

## OFFICER KANGAROOS JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

### 2021 PRESS REPORTS – Rd5 - 16/05/21

#### **Under U16 Girls**

**Div: 2**

**Officer v Frankston Dolphins Red**

**Officer 0-1-1 def by Frankston 2-6-18**

**Best Players:** S Crothers, K Dalglish, M O'Reilly, S Harris, S Dickinson

A tough uncompromising game of footy, a even first quarter with neither team being able to trouble the scorers. The Dolphins gained score board ascendancy with officer suffering several injuries in the second and third quarters, the last quarter was hard fought by Officer with only one fit player on the bench.

#### **Under: 14 Girls**

**Berwick v Officer JFC**

**Officer 5-3-33 def Berwick 3-4-20**

**Best Players: Team Effort**

**Goal Kickers:** M Walters 2, K Worboys, A Benson, J Ferrara

**Awards:** K Whannell, D Collins, A Baker, A Simpson-braden

Amazing effort from a team who are becoming stronger each week. Officer led the first half by 3 goals, strong in both the forward and backlines. The third quarter saw Berwick kick their first goal and close the gap on the score board. The Roo Girls kept the pressure up, not giving in or up, to take home a great win well fought. Well done Roo Girls!

#### **Under 13 White**

**Div: 1**

**Officer White v Beaconsfield Gold**

**Officer White 06-02-38 def Beaconsfield Gold 03-05-23**

**Goals:** K Boi, C Hoghton, B Irwin, B Pandy, N Williams

**Awards:** K Boi, N Williams, F Kneen, L Entwistle, B Pandy, E Moylan

In the first half Beaconsfield was everywhere and out played the boys pulling away to a 20 point lead. But in the second half we stepped it up, tackling finding the free and pressuring every stoppage, keeping them to just 2 points in the second half and coming away with a 2 goal win. Well done to all the boys in an amazing game.  
Great work by all today. Go ROO BOYS

## **Under 12 Girls**

### **Officer v Narre North Foxes**

**Officer 0-0-0 def by Narre North Foxes 7-2-44**

**Awards:** Taya Mortmer and Isabelle Baille

And absolutely ripper of a game, the last time the Roo girls met Narre was a practice, where they dominated the game. Today the girls didn't get the win, but they also didn't give up. Narre North came out strong but the Roo girls were stronger, all girls held their positions, and moved the ball smoothly up the field. Amelia working hard in the back line and taking some amazing marks, help hold off Narre. These amazing Roo girls are just getting stronger each week, I can really feel it is our turn for a win very soon. Great game Roo Girls

## **Under 12 Blue**

**Div: 2**

### **Officer Blue v Officer White**

**Officer Blue 8-8-56 def Officer White 1-5-11**

**Goals:** S Lagreca 2, C Belsham 2, B Demaio 1, T Davitt 1, W O'Connor 1, D Alcock 1

**Awards:** T Davitt, O Bailey, A Carranza

Today the boys came up against our other under 12 mates Officer White and were asked to continue on our good start to the year with plenty of team work and hard contested football. The first quarter was an arm wrestle and the boys needed to get to work winning the ball and looking for their teammates outside of the congestion. For the following 3 quarters they did this and opened the game up where we ran in numbers to create the best game of team footy so far with plenty of shepherds and 1% acts all over the ground. Another great win boys keep it up.

## **Under 12 White**

**Div: B**

### **Officer White v Officer Blue**

**Officer Blue 8-8-56 def Officer White 1-5-11**

**Best:** A Mills-Smith, S McDonald, F Temba, K Shipway, C Hobson

**Goal Kickers:** T Maunder 1

**Awards:** X Fisher, X Trott, L Bramley, A Mills-Smith

Officer White played at home against Officer Blue. The boys started really strongly controlling play in the first quarter and hitting the scoreboard. The lapse in concentration came in the second quarter allowing the opposition to control the ball on the outside. In the last quarter the boys showed plenty of determination and kept pushing the ball forward. Well done to Callan Hobson on his 50 games, great effort.

## **Under 11 Blue**

**Division: A**

### **Beaconsfield Blue v Officer Blue**

**Officer Blue 8-3-51 def Beaconsfield Blue 0-1-1**

**Goals:** K Dew, J Hanegraaf 2, M Peplow, L Sheean, J Sudweeks 2, C Williams

**Awards:** E Allan, R Beaumont, H Mullholland, J Plunkett

It was a freezing cold day for football and the Officer under 11s had to travel up to Stoney Creek Rd to play Beaconsfield. Both teams had been playing some good football leading up to this match, so today was going to be a cracker (1 v 2). From the opening bounce you could see that Officer wasn't going to have everything go their way. It was one of the toughest first halves of football this team has had to play in a long time with every disposal being pressured. In the second half, Officer kept grinding away at Beaconsfield and started to put more of a score on the board. They kicked five goals in a short period of time. It was one of those days where the scoreboard didn't really reflect the game. It was a tough hard football match and the boys should be proud of the way they played.

Another outstanding team effort. Go Blue Roos!!

### **Under 11 White**

**Div: C**

**Officer White v Pakenham Maroon**

**Officer White 9-10-64 def Pakenham Maroon 1-4-10**

**Best Players:** Team Effort

**Goal Kickers:** J Habib 2, C Woodward 2, Z Nicholas 1, J Fitzsimmons 1, N Faoro 1, A Hunter 1, J May 1

**Awards:** N Faoro, J May, E Paulet, J Fitzsimmons & C Hoult

Impressive teamwork today was rewarded with a commanding win home over Pakenham Maroon. All of the boys showed that the small things on the training track are paying off in the game. Keep up the great work guys, excellent effort today. Well done to the award winners.

### **Under 10 Blue**

**Div: 1**

**Officer Blue v Beaconsfield Gold**

**Goal Kickers:** A Hayes 1, O Latour 1, I Hitchings 1, J Marum 1, Z West 1, Z Medwin 3

**Awards:** Z West, L Siriwardene, L Ramage, A Thomas, W Andrews

The sun was out for today's game as Officer Blue took on Beaconsfield Gold at Upper Beaconsfield. Today saw Officer boys play their toughest game of the season coming up against some strong tackling and a team that went hard at the ball. In the first quarter Officer moved the ball well from the centre and was rewarded with 3 goals to Beaconsfield's 1 point. The second quarter saw both teams playing great football but Officer stood strong, moving the ball well through all the parts of the field and scoring another 2 goals. After half time, Officer Blue continued to move the ball across the field and was rewarded with 3.3. The final quarter was a tight contest with only 1 goal scored by Officer, keeping Beaconsfield scoreless for 3 quarters. An awesome effort by all players!

### **Under 10 White**

**Div: White**

**Officer v Tooradin-Dalmore**

**Awards:** X Fitzgerald, B Ancilleri, T Knaggs, T Ludlow, N Riccuiti

**Todays Captain:** J Macreadie, T Wilson

Tooradin-Dalmore came at the Roo-boys hard and fast. The backline and midfield worked tirelessly all game, keeping their opponent to a single goal in the last term. The Roo-boys never gave up and showed the true Officer spirit and pushed all the way to the final siren.

### **Under 9 Blue**

**Div: 2**

**Narre South Lions Blue v OKJFC Blue**

**Best Players:** A Williamson, M Young, E Gillard and D Isaacs

**Awards:** A Williamson, M Young, E Gillard and D Isaacs

Officer U9 Blue travelled to the Den for their Rd 4 match against the Narre South Lions. Aston McCallum led the team as skipper today and The Lions only had 12 players so OKJFC made sure we helped top their team up. The weather gods were with us again and after a scoreless first qtr. Narre South dominated the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> quarters. In the last quarter the U9 Roos came home strongly with Ollie Main kicking 3 goals and Petelinek 1 to stretch the margin to 7 points at games end. Archie Williamson and Mitchell Young were silky through the middle in the last quarter and throughout the game Ethan Gillard and Darcy Isaacs continued to improve in the middle and backline with their attack at the ball and getting possessions that helped the team score at various times. Another great game against opposition who have really improved since Little Demons Day.

### **Under 9 Black**

**Div: Black**

**Officer Black v Lyndhurst**

**Awards:** Lucius, Caleb, Joshua, Lir and Mehrab

Our 2nd home game for the year & the 10am start suited us, what a day for footy we had with the sun shining.

Our Roo boys are continuing to learn about their positional roles each week & we are seeing the players combine well throughout our games. Just as important our players who have been less confident at the start of the year, are now coming into the games & it's great to see.

A great team effort today by the U9's Black Roo boys!

### **Under 8 White**

**Officer White v Officer Black**

**Goals:** J Fitzpatrick 2, K Hitchings 1, N Mayor 1

**Awards:** C Symons, C Matthey, N Mayor, A Luttgens, K Hitchings

Today the roo kids played at home for a battle against our fellow under 8 officer black team. Once they warmed up they used there drills they learnt from training and played them into there game plan. The roo kids showed great enthusiasm and team spirit once again. We are so proud of you and how far you have come individually and as a team. Well done Roo kids!

**Under 8 Blue**

**Div: B**

**Officer Blue v Tooradin-Dalmore**

**Match Day Captain:** C Telford

**Goals:** D Cowlshaw, R Farkas, S Perkins, J McCasker, J Siriwardene

**Awards:** S Perkins, T Hobson, R Farkas, D Cowlshaw

The Officer team hit the ground running in the first half, kicking goals from all parts of the ground. The straight kicking keeping the goal umpire very busy with all the boys kicking multiple goals. With not a point scored in the 3rd term from both sides, the last quarter seemed to open up a little and the scoring became easier. The Officer boys came off with a smile on their face and are ready for next week's game!

