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Newsletter – 11th July 2007 (ed 17/2007)

From the President

Welcome back to all after the (very) long break. Hope you all had a great school holiday period and are all rested, recharged and ready to pick up with football where we all left off. I know I am looking forward to again seeing the mass of faces enjoying their football at training nights and again on the weekends.

Without trying to steal anyone's thunder, I must congratulate the coaching staff, volunteers, parents and especially the players who participated in the Under 10 and Under 9 Calamvale Representative teams at the Alexandra Hills Carnival. What a fantastic job on everyone's part - from the well organized cake and beverage tent (thankyou mum's & dads!) to the wonderful coaching and volunteer support given to our players. I can unashamedly say that walking around the ground and talking to officials from other clubs, there was a huge smile of pride across my face. It is amply clear that Calamvale has moved from being considered as a fledgling club to a status of "serious competition" over recent years. The fact that our players created history in being the first club ever to win an Alex Hills trophy "Back-to-back" is testament to this belief, and is just one reason why every parent or player associated with the club can hold their heads very high. Once again – thank you to all volunteers, parents, siblings, supporters and especially the players from both age groups. You are all champions!!!!!!

Goal-a-thon

Due to some teams not receiving their forms on time, the due date for sponsorship forms to be returned to the club has been extended to Monday the 16th of July. Please note that the player with the highest amount of money raised will receive a \$100 Gift voucher from Struddy's as well as their Jacket. As of Wednesday the 18th of July training will be interrupted for all players to kick for goal. If all team managers (and any parents that are free) could be available to help when their team is called it would be greatly appreciated. Thanks Cathy Selby

Sympathy extended to the Meddings Family

On behalf of the Calamvale Leopards I would like to express our deepest sympathies to Fred Meddings and family on the passing of Fred's father this week.

Congratulations to the Dale Family

Congratulations to Angela & Warren on the birth of a beautiful baby girl Cassandra! Cassandra is a little sister to past & present 'leopards' Rebecca, Jason & Brandon.

PARENT LIAISON

The club has appointed one of our parents ,Doug Renner, to the role of Parent Liaison Officer. Doug is there to assist parents with any queries or concerns or any suggestions they may have. You can see Doug at the club or contact him after 6pm on 0438588406 or by email dvrenner@bigpond.com .

POWERBALL PLUNDER – week 3 ,4,& 5

The winner for the past 3 weeks as follows:

Week 3: Allan Corrie
Week 4: Barb Lispet (u10 Red)
Week 5: Lesley Ashby (u16)

Congratulations! Please see Vanessa for your winnings.

Reminder: in order to pay out the weekly prizes it is essential all outstanding monies be paid asap. Thankyou for supporting this fundraiser.



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MATCH REPORTS ROUND 10

U9 Blue vs West Juniors

Our crew took a trip out to a windy Taringa this Saturday to play the West Juniors on their home turf. A great effort by all saw us leaving the field happy with individual performances as well as great team playing! Matthew B was outstanding as always with great defence and passing the ball on quick and fierce. James was also in the thick of the action, regaining possession of the ball on numerous occasions, along with Dean and Cass in the centre. Sam K and Benjamin were on fire at the goal posts, along with Jackson and Michael. Brilliant work by Damien and Matthew W stopping many a goal being scored by the other team, defending their goals fantastically! Braydon did a great job of topping up our score, coming in at the end of the game to give the boys a much appreciated boost! This weeks 'Player of the Match' trophy was awarded to Dean, who played a fantastic game all the way through and has shown a brilliant new found confidence in his footy skills! Thanks to Dan & Jan from 'Skippy Pest Control' for donating the trophies and CONGRATULATIONS again to Dean and all of the boys, on a great game!

U9 Red vs Collingwood Park

Brandon Russell captained the Calamvale leopards black team on Saturday against the monstrous Collingwood Park team. Well done Brandon for showing maturity and skill as captain. Thank you to Mathew Baker and Ethan Betts who made up the numbers for the Collingwood Park side. They played fairly and to the high level we are used to them playing. A stand out performance was noticed from Conrad Kurschinsky who was able to confuse the opposing players by weaving a way through them. Lachlan Crook similarly showed his talent of evading the oncoming tackler to then get a kick away. Our boys now take a break from games for two weeks. However the Wednesday training is still on for those who are available. Thank you to our volunteers in the canteen, ground marshall, goal umpire and first aid.

U10 Red vs Forest Lake

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We travelled out to Inala to play a good Forest Lake side that was well controlled by their local young umpire. Besides a dominating pack marking performance by player of the match Jackson we probably played pretty average, by this team's standards, in the first half. We were waiting for the opposition to pick up the ball so we

could lay a tackle rather than do the hard work of getting our bodies into position to win the contest. Plus we were allowing opposition players to run around us and after a string of these the opposition took the ball practically full field to kick goals. However when the lads came out in the third quarter after some reinforcements of the team rules hardly a tackle was missed and the ball was moved quickly to our strong marking forwards who goaled truly. Josiah had just about his best game ever with what was old fashioned attacks on the footy and boy can't he break a tackle. Alex played to the team rules by backing up quickly after a mark and driving it forward. Good progress also from Morgan playing with more control but with the same aggression at the ball. Jarrod N got amongst the action with more marking contests and ground level play whilst Jay, Patrick, Zach and Cooper all added to the team performance with moments of good ball control and efforts. Troy, Jarrod F and Shamus provided skill to contest wining efforts as did Daniel late in the game. The key takeaways from this game is how different the match is when the team rules are followed by everyone and there is pressure on the opposition when they have the ball. There is definitely envy a plenty at how well you boys win contests and the "family" of supporters are super proud of you. Well done boys. However there is still plenty of work to do on the basic team rules and you can never over practice the basic skills. So we'll work on those over the next couple of weeks. Thanks to Doug who stepped in for Mike with player position changes.

U11 Red vs Sherwood

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U11 Gold vs Forest Lake

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U12 vs Wilston Grange

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On a cold chilly night the Leopards were set to play bottom of the ladder Wilston Grange, only one game separated the two teams so a loss could see the Leopards tumble, a win would leave us only percentage outside the top 5. What a strange season!

The game was preceded by the celebration of Ben Auld's 150th game and a banner was unfurled for him and the team to run through. Ben as acting captain did the coin toss and the boys were ready for a hard game and hard it was. Wilston Grange came out quickly and caught the Leopards napping. Inaccurate kicking by both teams kept it close at quarter time but the Grange pushed two goals ahead by half time. The coaches told the kids in the break, it was all upto them, each kid was asked to give his 100% for the team. The third quarter saw the Leopards of old return. The backs tightened up with some great examples from Kurtis, Dylan and Antony. Ben was moved to Centre Half Forward and Jesse to Full Forward as the Leopards tried to straighten up. They both soon rewarded the team with great goals, but none as special as Bomber's snap from the pocket, what a goal!

The Leopards were in front as the final quarter started and the coaches simply said lets do it again. And do it they did. The Grange decided to play the man not the ball and our boys didn't let that stop them. They fought hard and when the final siren sounded celebrated long and hard.

Too many great players this week to mention, well done boys, you truly did what we asked of you. Enjoy the break from games for two weeks, training is still on so see you there.

U14 Calamvale/Kenmore vs Alexandra Hills

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Leopards/C'wood Park vs Beenleigh

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This weekends game was played against Beenleigh at the Collingwood Parkground. The ground was in very good condition, though it was a little wet underfoot at one end, due to the stuff that fell from the sky the night before, I think its called "rain". Dom won the toss and elected to go with the wind in the first quarter. The boys didn't disappoint by kicking 6 goals straight before we registered our first behind. There were some brilliant passages of play and the boys looked for each other on numerous occasions. We finished the quarter with 8 goals and 3 behinds and kept Beenleigh scoreless. The second quarter saw Beenleigh come out and play a different brand of football and outscored us 2 goals to one with the wind. The back line did a terrific job keeping Beenleigh to that score considering the ball was down their end for most of the quarter. well done guys. The third quarter saw us squander some good opportunities and to Beenleigh's credit, they kept the pressure on and played a "keepings off" style of football. Our boys adapted pretty well to this and on several occasions forced the turnovers. Unfortunately we only scored 1 goal 5 behinds in the quarter. The last quarter into the wind saw "Coach Leigh" swap a lot of players around, most of our regular forwards were put into the backline to counterthe effects of the increasing velocity of the wind. This proved to be a master stroke because we increased our lead and kicked 3 goals to 1 into the wind. Best players this week included Danny Woods (B.O.G) Brandon Symons (4 goals), Mitchell Ogle (3 goals), Jason Vergunst (2 goals), Dylan Heuser (2 goals), Dylan Coombs & Joe Goodall. Final Score : Calamvale - Collingwood Park 14/11 95 Defeated Beenleigh 404/01 25 We play Jindalee next game @ Calamvale on Friday 13th July. These guys are equal top with us, so this looks like a very tough game that I believe we can win and go a game clear on top of the ladder The under 16's are training throughout the holidays, so those that need to work on their fitness (Jarrad) will need to attend all sessions.

COMING EVENTS

DON'T FORGET TO GET YOUR GOAL-A-THON FORM BACK IN BY MONDAY!

U15 Girls:

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This week both games were held at Morningside. After such a long break the Girls turned up a little bit rusty and some not feeling all that well. Both games didn't see the girls playing their usual standard of game, but they still fought hard to the end. Its amazing the difference training can make. Our first game (Leopards Red) against Morningside was a lot tougher than I think we expected. The girls seemed to be a little bit shocked, but hit back hard and ran out to win the game **12.9.81 to Morningside 0.1.1**. Goalscorers were: Jessica 5, Stephanie 3, Crystal and Casey 2 each.

Leopards blue game up against last years Premiers Kedron. Due to the way the draw is, we were unsure of what the game would hold in store for us. Kedron hit hard outscoring us 2 points to 1 in the first quarter. The Girls decided to dig deep and show us what they were made of, running out winners **8.9.57 to Kedron 0.2.2**. Goalscorers were: Crystal 3, Bianca 2, Madeline, Teneal and Jessica 1

TEAM PHOTOS

Team photos have been booked and the timetable is as follows. U10's please note: unfortunately your games are away on this date – photos are scheduled for before (red) & after (blue) your games.

Team	Date	Time
Girls U15	Sun-Jul-22	10:00am
U8 Tigers	Sat-Jul-28	9:00am
U8 Roos	Sat-Jul-28	9:10am
U9 Blue	Sat-Jul-28	9:20am
U10 Red	Sat-Jul-28	9:30am
U11 Red	Sat-Jul-28	9:40am
U9 Red	Sat-Jul-28	9:50am
Umpires	Sat-Jul-28	10:00am
U8 Eagles	Sat-Jul-28	10:10am
U8 Hawks	Sat-Jul-28	10:20am
U8 Saints	Sat-Jul-28	10:30am
U11 Blue	Sat-Jul-28	10:40am
U 12	Sat-Jul-28	10:50am
U10 Blue	Sat-Jul-28	11:20am
U11 Gold	Sat-Jul-28	11:10am
U 14	Sat-Jul-28	11:30am
U 16 (at Logan Cobras)	Sun-Jul-29	11:00am

*Please note the draw is subject to last minute time & venue changes made by BJAFL. Always confirm details with your coach.

Week 11						
Age	Date	Time	Home Team	Vs	Away Team	Location
8	Sat-Jul-14	9:00 AM	Saints	Vs	Roos	PARK RIDGE (Ump: Steph B)
8	Sat-Jul-14	9:00 AM	Eagles/Pies	Vs	Hawks	CALAMVALE (Ump: Dylan W)
8	Sat-Jul-14	10:00 AM	Tigers	Vs	Hawks	CALAMVALE (Ump: Oliver S)
9	Sat-Jul-14	10:00 AM	Leopards Blue	Vs	Leopards Red	CALAMVALE (Ump: Steph S)
10	Sat-Jul-14	9:00 AM	Yeronga Red	Vs	Leopards Red	Yeronga - Oval 2
10	Sat-Jul-14	10:00 AM	West's Juniors Maroon	Vs	Leopards Blue	West's Juniors
11	Sat-Jul-14	10:00 AM	Sherwood Black	Vs	Leopards Blue	sherwood
11	Sat-Jul-14	11:00 AM	Leopards Red	Vs	Leopards Gold	CALAMVALE
12	Sat-Jul-14	12:30 PM	Calamvale Leopards	Vs	Caboilture	CALAMVALE
14	Sun-Jul-15	9:30 AM	Calamvale/Kenmore 2	Vs	Sthrn Redbacks	CALAMVALE
14	Sun-Jul-15	11:00 AM	Springwood 1	Vs	Calamvale Leopards	Springwood
16	Fri-Jul-13	7:30 PM	Calamvale/C/Park	Vs	Jindalee	CALAMVALE
15 Girls	Sun-Jul-15	9:00 AM	Kedron	Vs	Calamvale 1	KEDRON
15 Girls	Sun-Jul-15	10:00 AM	Morningside	Vs	Calamvale 2	KEDRON

Week 12						
Age	Date	Time	Home Team	Vs	Away Team	Location
8	Sat-Jul-21	9:00 AM	Saints	Vs	Tigers	PARK RIDGE
8	Sat-Jul-21	9:00 AM	Eagles/Pies	Vs	Roos	CALAMVALE
8	Sat-Jul-21	8:00am	Hawks	Vs	Roos	CALAMVALE
9	Sat-Jul-21	9:00 AM	Jindalee Yellow	Vs	Leopards Blue	Jindalee
9	Sat-Jul-21	10:00 AM	Forest Lake Yellow	Vs	Leopards Red	Forest Lake
10	Fri-Jul-20	6:30 PM	Leopards Red	Vs	Ipswich Cheetahs	CALAMVALE
10	Sat-Jul-21	10:00 AM	Collingwood Park	Vs	Leopards Blue	Collingwood Park
11	Sat-Jul-21	10:00 AM	Leopards Blue	Vs	Kenmore Green	CALAMVALE
11	Sat-Jul-21	10:30 AM	Leopards Red	Vs	Kenmore White	Kenmore
11	Sat-Jul-21	11:30 AM	Mt Gravatt	Vs	Calamvale Leopards Gold	Mt Gravatt
12	Fri-Jul-20	7:30 PM	Calamvale Leopards	Vs	Alexandra Hills 1	CALAMVALE
14	Fri-Jul-20	6:30 PM	Beenleigh	Vs	Calamvale Leopards	Beenleigh
14	Sat-Jul-21	1:30 PM	Springwood 2	Vs	Calamvale/Kenmore 2	Springwood
16	Sat-Jul-21	12:30 PM	Ipswich	Vs	Calamvale/C/Park	Collingwood Park
15 Girls	Sun-Jul-22	9:00 AM	Yeronga 1	vs	Morningside	CALAMVALE
15 Girls	Sun-Jul-22	10:00 AM	Yeronga 2	Vs	Kedron	CALAMVALE
15 Girls	Sun-Jul-22	11:00 AM	Bulldogs	Vs	Calamvale 1	CALAMVALE
15 Girls	Sun-Jul-22		Calamvale 2	vs	BYE	CALAMVALE

Week 13						
Age	Date	Time	Home Team	Vs	Away Team	Location
8	Sat-Jul-28	8:00 AM	Tigers	Vs	Roos	CALAMVALE
8	Sat-Jul-28	9:00 AM	Tigers	Vs	Eagles/Pies	CALAMVALE
8	Sat-Jul-28	9:00 AM	Saints	Vs	Hawks	PARK RIDGE
9	Sat-Jul-28	10:00 AM	Leopards Blue	Vs	Kenmore White	CALAMVALE
9	Sat-Jul-28	10:00 AM	Leopards Red	Vs	Sherwood White	CALAMVALE
10	Sat-Jul-28	9:00 AM	Sherwood White	Vs	Leopards Blue	Sherwood
10	Sat-Jul-28	11:00 AM	Wests Juniors White	Vs	Leopards Red	Wests Juniors
11	Sat-Jul-28	11:00 AM	Leopards Red	Vs	Forest Lake	CALAMVALE
11	Sat-Jul-28	12:30 PM	Leopards Blue	Vs	Leopards Gold	CALAMVALE
12	Sat-Jul-28		Calamvale Leopards	Vs	BYE	CALAMVALE
14	Sat-Jul-28	2:00 PM	Calamvale Leopards	Vs	Aspley 3	CALAMVALE
14	Sun-Jul-29	10:30 AM	Redlands 2	Vs	Calamvale/Kenmore 2	Redlands
16	Sun-Jul-29	12:00 PM	Logan Cobras	Vs	Calamvale/C/Park	Logan Cobras
15 Girls	Sun-Jul-29	9:00 AM	Calamvale 1	Vs	Yeronga 1	YERONGA
15 Girls	Sun-Jul-29	10:00 AM	Calamvale 2	Vs	Yeronga 2	YERONGA

ALL TEAMS PLAYING @ HOME: please remember to supply volunteers for the canteen for any home game. A huge thankyou to all teams - your cooperation with this has seen the canteen running smoothly this season!

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