

The Goalpost

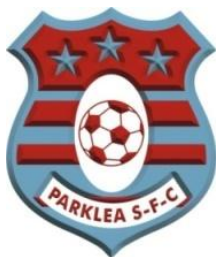
Parklea SFC
Official Newsletter

Edition # 11

This edition covers:

Round 11

(Covers the junior
Round 10 matches)



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Round 11 in Review (these stats do not include Rooball)	
Total number of games played	46
Total wins	25
Total losses	16
Total draws	5
Goals scored	105
Goals conceded	76
Number of clean sheets	16
Highest individual team score	12 - 0 (U12-2s)
Win/Loss ratio	54.35%

NB: All received junior Round 10 matches have been included in this newsletter



Team: Under 6 Whales

Versus: Blacktown Workers FC

Player of the Match: Brad Hoefsmit



It was a fantastic start to the game with Bailey making the first kick for the Whales.

Max made a good try for a goal in the first half.

Brad made an impressive pass during the game, with Alex passing from the sideline after Blacktown Workers kicked it out. Well done to Brad who kicked our first goal!

Some excellent kicks and passes were made by Matthew and Ethan. It was a well played first half.

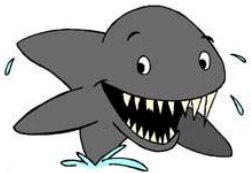
Our Whales did the kick off in the second half. Ethan made good attempt at a goal early in the second half, and Micah did a good passing kick to Max who went on to score.

All in all our Whales played very well against a strong team. It was great to see those ball passing skills being practiced.

Well done Whales! We are proud of you! And a well-deserved congratulations to Brad who was awarded our player of the week!!!

Coach: Michael Cyrulla

Manager: Marek Mulaczyk



Team: Under 6 Sharks

Versus: Rooty Hill RSL

Player of the Match: Oliver Duffy



In warm weather (at least for winter) and under clear skies we welcomed the visit of our opponents from Rooty Hill RSL for our Round 11 match at Morgan Power Reserve.

For the entire first half the U6 Sharks laid siege to their opponent's goal. In doing so we created numerous opportunities and took many shots. The U6 Sharks were relentless and were very unlucky not to score more goals. The half time break stopped the team's momentum and so we made a slow start to the second half. However, the U6 Sharks defended their goal with some courageous tackling and shot blocking. The team rallied late to pressure our opponents into scoring an own goal.

- Oliver made some timely tackles and passes to deservedly receive the 'Player of the Match' award.
- Erika scored another brace of fine goals with her determination and skill.
- Petar defended the team's goal with his usual tenacity and stoicism.
- Lucas supported his team mates in general play with enthusiasm.
- Harry was very committed in his marking of opposing players at set pieces.

Well done U6 Sharks!!!!

Coach: Ken Joseph

Manager: Bobby and Deanne Karadjov



Team: Under 6 Magpies

Versus: Glenwood

Player of the Match: Bailey Vassallo



It was great to get out there after all the rain although it took a little longer for the boys to get back into game mode after the break.

However, with Nathan's encouragement (and of course parent's assisting) it wasn't long before the ball found the net.

Heath was ever present with his attacking style of powering through the opposition along with Xander who was there to collect the stray balls that escaped from the pack.

Xander was again strong with firing the ball back up the field to James who was on a mission this week and made many breaks back up towards the goal only to be met with some good defence by the opposition.

Sean and Declan got in amongst it again and were there chasing down the opposition and turning the ball back into their half.

You showed great defence boys and good tackling without backing down.

Bailey was ever present and the most consistent with tackling and getting some great passes in so deserved to be player of the match this week.

Coach: Nathan Finch

Manager: Deanne Plumridge



Team: Under 7 Kookaburras

Versus: Newbury Bulls

Player of the Match: Ashlea Speedman



Player of the Match was very well deserved for Ashlea. This was her best game so far, full of energy and confidence and excellent technical skills, she is learning fast! She told me before the game that she would score and guess what, she scored a fantastic goal. Well done Ashlea.

Jet also had an outstanding game today; he was making really good forward runs as well as coming back to help defend when he got the chance.

Jeremy also made some good runs forward and tackled hard and both were unlucky not to score.

Antonia made some important tackles for the team, and Max was dribbling the ball very well. Max's kicks from the side were fantastic, really powerful and always put his team in good attacking positions.



Great running from Drew and his speed meant that he was able to catch up with Newbury players on a couple of occasions to stop what would have been goals.

Marcus was once again all over the pitch and seemed to pop up wherever the ball happened to be. He dribbled well and once nearly got through the whole Newbury team, just missing the goal.

Rhiannah's turn as defender today worked well and she got the idea of staying back and making those important tackles. She did this bravely and managed to make a number of good passes to her teammates.

Well done all round and the teamwork is great to see. For some strange reason the stand-in referee blew for a penalty / free kick in front of our goal (Penalties in Rooball?) And it was great to see every Parklea player rush back to block the shot.

Brilliant work guys.

Coach: Qas Akhtar

Manager: Anna-Maria Panayi



Team: Under 7 Kangaroos

Versus: Lourdes

Player of the Match: Matthew McLellan



What a beautiful day to be playing soccer. The boys had never played Lourdes before as our last game with them was washed out and it proved to be a very tough game.

With had all players on deck and thought they may have forgotton how to play but they proved us wrong.

Harley scored a hat-trick with help from some great passing from Isaac and Callum. Matty was everywhere tackling the ball and so was jack. Seena was giving some great oders on the field.

All the boys played well once again and it was a hard choice for played of the match but it went to Matthew.

Coach: Jay Sheffield

Manager: Kerrie Stallard



Team: Under 8 Wombats

Versus: Prospect

Player of the Match: Jack Mantarro



After the break due to the wet weather, the boys were keen to get on the field.

Ben was goalie and the first half and had a very quiet time with nothing getting past him. In the 2nd half his hard work payed off with 3 goals.

Josh showed great defence all game, really testing the opposition.

Aaron is still improving each week and gave some great passes to the other boys to help set up some great goals.

Jack was a powerhouse all game with great defence and attack and was rewarded with four goals and the Man of the Match award.

Jordyn showed his great defence skills during the first half and did a great job as goalie in the second half, nothing getting past him.

Angus hung out the back in his usual position and was rewarded with his first goal.

Christian used his big boot to get the ball from one end of the field to the other and helped the boys with some great passing.

With a couple of the boys away, the boys showed great determination to keep going with no reserves. Great job boys – keep up the good work!

Coach: Claude Mantarro

Manager: Sandy Van Noort

Team: Under 9/6 Black

Versus: Glenwood Black

Score: 11 – 0 (win) – Round 10 Match

Player of the Match: Luke McCarthy



Once again we were versing Glenwood Black but this time on our turf. We went on the field with no reserves but unfortunately for Glenwood they were 2 players short.

The conditions were a bit wet and soggy underfoot but we didn't let that worry us.

Glenwood tried their best but the game turned into a bit of a goal-fest. Everyone played well, the defence once again prohibited them from scoring and some new scorers contributed to the points tally:

Todd 4; Luke 2; Bella 2; Cyrus 1; Nathan 1; Liam 1.

I hope I've got that right!!! - Well done team!!

Coach: Mark White

Manager: Ainsley Shaw



Team: Under 9/6 Black

Versus: Glenwood Red

Score: 1 – 0 (win) - Round 11 Match

Player of the Match: Liam Shaw



Having not been able to play or train for a couple of weeks the guys were a bit rusty when they first hit the paddock. It was a fresh, crisp, early start which didn't help.

Soon enough we were finding our stride and passing well between players. Our defence once again did a great job in keeping the ball away from our goal except for one incident when they had a little nap. Liam came alive and was able to stop the opposition from scoring.

The second half saw some more attempts at goal but we were finding it hard to penetrate the defence and needed to take our shots from further out. Daniel was the lone scorer of the game with a great shot which just made it past the keeper.

Hopefully the weather will be kind to us from now on and we can keep training and maintain our undefeated status.

Well done Parklea!

Coach: Mark White

Manager: Ainsley Shaw

Team: Under 9/6 Red

Versus: Quakers Hill Tigers

Score: 4 – 0 (win) - Round 10 Match

Player of the Match: Sohil Sahgal (hat-trick)



Well, what a change from Saturday's game. It took a while to warm up but then there was no stopping the enthusiasm and pressure the Reds displayed throughout the remainder of the game. Sohil was on fire and his determination won him the first hat-trick of the season. The other goal came from Joshua K who persisted in attack.

All players must be commended for their attitude to this game. The narrow loss on Saturday did not worry them and there were so many near-misses and some great runs from all players. A special mention must go to Lachie whose attempt at goal missed by the narrowest of margins. The conditions were not ideal but it didn't bother the team.

It was unfortunate that the Tigers could only field 9 players and this would have affected their stamina, especially in the second half.

The Most Improved Player award went to Lachlan Johnson. Our wishes go out to Amy for a speedy recovery.

Coach: Rusty Klein

Manager: David Johnson



Team: Under 9/6 Red

Versus: Glenwood Red

Score: 2 – 1 (win) - Round 11 Match

Player of the Match: Josh Thomas



What a sizzling start from the Glenwood Reds and what a wakeup call for our guys. A goal against us in the opening minutes surprised everyone but then we settled down and played our game which brought two goals in the first half... one from Ella and one from Callum. There were three really good attempts but we just couldn't find the net.

The first half finished 2-1 and that is how the game ended. The second half was spent firmly in the Glenwood Reds half but we again couldn't score although the team was on fire.

There were brilliant displays of passing and defence which carried us through to the final minute.

Player of the Match was Josh Thomas.

Most Improved Player was Jaden.

A great effort and we look forward with confidence to next Saturday.

Coach: Rusty Klein

Manager: David Johnson

Team: Under 10/2s

Versus: Quakers Hill

Score: 1 – 1 (draw) – Round 10 Match

Player of the Match: Conor Atkins



The last game of a very long wet weekend saw us dominate the Quakers Hill team for long periods of the match but again, not have much luck on the goal front. Our passing movement was at times excellent and we were complimented by the opposition's coach.

CJ (Conor) got the Player of the Match for some excellent midfield work closing down and working in a new partnership with Josh to make the midfield ours!

Chris got the Encouragement Award for having a hard go at the defending midfielder role.

The defensive unit worked hard throughout the game giving Quakers little encouragement or reward. It was a real shame about the equaliser as there was little to no chance of 9 and 10 year old boys stopping a point blank free kick especially one that was hit that hard.

The restructured midfield had a much better day and all today's awards went to midfield players. Josh and CJ put a bit of steel in there and Blake and Chris had a red hot go too.

The strikers should now be petitioning Sepp Blatter for the introduction of goal line technology because they were convinced 3 goals went in but were dragged out by the keeper and the goals didn't stand. If goal line technology does get introduced, can anyone find Evan's tooth that was knocked out during the game? If it crossed the line, does that count as a win????



Coach Nev said, *“That was such a great display, each game this weekend has been an excellent team effort and to dominate that game on the back of 2 hard games was fantastic. Again to cover for players away, a big thanks to both Heaths (Chelsea and Simmo) from the 10-3’s, it was good to be reunited and an awesome game boys as usual.”*

Coach: Nev Ashton

Manager: Linda Wyton

Team: AA6

Versus: Glenwood

Score: 4 – 2 (win) - Round 11 Match

Player of the Match: Andrew Haddad

The 6’s took the short trip up the M1 to Glenwood Stadium with a small squad.

Mattybutler still in hiding after match fixing allegations, MG out due to a rare Fuji injury, Camelliri out to work injury & Krazy “starlight” Karl recovering again from surgery.

David Childs was left off the team bus this week because of a missing injury and Danny S could not make the trip due to becoming a dad. The club congratulates the happy family and wishes them all the best.

This gave Coach Kenny many headaches after realising that he only had 10 men. This included K man who is still struggling with a hamstring injury.

It didn’t matter though, the 6’s were dominant through most of the match. Ball movement was outstanding, and the shooting was even better.

Royboy broke his goal scoring drought early in the match after what looked to be a well-rehearsed play. Royboy was heard to say “I didn’t even aim! Just closed my eyes and kicked it as hard as I could”.

Andrew H then put a lazy one in from the halfway line. Royboy got the third scoring directly from a corner. Glenwood hit back after some dazzling goalkeeping from Daniel, unfortunately the ball crossed the line though.

The second half saw the 6’s play brilliant in patches. Andrew H scored his second after getting the ball in his own half, dribbling about 50 metres, beating 14 players and shooting from 30 out. Quite possibly the goal of the year.

The 6’s then took the game to a new level and got home by some careful time wasting by kicking the ball out as far as possible and brilliant defence, especially Scott I, Scott E and Baz Chest.

Kenny was proud of his boys today and said that even though the match fixing allegations are still being investigated, the lads showed that they are here to play football and not to worry about what is happening off the pitch.

But when asked about the whereabouts of Childsy, the coach had no comment.

The 6’s next match sees them return Morgan Power Reserve where they hope to continue their unbeaten run of 1. They will be playing relegation fighting Plumpton and coach Kenny has hinted that next week’s squad will be very different.

Coach: Kenny

Manager: Baz



Team: AA10

Versus: Blacktown Workers

Score: 0 – 4 (loss)

Player of the Match: Darryl ‘Dazzler’ Forbes

This highly anticipated clash between teams that are at opposite ends of the table had attracted unprecedented media coverage. Media scrutiny was so great that players from the Parklea Tenacious Tens were put under a media ban leading into the encounter. This meant that the Blacktown Advocate and Blacktown Sun as well as many other high rating local radio stations were deprived of the opinions so close to the action. Twitter accounts lay dormant for days on end.

Finally, game day arrived and after a minor controversy surrounding the whereabouts of the team sheet, the Tenacious Tens took the pitch. Parklea started the match very sluggish and were punished early. The match then settled into a steady pace... Until movements on the Parklea bench momentarily took centre stage. It was the sign of none other than Christos ‘the Adonis’ Panayi. Once the Polonia bench noticed this, they immediately checked the legality of this late replacement. After serious, but controlled negotiations, the matter was settled. Christos ‘the Adonis’ recorded one of his best statistical performances in zero turn overs, zero mistakes and zero free kicks conceded all from zero minutes.

Darryl ‘Dazzler’ Forbes was a worthy winner of the player of the match award. Darryl played whilst suffering from a virus; in fact a reliable source sighted the Dazzler signing himself out of hospital against doctors’ wishes only hours before the match. The quality of the Dazzler’s comeback has not been witnessed since the days of Lazarus’ resurrection. Christian ‘Macca’ McCarthy was let out of his cage (goals) in the second half and played like a man possessed. Nelson ‘Bay’ Hunt did a fantastic impression of Mark Schwarzer in goals for the second 45mins.

Ronal-Damo, a player known (according to him) for his silky skills played the match in a very physical manner. Nathan ‘Cookie’ Cook had the Polonia defence in a panic on many occasions during the match, whilst Justin ‘don’t call me Bieber’ covered many, many metres during the match trying to set a GPS record.

When all was said and done, the score flattered the deserved winners. Next week, The Parklea Tenacious Tens travel to Davis Rd to take on Premier Spurs SFC in what will be an emotional day for the club as they having the shower block named after one of the clubs greatest sons, Charlie Yankos.

This match will be a cracker!!

Coach:

Manager: Paul Battikha



Team: O35/5s

Versus: Plumpton

Score: 1 – 0 (win)

Player of the Match: Jason Cotter

Over 35/5s Headlines

Is the Barkey Deal still on?



Has the Galatasary deal gone up in smoke? Has Parklea SFC really sold Barkey for an undisclosed sum? Darren Holmes, The Parklea SFC President refuses to confirm or deny that an agreement has been reached. However, in late breaking news it has reported in the Turkish media that the Galatasary club president has turned off the idea. The president, who is a well-known cat lover has stated that he stumbled across a particular youtube video of a Parklea official making fun of cat lovers.....He now wants nothing to do with Parklea SFC....what is this all about? Stay tuned.

Your very first sneak peak of an unreleased Channel 9 promo advertising Steve Owen's new show



Has David Laurence really got something going with Danni Minogue?

Last week David Laurence skipped our match against Riverstone to attend the Kylie Minogue concert. We thought this to be quite strange so we did a little more investigating. Apparently he managed to secure a back stage pass where he got to meet Kylie and hang out with her dancers. However, not only did he meet Kylie but he also met Danni as well. An anonymous source claims that the two hit it off really well. The source sent us the following photo. You be the judge.



The game against Plumpton was a must win for us if we wanted to stay in the hunt for the semi-finals. We started off reasonably well applying some early pressure on the Plumpton defence. Sir Alex is really relishing playing on the field again. His knees seem to be holding up pretty well so far.

The Mozza Zone was activated a number of times throughout the game but unfortunately the radar was slightly off on this night.

Qas played another blinder in this game. He is really enjoying a purple patch at the moment.

Our goal came through the boot of Jason whose persistence was rewarded before half time.



We should have scored more goals but we just could not finish in front of girls.

The game finished with just the one goal. We had to endure a few nervous moments towards the end of the game when Plumpton applied some late pressure. Fortunately our defence and Young Johnny were up to the task.

These were very valuable points. Our march to the semis continues.

Coach:

Manager: Sir Alex