

The Waverley Panthers

In the Outer: *After an even colder start this week it was great to see the Club Spirit shining through, even though not all our teams won. A lot of personal milestones this week. – Go Panthers!*

Parents please help your Team Manager to get the team on the ground on Sundays – your assistance with the necessary jobs is extremely important!!!!

Waverley Panthers Dinner Dance. Keep Saturday 27th July 2002 free in your dairies for this event. It is to be held at the Malvern Valley Reception Centre. More details to follow.

Columbia Park Photo Day: - Another date to put in the dairy, Sunday 23rd June 2002. Packages are \$9 for portrait only, \$11 for group photo only, \$18 for total package of group photo, portrait photo and passport size photos. Forms will be distributed soon for completion and return.

Aftermatch: Every football Sunday all parents and players are invited to the Panthers Aftermatch to listen to the Coaches' reports on the days play and socialize with other parents and players. New Parents and players especially welcome. The Aftermatch commences at 5.30pm to 7.30pm at our main home ground Columbia Reserve, Columbia Drive, Wheelers Hill MEL 71 H11. Food and refreshments available.

**** Please note that due to the generosity of one of our sponsors we will be having a Subway evening at this week's aftermatch. Please show your support for the club by attending. A great evening for the club and a chance to thank our sponsors.**

Milestones – Congratulations to:-

Izzy Carter on his 50th game.

Michael MacDonald on his 50th game.

Nicholas Bogar 100

Cameron Smith 150

Fixture Round 7 – Sunday 2nd June 2002

ALL PLAYERS ARE TO ARRIVE AT THE RELEVANT GROUND **30 Minutes**
PRIOR TO START OF GAME OR OTHERWISE AT COACH'S INSTRUCTION.

Home Teams (first named team): Black Shorts Away Teams: White Shorts

Under 9's Glen Iris vs Waverley Panthers **10.30am

Righetti Oval, Elizabeth Street, Kooyong. MEL 59D3

Under 10's Waverley Panthers vs Glen Iris Blue 9.00am

Columbia Park – Columbia Drive, Mulgrave. MEL 71H11

Under 11's Waverley Panthers vs Prahran 10.30pm

Pinewood Reserve, Pinewood Drive, Mount Waverley. MEL 70G4

Under 12's Northvale vs Waverley Panthers 10.30am

Wellington Reserve, Mackie Road, Mulgrave. MEL 80C3

Under 13's Ashburton Green vs Waverley Panthers 12.30pm

Burwood Reserve, Warrigal Road, Burwood. MEL 60G7

Under 14's Waverley Panthers vs Ashburton Green **10.30pm

Columbia Park – Columbia Drive, Mulgrave. MEL 71H11

Under 15's Waverley Panthers vs Ashburton **12.30pm

Columbia Park – Columbia Drive, Mulgrave. MEL 71H11

Under 16's Dingley vs Waverley Panthers 2.30pm

Souter Reserve, Marcus Road, Dingley. MEL 88G6

Under 17's Waverley Panthers vs St. Peters 2.30 pm

Columbia Park – Columbia Drive, Mulgrave. MEL 71H11

WAVERLEY PANTHER Match Reports from Round 6 Matches – 26th May Sunday 2002

Under 9 Waverley Panthers 00-01-01 lost to Ashburton Black 03-09-27

Goals:

Best Players: Sam Kassianou, John Angus, Peter Alevizopoulos, Harry Tilley.

Coaches Award: Karl Merson

Comments: Great team effort, tackled well and kept the pressure on all day. Nick Goodall playing his first game for the club was excellent in the back line. If the boys keep persisting and playing the way they are, a win will not be far away.

Under 10 Waverley Panthers 17-18-120 defeated Waverley Blues 00-00-00

Goals: Dean Siakoulis (3), James Schiano (4), Scott Millner (3), Rick Bailey (2), Sam Poulton (2), James Cooling (1), Robert Broley (1), Tayla Middlemiss (1)

Best Players: Rick Bailey, Dean Siakoulis, James Schiano, Scott Millner, Leigh Broad and the rest of the team.

Coaches Award: Robert Broley

Comments: Today was one of the best games I have witnessed from a junior side. It consisted of team work and skill, the whole side really put in the yards and made it into a real spectacle. As a coach it made my job so much easier when you have 18 winners all over the ground. Congratulations also to Sam Poulton, Robert Broley & James Cooling for kicking their first goals for the club. Well done boys.

Under 11 Waverley Panthers 08-06-54 defeated Northvale 02-06-18

Goals: James Schiano (3), Hayden Crozier (2), Nick Lettieri (1), Mitchell Cairnduff (1), Dean Siakoulis (1).

Best Players: Not enough space for names, they were all great.

Comments: As a coach, I want to thank my team for giving 110% for the whole game. It was a real team effort, without any superstars. All the players involved in today's game should be proud. Thanks to the players from the U10's & U9's who helped us. Don't forget U11's Golf Day on 16th June. More details ASAP.

Under 12 Waverley Panthers 04-04-28 lost to East Malvern White 07-04-47

Goals: A. Kneebone (2), M. Nowak (1), B. Smith (1).

Best Players: M. Wilkins, K. Stephens, C. Emerson, A. Kneebone, L. Dale, B. Whyte, N. Schiano, M. Thompson, C. Jacobs.

Comments: A fantastic effort against a very talented East Malvern side. Our teamwork at times was excellent and exciting to watch. The highlight of the games was the endeavour and courage shown by all players. Thanks to "Tayla" for helping out and congratulations to Izzy Carter on playing 50 great Panther games.

Under 13 Waverley Panthers 02-03-15 lost to Waverley Blues 16-12-108

Goals: S. Dickinson (1), H. Edwards (1)

Best Players: R. Bowden, B. Dignan, J. Laidlaw, N. Talidis, D. Goodall, T. Stanley.

Comments: It is very hard work to report on half a game of football. For the 3rd time this year we only decided to become competitive after ½ time. It's up to you **all** to come together & play as a **TEAM**.

Under 14 Waverley Panthers 07-11-53 defeated Waverley Blues 07-10-52

Goals: Chris Molnar (2), Sean Stephens(1), Colby Dickson (1), Lachlan Dunlop(1), Robert Verde (1), Daniel Vigilante (1)

Best Players: Sean Stephens, Damian MacLeod, Dean Dignan, Harris Delfinis.

Comments: They say that good sides can play badly and still win – today was one of those days for us. A cold, greasy morning and a fired up Waverley Blues team really made us work to the final siren for the points. Our commitment at the ball was questionable at best, and the winless Blues really taught us a lesson about how to scrap out a match. A much improved effort will be required against Ashwood next week. Congratulations to Michael MacDonald on 50 games today.

Under 15 Waverley Panthers 05-05-35 lost to Cheltenham 14-08-92

Goals: Daniel Johnson (2), Luke Romanelli (2), Nicholas Bogar (1)

Best Players: Dean Grigg, Peter Stanley, Jamil Tye, Daniel Johnson, Luke Romanelli, David Rogan, Tom Bailey.

Comments: Results don't always show a team's performance. With only 18 players the commitment was excellent today. If we take the hardness out of today's game and take it into all of our games, this team will make a huge turnaround. Well done to Dean Grigg for an exceptional individual performance today.

Under 16 Waverley Panthers 10-17-77 defeated 04-12-36

Goals: David Aile (2), Cameron Smith (2), Shayne Allen (1), James Bolitho (1), Dale Brett (1), Brendan Fahrner (1), Byron Naylor (1), Jason Miller (1)

Best Players: Simon Ioannidis, Shayne Allen, Jason Butler, James Pitcher, Dale Brett, Cameron Smith, Xavier Stephens.

Comments: Happy to take the 4 points. From here we need to commit ourselves for the remainder of the season and work hard to improve.

Under 17 Waverley Panthers 03-07-25 lost to Hampton Park 12-10-72

Goals: Andrew Domine (1), Nick House (1), Adam Romanelli (1).

Best Players: Adam Romanelli, Adam Norman, Christian Salerno, Samuel Reed, Jeffery Moss, John Hendry, Dale Micallef, Bernard Costin.

Comments: Another disappointing day. We need to take up the challenge to play a better brand of football.