSTRUCTION

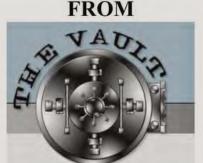
1990 was the previous time we had a Year 12 team and the boys were Premiers. This team includes current Year 9 parent and Player Life member John Gooding and player Life Member, whose sons also played for the Hawks, Brad Millane





Last Sunday was the final game of Junior Footy played at Gairloch oval before our move to Shirley Strickland. Year 3 Brown played at 1pm, followed by Year 5 Gold at 2:30pm It represented another historical moment in our Club's history!!





Stories from the Club's 70th year history

When the Triple Brownlow Medalist came to the club trophy night

In 1966, the sub junior club decided to change their jumper to the Saint Kilda style strip for the 1967 season after the President and respected sporting commentator, Oliver Drake-Brockman, gained St Kilda support for the club to wear the St Kilda jumper. An original jumper is on display in the club rooms.

President Oliver arranged for VFL star lan Stewart to be flown from Melbourne to present the jumpers to the boys at the 1966 trophy night at the Tivoli Theatre Hall in Kintail Road. This was a remarkable achievement as lan had just been part of St Kilda's first VFL

premiership and had won the Brownlow Medal for the second successive year. lan went on to win another Brownlow medal in 1971, making him one of only four players to win three Brownlows. He was one of the first inductees into the Australian Football Hall of Fame in 1996 and was elevated to Legend status the following year.

The following newspaper article describes lan's visit.



Ian Stewart during the presentation.

If there are any more footballers of the calibre of Wayne Richardson going from the Apple-cross area to Victoria, they will surely play for St. Kilda—and not Collingwood. This is the feeling locally after last Friday when dual Brownlow medallist Ian Stewart, of St. Kilda presented the Appleareas with inc

St. Kilda, presented the Applecross sub-junior

St. Klida, presented the Applecross sub-junior football club with its new colours. The Applecross club is to change to St. Kilda jumpers for 1967. The colours are red, white and black but replacing the St. Kilda badge will be the emblem of Applecross. This emblem will be in the form of a shield with a white St. Andrew's cross on a red back-ground and with the letters A.S.J.F.C. in black on a white har over the shield

on a white bar over the shield. From 1967, the Applecross

be known as "The

Saints."

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Stewart's visit was the surprise of the night for about 100 Applecross boys as well as their parents. The occasion was the annual dinner and trophy presentations. Stewart told the boys that they must learn the fundamentals of the game. He said that if he had done so at their age, he would be a better player.

He also stressed the importance of team spirit and being a good sportsman, He reminded the boys that the jumper meant so much to St. Kilda which had become premiers in Victoria for the first time in 69 years.

He capped off his visit by asking the boys if they had any questions and was bombarded with dozens. One question asked his impressions of playing in a team as it won a premiership. Further good news for the club at the

dinner was that the home ground at Gair-lock Oval was to be extended. Cr W. Roper said

the Melville that Town Council had provided in the budget for the work. Under-12 coach Frank Preston whose team had just ended its best-ever year,

was presented with a badge of life membership.

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