

**OFFICER KANGAROO FOOTBALL CLUB  
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**Under 17**

**Div: C**

**Officer v Narre North Foxes Black**

**Narre North Foxes 13-9-87 def Officer White 4-1-25**

**Goals:** J Westra, C Benson, D Rechichi, T West 1

**Awards:** T Ostrom, E Hollings, C Nhem, L James, B Yeo

The Roos were out played today by Narre North Foxes. Officer's opponents were full of run and carry, so Officer spent most of the game chasing leather. To the Rooboy's credit, they never gave up and Officer outscored them in the third quarter. Heads up Roo boys

[Next game 23 June, 3pm - vs Berwick Springs Blue @ Home](#)

**Under 15**

**Div: Red (1)**

**Officer v Parkmore**

**Officer 11-6-72 def Parkmore 9-7-61**

**Goals:** X Shinnars 5, R Philp 2, R Potter, S Hoghton, J Adams 1

**Awards:** R Potter, E Meunier, R Perkins, B Myers, R Philp, N Pippin, J Vega, T Beddows, J Elliott

Great tough fought out win by the Rooboy's against a strong side, boys never gave up and was a great team effort.

[Next game 23 June, 11.30am - vs Narre Nth Foxes Black @ Home](#)

**Under 14**

**Div: White (3)**

**Officer v Narre South Lions Gold**

**Officer Blue 15-9-99 def Narre South Lions 3-3-21**

**Goals:** B Chase 6, T Canute, M McKenzie, L Myers 2, J Adams, D Fishley, R Wierzbicki 1

**Awards:** B Chase, R Wadelton, J Smith, R Wierzbicki, J Figeo, L Myers, T Canute

Officer Blue came out firing today with the first of 15 goals within a minute of the game. The Roo boys have been training hard and we could all see the rewards on the scoreboard. Every quarter Officer demonstrated teamwork and were able to keep the ball from entering their opposition 50 for most of the game. By halftime the Rooboy's had found their voices and there was no stopping them. It was a game that awards could have gone to every player as they all played their part to take home the win. Go Roo Boys

[Next game 23 June, 1:30pm vs Koo Wee Rup @ Home](#)

**Under 14 Girls**

**Officer v Berwick Springs Blue**

**Officer 11-12-78 def Berwick Springs Blue 2-1-13**

**Goals:** C Barkwith 3, K Dalglish 2, S Crothers, A Bottom , R Dee, S Dickinson , L Edwards, A Thorne 1

**Awards:** C Barkwith, A Bottom, S Crothers, K Pirrone, J Terry & T Wilson

**Best:** Whole Team Effort

What a game. The conditions were perfect for a round of footy and the Officer Girls came out hitting hard playing a very offensive game. They played first to the ball, tackled hard and forged ahead to win the game. The Roogirls defence were able to keep Berwick Springs scoreless in the second and fourth term, getting the ball back down to the forward line so they can put the ball through the posts. While there are a few standout girls this week, the whole team won this game. Great work Girls.

[Next game: \*\*BYE\*\*](#)

### **Under 13 White**

**Div: Blue (2)**

**Officer White vs Cora Lynn**

**Officer White 7-10-52 def Cora Lynn 2-3-15**

**Goal Kickers:** T Richards, B Snooks , A McKenzie , M Vanderbyl , Z Godden 1, H Davidson 2

**Awards:** B Oppedisano, J Close, M Norris

The Roo boys were off to a good start from the opening quarter and continued through the whole game, which saw them having 8 scoring shots in the 3<sup>rd</sup> term. They played as a team, passing and carrying the ball effectively, and keeping their opposition accountable at every contest. Great game played by every player. Go Roos!!!

[Next game Friday 21 June ,8pm vs Berwick Springs Blue \(Away\)](#)

### **Under 13 Blue**

**Div Blue (2)**

**Officer Blue vs Tooradin**

**Officer Blue 12- 7- 79 def Tooradin 2- 2- 14**

**Goals:** Z Gallahar 4, F Kneen, S Kneen 2, C Cooper, J Timothy, A Claxton, M Petruccelli 1

On a good day for football Officer got off to a good start taking their chances early, taking control of the game and moving the ball well. The opposition were trying hard stop the flow but Officer kept running hard setting up scoring to run out strong winners.

[Next game 23 June,1.30pm vs Berwick Blue \(Away\)](#)

### **Under 12**

**Div: 1 Girls**

**Officer Blue v Pakenham Maroon**

**Officer Blue Girls 6-14-50 def Pakenham Maroon Girls 1-4-10**

**Goals:** A Benson 3, A Baker 2, M Reimers1

**Awards:** A Benson, M Reimers, K Whannell, D Pattison, G Norton, S Elliot, I Morris & D

Collins

The Roo Girls showed great sportsmanship today when Pakenham were short of numbers, 8 Officer girls put their hand up to help. So, each quarter 2 different Roogirls played for Pakenham. The first half was very even ending in 11 points each side. The second half saw Officer awaken and start playing as a team with some great marks and passing. Only allowing Pakenham to score 2 points in the second half. Officer came home with a great win. Well done girls.

[Next game: Sunday 23 June, 1:30pm vs Endeavour Hills Green @Home](#)

### **Under 12 Blue**

**Div: Red (1)**

**Officer White v Officer Blue**

**Officer White 4-3-27 def Officer Blue 4-2-26**

**Goals:** B Atcheson, B Carkeek, L Pettiford

**Awards:** F Brugeaud, M Williamson, L Pettiford, V Fleming, T Burke, T De Jong

### **Today's Captains: I Simpson & B Calderwood**

Today's game was against our other Officer side and was played in great spirit between the two sides. It proved to be a really tough and well fought out game in which we ended up going down by a point. Our boys played with great intensity and effort, and some of our ball movement and positioning was excellent throughout the day.

All players should be very proud of their game today. Well played to both sides.

[Next game Sunday 23 June, 12pm vs Beaconsfield Gold @Home](#)

### **Under 12 White**

**Div: Red (1)**

**Officer White v Officer Blue**

**Officer White 4-3-27 def Officer Blue 4-2-26**

**Goals:** L Chase, W. Sturgeon, H Clausen, R Cachia

**Awards:** L Chase, N Kors, T Justus, R Yeates

**Milestone: 50 Games** W Harding, J Byrne, T Kelly

Bittersweet game today between club mates, a draw would have been the perfect result and in the end, it was very close. Officer White started the game today on the front foot and got the score on the board early. Some minor lapses in concentration and accountability let Officer Blue kick back into the game. It was very impressive to see the Officer White team response. Some hard work and intensity around the ground as well as some smart link up play saw the Rooboy come away with a much deserved and team lifting win. Well done Rooboy!

[Next game Sunday June 23rd, 10.00am vs Berwick White \(Away\)](#)

**Under 11 Div: Red**  
**Officer v Cranbourne Blue**  
**Officer White 12-12-84 def Cranbourne Blue 02-00-12**

**Goals:** S Carter, B Klenner, F Kneen, B Rowlands, W Sharlott, L Shaw, A Tucker, J Williams, L Yeates

**Awards:** D Beetge, S Carter, B Greenshields, F Kneen, B Pandy, B Rowlands, Flynn Turner, N Williams, J Williams, L Yeates

**Milestone: 50 Games** R Mollison, B Pandy

What a fantastic game of footy, with a slow first quarter and no calls going Officer's way, the Rooboys managed to just keep playing footy, doing all the things they work on at training, and it really payed off kicking away by 10 goals for a fantastic win.

[Next game Sunday 23 June, 10:30am vs Berwick Springs Blue @ Home](#)

**Under 11 Blue**  
**Div. White (3)**  
**Officer Blue V Hampton Park**  
**Officer Blue 10-13-73 def. Hampton Park 0-1-1**

**Goals:** C Lucas, L Strohbeck, E Moylan, J Smith, R Watson

Best:

**Awards:** J Bottom, C Gallahar, R Watson, A Kang, E Moylan, L Fendyk, J Dalgeish.

Today our Roo Boys came out firing after having the past 2 weeks off. The boys continue to show our team first approach which is our moto and game style. The boys defence was like they didn't have a couple weeks off, a solid unit holding Hampton Park to 1 point for the entirety of the game. The team was moved and jumbled around this week trying to bring all boys into the game try out new positions, still following our moto and game style didn't seem to harm the boys as they continue the we not I mentality. The progression of these boys is evident and very pleasing to watch. Another positive to have the opposition trainer approach us coaches advising that No.2 E.Moylan needed to be thanked and applauded for his sportsmanship towards opposition players whom got injured, Just another step these boys are taking showing their mentality and coming of age.

[Next game: 23 June, 11.30am vs Berwick North \(Away\)](#)

**Under 10 Black**  
**Div: Blue**  
**Officer v Beaconsfield Gold**

**Captain:** B DeMaio

**Best:** J Phillips, C Belsham, O Bailey, B Simpson, W Perrin, B DeMaio

**Awards:** J Phillips, O Bailey, C McCallum, B Simpson, E Hambridge

The Rooboys battled hard and fought right to the very end against a quality side from Beaconsfield. Every contest was a battle and the Rooboys rarely got a chance to bring out their running game. It was pleasing to see long kicks to targets in the first half from J Phillips. C Belsham's attack on the footy was great and O Bailey was disciplined today in holding position and stopping opposition goals in the first half. W Perrin provided plenty of support off half back and continues to read the play week after week.

The pats on back amongst the Rooboys continue to grow and everyone bounced back from the hard hits. The Coaches were impressed with the endeavour and every week there is

improvement.

[Next game Sunday 23 June, 11:00am vs Lyndhurst Orange \(Away\)](#)

### **Under 10 Girls**

**Div: U9 White**

**Officer Navy v Berwick North**

**Awards:** Peyton H, Chloe J, Lucy M, Ava P, Tiahna R, Ebony C

The Roo Girls played Berwick North today in a tackle frenzied game in the sun. The week off meant that the girls were a little apprehensive in the first half but when Gabi went hard for the ball and clashed heads with the Berwick player, the girls fired up. Next in was Chloe's turn to get crunched but both girls played out the match with true Roo spirit. The girls came alive in the third quarter with some fantastic defensive efforts, which limited the opposition scoring. Go Roo Girls!

[Next game Sunday 23 June, 10.15am vs Tooradin \(Away\)](#)

### **Under 10 White**

**Div: Red**

**Officer v Cranbourne Blue**

**Best:** K Shipway, H Rees, F Temba, X Fisher, C Hobson

**Goals:** J Buckland

**Awards:** O Byrne, F Temba, G Barrett, J Major

Officer White played at home against a bigger and stronger Cranbourne. The boys started slowly and allowed Cranbourne to do as they pleased. After quarter time the boys had heaps of the ball in their forward line but was unable to convert. In the third quarter, Cranbourne controlled the game, but to the boys credit they battled hard and hit the scoreboard in the last quarter. Remember we must be ready to play each and every week!

[Next game Sunday 23rd June, 8:45am vs Berwick Blue \(Away\)](#)

### **Under 9 Blue**

**Division: Red**

**Officer Blue V Cranbourne Blue**

**Goals:** A Chol, T Fleming, C Hooper, R Papworth, J Plunkett, J Sudweeks, M Walton, A Whelan, C Williams

**Awards:** A Chol, L Kotinis, F Trethewey, M Walton

A sleep-in today was welcomed by all the mums and dads and everyone was grateful for a dry and sunny morning. Officer Blue took on a very physical Cranbourne team at Cam Reserve. In the first half the sides were quite evenly matched with both sides laying lots of tackles and really needing to play hard to get possession of the ball.

At half time, Officer were asked to stop taking on the player laying the tackle and look to give the handball out to a team member. This was executed extremely well – Officers midfield were impressive, moving the ball down forward and the team went on to score eight goals to one in the second half.

The effort of this entire team is always something to be proud of and today was no exception. They sang the song ever so loud. Keep up the great work boys.  
Go Blue Roos!!

[Next game: 23 June, 10.15am vs Beaconsfield @ Home](#)

### **Under 9 Black**

**Div: White**

**Officer Black v Nar Nar Goon**

**Goals:** J Dorey, C Fitzpatrick, I Hitchings, L Siriwardene

**Awards:** L McLaren, Z West, J Dorey, W Andrews, J Bishop, C Fitzpatrick, F Granger, I Hitchings, O Latour, J Lovell, J Marum, Z Medwin, B Owen, L Ramage, D Scott, L Siriwardene, A Thomas, J White, T Leggett.

A home game at Heatherbrae against Nar Nar Goon for the first time this season. It was a close game last year – and this season didn't disappoint!

Our boys responded brilliantly to the challenges our on ballers and forwards continued to show their talent and class as normal. Today the pressure was first class, and our defence today saw some massive goal saving tackles. Their attack on the ball both on the ground and in the air was awesome. The boys continue to play team first football and make great decisions on the ball movement. Handball link up switching the ball by foot the spread of players is all really good and impressive to watch.

The boys linked arms with the Officer Navy Team and sung the OKJFC loud and proud.

[Next game Sunday 23 June, 10:30am @ Away](#)

### **Under 8s Blue**

**Div: Blue**

**Officer v Narre Black**

**Goals:** R Bradford 3, H Mills-Smith 1, O Slater 1, B Thomas 1, T Wilson 1, K Wilson 2.

**Awards:** Everyone

Today the Rooboy played away against Narre Warren. Officer came to play, sharing the ball really well and always looking for a teammate. The ball movement with long kicking gave the Roos every opportunity to score. Special mention to the way the midfield worked today, the ruck tapping the ball to a teammate was really impressive. Coaching staff are all very proud of this team. keep up the good work boys. Go Roos!!!

[Next game 8:45, 23 June vs Beaconsfield Gold @ Home.](#)

### **Under 8 White**

**Div: Red**

**Cranbourne Blue v Officer White**

**Goals:** L Saunders, J Reid

**Awards:** C Bailey, S Honey, N Carthy-Gill, D Isaacs, J Reid, L Saunders, O Main

It was a stunning winter's morning in Cranbourne for U8 football. Unfortunately, we had a slow first quarter and Cranbourne got away from us early. The impressive part about this U8 team is their team work is really starting to shine through. A massive well done to Lucas and Joel for

getting their first goals. These 2 goals came about due to some fantastic team work and the boys getting into some great positions. Great instruction from Ollie in the middle set the tone and Noah played his best game thus far as he had the ball on a string and ensured he involved his team mates every time he got a possession. This group of kids are starting to become a group that play for each other which will hold them in good stead in seasons to come. They never give up and always look after each other.

[Next game 8:45, 23 June vs Beaconsfield Blue @ Home](#)