



BULLDOG BULLETIN

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Join the Bulldog fight in 2026

Vice President's Report

Just a quick note from me while Nick is away enjoying a well deserved holiday.

It's been a pleasing start to the year with some really good showings on the field and the typical hard work by our many volunteers behind the scenes, to keep things ticking along.

There has been none better than the A grade win over the weekend against Ports in a nail biter!

It's great to see all teams being competitive and showing improvement in all areas.

It's also been great to see all but one of the other clubs putting their hand up to help out when we have been short in U15. After all, it's all about giving the kids a game and keeping them out on the field in these junior grades.

Souths are very appreciative of those clubs that have helped out.

Everyone enjoy the weekend off coming up and good luck to those who make the SGFL teams

Mark Horner—Vice President

CLUB MEMBERSHIP REMINDER

It's time to sign up for season 2026!

Family: \$40.00

Single: \$30.00

Pensioner: \$20.00

Membership includes: Entry into Friday night membership draw (must be there to win it). Membership card and sticker

Payment can be made to: South Augusta Football Club Inc.

BSB: 035-065

Account Number: 751788

Reference: Family Name / 2026 membership



Full voting rights at any meetings. Show your support of the club by renewing/taking out club membership which is vital to our survival.

For those of you who live away from Port Augusta please take this chance to show your true support for your club.

Can you encourage others to join (member get member). Please support us as we aim to top last year's record membership total.

NUMBER OF MEMBERSHIPS CURRENTLY = 488

Football Report

A Grade Report

Since the last report a month ago we have now completed a full round of games with the A Grade team sitting in 4th position with 2 wins and 3 losses.

We managed to string 2 wins together vs Lions and Centrals in rounds 2 & 3 which resulted in a great atmosphere at the club over those 2 rounds.

We have been on the SGLs version of a world tour in the 1st round of games as we have played at every oval so far in 5 rounds. It will be nice to get some consistent games at Central Oval over the next spread of games.

The Lions victory was impressive as we trialed for majority of the day, but we were able to storm over the top and win by a goal in the second half.

The victory against Centrals at ETSA was probably harder fought than it needed to be as we dominated the game early with our pressure and hunt at the ball carrier, something we haven't produced for some time. Kicking 1.5 in the first quarter into the wind kept the game closer than it should have been. Our 3rd qtr we allowed them back into the game but still managed to kick a couple of crucial goals into the wind. We were always in the driver's seat kicking with a strong breeze in the last quarter after doing the hard work early.

Our 2 losses have come in back-to-back weeks recently. Our lost to West in the twilight game was disappointing as we only put 20 minutes of dominant football together in which we score all our goals. The 3 goal margin at quarter time was the margin at the end but we played 10 mins of football after half time where we kicked 5 goals and got our noses in front. We unfortunately chased the game the whole night and couldn't bridge the gap at the end.

West have had the wood over us for a little while in recent times and that will need to turn around if we are to be competitive later on in the season.

Our most recent game against Sollies was one of missed opportunity as I believed the reigning premiers were there for the taking. Inaccuracy in front of goals has cost us in the past month which is something we need to be better at. Similar to the week before we spent majority of the game chasing the play which has become a bit of a common theme. It would be nice change if we could start setting the pace in our games. Our Second half against sollies resulted in 4.13 which is always going to be tough to win games with such inaccuracy.

We need to keep promoting taking the basic, easy option in front of goal. At the moment we are not making the most of our chances, but we can not complain about the grit and fight in this team. We keep coming and that's a nice trait to have.

Our losses have all been around the 3-goal margin so far this year which means we are competitive against every team in the comp, something positive to take away from being 2-3 W/L We are currently running on fumes a little with the injuries starting to mount up, as we have had a handful of guys not play since round 1 due to injury with most likely to come back after the bye.

Unfortunately, we have had up to 4-6 changes most weeks which makes consistency hard to achieve especially for a team with so many new faces. I must admit these guys play for each other and that will go a long way towards making a finals push when we can get everyone back on deck.

My message to the playing group now is that we should be living with the mindset of knowing we can beat anyone we come up against. For the last 12-24 months I think we have arrived to games hoping this is the week we get a win.

We should be past that thought process, as like I have said, we have been in every game we have played so far this season. We need to believe and know we are good enough to take anyone down on any given day.

Adam Grantham—A Grade Coach

Football Report

B Grade Report

The B Grade have been off to a slow start, with only one win against the Lions in the opening round of football. A common trend has been slow starts in the first quarter and not making the most of our opportunities going forward — missing easy goals or allowing easy rebounds out of the forward line. That has left us playing catch-up footy, which is always hard to do.

Each week has also seen three or four new faces coming in and out of the side to support our senior team. Work commitments and injuries haven't helped either, and it would be great to get some consistency in the lineup — but that's B Grade footy.

We've played some great football in patches, and when we can put that together across four full quarters, the results will come. Heading into the second round of games, we need to win the majority of matches to keep ourselves in contention later in the year.

The standout performers so far have been the Newcastle boys, who have consistently polled among the top votes for the medal each week. A bloody awesome effort considering they've come across from different codes — Nick Clout and Josh Davis from soccer, and Archie Niemers from rugby.

They've been well supported by co-captain Rogan McMahon, while Brando Hurt, Nathan Paige and David Schooling continue to put in hard, solid efforts every week.

It'd also be hard not to mention the 55m torp from Double D on the weekend. No one on the line, and it bounced straight through — although apparently the story is, it was from 80m?

Under 18 Report

Starting the year, the 18s numbers have improved which is a good sign.

Although still learning and a long way to go but signs of improvement are there. Some good young players are starting to show they will be great senior players in the future.

While results aren't showing the true reflection of how far the team is coming, they aren't as far off as some might think.

Consistency and effort at training and games is the key to the guys having a big second half of the year

Under 15 Report

The U15s have had a tough slog over the last month, typically lining up with just 11 U15s and 4 U13s each week, often relying on opposition players to fill in.

Despite the challenges, the team has been playing some really solid football. The players are giving their all, working hard as a team, and continuing to put scores on the board. They've been able to match it with opponents for a couple of quarters each game, but with limited numbers it's been difficult to sustain that intensity across all four quarters.

Eddie Heron has led from the front with tremendous endeavour and fierce attack on the ball through the centre. The backline has been a standout, with plenty of second and third efforts led strongly by Deegan Munzer and Romin Collard. U13s Levi Vater and Ayble Diapolo have also continued to impress, with Levi playing tall despite giving away size most weeks.

Great to see the Bulldogs of the Week recognised: Eddie Heron, Deegan Munzer, Romin Collard and Levi Vater.

UPCOMING EVENTS



JUNE 2026

6th June—SGL v Whyalla, Central Oval
 20th June—South v Central, Central Oval
 —We're Equal Round + Country Club +
PLAYERS AUCTION 1
 27th June—Back to Souths Reunion vs West
JULY 2026
 4th— July vs Solomontown **AMERICAN ICONS**
 10th to 12th July Country Championships
 11th Annual SAFC Adelaide Reunion @ Glenelg Oval
 25th July—vs Lions **PLAYERS AUCTION 2**
 — Here for the Game Round

AUGUST 2026

1st August—Round 13 Footy Frenzy 2 v Centrals
MULTICULTURAL ROUND

8th August—Round 14 vs West **RED & WHITE BALL**
SEPTEMBER 2026

12th September—Netball Grand Finals
 19th September—SGL Grand Final
 25th September—Senior Presentation Night



FRIDAY NIGHT MEALS

- Weekly Member's Draw
- Bruiser's Bonanza

Meals from
6:30 pm

SAFC 52 CLUB RESULTS

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

Date	Winning No	Purchaser
1st May	41	Horner Kids
8th May	20	John Waterworth
15th May	10	Adam Grantham
22nd May	15	Kym Maule
29th May	14	Leanne Maule

KITCHEN ROSTER JUNE

5th June—FRBC's
12th June—Waterworths
19th June—Horner
26th June—Magpies

2026 Management Committee

President: Nick Heron **Vice President:** Mark Horner **Treasurer:** Tabitha Jones **Secretary:** Judith Barnett
Committee : Andrew Magarey, Craig Ritter, Tricia Waterworth, Georgia Irvine, Nicole McInnis,
 Nikki French, Michael Kerin & Sara-Jane Emberton
Player Reps: Trent Ritter **Patron:** Robert Bowman



2026 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.

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

M&G Hotel Group Vouchers - \$100

For motel room accommodation at any M & G Group owned motel.

North Adelaide | Enfield | Glenelg | Whyalla

NB: Apartments must be booked for 2 nights

Please see Mick Kerin or Simon Owens to purchase vouchers

Funds to towards the Football Operations Budget

Visit: mghotelgroup.com.au
 Email: michelle@mghotelgroup.com.au



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<https://mghotelgroup.com.au/>

Club Milestones & Debutants

MILESTONE - KRISTON THOMPSON 100 CLUB GAMES - ROUND 3, 2026

Congratulations to Kriston Thompson who played his 100th club game in Round 3 after joining SAFC in 2018 and has gone on to become a champion of the club. He is a 4 x League Best and Fairest and 3 x League Premiership player (2018, 2019 and 2020). That's an amazing achievement in 100 games. Known as a hard at it, tough, smooth moving footballer and is one of the best players the SGL has seen. He is a humble champion of our football club and will go down as one of the best to wear the Red and White V.

We are very fortunate to have Kriston and his family at our club.



MILESTONE - CALEB RITTER - 200 CLUB GAMES

Congratulations to Caleb Ritter who will play his 200th Club game in Round 6 (currently on 187 A Grade and 12 B Grade games).

Caleb is another product of the South Augusta juniors and has gone onto playing in several senior Premierships (including the 2013 Under 18's). Caleb is one of the five players to be a part of the five A Grade Premierships in a row, captaining four of them. He started mainly playing in the backlines, known as close checking, reliable, tough and courageous. In more recent years he has played on the ball and is always high amongst the best players, having won the Best Team Man and Fairest and Best on several occasions.

Caleb has been captain since 2017, a few years being with Darcy Kildea. He has also represented the club at SGL and Northern Zone level on many occasions. Achievements Include:



Caleb is a great clubman and deserves all the accolades for his services to the club over the years.

- 2013 U18s Premiership player
- 2014 U18s Best and Fairest
- 2014 Bishop and McSparran Medallist
- 2015 B Grade Premiership player
- 2016 / 20 / 21 / 22 A Grade Best Team Man
- 2016-2020 A Grade Premiership player
- 2017 Most Dedicated
- A Grade Captain - 2017-present
- 2018 Most Dedicated,
- 2019 Best on Ground in Grand Final,
- A Grade Fairest and Best 2023, 2024, 2025
- South Augusta Youngest Captain at aged 21 years

Club Milestones & Debutants



MILESTONE - 150 Club and League Games

Congratulations to Darcy Kildea who played his 150th League and Club game.

Darcy joined Souths in 2016 and has become an outstanding contributor to the South Augusta Football Club ever since.

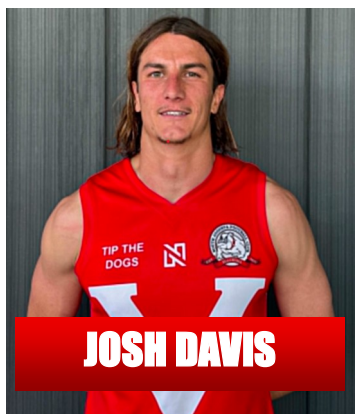
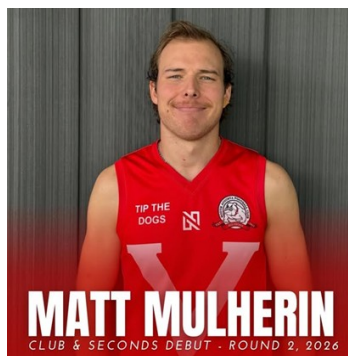
Darcy is known for his powerful running through the midfield, constantly running opponents into the ground.

He is is a: 5 x League Premiership player - 2016,17,18,19 and 2020
2 x Madigan Medallist - 2017 and 2019

Congratulations Darcy on this outstanding achievement and thank you for your ongoing contributions to SAFC!



WELCOME SAFC LEAGUE, SECONDS & CLUB DEBUTANTS



PLAYER PROFILE

PLAYER PROFILE

Name: Kyan Eagleton

Nickname: Eages

Occupation: Accountant

Favourite Band/Artist: Dominic Fike

Fun fact about yourself: Part owner in a few race horses.

Favourite pregame meal: Nonno's Pasta

Favourite football memory: Beating St Peter's College in school.

What are you enjoying the most at SAFC?

I've loved getting to know the amazing people involved at the club and being part of such a strong family culture where everyone's fully invested in winning and playing their best footy



PLAYER PROFILE

Name: Eddie Bok

Nickname: Bokky

Occupation: physio student/warehouse

Favourite band/artist: Olivia Dean

Fun fact about yourself: Once caught a mahi mahi with my hands!

Favourite pregame meal: Pesto Pasta

Favourite football memory: My last flag in U16s and favourite memory at Souths so far, Joe Beattie sinking one with a couple minutes left to get us over the line against Proprisdon.

What are you enjoying the most at SAFC

The people. Couldn't ask for a better group of lads and everyone around the club has been so welcoming. Been having so much fun out there with the boys and then so much fun back at the club.



PLAYER PROFILE

Name: Archie Nelmes

Nickname: Nelmesy

Occupation: Carpenter

Favourite band/artist: Surf Trash

Fun fact about yourself: I love the bulldogs NRL team.

Favourite pregame meal: Meat pie

Favourite football memory: My first win and singing the team song.

What are you enjoying the most at SAFC?

I love beers up at the kennel post game



JUNIOR BULLDOG OF THE DAY RECIPIENTS

U11 GIRLS BULLDOG OF THE DAY

**Aurthrina Brady &
Bridget Heron**



U14 GIRLS BULLDOG OF THE DAY

Callista Likouresis



U17 GIRLS BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

Eva McCallum



U7 BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

**Taizael Fielding, Jye
Khan & Dominic Finlay**



U9 BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

**Charlie Skull &
Oliver Whitehead**



U15 BULLDOG OF THE DAY

Levi Vater



U14 GIRLS BULLDOG OF THE DAY

Courtney Webb



U17 GIRLS BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

**Maisie McCallum
& Peppa White**



U7 BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

**Darnell Amos &
Israel Likouresis**



U9 BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

**Jackson Horner &
Chase Dendunnen**



U11 BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

Wayde Finlay



U13 BULLDOG OF THE DAY

Will Skull



CONGRATULATIONS!!!

JUNIOR BULLDOG OF THE DAY RECIPIENTS

**U15
BULLDOG
OF THE
DAY**

Romin Collard



**U11 GIRLS
BULLDOG
OF THE
DAY**

Layla Pauly-Stuart



**U11 GIRLS
BULLDOG
OF THE
DAY**

**Willow
Webber**



**U14 GIRLS
BULLDOG
OF THE
DAY**

**Olivia
McCallum**



**U17 GIRLS
BULLDOG
OF THE
DAY**

**Maddie
Menzel**



**U11
BULLDOG'S
OF THE
DAY**

Brodie Maloney



**U7
BULLDOG'S
OF THE
DAY**

**Lewis Dendunnen, Ezenna
Russell & Harlow Bodger**



**U9
BULLDOG'S
OF THE
DAY**

**Abel Van Nieuwburg
& Lachie Grantham**



**U11 GIRLS
BULLDOG
OF THE
DAY**

Ayrlie Lawrence



**U13
BULLDOG
OF THE
DAY**

Anakin Harbour



**U15
BULLDOG
OF THE
DAY**

Deegan Munzer



**U11 GIRLS
BULLDOG
OF THE
DAY**

**Oakleigh-Rae
Chevalier**



CONGRATULATIONS!!!

JUNIOR BULLDOG OF THE DAY RECIPIENTS

U7 BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

Noah Welsh, River Carbine & Kye Grantham



U9 BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

Blake Sutton & Layton Paige



U13 BULLDOG OF THE DAY

Ayble Di Paolo



U15 BULLDOG OF THE DAY

Riley Bowman



U11 GIRLS BULLDOG OF THE DAY

Angelisa Jolly & Keonnie Thompson



U14 GIRLS BULLDOG OF THE DAY

Ayana Reid



U17 GIRLS BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

Brooklyn Taylor



U7 BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

Kareem Milera-Klembt, Della Hurt & Isla Verhaar



U9 BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

Declan Hoare & Lachlan Honan



U11 BULLDOG'S OF THE DAY

Caleb McCarthy



U13 BULLDOG OF THE DAY

Ayana Reid



U15 BULLDOG OF THE DAY

Eddy Heron



CONGRATULATIONS!!!

PLAYHQ 2026 REGISTRATION

As at 1/6/2026 we have 268 players registered across all 10 grades. All 2025 players should have received multiple emails to enable them to register for the 2026. SANFL fee of \$27.50 seniors/ \$22.50 juniors must be paid when registering. Club membership is a separate fee and is paid as part of the registration process. All U18/B/A Grade players will also pay a PAFL fee to help run senior football in 2026. All players from U9àU13 will also pay a PAJFL fee to help run junior football in 2026.

To register click on <https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/ef0c62> .

If anyone has any problems please email michaelgkerin@gmail.com

2026 SGL FIXTURE

After last season`s hugely successful launch of our Footy Frenzy concept, we are pleased to announce that 2026 will see us hosting the next Frenzy in Round 13 v Central.

SGL NEWS

SGL V Whyalla game to be played at Port Augusta on Saturday 6 June long weekend.

New U18 game times.. 20 minutes straight for minor rounds. 18 minutes plus time on for goals for finals. New B Grade game times..18 minutes straight for minor rounds. 18 minutes plus time on for goals for finals. U15 games to start at 9.55am instead of 9.45am.

CLUBDUCKS UPDATE

As stated last newsletter, one outcome of our restructure is to tap into ClubDucks which is a "membership and sponsorship management solution equipped with features that enable clubs to streamline sponsorship proposals and member acquisition." A sub-committee has been working on this for a few months now. Look up <https://clubducks.au/> .

MESSAGE FROM THE SGL UMPIRES CO-ORDINATOR

"It is again disappointing to note that abuse towards umpires has again been experienced in the weekends past from spectators. I ask that all clubs address this within their clubs - this will not be tolerated at any level. As we are all aware, recruitment and retention of umpires at all levels is an issue and any unfavourable commentary from the sidelines is not warranted or needed. This is and has been an ongoing issue and I am at the point where I will be blunt - tell your supporters to pull their heads in!" Matt Giles.

At SAFC we fully endorse these concerns and will continue to strive towards club improvement by cleaning up the mess created by some of our so-called supporters. It will not be tolerated. Such issues can result in us losing the respect we aim for as a club as we try to achieve one of our club goals which is "aiming to be the best SGL/PAJFL club both on and off field". We are all club ambassadors (especially when wearing club colours). One of the responsibilities of being a Southie is that our behaviours both positive and negative reflect directly on the club. Please ensure your behaviour reflects the high standards we should demand from each other. If you can`t please stay away from our games and do not wear our colours. We do not need your "support". We also ask that you show initiative when you see club people letting us down via a simple reminder to them of the culture/behaviours we will accept at SAFC. Alternatively report their behaviour to someone who will take the required action. We know it is a cliché but the behaviour you walk past is the behaviour you accept.

SAMMY D FOUNDATION

The Sammy D Foundation was formed following the tragic loss of Sam Davis on Sunday, 4 May 2008. The life of 17-year-old Sam was tragically cut short when he fell victim to one-punch attack. Following the devastating loss of Sam, his parents, founded the Foundation with the aim of equipping young people with the skills to prevent such tragedies from happening again. Every schnitty we sold on the first weekend in May helped raise \$320 towards ending youth violence.

ISAAC KEELER UPDATE

Great to see ex South Augusta juniors Izaac Keeler back on the field with St Kilda AFL side recently. Finishing with 11 disposals against Hawthorn we hope to see him giving more opportunities in the future.

AFLW and COLTS NEWS

COLTS CORNER

We are desperately short of players for our U15 team (born 2011/2012). If you or someone you know fits this age bracket we would love to have you join us this season. On the positive side it is a very big welcome to U18s Dale Casserly and Kyron Biddell and their families who have transferred to us from Solomontown (whilst still living in Port Pirie). Dale actually joined us last season and Kyron has joined him this year. We must also mention Lucas Bury who transferred to our Round 4 U15 team to help make up the numbers as his BMW team had a bye. He will do the same again for Round 9. Hopefully he can bring a few mates with him.

We have a great mix of coaches supporting our juniors this season and look forward to a successful season.

Auskick—Jake Collins, Mark Horner, Corey Finlay

U9's—Mark McArdle, Daniel Dohnt

U11's Mixed—Jake Collins

U11's Girls—Kriston Thompson, Dale Westover, Todd Webber

U13's Mixed—Mat Grantham

U14's Girls—Kurt Reynolds

U15's Mixed—Jason Cullen

U17's Girls—Jess McCallum

A special shoutout to Sam Pratt who plays SANFLW for South Adelaide on weekends and mentors and supports our growing group of girls playing football for Souths.

The Junior football club would like to thank our sponsors this season which include Supawash Laundromat located next to Domino's on the highway. You will see the U11 girls new guernseys sporting their logo on the back and we really appreciate their support.

Our junior teams are off to a great start with our U11's and U13's mixed, and U14's and U17's girls undefeated through the first few games of the season. Again we have over 50 Auskickers which will be our 6th straight season with this achievement.

SAPSASA PARTICIPANTS

Congratulations to the South Augusta lads selected for the Northern SAPSASA team!

Pictured: Isaac Shillabeer, Tio Madziwa, Liam Murphy, Brodie Maloney, Caleb McCarthy, Lachlan Robinson and Eddie Skull.



SANFL NEWS...COMMUNITY FOOTBALL FAIR PLAY RULE FOR JUNIOR GRADES

Something new to watch out for this season is the implementation of the mandatory statewide Fair Play policy for all junior male and female grades up to U18's. The aim is to "instil in all involved in junior football that a one-sided match has a detrimental impact on player development (for both teams) and most importantly player retention". It aims to give players a positive match-day experience by reducing the number of one-sided matches. Various possession rules will be implemented once a team leads by 60 points.

AFLW and COLTS NEWS

AFLW NEWS

Top local SA women's footy young guns of 2026 revealed..The Advertiser 20/5/26

"SA AFLW is packed with up-and-coming talent. We've picked the top young guns from 2026 SA country and suburban competitions. Two ex -South Augusta Bulldogs have made the cut."

BRIDIE LUKICH

(pictured in action for the Angle Vale Owls)

Lukich has been impressive for Angle Vale since joining ahead of the 2025 season. Covers ground well, brings pace and skill through the middle and can also hit the scoreboard.

ELIZA COOPER

(pictured with medal won with the Henley Sharks)

Also gaining experience with North Adelaide, Cooper has starred for the Sharks this season. Can play a number of roles including on the ball and up front with her ability to win possession and either finish goals or find teammates.



Bridie Lukich



Eliza Cooper

YEAR R-9 SPORTS VOUCHER

Any late player registrations can do so by clicking on <https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/ef0c62>

If anyone has any problems please email michaelgkerin@gmail.com .

Juniors are encouraged to use their Sports Vouchers Plus where children in Reception to Year 9 are eligible to receive 2 x \$100 Sports Vouchers (per calendar year).

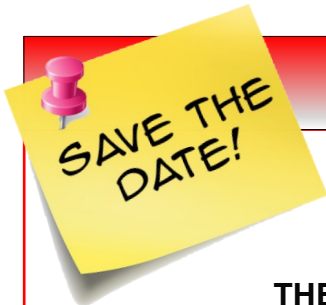
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REUNION REMINDER

SAVE THE DATES

PAST PLAYERS AND OFFICIALS

THE BACK TO SOUTHS DAY SATURDAY 27TH JUNE 2026.

All past players and officials are invited back to the club on the 27th June 2026 to celebrate these premierships and talk about old times. We play West Augusta that day, the same team we defeated in 2016 which was the start of the 5 Premierships in a row era. Can't believe it's been 10 years. In 2006 we defeated Central Augusta.

More information to follow in the next few newsletters.

We need players from those teams to contact other team members to make sure they know about it and get them along for which should be a great day.

ADELAIDE REUNION 11TH JULY 2026 @ 12 NOON
Adelaide reunion on the 11th of July at the Glenelg Cricket Club.
The match that day is Glenelg vs the Adelaide Crows.
REUNION STARTS 12 NOON



REST IN PEACE



The club offers its condolences to Rod, Emily, Ben and families after the recent death of Kerry Chapman on 18/5/26.

Kerry was heavily involved with the club for several years before her illness, volunteering, cleaning and supporting the club on and off the field. Kerry supported husband Rod, during his time as President and on the Committee and was a well-respected, friendly and caring person.

The club members are thinking of Kerry's family and friends at this sad time.

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- Moveability
- RATCH Australia Corporation
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- Port Augusta Meat Store
- Augusta Motor Company
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- Nelson Teamwear
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- South Augusta Round Table
- Rowe Partners
- Augusta Auto Mall
- Sue & Andrew Magarey
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SILVER

- Couttsies Automotives
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- Schooners Cleaning
- Jones Radiology
- Joe & Natalie Paparella
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BRONZE

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- Webb Software
- The Hut
- Hello World
- Phil & Michelle Brown
- Eddie Hughes
- Dalla Santa Plumbing
- Sportspower
- Country Health Physiotherapy
- Leisure World
- Bury Plumbing

COLTS

- Sue & Andrew Magarey
- Blues Brothers Teas
- Horner Family
- Dalla Santa Plumbing
- Terry Gardiner Meats & Smallgoods
- Pat Hynes
- HelloWorld
- Saltbush Surf & Leisure
- Peter Taylor Photos
- North East Isuzu Port Augusta
- Pastoral Hotel
- Sportspower
- MAX Services
- Port Augusta Racing Club
- KFC
- McDonalds Port Augusta
- RATCH
- Supawash Laundromat
- Domino's
- Webb Family
- Collins Family

THE "VICE PRESIDENTS" MEMBERS ARE LISTED ON A SEPARATE PAGE.

SOUTH AUGUSTA FOOTBALL CLUB IS VERY GRATEFUL FOR ALL THE SUPPORT FROM THE SPONSORS IN 2026

VICE PRESIDENTS SPONSORS INFORMATION

VICE PRESIDENTS SPONSORS REQUIRED IN 2026

So far we have **42** memberships committed in 2026 with funds going towards football operations, please sponsor a player today for \$100. The number of Vice Presidents is the highest it has been for years and there are several members based out of Port Augusta. Great to see Iain Elliott, Jenny and Gary Grantham, Anthony Anno and Jamie McTaggart, Dean and Shelley McInnis, Mark Bowman, Paul and Adrian Elliott, Gary Kernahan and Matt, Sandy and John Glamuzina recently joining. Great to see some past players helping out the club.

We thank all members for their contribution to this level of Sponsorship. We have a get together at the Back to Souths Day on 27/6/26 to thank you for your support. The club is trying to chase up and get as many past players and officials as possible involved with the South Augusta Football Club this year. We have been at the bottom of the ladder for a few years now following our 5-peat, so we are looking to make a move back up the ladder, with the hope that will also help with people getting back to the club after games and for events.

The club has tried to introduce a few new players to our existing list to complement them and try to get back to our winning ways. We are not only trying to be successful on the field but trying to build a club and players for the future, that are respected in the community and provide a blueprint for how a footy club should be.

One way for you to help out is through the Vice Presidents Club, which is essentially a \$100 donation to sponsor a player and help with the cost of player insurance, oval hire, training and medical equipment etc. We realise we are all going through some tough times with the cost of living/fuel prices etc, so understand there are other priorities at the moment, so a donation of this size may not be suitable for you.

If possible, and if you are still around the area or pass by, we ask that you try to get up the club as much as possible, get out to support the lads, ladies, juniors who are playing, the volunteers, and even offer some time volunteering if life allows it.

We have all been a part of the SAFC in some way in the past, and we need some help to keep it going for the future. If you are able and willing to help in any way, that would be appreciated. No issues if you can't.

Claim the Vice President Club membership fee as a tax deduction!

Because the funds will be used for Football Development with the club you will be able to claim a tax deduction through the Australian Sports Foundation. Go to the ASF website and pay your contribution to the club and a tax-deductible receipt will be provided once your payment is processed.

Pay your \$100 at [South Augusta Football Club Vice Presidents Club | Australian Sports Foundation](https://asf.org.au/donate/south-augusta-football-club-vice-presidents-club/)
<https://asf.org.au/donate/south-augusta-football-club-vice-presidents-club/>

Alternatively Online banking is payable to South Augusta Football Club or

Direct Payment to BSB 035065 — Account 199129 — South Augusta Football Club
Or pay Kean Parrington or Mark Shirley by cash

Invites to Club Functions

Vice Presidents Club members are invited to club functions during the year including the Season Launch, Red and White Ball, Family Day and Presentation Night where you will have the opportunity to meet club members and players. You will also sponsor a Senior player for the year, and you will also be invited to sponsor's functions including Past Player and Official reunions at the club.

How to Reply

If you are interested, please reply to the email address where we send out the newsletter or alternatively you can text or phone Kean Parrington on 0419 034 630 or Mark Shirley on 0428 888 076 as they are also happy to discuss the Vice Presidents Club in more detail.

Sponsor a player

As a member of the Vice President club, you will sponsor a player from the A and B grade and assist them in the costs involved with playing such as insurance, oval hire and training equipment etc. If you have a preference for a player to sponsor, please let Kean or Mark know.

Committed sponsors are shown on the following page:...

VICE PRESIDENT SPONSORS 2026	PLAYER SPONSORED 2026
ROD CHAPMAN/JEFF SHILLABEER	ADDYSON DI PAOLO
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IAIN ELLIOTT	ARCHIE NELMES
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MARK BOWMAN	ROWAN IRVINE
CALEB & PEYTON RITTER	SCOTT GOODWIN
JIM HIGGINSON FAMILY	STEFAN HORNER
PAT HYNES	TOM CLANCY
JACQUI & CRAIG RITTER	TRENT RITTER
LIZ & JEFF SHILLABEER	TYSON DARLEY
GREG BURK	WILL WATERWORTH
JOHN WATERWORTH	BLAKE SMITH

SOCIAL SCENE AT THE KENNEL

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 09	Dynamic Duo's Theme Night Round 3
JUNE 20	Country Club Round 8
JULY 04	American Icon's Round 10
AUGUST 08	Red & White Ball Round 14
OCT 10	Octoberfest More information closer to the event.

8TH AUGUST

SAVE the DATE

Red & White Ball

Keep an eye on the socials for the details of upcoming events!

SEASON DRAW & EVENTS CALENDAR

2026

<p>PRE-SEASON EVENTS ✓</p> <p>Kennel Cup Sun. 8 March First Race 12:00pm</p> <p>Season Launch Friday 20 March</p> <p>Trial Match Saturday 21 March</p> <p>Basketball GF Saturday 21 March</p> <p>Kennel Club Sunday 26 April</p>	<p>ROUND 1 ✓</p> <p>Sat. 25 April ANZAC Round South V Port Port Oval, Port Pirie</p>	<p>ROUND 2 ✓</p> <p>Sat. 2 May South V PropRisdon Central Oval, Pt Augusta</p>	<p>ROUND 3 ✓</p> <p>Sat. 9 May White Ribbon Round South V Central ETSA Oval, Pt Augusta Dynamic Duo's Theme Night</p>	<p>ROUND 4 ✓</p> <p>Sat. 16 May South V West Central Oval, Pt Augusta Twilight Match</p>
	<p>ROUND 5 ✓</p> <p>Sat. 23 May South V Solomontown Memorial Oval, Port Pirie</p>	<p>ROUND 6 ✓</p> <p>Sat. 30 May South V Port Central Oval, Pt Augusta</p>	<p>ROUND 7</p> <p>Sat. 13 June South V PropRisdon Memorial Oval, Port Pirie</p>	<p>ROUND 8</p> <p>Sat. 20 June South V Central Central Oval, Pt Augusta Country Club</p>
<p>ROUND 9</p> <p>Sat. 27 June South V West Central Oval, Pt Augusta Past Players Day</p>	<p>ROUND 10</p> <p>Sat. 4 July South V Solomontown Central Oval, Pt Augusta American Icon's</p>	<p>ROUND 11</p> <p>Sat. 18 July South V Port Port Oval, Port Pirie</p>	<p>ROUND 12</p> <p>Sat. 25 July South V PropRisdon Central Oval, Pt Augusta</p>	<p>ROUND 13</p> <p>Sat. 1 August Multicultural Round South V Central Central Oval, Pt Augusta Twilight Match</p>
<p>ROUND 14</p> <p>Sat. 8 August South V West Chinnery Oval, Pt Augusta Red & White Ball</p>	<p>ROUND 15</p> <p>Sat. 15 August South V Solomontown Memorial Oval, Port Pirie</p>	<p>ROUND 16</p> <p>Sat. 22 August South V Port Central Oval, Pt Augusta</p>	<p>ROUND 17</p> <p>Sat. 29 August South V PropRisdon Memorial Oval, Port Pirie</p>	<p>FINALS</p> <p>Round 1 5-6 September</p> <p>Prelim Finals 12 September</p> <p>Grand Final 19 September</p>

SOCIAL SCENE AT THE KENNEL

ELEVENTH PORT AUGUSTA COUNTRY MUSIC MUSTER @ SAFC FEEDBACK

After the past three hugely successful years we were again pleased to be asked to host part of the Eleventh PA Country Music Week event. With over 35 attendees we look forward to hosting again in 2027.



THURSDAY NIGHT MEALS

MENU'S WILL BE POSTED EACH WEEK



11/06/2026
LAMB OR
CHICKEN YIROS



18/06/2026
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BURGERS



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BEEF
BURGERS



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SCHNITZELS

Don't Miss Out!! Come and Enjoy a Great Meal



**Who doesn't love Happy Hour!!!
Get along to the club from 5 to 8pm Thursdays!!**

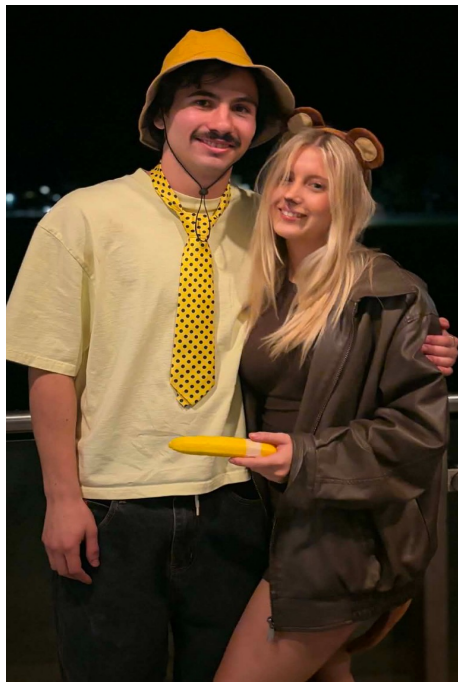


SOCIAL SCENE AT THE KENNEL



Dynamic Duo Theme Night

Here is a snap shot of some of the great outfits and the creativity of those that dressed up. If you have any other pics send them through and we can feature them next month!



SOCIAL SCENE AT THE KENNEL

SAVE THE DATE!



SOUTH AUGUSTA GOLF OPEN

SUNDAY 28th JUNE 2026

**9.00AM START
PORT AUGUSTA GOLF COURSE**

WHO WILL WIN THE RED JACKET IN 2026?

Get along for the 9-hole Ambrose and the chance to wear the Red Jacket.

The prestigious South Augusta Open has seen some great names on the trophy. Jube Waterworth, Mark Horner, Adam Grantham, Simon Brusnahan and Daniel Dohnt being amongst them.

The club will be open from 12.30pm and Vice Presidents and Sponsors are invited to join us there for lunch, watching the footy on TV, presentations and games in the afternoon.

**FOUR PERSON AMBROSE. ALL WELCOME – MEN'S AND WOMEN'S TEAM TROPHIES,
BEST DRESSED - NEAREST TO PIN - LONG DRIVE**

**IF YOU DON'T HAVE A TEAM TURN UP AND YOU WILL BE PUT IN A TEAM
\$20 COST INCLUDES GREEN FEES.**

LUNCH BACK AT THE CLUB AT 1 PM

**NO B.Y.O. ALCOHOL (due to the Alcohol Licencing Restrictions.)
ALL Alcohol MUST BE PURCHASED from the Golf Club.**

WHERE ARE THEY NOW??



It's hard to tell where our past players are now as many are retired and travelling around Australia or overseas. Paul "Spade" Elliott recently called in to Karratha and Dampier and caught up with Greg Shirley and family. Spade is now retired and has been travelling around Australia for 6 months. He worked for over 20 years in Roxby Downs travelling back to his house in Stirling North. He and wife Natalie had 2 children and now grandchildren. Spade played 101 senior games from 1987 to 1992, mainly in B Grade and played in the 1990 and 1991 B Grade Premierships.

His brother Kym played 27 A Grade and 2 B Grade games winning the A Grade Fairest and Best in 1991. Father Adrian played in the 1964 A Grade Premiership amassing 210 senior games including 37 A and 73 B Grade games. Spade is loving it so much he joked he might sell up and keep on travelling in his caravan. Spade was last sighted at the 80-Mile Beach in WA making his way home we think!

Other Southies on the move are Ashley Dunkley heading up the WA coast, the Trewartha's heading up the middle and then back along the WA Coast and Kymbo Maule and Gary Kernahan with Leanne and Carmen just returning from NZ.

FOOTBALL FLASHBACK

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Come and celebrate these victories at the Back to Souths weekend on the 27th of June 2026
2006—20 years ago

Position: 1st.

- South's A Grade win grand final Central's by 60 points.
- Best Players: Kevin Harris, Adam Grantham, Michael Curley, Matthew Grantham and Ian Brown.
- Club President: Suzi McKell.
- A Grade Captain: Chris Heritage.
- A Grade Coach: Gary Kernahan.
- A Grade Best and Fairest: Bradley Amos.
- B Grade Coach: Mark McKell.
- B Grade plays in their first grand final after 11 years but is defeated by West Augusta.
- U18's Coach: Ryan Struck.
- U15's Coach: Robert Leith, Peter Trewartha and Andrew Magarey.
- U13's Coach: Tony Finlay and Mark Shirley.
- U11's Coach: Craig Ritter and Grant Ortlepp.
- U9's Coach: Robert Rozee and Craig Ritter.
- 21 players out of the 22 who played in the A Grade grand final played juniors for South's. South Under 11's win the Premiership in 2006. Sam Maule, Caleb Ritter, Craig Shirley and Marcus Kerin go on to play A Grade Premierships at the club.

SOUTH AUGUSTA FOOTBALL CLUB INC.

2006 SGL LEAGUE PREMIERS

SOUTH AUGUSTA 16-13 (109) defeated CENTRAL AUGUSTA 7-6 (48)



BACK ROW : C.MARONEY, J.COLLINS, D.CROMBIE, D.SHILLABEER, B.LAUBE, S.BRUSNAHAN, M.GRANTHAM, S.TREALEVAN
THIRD ROW : N.HERON (TEAM MANAGER), J.WATERWORTH (ASSISTANT COACH) LBROWN, C.HERON, C.BALDEN R.STRUCK, M.CURLEY
T.KERNAHAN, R.LAUBE (TRAINER), P.GARDINER (TRAINER)
SECOND ROW : V.WATERWORTH, W.COX, T.HANNES, R.BARNES, R.JOHNSON, A.GRANTHAM, D.DOHT
FIRST ROW : K.HARRIS, M.MALONEY, C.HERITAGE (CAPTAIN) G.KERNAHAN (COACH) S.McKELL (PRESIDENT), M.McKELL ASSISTANT COACH)
B.AMOS. M.SHILLABEER (TRAINER)
MASCOTS : S.MAULE, S.LAUBE, **INSERTS :** C.REID V/C (Top), B.JONES (Middle) G.O'BRIEN (Bottom)

FOOTBALL FLASHBACK

2016 — 10 years ago

Position: 1st

- A Grade won grand final against West Augusta.
 - Club President: Shane Kennedy
 - A Grade Coach: James Boles.
 - U18's team, coached by Craig Ritter did miss out on the finals, although several U18 players were pulled up to play A Grade.
- Ritts decided not to continue coaching after 21 years involved in the club's junior coaching program.
- B Grade Coach: Anthony Anno.
 - B Grade made the grand final
 - Brian Shillabeer and Shane Kennedy were both awarded SGL Life Memberships.

A Grade Awards:

- Best and Fairest: Matt Downey.
- Best Team Man; Caleb Ritter
- Best First Year Player: Dylan Barnett.
- Most Consistent: Marcus Kerin.
- Leading Goal Kicker: Brendon Colson.

B Grade Awards:

- Best and Fairest: Ryan Stuck.
- Best Team Man: Ryan Stuck.
- Most Dedicated: Jack Magarey.
- Most Valuable: Tyrone Waye

Club Awards

- Club Person of The Year: Judith and Allan Barnett
- Adam Grantham was awarded SAFC Life Membership.



VOLUNTEER INFORMATION

SAFC DECLARES 2026 THE YEAR OF THE VOLUNTEER

You are needed to join the Red Army to spread the load and share in the rewards of volunteering (see below). New volunteers are always welcome. You will make a difference. We have some amazing volunteers as part of our SAFC Red Army. Why not join them by clicking on this link <https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/ef0c62> and register. It is free and takes 2 minutes.

Volunteering offers a wide range of proven benefits for your mental, physical, social, and professional well-being. It is a mutually beneficial activity that helps the individual as much as the cause they support.

Remember.... “Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart.” — Elizabeth Andrew American Author

NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK 2026

The weekend of 16 May saw us celebrate NVW, Australia’s largest annual celebration of volunteering. The 2026 theme, “Your Year to Volunteer,” highlights the vital role volunteers play in strengthening clubs and to discover the purpose and connection that comes with volunteering. This is a good time to re-issue an invite to new and current volunteers by registering by clicking on <https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/ef0c62>

National Volunteer Week is Australia’s largest annual celebration of volunteering.

It recognises the contribution of millions of volunteers across the country and invites everyone to discover how giving their time and talents can create connection, purpose, and stronger communities.

Your Year to Volunteer honours the contributions of volunteers and invites people across Australia to make 2026 a year of meaningful involvement, in ways that work for them.

This year is a moment to thank those who already give their time and to invite others to discover how volunteering can create connection, purpose, and lasting positive change.

Without volunteers, our club would not function. Each week we have volunteer time keepers, guernsey washers, team managers, BBQ cooks, coaches, runners, kitchen salad making, water people, coordinators and committee members, just to name a few of the roles that keep our club operating each week.

Would you like to get involved? Please speak to our Volunteer Coordinator Michael Kerin who will be able to give more information on roles we are looking to fill.

Volunteering is a great way to meet new people and get involved with our club.



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY AFL/BUNNINGS FOOTY SAUSAGE SIZZLE BBQs

The AFL and Bunnings are running football themed BBQs promo on July 11 and 12 (no SGL footy due to country championships). The National Footy Sausage Sizzle (NFSS) will see for one big weekend, every Bunnings Sausage Sizzle across the country hosted by local footy clubs. Even better? 100% of proceeds go straight back to our club. We will find out soon if we are successful for hosting either or both days. If you can offer a few hours help please contact Mick 0455 989 144 michaelgkerin@gmail.com

Billy's Corner

Great to see past player and former 5AU legend Eamon Power drop into the club recently, He has just completed his time at the redesigned Wilmington turnoff which we must admit is a vast improvement.

We are always careful about mentioning retirements in the newsletter as we would love to see them put on the boots if required. Jake Collins may have played his last game for the club, but you never know. Jake came to the club in 2006 to continue the famous Collins name at SAFC and has reached 221 senior games consisting of 165 A Grade and 56 B Grade games. He is a 4-time A Grade Premiership player playing the 2006, 2012, 2018 and 2019 victories. After moving from Waikerie, Jake has become and continues to be a magnificent servant of SAFC. He coaches junior football, organises events including junior functions and has fundraised / organised many a football trip. Football clubs don't function without people like Jake both on and off the field. Congratulations Jake and we look forward to seeing Dane and Emmett continue the Collins name into the future. PS: Megan deserves congratulations also for her part of the journey and the work she does at club Sponsor Multiprint and her involvement in junior football.



Luke Paparella's partner, Samantha Pratt, pictured above, travels each weekend to Adelaide to play for South Adelaide in the SANFLW, not a bad effort! Sam, who works in Port Augusta as a paramedic, has played over 80 games for the Women's league side and was involved with the last win against Sturt, won on the last kick of the day. South's have had some success in recent years, and we wish her the best for the year. Partner Luke has turned out a very handy player in the A Grade as well, featuring in the best players each week and kicking some great goals.



Way back in 1964, the formative years of the SGL, the grand final was played between Ports and South Augusta, one of the club's greatest victories in the 12-team competition. Ern (Oats) Farley was Port's head trainer at the time and the wife of the head trainer at South Augusta, who we found out was Life member Wally McManus, kindly presented Ern with a green shirt with a very imposing Bulldog handcrafted on the back of the shirt. The significance of her reason to do this was, that like the Port Football Club, the South Augusta Club's mascot was also a Bulldog. So, on that grand final day two shirts came together a red shirt representing South Augusta and a green shirt representing Ports. Ern's daughter Bronwyn donated the shirt to Ports to wear at the game, and we are looking for the South Augusta shirt. Wally and his wife have now passed, and we are not sure if he had children but if you know if they did, tell them we are looking for that Red and White Bulldog shirt from 1964! The Port shirt is seen pictured at a recent game day.

Billy's Corner

Last newsletter we forgot to mention Kevin Hillard with the clubs other Port Augusta Hall of Fame recipients. Although he received the award for services to Port Augusta Football League, Kevin has been a supporter of the club in football and cricket and is involved in our footy and racing tips competitions. Congratulations Kevin on this great achievement.

Darcy Kildea has his students well trained. When he received accolades for his 150 senior games, he had U18 player and PASS student Eli Collard turn up with his special banner. We can see straight A's coming up Eli!



Pretty rough when you have to pay for your own trophy when you win the Racing Tips! South has a perpetual trophy which stays at the club and John Orenshaw decided he wanted to get his own trophy for the pool room. Not sure where he will put the trophy looking at the shelves in his back shed bar. John hasn't kept his form going in the Footy Tips and currently sits second bottom, but its only early! Regarding Footy Tips, Harry won the jackpot recently for an \$80 collect and he picked the results online before the season started, doesn't say much for the other 30 tipsters!

WORKSHOP FEEDBACK



TACKLE YOUR FEELINGS WORKSHOP

The program was held on 28th May with over 40 players, members and committee attending.

The free workshop discussed strategies on dealing with mental health issues within a football club with all clubs in Port Augusta invited.

The information program was sponsored by the SANFL and was delivered by a psychologist, Emma and Rian from SANFL.

The workshop was well supported by the club and facilitators thanked all those involved with its organisation including Michael Kerin.

GAZZA'S GOSSIP

This month I focus on the early years of the club from 1912- 1915

1912 Position: 3rd

Captain Coach: I Johnston. 1912 was the first year in the club's history and South Augusta played its first game ever against Central Augusta on the 24th of May 1912 and lost that match 3.11 to 3.9. South played 8 games for the season and won 3 of these games with the 3 teams in the competition being South, Central Augusta and North. South's colours were blue and white. South lost in the semifinal to Norths 11.9 to 4.8 with the best players being Spicer, McDonald and Howell. Central win the premiership that year 6.4 to North 3.11. Players who represented Port Augusta that year were Ralph Cilento, John Fullerton, A Withers and A Spicer. The Transcontinental paper commented that the innovation of football had proved its worth and next season should see in consequence an improved standard of play in Port Augusta. The Secretary of the Association (TR Brenan) who was also a South player had worked very hard for the Association, and it would be gratifying for him to see that all 3 clubs were established in the town.

1913 Position: 2nd

Captain Coach: I Johnston. South loses in Grand Final to Norths 11.2 to 2.5. Souths had only 16 players for the final when 5 of the best players had to leave town for work. The best players in the final were John Fullerton and A Spicer. The local paper stated that it did not speak well for club loyalty when they could only muster 16 players for the final. Goalkickers for Souths were Spicer and McDonald. During the year there was a controversy when Central were left with 10 players during one game. The umpire did not allow a team to field players without uniforms, and a result was the Association met and decided to strictly enforce dress code for uniforms in the future.

1914 Position: 2nd

Captain Coach: I Johnston. South lose to Central in the Grand Final 5.10 to 3.4 with the goalkickers being McBeath, Barrett and Whitbread. The President of the Association was Mr. T Hewitson. Souths J Fullerton is also Assistant Secretary of the Association and Badams was on the Management Committee of the League. Local paper stated that games were often played in dusty conditions, on dirt ovals and players did not stay in positions resulting in scrappy games. Generally, crowds were around 100-200 for minor round games.

1915 Position: 3rd

Souths club delegates are Gogler and Dave Barry. There are 5 teams in the competition this year after West and Quorn join. South have a good year and finish 2nd after the end of the minor round. However, they lose in the semifinal and do not make the Grand Final. I Johnson from Souths finishes second in the Association trophy for the best player in the competition known as the Enterprise Picture medal. The Chairman of the Port Augusta Football Association is Mr. Roger Sullivan. In the Grand Final North 3.8 defeated West 3.5. Games are played on the Port Augusta Oval and many players start to go to World War 1 and as a consequence many teams find it hard to field a full list.

Hope you enjoy these stories

Yours Gazza Kittel

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**SOUTH AUGUSTA CRICKET CLUB GREATLY APPRECIATES ALL THE SUPPORT GIVEN
BY THE CURRENT SPONSORS AND LOOK FORWARD TO SEASON 2026/27**

MAGPIES NETBALL CLUB REPORT

Wow, what a start to the season!

We have had amazing results from the first 2 weeks of netball which included 30 games. As a club we have come away with 18 wins, 1 Draw and 11 losses. We have seen smiles all around the courts which have been great to see. Keep up the good work girls and boys!

ROUND 1 RESULTS			
9/U	Magpies 1	lost to	Shamrocks 7
11/U Div 4	Magpies 5	defeated	St Josephs 1
11/U Div 3	Magpies 9	defeated	Vikings Green 8
11/U Div 2	Magpies 11	defeated	St Josephs Gold 5
13/U Div 3	Magpies 7	lost to	Quorn 12
13/U Div 2	Magpies 25	defeated	St Josephs Gold 8
15/U Div 2	Magpies 34	defeated	Vikings Blue 15
15/U Div 2	Magpies Rebels 10	lost to	Vikings White 14
H Grade	Magpies 15	lost to	Quorn 22
G Grade	Magpies 26	defeated	Magpies Rebels 25
F Grade	Magpies 25	lost to	Railways 28
E Grade	Magpies 36	defeated	Vikings Green 24
D Grade	Magpies 35	defeated	St Josephs 34
C Grade	Magpies	bye	
B Grade	Magpies 45	lost to	Railways Blue 50

ROUND 2 RESULTS			
9/U	Magpies 2	drew	Vikings White 2
11/U Div 4	Magpies 19	defeated	Quorn 0
11/U Div 3	Magpies 4	defeated	Vikings White 2
11/U Div 2	Magpies 8	defeated	Shamrocks 6
13/U Div 3	Magpies 1	lost to	Vikings White 2
13/U Div 2	Magpies 30	defeated	Shamrocks 2
15/U Div 2	Magpies 33	defeated	Vikings Green 19
15/U Div 2	Magpies Rebels 7	lost to	Railways 9
H Grade	Magpies 30	defeated	Shamrocks 17
G Grade	Magpies 25	defeated	Quorn 22
G Grade	Magpies Rebels 31	defeated	St Josephs Blue 29
F Grade	Magpies 30	lost to	St Josephs 34
E Grade	Magpies 30	defeated	Shamrocks 20
D Grade	Magpies 24	lost to	Railways Yellow 31
C Grade	Magpies 35	lost to	Shamrocks 51
B Grade	Magpies 59	defeated	Vikings 43

Reminder about other upcoming events!



Meet The Maggie!

Each newsletter we will meet a past/present/future magpie. This week we have Hayley Grosser. So let's, meet Hayley Grosser!

What's your current position within the Club/old playing position?

"Current position is the President. My old playing position was GS."

How long have you been with the Magpie's netball club?

"Started playing with the club around 40 years ago! Retired when Milla was born in 2005. Got back involved when Milla and Jada started to play."

What do you most enjoy about netball/magpies?

"I just love netball and especially watching my daughters play! I enjoy the friendly and inclusive atmosphere of Magpies and how our hardworking committee just gets in and does what is needed"

We thank Hayley for her continued support to the club!

JUNE

6th - 8th Country Champs (Adelaide)
13th Quiz Night (details TBC)

JULY

4th NAIDOC Round (TBC)
11th NO GAMES (School Holidays)

AUGUST

15th U9 Round Robin
22nd Pink Day (Breast Cancer Fundraiser)
29th Semi Finals
29th PANA 80yrs Gala & Senior Medal Count

SEPTEMBER

5th Preliminary Finals
12th GRAND FINAL DAY
Presentation Details TBC



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Quiz Night!

Our annual Quiz night is back again this year so be sure to get your ticket! Get yourself a team of eight together and have a ball, 13th June, the link for tickets has been posted to the Magpies Facebook page.



We had Some Maggie's in pink at the Pink Ladies Race Day! Don't they look amazing!

