

matchDAY

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We're back in Hard Copy! This is the closest you'll get to the weekend action without actually being there! You can almost touch the sweat and testosterone oozing from the pages!

Weekend match results

Commentary

1 win and 1 draw out of 10 games played this weekend. The Seniors win keeps them at 5th place on the ladder, only 5pts from top spot.

The last few Losses for The Masters takes them down to 2nd last on the Ladder.

The U9's, 13's, 14's, 15's, Ladies and Masters are playing home on Sunday, come

down before or stay after your game to help cheer them on!!

Saturday 20th May

Seniors **Vs** Croydon City Arrows Home **3-0 win**
Reserves **Vs** Croydon City Arrows Home **3-3 draw**

Sunday 21st May

Under 9's **Vs** Wonga Park Away **10-0 loss**
Under 11's **Vs** Wonga Wizards Home **5-1 loss**
Under 12's **Vs** Ashburton Utd Away **5-1 loss**
Under 13's **Vs** North Caulfield Colts Away **8-3 loss**
Under 14's **Vs** Boroondara Eagles Away **11-0 loss**
Under 15's **Vs** Knox United Home **15-0 loss**
Masters **Vs** Juventus old boys Away **15-0 loss**
Ladies **Vs** Waverly Victory Away **2-0 loss**

How a few of the teams felt after their games on the weekend!



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Under 11's

The under 11's played the Wonga Wizards at home on Sunday! We welcomed a new player Hamish to the team who showed some marvellous skills and is proving a welcome asset!

The game was a tough one and we fought hard with a full and enthusiastic team. Our speedy Tadhg scored 1 goal in the 2nd half which gave the team a much needed boost. All players were fantastic on their feet and really gave it everything they had. Great sportsmanship shown by all- we look forward to playing the Wizards again this season.



Hamish takes control of the ball

Ladies Report

Healesville ladies travelled to Brandon Park to take on Waverley Victory hoping that when we left we would be Waverleying goodbye with our first Victory. Neither side had tasted success this year, so it was anyone's match. That was until we got there. We were one woman short of a full team and they had ladies lining up to get on the pitch.

The match started with a bang. Straight into our net. They were hungry and now one goal and one girl up they wanted to put the pedal to the floor. So much so that when the ball went back to the middle they thought it was their kick off again. Once that was sorted, we kicked off but it wasn't long before they were all over us and the ball was again in our net. 2-0 down after a few minutes and we were hurting. Stand in captain Georgie started to lose her mind. She just kept muttering defence, defence, defence. We thought she was going mad. That and her ruthless attacks on the ball, we thought it best to do as we were asked and defend.

That's exactly what we did. They came at us but we just kept pushing them back. For the rest of the match we were a fortress. With the odd attack ourselves and a Beckham style shot from Jo that nearly went in, we walked away exhausted with a 2-0 loss but another week of match experience.

All the girls did well but notable mentions to Kats second half goal keeping clinic. Georgie (the rock) Bennett down back clearing everything and Dani and Paige's forward efforts, although mostly a 2 on 5, when we had the ball in our forward half they ran all day.

Compliments of Special K



The Ladies talking tactics at training before their first home game this Sunday.



U14 Match Report



With just 11 players on the field and no subs, the Under 14s played a strong defensive game against Boroondara at the Macleay Park oval, North Balwyn. The score was 11 nil to Boroondara, the result of several lucky kicks and two of the three free penalties converted to goals. However, Healesville started strong under glorious sunshine stopping several goals thanks to Zac, who has emerged as the U14s super star goalie. Boroondara's strong kicking, several taller players as well as five subs on the bench, won out in the end. Healesville played outstanding defense that had their coach Gerald Ackroyd singing praises for Alfie, Beth, Alistair, Jarod and Ari for their kicks and footwork. Alfie flew several balls more than half the length of the field. Flynn for always being 'magically' on the ball, and for Callum and Ethan who played strong defense against an opposition who were constantly refreshed with five subs. Despite playing with no subs, Healesville Under 14s showed an enormous amount of determination against a stronger team. This experience will only see them gain more skills and fitness. Now that the Under 14 team is set, they will only get better as they learn to work together as a team, which will soon be hard to beat.

Result: Lost 0-11



Under 12's



Standing on the sidelines in a leafy suburb of Melbourne, early on Sunday morning, we yet again reflected that football is truly a game of two halves. The first was a learning experience as Ashburton United's forwards weaved between defenders and kept the pressure on for a full 20 minutes. After a successful penalty, almost kept at bay by Daniel, the field goals followed and Healesville were 5 down by the break. In the second half Healesville were committed as a team and the ball rarely penetrated their backline. The intensity and movement was increased across the field as Healesville applied the pressure. After a series of close calls and in payment for many quick breaks, Kiera finally scored. At full time it was Healesville 1 Ashburton 5. Hopefully the feeling of the second half will be bottled by the team and drunk before each future match. Great to see such resilience.



Miss Keira who scored Healesville U12's only goal on the weekend.

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