



BULLDOG BULLETIN

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SAT. 23 AUGUST - 2PM

📍 SOUTH AUGUSTA FOOTBALL CLUB



South Augusta Bulldogs



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FROM THE *President*

Hi all,

It has been another busy month at the kennel with plenty of ups and downs.

Again, the results on the field in our senior sides aren't really as we would all like, but there have been some great moments, we just need to strive to get some consistency and keep improving.

For the 3 senior sides to get a win together against Lions a few weeks ago was an amazing feeling and one that we have not achieved for quite some time. Congrats needs to go to Gilly and his U/18 boys for getting a breakthrough win. He has the boys heading in the right direction that is for sure.

The scores and game results really don't show the improvement in each of these lads. I hope they keep at it, as there are plenty of them that will be great senior players for years to come.

Off the field things have also been busy, the Management Committee have been working hard behind the scenes in many aspects to try and improve and change the way we do things. More to come on this later.

It was great to see a huge crowd for our annual Ball last weekend, which was as always, a fantastic night out, with a few sore heads the next day I'm sure.

Make sure we all keep getting up the club and around the players for the run home and the last third of the year.

Mark Horner
President SAFC

Hi all

After a few mid-season byes for the town game and zone carnival, we now head to the back end of the year with the run into September. Crazy enough after winning two games of football for the year, we are still a chance to make the four.

Whilst we might be a fair way off the top two teams in particular, the challenge of playing in finals and being a part of finals footy far outweighs sitting watching other clubs compete.

We would need results to go our way with teams around us but more importantly we would need to improve significantly.

At this stage of the year I probably have a lot more questions than answers as to why we aren't performing consistently, to a standard that will compete week in week out.

Our learnings for the year should be from our 2 wins which were consistent 4 quarter performances with 22 players contributing. We have struggled to replicate that.

Some positive performances of late has been the form of young Addysan Di Paolo who over the last month, has played a standard of footy that defies his young age, lowering the colours of some of the competition's quality forwards. I believe he is the future captain of the football club.

Joe Clancy also has probably played his best football at the level in recent weeks. As a light framed tall forward, Joe is playing the hardest position on the ground at Centre Half Forward. His game recently against West was one that he hopefully took a lot of confidence from in the way he marked and presented at the football.

Senior players like Caleb Ritter, Craig Shirley, Cam Tiggemann and Trent Ritter continue to battle hard without much reward in terms of wins.

Hopefully the players are ready to dig in for the last 6-7 weeks and who knows the possibility of doubling our win total is still a strong chance if we come with the right attitude and desire to work hard each week.

It was great to notch our 2nd win of the year against Lions. To top it off having the U18s win their first game for nearly 2 years has probably been the highlight of the year so far. Marcus Gill and these lads deserve so much credit for their persistence, and their character to keep showing up week after week.

If anyone has watched them recently, they are improving out of site. Gilly should be extremely proud of his efforts in helping these young lads.

Adam Grantham

SENIOR PLAYERS TRAINING

5.30pm Tuesday & Thursday

Players check the training roster you have been given for the location of training on that day.

Get along and support the teams.

UPCOMING EVENTS



SAVE THE DATE!

AUGUST 2025

1 – new round of 52 Pick Up starts soon! Have you paid for your number yet??

15 - CLUB CLOSED FOR VARIETY BASH

Souths are catering and need volunteers!! Can you help?? Contact Judith Barnett

16 - Multicultural Round

23 - Back to Souths Day

24 - AFLW Season Presentation Event

31 - Madigan Medal Count

SEPTEMBER 2025

5 - Jodie Lee Foundation Visit (TBC)

9 - SAFC host Bunnings Trade Night (4-7pm) All help gratefully accepted.

20 - SGL Grand Final venue to be confirmed

26 - Senior Presentation Night

OCTOBER 2025

11 - Clubs SA Community Awards

Kennel Club (submissions pending)

NOVEMBER 2025

23 - SAFC AGM



FRIDAY NIGHT MEALS

- Weekly Member's Draw
- Bruiser's Bonanza

Meals from
6:30pm



KITCHEN ROSTER August

Friday 1st August - Magarey

Friday 8th August - FRBC's

Friday 15th August - Waterworths

Friday 22nd August - Horner's

Friday 29th August - Magpies

SAFC 52 CLUB RESULTS

Thank you to everyone who bought a ticket in the 52 Club.
Results as follows:

Date	Winning No	Purchaser
27th June	57	Tabitha Jones
4th July	33	Mark McKell
11th July	96	David Schooling
18th July	26	Harry Waterworth

2025 Management Committee

President: Mark Horner **Vice President:** Vacant

Treasurer: Tabitha Jones **Secretary:** Judith Barnett

Committee : Andrew Magarey, Craig Ritter, Tricia Waterworth, Georgia Irvine, Nick Heron, Nicole McInnis, Bianca Newbery & Michael Kerin

Player Reps: Will Waterworth & Trent Ritter

Patron: Robert Bowman

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ARE YOU A MEMBER?



2025 Membership is available!

Show your true support to the club by joining and encourage others to join. Please support us as we aim to top last year's record membership total.

You have the opportunity to win cash on Friday nights at the club but you must be present to win. If the member's number is drawn and you aren't in the clubroom it will jackpot by \$50 each week.

The next draw on Friday 1st August is now standing at:

\$300

Be there so you don't miss out!!!

Have you checked out the supporters area on the hill at Central Oval?

Come along on game day and enjoy a tasty steak sandwich or sausage in bread. Upgrade with bacon & egg, add onion....delicious!!

Wash it down with a drink from the bar.

Support the players and the club by getting out on the hill.



THANK YOU

Just doesn't seem enough to say to the crew that bring meals to our players and members on a Thursday night!!

Volunteers led by Tricia Waterworth and Jasmine Barnett regularly line up to create a variety of menus and cook for those who look forward to and enjoy a Thursday night meal. Willow Williams is a regular worker and has been joined recently by some of Tricia's family members.

If that isn't enough you would have found Tricia leading the way in the kitchen again on Saturday when the forecast for bad weather led to the cancellation of the BBQ on the Hill. The spectators were happy to be in the warm and enjoying a delicious lunch.

Check your emails for further information about joining in this bulletin and updates on future developments around the club.

Direct feedback from you is welcome via email at: safcplayers@internode.on.net
All feedback, suggestions, criticisms, etc are welcome.



Keeping you updated with club information:



**THE CLUB IS CLOSED ON 15TH AUGUST
FOR A PRIVATE FUNCTION**

The club is catering for a large number of participants from the 2025 Variety Bash and we need volunteers to assist as waiters and waitresses.

Please contact Judith Barnett as soon as possible with your availability. Thank you.

SOCIAL SCENE

At The Kennel

Red & White Ball 2025



What a fantastic event! Well done to the organisers, bar staff and catering crew on bringing together another memorable Red & White Ball. The great crowd was entertained by DJ Leske.

Check out the winners of the Belle of the Ball, Sadie Redden; Matron of the Ball, Rachel McIntosh; Beau of the Ball, Cameron Tiggeman; Buck of the Ball, Kriston Thompson.

SOCIAL SCENE

At The Kennel

Here is a small selection of photos from the night, check out South's Facebook page for more!!



Red & White Ball 2025



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BACK TO SOUTHS DAY

**YOU ARE INVITED TO SOUTH AUGUSTA
PAST PLAYERS & OFFICIALS' DAY**

SATURDAY 23rd AUGUST 2025

ALL PAST PLAYERS & OFFICIALS ARE WELCOME AS WE RECOGNISE THE

1965 B GRADE PREMIERSHIP

1985 B GRADE PREMIERSHIP

1995 B GRADE PREMIERSHIP

2015 B GRADE PREMIERSHIP

25TH ANNIVERSARY 2000 A GRADE PREMIERSHIP

**2 PM ONWARDS — MARQUEE ON THE HILL AT CENTRAL OVAL
SOUTH VS WEST IN ALL GRADES (A GRADE TWILIGHT GAME)**

THEN TEAS & PRESENTATIONS AFTER THE GAME AT THE CLUB

RSVP TO EITHER: HARRY WATERWORTH 0457 204 052 OR

JARROD WATERWORTH 0408 530 201 OR MARK SHIRLEY 0428 888 076

ALL WELCOME



BACK TO SOUTHS DAY

Just one of the successful premiership teams to be celebrated at the Back to Souths Day

1995 SGL RESERVES PREMIERS SOUTH AUGUSTA 14-12 (96) defeated PORTS 9-7 (61)



THE HUT'S CLUB PROMOTION IS BACK **BIGGER, BETTER & HOTTER THAN EVER!**



The Hut is a new and much appreciated club sponsor. You may recall their \$10,000 draw last March which we did not win. This year they are giving away up to \$20,000 in prizes for local sports clubs AND their awesome customers! SAFC will register and promote the promotion to go in the draw for first prize of \$10,000, second \$5,000 and third \$2,500. If you write your name on one of the winning loyalty cards, you'll score first prize \$1,250, second \$750 and third \$500 in Hut takeaway food vouchers!

PLUS —their loyalty cards just got better! Spend \$25 = 1 stamp, \$100 = 4 stamps. Collect 6 stamps and get 1 FREE traditional large pizza! Promotion ends 30 April 2026 — don't miss out!

Support our club, enjoy your favourite eats, and WIN BIG with The Hut.

WEBSITE DEVELOPMENT

The South Augusta website is slowly being enhanced with old newsletters, photos, premiership photos, 100 year book and statistics. The book was produced to celebrate the 100 years of the club in 2012 and you can now see the copy if you didn't get the book. If you have missed previous newsletters go to:

<https://southaugusta.com.au/history/>

The Website now also has the latest newsletters at <https://southaugusta.com.au/> and details of the list of players and their games total at

<https://southaugusta.com.au/history/>

Also go to the homepage and click on "About" then click on "history" and go to a particular decade and you will see Premiership pictures in that particular decade. More pictures will be included in time.



"It takes a small army to bring a community event to life! Thank you for playing your part in making this year's Port Augusta Cup memorable & enjoyable for all who attend. Your support is the heartbeat of our event! A BIG Thank You to Souths FC Colts and families collecting cans & rubbish" Port Augusta Racing Club. From the Colts organisers: "A huge thank you to all our volunteers from Port Augusta Cup Day. \$1340 was raised for our juniors". It is the third year running they have made themselves available to do this work, what a great effort!

The 2025 SANFL U15 Intrastate Carnival was held in Adelaide recently. We had two representatives from South Augusta Football Club; Leo McInnis and Noah Kruger. The team won against Central District Country and North Adelaide Metro but lost to the Norwood Country side. Well done boys!

Congratulations to Riley Ind, Lachy Robinson, Caleb McCarthy, Isaac Shillabeer, Eddie Skull, Lachie Heinze and Paul Glass (Assistant Coach) from our U11 team who represented Port Augusta at yesterday's junior carnival. The team went through the day undefeated and won the Grand Final.





AFLW CORNER

Place Sunday 24th August in your diary as the date for our three AFLW teams end of season presentations event. It will mark the end of a great season in which our female numbers went from 31 last season to 57 this year. It will also mark the culmination of our \$4,500 Power of her Grant which has greatly assisted us in achieving the success that 2025 has been.

AFLW WHYALLA OPEN WOMEN'S COMPETITION

We have been invited to enter a team in the upcoming Whyalla AFLW (September-November) season. Matches would be primarily Friday and Saturday nights. If there are any senior women interested in pursuing this, please spread the word and get in contact with Tiarna Rigden or Riley Berry ASAP.



Congratulations to Brooklyn, Maisie, Eva, Olivia and Peppa who represented South Augusta in the U15 North Adelaide Country Team.

Zara represented South Augusta in the U17 North Adelaide Country Team.

The metro team won in a close contest.

END OF SEASON RESULTS

Under 11s finished their season with a round robin.

Under 14s finished top and play Central Augusta in the Semi Final on Sunday 3rd August.

Under 17s finished third and play Central Augusta in a Semi Final on Sunday 3rd August

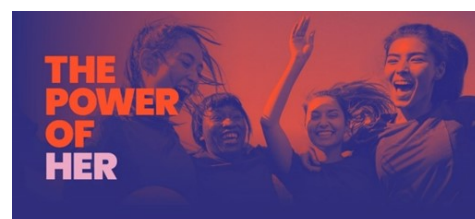
The location of these finals games are yet to be confirmed but they will be at 12.30 & 2.00pm. It would be great to see some support for these players on the day. Get out in your red & white to get them over the line!

Get along to Presentation Day for all grades on Sunday 24th August and celebrate the achievements of our talented AFLW players!!

SANFL KICKSTART FOR WOMEN INTO COACHING

The Kickstart Coaching Program is designed to provide women the opportunity to experience coaching in a supportive environment, learning alongside the head coach of an established team. If you're a woman interested in taking up coaching, this program is for you! Women coaching role models are vital to our great game. The door is wide open for you (and your friends!) to kickstart your first step into coaching. We want to make this a fun and easy way to explore what it's like to coach footy, so round up your mates and get involved! Full details at

<https://sanfl.com.au/kickstart-coaching-program/>



U9
BULLDOG
OF THE
DAY

Charlie Skull

U11
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OF THE
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Sam Heinze

AUSKICK
BULLDOGS
OF THE
DAYRiver Carbine, Charley
Stewart & Nash DadlichU9
BULLDOG
OF THE
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William Webb

U13
BULLDOG
OF THE
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Jack Maloney

U15
BULLDOG
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Leo McInnis

U11
BULLDOG
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Isaac Shillabeer

U13
BULLDOG
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Tyler Tonkin

U15
BULLDOG
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Romin Collard



BULLDOG OF THE DAY PHOTO GALLERY

U14 GIRLS
BULLDOG
OF THE
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Alyssa Reid

U17 GIRLS
BULLDOG
OF THE
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Zara Lang

U14 GIRLS
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Eva McCallum

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Bridgette Heron

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Keonie Thompson

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Peyton Nutt

U14 GIRLS
BULLDOG
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Lily Harbour

U14 GIRLS
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Brooklyn Taylor

U17 GIRLS
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Brooke VaterU14 GIRLS
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Ida Ash

U14 GIRLS
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Audrey Ash

U17 GIRLS
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& Zara Lang

GOLF DAY RESULTS & FOOTY TIPLING LADDER



The prestigious South Augusta Open was held recently with a great crowd in attendance. 12 team and 48 players competed in perfect conditions and there were some great scores, or so their scorecards said anyway!

The winners of the Red Jacket this year were the team of Captain Daniel Dohnt, who has previously won the trophy, Mark Horner, Adam Grantham and Daniel Baker who had an excellent score of 1 under par 34, Net 21.6 which for lads that don't play very often was unbelievable!

Results were very close with the favourites, Buck's team talking up the win before the start and even though they registered 3 under the card 32, their handicap meant they couldn't deliver on the day.

Other teams in order after the winners were:

2. Travis McNamee team- Travis, Aaron, Tyler and Harro 33, Net 22.6

3. Chris Robinson Team- Chris, Rohan, Flynn, Joe 34, Net 22.7

4. Bucks team- Buck, Bolesy, Sam, Liam 32, Net 23

5. Jubes team- Jube, Reynoldsy, Kev, Callen 39, Net 23.2

6. Nistico Team- Nathan, Rex, Trent, Franklin 36, Net 24.1

7. Shirls team, Jak, Shirls, Jed, Stuart 39, Net 24.4

8. Simon Brus team, Simon, Daniel, Drewy, Mark Brus 35, Net 24.5

9. Twof team, Twof, Ben, Marcus, Menz 38, Net 26

10. Hoff team, Jacob, Hoff, Levi, Tom 44, Net 26

11. Cool Cat Girls, Marie, Rosalie, Julie, Janet 46, Net 28

12. Reidy team- Ethan, Hamish, Pat, Kormac 57, Net 34

Trophies were awarded to Best Girls team to Cool cats (pictured), Best Long drive, Travis McNamee, Nearest to Pin, Chris Robinson and the NAGA Trophy to Tom Clancy.

The club hopes to keep this day as an annual event after a break last year.

Many thanks to all involved including Trent for chasing the players, Colin Waterworth for cooking the BBQ and Nicole McInnis for attending to the bar on the day. The Golf Club were also thanked for their use of the facilities and the beer cart during the event.



FOOTY TIPS UPDATE

Week 19 results

4 tipsters picked 6 winners last week in a hard round

Jackpot worth \$100 next week and is worth winning

Top 5 standings after Week 19

Harry 123

Harry and Grandkids 123

Zach B 112

John D 110

Mark H 109

Trevor S 109

Trevor moves into top 5 prize winners

There are still 6 tipsters within 3 pts of the prize money

Tips results emailed through tonight for checking

Reminder that funds are due into South Account before end of competition. Final show on Grand final Day. Let us know if you are coming! Let us know if you need bank details, Tipping Committee

Billy's Corner

FOOTBALL FLASHBACK 50 and 40 YEARS -1975 AND 1985—This year we celebrate the 40 years since the B Grade win in 1985 and with several of players and officials from 1985 still around the club including Craig Ritter, Football Operations manager, Pat Hynes and Mark Maule sponsors and Rob Bowman, Club Patron

1975

A grade position: 2nd—After a poor start to the season South string together a few wins to scrape in to the final five. They continue winning the finals games to meet West in the grand final.

South loses to West in the Grand final 21.14 to 9.10.

A grade captain: Robert Farr, A grade coach: Malcolm Dixon.

A grade Fairest and best: Robert Farr, 2nd: Barry Stephenson, 3rd Jim Fenoughty.

Club president: Frank Rooney

Souths Under 15's win the premiership.

Seconds Fairest and best: Graham Williams, 2nd Wayne Shephard, 3rd Tony Farr

B grade premiership won by Willsden

1985

A grade position: 3rd—South lose in Preliminary final to Solomontown after being comprehensively beaten by 75 points. Best players for South Keith Kuhlman, Ashleigh Dunkley, Michael Dignan, Mick Corey, Gary Kernahan, Mark Shirley.

A grade coach: Keith Kuhlman (ex SA representative, Glenelg & West Adelaide) A grade captain: Pat Hynes. A grade Vice Capt.: Doug Rozee, A grade runner: Nick Kelleman. A grade Team manager: Anthony Farr

B grade win Premiership against Centrals, South 13.11 defeated Central Augusta 10.15 Goalkickers: Derek Edmead 5, Colin McLachlan, Craig Ritter, Scott Harris 2, David Allanson, Ashley Harris,

Best players: Peter Rivers, Paul Phillips, Ashley Harris, Derek Edmead. This team had previously beaten South in 1982 and 1983 after South had dominated the competition in both years. Malcolm Mitchell plays his 200th game in the grand final. Rod Lamshed the B grade coach played the last 6 games in the A grade side and was ineligible to play in the grand final.

B grade coach: Rod Lamshed. B grade Capt.: Alan Cram, V/ Capt.: Robert Laube. Runner: Robert Harris. Team manager: Tony Farr

President: Jim Maule. Committee: Brian Reichelt, David Winter, Robert Bowman, Ray Chapman, Michael Prime, Ken Higginson

A grade Fairest and Best: Pat Hynes

Trainers: Gary Humphries, Paul Shinnick, Jenny Fullgrave, Owen Cook, Jack Baggio, Mark Maule.

A grade Team manager: Jeff Shillabeer.

Timekeepers: Bert Skinn, Don Gourd

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Billy's Corner

MILESTONE GAMES:

Players with milestones that have passed and coming up are Layton Paige who has achieved 50 club senior games. Layton played juniors at the club and is only just coming back after a few years off. Rogan McMahon will also play 50 club games.

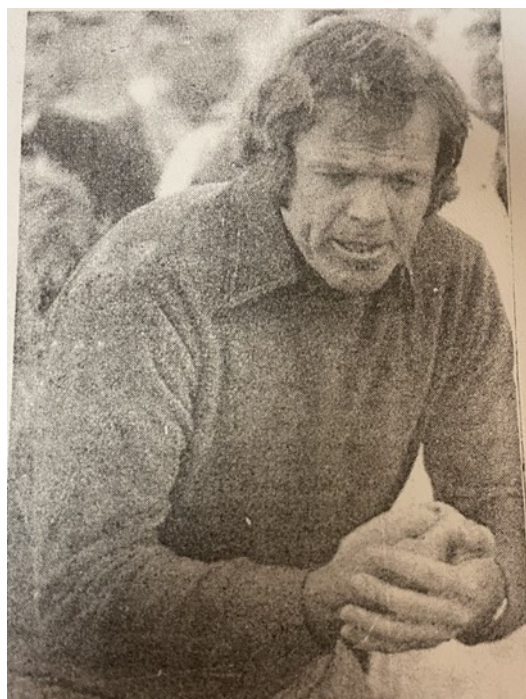
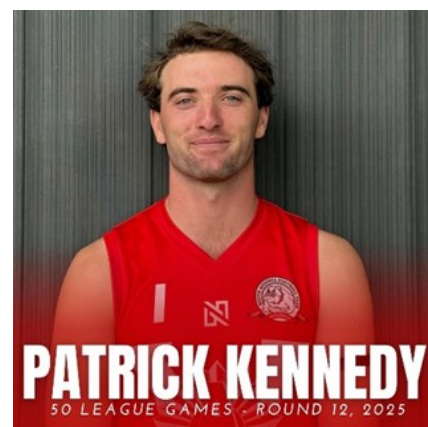


ROWAN IRVINE—100 CLUB GAMES

Rowan is a product of our junior colts and played in the 2019 A Grade Premiership. Rowan started playing senior football in 2018 and is now a regular experienced player in the A Grade, playing mainly in the forward lines and relied upon to provide guidance to the younger players in the team. Congratulations Rowan and all the best for the future.

PATRICK KENNEDY—50 LEAGUE GAMES

Congratulations Patrick (PK) on 50 league games. PK is a much loved teammate with the way he goes about it. Unfortunately we don't get access to him every week due to his work commitments but when he is available he always gives 110%. Patrick has always been a rock down back but has attributes that could make him a powerful forward also. We look forward to seeing the next 50 games from Patty!



Recently South Augusta heard the sad news that former Coach Malcolm Dixon had passed away. Its 50 year since he coached the club for 3 years from 1975 to 1977. Malcolm took the club from 5th in 1974 to playing off in the Grand Final in 1975 before losing to West Augusta. Before Malcolm took over the club had not played in a Grand Final since 1967 , 8 years beforehand. South finished 5th at the end of the minor round and had an excellent run of form to make the Grand Final. South finished 5th in 1976 and 3rd in 1977 when they lost to Props by a small margin in the Preliminary Final. Although not achieving ultimate success Malcolm had the full respect of the players at the time and was known as an intelligent, hard, professional coach who got the best out of his players. Malcolm was also a champion player with West Augusta and North Adelaide where he won a Fairest and Best and he also coached at Willsden. His son-in-law Cameron Redden also coached South in 2014 and 2015. The club offers its condolences to the Dixon and Redden families at this sad time.

Billy's Corner

Also sad to hear the passing of another sporting icon of Port Augusta, Graham Fry recently. Graham, although heavily involved with tennis, always showed an interest in other sports such as Football and cricket and was always interested in how South players were performing and several South footballers have also been taught tennis by Graham over the years. The club offers its condolences to Graham's family at this sad time.

Many thanks to those who participated in the recent players auction on Saturday 28/6/25 with \$2,000 raised towards the football operation budget.

Winners will be decided after the 3rd week with \$1,000 going to the winning syndicate, \$400, second and 3 prizes of \$200 each for 3rd, 4th and 5th prize.



PICHI RICHI MARATHON

He may have played in 5 A Grade Premierships and won 2 Madigan medals but he doesn't rest in regards to his fitness. Darcy Kildea completed another 21 km half marathon at the Pichi Richi Marathon recently and it's no secret that if you want to play at the higher level you need to be fit and push yourself. Darcy hasn't missed too many half marathons since he first started with Souths in 2016 and his partner in crime this year was Andrew Smiley Willis, pictured, who completed his first half marathon. All going well Smiley will play his 100th club game this year. Well done lads.

We welcome Kahran McKenzie back to the club and also Drew Morgan.

ENGAGEMENT NEWS!! Congratulations to Will Waterworth and Tiarna Rigden on this wonderful news. All the best for the future.

BABY NEWS!!! Congratulations to Courtney Nowak and Tyler Hutton on the birth of their baby girl, Lara Elizabeth. Mum, Dad and baby all doing well. You will find Tyler volunteering his time at the BBQ on the Hill most home games. Welcome to the South's family Lara!

2025 TOYOTA GOOD FOR FOOTY RAFFLE

Want to help unlock a potentially major fundraiser for our club? The Toyota Good for Footy Raffle is back, and it's your ticket to really impact on our club! With 100% of proceeds supporting SAFC, this is an easy way to raise funds. **It is vital to note that 100% of the proceeds go to our club** Last year, Toyota helped 913 clubs raise over \$1.2 million with one club raising an incredible \$50,000! You'll go in the draw to win \$289,005 of prizes including three brand-new 2025 Toyota vehicles, two all-inclusive tickets to the 2025 Toyota AFL Grand Final, along with even more invaluable footy experiences and awesome prizes up for grabs. **Repeat: SAFC gets to keep 100% of proceeds. This is a particularly useful way for those of you who don't/can't buy the usual club fundraiser raffles at the club each week.**

Click on the link or QR code below to enter. **"Because every dollar matters".**

<https://toyotagoodforfooty.raffletix.com.au/southaugusta?v=1>



Good for Footy





GAZZA'S GOSSIP

This Months newsletter focuses on the Shillabeer Family

David Shillabeer

David played for South from 1963-1978, David played Senior Colts for South Augusta and progressed to play with SANFL at league level with Norwood . David at the age of 17 was a member of the 1964 premiership team coached by Trevor Searle. Player Life Member David commenced his senior football career with South's in 1963 he also played football in Port Pirie and Whyalla before returning to South's in 1973 where he played 149 league and 176 Seconds games until his retirement in 1978. He was selected in the S.G.L. team of the year in 1971, 1973, and 1974. He was the league leading goal kicker in 1973 and 1974 David coached the Seconds from 1978 to 1983 and again in 1987 and 1988 with Premierships in 1978, 1979, 1980, and 1981. He is a member of the South Augusta and Port Augusta Hall of Fame.

Mark Shillabeer

Mark served as a trainer for the club uninterrupted from 1994 a total of 18 years to just recently when he moved to Moonta. He played no small part in the premiership successes in 1994, 2000 and 2006, and is well respected by the players. Mark has been a life member of the South Augusta Football Club since 2007.

Phillip Shillabeer

Phil, a Life member played senior football for the club in 1973 and has served in a number of areas of the football operations departments. He was team manager of the seconds from 1991 to 1993, and league team manager from 1994-2005, a total of 15 years. Phillip acted as the club statistician for many years.

In 1998 Phillip was selected as club person of the year for his outstanding contribution to the South Augusta Football Club.

Brian Shillabeer

A Player Life Member, Brian played 149 Leage and 177 Second games (326 Senior games in total) from 1977-1997, including a league premiership in 1993, and seconds premierships in 1978, 1979, 1981, 1990, 1991, and 1995 (Captain). He coached the seconds in 1986 and served on the football committee from 2002 until 2005. He is a member of the South Augusta and Port Augusta Hall of Fame.

Robert Shillabeer

Robert played Juniors and seniors football for South for a number of years before transferring to the Central Augusta Football Club. Robert is now living in the Gawler Area.

Darren Shillabeer

Darren played juniors and senior Football for South, being part of the 2006 A Grade Premiership. He has played and coached at many clubs throughout the state including North Adelaide.

Darren present has taken a roll as a coach and previously Darren also played for the Central Augusta Football Club.

Nicole Shillabeer

Nicole is currently on the South Augusta Management Committee and serves as Head Trainer, having been involved for over 7 years as a trainer. Nicole has been in involved with several A and B Grade Premierships as a trainer and serves at the Souths bar together with other voluntary roles in sponsorship and other areas.

**Jeff Shillabeer**

Jeff commenced playing football with the South Augusta Club in 1969 and he continued for eight seasons before injuries curtailed his career at the end of 1976. Although still relatively young Jeff did not quit the sport he loved, he still wanted to be involved.

Even in his last year of playing he was also the club's under 15's coach. In 1977 and 1978 he continued to coach the under 15 side and at the same time was a goal umpire with the Port Augusta Football league.

He has the distinction of being a goal umpire in the 1978 league grand final. In 1979 he was the team manager for the club's seconds and still goal umpired for several games. From 1980 until 1983 he was the A Grade Team manager and Jeff considered this some of the best football times of his life, learning so much about the game.

For the next two years he was both a trainer and the club's property steward. Then from 1986 until 1988 he was again the seconds team manager and followed this up as the club's timekeeper for two years.

Though the 1990's Jeff was involved with the South Augusta and Port Augusta Football league. During this time, he was a club secretary and league delegate. In 1995 he was the league's secretary and in 1998 he was the thirds team manager.

At the start of the new millennium, Jeff put his football energy into the Port Augusta Football League and for the ten years he was the league secretary.

Jeff Shillabeer has devoted over forty years to football in Port Augusta and has enjoyed the rewards of winning premierships at all levels, throughout his playing and administration he has been held in the highest regard at all levels and throughout the state. Jeff is a Life Member of the South Augusta Football Club. Jeff was inducted into the South Augusta and Port Augusta League Hall of fame.

This story is to thank the Shillabeer family for their outstanding contribution to the South Augusta Football Club.



Mark Shillabeer

David Shillabeer



SPONSORS 2025

PLATINUM

- Enerline Construction
- McDonalds Port Augusta
- M J French Electrical
- Sundrop Farms
- RATCH Australia Corporation
- Travellers Rest Hotel

GOLD

- PKB Electrical
- Terry Gardiner Meats & Smallgoods
- AAA Auto Parts
- Crossroads Concepts
- Lean Business Solutions
- Port Augusta Meat Store
- Augusta Motor Company
- MAX Services
- Saltbush Surf & Leisure
- Hair of the Dog
- Nelson Teamwear
- South Augusta Football Tips
- South Augusta Racing Tips
- South Augusta Round Table
- Rowe Partners
- Augusta Auto Mall
- Sue & Andrew Magarey
- M & G Group
- Fire Equipment Maintenance Group
- Amanda & Mark Horner

SILVER

- Couttsies Automotives
- Emma's Deli
- Guidolin Carpentry
- HelloWorld
- Schooners Cleaning
- Jones Radiology
- Milhinch Jewellers

BRONZE

- D & G Tyres
- Harry's Maintenance Plumbing & Gas
- Geoff Brock
- The Hut
- Flinders Ranges Cheap Priced Cars
- Dalla Santa Plumbing
- Sportspower
- Country Health Physiotherapy
- Leisure World
- Bury Plumbing

VICE PRESIDENTS

- Andrew and Sue Magarey
- Greg Burk
- Julie and Mark Shirley
- Gary Kittel
- Peter and Sue Trewartha
- South Augusta Cricket Club
- The Pups
- Gary Kernahan
- Keith Kelly
- Pat Hynes
- Frank Maloney
- Leanne and Kym Maule
- Robert Bowman
- Jacqui and Craig Ritter
- Harry and Val Waterworth
- Port Augusta Meat Store/Ron Surman
- Robert Kraak
- Simon Owens
- Mary Higginson
- David & Dianne Williams
- Stan Chapman
- Shane and Lisa Glass
- Rod Chapman and Jeff Shillabeer
- Colin & Marg Waterworth
- Kean Parrington

COLTS

- Enerline Construction
- Blues Brothers Teas
- Gotta Be Fish
- Dalla Santa Plumbing
- Terry Gardiner Meats & Smallgoods
- Pat Hynes
- HelloWorld
- Saltbush Surf & Leisure
- Wendy & Andrew Black
- Peter Taylor Photos
- North East Isuzu Port Augusta
- Pastoral Hotel
- Sportspower
- MAX Services
- Greg Edwards
- KFC
- McDonalds Port Augusta
- Barnacle Bills
- Subway
- Pizza Hut
- Domino's
- Seaview Christian College
- Webb Family
- Collins Family

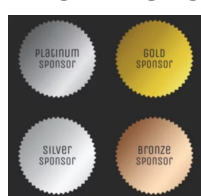
Club & Vice President Sponsorship Information 2025

M and G have supplied vouchers for accommodation this year. Check out the info in this newsletter. The club is still chasing up other sponsors and hopes to have this finalised in the next 2 months. If you know of any potential sponsors or would like to be involved yourself, contact the club or go directly to Sponsor Co-ordinator Simon Owens on simon.owens836@schools.sa.edu.au

The club has several categories of Sponsorship including:

WEEKLY/ MONTHLY AWARD (voucher, gift, or cash). These awards are given out after every game during the season with the recognition of your business to all members present at the club.

BRONZE SPONSORSHIP (\$250.00 - \$500.00)



SILVER SPONSORSHIP (\$500.00 - \$1000.00)

GOLD SPONSORSHIP (\$1000.00 - \$3,000.00)

PLATINUM SPONSORSHIP (\$3,000.00 + OVER)

VICE PRESIDENTS CLUB (\$100.00) - Contact Kean Parrington

If you like to Sponsor the club or need more details contact our Sponsorship Officer Simon Owens on 0419 808 663, Kean Parrington on 0419 034 630, Craig Ritter or the Management Committee.

UPDATE: Vice Presidents Club sponsors have new members in the last month including. We currently have 28 members, and we would love to get to 30 but mid-June so if you can sponsor a player, please let the club know. Costs will go towards the costs of the players insurance, meals after games and ongoing funds required to get them on the field.

The current list of Vice Presidents and players they sponsor is shown below.

As a member of the Vice Presidents Club, you will sponsor a player from the A and B Grades for the 2025 season. If you have a preference for a player to sponsor, please let us know.

Invites to Club Functions: Vice President's Club members are invited to club functions during the year. Text or phone Kean Parrington on 0419 034 630 or Mark Shirley on 0428 888 076 to discuss the Vice President's Club in more detail. Check your email inbox for information.

Because the funds will be used for Football Development **you will be able to claim a tax deduction** through the Australian Sports Foundation. Pay your membership over the bar to receive the tax deductible receipt. Alternatively, online banking payable to: South Augusta Football Club: BSB 035065 :Account 199129

VICE PRESIDENT SPONSORS 2025	PLAYER SPONSORED 2025
ANDREW & SUE MAGAREY	CALEB RITTER
MARY HIGGINSON	CAM TIGGEMANN
MARY HIGGINSON	ETHAN REID
GREG BURK	ZECH AMOS
JULIE AND MARK SHIRLEY	JOE CLANCY
GARY KITTEL	KRISTON THOMPSON
SOUTH AUGUSTA CRICKET CLUB	DANIEL DOHNT
PORT AUGUSTA MEAT STORE, RON SURMAN	MITCHELL FRENCH
COLIN AND MARG WATERWORTH	REX WATERWORTH
HARRY & VAL WATERWORTH	ETHAN GADE
PAT HYNES	FLYNN EVERETT
LEE-ANNE AND KYM MAULE	SAM MAULE
LEE-ANNE AND KYM MAULE	DECLAN FRANKS
ROBERT BOWMAN	ROWAN IRVINE
JACQUI AND CRAIG RITTER	TRENT RITTER
DAVID AND DIANNE WILLIAMS	OSCAR WILLIAMS
STAN CHAPMAN	PATRICK KENNEDY
SHANE AND LISA GLASS	PAUL GLASS
SHANE AND LISA GLASS	DARCY KILDEA
ROD CHAPMAN/ JEFF SHILLABEER	JESSE HOCKNEY-FORRESTER
FRANK MALONEY	ETHAN MALONEY
THE PUPS	CRAIG SHIRLEY
PETER & SUE TREWARTHA	LEO MCINNIS
GARY KERNAHAN	NOAH KRUGER
KEITH KELLY	TOM CLANCY
ROBERT KRAAK	WILL WATERWORTH
SIMON OWENS	ADDYSON DI PAOLO
KEAN PARRINGTON	JACK FRANKLIN

VOLUNTEER NEWS & CLUBS SA INFORMATION

VOLUNTEERS OPPORTUNITY “SUNDAY AT SOUTHS”

After the success of the Kennel Cup, we hope to deliver more Sundays at Souths. We hope to make this a regular event so any suggestions to occupy a Sunday afternoon are most welcome.



VOLUNTEERS OPPORTUNITY BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLE 1

We welcome Bunnings to Port Augusta and are proud to be asked to cook their famous Sausage Sizzle for their Trade Night on Tuesday 9 September (3-7pm). It is actually a loaded hot dog night so if you can help please contact Mick Kerin.

VOLUNTEERS OPPORTUNITY BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLES 2

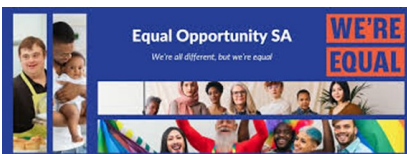
Once open, actual Bunnings Sausage Sizzles will take place every Saturday and Sunday. We have nominated to be part of this fundraiser and will soon have our allocated date(s) probably in October. We will need at least 5 people each BBQ so get your team together and contact Mick Kerin.

CLUBS SA/BREAKTHROUGH MENTAL HEALTH RESEARCH free First Aid Training

Clubs SA is once again partnering with Breakthrough Mental Health Research Foundation to offer members the opportunity to undertake accredited Mental Health First Aid Training at no cost.

WHY BECOME A SAFC MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AIDER?

1 in 5 Australians will experience a mental health problem in any given year meaning that every person is likely to know someone who is experiencing a mental health problem. Mental illness affects every Australian either directly or indirectly which makes it everybody's business. Mental Health First Aid training teaches participants about the different types of mental illness and using a practical, skills-based action plan you learn the skills to assess and respond to someone experiencing a mental health problem or crisis. More details and how to register instructions can be found at <https://www.clubssa.com.au/news/2025/06/free-mental-health-first-aid-training/>



WE'RE EQUAL..

A SA GOVERNMENT EQUAL OPPORTUNITY INITIATIVE

We are now a registered member of **WE'RE EQUAL** meaning we are committed to treating everyone equally, regardless of their age, ability, gender diversity, sexuality, relationship and reproductive

status, race, religion, and culture. We commit as an open, inclusive club that embraces and supports difference and diversity. We will ensure that our premises are a safe space for all people. We have zero tolerance for discrimination or disrespectful behaviours, whether to or by our customers, our staff, or our suppliers and contractors. This status may help us in future grant applications.

RAIISE RESPECTFUL ENVIRONMENTS PROGRAM 2025

You may recall we have participated in the 2025 **RAIISE Respectful Environments Program**. Many thanks to those of you who completed the (very extensive) survey regarding the **Gender Equality Assessment and Planning Program**.

A message from Charlotte at RAIISE says “We'd like to thank SAFC for your participation in both programs in 2025 and for engaging with this important program. We hope you display the Certificate of Participation proudly in your club. We look forward to continuing to work with your club to collectively progress gender equality.”



JODIE LEE FOUNDATION EVENT

JODI LEE FOUNDATION EVENT....TALKING SHIT

We are extremely proud to once again be chosen by the Jodi Lee Foundation to host their Port Augusta event probably in September. We did such a great job in 2023 when we were "repeatedly mentioned as the best place to connect with the Port Augusta community!" In partnership with the Australian Government Department of Health and Aged Care, the Foundation is raising awareness and educating the community on the importance of doing the free Bowel Cancer Screening Kit when it arrives in the mail for 45–74-year-olds. It aims to promote positive health and well-being messages including regular bowel cancer screening tests. 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 a leading voice for bowel cancer prevention through initiatives to raise awareness about it which is the second leading cause of cancer-related death in Australia. But it doesn't have to be. 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 45–75-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 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.

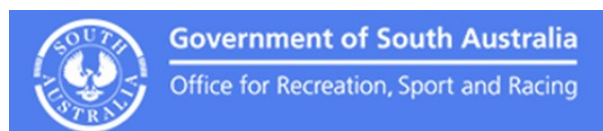
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CLUB HEALTH CHECK

REGIONAL DROUGHT RELIEF GRANT: ROUND 54 (CLUB HEALTH CHECK)

Your Management Committee were excited to be awarded a Round 54 Grant from the Office for Recreation, Sport and Racing. So far, we have used the grant to employ Clubmap (check out <https://clubmap.com.au/>) to conduct an initial Club Health Check followed by two webinar workshops. The result sees us pursuing a committee re-structure, spreading the load (thus reducing volunteer burnout) and examining our fundraising efforts and sponsorship. Stay tuned for more details as we set out on this path which will play a huge part in the future of our great club.





DIARY DATES

Sunday 3 rd August	U9 Quorn Netball Carnival
Saturday 23 rd August	PANA U9 Round Robin
	BCNA Pink Netball Day
Saturday 30 th August	1 st Final
Saturday 6 th September	2 nd Final
Saturday 13 th September	Grand Final
Sunday 14 th September	Club Presentation (details to come)



PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD

Magpies Netball Club has submitted a grant application through Woolworths. Additionally, we have the opportunity to secure additional funding if our players and their families support us by casting their votes. Please follow the link below and select "VOTE" for Magpies.

<https://woolworthsnetballgrants.com.au/grant-application/magpies-netball-club/>