

OFFICER KANGAROO FOOTBALL CLUB

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Under 17

Div: C

Officer v Narre South Lions

Narre South Lions 5-12-42 def Officer 4-10-34

Goals: T Ostrom, N De Lorenzo, N Houghton, R Perkins 1

Awards: J Westra, T Ostrom, N Houghton, S Houghton, R Perkins, C Fox, T Herbst

Officer knew it was going to be an even match up against Narre South Lions today. As it turned out Narre just wanted to play harder and wanted the ball more. Officer had the lead in the first half and just lost the momentum and Officers inaccurate kicking hurt the team. Well done to the under 15s who filled in.

Next game 19th May, 3pm vs Cranbourne Blue @ Home

Under 15

Div: Red (1)

Officer v Berwick

Berwick 30-10-190 def Officer 5-1-31

Goals: B.Myers 2, X. Shinnars 1, R. Mibus 1, R. Philp 1.

Awards: D. Toner, J. Orgill E. Meunier J. James R. Perkins S. Hoghton B. Myers C. Layton J. West.

A tough game for the Roo boys today. Berwick are a strong well measured team. Great to see a never give up attitude from so many Roo boys. Keep on trying and keep enjoying your footy.

Under 14 Girls

Officer v Narre North Foxes Black

Narre North Foxes 15-13-103 def Officer 0-1-1

Awards: C. Barkwith, K. Wiseman, R. Dee, B. Purcell and K. Pirrone.

Another tough day out on the paddock for the girls. Tackling was fearsome and the effort given was constant. The team camaraderie shown was something every mum would be proud of on Mother's Day.

Next game 19th May, 1:30pm vs Beaconsfield Blue @ Home

Under 14

Div - 2

Round 3

Officer vs Cranbourne

Cranbourne 9-13 - 66 def Officer 4-3-27

Goals - M McKenzie 2, A James 1, T Canute 1

Best - S Baulich, B Chase, J Figedo, J Liddle, T Canute, A James

Awards - S Baulich, B Chase, J Figedo, J Liddle, T Canute, R Barron, C Walsh

Losing the first quarter again was the difference. Cranbourne were 28 points up at quarter time, the players then started to play football. Seth and Riz worked hard in the ruck with TC and Bob running out the day. The team had no shepards in the first quarter and then started to work as a team. Mitch kicked 2 great goals. The team balance and four quarters efforts are needed. Once again the team fumbled the ball. The team knows what they need to do to turn the next game into a win.

Under 13 White

Div: Blue

Officer White vs Endeavour Hills

Officer White 2-4-16 def by Endeavour Hills 5-6-36

Goal Kicker: J Ferguson, H Fendyk

Awards: A Barrett, J Wlezbicki, A D'Amelio

Unfortunately the Rooboy's just couldn't make good of the opportunities once they had the ball inside their forward 50. Credit to some strong defensive work that kept the team in the game all day, but a few players just didn't have their mojo on to support the rest of the team. We now look forward to next week and give it another red hot go. GO ROOS !!!

Next game 19th May, 1pm vs Officer Blue (Away)

Under 13 Blue

Div 2/3

Officer Blue vs Pakenham Blue

Pakenham Blue 13 - 6 84 def Officer Blue 2 - 1 13

Goals: D Sheehan Z Gallahar

Awards: B Dorey D 'Angelo S Kneen G Sutcliffe

On a windy day for football the opposition were able to take control of the footy and take their chances with the wind early on in the second quarter the Roos started to win the ball around the ground after the break Pakenham with the wind behind them took control running the ball well into the last quarter we were trying hard but the opposition had all the momentum to run strong winners.

Under 12

Div: 1 – Mc Donalds Red

Officer Blue v Berwick Blue

Officer 1-1-7 def by Berwick Springs Green 11-3-69

Goals: L.Pettiford

Awards: K Scott, I Simpson, R Conlan, J Walsh, L Greenshields

Captain: J Walsh

Our officer boys played at Berwick today and the improvement in their attitude and endeavour really showed. Our pressure and tackling was first rate from everyone today which is something we have been asking for all year. At times throughout the day the officer boys moved the football really well by hand and foot, and showed how well we can play when we work hard. Well done today boys!

Next Game 19th May, 10am vs Berwick White (Away)

Under 12 White

Div: Red

Officer v Pakenham

Officer 2.3-15 def Pakenham 1.6-12

Goals: M Smith, J Wizbecki

Awards: M Smith, J Honey, H Clausen, B Hobson, R Cachia

Roo boys came out firing and got two really good goals early. Another tough game, low scoring with high intensity and accountable football. A really important win for the Roo boys and they should all be very proud of themselves. The team will build from this win, well done Roo boys.

Next game 19th May, 11.30am vs Berwick Blue @ Home

Under 12

Div: 1 Girls

Officer Blue v Berwick White

Officer Blue Girls 9-15-69 def Berwick White 0-0-0

Goals: A Baker 1, A Benson 1, S Walker 2, I Golotta 2, M Reimers 3

Awards: S Walker, I Golotta, G Norton, C Duffy, J Young

Officer girls were able to dedicate a win for their mums today on Mother's Day. Although Berwick tried their best to defend the barrage from Officer, the Roo girls placed outstanding pressure on the ball that the newly formed Berwick White side could not match. Both sides showed excellent teamwork and sportsmanship which should be commended. Even though the win was relatively easy, the Roo's showed a level of proficiency and teamwork that they will need to employ in the tougher matches ahead.

Sunday 19 May, 11:30am vs Beaconsfield Blue (Away)

Under 11

Div: Red

Officer v Pakenham Maroon

Officer White 05-06-36 def Pakenham Maroon 03-01-19

Goals: A Tucker, F Kneen, M Bianchin, C Hogton, K Boi

Awards: K Boi, S Carter, R El Hayek, B Greenshields, F Kneen, B Rowlands, F Turner, N Williams, J Williams

50 Game Mile Stone – Finn Kneen

Pakenham got the jump on us early with 2 quick goals in the first but our boys just kept playing the ball and edged back into the game. Playing the strong brand of ROOS footy they do, it was a scrappy game with a lot off stops, but passages of play from our boys and fantastic ball movement got us over the line

Under 11 Blue

Div: White

Officer Blue v Endeavour Hills

Officer Blue 4-4-28 def Endeavour Hills 3-0-18

Goals: J Smith, A Walsh, J Silvanus.

Awards: J Dalgleish, J Silvanus, L Fendyk, R Brugeaud, A Walsh

Today Endeavour hills were short and we again had another great display of sportsmanship by one of our boys putting their hand up to play for the opposition. The game was congested all day with both teams both hungry for the ball. The weather was cold and the rain was trying to come but held off. Officer with a slight lead throughout the day maintained the pressure to prevent Endeavour hills the opportunity of hitting the front. All Officer supporters were able to witness pure team spirit with Vice captain Jordan Smith hand passing to Jeremy Silvanus for his first goal in AFL when Jordan could've kicked the goal himself.

Today we were down to 1 rotation in the, However the young roos showed pure grit and determination throughout the day.

GO ROO BOYS!!!

Next Game Sunday 19th May, 10.00am vs Fountain Gate @ HOME

Under 10 White

Div: Red (3)

Officer v Narre Warren

Goals: J Buckland 2, C Hobson 1, J Yeats 1, C Walsh 1, L Bramley 1

Best: H Rees, J Major, C Hobson, J Buckland & L Bramley

Awards: O Byrne, S McDonald, T Maunder, J Gregory

Officer White played Narre Warren at home. The Rooboys enjoyed the open spaces with the bigger ground. Narre Warren were short on players, well done to the boys in playing for the opposition. The boys played a great game, running and sharing the ball with each other. After half time the game opened up and Officer kicked away with the game. Well done boys, there was a big emphasis on kicking to a team mate in the forward line and the boys did it perfectly. Happy Mother's Day to our footy mums!!

Next game Sunday 19th May, 8:45am vs Berwick Springs Blue (Away)

Under 10 Black

Div: Blue

Officer v Lyndhurst Orange

Goals: L Ramic 2, C Mccallum, T Noonan, W Perrin, T Purcell, C Samaras

Captains: L Brown & B Rodgers

Best: L Ramic, E Hambridge, B DeMaio, W Perrin, B Simpson

Awards: T Noonan, R Allen, M Millar, C Mccallum

The Rooboys travelled away against Lyndhurst after two hard fought competitive games of footy the weeks before and Coaches were keen to see that pressure continue today. After a see sawing first half, the boys switched on in the last half and really asserted themselves and used the footy to perfection converting an onslaught of goals. The tackle pressure and team work to bring each other into the game was a highlight with a really good well rounded team effort. Well done to the 16 boys who played for the opposition as they were short. They handled this with real sportsmanship.

Next game Sunday 19th May, 10:30am vs Berwick @ Home

Under 10 Girls

Div: U9 White

Officer v Nar Nar Goon

Goals: Ryby 1, Lucy 2

Awards: Gabriela R, Lucy M, Ava P, Peyton H, Iris M

The Roo Girls Played Nar Nar Goon today and put in a huge effort today for their mums on Mother's Day. They kept the ball in their forward half for the entire second quarter and fought hard for the remainder of the game. It was a great team effort by all. Go Roo Girls!

Next game Sunday 19th May, 8.45am vs Officer Black @ Home

Under 9's

Division: Red

Officer Blue V Berwick Blue

Goals: C Hooper, A Kane, N Kelly, J Sudweeks, A Whelan, C Williams

Awards: C Hooper, F Trethewey, A Whelan, C Williams

Officer Blue had an early start for Mother's Day today at Arch Brown Reserve in Berwick. Officer got off to a great start dominating in the centre and forward zones. Berwick lifted their efforts at the ball in the second and third quarters and limited our opportunities to score during this time. The three-quarter time address asked the Officer players to remain hungry for the ball and push hard toward the forward line for one more quarter. They followed the coaches instructions really well and finished the day singing the song loud and proud. This was certainly one of the better contests we have had for the season. Keep up the great work Blue Roos!!!

Next game: 19th May, 8.45am vs Berwick Springs Blue (Away)

Under 9

Div: White

Officer Black v Hampton Park

Goals: J Dorey, C Fitzpatrick, F Granger, I Hitchings, L McLaren, A Thomas, Z West, J White

Awards: C Fitzpatrick, D Scott, F Granger, J White, I Hitchings, Z Medwin, Z West, O Latour

The rain held off for the first Mother's Day game of the day at Heatherbrae.

Against a bigger and older Hampton Park team we once again showed the work that the boys put in at training, pays great dividends on game day.

Coach made special mention of their unselfish use of the ball, always looking for a team mate in a better position. In the forward line sometimes, we need to take the opportunity to put it between the big sticks!! On the whole though, another dominant display for our Mighty ROO BOYS!!!!!!

All the team, with their mums, gathered round after the game, and sang the song loud and proud!

Next game 19th May, 8:45am vs Officer Navy @ Home

Under 9 White

Div: Under 9 Blue

Officer v Berwick Springs Green

Awards: Archie, Kai, Cole, Max, Andre, Lachlan and Oscar

We played away at Berwick Springs again the boys were awesome they are playing some exciting football and they are really gelling together as a team, their attack on the ball and teamwork is outstanding and as a coach could not be prouder of this awesome team. Special mention to Andre for his first goal for the team and to Max and Jake for their first goals for the team in round 1 keep up the great work guys it's a pleasure to coach you boys and a big happy Mother's Day to all our awesome mums see you all Friday night.

Under 8s Blue

Div: Blue

Officer v Berwick Springs Green

Goals: A Hayes, J Grace, D Sheppard

Awards: A Hayes, H Mills-Smith, L McCormick, J Grace, D Sheppard, B Thomas

Today the Rooboy's were away against Berwick Springs in the windy conditions. At the start the Roos were finding it hard with the wind but after the first quarter the Roos were adjusting and started sharing and passing the ball around like a team. Another week of outstanding team work. Every boy on the field walked off after the match with their heads high, smiling and showing the coaching staff that they had fun. Great job Roo Boys.

[Next game 17 May, 8:45am - vs Berwick \(Away\)](#)

Under 8

Div: White

Berwick v Officer

Goals: 4, N Carthy Gill 1 J. Collins, 1 O. Maine 1 A Williamson

Awards: A. Mc Callum, D Isaacs, B Harlock

This week's game saw an early morning trip to Doveton for Mother's Day. After giving our Mothers a well earned present the Rooboy's ran out onto the oval behind our skipper for the day Joel. Officer started strongly with Jaxon sending the ball deep to Noah to kick the first goal of the game. Berwick replied and held a narrow one point lead going into quarter time. The second quarter was productive with Jaxon and Archie contributing two goals. Darcy battled hard and after some great work by Aston Ollie kicked truly. I could not be prouder of our kids and how they competed all game. A special shout out to Sienna who battled for the ball all day and Darcy who concentrated on manning up and has his best game to date. A MASSIVE thank you to all the mothers who put up with our children.