



Calamvale Leopards Junior Australian Football Club Inc.

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A Message from our President

Welcome All AFL is here again.....feels like last season has only just ended, but here we are gearing up for another fantastic football season.

On behalf of the Committee, I would like to thank last year's committee members, sponsors, coaches, team managers, parents, volunteers and especially players for a fantastic year. The club is in an excellent position to move forward and cement our position as an established club in the Southern Metropolitan area.

There are many returning faces, and appear to be quite a few new ones. This is an excellent sign for AFL in our region, and Calamvale Leopards in general.

The Committee would like to take this opportunity to welcome everyone, and we hope that you enjoy what promises to be a great year of Football.

Brendan Selby
President

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MAJOR SPONSORS Continue support

We are pleased that our major sponsor, Algester Sports has committed to its continued support of Calamvale Leopards for season 2007.

Other returning Club Sponsors include Watertight Australia (Shorts Sponsor) and Prime Haulage (Shirt Sponsor). Thanks to Fred Meddings and Noel Griffin for their invaluable contribution to Junior Football for 2007.

Please support these organizations wherever possible.....they are investing in the future of our community.

We will detail other sponsors (including team Sponsors) in future newsletters, but would add that if any parents are associated with a business that may be interested in sponsoring a team (maybe your child's team), please contact one of the committee members.

Registration/Sign-On

There are a number of players who have not filled in registration forms as yet (for many reasons, including ongoing commitment to summer sports such as cricket, basketball, baseball, etc). Please arrange to complete these ASAP, even if you are unable to train for another week or 2, as team nominations are due to BJAFL very soon. Please note the league will not let us register a team unless there is a suitable number of REGISTERED players for that age group (in prior years, we could estimate numbers). So if you know of friends who want to or are considering playing AFL this year please encourage them to come down to training or contact the registrar to sign on ASAP! It is also imperative that you have registered *to ensure you are covered by insurance even for training.*

TRAINING

Training days & times are currently as follows. Please note these may change due to coaches and or ground availability – please confirm these details with your coach or team manager when you are given your team allocation.

Auskick Rules U8 – U11	Wednesday 4:30pm
U12	Mon & Thurs 4:30pm
U14	Mon & Thurs 4:30pm
U16	Tues & Thurs 4:30pm
Youth Girls	Mon & Wed 4:00pm



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FEES

Reminder registration fees are due in full by 31st March unless a payment plan has been arranged with the registrar.

DON'T FORGET TO REDEEM YOUR STRUDDIES VOUCHER FOR SOX SHORTS ANYTIME AFTER 5TH MARCH!

First Hit Out of the season

The under 12, under 14 and under 16 teams will play sanctioned practice matches against Logan Cobras this weekend. Please come along and support these guys in their first serious run of the season.

Sunday 4th March

9:45am - Under 12 vs Logan

11:20am - Under 14 vs Logan

1:00pm - Under 16 vs Logan

The venue for the games will be the Wynnum Viking Junior Football Club 300 Kianawah Road, Wynnum West

Players, Please remember you **must have completed a registration form before you can take to the field – please arrange this with your coach if you have not already registered.*

AUSKICK 2007

Auskick Clinics on Saturday Mornings are back – commencing with a “sign up day” on Saturday 3rd March, then 8 weekly sessions at Calamvale Oval (**8:00 am start**). This year there will be the traditional Auskick program plus “Auskick Pro” for the older participants (school year 5 to year 7) who wish to have a go at AFL. Further details can be obtained by e-mailing news@leopards.com.au or contacting a committee member.

Our thanks to Paul Longley and Brock Nason who have put their hands up for the job of running this immensely rewarding challenge.

Our Thoughts are with BOB

The best wishes of all involved with the Calamvale Leopards go out to Bob Trapnell (our first and only Life Member), his lovely wife Bernadette and their children, as Bob prepares to undergo major surgery.....If the club was a person, Bob would be its heart and soul.....Hope you are back in full health again soon Bob.

UNDER 17 GIRLS

The Under 17 Girls training is into full swing with all girls putting in a great effort. Its great to see the girls have improved so much over our summer break and have obviously been putting in at home. We have welcomed on board Ray Cole and Robyn Malouf to help us out and look forward to a promising season.

Our season doesn't start until May the 6th so we have a long pre-season to get prepared. I would also like to thank all our parents who have already stepped in to give a hand, especially Brian Barnett who trains with the girls every week and is our runner on game day. I look forward to seeing a lot more of everyone during the season and girls just remember “HOW GOOD ARE YOU!!!!”

**DON'T FORGET TO CHECK OUT
THE CALAMVALE LEOPARDS
WEBSITE FOR ALL THE LATEST
NEWS & INFORMATION.**

WWW.LEOPARDS.COM.AU

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Coming Events

Keep an eye on this space for all coming events throughout the season.

2007 BRISBANE JUNIORS AFL SEASON STARTS WEEKEND OF 21ST / 22ND APRIL.