

BULLDOG BULLETIN NOVEMBER 2014



Management Committee Update

Cameron Redden has been appointed A Grade Coach for the 2015 season and the B Grade and Under 18s will be finalised in the next 2 weeks. Planning for the 2015 is already well under way with the Footy committee sourcing possible recruits to replace transfers and retirements. The Footy committee is always looking for new members if you want to get involved with the football operations side of the club see Chairperson Graham Coutts ASAP. Pre-season starts on the 24th November for all senior players.

The Friday Night draw is up to \$600 this week for members whose name is drawn and present at the club. Bad luck to Lee, Kaye and David who have missed out in the last 3 weeks by not being there, don't join the list and get up the club for a \$15, 3 course meal, the cheapest in the town every Friday. The draw occurs between 6pm- 7.30pm each Friday and will go up by \$50 if not won each week.



Central Oval Update: The club is still waiting for confirmation of lease and license transfer and sign off and unfortunately these things take time with the tribunal and other departments involved. The club is still looking at a move early in the new year at this stage. The picture outlines the look of the South bar at the new facility.

Damien 'Bluey' Bolitho has retired from the B grade coaching position after 4 years. Bluey had arguably the hardest job at the club with b grade numbers and names changing each week however he won 44 of the 70 games he coached, won 'Coach of the Year' in 2012 and took the B grade to the finals on 2 occasions, finishing third last year. We wish him the best in the future and hope he stays involved with the club.

Brodie Cox and Lee Schmidt will both be leaving Port Augusta and the club through work commitments. Both players were members of the 2012 A Grade premiership side, Brodie and hardworking forward with great skills and Lee Schmidt, a Madigan Medallist in 2012 and Runner up Fairest and best in 2012 and they will be missed both on and off the field. Brodie will return to Kapunda and Lee to the NSW country where he first started football. Brodie kicked 2 goals in the 2012 final and Lee one and both played great games. We wish them and their partners and family all the best in the future and look out for any possible farewells before the end of the year.



Lee Schmidt

Brodie Cox

Also date for AGM has been set WEDNESDAY 3 DECEMBER 2014 7pm at the CLUB, positions available Treasurer and President all nominations to Trish Noble no later than Friday 28 November 2014

In the next 2 months we will be asking potential sponsors, Vice President Club members and Club members from the 2014 season whether they can commit in 2015 and with the new exciting move to the new complex it should be a great year ahead.

Key dates in the future

Monday 24th November: Pre season training starts for all senior players, 3 nights per week, not all compulsory.

Saturday 29th November: Simon Owens needs helpers for the Market Day BBQ on the 29th November 2014. Last year we raised over \$1,000 for the club so if you can help out for a couple of hours in the morning either cooking or serving please text Snake Owens on 0419 808 663 or email him owens@dodo.com.au

Sunday 30th November: SGL AGM, Program for the 2015 to be discussed

Wednesday 3rd December: South Augusta Management committee AGM 7pm, nominations for Treasurer and President and Committee in by 28th November 2014

Friday 5th December: Xmas Pageant: No teas at the club that night.

Saturday 6th December: Helpers required for Saturday 6 December as two shows booked in. Six wait staff in black and white 3 male 3 female to wait for the Knights of the Southern Cross in the hall. Helpers required for the volleyball break up the same night, kitchen/dishwashers needed for both events also

Please let Trisha Noble know if you are able to assist via phone/txt 0417811399, facebook or email dolphinmoon0@bigpond.com

Friday 12 December 2014 : South Augusta Xmas dinner. Same menu as last year, full serve \$16 half serve \$14, must book in no later than 1 December. All members, players and supporters welcome
Thank you for your continual support of our mighty bulldogs

Presentation Night 2014

Congratulations to Mark Horner who took out the Kittel Cup for the Fairest and best in A Grade for the 2014 season after an excellent year for the club. Mark also received a watch donated by sponsors Milhinch Jewellers. It was a great night at the club with over 150 in attendance and the night also honoured the 50th reunion for the 1964 Premiership with some past players travelling large distances to attend, well done to all involved with the night's organisation including Harry and Bakes for organising trophies and the night schedule, the Ladies Committee, Management Committee and Football Committee.

To look at more photos from the night click on the following link:
<http://www.communitywebs.org/safc/> and go to Presentation night 2014

Other trophy winners for the night were:

A Grade;

Fairest and Best Kittel Cup, donated by Kittel Family and Milhinchs: Mark Horner

Runner- Up Fairest and best donated by Pat and Trevor White: Alan Margatich

Best Team man donated by Pat Hynes : Brock Laube

Best First year player , Kym Applebee Memorial donated by Applebee family: Nathan Paige

Most Consistent player , Owen Cook Memorial donated by Pat Cook and Michael Seagrim : Mark Horner

Leading Goal kicker in Club donated by Shillabeer family won by Caleb Ritter

Coaches Trophy, donated by Harry Waterworth won by Marcus Kerin

Most Dedicated Player donated by G Coutts and K Parrington won by Dylan Barnett



A Grade Trophy Winners

Back Left to Right

Caleb Ritter, Marcus Kerin, Mark Horner (Fairest and Best), Dylan Barnett, Nathan Paige.

B grade

Fairest and Best, Waterworth Cup donated by the Waterworth family and Milhinch Jewellery, won by Adam Di Paulo

Runner up Fairest and Best , donated by the Barnett Family won by Adam Bentley

Best Team man , Rita Baker Memorial donated by the Baker family won by Chris Grantham

Most Dedicated Player donated by the Shirley family won by Andrew Willis

Coaches Trophy donated by Harry and Val Waterworth won by Brett Pascoe

Most Valuable Player donated by Trevor Bolitho won by Lucas Bendessi

Best Defender Trophy donated by Andrew and Wendy Black won by Tyson Black



B Grade South Augusta Trophy Winners at Presentation Night

Back Left to Right

Brett Pascoe, Adam Di Paulo (Fairest and best) , Tyson Black

Front Left to Right

Chris Grantham, Andrew Willis, Adam Bentley

Under 18s

Fairest and Best , Rod Lamshed Memorial , donated by Lamshed family won by Caleb Ritter

Runner up Fairest and best , donated by Ray Hanrahan won by Aziel Stuart

Best team man , John Heritage Memorial , donated by Heritage Family won by Todd Kaesler

Coaches Trophy , donated by Harry and Val Waterworth won by Daniel Taylor

Most Dedicated player, Harold Bowman Memorial , donated by Bowman Family, won by Sabian Wilton

Best First year player, donated by Jan Black won by Dareyan Solomon.

Most Consistent Trophy , donated by Lee Schmidt won by Daniel Glass

Most Valuable player, donated by Val Waterworth won by Craig Shirley



Under 18s Back Left to Right
Daniel Glass, Sabian Wilton, Todd Kaesler, Aziel Stuart
Front Left to Right
Dareyan Solomon, Daniel Taylor, Caleb Ritter
(Fairest and best)



Players and Officials from 1964 Premiershipe Reunion
Back Left to Right
Bob Nowak, Mick Vanvacas, Bill Virgo, Sammy Moore, Ray Hanrahan, David Shillabeer, Bob Bowman, Stan Chapman. Front Left to Right: Bill Applebee, Brian Kreig, Geoff Fullerton, Bill Baker, Mick Hobby, Ross McHugh, Sid Williams, Gary Kittel.

Other awards on the night were awarded for Life membership to Ricky Gill for services to the club and 200 senior game players Brett Pascoe and Ryan Struck. The Club person of the year donated by the Chalmers Family was won jointly this year with Harry Waterworth and Wendy Black receiving this award after many hours of volunteer service to the club. Certificates of Appreciation were also awarded to Kym Austin, Trevor White, Joylene White and Gary Kernahan and Peter Walsh and Wendy Black also received special awards for services to the club.

Cricket Report

This season is well underway with all sides performing well despite being well below full strength. Unfortunately we were unable to fill a second B grade team this season, but the good news is that we have a U/17 team back in the competition and they have been filling in for the senior teams when they have been short.

The As this season are being captained by Aaron Vater and have made a good start with a 3 win 2 loss record. A welcome inclusion is recruit Adam Wilson who has performed solidly with both bat and ball. Also among the runs have been Riley Dunemann, Wes Yates, Nick Callary and Greg Shirley. With the re-emergence of our U/17 side it has allowed us to give Corey Cuffe and Josh Scurrah their A grade debuts and along with fellow colt Stuart Dunemann they have contributed well on every occasion.

The Bs are being captained by Mathew McInnis and so far are unbeaten. Great to see veterans Kym Maule and Buck Everett filling in when the club had a lot of players unavailable due to the footy trip. After some hard work and recruiting we have filled a U/17 team and they are being very well coached by Mick Dunemann, so far this season they are 2 wins and 2 losses. Runs have come from Stu Dunemann, Rowan Irvine and Will Bolitho and Darby McMahon has taken a 5 for.

The U/14s have only played 3 games and have won them all and with 18 players to pick from the future looks bright. Good performances have come from Will Waterworth, Chris Robinson, Isaac Keeler and Hamish Lord with the bat and Deke Scurrah with the ball.

Congratulations go to the T20 team captained by Todd Kernahan who won the Northern District T20 competition in Roxby Downs. The team beat sides from Whyalla, Port Pirie and Roxby and now qualify

for the next stage of the competition which is to be held in Port Pirie in late November against the champion teams from Eyre Peninsula, Yorke Peninsula and Riverland. If we win this we go onto the final against the champions from the South and this will be played on Adelaide Oval later in the season.

Congratulations also go to Will Waterworth, Angus McInnis, Jed Waterworth and Hamish Lord represented the Northern Region at the State SAPSASA carnival held in Adelaide recently, all lads performed well. The side was coached by our U/14 Co Coach Simon Robinson.

Footy Trip- Broken Hill 2014

Wowweee- what a trip!! It all started on Friday morning with a special guest attending South Augusta Clubrooms (no this was not TK who decided to show up and drink half a slab of our Bus Beers after finishing nightshift) but Mayor Sam Johnson who judged the prestigious 'Best Dressed'. The theme was 'Favourite *Fictional* Character'. All of the lads made a massive effort with honourable mentions to Jak Kerin as Walter White, Twof as The Dictator, Phil Jaeger as Lego Man, Horner as Sub Zero and DC as Jesus Christ but the eventual winner was a very deserving Tommy Hamilton who got up at 5am to do his own face paint to come as Darth Maul! There was money on that he would be shirtless and he didn't disappoint with a skin tight onesie. After a very eventful 6hr bus trip that saw the winner of Best Dressed Tommy H have the power to nominate the drinking games- this resulted in some messy lads as we pulled into Broken Hill. None more than someone with the initials Jak Kerin who left his phone in the middle of nowhere after a much needed comfort stop. Big Thanks to Phil Jaeger who drove ahead to Broken Hill but agreed to turn around and help Jak collect this. You still owe him a beer for that too Jak!

We made our way to the Musicians Club who put on a delicious spread of pizzas (on the house of course) and we settled in for a much needed refreshing alcoholic beverage. We then headed to the Mulga where the lads dominated the dance floor, beer garden, pokie room and bar. We even saw the first ever South Augusta Vs The Rest Arm Wrestling Challenge where we were of course victorious- thanks to Flex!!

Saturday morning saw some pretty dusty lads but it wasn't long before the Beer Bong was presented and after some hair of the dog, a BBQ breakfast and some WWF (we love the old school) wrestling entertainment (provided by our Best on Trip) all the lads were ready to reset and hit the Broken Hill Races. Looking the part thanks to some last minute revving up from old man Pascoe we all had our SAFC Footy Trip shirts and were ready to take the bookies to the cleaners. We arrived to a luxurious marquee stocked with the finest champagne and caviar. Or at least this is how we felt with the VIP treatment we received. The races were one to forget- with only some minor collects- other than a photo opp with the gorgeous Bonnie from Home and Away. Some of the young lads couldn't hide their excitement (what with their skin tight slacks). We finished up there and decided to make a mess of Broken Hill for the night. Only a handful stayed the distance with a small contingent making it to the local nightclub until the wee hours.

Sunday was the all important bus ride home- where I must say most lads kept going with the revelry. There were only a handful of Footy Trip virgins who the weekend was just a touch too long for- Caleb you have some soul searching to do- maybe get some tips from the old man in advance of next years big trip. With all lads arriving in Port Augusta in the same condition that they left in (that is alive and intact) it was a successful trip. As for always- above is only a snippet of the fun had on Footy Trip. As we all know what happens of Footy Trip, stays on Footy Trip. So all of you lads that missed out this year- do yourself a favour and book holidays now for next year as we want every senior member to be involved. A team that plays together, stays together!!



Picture of the lads at the club before take off

Ladies Committee Update: The Ladies Committee met last week to discuss Merchandise for 2015. There will be a group of women on the Ladies Committee who will be in charge of all of the South's Football Club Merchandise and there will be a player rep as well...At this stage the Merchandise group consists of Sue Trewartha, Georgia Irvine, Donna Irvine, Stacey Struck and Adam Grantham. The Presentation night revealed the new club mascot bought by funds from the Ladies Committee, look out for the mascot in 2015.

History

Thanks to Megan Collins, Ted Curyer has been finally able to sit along his team mates in the 1938 A Grade Premiership photo after 76 years. Ted who was named best player in the final when they beat Central Augusta by 4 points was not present at the team photo. Technology allowed Megan to add Ted to the photo after his picture was found on an old Railway representative game photo. Ted's nephew Dean Curyer, now living in Adelaide, gave us an insight into the Curyer family's history at the club by writing

'After playing in the Centenary Premiership winning team of 1936 in Jamestown the Curyer brothers Ted & Ron moved to Port Augusta and began playing for South's. Another brother Reg (from Curyer Jewellers in Commercial Road) had moved to Port Augusta earlier also played for South's but was not as noted as a footballer as his brothers.

Ted was the best player in the 1938 Premiership, Ron who's nickname was Spog also won two Mail Medals whilst playing for South's in 1938 & 1939. Ron went on to play 3 games for South Adelaide but being a country boy he did not like the living arrangement of one room at the Stag Hotel so he returned to Souths at Port Augusta.

It was after the Mail Medals that Ron's future wife convinced her Mother to come along and watch him play as he was quite good at the game. In the course of the game Ron's shorts got ripped off much to the shock of the Mother in Law who was disgusted at him running around with no shorts on (remembering this was a woman born in 1892.)

Another brother Clarrie played with Norwood for 33 games then had to stand out of the game for two years before he could play for St Kilda in the VFL where he played 104 games, kicking 58 goals.



The 1938 Premiershipe team where Ted is seen sitting on the far right in the second row.

BILLYS CORNER

The club trailer will be delivered in the next 2 weeks with Peter Walsh agreeing to pick it up from Adelaide. The trailer was purchased from a Volunteer support grant won by the club in 2013.

You can now look at some photos and articles from the history of the club by going to the South Augusta website and looking through the history section.

Click on the following link: <http://www.communitywebs.org/SAFC/main.php?pid=47>

Many happy returns to club members who achieved great milestones in the last month. Football committee member and cricket Club president Darren Baker turned 40 years of age, Lee Willcock 1993/1994 premiershipe player turned 50 and Football committee member and Sponsor Co-ordinator Simon (Snake) Owens also turns 50. Well done lads and I'm sure if you mention it to them they'll buy you a beer!

Another 2 Southies have joined the Bowls ranks are Peter Trewartha, Twof and Billy Baker. Twof retired from cricket umpiring and co-ordinator after many years and Billy continues his involvement in sports adding to the list of Footy, Cricket, Darts, 8 ball and Tennis. Both have by all reports taking to Bowls like a duck to water although other reports indicated that the Club jar that holds money for those who bowl on the wrong bias has been added to recently, ask them for more details.

The Waterworth's are back from their American Holiday after 5-6 weeks and by all reports had a great time, look out though they might hit you up for a loan, they enjoyed it so much, looking forward to the slide night in weeks to come. Noticed quite a few Southies at the Rolling Stones concert recently including the Magareys, Kerin's, Shirley's, Phillis, Williams, Edwards and Lamshed's to name a few of the old rockers who enjoyed the night at the sold out show and it's a trip that you wouldn't want to be on, Coutts, Kean, Brett, Bouilly, Buck, Mauley and the rest of their motley crew on a fishing trip to Darwin next week, look out for the report on that one! Nick Bouilly drew the short straw and is sharing a room with Buck.

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