BULLDOG BULLETIN NOVEMBER 2017



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Up and Coming Events

10th November Friday Night Teas

17th November Friday Night Teas

22nd November Nominations close for Committee

24th November Friday Night Teas

29th November South Augusta AGM

30th November Applications close for Coaches, Friday Night Teas

3rd December Past players and supporters (Cricket and Football) meet at the Cricket (TEA BREAK)

15 December South Family Xmas Night, Raffle draw

16 December South Xmas Dinner

The last month has been a busy one for the club with the A Grade taking out its Back to Back premiership for the 3rd time in its history and its 15th Premiership in total over 105 years. The Presentation night was well attended with Matt Downey taking out his second A Grade Fairest and Best, just beating Madigan Medalist Darcy Kildea and Life memberships going to Chris Heron, Daniel Dohnt for their long serving service to the club on the field with over 200 senior games and Anthony Everett who has served as coach, player and Football Operations recruiter and he has played no small part in the club success in recent years. Well-deserved Life Membership Buck.

The Chalmers Family Club Person of the year was awarded to Sam Maule, together with the Patrons Award for his service as a player off the field, organising events, social activities and working with the players on activities to improve their involvement with the club.



MATT DOWNEY FAIREST AND BEST



CHRIS HERON LIFE MEMBER







DANIEL DOHNT (MIDDLE)

SAM MAULE

BUCK EVERETT

The South Augusta Yearbook 2017 is available on the South Website if interested. Click on the following link. http://www.communitywebs.org/safc/

The club has appointed James Boles as Senior Coach for the 2018 Football season, congratulations James. We have recently called for applications for the positions of B Grade Coach, Under 18, Under 15, Under 13, Under 11, Under 9's and Mini for the 2018 season. Applications close 30/11/17. Phone enquiries 0455 898 144

The work now begins for the Football Operations Committee to appoint coaches, retain and recruit players and keep the poachers away. A survey of players lost over the last 10 years indicates that we have lost 23 A and B players to Central Augusta and West Augusta with 14 going to Central and 9 to West Augusta with around 5 coming to the club from these teams. Reasons for leaving include to play with friends and relatives, play at a higher level, more money, didn't get on with coach and players etc. The Football Operations Committee under Mick Kerin, Kean Parrington and Anthony Everett do a great job each year, but they need your help. If you hear of any possible players give them a call or text.

Michael Kerin 0455 989 144 Kean Parrington 0419 034 630 Anthony Everett 0439 635 521



Rumour has it that Adam Grantham will retire from football in 2017. Adam has played 205 A Grade games and 5 B Grade games plus several SGL representative games. He played in A Grade Premierships in 2006 and 2016 and has coached at a junior level having coached Under 15 and Under 18s to Premierships. He was Assistant coach in 2017 when injured when he missed the A Grade Grand Final but played in the B Grade Grand Final. Adam has suffered several knee reconstructions and the final straw was when he was badly injured in a match against Sollies this year. Adam has Captained the A Grade for 10 years since 2008 having been joint captain when injured and he is a Life Member of the SGL and South Augusta Football Club. Adam will be sorely missed on the field for his courageous and creative play but

we are sure he will remain involved off the field in years to come. The club congratulates him on a great career.

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held on Wednesday 29th November at 7.00pm at South Augusta Football Club. Do you have experience in any of the following areas?

Management - Budgeting - Event Planning - Publicity - Marketing - Fundraising - WH&S - Bar Operations - Kitchen Management - Staff Mentoring - Merchandise - Membership Coordination - Volunteer Coordination - Football Operations

Then YOU could be an asset for SOUTHIES! Consider Volunteering for a specific role...

Or the following vacancies on the management Committee, President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, 4 Committee persons, Patron.

Nominations forms are available at the club or available from Secretary. Nominations must be lodged with secretary, by 5.00pm Wednesday 22nd November.

The club urgently needs assistance in 2018 with cooking groups in the kitchen. Helpers receive their meal for free & \$3.00 pints, echoes or glass of wine while they are working in the kitchen. Xmas posters are out, Friday night for members & then Saturday night is more an invitation for volunteers, sponsors, players, staff, officials etc. Thanks Judith

Cricket Update

Captain appointments this year include Greg Shirley for the A Grade and Tyler Tenant in the B Grade. The A has been off to a good start with 3 wins from 4 games and after a surprising loss to West chasing 82 they have settled in the last 2 games to be in the top 2.

A good win the Regional 20/20 tournament takes them into the top 16 in the State and a chance to play at Adelaide Oval in the final. The next division tournament is on the 14th January 2018. Greg Shirley has a couple of 50's Nick Callary a 50 and Craig Shirley 77 and in the bowling Nathan Nistico, Aaron Vater and Craig Shirley have been in the wickets. In the B's Darcy Kildea hit a 60 and in the Juniors, reduced teams is disappointing but Jarrod Waterworth has the boys performing well.

FUNCTION AT CRICKET TEST FIRST DAY 2ND DECEMBER

Ex South Augusta Cricket player and 2012 A Grade Premiership Captain Liam Carr, now living in Adelaide and President of the Old Ignatius Cricket club has arranged for Jason 'Dizzy' Gillespie to be at their Annual Test Match Brunch on the first day 2/12/17. He would love to see a few of the South Augusta supporters, players of both cricket and football at the function, 10am-1pm at the Lord Melbourne Hotel and cost is just being finalising but it will between \$70-90 for a three hour drinks package and lunch. He hopes to see a few Souths lads if they can make it. Contact Liam Carr, email: lcarr@cabra.catholic.edu.au p: (08) 8179 2400

Last year we had a get together for any Cricket and Football Southies that would be at the Cricket Test and we plan to do it again, at this stage the Sunday 3RD December, the second day of the Test, starting at the Tea break, more details to follow. We meet at the Southern Stand Level 5 bar, which is accessible for both members and non-members.

BILLYS CORNER

Sad news about 3 South Supporters and family members who have passed away in the last month. Daph Shirley, 95 passed away after a year in Nerrilda on the 4th October. Daph was the mother of 7 children and many grand and great grandchildren and a big supporter of the club over the years having 4 sons and 9 grandsons who played either Junior or Senior football for the club. The family would like to thank those who have given best wishes and condolences and South Augusta, especially Harry, Val, Sue Magarey, Jenny Grantham, Wendy and Jan Black, Nicole McInnis and Jasmine and

Judith Barnett and all the helpers for the amazing catering after the funeral and Nerrilda who looked after her over the last year.

Ruby Chapman recently passed away on November 4^{th} aged 95 years. Ruby was the mother of 8 children and 76 grandchildren, great grandchildren and great grandchildren. Ruby was also a great supporter of the club with the club offering its condolences to Marg and Colin Waterworth, Rod and Kerry Chapman and the rest of the family at this sad time. The family would also like to thank Nerrilda for its 5 years of caring for Ruby.

Garth Bowman also passed away recently. Garth played juniors for South before playing senior games in 1957 and 1958 before going to Adelaide and playing Senior football for Sturt for several years, playing at the higher level and bringing honour to the club. The club offers its condolences to Garths family at this sad time.

Racing Tips has been organised once again at the club after 2 years in recess. Numbers are up to 30 which is a great result with funds raised going towards the Football Operations. 'The first week and some low points to start with has Colin Scarlett and Harry Waterworth tie in the first week with 12 points and a jackpot prize in the 2nd week \$20. Well done to Harry who chased up new tipsters for this year and he will be assisted Kean Parrington and Mark Shirley throughout the year.

Greyhounds were held on Melbourne Cup day- Tuesday 7th November Chinnery Oval, with races named after South Premiership players which was an honour for the club. Premiership shirts are still available, see Judith Barnett if you are interested.

If anyone wants a copy of A Grade or B Grade grand final they can get a USB/Disc to Judith Barnett who can provide you with a copy. If you want to watch the match, ask the Bar staff to put the game on the TV near the Honour boards at the club.

The Footy tips concluded with a show on the AFL Grand Final 30^{th} September and good numbers attended. Well done to Vicki Fullerton and Billy baker who assisted throughout the year and the, Kennel club on the 1^{st} October was deemed a success with shows planned.



FOOTY TIPS SHOW GRAND FINAL DAY

<u>MEMBERSHIP UPDATE-</u> Membership Draw this Friday night at the club and to be in it please sign up for 2017 membership. Membership forms available at club, payment can be made at the bar. Family \$35/single \$25/pensioner \$10. Memberships are valid from 1st January -31st December each calendar year. Go to http://www.communitywebs.org/safc/memberapplication.php for more details.

Cricket Flashback: 1967/68 (50 years ago) Position 2nd

The Captain in 1967 was Trevor Searle. South's finishes second again after losing its second straight Grand Final to Stirling. Although it was a good season for the club it was a disappointing result Stirling 167 to South 112. This was the First Grand Final at ETSA Oval after playing at Central Oval for many years

John Kernahan made 97 and K Phillips 66 in the Preliminary final however not many made runs in the big match. The best bowlers in the final were Neil Brook 1/31, Bruce Curtis 2/26, Ray Hanrahan 0/36, Ken Phillips 2/23, Sam Moore 0/14, Neil Brook 0/11 and Robert Hearne 1/14.

Trevor Ferme from Stirling won the Cricketer of the Year from Allan Dighton from West runner up.

Many thanks to those who contributed to the Club newsletter including Michael Kerin, Judith Barnett, Harry Waterworth,

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