



5th August, 2008

PERTH BAYSWATER JUNIOR RUGBY UNION CLUB

NEWSLETTER

If you would like to go on our email list or if you have any information for the newsletter including match reports please email robbie@hillarysresort.com.au by **12 noon** each Wednesday.

URGENTLY WANTED U7 BLACK MANAGER

Geoff Weir Coach of U7 Black and Greg Newman Assistant Coach are desperately looking for a manager for their team. No parents from this grade have come forward for this role even though we have had requests through the newsletter from Geoff or Greg. U7 Black is the only team out of 19 teams at Perth Bayswater that still do not have a manager.

Coaches do not get paid to coach your child/children. They give up their free time and work commitments to be there on Thursday and Saturday for your child.

With only 5 games left of the season, it is important that there is a manager as the final weeks will be busy. In order for your child to receive trophies, photos, end of season wind up etc a manager is desperately required. Your coaches can not be expected to do all this while still training and coaching your child.

Can some one please come forward this week and fill this roll. It's not that hard of a roll at this age level. There are also plenty of people around who are more than happy to give you a guiding hand with this role.

I look forward to someone coming forward this week. Noel Spittal, Chairman of the Juniors
P.B.R.U.F.C.

Team Photos

A big reminder that team photos are being taken in the clubrooms on either 7 or 14 August. See attached list for when teams are scheduled to have photo taken. If a child knows they are going to miss their selected date - then please talk to their coach/manager and rescheduling may occur. If a headshot is to be inserted into the photo of an absent player - there is an additional cost.

Full playing strip must be worn.

Thursday 7 August

Under 11 Black	5.20pm
Under 12 Black	5.30
Under 12 White	5.40
Under 7 White	5.50
Under 10 White	6.00
Under 7 Black	6.10
Under 15	6.20
Under 16	6.30

Thursday 14 August

Under 11 Numbats	5.20pm
Under 10 Black	5.30
Under 8	5.40
Under 9	5.50
Under 14	6.00
Under 6 White	6.10
Under 6 Black	6.20
Under 13	6.30

CANTEEN ROSTER 9 09.08.08
Perth Bayswater V's Wanneroo

TIME	NAME / GRADE	NAME / GRADE	NAME / GRADE
10am – 11am set up	U11 Numbats	U11 Numbats	U11 Numbats
11am – 12pm	U11 Numbats	U11 Numbats	U11 Numbats
12pm – 1pm	U10 White	U10 White	U10 White
1pm – 2pm	U10 White	U10 White	U10 White
2pm – 3pm	U10 White	U10 White	U10 White
3pm – 4pm	U11 Numbats	U11 Numbats	U11 Numbats
4pm – 5pm	U11 Numbats	U11 Numbats	U11 Numbats
5pm – 6:30pm and clean up	U10 White	U10 White	U10 White

Names are to be sent to me by close of business Friday the 1st of August.

As no one has come forward as Canteen manager the three parents on from 10 am until 11am for set up will need to Tanya in the canteen on the 7th of August at 5:20pm so as she can show you what needs to be done.

URGENTLY WANTED

Parents prepared to join the COMMITTEE in 2009

Do you want your children to continue playing rugby for Perth-Bayswater next year? If so, we need volunteers to join the committee to help the junior club function next year. We have a talent pool of more than 400 parents and we need help from as many of you as possible to ensure a prosperous and sustainable future for the Club. The only way this will happen is with your direct involvement. **The club relies on volunteers** to keep it operational, and if everyone leaves the responsibility to somebody else and we **do not get any volunteers**, there is a possibility that **the club may not be in a position to field any junior sides** in the competition **next year**. If this happens both **you and your children will be the big losers**.

!!! If you have a spare hour or so a week, the club needs you!!

All volunteers will be given clear guidelines on the duties involved in their respective positions and assistance in undertaking their roles. There is also scope for people to share the workload of certain positions, so get together with your friends and get on board to make a positive contribution to the club and to your children's future.

Volunteering is a rich and rewarding experience and by offering your services you can help Perth-Bayswater Rugby Union Club achieve it's aim to be **THE BEST WITH PRIDE**: respected and well regarded by players, members, sponsors, the rugby fraternity and the local community.

BE POSITIVE & GET INVOLVED

Please consider how you can help contribute to the successful running of our great club. We require at least 14 volunteers in order to fill the following positions for 2009:

- Chairman
- Secretary
- Registrar
- Members Officer
- Gear Manager
- First Aid Officer
- Adverts Coordinator
- General Committee
- Vice-Chairman
- Treasurer
- Newsletter Editor
- Merchandise Manager
- Coach Coordinator
- Representative at WAJRU meetings
- Raffle Coordinator

We are also seeking people interested in undertaking referee training in the off season to act as referees at Britannia next year. This is a great way of getting to know and understand the game, as well as making a positive contribution to the sport.

If you are unsure of how you may be able to help or would like any further information contact Noel Spittal by email: noelspittal@electricaldistributors.com.au or by Mobile: 0403349894.

THE CLUB EXISTS FOR YOU AND YOUR CHILDREN

PLEASE GET INVOLVED, JOIN THE COMMITTEE AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE

MATCH REPORTS

U 15's JOONDALUP BLUE 27 def PERTH BAYSWATER 10

It was with much anticipation that Perth approached this match; an opportunity to play against the undefeated top side and see where we stood at this point in the season. Fine, cool weather with a fresh breeze greeted us at Britannia and the boys were pumped.

From the outset it was clear as to why Joondalup were top dog; strong forward pressure at the breakdown and slick passing by the backs had Perth on the back foot initially. The pressure resulted in a try after five minutes but without a conversion. Perth then increased their work rate, and strong counterattacking produced a try courtesy of Lane Mitchell (under a pile of bodies!). The try was duly converted by Jackson Condren and Joondalup knew they had a game on their hands. Perth players defended stoutly against some ferocious attacks by the opposition, with some big hits and last minute kicks preventing a number of possible tries. Eventually, however, the sustained pressure from Joondalup produced a well executed try from a set piece in the lineout and they went into the break 3 points up.

The second half was equally as tough, with Perth attacking strongly and forcing a penalty which leveled the scores. Joondalup then stepped up a gear, forcing a number of errors from Perth. Indecisive tackles, ill discipline (back-chatting the ref), poor positional play and errant kicking gifted Joondalup three tries in the space of ten minutes. This period of play pushed the match out of reach of the boys, and despite some great efforts, they could not breach the gap.

Perth should not be too disheartened by the loss; they showed that they could mix it with a team that has been together for a number of years. However, we must not forget that we have to put in 100 per cent for the full term of the match. But for ten minutes of poor play, we were in the game and could very possibly have won. Perth now has to improve their efforts at training, with all boys needing to show commitment for the last part of the season. We are still in the hunt for a finals berth where fitness and ball handling skills will be paramount. A positive attitude to setbacks is important to achieve any success in life, and the players should learn from this match that good discipline and support for each other are the keys to winning.

Notable players on a day where all contributed: Johnny Craster, Tahī Broughton, Alex Preston, Carlos Flutey-Clarke, Gene Whitnell, Ben Buist, Hemi Tuiavii, Abdud-Dayyaan Majiet.