



Narrabeen Football Club – a section of the NYC

# BOONDAH NEWS

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## Narrabeen Football Club President's Report:

Believe it or not – we are now well into the season! There are still issues with the FFA computer program which makes issuing the full draw a major problem for MWFA – all I can say is that we just have to deal with it and hopefully expect a resolution shortly.

The good news is that most of our teams are travelling well - we aim to be competitive at all levels and divisions, and given the nature of the game close scores indicate great competition (some you win – some you lose – as long as you are competing equally at your level). Our Premier League is now back on track, securing a great win over Manly Allambie last weekend. There is more to come here as we have many players yet to return from injury – they will give the comp a great shake with all hands on deck.

Special mention needs to go to our undefeated sides – AL4Rs and Ladies 16/2s who lead their competitions. Our Ladies 16/4s also lead the comp, and our Ladies 10 Wildcats have lost only one match and are running second. Guys – you need to pick up your game – the Ladies are leading the way! Our 10/1 side is also undefeated and running 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Last weekend the 12/4s and O35/4s scored their first points of the season – congratulations on a great effort! I understand that both coaches are now off life support.

I hate to be negative – but we have 48 teams in the Club – and can only manage to get 5 Team Managers at the Committee Meetings! It is vital for the future of the Club that we have involvement from all levels, and a succession plan for the future. If you don't know what is happening you cannot advise your teams!

Time for a bit of a plug – Peter Wilkins (parent in U10s and ABC Sports reporter) has written his first book "Don't Rock the Boat" about the Sally Robbins incident – it's a great read and available at Warriewood Square.

Finally – it is National Volunteer Week! Please take the time to thank all coaches, managers, committee members for their efforts! Without them you would not have a match this week.

Have a great weekend!

*Dennis Hole*

President Narrabeen Football Club

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## NEWS ITEMS:

**NARRABEEN COACHING COURSES** - There are two upcoming coaching courses to be conducted at Boondah Reserve, controlled by Phil Moss ( former National League player and current Manly United and assistant Olyroos Coach and Coaching Director MWFA) Please confirm your attendance to the Club Secretary ([secretary@narrabeenfc.com.au](mailto:secretary@narrabeenfc.com.au)) as there are minimum numbers required for the sessions to go ahead. If there is not a positive response the sessions will be cancelled.

**SUNDAY MAY 18<sup>TH</sup> - Sub Junior Coaching Course.** Basic drills and skills for U6 to U9 age groups. Focus on providing new coaches with an understanding of coaching approach for younger children. Who should attend? All coaches, managers, referees and parent assistants for these age groups – also junior players who may be interested in coaching these groups either this season or next. [Coaches and Managers shirts and training aids will be handed out at the end of the session.](#)

**SUNDAY JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup> – Junior and Senior Coaching Course** Focusing on drills and attacking/defensive formations, tactics and game plans for all teams playing on a full pitch. Who should attend? All junior and senior coaches and managers, or anybody considering these roles now and in the future.

[Coaches and Managers shirts and training aids will be handed out at the end of the session.](#)

There will shortly be an announcement on specialised Goalkeeping courses for our players.

## MATCH REPORTS: 10<sup>th</sup> May 08

**MATCH REPORTS** – Please submit your Match reports (max 100 words) by email to [boondahnews@narrabeenfc.com.au](mailto:boondahnews@narrabeenfc.com.au) by **MONDAY 8pm** at the latest, or if **HAND WRITTEN** deliver to the Canteen mailbox where they will be collected at 5.30pm each Saturday.

### **Premier League**

#### **PL – Manly Allambie**

**Won 2-0**

There is that saying "what a difference a week can make" well this was definitely the best team performance this season with each player showing what they are capable of individually and most importantly collectively as to the potential the team can produce to beat any other PL team if this consistency is kept going. Great result guy's lets move up that table from this point on. Scorers: Neil Martin 1, Iain Church 1

#### **PL Reserve – Manly Allambie**

**Lost 0-3**

A tough game being down with many injuries and some players actually playing with both injury and illness. It meant being on the back foot all day. Everyone worked hard to give it there best in the difficult situation.

#### **PL – Forest/Killarney (Match 3-5-08) Lost 0-5**

Although this being the teams worst result in recent times score wise it was a game where there was a combination defensive errors and limited chances that came the oppositions way and they stuck them away and anything we tried on goal was either well saved or only just missed the target.

#### **PL Reserve – Forest Killarney (Match 3/5/08) Won 3-0**

Yes we new it was coming soon well it has the first win of the season and well deserved with 3 well constructed goals and a clean sheet at the defensive end made it extra pleasing. A special mention with one of the squads youngest players at just 17 James Rogan scoring his first ever premier league goal one of many to come we all hope. Scorers: Mark Jones 2, James Rogan 1

### **U6's Div B**

#### **Apollo – xxx**

**no report**

#### **Comet – xxx**

**no report**

#### **Meteors – Seaforth Magpies**

**Won 5-0**

Our first win!!!!!! An awesome game and a well deserved win. A great effort from our goal scorers Zac Webster (Player of the Week) with an amazing three goals and Darcy Hoy with two. A special mention to our goalies Brody Hoy (1<sup>st</sup> half) and Maya Campbell (2<sup>nd</sup> half) (Encouragement Award) who kept them scoreless. Some great defence from Ethan Couch, Kobe Bryant and Ben Neilsen and a much improved attack from our other two girls Jade Bennet and Bella Grainger.

#### **Neptunes – Pittwater Kangaroos Won 8-3**

Congratulations Neptunes on your 2nd win of the season. The 1st half saw the Kangaroos & neptunes evenly matched with 2 goals each. The boys then came back all fired up with the home ground advantage to kick another 6 goals. The team tally was Pete 3, Spencer 2, Corey 1, Big Liam 1 and John 1. This weeks Encouragement Award went to Ben Wilson for his

outstanding goalkeeping skills and the player of the week went to Patrick Atkinson. Three cheers for the Neptunes.

#### **Satellites – Wakehurst Eels**

**Lost 2-3**

The boys put in a great effort against our toughest opponents so far. Sam, Taylor, Nathan C and Jacob all came close to scoring in the first half, with Hathan H scoring our first half goal and Max putting in an excellent performance in goals. In the second half Connor, Luke P and Luke S had some good runs, and both Nathan C and Sam showed great defensive play. Sam almost scored a goal from the half way line with one of his massive kicks! Nathan H did an excellent job in goals and Sam scored our second goal. The trophy for player of the week went to Taylor, who showed good dribbling skills in the game, and the encouragement award went to Luke S. Well done Satellites on another good game.

#### **Stars – xxx**

**no report**

### **U7's Div B**

#### **Barracuda – Seaforth Panthers**

**Won 4-3**

For the first time this year the boys found themselves behind 2-0 midway through the first half. Even though they had made more opportunities than Seaforth they just couldnt find the back of the net. But it didn't last long as Coach GRAINGER and his team of assistant coaches rallied to give the team a boost of confidence and the boys responded like the champions that they are. Goals to Cohen MAUDSON and Tas GRAINGER levelled the scores just before half time. Another impressive goal by Seaforth (own goal) in the second half put us behind again however their lead was short lived when Pietro MASTRIANNI found his way onto the score sheet again this week. With the action going from end to end both coaches (and parents) would have been happy with a draw, however Luke SIMPSON thought different and gave the Barracudas the lead after a great solo effort to beat the defence and keeper. Credit must go to the Panthers who brought out a performance from our boys that showed everybody what they are capable of. Full credit to those not mentioned must also go to Banjo, Felix, Adam, Nate and Hayden (encouragement award). Player of the week award went to Luke. Congrat's to both teams for such exciting entertainment.

#### **Crocodiles – xxx**

**no report**

#### **Piranhas – Wobbygongs**

**Won 3-0**

Expecting a real fish fight this week the Piranhas went in boots and all. Keeping the Wobbys at their own end most of the game. Iggy was in goal 1st half saving a few solid attempts to find the net. Blake, Isaac and Max were circling the wobbys while Angus and James S. showed some fancy Fin (foot) work up front scoring 1 goal each, to bring the score to 2-0 at half time. 2nd half saw Isaac and Max in goal. The Wobbygongs played a great defensive game using an extra player to support their goalie, which showed some solid kicking in defense. Both Ned and James had there speedie boots on to catch and run the other players down. The Wobbys solid defense was to no avail as the Piranhas teeth dug deeper with Blake scoring a goal and even using his head occasionally. Player Of The Week - Max Swindall



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**Pythons – xxx** **no report**

**Redbacks – xxx** **no report**

**Taipans – xxx** **no report**

**Vipers – Manly Vale Bandicoots** **unknown**

This was a very fast game and fortunately for them Manly Vale scored in the first ten minutes because then Gemma had an attempt at goal the first one of many attempts from Narrabeen. Lauren stopped a goal attempt from MV before half time. Harry was second half Goal Keeper and saved us from one goal attempt but possession was mostly ours with no less than 7 very close goal attempts from all of our players. Manly Vales defence was strong but in the end luck went their way.

## U8's Div B

**Condors – Avalon Kelpies** **Lost 0-4**

U8 Condors played Avalon Kelpies at Carreel Bay and lost 4-0. Despite good play by the whole team the Kelpies were too strong on the day. Jackson was player of the week for his rapid runs and solid support. Jerry had a great game and received the encouragement award.

**Eagles – xxx** **no report**

**Falcons – CCS Maradonnas** **Lost 1-7**

Well Falcons you played a great game. What a hard team the CCS Maradonnas were. We were tough against them and did our best. Better luck this week at Brookvale. Lilly was the goalie and Bon was the man of the match.

**Hawks – FKY Jaguars** **Won 2-0**

Well we weren't disappointed after making the long trek over to the Forest Killarney fields for this week's away game. The U8 Hawks played a brilliant game again winning 2-0 against a spirited Jaguars. There was certainly a lot of passion in both sides with many physical moments throughout the entire game. The Hawks were without two players this week with James and Noah taking a week off. However, this did not deter the rest of the team and every player stepped up to the challenge, following Coach Charlie's every instruction. Sam scored an early goal in the first half and didn't let up for the whole match. Our two star goalies Zac and Matthew did a fantastic job refusing to let the Jaguars get on the scoreboard. Vaughan's corners threatened every time and ThomasP's left foot cleared the ball from our end time and again. ThomasM covered the centre of the field with ease and had a couple of shots as well. Max scored a late goal to seal the match. Well done Hawks. Encouragement Awards: Zac & Matthew. Player of the Week: Max.

**Kookaburras – xxx** **no report**

## U9's

**9B Tigers – Seaforth** **Lost 1-5**

A much improved performance from the team this week. Lots of energy in midfield from Brendan with the defence being well marshalled by Matthew S. Seaforth did get through to score two quick goals but Narrabeen kept working away and looking for a goal themselves. Bocco made a fine save diving low to his right which the crowd enjoyed. After the break Narrabeen kept pushing

forward and deserved their goal with Liam Evans poking the ball just over the goal line. The boys keep working hard with shots from Nick, Tom and great breaks from Oscar and Kyle. Blake and Dylan held strong at the back in front of James in goal but Seaforth took their chances to win the match. All in all Narrabeen had the better of the second half and started to show some form. All bodes well for next week - a win is just around the corner!

**9G Panthers – xxx** **no report**

**9R Lions – xxx** **no report**

## U10's

**U10/1 – CC Strikers** **Won 4-0**

**U10/3 – Wakehurst** **Lost 0-7**

**U10/6 – Wakehurst** **Won 3-0**

## U11's

**U11/1 – Dee Why** **Lost 1-2**

This week the team had a fantastic game, we did all the right things and the game came together for us. Even though we did not win we gave Dee Why a run for their money with the final match result being 2-1. Special mention to Luke Northover who was our player of the Week and Matthew who got this weeks Encouragement Award. Kieren was our goal scorer, well done Kieren! And our goalies this week did a great job as always Luke Smith and Liam.

**U11/4 – Brookvale** **Lost 1-3**

## U12's

**U12/2 – Curl Curl** **Lost 1-3**

We may not have won the match but we were certainly not beaten. Playing against a division 1 team from last year, following the holidays and then having a Bye was always going to make it hard. It was fit for tat most of the first half with both teams pressing each other. Finally Curly got the break just before Half-time. Undaunted we came off and coach Chad got the guys re-focused, which worked. From the kick-off we were attacking the Curl Curl goal and bingo Harry wacked in a beauty. We had many other chances but the bounce of the ball deserted us, had we been able to convert these missed shots the score would have been vastly different. Their second goal was a joke – A blatant hand ball (everyone saw it except the "ref") while our full back Brice lay on the ground injured. They scored again late but our beanie's were not laying down with Tom just missing on full time. We learnt a lot about shirt pulling and pushing in the back. Everyone stood up and played an inspirational game. Well done guy's. Our well deserved player of the match was Brice who put in 110% effort even though being injured.

**U12/4 – CC Strikers** **Won 4-2**

What a great game on Saturday. Finally, some goals and a WIN!! 4-2 against CC Strikers Player of the Week:- Robert made 2 of the goals, Dominic and Ella also scored. The team played really well and Alex's hard work as coach is paying off.



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## U13/3 – Avalon

Won 2-1

Back in form after 2 weeks low. Nil all first half and second half more focussed. Great 1st goal by Mohamad and follow up goal by Toby. Consistent defence and improved team communication through 2nd half. Great support and moral from "Yummie Mummie's" on the sideline (Latte's in hand). Hooray U/13 Narrabeen. Player of the Match Darryl Noble.

## U15's

U15/2 – Avalon

Lost 2-3

U15/3 – Forest Killarney

Drew 2-2

The team had a good start, The first 20 mins was a controlled team effort. Matt and Leon were kept busy through the centre. As well as the backs Cameron, Jay, Michael and Hugh being kept busy defending the goal. Laurence and Ross had a great game sending the ball forward. The score was 1-0 at half time thanks to an own goal from Forest. Morgan was pumped and surging forward every chance he got. Grant scored a great goal and got man of the match. The team are building on their strengths as the season continues. Great effort guys. The game was a draw. Injuries During Week: Morgan got a ball in the groin - ouch!!!!

## Ladies

W10R-Wildcats – xxx

Won Lost

W11/2 – BTH Raiders

Won 4-0

W16/2 – Wakehurst

Won 3-0

W16/4 – Wakehurst

Won 4-1

The girls went into the game knowing they were sharing 1st position with Wakehurst. Whoever won today was on top! Elyshia played like a champion scoring two goals and Sarah was on a mission to score too. After a couple of great saves by Wakehursts goalie Sarahs' determination paid off when she finally slipped two through. Keep it up girls!

## Senior

U21 – Harbord Seaside

Lost 5-3

AL3A – Forest Killarney

Won 1-0

AL3B – CC Strikers

Lost 0-1

AL3RA – Forest Killarney

Won 2-1

AL3RB – CC Strikers

Lost 0-7

AL4 – Forest Killarney

Drew 2-2

AL4R – Forest Killarney

Won 6-1

AL5 – Dee Why

Lost 0-4

AL8 – Curl Curl

Won 8-2

O35/3 – Beacon Hill

Lost 0-2

O35/4 – BTH Raiders

Drew 1-1

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