

# CROYDON CITY ARROWS

## JUNIOR NEWSLETTER

### APRIL 2009



*I hope you enjoyed your first week of "official" games for the 2009 season.*

*There were a couple of teething problems to be sorted out as is the case at the start of every season but all in all things ran fairly smoothly.*

*Thank you to those who have volunteered to give up their time to volunteer as team managers and coaches this season.*

*There was a great turn out of players and their families at Dorset yesterday with several teams getting the first run on the "big pitch" this season. For those who didn't don't worry every team will get a turn.*

*All results are on page 3.*

*Cheers*

*Craig White  
Junior President*

### 2009 Shirts & Club Apparel

You may have noticed some of the teams in our new Kelme shirts. These are the same as the senior men and women play in.

We won a grant from Safeways in late 2008 for new shirts for the girls teams. Boys team will be provided with the same in 2009.

In the mean time though, any boys teams that can secure a sponsor can also access these new shirts in 2009. The U12A boys have already done so.

Club warm up jackets, beanies and polos are available for purchase. We would love to see all the kids in matching jackets and as such are reducing the price on most items. Please ask your team manager to inquire or order for you.

### Social Events / Fundraising

#### Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> May

The senior girls are holding a comedy fundraising/social night at the club. Dennis Coard (Croydon City parent, accomplished actor and entertainer) will present an array of characters. \$15 per head. Drinks at bar prices.

#### Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> May

##### **Bunnings BBQ – North Croydon**

We are looking for volunteers from each team before and/or after their games this Sunday. While Sunday is not the most ideal day for an event like this it was the only time we could get and it can raise very good money.

If each team can provide 2 volunteers to share a shift with another team it will cover us.

Nigel White will be in touch with your teams during the week.

#### Chocolates

Chocolates will be distributed to each family in early May. Team Managers will be contacted regarding the distribution process.

#### Also to be confirmed

Christmas in July  
Trivia Night

### Coaches and Team Managers

The team managers met last week.

Ian Postlewaite spoke on behalf of the FFV gave us a run down on the expectations from the referees and FFV in 2009.

Referees have been instructed to penalise players for abusive language, dissent, incorrect uniforms and so on. Nothing new but we are told that these will be strictly enforced with consistency. Clubs will also be penalised heavily for poor behaviour by players, team officials and spectators.

Please bear this in mind when we turn out for games each week.

To lighten things up we finished off with a "pep" talk from well renowned coach and trainer Bobby McLachlan. Bobby reminded us that it was all about the kids, their enjoyment and development.

Thanks to you all for attending.

**Game Day Reminders**  
(for coaches, players, team managers and spectators)

- All information regarding pitches will be available at the canteen. Please check there before proceeding to a ground regardless of what any previous schedule may say. Pitch use can be subject to conditions and fixture changes.
- Team sheets must be completed and handed to referees at least 20minutes before games. All sections must be completed.
- Marshall's vests must be worn by at least two people per home team. These are available at the canteen for the first games of the day and should be passed on to the next team or handed back to the canteen after your game.
- The referee should be escorted by marshalls to and from the pitch at start, half-time and end of games.
- Stretchers must be put out for all games.
- As several teams will be using the change rooms please hold pre-match talks on the pitch if there is a team waiting for the change room.
- Remove rubbish from grounds and change rooms after your team is finished with it.
- If you are playing at home please remember to phone in your team's scores on 9474-1888 before 5pm. The club will be fined for all scores not reported.

**Other bits and pieces**

**Website**

The website is currently under construction and should be fully operational again in the near future.

**New Player?**

Congratulations to our Treasurer Jon Inch and his wife Robynne on the arrival of their new baby Samuel. A budding Croydon City Arrows player of the future no doubt.



**\*\*\* SSF U6-U8 \*\*\***

SSF (formerly know as SSG and Goalkick) starts up again this Saturday morning at Ainslie Park. If you have not already registered please come along this Saturday at 9.15am with your boots and shinpads. All new players are welcome so please feel free to bring a friend.

**Junior Committee**

Craig White  
President (043 888 9992)  
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Mark Cookney  
Secretary (0438 889 992)  
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Junior Team Co-ordinator (0412 147 640)  
Paul Beresford  
General Committee  
Nigel White  
General Committee  
David Schneider  
General Committee

### **RESULTS FROM ROUND 1**

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Rnd</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Home Team</b>		<b>Away Team</b>
SSF East 10 Kangaroo Red (Sat)	1	25 Apr 09 11:00AM	Croydon City Arrows	-	FC Bulleen Lions 2
SSF East 10 Kangaroo Yellow (Sat)	1	25 Apr 09 11:00AM	Croydon City Arrows	-	FC Bulleen Lions 2
SSF East 10 Joeys Blue (Sat)	1	25 Apr 09 11:00AM	Mooroolbark	-	Croydon City Arrows
SSF East 10 Joeys Lime (Sat)	1	25 Apr 09 11:00AM	Mooroolbark	-	Croydon City Arrows
Mens State League Div 3 South-East Res	4	25 Apr 09 1:00PM	Berwick City	1 - 3	Croydon City Arrows
Mens State League Div 3 South-East	4	25 Apr 09 3:00PM	Berwick City	0 - 1	Croydon City Arrows
Boys East 11 Kangaroos Green	1	26 Apr 09 9:00AM	Croydon City Arrows	0 - 7	FC Bulleen Lions
Boys East 11 Joeys Yellow SSF Pilot	1	26 Apr 09 9:00AM	Croydon City Arrows	1 - 6	Mooroolbark 1
Boys East 12 A	1	26 Apr 09 10:10AM	Croydon City Arrows	1 - 1	FC Bulleen Lions
Boys East 12 D	1	26 Apr 09 10:10AM	Croydon City Arrows	0 - 6	Whitehorse Utd
Girls Metro 12 B	1	26 Apr 09 10:15AM	Brunswick Zebras	0 - 0	Croydon City Arrows
Womens Metropolitan League South-East	1	26 Apr 09 11:00AM	Ringwood City	0 - 0	Croydon City Arrows
Womens BFA	3	26 Apr 09 11:00AM	Langwarrin	0 - 3	Croydon City Arrows
Boys East 13 B	1	26 Apr 09 11:20AM	Whitehorse Utd	0 - 3	Croydon City Arrows
Boys East 13 C	1	26 Apr 09 11:20AM	Glen Waverley	3 - 1	Croydon City Arrows
Boys South East 13 D	1	26 Apr 09 11:20AM	Croydon City Arrows	0 - 4	Knox City
Girls S/E 16 C	1	26 Apr 09 11:30AM	Croydon City Arrows	7 - 1	Beaumaris
Boys S/E 14 Super League	1	26 Apr 09 12:30PM	Croydon City Arrows	0 - 3	FC Bulleen Lions
Boys East 14 D	1	26 Apr 09 12:30PM	Glen Waverley	0 - 6	Croydon City Arrows
Girls Metro 13 C	1	26 Apr 09 12:30PM	Sunbury Utd	0 - 0	Croydon City Arrows
Boys East 15 C	1	26 Apr 09 1:45PM	Croydon City Arrows	9 - 1	Glen Eira
Girls Metro 15 A	1	26 Apr 09 1:45PM	Diamond Valley Utd	1 - 2	Croydon City Arrows
Boys East 15 D	1	26 Apr 09 1:45PM	Croydon City Arrows	1 - 6	Sherbrooke Rangers
Thirds League Div 4 South-East	1	26 Apr 09 2:00PM	Croydon City Arrows	5 - 1	Beaumaris
Girls Metro 15 D	1	26 Apr 09 3:15PM	Yarra Jets	1 - 1	Croydon City Arrows

