



**Narrabeen  
Football Club**

# Boondah News



Weekly Newsletter

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## President's Report

As I write this while at Boondah on a Wednesday evening, a continuous stream of buses is heading out to Sydney Olympic Park for the Socceros game against Bahrain. There don't seem to be too many people on the buses, as inexplicably the crowd is expected to be around only 40,000 - even though many people tried to obtain tickets online and found they were 'unavailable'. Hopefully the crowd will get to see an entertaining game of football now that the pressure is off to qualify - great news that Australia will be going to World Cup next year in South Africa!

The big game to look forward to on the Northern Beaches is the upcoming FA Cup Semi-Final. Put the date in your diary - Wednesday, 8th July, 7:00pm, Cromer Park 1 - when our Premier League team play Beacon Hill for a place in the final. Let's see if we can get a good crowd of supporters in black and white to get behind the team and see them through to the final.

A total of 59 Narrabeen games were played over the long weekend, with only one game postponed due to a ground closure. We caught up some of the rain affected rounds by playing some extra games on Monday. Special congratulations to our W-16/2 team who scored their first win of the season on Sunday with a 1-0 victory over Forest Killarney!

Thanks to Narelle van Leeuwen and Wendy Waters for ensuring that we are represented once more at the Strikers Cup competition for U9 teams. For a while it looked like we didn't have enough players, but through persistence in rounding up interested parties they've managed to pull a team together - thanks and good luck to all involved!

Finally, let's put the spotlight on one of our club volunteers, Jay Tofferi. In charge of our Grounds, he's the guy you often see by the gear shed next to the canteen early on a Saturday morning, organising those who are rostered to set up fields, or taking nets down later in the day as the light fades. This weekend he was there on Saturday morning, Saturday afternoon, Sunday morning, Sunday afternoon, Monday morning and Monday afternoon. Please thank Jay for the job he does when you next see him, or even better, give him a hand! If you're the last team playing on a ground for the day, pack up the nets and collect the corner posts and get them back to the gear shed. A few people from a team doing this take a fraction of the time it takes one club volunteer to pack up Boondah 1, Boondah 2 and Narrabeen High School grounds. With more and more games being played on our grounds (often non-Narrabeen teams), Jay could use some assistance, so if you live locally (Warriewood/ North Narrabeen) and can spare the odd half hour each weekend, I'm sure Jay would appreciate the help.

Good luck to all our teams this weekend!

*Chris Farquharson*  
NFC President



## Match Reports

Please submit your Match reports (max 100 words) by email to 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 v Seaforth*

*Drew 0-0*

A more entertaining game than the scoreline suggests a well fought contest on a difficult surface. We started the better and were well on top for the first 15 mins, however Seaforth were able to come back into into it. Again we had the better of the first 20 mins of the second half and this is where we should have won the game, creating 2 or 3 excellent chances Seaforth finished the game

strongly and could even have nicked the points with a good chance of their own in the final moments. We weren't at our best, a bit rusty from a few weeks off perhaps not a disaster but a disappointing result.

*PL Reserve v Seaforth*

*Won 3-1*

## Sub Juniors

### Under 6

*Meteors v ???*

*Rockets v Pittwater Wombats*

A day of two contrasting games. On pitch one was a very well contested game in front of a massive crowd. Our kids got the better of a an older more experienced Pittwater team. Great performance by all 5 kids. Goals to Coen Harding 2, Liam Taggart 2, Max Oldham 2, and Daniel Watson 1. On pitch two, our kids were up against a much bigger and more experience group of players and although a man down these boys in there second year of football were a little overwhelming for our youngsters. Great game by Dylan Catterall who nabbed a couple of goals and there for earns our player of the day.

*Stars v Meteors* *Lost 7-9*

Our best game yet. It was a pleasure for all to play again in such fine weather. Lachlan scored 6 goals! Well done, Lachlan. Oscar scored 1 goal, giving the Stars our highest score yet. Johnny, Hugh, Jackson, Shea and Jess all played extremely well and a great time was had by all.

### Under 7

*Barracudas v ???*

*Crocodiles v ???*

*Pythons v Beacon Hill Cheetahs Won 10-0*

Well done Pythons on another great win! Nathan C and Max did a great job in goals, not letting one through all match! Three goals each to both Sam and Nathan H, two goals from Jacob, and Christian and Luke S both scored a goal as well (sorry if I missed any others). Taylor and Luke P also played well. Player of the week was awarded to Luke S, and Jacob got the encouragement award for his fantastic all-round play.

*Redbacks v ???*

*Taipans v ???*

*Vipers v ???*

### Under 8

*Condors v Beacon Hill Jaguars Drew 1-1*

A very tight ,close game in warm conditions. The Jaguars were out of the blocks quickly and if not for some good saves by Joel, the Condors could have been 2-3 down. Eventually the Jaguars pressure told and they scored just after halftime. Now it was the turn of the Condors to put

on some pressure. Jaden, Joel began to control the midfield. Harry put in some good tackles, and Connor also made some good passes to teammates. Jett seem to be everywhere and made some tackles at the back. Dylan in goal for the second half made some great saves. Liam went on some good run towards goal, but could not find the right shot. Finally Joel ran on from halfway and slotted the ball past the goalie , 1-1/ The rest of the game was close with no real chance for the winner. An evenly matched game. Man of the match: Connor  
Encouragement Awards: Dylan/Harry.

*Eagles v ???*

*Falcons v ???*

*Hawks v ???*

*Kestrels v ???*

*Kookaburras v ???*

*Pelicans v ???*

*Swifts v ???*

### Under 9

*Panthers v ???*

*Lions v Mosman Leopards* *Lost 2-10*

Vaughn was our brilliant today with two fantastic goals that really deserved all the cheering from our side that they got!!! Indy and Matthew were our goalies and saved some amazing attempts by the Mosman team - diving and blocking. At one stage Indy had his own game going with a single player from the Mosman team - Mosman shooting, Indy saving it and kicking it out, the same player shooting again, Indy saving and kicking it out again - this went on about 4-5 times in a row with NO goal scored! Jake had a great second half with a few slide tackles thrown in and the rest of the team worked really well together. They had us cheering and laughing on the sidelines - Well done Lions!! Lots of encouragement from the sideline. Matthew & Indy worked tirelessly in goals. Goals were scored by Vaughan. Player of the week - Max. Encouragement Awards - Madison, Tom & Luke.

## Juniors

### Under 10

*U10/2 v Pittwater* *Won 3-0*

*U10/2 v Manly Vale* *Lost 1-5*

*U10/3 v Avalon* *Won 6-0*

*U10/4 v BTH Raiders* *Lost 0-2*

### Under 11

*U11/1 v Avalon* *Won 1-0*

A hard fought game was played at Carrell Bay. The team were lucky not go go down to the bottom placed team. Credit to the boys for not giving up.

*U11/1 v Beacon Hill* *Won 7-0*

Fantastic game was played on the Monday. The Team came out firing from the start. So many goals, it was hard to keep track off. It was great to see the boys get stuck in again and back to playing some good football. Keep it up boys.

*U11/4 v Avalon* *Lost 1-2*

*U11/5 v CC Strikers* *postponed*

### Under 12

*U12/2 v Manly Vale* *Lost 0-3*

*U12/3 v Seaforth* *Lost 3-4*

Mitch scored the first goal which was an own goal by the defense, within a minute of the start of the game. Seaforth came back to score two goals, and then Kristian scored a beautiful goal just before half-time. In the second half, Narrabeen scored first with Lachlan, Seaforth then tied the game, but unfortunately within a couple of minutes of the end of the game, Seaforth scored on a controversial note. Tim was outstanding in defense, along with James in goal, by far the best team effort of the season. Well done boys!

### Under 13

*U13/3 v* *BYE*

*U13/3 v Brookvale* *Won 6-0*

### Under 14

*U14/3 v St Augustines* *Won 5-0*

*U14/3 v Manly Vale* *Won 3-2*

### Under 16

*U16/2 v Pittwater* *Won 2-1*

*U16/2 v Wakehurst* *Lost 1-2*

A 2/1 win and a 2/1 loss. This is a good division with close games! Lachlan and Bryce with two really good goals got us the win. Matt powered through and finished really well to put us 1-0 up, but two goals by Wakehurst set us back. Desperate last second scrambles by Wakehurst kept us out. P.S Nelson is getting better and better each week. Well done!

*U16/3 v Pittwater* *Lost 0-5*

## Ladies

W11/1 v Beacon Hill	Drew 1-1
W11/1 v Avalon	Lost 0-3
W12/2 v Brookvale	Won 1-0
W12/2 v Avalon	Drew 0-0
W16/2 v Forest Killarney	Won 1-0

The best game the girls have played with good defence all round. Special mention to Elle, Chloe who scored the winning goal and Rhiannan who was a well deserved Man of the match. Congratulations on your first win of the season girls!

W16/2 v Curl Curl	Lost 0-4
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Although the girls put in their best efforts, Curl Curl were just to good for them. Better luck next time girls!

W18/2 v Pittwater	Won 3-2
WAL 4 v Brookvale	Lost 5-6
WAL 4 v Beacon Hill	Won 2-1
WAL 6 v Dee Why	Lost 0-3
WAL 6 v Forest Killarney	Lost 0-1

## Seniors

### Under 21

U21/1 v ???	Won Lost
Drew 0-0	

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## Adults

AL2 v Harbord	?-?
AL2R v Harbord	?-?
AL3 v Brookvale	Lost 1-3
AL3R v Brookvale	Drew 1-1
AL5 v Seaforth	?-?
AL5R v Seaforth	?-?
AL6 v Pittwater	Won 3-1
AL6 v Curl Curl	Lost 0-2
AL8 v Manly Allambie	Won 8-0
AL8 v Harbord	Won 6-3
O35/3 v Manly Vale	Won 4-1
O35/5 v Avalon	Lost 0-4

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