

BULLDOG BULLETIN SEPTEMBER 2019



MEMBERSHIP TARGET: 500 TOTAL MEMBERS (GET NO. FROM JUDITH)

SOUTH AIMING FOR 4 IN A ROW

Good luck to the A Grade who will represent South Augusta in the Grand Finals this weekend and aiming at club history with 4 premierships in a row. We would love to see as many past players and officials, sponsors, Vice Presidents and supporters at the game to get behind the team as they need your support.

If you can please get on the grass or balcony so you can be heard, not behind the glass, your voice of support is very important to the team on the day. Bad luck to the B Grade, Under 18s and Under 15s who did not make the big day and many thanks to the coaches, trainers and parents who were part of their year.

If you can't make the match would like to listen to the match or keep in touch with updated scores you can listen to Trax FM on <http://traxfm.org.au/> and click on the live stream link or go to Sportingpulse http://websites.sportstg.com/comp_info.cgi?round=3&a=ROUND&client=1-7308-0-478391-0&pool=1001 anywhere in the world.

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

The Committee is proud of the club to make 4 "A" GF's in a row, and if we win it will be a defining moment in our clubs proud history.

> To play in a grand final is hard enough and for South to have been successful with both A and B in recent years is testament to the hard work that has been put in by a lot of dedicated people.

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> A few things we need to let members know about for the day -

> - Gates will be closed at around 12 noon on Friday as has been the case in previous years.

> - Gates reopen around 7 am on Sat morning

> - Club opens at 11am

> - There will be a bar on the hill as well as the downstairs bar.

> The club is not sure at the time the newsletter went out if all gates will be open at the same time.

> - Gates will have security checking for alcohol etc and any prohibited goods will be confiscated.

> - A drinks ticket system will be used on the day, there will be plenty of signage to assist

people understand what ticket they require.

- there will be no tabs available on the night.
- > - A DJ has been arranged for the club side.
- > - Teas will be available on the night approx 6-8 pm
- > - U18's will be asked to leave at midnight , this will be strictly enforced , there will be no alcohol sales during this time, members who may have U18 present on the night can you please make sure you are aware of this rule.
- > - unruly or disruptive behaviour will not be tolerated, Security will be instructed to remove anyone that is unruly , there will be no exceptions.
- > - If a member / or player/ official or any one for that matter that causes any trouble they should be aware that they will be removed from the premises and may be banned from the club.
- Please be aware that the balcony, lift , stairs are dry areas and no alcohol is allowed in these areas ,as a South member you can ask people to move back into the club, contact a Committee member if you need to, Security will be monitoring. The club has been visited on numerous occasions over the last 2 or 3 years by liquor licensing officers and police , we have been questioned a couple of times about a few things , but have come up clear, the Committee intend to keep it that way. If you see something say something.
- Another plea from the Committee is if you are in a position to assist with collecting glasses, removing rubbish etc that would be appreciated, the staff/ Committee will be under the pump on the night, we want you to enjoy yourselves and hopefully enjoying the spoils of victory.

Congratulations again on the "A's making the Grand Final and thanks to all grades and coaches/ helpers for a great year.

Regards

Management Committee

Friday 20th September : Friday night teas at the club and a Players Auction will occur around 7/7.30pm. **THE MEMBERSHIP DRAW IS ON THIS FRIDAY NIGHT**

Saturday 21st September. : Gates will be opening at 7.00am. PATRONS ARE REMINDED THAT NO ALCOHOL CAN BE BROUGHT INTO THIS FACILITY OR CONSUMED OUTSIDE OF LICENSED AREAS. SECURITY WILL BE MONITORING THIS ALL THE TIME. ALL CARS WILL BE CHECKED FOR ALCOHOL. NO CAR/PERSON WILL BE ALLOWED TO ENTER WITH ALCOHOL.

Sunday 22nd September: SILLY SUNDAY BRUNCH AND SESSION: Time to be announced. For all players, members & supporters. If you would like to donate to the players drinks and pizza on the day please put your name on the board or see Kean, Harry or Shirlds.

**SOUTH AUGUSTA FOOTBALLERS
GRAND FINAL PLAYERS AUCTION
FRIDAY 20TH SEPT 2019
7 PM START**

**GET YOUR SYNDICATE TOGETHER AND BUY YOUR FAVOURITE PLAYER FROM THE A
GRADE TEAM.**

**PLAYERS WILL BE VOTED ON BY 5 NEUTRAL JUDGES WHO WILL GIVE THE 5 BEST
PLAYERS VOTES FROM 5-1 ON ORDER OF 5 FOR BEST PLAYER DOWNWARDS.**

**AT THE END OF THE GAMES THESE VOTES ARE ALL ADDED UP TO DECIDE THE
WINNERS**

MONEY TO BE DISTRIBUTED AT END OF THE GAME.

**50% GOES BACK TO THE CLUB
(\$400 TOWARDS SUNDAY SESSION)**

**THEN FROM THE REST THE PRIZES ARE WINNER 50%, SECOND 20%, THIRD 10%,
FOURTH 10%, FIFTH 10%
POTENTIAL TO WIN UP TO \$1,000**

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**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A DONATION TOWARDS THE SUNDAY SESSION AT THE
CLUB ON THE 22ND SEPTEMBER PLEASE GET YOUR NAME ON THE BOARD AT THE
CLUB**

DARCY WINS ANOTHER MADIGAN MEDAL **(Article courtesy of the Transcontinental)**

South Augusta's Darcy Kildea won his second Madigan Medal recently together with the Transcontinental Medal as top Port Augusta footballer. Darcy joins another legend of the club Bill Virgo as the only 2 players to win 2 SGL Madigan Medals. Souths Kriston Thompson also finished off a great year by finishing in the top votegetters.

Kildea, a teacher in Port Augusta, led for most of the count and consolidated his position in the final stages. Modestly, he said he had not expected the win and paid tribute to his teammates. "I really didn't think I was going to win this, hence the thongs and hat that I am wearing," he told the gathering of league, umpiring and club representatives.

"Kriston Thompson had a better year. It is like getting an 'A' on a group project and you didn't do anything." He thanked the club, his family and his girlfriend Kate for their support.

Later, he told *The Transcontinental* that Kriston Thompson "gets the hard ball" for the club in the midfield. "I hang from the outside and get the cheap kicks, really," he said.

He started his football career on Kangaroo Island at 10 years old, progressing through Westminster Old Scholars and a team in the APY Lands before joining the Bulldogs.

He said "mateship" was the best thing about football. Kildea teaches at Port Augusta Secondary School. He won the medal in 2017.

South Augusta midfielder Will Waterworth polled 20 votes to win the under 18 Bishop Medal. He followed the steps of his father Jason Waterworth who played for South.

He likes the social aspects of football, including meeting new people on combined game trips. Will is an apprentice electrician with PKB Electrical.

Other South Augusta players to do well this year include Seconds top-scorer: Ben Trewartha (South) 32 goals, Under 18 top-scorer: Kallan Warren (South) 76 goals and Heath Green who was Runner Up in the Under 15s Association Medal, well done to these players on their great years.

South Augusta have now had players win 5 Madigan Medals in the last 10 years with Ryan Struck, Lee Schmidt and Aziel Stuart, last year being among the other winners.

More details on <https://www.transcontinental.com.au/story/6362460/darcy-dominates-madigan-medal/>



Darcy Kildea wins another Madigan Medal

FROM THE PRES.

FROM THE SAFC FOOTBALL COMMITTEE

In the B Grade those mentioned most on the best players include Trent Ritter and Dylan Barnett, Ben Trewartha and Byron Taylor. Ben has been amongst the goals however the team have not had the luxury of a full list and the year has not been a good one with the A Grade calling upon players each week.

The Under 18s, coached by Cameron Reid and Jack Menzies are not far off the mark in 4th spot and will be competitive in the finals if they keep up the form, those who have performed this year include Michael Collins, Angus McInnis, Rex Waterworth and Will Waterworth who performed well in the A Grade last week. Best Goalkickers include Kallan Warren and Tom Clancy.

COLTS CORNER

The Under 15s under coaches Frank Tuip and Ian Brazell and the Under 13's coached by Damien Bowshire organised a well attended Parents vs Juniors match on a Friday night with the parents getting up in the last kick of the day, well done to all involved and a big night for the club. Grades are now going through Presentation nights with a run down of trophy winners in the 2019 Year Book to come out on Senior Presentation night.

2019 SGL TEAM OF THE YEAR

Congratulations to South Augusta A Grade players Gary Warren, Matt Downey, Darcy Kildea, Kriston Thompson, Caleb Ritter and Karan McKenzie who were rewarded for their great year with selection in the SGL team of the year together with James Boles who was selected in the Coaches role.

TRAX 105.1 FM IS BACK!!

It is great news that TRAX FM will be back to broadcast the finals. All clubs have been asked to find people wanting to join the broadcast team so let me know if you want to have a go.

PLAYER MILESTONES

A big milestone in the last month include Caleb Ritter playing his 100th club game against Props/Risdon in the first final together with Greg Shirley playing his 100th A Grade game.

Caleb is a product of South Augusta juniors and starting playing senior football in 2013. Caleb has played 88 A Grade games and 12 B Grade games, playing in the 2016, 2017 and 2018 A Grade Premiership teams together with being co-captain of the winning teams in 2017 and 2018.

Mainly playing across the half back line, he has been an excellent backman for several years, particularly this year when he made the SGL team of the year and was selected in the Northern Zone team that finished second in the Country Championships.

Congratulations Caleb on a great career so far and let's hope he adds to the Premierships this weekend and don't forget to buy him a beer if he shows you his 100 game pewter.



Welcome Aboard Port Augusta Isuzu

You may have seen a couple of new faces around the club in the last few weeks giving Snake and a number of other members a good reason to be last to leave on Friday night's (not that we need one).

That would be Port Augusta Isuzu Manager Adam Donaghy and partner Shelly who have signed up as Gold Sponsors for 2020 and 2021. Adam and Shelly have already commented on the great atmosphere and welcoming nature of our club and its members in general. We'd expect nothing less as that's what us Southie's are good at. Make sure that you introduce yourselves if you run into them at the club or out and about.

Adam is looking forward to a long- term partnership with Souths and is open to any suggestions to "value add" to what is already a generous Gold Sponsorship arrangement. For example next year's Family Fun Day will be sponsored by Isuzu to add to what is already a great event in the club's calendar.

As usual our tradition of “sponsorship being everyone’s business” is alive and well. This all came about from a conversation between a couple of members and Bonney , who is Senior player Jake Westwood’s partner and employed at Port Augusta Isuzu. Add some help by well know Southie Aaron Vater, Service Manager at Isuzu and the rest is history. Thanks to all involved.

Snake

PLEASE ADD IN LOGO AND PICTURE FROM SNAKE



Port Augusta Isuzu Manager Adam Donaghy

BILLYS CORNER

Well, the greyhound has been purchased by the name of " Connor Allen" and Scott Feltus who played in the 1993/94 A Grade premiership side will be the trainer for the large contingent of Southies who are part of a syndicate. It is now in the Scotty Feltus kennels and had a run at Angle Park on Monday. Robert Bowman and Harry Waterworth are syndicate organisers. It wasn't named after South player Connor Rozee but lets pretend it is ! Click on for more details on the dog

<https://fasttrack.grv.org.au/Dog/Details/157501901>

On the subject of Connor Rozee, what a great year he had with Runner Up in the AFL Rising star award in his first year and the club can be proud of his efforts with the NAB banner displayed prominently at the club. He has a great future ahead of him and it won't be long before he's back on the training track again after just missing the finals with Port Power. Congratulations Connor.

Happy Birthday to A Grade Premiership player Harry Holland on his recent 21st birthday. Harry has had an unlucky year with his long-term knee injury but he will be cheering the lads on this weekend. Congratulations Harry.

Club Life member Jarrod Waterworth will also celebrate his 50th birthday soon, a legend of both football and cricket at the club and congratulations also to Jake and Meg Collins on the birth of son Emmett and another Southie in future years. Jake is going for his 4th A Grade Premiership this weekend. Congratulation to all those of these milestones.

It was pointed out that we missed to mention another South player who made the North Whyalla team of the Century to join the other 2 that we mentioned in recent additions. Victor Van Weezep also played for the club in 1978 and impressed as a full forward for the club that year before returning to Norths.

Many thanks to those who supported the Players Auction held 3 weeks ago with the Peter Trewartha syndicate cleaning up with over \$800 won with some good picks including Will Bolitho who is in good form. The club will be holding another traditional Grand Final players auction at 7pm so get your syndicate together with the opportunity to win some big money.

West Whyalla had a good win in the Whyalla Grand Final last weekend and the A Grade team had 3 lads who were connected to the club including South A Grade Premiership players Sam Maule and Billy Jo Russell together with Kode Patterson , who played juniors for Souths and was captain of the A Grade team.

There are past players who have emailed their support to the team who cannot make the day including:

Victor Van Weezep: Wishing the boys all the best for the day, Congratulations to all those who have made South Augusta the club it is today

Craig Garrard: Good luck to the lads for the day

Martin Flanagan: Would love to come back however can't make it this year, pass on congratulations to the boys, sure they can make it 4 in a row

Eamon Power: I can't make it but wish the chaps all the best for the match , here's hoping its 4 in a row.

Winners of the South Augusta beer pong contest at the club recently were Marcus Kerin and Craig Shirley after some strong opposition from the Magpies Netballers and Kmac and Jaylon but too no avail. The Magpies netballers did not appreciate another loss after their netball loss in the finals! Well done to Trent Ritter who organised the night with possible Table tennis nights planned in the future. Trent was also involved as DJ at the recent Netball finals night at the club last Saturday, well done Trent



**RACING TIPS IS BACK
SOUTH AUGUSTA FOOTBALL CLUB**



**STARTS 2ND NOVEMBER-SATURDAY 21ST MARCH 2020
CASH PRIZES FOR THE FIRST 5 PLACEGETTERS THIS YEAR!
NO TIPS 28TH DEC 2019 DUE TO CLUB BEING CLOSED
20 WEEKS IN DURATION**

**COST \$5 PER WEEK PLUS JOINING FEE \$10
MELBOURNE TIPS ONLY (1ST 3 PTS, 2ND 2 PTS, 3RD 1 PT)
JACKPOT \$10 PER WEEK PLUS PRIZEMONEY
SHOW AT THE END OF THE YEAR, LAST DAY 21/3/19
YOU CAN EMAIL YOUR TIPS IN IF REQUIRED.**

**THEREFORE THOSE OUT OF TOWN CAN STILL PARTICIPATE
IF INTERESTED GET YOUR NAME ON THE BOARD OR SEE HARRY WATERWORTH, MARK SHIRLEY
OR KEAN PARRINGTON.**

**FUNDS TO GO TOWARDS FOOTBALL OPERATIONS, PRIZES AND SHOW AT THE END OF THE
YEAR**

**NEED A MINIMUM OF 20 MEMBERS TO START
PRIZE MONEY CONFIRMED WHEN NUMBERS CONFIRMED.**

VOUCHERS FOR ACCOMMODATION AND PEST AND WEED CONTROL

South Augusta has vouchers available for sale for members from our Sponsors M and G Group for accommodation in Adelaide and Murray Pest and Weed Control for a check and eradication of pest

and weed around your home in 2019. Please contact Michael Kerin on 0455 989 144 for a voucher well below the cost price of the service. Funds will go towards the Football Operations Budget.

FOOTBALL FLASHBACK: 1979 (50 YEARS AGO)

1979

A grade position: 8th

- The B grade wins its second successive premiership after defeating Willsden in the grand final 10.9 to Willsden 7.13.
- Best player in the grand final are Mark Carn, Scott Whitaker, Greg McAtee, Robert Farr, Mark Shirley and Vivian Rigney.
- President; Bruce Curtis, A grade coach: Pat Hynes, B grade Coach: David Shillabeer, A grade captain: Pat Hynes, B grade Captain: Bob Thomas, A grade Fairest and best: Peter Rivers, Under 18's league medallist: Ashley Dunkley.
- Souths "A grade" win the wooden spoon for the first time in the SGL and new players for the club this season include Laurie Benson, Noel Bury, Mark Carn, Jeff Evans, Michael Kerin, Shaun Phillis and Vivian Rigney,
- Players lost from 1978 include: Mick Braham, Hayden Bretag, Gary Grantham, Neil Groves, Gary Hosking, C Kearns, Alan Maynard, Dean Mudge, Ian Pickford, Tony Richardson, Gary Schultz, B Sellers, David Shillabeer, Bronte Stuart, Victor Vanweezep, Kingsley Watchman, David Williams.
- The loss of many players hits the club hard with the opportunity to blood several younger players in the A grade.
- B grade team manager; Jeff Shillabeer, B grade runner: Trevor Lamshed, Trainers: Gary Humphries, Trevor Haines, Alf Maule, Head trainer, Bill Applebee, Don Gourd, Lou Edwards

For more information on this clubs era click on <http://www.communitywebs.org/safc/main.php?pid=89>

SOUTH AUGUSTA FOOTBALL CLUB

SECONDS

S.G.L. PREMIERS 1979

GRAND FINAL SCORES- SOUTH 10-9 DEF. WILLSDEN 7-13



BACK ROW:

J SHILLABEER (Team Manager, G. HUMPHRIES (Trainer), T. HAINES (Trainer), M. SHIRLEY, C. SKINN, J. EVANS, B. SHIRLEY, R. HARRIS, S. PHILLIS, G. MCATEE, T. FARR, P. PIDGEON, M. COREY, D. BARRETT, L. EDWARDS (Trainer), M. FISCHER (Trainer, L. BENSON, T. LAMSHED (Runner)

MIDDLE ROW:

M. MITCHELL, R. FARR, G. AYLES (Vice Captain), D. SHILLABEER (Coach), R. THOMAS (Captain), S. WHITTAKER, J. HEARNE, A. MAULE (Head Trainer)

FRONT ROW:

D. GOURD (Trainer), K. GRANTHAM, V. RIGNEY, M. CARN, B. SHILLABEER, M. SNOWDEN, D. ROZEE, W. APPLEBEE (Trainer)




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2019 membership are now open. 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. You can pay your membership by internet.

PAY YOUR MEMBERSHIP BY INTERNET BANKING : PAYMENT DETAILS

SOUTH AUGUSTA FOOTBALL CLUB, BSB 035065, ACCOUNT NUMBER 751788

DESCRIPTION: YOUR NAMES, FAMILY NAMES

MANY THANKS TO THOSE WHO ASSISTED WITH THE NEWSLETTER INCLUDING NICK HERON, MICK KERIN, HARRY WATERWORTH, JUDITH BARNETT AND GRACE FORREST

SOUTH AUGUSTA FOOTBALL CLUB SPONSORS 2019

Gold : Port Augusta Isuzu, Tassie hotel (add in) Sundrop Farms, M & G Hotel Group, All States Construction Solutions, Enerline Construction ,APM Employment Services, Head Catering, PKB Electrical, Murray Pest and Weed, Secker Real Estate Roxby Downs, Emma's Deli, Milhinch Jewellers, Hannahville Hotel, Saltbush Surf, CWC Safety Consultants, Graham Coutts Autos, Pastoral Hotel, Flinders Ranges Cheap Priced Cars, South Augusta Football Tips, South Augusta Long Range Tips, South Augusta Racing Tips, South Augusta Round Table, Crossroads Concepts, Nelsons Teamwear, Guidolin Carpentry, Johnston Withers Lawyers, Rowe Partners

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Plumbing - change name from Willis Plumbing

Bronze : D & G Tyres, Port Augusta Meat Store, Dan Van Holst Pellekaan, Willark Construction, Billy Baker .

Colts : Greg Edwards Century 21 Terry Gardiner Meats, Hello World (Under 18s), Pat Hynes (Under 18s), Office Café, Willark Constructions, Sports Power, KFC, Hungry Jacks, McDonalds, Subway, Pizza Hut, Barnacle Bills, Wendys, Dominos, Gotta Be Fish, Rob Taylor, Cinema Augusta, Dalla Santa Plumbing, Ryan Struck