OFFICER KANGAROO FOOTBALL CLUB

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Under 17 Div: C Officer v Berwick Springs Blue Officer 5-7-37 def by Berwick Springs Blue 13-10-88

Goals: S Hoghton 3, N De Lorenzo, C Benson 1 Awards: S Bates, J Sullivan, J Westra, S Hoghton

A tough slog today. Officer was down on numbers and were greatful to the U15s who helped them out. Coming into today's game, Officer knew they had a great chance of winning. Unfortunately, so did their opponents, who played a better brand of football today. As a team, Officer played their best football in the 3rd quarter and hopefully we'll see more of this style of football in their upcoming games.

Next game Sunday 30th June, 2.40pm vs Devon Meadows (Away)

Under 15 Div: Red Officer v Narre North Foxes Narre North Foxes 16-6-102 def Officer 7-7-49

Goals: X Shinners, B Myers 2, R Philp, R Mibus, D Toner 1

Awards: R Mibus, X Shinners, B Neale, B Myers, J Orgill.

After a good start to the game that had the Roo boys close at quarter time, they then lost their way a bit and gave Narre North Foxes a handy lead but fought back hard in the last qtr. to win back some pride and didn't give up. Congratulations to Jay West on his 50th game and we welcomed back Taj Beddows from injury for his first game of the season well played.

Next game Sunday 30th June, 11:30am vs Berwick Springs (Away)

Under 14

Div: White

Officer v Koo Wee Rup

Officer 17-8-110 def Koo Wee Rup 1-2-8

Goals – J Adams 4, R Wierzbicki, M Mckenzie 3, D Fishley, L Myers 2, Z Mcewan, T Marshal-Sanderson, L Bennetts 1

Best- J Liddle, A James, X Mcewan, R Wierzbicki, T Canute, C Walsh

Awards - C Walsh, J Liddle, R Wierzbicki, L Myers, A Peachey, A Naismith, X Mcewan,

Two wins in a row for the Roo boys. The Roo boys played 4 quarters of football and had winners all over the ground. The forwards had some good delivery from the midfield. Seth and Wiz rucked well all day giving our on ballers first use. Tyler and Jacko read the play very well and Xander continued his great year. Bob kick 4 goals in one quarter with many others kicking multiple goals. Big challenge for the Roo boys next week so let's focus on that at training. Well done boys.

Next game Sunday 30th June, 1:00pm vs Narre North Foxes Grey @ Home

Under 14 Girls

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Next game Sunday 30th June, 1:00pm vs Narre Warren South Lions (Away)

Under 13 Blue

Div: Blue

Officer Blue v Berwick Blue

Berwick Blue 9- 4- 58 def Officer Blue 2- 3- 15

Goals: J Timothy, C Cooper 1

Awards: J Pettigrew – Hughes, E Newell, K Parker, O Curry, C Cooper

On a cold day with Berwick winning the ball around the ground were unable to take their chances and getting away from Officer with both teams hard at it. Officer were able to win plenty of the ball in the end, Berwick had a bit more fire power and were able to run out winners with Officer playing hard to the end.

Next game Sunday 30th June, 1:00pm vs Berwick North (Away)

Under 13 White Div: Blue

Officer White v Berwick Springs Blue

Berwick Springs Blue 8-8-56 def Officer White 6-2-38

Goal Kicker: A McKenzie, H Fendyk, J Ferguson, Z Godden, B Oppedisano, B Snooks

Awards: J Owen, B Oppedisano, J Ferguson

It was Friday night football for the Roo boys and a great game played by all. The Roo boys came out firing to hold the lead at half time. They were expecting the opposition to come out fighting in the 3rd qtr. to which they did, and maintained a lead into the last qtr. to win the game. They were muddy conditions in the centre, but it bought out a solid slog of good hard honest football played by both teams. We do it all again next week, Friday night. Go Roos!!!

Next game Friday night 28th June, 6:30pm vs Pakenham Blue (Away)

Under 12 Blue Div: Red

Officer Blue v Beaconsfield Gold

Officer Blue 0-0-0 def by Beaconsfield Gold 12-13-85

Awards: J Walsh, M Williamson, V Fleming, T Burke, T De Jong

Today's Captain: T De Jong

Today's game at Heatherbrae was a tough day for the Rooboys, playing against the top side. The Roo boys endeavour and pressure was good, and they were able to contest really well for the last three quarters.

Congratulations to Tyler on fifty fantastic games for officer!

Next game Sunday 30th June, 1pm vs Berwick Springs Green @ Home

Under 12

Div: 1 Girls

Officer Blue v Endeavour Hills Green
Officer Blue 11-11-77 defeated Endeavour Hills Green 3-2-20

Goals: M Reimers 5, A Baker 2, S Elliott, P Huisman, I Golotta, J Walker 1. Awards: K Whannell, D Pattison, M Reimers, P Huisman, J Walker and C Duffy

With nilly a full strength team The Roo Girls were excited to hit the field despite the fog and chilly conditions. The first half saw a great physical contest between Endeavour Hills and Officer. The Roo Girls back line and centres kept pressure on Endeavour Hills for the entire game, keeping their scoring to a minimum. In the 3rd quarter, Officer came out firing with 5 unanswered goals. The Roo Girls showed Endeavour Hills what they are capable of when playing as a team, amazing tackles, some great marks and passing, setting up for 4 more goals. Officer came home with the win, well done girls!

Next game Sunday 30th June, 11:30am vs Narre Warren Black @Home

Under 12 White Div: Red Officer v Berwick White Berwick 2-4-16 def by Officer 2-5-17

Goals: W Harding 2

Awards: W Harding, R Cachia, W Sturgeon, T Kelly

The Roos boys started the game with only 17 players today & they knew they had to work hard to get the job done. And the hard work & effort payed off & the Roo boys came away with a real gutsy & nail biting win. It was very pleasing to see the boys playing for each other today with some good link up team play. The Roo boys also showed desperation at the contest with some really strong tackles & shepherds. Will showed why he is our Captain today kicking both of our goals with his second goal on the final siren, taking his team to a 1

point victory. The Roos should be proud of their efforts today and proved that hard work at training & team work pays off. Well done Rooboys!

Next game Sunday 30th June, 10am - vs Beaconsfield Blue @ Home, Highway end

Under 11 White

Div: Red

Officer White v Berwick Springs Blue

Officer White 15-13-103 def Berwick Springs Blue 00-02-02

Goals: M Bianchin, K Boi, S Carter, R ElHayek, C Hoghton, B Klenner, F Kneen, R

Mollison, W Sharlott, A Tucker, N Williams

Awards: All the Boys

Milestone: 50 Games: Max Bianchin, Samuel Carter, Noah Williams, Luke Yeates

In what was a blow out, still seemed like a very contested game of footy. All the Roo boys where great around the stoppages. They played for each other sharing the ball around and getting all our players on the goal kicking score board for the season great game boys. Go Roos

Next game Sunday 30th June, 11:30am vs Beaconsfield Blue @ Home



Under 11 Blue Div: White

Officer Blue v Berwick North

Officer Blue 5-11-41 def Berwick North 0-3-3

Goals: C Lucas, L Strohbeck, J Smith, R Warne, J Woodward

Best:

Awards: J Runge, J Smith, A Kang, E Moylan, E Temba, K Mclaren, J Woodward.

Today our Roo Boys came out firing continuing on from last week's form. The midfield was dominant with some new faces rolling through over the course of the day. The defence was shuffled around today with some new faces holding down key posts and pumping the ball back into the forward line. Our forwards kept building the wall across the 50 metre arc almost making it impossible for Berwicks backline to get out, just another piece to this young teams development beginning to shine through. Well done again boys.

Next game Sunday 30th June, 10.00 vs Berwick Springs Green (Away)

Under 10 Girls Div: U9 White Officer Navy v Tooradin Tooradin 23-11-149 def Officer Navy 1-0-6

Goals: Gabriela

Awards: Peyton H, Chloe J, Tiahna R Gabriela R, Tayla B & Charlotte P

The Roo Girls battled out a tough game against Tooradin in the fog this morning. Again today they had their fair share of the ball but struggled to get the scores on the board with only the one goal from Gabi. The Roo girl's efforts lead them to control the second quarter. The Roo girls are starting to build confidence and skill and will soon have the run and carry to get their efforts on the scoreboard. Their never give up attitudes and determination was evident by their muddied uniforms when they came off the ground today. Next week's game will be another tough one against Hampton Park. Great game Roo girls and keep up the great effort.

Go Roo Girls!

Next game Sunday 30th June, 8.45am vs Hampton Park @ Home

Under 10 White Div: Red (9) Officer v Berwick Blue

Best: S Barron, C Bailey, X Trott, H Jamieson, J Buckland

Goal Kickers: S McDonald

Awards: K Shipway, L Bramley, L Symons, J Gregory, S McDonald

Officer White played away against Berwick Blue. In very cold conditions the Roo boys started really well, attacking the footy and keeping Berwick scoreless in the first quarter. After quarter time, the Rooboys went back to playing unaccountable footy and not winning the football around the ground. After halftime the Roo boys lifted their effort but, unfortunately, they played catch up.

Next game Sunday 30th June, 10:30am vs Beaconsfield Blue @ Home

Under 10 Black

Div: Blue

Officer v Lyndhurst Orange

Captains: E Hambridge & T Noonan

Best: The entire team...best Team performance for the season.

Goals: O Bailey, T Noonan, L Ramic, J Phillips

Awards: A Shallcross, C Samaras, B Rodgers, R Jones

Today the Rooboys certainly came out to play producing their best team effort for the season. Every player was disciplined in holding their position & the defensive wall was strong all game. It was pleasing to see the game simulation drill at training carry through to game day with plenty of run, handballs and plenty working hard to become an option. Every player contributed today and special mention to D Bohnenkamp who was a brick wall at Centre Half Back stopping any opposition attack. T Purcell was everywhere in the last quarter. T Noonan is beginning to find his place at Full Forward and enjoyed kicking a goal. The usual mid field pack all did their job once again. Well done to B Rodgers & B DeMaio displaying great sportsmanship playing a quarter for the opposition.

Next game Sunday 30th June, 8:45am vs Narre North Foxes Grey (Away)

Under 9
Div: White

Officer Black v Fountain Gate

Goals: W Andrews, L Ramage, L Siriwardene, A Thomas, Z West.

Awards: L Ramage, D Scott, A Thomas, J Marum, W Andrews, C Fitzpatrick, T Leggett, J

White, Z Medwin, L Siriwardene.

The fog still hadn't lifted by our 10:30am game at Max Pawsey Reserve. It was cold and muddy, but once again the Roo boys played well. Offensively the Roo boys moved the ball well, linking up well with hands and by foot. Defensively they tried hard but the opposition tired even harder, which gave them too many chances to score. Our Roo boys continue to play the game in the right spirit, and always show the respect to their opposition that they deserve. The song was sung load and proud, GO ROOS!!

Next game Sunday 30th June, 8:45am vs Berwick North @ Home

Under 9 Blue

Div: Red

Officer Blue v Beaconsfield Blue

Goals: M El Hayek, C Hooper, A Kane, R Papworth, J Plunkett, T Royakkers, L Sheean, A

Whelan

Awards: Z Baxter, C Hooper, J Plunkett, T Royakkers

Officer played at home today in absolutely freezing conditions. The players were put through a vigorous warmup to get them up and going. Officer hit the ground running and really dominated possession for most of the game. The players learned from last week's game as well as their most recent training session and were much more willing to give off the handball before a tackle was laid. This was a highlight of the teams play today. Another highlight of today's game was the ability of many of the players from both sides to be able to stand strong and take an overhead mark.

Officer's inaccuracy at goal hurt them a little, the players need to remember to make the best choice for the team when trying to score. All in all, another great performance by this group of players. Go Blue Roos!!

Next game Sunday 30th June, 10.15am vs Pakenham (Away)

Under 8 Blue Div: Blue

Officer v Beaconsfield Gold

Goals: A Hayes, T Knaggs, B Thomas, T Wilson, C Rossborough

Awards: R Bradford, T Knaggs, H Mills-Smith, D Sheppard, B Thomas, C Rossborough.

It was a chilly and foggy morning at the second home game of the season for the Officer Blue Roo boys. The boys played a really good game, using the handball more and looking down the field for a team mate. The Roo boys worked on defence today, sticking to a playing and keeping the opposition from gaining possession in the forward line. Well done Officer. Warm up, ready for next week.

Next game: Sunday 30 June, 9am - vs Pakenham Maroon (Away)

Under 8
Div: White

Officer v Beaconsfield

Goals: O Main, A Williamson

Awards: L Saunders, B Harlock, C Payne A McCullum, A Williamson

On a freezing cold morning our intrepid under 8 White team took on Beaconsfield in only our second home game for the season. Beaconsfield were a slick unit but a great first quarter from our defence kept the damage to a minimum. Archie was terrific in the middle extracting the ball at will with Jaxon doing a great job down forward linking up with his teammates. We continue to improve each week and are competitive with everyone in the league. Great Effort Roos.