

THE ROO'S NEWS

The Newsletter of the Officer Kangaroos Junior Football Club

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**Welcome to our Round 8 results
and club update**

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Sunday Night Meals



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SUNDAY NIGHT MEALS CAN BE BOOKED ONLINE AT OKJFC.COM.AU/MEAL-ORDER/

Allocations may change subject to fixture changes that may include a bye that day. Teams listed have up until 9pm Wednesday before to make their booking, then bookings are open to all Club members who would like to have a meal.

Head to www.okjfc.com.au/meals to make your booking

- 5:00pm Social Rooms open for all members
- 6:00pm Meals available and Bar Open
- 7:00pm SHARP - Match Day Awards will be presented by the teams listed
- 8:00pm room clean up and close
- Meals available to all club & family members
- Meal bookings are mandatory
- Meal prices - Kids (\$10) & Adults (\$15)
- AFL footy on the TV's
- Floodlights on for kids to kick the footy
- COVID safe rules will apply

SUNDAY NIGHT MEALS - We've revised our Sunday night meals. We've listened to your feedback and kicked lasagne off the menu. We'll have Chicken Parm's every Sunday night, and are open to all families, not just those who are having their awards presented. Bookings will close every Friday night.

Teams presenting match day awards on the night

26 June	17 July	24 July	1 Aug
U10 Blue	U10 White	U11 Blue	U9 Black
U12 Blue	U11 White	U14 White	U14 Girls
U17 Boys	U13 White	U18 Girls	U14 Blue

Interleague

Congratulations to our OKJFC players who were chosen to represent Division 1 in the Regional Championship Interleague competition over the Queens Birthday weekend (and 3 July).

U13 Boys
Kadyn Shipway
Daniel Bohnemkamp
Cooper Belsham



U15 Metro Girls
Molly Reimers



U14 Girls
Stephanie Dickinson

U18 Girls
Samantha Dickinson



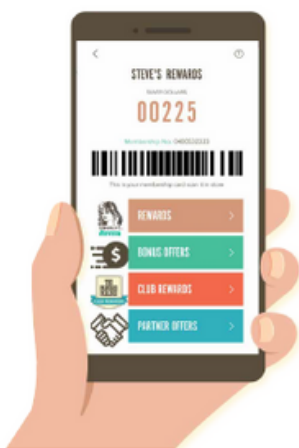
Pancake Parlour

We've signed up with the pancake parlour club rewards program. Help us win \$5,000 by joining The Pancake Parlour's Club Rewards program and start earning points for our club with every meal purchase during 2022. We're a chance to win \$1k in our local restaurant league as well!

When you next visit the Pancake Parlour you can earn points for the club. Every dollar spent equals 1 point towards the club's total tally. Simply download the Pancake Parlour App, head to Rewards > Club Rewards, select join a club, find our club in the list and select it.

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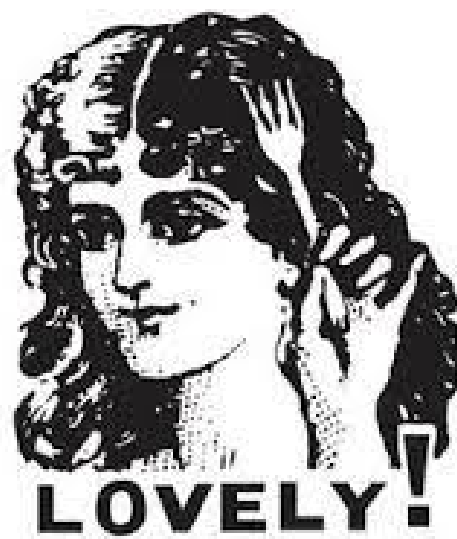
2. Click on Join a Club



3. Select your club from the list



4. Starting earning points!



Bonus Points

Here are a few ways to get ahead of the competition and boost your club's points tally:

100 points



Make a booking for 10 or more

200 points



Make a booking for 20 or more

Round 8 results - Under 8

Officer Blue vs Berwick Springs Blue

Goals: N Rovatsos 5, H Miller 4, L Jones 2, S Cattunar 2, O Scott 1, N Lovell 1, K Gardner 1, K Hitchings 1, L Celima 1, J Fitzpatrick.

Awards: L Jones, N Lovell, O Scott, L Celima & N Rovatsos.

The sun came out as the Roos followed their Captains Ethan and Lukas to the field. With great ball skills been put in place to show just how good the Roos work together. It was a great game played by both Officer and Berwick Springs. A total of 19 goals were kicked by the Roos with Oscar kicking his first goal for the season. Well done on a great game boys.

Officer White vs Beaconsfield Gold

Goals: T. Pollard 4, L.Webb 2, S.Guinane 1, J.Scott 1, M.Krizay 1

Awards: T.Pollard, M.Meehi, R.Cornell, M.Krizay

The Roo boys had another game at home against Beaconsfield this week. The boys were already up against it with a few players out but all the boys put in the extra effort in this weeks game. The Roo boys started the game strong with some accurate goal kicking and strong work in the mid field winning the ball where ever they could. The game ended in a tough battle across the game which resulted in a win for the boys. Well done Roos, lets keep it up.

Officer Black - no report provided

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Round 8 results - Under 9

Officer Black - no report provided

Officer Blue v Pakenham Maroon

Goals: J Siriwardene 2, S Perkins 1, J McCasker 1, D Coxon 1.

Awards: J Siriwardene, J McCasker, B Gale, C Harkness, T Hobson, G Maraventano

The Roo Boy came out like a house on fire. Running and handballing through the middle 3rd and giving the forwards plenty on time with the ball. The forwards did not let them down kicking several goals in the first qtr. As the game went on the two teams started to match the run and kicking games.

The sportsmanship from the Roo Boys was a welcome sight, playing fair and always looking to bring their teammates into the game. Well done Roo boys!

Officer White vs Lyndhurst Orange

Goals: L Anderson 2, K Day 1, E Portlock 1, J Brull 1

Awards: A George, B Webb, E Wylie, K Day, T Woolsey, N Mayor

After have a week off due to the Queen's birthday, Officer came out strong in the first quarter, their ball handling skill are improving each week with plenty of handballs out when under pressure. The game was tied at $\frac{3}{4}$ time which is a credit to both teams.

The team worked well together with everyone getting a touch. Liam kicked a few big Goals up forward, Jack was strong down back. Judd & Xavier were hard at the ball through the middle. Emerson as consistent as ever & Bronson is improving each week

Congrats to Koby for kicking his first goal. Great effort by all. Looking forward to seeing the team progress through the remainder of the season



Round 8 results - Under 10

Officer Blue vs Tooradin-Dalmore

Goals: B Steur 2, A Williamson 1, J Lockwood 1.

Awards:- O Clark, J Lockwood, K Donald, L Lardieri, T Abdul-Wahed, E Gillard.

It was a fantastic game today between Officer and Tooradin-Dalmore and It was the first time both teams had competed together this session. It was a close match which kept everyone on the edge of their seats. Each quarter, there was only a few points difference between the two teams. We saw great action from Officer with special mentions to Briley, Lucca and Ethan for their great tackling and spectacular marks from Oscar, Jacob and Ollie. In the last quarter, Officer were in the lead but luck was not on Officer's side today, Tooradin-Dalmore kicked a goal during the last few minutes of the game, winning today by 3 points. Well done to Officer for their great team spirit and team work

Officer Black vs Lyndhurst Mixed Orange

Goals: W Beesley 1, D Hansch 1, X Owen 1, C Moore 1.

Awards: J Marshall, C Moore, M Kang, X Owen, H Pollard

The boys knew they were in for a good match-up today with Clyde and that's exactly what they got. A great start and first half by the Roo boys saw some great passages of play and ball use. A lot of what we have been practising and training on, coming out on match day & under a bit of pressure from the opposition. The boys could have finished with a few more goal kickers, if we had of kicked straight, but pleasing to see them continue to create their opportunities. An even team effort today by the Roo boys, which got them over the line by a few points. The determination to go and get the footy when it was their turn and also help their teammates at any chance they had, was clear to see and should have made our parents, helpers and supporters very happy

Officer White - no report provided



Milestones



Zac Marini
U17
100 games

Liam Bux
U15
50 games



Round 8 results - Under 11

Div: A - Officer Blue 12-7-79 def Beaconsfield 1-2-8

Goals: J Dorey 1, I Hitchings 7, J Lovell 1, J Marum 1, L Siriwardene 2

Awards: W Andrews, J Marum, A Sgarbossa

Officer took on Beaconsfield at home today on a beautiful, sunny morning. The Rooboy's got off to a bit of a slow start, turning the ball over and wasting many opportunities. After quick reset at quarter time, the boys started to play some serious Kanga footy, leading Beaconsfield 28 to 1 at the half time break. In the second half the boys kicked away to a commanding lead. It was another strong victory by the Officer boys today

Div: B - Officer White 1-0-6 def by Narre North 8-7-55

Goals: F Smythe 1

Best: N Carthy-Gill, N Ricciuti, B Ancilleri, B Johns, F Smythe.

Awards: T Knaggs, N Ricciuti, B Ancilleri, B Johns, J Jameson, T Wilson, L Gorringer

After a 1 goal win for the Roos in Round 6, the Narre North Foxes were hungry for the win and caught the Roos by surprise, coming out hard in the first quarter, kicking 5 goals. The Roos fought back, keeping the Foxes to 2 goals for the rest of the game, but unfortunately struggled to get themselves on the board, with Smythe kicking his first career goal and the Roos only goal for the game. Great effort for the boys.



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Round 8 results - Under 12

Officer u12 Girls 0-0-0 lost to Cranbourne 8-13-61

Awards: Ellie-Rose, Darcey, Charli, Ella C, Ava, Sophie and Bella

A very early cold start for the Roo Girls today in Cranbourne. The girls came out with everything they had this morning, making Cranbourne earn every kick for most of the first quarter, only getting a quick couple of goals before the first siren. The girls were matching it with the taller and bigger girls in the Cranbourne side for $\frac{3}{4}$ of each term, with strong tackles as usual and working hard as a team. The Roo Girls improving so much since their last meet with Cranbourne only 3 weeks ago, where they'd gone down to the Eagles by 87 points; this week was only 61. Each week the girls continue to improve on the things they're working on at training and it's definitely showing throughout their games.

Div: B - Officer White 4.5.29 Def by Cranbourne Blue 10.3.63

Goal Kickers: Z Nicholas 2, C Mepstead 1 & C Woodward 1

Awards: J Colman, D De Jager, J Fitzsimmons, J Habib, K Hope, C Hoult, C Mepstead, Z Nicholas, A Pay & H Sakata,

The Roo boys faced a formidable opponent this week with the top of the ladder Cranbourne Blue. The sun was shining, and the boys played on home soil. Unfortunately, Cranbourne got the jump on the Roo boys and came away with the win. It was a tough match, but Officer can hold their heads high after giving their all for four quarters. The boys know what they need to work on in training this week and look forward to next round.



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Round 8 results - Under 12

Div: A - Officer Blue 7-8-50 def Narre Foxes 5-2-32

Goals: J Plunkett (2), R Papworth, L Sheean, C Williams, J Hanegraaf (2)

Awards: L Beacall, B Bourke, K Dew, J Plunkett, R Sawrey, C Williams

Officer Blue played away today at Narre North Reserve. The Officer boys started the game at a good pace and kicked the first goal. Narre North fired right back and kicked a quick one in return. Officer kept working hard to keep pace and kicked another two goals to end the quarter with a twelve-point lead. The second quarter saw Officer have plenty of opportunity with the ball but their efficiency dropped and they were only able to add one goal four to their tally. The boys were just not able to finish off their plays as nicely as they would have liked.

Narre North came out hard in the third quarter and scored a goal very early. Officer fought hard and kicked the next two. Narre North was able to keep the ball in their forward half for most of the quarter – the game was shaping up to be a real tug of war and no one was backing down. At three-quarter time the coach spoke about the need to attack the football more and be much harder at the contest.

The players responded well in the final term and had to keep pushing to see out the game, Narre kicked a quick couple of goals to bring them back within twelve points – they really wanted the ball and this gave them some hope. The Officer boys dug deep and fought hard kicking the last goal of the game.

Officer walked away with the win this week but are certainly being challenged more and more by our opposition. They need to keep working hard and listen to the coaches' messages, this will develop their overall game smarts. We look forward to next week when we can get out there and do it all again.



Round 9 Fixture

Match Time	Team	Opponent	Venue Name
Officer Recreation Reserve - EASTERN OVAL			
8:45am	Officer JFC U08 Blue	Beaconsfield JFC U08 Blue	Officer Recreation Eastern Oval
8:45am	Officer JFC U08 White	Officer JFC U08 Black	Officer Recreation Eastern Oval
10:00am	Officer JFC U09 Blue	Narre North Foxes FC U09 Black	Officer Recreation Eastern Oval
10:00am	Officer JFC U09 White	Pakenham JFC U09 Mixed Blue	Officer Recreation Eastern Oval
11:15am	Officer JFC U09 Black	Parkmore Pirates JFC U09 Mixed	Officer Recreation Eastern Oval
11:15am	Officer JFC U10 Blue	Beaconsfield JFC U10 Blue	Officer Recreation Eastern Oval
12:30pm	Officer JFC U10 White	Beaconsfield JFC U10 Gold	Officer Recreation Eastern Oval
12:30pm	Officer JFC U10 Black	Clyde JFC U10 Boys	Officer Recreation Eastern Oval
2:00pm	Officer JFC U17	Berwick Springs FNC U17 Boys Blue	Officer Recreation Eastern Oval
Match Time	Team	Opponent	Venue Name
Officer Recreation Reserve - WESTERN OVAL			
11:00am	Officer JFC U11 Blue	Berwick Springs FNC U11 Mixed Blue	Officer Recreation Western Oval
12:30pm	Officer JFC U12 Blue	Tooradin-Dalmore FC U12	Officer Recreation Western Oval
2:00pm	Officer JFC U13 Blue	Beaconsfield JFC U13 Gold	Officer Recreation Western Oval
AWAY VENUES			
Match Time	Team	Opponent	Venue Name
10:00am	Clyde JFC U12 Mixed	Officer JFC U12 White	Hunt Club Recreation Reserve 1
11:00am	Fountain Gate JFC U11 Mixed	Officer JFC U11 White	Max Pawsey Reserve 1
11:00am	Narre South Lions JFC U13 Bc	Officer JFC U13 White	Strathaird Reserve 1
11:30am	Cranbourne JFC U14 Girls Blu	Officer JFC U14 Girls	J & P Cam Reserve 2
1:00pm	Cranbourne JFC U16 Girls Blu	Officer JFC U16 Girls White	J & P Cam Reserve 2
1:00pm	Narre North Foxes FC U14 Bl	Officer JFC U14 White	Narre Warren North Reserve 1
1:30pm	Mornington JFC U15 Boys	Officer JFC U15	Narambi Reserve 1
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		Officer JFC U12 Girls	
		Officer JFC U14 Blue	
		Officer JFC U18 Girls	



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Round 8 results - Under 13

Div: 1 Officer Blue 10-10-70 defeated Beaconsfield Blue 4-4-20

Goals: L. Ramic 4, L. Brown 1, T. Davitt 1, J. Phillips 1, R. Liang 1, D. Bohnenkamp 1, T. Noonan 1

Best: B. Clausen, W.Perrin, A. Shallcross, O. Bailey, K. Shipway, L. Ramic, K. Baxter

Awards: B. Clausen, W.Perrin, A. Shallcross

The boys were back at home on a perfect day for footy against Beaconsfield who pipped us in the last quarter earlier in the year. The Roo boys were asked to bring a fast start by winning the loose ball, then spreading wide to our fast-wing setup and delivering into our better functioning forward line. With plenty of goal scorers and great passages of play, especially with our fast hands and attack at the contest, the boys came away with a solid win where we had players contribute well all over the ground. Another great win, well done lads.

Div: 2 - Officer White 2.2.14 lost to Pakenham 3.8.26

Best Players: C. Hobson, R. Filpi, R. Bulaon, H. Rees, F. Temba, A. Mills-Smith

Goal Kickers: S. Cullino, J. Buckland

Awards: C. Hobson, T. Maunder, J. Buckland, O. Byrne, H. Hughes, A. Mills-Smith, D. Luxford.

This week we played away to Pakenham and the boys started a little slowly with Pakenham coming out hard in the first quarter. Despite Pakenham controlling the play, neither team managed a goal in the first quarter. In the 2nd quarter the tough defensive footy continued with both sides managing just one goal each. At half time Pakenham led by 4 points.

In the third quarter we lifted our intensity, however we were unable to score a goal and Pakenham managed one against the run of play. Pakenham went into three quarter time 10 points up. In the last quarter we kicked the first goal and soon after we had a shot on goal to take the lead only for the kick to be smothered and the ball taken by Pakenham all the way to the other end for a goal. In the end Pakenham held on to win by 12 points.

Despite struggling to hit the scoreboard, the boys showed some great skill at times with their ball movement against a really physical opponent. There is plenty of positives to take out of the game. Let's get to training and I'm sure we will bounce back next week.

Round 8 results - Under 14

Div 2 - Officer Blue - 22-15-147 Def Hampton Park 0-0-0

Goals: J Smith 6, B Potter 3, R Conlan Fairbank 2, J Woodward 2, C Liddle, B Young, R Warne, C Flanagan-Gorickic, K McLaren, J Bottom, A Kang, A Simmons & J Al-Khaldi

Awards: J Trewin, R Warne, K McLaren, A Simmons & J Al-Khaldi

After two away games and a week off the Roo boys were excited to be playing back at home this week. Our game was dedicated to MND with the team running out on to the ground wearing Freeze MND Beanies. The coach is so proud of the boys for getting around the cause as it is personal to him. Officer bounced back on the winner's board with a super team effort. Well done Roo boys for your effort today the team management is very proud of you.

Div 1 - Officer White 08-08-56 Defeated Beaconsfield Blue 05-06-36

Goals: R.Archer, K.Boi, L.Entwistle, C.Hoghton, R.Mollison B.Rowlands

Awards: C.Hoghton, M.Ferguson, D.Beetge

Playing away in great weather but unfortunately not ideal ground conditions, the boys got off to a fantastic start, in what was a very dirty scrappy game of football The boys moved the ball well linking up with plenty of possessions and were rewarded with their effort on the scoreboard. However, after quarter time the opposition went the player with a lot of off-the-ball behind play ugly incidents with our players going down. Unfortunately, the umpires decided to turn a blind eye to this behaviour letting a lot of this go unpunished. our boys managed to keep their heads and play the quality brand of Roos ball we expect. Full credit to the players as they tried to play football having some good moments during the game but more importantly stayed focused which was pleasing. What wasn't pleasing was the opposition's continual indiscriminate dirty play behind and around the ball. Whilst not getting rewarded with any umpiring decisions, all of the boys managed to keep their heads and play the quality brand of football we expect, the boys stuck to their task and we ran out winners

Under 14 Girls - no report provided



Round 8 results U15 - U18

U15 Boys - Officer 5-7-37 lost to Narre Foxes 6-10-46

Goals: B Hamilton, R Cooper, A De La Rue, J Honey, J Watt

Awards: L Bux, L Chase, L Cramer, J Honey, M Rees

Today we were at Narre North against the Foxes. In a hard fought game we went down by 9 points, our boys moved the ball very well but unfortunately let ourselves down with a few skill executions. It gives us a bit to work on at training this week and a few little things to fix before next week's game. Heads up Boys!

Congratulations to Liam Bux on his 50th game.

U16 Girls - no report provided

U17 Boys Prem C - Officer 8-12-60 Def Narre Nth Foxes 8-6-54

Goals: T Canute 3, Z Gallahar 2, J Honey 2, M McKenzie

Best: Z Gallahar, R Wierzbicki, R Kovacs, T Canute, L Watson

Great to see the fighting spirit back in the Roo Boys taking out their first win in a while. Playing from behind all day to clinch the win in the final stages. The Foxes came out hard in the first quarter taking a 3-goal advantage into the first change with the Officer boys then digging down and going into the halftime break 1 pt down. After that, was a tussle to the final siren with the Roo Boys coming out winners.

And congratulations to Zac Marini on his 100th Game.



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