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Soccer Club



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The OLQP Falcons Soccer Club would like to thank **Frank Cozzupoli** from **idraft plan pty ltd** for his continued support of the club by donating the sausages, bacon, eggs and onions for the BBQ each week at Daniel Street Park.

Match Reports – 18th April 2009

U6F Foxes (9) def. Newington Gunners (0)

After many weeks of training and several trials the Foxes first competition game arrived and they did not disappoint. They were well drilled and talented and above all had fun if laughing and skipping around at half and full time were anything to go by.

Goal Keepers Liam and Dante were exceptional with a clean sheet. Goal scorers Nicholas (5), Matthew (3) and Ray Anthony (1) proved hard to handle with their incisive running. Defenders Charlotte, Enrique, Marshall and Joshua kept the opposition attackers at bay with their strong defence. Everyone deserved an award this week, but our training award went to Enrique and Player of the Match went to Matthew.

Hoping Daniel has a speedy recovery for our next game. Special thanks to Paul for running the line, our Goal keeper coach Rob and Joelle for the excellent Web page and photos taken on the day.

GO FOXES!!!!

By Jenny, Manager

U6W Lions (1) def. by U6R Falcons (12)

We played our club team 6R at Daniel St. We scored 1 - They Scored 12 Although we lost, the Lions played well. Our goalies did some great saves, with Ryan doing a magnificent save! Rachel showed her great ball dribbling skills and was soooo close to scoring a goal. Christian, Nicholas and Luke were putting into practice their tackling and dribbling skills. Our Man of the Match went to Jordan who scored our goal for the day. A big thank you to Joel and Luca who played on 6R's team to even up the teams, with both boys scoring a goal each. Well done Lions.

By Sue

U7C Tigers (5) def. Wentworthville United (4)

The game was eagerly anticipated by players and parents alike. We were playing Wentworthville United at Daniel St Park.

The first half saw some great saves by Daniel Hilton in the midfield and Aaron in the goals. Giovanni was unlucky not to score after taking the ball from halfway to the goals. Joel and Spohia both ran all game in the midfield and provided great support. Joshua scored our only goal for the 1st half after many great attempts. With much of the ball in the first half we went to the break 2-1 down.

The second half saw Wenty score an early goal but the team never gave up. Chiara had some great runs and just failed to score after running with the

ball from the halfway line. Josh scored our next 4 goals with some great support by all. Daniel Stooove was solid for the defence and helped Giovanni in the 2nd half stop many of Wenty's chances. Player of the match went to Daniel Stooove for great defence. A first up win for the Tigers 5 - 4.

By Kim Crocker, very proud team manager

U9Q Thunderbirds (3) def. OLOR/St Angelas (0)

What an exciting game for the Thunderbirds as we kicked off the season with a 3-0 win against OLOR. The first half proved to be tough with no team scoring and all players looking exhausted but the Thunderbirds came out firing the second half with Matthew scoring the three goals of the match, one of which was a penalty. Michael, Luke S and Spiros did a brilliant job as forwards and Julian as sweeper. Jack, Jake, Aaron and Luca showed a huge improvement as they worked very hard in the midfields. Well done to Miled and Patrick as they played their first game with the Thunderbirds. Matthew and Mitchell did a great job as goalie with Mitchell saving a goal under pressure (I think the parents were more nervous than Mitchell). Congratulations to Luke E who played a great game and received the Parents Award and Matthew who received the POM.

Well done Thunderbirds.

By Geraldine Pagano, Proud Team Manager and Mitchell's Mum

U10 Gladiators (2) vs. Guildford McCredie (2)

For the first game of the season the boys played well. They were a bit slow out of the blocks with McCreeedy scoring within the first 2 minutes but with great defence from Samuel, Cooper and Matthew R in the backs and our wonderful goalkeeper Nicholas, the boys were able to keep them to 2 goals for the whole game. The second half proved to be better with our forwards Liam, Dominic and Nathan working well with the mids Dillion, Kieren, Kristian and Daniel. With this combination Dillion was able to score twice to even the scores before fulltime. Christian and Matthew S also played really well keeping after the ball. It was very pleasing that the ref also talked to both teams at the end of the match to say that he was very impressed by the way they contacted themselves and played so well. Samuel also got a special mention from the ref about how well he played. All the boys should be very happy with themselves.

POM – Dillion Warren

By Jodi Gerardis

U11 Spartans (0) def. by St Bernadettes Lions (3)

A rough start for both teams, bunching up and fighting hard for the ball. A close call for one of the OLQP players nearly scoring in their own net!! Ten minutes into the game goalkeeper Mark saved a great kick, just before Kylah was injured but she got back up and kept fighting. Unfortunately St Bernadette's scored at the 14th minute with another in the 19th minute making the score 2-0.

The Spartans never gave up hope. They persereved and fought hard. Our goal keeper Mark in spite of some tough challenges and shots did very well in keeping the ball out of the net. Great field work done by all, with special note to Amelia, Bianca and Jordan.

Dylan was very good with the boot today using it well by kicking the ball up the field in times of danger OLQP faced. Just over half time St Bernadette's put the ball in the back of the net.

The final score was 3-0. A tough first game for the Spartans.

Player of the match - Joseph Khaicy

By Helen Semaan, Manager

U12Q (1) def. by St. Bernadettes (2)

A great start to the season, with much energy and enthusiasm. Pat brilliantly scored our only goal, which was nicely set up by a long kick from Luke. Dillon was tenacious in getting and holding possession of the

ball. Matthew, Cameron and Sean did some lovely kicks through to keep pressure on our opposition. Max played energetically all game, and Erce was never far from the ball, covering a lot of territory. Dylan showed us what a super sprinter he is on many occasions, and recovered bravely from a kick in the stomach during first half. Josh H., our first half goalie, saved two goals, and Josh C. did solid work as our second half goalie. Man of the Match was Liam, who played very enthusiastically, and made a number of good tackles. We missed one of our strong attacking players, Andrew, who is recovering from a neck injury. Looking forward to your return next game, Andrew.

By Maryanne Clancy

U12P (7) def. OLOR/St Angelas (0)

We had a bit of a shaky start, unsure if we could play with only 8 players. We were getting ready to forfeit much to the disappointment of the players who had made the effort to get to Kellyville. But then we were told we could play and our team just gave it their all. We played against a team of 11 with 2 reserves. Before the second half of the game Andrew had scored 2 goals and James had scored one. In the second half Andrew went on to score another two more goals and James scored another one and Ryan scored one - making it a total of 7 goals. The other team did come close to scoring a goal but our team was excellent. Our team could have probably scored another four easy goals but were unfortunate misses. The team worked well together although this is just the first match as a new team. MOM went to Liam. Our team is definitely off to a great start. Well done team and keep up the good work.!

By Cheryl, Manager

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