

BULLDOG BULLETIN

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SAFC... The place to be in '23

MEMBERSHIP ACHIEVED

367

TARGET 500

UPCOMING SENIOR FIXTURES

SATURDAY 8th JULY SUNDAY 9th JULY

Country Championships Barossa Valley

SATURDAY 15th JULY

Round 11 vs Solomontown (PA)

SATURDAY 22nd JULY

Round 12 vs Port (PO)

SATURDAY 29th JULY

Round 13 vs Prop/Risdon (PA)





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The last month has been busy around the Club with the Hall of Fame function, agreed by many of the older members of the Club as one of the best events in the Club's history. Congratulations to the Hall of Fame Committee and all involved with its organisation.

Other events held include the Beer Pong night, Op-Shop night and Jodi Lee Foundation dinner which were all well supported. Many thanks to the Management and Social Committees who assisted with organising these events.

The A Grade have showed signs of improvement with a competitive game against Central Augusta, and with players returning from injury, there are positive signs for the rest of the season. Many thanks to those who have continued to support the teams and senior coaches of James Boles, Stuart Beaton and Josh McKenzie, and their volunteer staff, by getting along to the matches and supporting the teams.

Many thanks also to the sponsors who have come on board this year and supported the club as their numbers are amongst the highest recorded.

Upcoming events include the Past Players and Officials Day on 26th August, which is open to all but will also celebrate the 1983 and 1993 A Grade Premierships, 1953 B Grade Premiership and other junior Premierships. Get along if you can.

WHY DO VOLUNTEERS VOLUNTEER AND WHAT'S IT WORTH

A recent survey showed volunteers do it to feel good, help others, stay active, socialise, make connections, add to their job resume, boost personal growth, as school / family groups. Community sport is built off the back of volunteers. It is estimated 1 million SA volunteers "donate" \$5 billion in free labour value each year to keep community sport running. Please think about joining the Red Army in some capacity. It is very rewarding and you will not be disappointed.

MID SEASON REVIEW

Having passed the halfway mark of the season, we invite any constructive feedback about how we have gone on and off field over the past six months. Suggestions are very welcome to any Committee Member and / or via safcplayers@internode.on.net. Please also consider your contribution to SAFC thus far in 2023. Many thanks to those who are members already and to those who have fulfilled a role even if it is / was a small one. Can you do more?

CLUB MEMBERSHIP

2023 MEMBERSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE
Payment can be made via the internet, at a bank branch, or at the club
SINGLE \$25 / FAMILY \$35 / PENSIONER \$10

ACCOUNT NAME: South Augusta FC / BSB: 035:065
ACCOUNT NUMBER: 751788 / DESCRIPTION: Your Name / Family Name





I have said it before and I will say it again. We at SAFC can achieve anything we set out to do with the right, passionate people in place to pursue our goal. So it was with the magnificent, historic, inaugural SAFC Hall of Fame event on 10th June. Once again, the night went off without a hitch. Serving meals to the 210 guests in just one hour was great and reflected the expertise shown by the Red Army at the HOG Rally last October (see separate report for further details).

As promised, the new category of SAFC micro-volunteers is going to get plenty of airtime in this our Year of the Volunteer. There are a number of MV opportunities for you to put something back into the club, no matter how small. They include help with two NAIDOC Balls on Thursday 6th and Friday 7th July, or nominating people for the many Clubs SA Awards before Monday 17th July (see separate reports for each of these events in this newsletter).

As we struggle on field I again ask that you stay with and support us as much as you can.

I would like to thank anyone who contributed to the success of the Jodi Lee Foundation event last Friday. I was delighted to read "Souths on a Friday night has been repeatedly mentioned as the best place to connect with the Port Augusta community!" in the original invitation from JLF for us to consider hosting this event. Naturally we jumped at the chance to live up to our spreading reputation. (see separate report).

- Mick Kerin

PRESIDENTIAL HOTLINE: A reminder that direct feedback from you is welcome via email at:

safcplayers@internode.on.net

All feedback, suggestions, criticisms, etc are welcome.



FOOTBALL UPDATES

A GRADE REPORT

Players from South Augusta who played in the SGL A Grade loss by 13 points against Whyalla included Darcy Kildea, Aziel Stuart, and Caleb Ritter. Caleb was amongst the best players on the day. A Grade players who have stood out in the last three matches and named in the best players include Casey Amos, Patrick Kennedy, Caleb Ritter, Ethan Maloney, Ethan Reid, Cameron Tiggemann, Kriston Thompson, Darcy Kildea and Aziel Stuart.

B GRADE REPORT

In the B Grade Ben Russ, Drew Morgan, Josh Sambi, Robert Brown, Heath Green, Tyrone Waye, Rogan McMahon, Terrence Kemp and Declan Franks have been amongst the best.

UNDER 18s REPORT

Although not winning a game, the U18s continue to battle on under Coach Josh McKenzie. Some of the best players for the last three weeks include Addyson DiPaolo, Anthony Truong, Zechariah Amos, Ethan Maloney, Brenton Wayehill, Jack Franklin, Lamon Macumba, Joe Clancy, Seth Brady and Campbell Crombie. In the U18s Ethan Maloney, Joe Clancy and Tyson Darley played in SGL team in the 71 point win against Whyalla.

UNDER 15s REPORT

The U15s under coach Dwayne Crombie are the standout team at the club so far with nine wins from nine games. Some of the best players include Campbell Crombie, Oscar Williams, Addyson DiPaolo, Bryce McKenzie, Coheyn Patrick, Ty Montgomerie, Zechariah Amos, Aiden Waye and Leo McInnis. The team is playing well with most players contributing. In the U15s SGL match Coheyn Patrick, Nate Munzer Campbell Crombie and Ty Montgomerie played in the 107 point win against Whyalla.

U13s REPORT

South U13 are currently sitting top of the ladder after six games so it all goes well for the future of the club. Some of the players to be mentioned in the best players in the last month include Bridie Lukich, Noah Kruger, Leo McInnis, Justin Warren, Eddy Heron, Zayne Hitch, Nate Lukich and Cayleb Hill.

U11s REPORT

South are currently in 4th position with best players mentioned including Anakin Harbour, Romin Collard, Justin Henderson, Harshabad Singh Gill, Lucas Werth and Chace Mason.

U9s REPORT

Great news that South can field two U9 teams this year. Well done to the coaches who are there every week to organise the teams.

U17s AFLW REPORT

The U17 girls are in 3rd spot and those mentioned in the best players in the past month include Annalise Reid, Eliza Cooper, Richelle Crombie, Bridie Lukich, Emma Newbery, Chernille Digance, Georgie Hoffmann and Lily Harbour.

U14s AFLW REPORT

The U14 girls are in 5th spot with no wins so far. The best players mentioned in the past month have been Bridie Lukich, Brooke Vater, Christie Bowshire, Lily Harbour, Ivy Brusnahan, Zannah Mills, Ella Atherton, Layla Culbertson and Aurelia Reynolds. They will not be far off a win in this division.

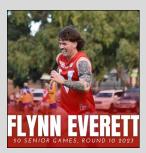
PLAYER MILESTONES



Congratulations to Trent Ritter who played his 100th Club game in Round 8 (now 39 A Grade and 61 B Grade games).

Trent first played senior football in 2015 and played his first A Grade game in 2016.

He was part of the 2020 B Grade premiership and in recent times his improved his fitness has enabled him to play A Grade, mainly in the forward lines, featuring in our past two Preliminary Finals. Great work Trent!



Congratulations to Flynn Everett who played his 50th Senior game against West (currently on 12 A Grade and 38 B Grade games). Flynn is a product of the SAFC colts system. He is on the comeback trail after injury cost him all of last season and has continued to

learn the art of ruckwork. We wish him well for many more games in this vital role in the A Grade team.



Congratulations to Under 15 player Campbell Crombie, who debuted in the A Grade team in Round 10.

2023 CLUBS SA AWARDS

These annual awards are on again with entries closing Monday 17th July. Categories on offer are:

- · Community Awards (Inclusiveness / Grassroots / Community Service)
- Individual Awards (Cook / Chef / Manager / Employee / Volunteer)
- Operational Awards (Best Bar / Best Dining / Best Event Venue)
- Club of the Year (Sporting Club of the Year / Small, Medium, Large Club of the Year)

Please log into the awards link and seriously consider nominations from the many worthy people in the club and / or the club itself.

https://www.clubssaawards.com/2023categories



SAFC REPS IN SGL v WHYALLA FL



ABOVE (L-R): Under 15s representatives Aiden Waye, Ty Montgomerie, Coheyn Patrick, Campbell Crombie, Nate Munzer, Dwayne Crombie

BELOW (L-R): Under 18s representatives Ethan Maloney, Joe Clancy, Tyson Darley



GIRLS PLAYERS WANTED

SOUTH AUGUSTA GIRLS FOOTBALL **NEED PLAYERS FOR THEIR U11, U14 AND U17 TEAMS**

> PLEASE CONTACT **JODIE REID 0450 472 940**

AFL UMPIRE RESPECT CAMPAIGN **LAUNCHED**

The AFL has launched a campaign to highlight the importance of showing respect for the more than 15,000 umpires in community football nationwide. Without umpires, there is no game. Too often, umpires are subjected to abuse on the field and from the other side of the fence. The campaign shines a light on the impact of

abuse on people who are often volunteers. Everyone has the right to feel safe and valued when participating in footy in any role.

Watch Jeremy's story at: https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=KUmW5epSz8g

READ MORE



SOUTH AUGUSTA FOOTBALL CLUB INAUGURAL HALL OF FAME

The South Augusta Football Club has a proud 111-year history and has experienced many successes due to the contribution, dedication and outstanding service by its many members. In recognition of this, a SAFC Hall of Fame was established with the historic event held on Saturday 10th June. A sub-committee was formed and planning started in earnest in February with the ambitious target of holding the event on 10th June - a period of just four months. As this was the inaugural Hall of Fame, the amount of work involved was huge. As I have said before with the right, passionate people in place we at SAFC can achieve anything and this was the case again. To quote club stalwarts Harry and Colin Waterworth "this was the best South centric event in our 111-year history". Ex SANFL / VFL footballers David and Stephen Kernahan were most impressed with the event, saying their (professional) clubs Glenelg and Carlton could not have put on a better event. Others who had not been at the redeveloped Central Oval complex were full of praise for the oval and our clubroom. 210 guests attended, all with some past and / or present connection to the Club, and red and white in their blood. Yet again we had done our club proud.

Many thanks to Peter Taylor for his photography skills and to Allan Phillips of Augusta Production Services for his work with the video screens. Many thanks also to the members of our Red Army volunteers who again excelled themselves preparing the clubroom, undertaking kitchen and waiting duties and doing the cleanup. Literally hundreds of volunteer hours were put in by around 30 people before, during and after this historic night. We were extremely pleased to be supported for this event by students and staff from Seaview Christian School, by providing their table waiting skills as part of their school assessments.

Seaview Principal Bree Russ said "the College was excited to use the event to provide their senior students with the opportunity to undertake hospitality work experience in their quest for Certificate II". Both SAFC and SCC look forward to an ongoing partnership with each other. If you are interested in seeing what Seaview Christian College can offer your children, please do not hesitate to contact the office on 7625 2600 or via email at:

office@seaview.sa.edu.au

Finally, a huge thanks to the Hall of Fame sub-committee for the diligent work done over the last four months in organising what was a historic night for the Club... Jak Waterworth, Harry Waterworth, Mark Horner, Mark Shirley, Adam Grantham, Georgia Irvine, Robert Bowman, Mick Kerin.

More details on the Hall of Fame event can be found on our Facebook site.





BACK ROW (L-R): Chris Heritage, David Williams, Shane Kennedy, Bill Virgo, Patrick Hynes, Gary Kernahan, Peter Trewartha, Jarrod Waterworth, Craig Ritter, David Winter, David Shillabeer, Mark Bowman (representing Harold Bowman)

FRONT ROW (L-R): Robert Rozee, Mark Shirley, Colin Waterworth, Kym Maule, Val Waterworth, Harry Waterworth, Geoff Fullerton (representing Jack Fullerton), Robert Bowman, Jeff Shillabeer, Brian Shillabeer, Kevin Harris

ABSENT: Anthony Anno, Norm Brealey, Kym Grantham, Ray Hanrahan, Les Kittel, Laurie McInnis, Wally McManus, Leo Nowak, Barry Stephenson

SOUTH AUGUSTA FOOTBALL CLUB INAUGURAL HALL OF FAME (CONTINUED)



SAFC HALL OF FAME LEGENDS (L-R): Gary Kernahan, David Williams, Harry Waterworth, Patrick Hynes and Bill Virgo



PICTURED (L-R): Gary, David, Harry and Stephen Kernahan with lifelong Carlton fanatic, Port Augusta McDonalds franchisee and new SAFC Platinum Sponsor and member, Nick Papadatos

ANTHONY ANNO HAROLD BOWMAN CRAIG RITTER ROBERT BOWMAN ROBERT ROZEE NORM BREALEY JACK FULLERTON KYM GRANTHAM RAY HANRAHAN KEVIN HARRIS CHRIS HERITAGE SHANE KENNEDY LES KITTEL KYM MAULE LAURIE MCINNIS WALLY MCMANUS

LEO NOWAK BRIAN SHILLABEER DAVID SHILLABEER JEFFREY SHILLABEER MARK SHIRLEY BARRY STEPHENSON PETER TREWARTHA COLIN WATERWORTH JARROD WATERWORTH VALARY WATERWORTH DAVID WINTER

PATRICK HYNES DAVID WILLIAMS WILLIAM VIRGO HARRY WATERWORTH GARY KERNAHAN

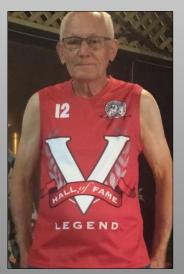


PHOTO (LEFT): Club Legend David Williams ready to go if Bolesy calls him up!!









NORTHPOINT TOYOTA PORT AUGUSTA - GOOD FOR FOOTY

Northpoint Toyota is relaunching their Good For Footy competition which they ran in 2022. We have the chance to win up to \$1000. There is a stand within Northpoint with three jars. Each guest can put a token into their chosen club's jar. The footy club with the most tokens in September wins \$1000. There will be a 2nd and 3rd prize as well. SAFC would like to thank Northpoint for repeating this initiative and encourages you to go into the Northpoint Port Augusta dealership and place a token into our jar.





MICRO-VOLUNTEERING

From now on you can be a SAFC Red Army member at two levels - the current concept as a volunteer committed for the season, or as a micro-volunteer. The latter means you can choose a single or just a few limited events to help out. It could be forming a Friday night meal team four times a year. It could be helping at an event of your choosing, such as either or both NAIDOC Balls on July 6th and / or July 7th.

If you would like to be involved at any time we will greet you with open arms. Our core group of dedicated and generous volunteers need your support no matter how limited it is.

Speak to a committee member or email: safcplayers@internode.on.net

UMPIRES NEEDED

We are seeking interested people to join our club umpire list. Healthy match payments are available each game and vary with each grade. Field umpires are paid up to \$120, Boundary Umpires up to \$45 and Goal Umpires up to \$35, depending on the grade. If you were to become an SGL Panel Umpire, you get paid even more!

If interested, please email interest to: safcplayers@internode.on.net.

Please spread the word to anyone you think who may be interested. It is a well-worn cliché, but no umpires equals no games.



TOYOTA / SOUTH AUGUSTA GOOD FOR FOOTY



Last year Toyota helped 629 clubs raise \$1,044,760. With an incredible prize pool valued at over \$250,000 and more chances to win than ever from a prize pool valued at over \$250,000 including three brand new Toyotas. It's also your chance (after three COVID-19 hit years) to help raise funds for our club.

We receive 100% of the proceeds from ALL tickets we sell. So get in for your chance to win big and support your club.

Click on the link below to buy your \$5 ticket(s), and MOST IMPORTANTLY spread the word amongst your family, friends and work mates (a chance to spread the fundraising load!!).

https://toyotagoodforfooty.raffletix.com.au/southaugusta?q=buy

SOUTH AUGUSTA PLAYERS AND OFFICIALS DAY

SATURDAY 26th AUGUST 2023

RECOGNISING THE:

- 1983 & 1993 A GRADE PREMIERSHIPS
- 1953 & 1963 B GRADE PREMIERSHIPS
- 1973, 1993, 2003 & 2013 JUNIOR PREMIERSHIPS

WE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO SEE 1981 PAST PLAYERS
AND OFFICIALS - MANY COULD NOT ATTEND
IN 2021 DUE TO COVID

ALL PAST PLAYERS AND OFFICIALS WELCOME

12:00 NOON START
MARQUEE ON THE HILL
CENTRAL OVAL
SOUTH AUGUSTA vs PORTS GAME

TEAS AND PRESENTATIONS AFTER THE GAME
AT THE CLUB

RSVP:

Robert Turner 0405 790 907 Harry Waterworth 0457 204 052 Mark Shirley 0428 888 076

ALL WELCOME

UPCOMING EVENTS SAVE THE OATE!

JULY

- 6-7 NAIDOC Youth and Senior Balls
- 8-9 SACFL Country Championships (BLFL)
- **15** Round 11 vs Sollies (Central Oval) THINK! Road Safety Round
- **29** Round 13 vs Lions (Central Oval)

 Pancreatic Cancer Fundraiser Match

AUGUST

- **5** Round 14 vs Central Augusta (CO) Sundrop Multicultural Recognition Round
 - Red and White Ball
- 13 Sundrop Family Day (Central Oval)
- 26 Past Players / Premierships / Officials Reunion

SEPTEMBER

16 – Grand Final (PA - if a PA team is in it)

OCTOBER

- 21 Allstars vs Emergency Services #4
- 28 Senior Presentation Night



FRIDAY NIGHT MEALS

- Weekly Member's Draw
- Bruiser's Bonanza

Meals from 6:30 pm



BEER PONG, OP SHOP AND IPOD SHUFFLE NIGHT

The revamped Social Committee has held a Beer Pong Night, Op-Shop Dress Up and iPod Shuffle Night hosted by Kate Brusnahan, Tricia Waterworth, Georgia Irvine and Darcy Kildea in the last month.

The Beer Pong event saw 24 teams entered, with Lenny Hoffmann and Harry Bolitho the winners. Special thank you to Talia Berry who helped out with the scoreboard.

For the iPod Shuffle Night, 75 songs entered in the competition with \$150 in prize money for the winner.

The Op Shop Night was also well supported by players and hosted by Tricia Waterworth, with Rex Waterworth elected the winner for this ridiculous outfit.

Many thanks to all those on the Social Committee involved with these events.





NAIDOC BALLS (MICRO-VOLUNTEERS NEEDED)

We are pleased to be chosen by the 2023 NAIDOC committee to cater for their prestigious 2023 Youth and Senior Balls. They will be held on Thursday 6th and Friday 7th of July. We will need some help with table and kitchen waiting so if you would like to be a micro-volunteer member of the famous Red Army for a night (or two), please let the club know ASAP.

JODI LEE FOUNDATION EVENT.... TALKING SH!T

We were extremely proud to be chosen (as one of just four towns across the nation) by the Jodi Lee Foundation to host their Port Augusta event on 23rd June. When I read the following, "Souths on a Friday night has been repeatedly mentioned as the best place to connect with the Port Augusta community", written by Sydney based Hannah Devereux Co-founder and Director THEY who was I to disagree!

Rachel McKay, General Manager, Jodi Lee Foundation sent us the following feedback..."The South Augusta Football Club was a fantastic place to host our main event in Port Augusta for the Talking Sh!t tour. The venue was the perfect spot for us to present our message and connect with the local community. The team at South Augusta Football Club were wonderful to deal with, so accommodating and they went above and beyond to make it seamless for us to host our event there. We sincerely thank all the staff and volunteers who helped out on the night. In partnership with the Australian Government Department of Health and Aged Care, the Jodi Lee Foundation is raising awareness and educating the community on the importance of doing the free Bowel Screening Kit when it arrives in the mail for 50-74 year olds. The Foundation is working with AFL legend Gavin Wanganeen to promote positive health and wellbeing messages, including regular bowel cancer screening tests. The Foundation covered dinner costs for all who attended which was followed by a Q&A with Gavin. For more information check out https://jodileefoundation.org.au/

JODI'S STORY

Jodi was complaining of constipation, abdominal pain and some bloating. Her doctor quickly recognised an obstruction in her bowel and ordered scans. Jodi had cancer and the tumour had all but blocked her bowel. She was only 39 but the cancer had spread to her lymph and liver. She passed away aged 41. She had no family history and no symptoms whatsoever, which is typical of bowel cancer. It could have had a different ending if her bowel cancer had been detected early. The Jodi Lee Foundation is now a leading voice for bowel cancer prevention. Each year they reach millions of Australians through national initiatives to raise awareness about bowel cancer which is the second leading cause of cancer-related death in Australia.

But it doesn't have to be. That's because, if detected in the early stages, it can be up to 90% treatable. Bowel cancer often develops without any symptoms, which is why screening is so important. Unfortunately, too many 50-74 year old Australians are ignoring this free, life-saving test when it arrives in the mail from the Australian Government every two years. The campaign aims to encourage Australians to take action to complete the test as soon as they can and send it back. Taking the test every two years dramatically increases the chances of early detection.

For further information about bowel cancer:

https://www.cancer.org.au/bowelscreening/what-is-bowel-cancer/?&utm_medium=ppc&utm_campaign=bowel-fy23&gclid=Cj0KCQjw7PCjBhDwARIsANo7CglBICCXFroysvOA7LJgjCNAtZ4tinPEDSqtIH8MjCzAYImVU4MBLwaAq00EALw_wcB







Clazza's Gossip

This month's newsletter sees Gazza focusing on footy in the 1940s, during the war years.

The Westside and Central Ovals were both used in 1940. Bill Applebee, Life Member and longest living member of the Club, indicated that the Westside Oval was shell grit at one end and fish shells the other. The Central Oval was just flat dirt. Footy boots had stops or sprigs removed and leather cleats were tacked on like rubber tractor treads. Today we take for granted the changing rooms, medical staff and everyday supply of electric heated hot water, etc. Up until the early '60s these ovals had boilers that had to be lit and stocked at each training or game for showers. The player most thought of and remembered with affection was Wally McManus, a coach and player in the '30s and trainer through the '50s and '60s. Wally is a Life Member and now South Augusta Hall of Famer.

Players in the 1940s such as Rex McRae, Eugene Barry, Tom Shinnick, Ray Hooper and H McConnell were South players whose names are now more related to other clubs. In the last forty years, it seemed to have turned around and football clubs are now organised institutions. Ray Miller mentioned that two exceptional local umpires in the 1940s were Jack Penglase and Ted Martlew, who made the game enjoyable to play.

Jack Fullerton interviewed in the 2000s and stated that clubs were not rich and social life was limited in the '30s and '40s. Often awards for players were quarts of beer and the like, and conditions were harsh with games on the hard gritty ovals. There was limited coaching and junior development programs, but players were generally fit and strong through boxing and cycling, which were popular; together with many players being occupied in hard working industries such as the railways and the wharf.

South began the 1940 season promising much and rapidly settled down to hard football under the guidance of coach Lyle Reeves. Several juniors had made their debut in 1939 and the club looked forward with confidence to the year ahead. The next decade, including the war years, brought limited success with only one premiership in 1942. However, the club was very competitive also playing in the Grand Finals in 1941,1943,1944 and 1949. South had better success in the Seconds, winning Premierships from 1946 to 1949.

Officials who featured during this period included Jack Shinnick who was President from 1940 to 1941, Norm Brealey who coached from 1940 to 1942 and 1945 to 1946, including the Premiership year. Ray Miller coached from 1943 to 1944, Frank Rooney 1947 and Ken Walkington 1948 to 1949. Jack McCorquodale served many years as Secretary, together with Bert Lehmann and Harry Nicholson as Treasurer. Club champions included Norm Brealey, Fred Woodforde, Ray McDonald, Ken Walkington and ex Magarey Medallist Jeff Pash.

To see more clippings on the 1940s click: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SVAoLgnO6BM

See you next month.

- Gazza

SOUTH AUGUSTA

FOOTBALL CLUB INC

1942 GREAT NORTHERN FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION PREMIERS

SOUTH AUGUSTA 8.6 (54) TO CENTRAL AUGUSTA 7.8 (50)



BACK ROW(L-R): Jack Shinnick (Delegate), Albert Lehman (Vice President), Harry Burton, Jeff Pash, Ray Miller, Kevin Matthews, Maurice Gigney, Norm Brealey, Harry Butterfield, Dave Barry (President)

MIDDLE ROW (L-R): J MCcGrath (Trainer), Harry Nicholson, Eugene Barry, Laurie Solomon, Hube Zanker (Captain), Jack Penglase, Jack Flanagan, Alec Holmes (Trainer)

FRONT ROW (L-R): C Grantham, Jack Fullerton

ABSENT: W Brooks, Danny Bryans, F DeMarco, Reg Flanagan, R Gogler, K Gulliver, Norm Hardie, Pat Laragy, Jack Marshall, W McEwin, A Merrill, N Molineux, R Mullens, Kevin Penglase, Lyle Reeves, Eugene Saint, Wally Schiller, M Sharley, W Smith, Sid Zanker

PRESIDENT: H T Luke; CAPTAIN: Hube Zanker; COACH: J. Rodriquez

Fifth Premiership for the Club. Undefeated for the season. BEST PLAYER IN THE GRAND FINAL: Ted Curyer HIGHEST ASSOCIATION GOALKICKER: Harry Nicholson (South Augusta) - 41

BILLY'S CORNER

The first Player's Auction raised at least \$1,100 for the Football Committee.

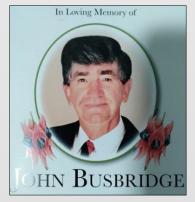
1st - Will Waterworth Syndicate, who bought Caleb Ritter and Connor McMillan

2nd and 3rd - co-winners Amanda Horner Syndicate, who bought Casey Amos and Rowan Irvine PLUS Gary Kernahan Syndicate, who bought Kriston Thompson and Daniel Dohnt

4th - Peter Trewartha Syndicate, who bought Aziel Stuart and Rex Waterworth

5th - Cam Tiggemann, who bought himself and Mitchell French

Well done to the winners and the players who did so well for the syndicates. The next auction is planned for Saturday 3rd August so get your syndicate together with the chance to win over \$500, plus four other minor prizes.



It was sad to hear of the recent passing of past player and official John Busbridge, aged 90 years. John played for the club from 1952 to 1956, amassing around 50 club games and was a member of the 1953 B Grade Premiership side which celebrates its 70th anniversary this year. John also served on the Committee and was Secretary from 1972 to 1976. He was also a good cricketer, wicket keeping with the Woodville club in which he just missed out representing SA in the Sheffield Shield. John was a great support to his sons Paul and Michael who both played junior football for South and Michael being a fast bowler for the South cricket club for several years. Paul recalls that he liked drilling into his kids the skills related to Aussie Rules in which we "absorb like sponges" then demonstrating this with enthusiasm on Saturday mornings with the frost cracking

underneath our football boots with screw in sprigs. Dad standing on the boundary line, yelling "get in front of your man" and "handball is as good as a kick"!

John also enjoyed his golf over the Westside and this continued when we moved to West Lakes Lakeside Golf Club in the late 1970s. The theme of 'Sturt Desert Pea' on his photo attached, symbolises when he tried with serious effort to propagate this native flora and when he eventually succeeded, he placed them into his brick letterbox with TLC. One day someone came along and stole them – he wasn't impressed but the family was amused and laughed. Condolences to John's family and friends at this sad time.

It was great to hear from Bob Miller recently. Bob worked in the railways for many years in Port Augusta before moving to Adelaide. Bob was a member of the 1953 B Grade Premiership side which amazingly celebrates its 70th anniversary this year. There are four known members of that team that are still alive, including Bob - Bill Applebee, Norm (Nipper) Reed and Noel Hollingsworth. Wouldn't it be great to get them together on 26th August if they can make it! Pictured (L-R), Bill Applebee, Bob Miller and Nipper Reed.



It is regret that we advise the passing of Brian (Onions) Owens recently in Broken Hill. Onions, as he is affectionally known, was a local identity who together with his late wife Pam ran the Junction Deli where his fresh rolls and food products together with steak sandwiches and hamburgers were legendary. Onions was the father, father-in-law and grandfather of South sponsorship officer Simon (Snake), Jayne, Erika and Darcy Owens. It is said that the steak sandwiches are still okay but they're not the same without "Onions". Our condolences to the Owens Family.

Which SGL official, who is a driving force on the executive, will perhaps have to have driving lessons sooner rather than later? He is, (or perhaps was) the driver of the mobile starting gates at the Port Pirie trots when he thought he could veer to the right of the track without hitting an advertising billboard on the outside of the track with the mobile arms. Luckily a spectator near the billboard had just bent down to tie his shoelaces and the arm of the gates passed over his head. He blamed a pothole on the track for putting him off course but if that was the case the Pirie track would be the only one with a pothole in it. Wife Margaret said he was only trying to be a "hot Rod"

BILLY'S CORNER (CONTINUED)



Congratulations to trainer Arnie Warren who turned 50 recently. Arnie has just started a job with the Salvation Army and it was great to see him celebrate his milestone with a present from his workmates. Arnie has been a trainer and waterboy at the club since 2016 and enjoys his involvement on the weekends.

It was great to see the progress of the Western United Clubrooms on Kangaroo Island recently after the original clubroom was destroyed in the fires two years ago. South Augusta raised \$5,000 for the new clubrooms and the new complex will be the envy of the other clubs on the island. Souths has a big connection to football on Kangaroo Island with two-time Madigan Medallist Darcy Kildea hailing from Wisanger in the local league. Ex-school Principal and South Committee man Lloyd Nelson was heavily involved with Dudley United in the mid 1970s as team manager, trainer, runner, assistant coach and general dogsbody. I reckon we will be welcomed over there if you mention the club!



The new Western United Saints clubrooms under construction. NOTE the colours of red, black and white...our President is very pleased

DRINKS VAN ON THE HILL PROJECT

TARGET \$4000 - \$1700 RAISED

The club has raised at least \$1700 towards the Van on the Hill project so far including donations from the Racing Tips Committee and 4 club supporters however we still need more to reach the target of \$4,000 to purchase a second-hand van to locate on the hill at Central Oval for use during the games.

The van will allow spectators to purchase drinks at a better location, thus increasing revenue, with profits to go towards Football development. The project will also allow better access to people to refreshments.

Support the project to get spectators out from "behind the glass and get on the grass". It is estimated that it will cost \$4000 to purchase the van.

Click on the link and donate. Any donation, no matter how small will be gratefully appreciated and will be tax deductible:

https://asf.org.au/projects/south-augusta-football-club/south-augusta-drinks-van-on-the-hill





SPONSORSHIP NEWS

APM EMPLOYMENT SERVICES CONTINUE GOLD SPONSORSHIP



It is with great pleasure we welcome the continued support of APM Employment Services as one of our very generous Gold Sponsors.

APM is a global human services provider building an inclusive workplace to help—realise the potential of their employees, embrace difference and apply diverse thinking to innovation and service delivery. APM offers employment and disability job services to job seekers and employers.

Visit https://apm.net.au/ or drop into 40 Flinders Terrace, Port Augusta (Phone: 8641 2041) or 169 Nicholson Avenue, Whyalla Norrie (Phone: 8644 2354); or email Regional Manager Bronwen.Caple@apm.net.au

MG HOTEL GROUP ON BOARD AGAIN

Michelle and Greg from MG Hotel Group are again providing members with accommodation vouchers (valued around \$170) at any of their motels. Their latest acquisition is the Comfort Inn Whyalla that includes Restaurant 99 - a special occasion destination, with corporate meeting and function room hire options.

They also have six motels in Adelaide at Glenelg, Gepps Cross, City, with three in North Adelaide (very convenient to Adelaide Oval). Contact michelle@mghotelgroup.com.au





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TERRY GARDINER MEATS AND SMALLGOODS BACK ON BOARD



It is with great pleasure and with much gratitude that we welcome Terry Gardiner Meats and Smallgoods back as a Gold Sponsor for this season.

Drop in and see Belynda, Staycee and Ashley (pictured, right) for all your meat and smallgoods needs.

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Phone: (08) 8642 4398



Thank you to those who have contributed to the

BULLDOG BULLETIN:

Harry Waterworth, Mick Kerin, Mark Shirley, Gary Kittel and Grace Forrest

VICE PRESIDENTS WANTED (TARGET 50)

There are 41 Vice Presidents Sponsors so far in 2023 and we would love that figure to reach the target of 50. If you would like to joing the Vice Presidents Sponsors Club, or would like to sponsor the Club, please make payment via https://asf.org.au/donate/south-augusta-football-club-vice-presidents-club/, or alternatively, by cheque payable to South Augusta Football Club or Direct Payment to BSB 735:065 / Account 199129 - South Augusta Football Club.

Thank you to those who have joined so far:

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SOUTH AUGUSTA BULLDOGS CLUB SONG

We are the mighty Bulldogs Always fighting on With victory and flag our goal With guts and determination We put the rest to shame Because our fighting spirit wins the game

We're the Bulldogs, yes we are We're the greatest, yes we are The mighty white V will stand for VIC-TOR-Y Rough, tough Bulldogs, yes we are South Augusta, yes we are The southerners for evermore!

LADDER PLACINGS AFTER ROUND 10	A	6th
	В	6th
	U18	5th
	U15	1st

ISAAC KEELER UPDATE

VFL RD10 | Keeler puts on a clinic under lights.

Sandringham's three-headed, revolving forward monster of Isaac Keeler, Max Heath and Tom Campbell were close to untouchable in the air and were vital in the final result, combining for seven majors to match Coburg's entire score for the day. Keeler was clean out on the lead, capping off his work with a precise set shot from the pocket to get his name on the board.

Enjoy Isaac Keeler's standout VFL performance for the Zebras against Coburg

https://www.saints.com.au/news/1346238/ruck-forward-trio-fire-another-haul-foryoung-mid-as-zebras-prey-on-lions



COMMITTEES AND SUB-COMMITTEES

If you have an issue or an idea, please see one of the members from the relevant Committee

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Day to Day Operations of the Club, Bar Operations, Oversees Football Committees, Strategic Planning,

President: Michael Kerin, Vice President: Nick Heron, Secretary: Judith Barnett, Treasurer: Tabitha Jones

Committee: Craig Ritter, Andrew Magarey, Mark Horner, Tricia Waterworth, Cameron Reid, Georgia Irvine, Ian Brazell, Nicole McInnis.

Player Representatives: Caleb Ritter and Will Waterworth

FOOTBALL OPERATIONS

SUB-COMMITTEE

Football Match Day Operations, Player Recruitment and Retention, Player Conditions, Support Staff Recruitment, **Training Schedules**

Craig Ritter, James Boles, Cameron Reid, Kean Parrington, Michael Kerin, Stuart Beaton, Josh McKenzie, Jeffrey Shillabeer

FOOTBALL FUNDRAISING

SUB-COMMITTEE

Fundraises to assist with the Football Operations Budget including Sponsors, Vice Presidents, Player Auctions, Fundraising BBQs, Collie's Raffle, Racing Tips, Past Players and Officials Days, Newsletter

Simon Owens, Kean Parrington, Mark Shirley, Harry Waterworth, Michael Kerin

COLTS COMMITTEE

Junior Football from U9s to U15s including Colts Sponsors, Coaches Training, Recruitment of Coach Assistants, Training Schedules

Mathew Grantham, Jake Collins, Aaron Vater, Ben Russ, Jason Lukich, Adam Grantham, Mark Horner, Dwayne Crombie, Jodie Reid

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Social Events such as the Mid-Summer Ball, Red and White Ball, Ladies on the Hill, Family Day

Georgia Irvine, Donna Irvine, Wendy Black, Amanda Horner, Maureen Scharenberg, Sue Trewartha, Laurien Frick, Tricia Waterworth, Darcy Kildea, Kate Brusnahan

KITCHEN SUB-COMMITTEE Organisation and planning of event catering

Brad Kenny, Andrew Magarey, Sue Magarey, Marie Kerin, Laurien Frick, Trish Waterworth, Dianne Williams, Willow Williams, Judith Barnett, Nicole McInnis, Jenny Grantham

CHILD SAFE OFFICERS

Liz Glamuzina



















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- Crossroads Concepts

• Nelson Teamwear

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- Guidolin Carpentry
- South Augusta Football Tips
- South Augusta Racing Tips
- South Augusta Round Table
- Budget Rent-A-Car
- Rowe Partners
- Emma's Deli
- Webb Software
- MAX Services
- Bickford's Group of Companies
- Adrian Gardiner Electrical
- Augusta Auto Mall

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- **Press Plumbing Services**
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- Sue & Andrew Magarey
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- Spencer Gulf Security Service
- Port Adelaide Football Club

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- Schooners Cleaning
- Burson Auto Parts
- Intersport
- Maule Family
- HelloWorld
- Bury Plumbing
- Domino's
- Perrys Fuel
- Jones Radiology

BRONZE

- D & G Tyres
- Harry's Maintenance Plumbing &
- **Australian Sports Foundation**
- Crom's Bobcat & Tipper Hire
- **Terry White Chemmart**
- Dalla Santa Plumbing
- Sportspower
- Mark Williams Champion Teams
- Country Health Physiotherapy
- Leisure World

COLTS

- Enerline Construction
- Cinema Augusta
- Gotta Be Fish
- Dalla Santa Plumbing
- Terry Gardiner Meats & Smallgoods McDonalds Port Augusta
- Pat Hynes
- HelloWorld
- Saltbush Surf & Leisure
- Wendy & Andrew Black
- Peter Taylor Photos

- Sportspower
- MAX Services
- Greg Edwards
- KFC
- · Barnacle Bills
- Subway
- Pizza Hut
- Domino's
- Seaview Christian College