



## MATCH REPORTS

**Under 12** Sunday saw us head to Mooroolbark. Having looked at some of their previous results gave me the opportunity to play some players in different positions and give some other players more time on the park. We started off a bit unorganised but slowly started to get the ball out wide and around the Mooroolbark defence. Gemma on the left and Emily on the right were working well which led to a great goal by Emily with a chip over the keepers head and into the back of the net. Mooroolbark made some attacks into our half but with good defending we managed to keep them out. It wasn't long before we got back into Mooroolbark's goal box where Sean Watt sneaked one in past the goalie. The second half saw us make some changes to the team, our next goal took about 15 seconds to score and the team went on to totally dominate Mooroolbark scoring 8 goals in the second half. It was great to see the team starting to play the way we have been training and we look forward to a catch up match against Mooroolbark at home this weekend. Coach Martyn

**Under 11 – Blue Team** This week we played our opponents Knox from the previous week, unfortunately the result went the same way, as did our teams performance. To lift our performance, players must be prepared to do these three simple things

1. go to the player with the ball and TACKLE – don't just watch and wait for the opponent with the ball
2. one EFFORT is just OK – second and third efforts to win the ball are excellent
3. MAN-UP – if we don't have the ball find an opponent near your position

The coaches are working very hard on teaching the players the basic skills of kicking, passing, dribbling and controlling the ball, and we can see excellent improvement in all players. The coaches can encourage you to put the effort in, but we can't do it for you, it's up to YOU to put in the effort on the pitch and have a desire to win the ball. *This week Luke showed the way and played a cracking game – getting stuck in, tackling hard, using his body to win the ball, he also dribbled the ball and passed it brilliantly. It's Luke's first season at soccer and I can see that the training on Monday and Thursday nights is improving his skills quickly, well done Luke.* Coach Ben

**Under 11 – Red Team** Last weekend we played a team way above the standard we ourselves are at, but as I said, it is where we have to aim for if we want to start winning games. As a group of players you have to work hard, and to the best of your ability complete the drills set out in training. At home you must all get a ball for 15 min a day and dribble it around, using both feet, inside and out, a tennis ball inside the house would be better. *My player for the day was Liam Fitz who tackled well and had some great Kick out's.* Coach Doug

### Under 9 – Blue Team

On Saturday we were to take on Mooroolbark. We have had a good record against these kids in the past, and as usual the kids were full of enthusiasm. The weather held off us and it was quite a nice day. I asked for a couple of bench players, and to my surprise everybody put up their hands!! We started off very well with a 3-3 set up with Lachlan in goal. From the start the kids held their position's very well, and it really showed against the other team who ran round in a pack. Unfortunately they managed a goal, which was really against the run of play, but to their credit the kids were straight back into the fray. It is really beginning to show which kids can be given a role and stick to it, and some need more encouragement and direction, but that is why I am there, otherwise I would be out of a job! The game may have ended up with a loss, but the positioning and overall game play was great. On Thursday I am (once again) going to work on passing while moving. All the kids played great and it would be great to special mention all of them, but I am going to single out 2 individuals. Lachlan who was brilliant in goals and saved more shots than I can remember, and Jasper (smaller Jasper) who ran all day tackled and tried fell down, got up, tried again, fell down and got up and tried again, what a great effort. *But my man of the match was Tylah who went straight into midfield and worked hard and held position, came off for a rest and went into defence and switched straight to that role without much direction.* Coach Nick

**Under 9 – Red Team** A cold rainy morning was the setting for this weeks game, meaning a long warm up with lots of running to get the boys warm was most definitely needed! The game kicked off with the boys attacking strong, peppering the goals from all angles of the pitch. Paddy was defending well as usual, keeping Boronia's chances limited. Jackson was pushing up from his defensive position, supporting Nando and Ethan up front. Tyrese held his position well all game, making sure he didn't get caught ball watching. A break down the right wing and a shot from almost half way from Harrison saw the ball bounce awfully in the wet, trickling passed the goal keeper. A boost in confidence from the goal saw the boys attacking more than ever, with only the last kick stopping us from extending our lead. Padraic came on for Ethan and played a similar attacking role. Boronia hit back on the quick break a few times to take the lead 2-1. The boys heads never went down, and kept hassling the Boronia goal keeper, with it paying off after another great on target shot from Harrison. With the end result looking like a draw, the boys went into attack mode. Some quick long goal kicks and throws from Josh saw us attacking for the majority of the remaining minutes, but the finishes were just off the mark. Boronia were also looking for the win, keeping our defence on their toes, but even some last ditch effort tackling from Rhyes couldn't stop the ball falling to a Boronia lad's feet to slot it away to seal the win at 3-2. Very unlucky this week boys. Some great passing and attacking moves saw us create some good chances that can lead to a win in the near future. More goals and wins are coming our way! *Man of the match goes to Harrison for 2 great goals.* Coach Kai.

## FIXTURES

### Under 12

Boys East - North East 12 E  
Sunday 13 June 2010 10:10am Kick-off  
HOME vs Mooroolbark JSC  
Keith Hume Fraser Reserve  
Swansea Road, Montrose  
Map Reference 52F5  
Coach **Martyn Andrews** 0419 103 117



### Under 11 – Blue Team

East SSF Boys 11 Joeys (Sat)  
Saturday 12 June 2010 9:00am  
BYE  
Coach **Ben Clark** 0433 667 966

### Under 11 – Red Team

East SSF Boys 11 Joeys (Sun)  
Sunday 13 June 2010  
BYE  
Coach **Doug Nolan** 0433 026 338

### Under 9 – Blue Team

East SSF Boys 9 Joeys (Sat)  
Saturday 12 June 2010  
BYE  
Coach **Nick Allison** 0400 572 319

### Under 9 – Red Team

East SSF Boys 9 Joeys (Sun)  
Sunday 13 June 2010  
BYE  
Coach **Kai Turner** 0422 766 951

### Under 6 and 7 Gala Day

Saturday 19 June 2010  
Host: Croydon City Arrows  
Coach **James Fitzsimons** 0400 824 222

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# MELBOURNE HEART COACHING CLINIC

The new A-League team Melbourne Heart is holding a coaching clinic at Montrose for all Montrose Junior players on Saturday June 19th from 2pm – 4pm.

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Under 7 and 9 teams clinic – 2pm – 3pm  
Under 11 and 12 teams clinic – 3pm – 4pm.

## MONTROSE GEAR

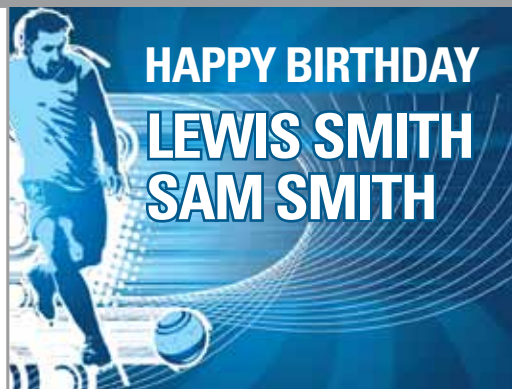
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## CROYDON GALA DAY – 19TH JUNE

Where: Croydon City Arrows, Dorset Reserve, Croydon (Mel 51 B6)  
When: 19th June, 2010 from 9:30am – 12.15pm

The players had a great day at the Ringwood Gala Day, Fitzy has been working the players hard at training ready to take on the best at the Croydon, Gala Day - bring it on! Our teams need to be put into the Croydon organisers. Below are the teams, please let your coach know the players availability. One game leader will be required for each of the teams. Please see Carli Clark if you can assist.

Under 6	Under 7	Under 7
Elijah Barlow	Olivia Byrne	Logan Batchelor
Gus Clark	Harrison Davis	Josh Oakes
Rory Pope	Jasmine Drummond	Orlando Russell
Alex Van Duuren	Joel Hull	Linkin Tirchett
	William Rennie	Ethan Fitzsimons



## MONTY MUMBLE

**PLAYERS WANTED** If you have brothers, sisters or friends between the ages of 5 to 12 encourage them to give soccer a try at Montrose. They can attend a training session or two to see if they like it before registering.

**BOOT BIN** If you have any old boots or boots that are too small and want to get rid of them, bring them down to the club and we will set up a second hand boot program. All our kids feet are growing and we hope that your boots might help someone else out and we can do the same for you.

**JUNIORS WEBSITE** Checkout the new Montrose Junior Soccer Club website. The website will be updated on a regular basis with heaps of information – 2010 season fixtures, results and match reports as well as codes of conduct, social events, general news, sponsors and photos.



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