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Soccer Club



Thank you:

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.

Reminder for Teams:

Please remember that if you are the last team to play a game at one of the Daniel Street grounds it is your responsibility to pack away the goals and corner flags for the mini fields and the nets and flags for the main field.

Match Reports – 25th July 2009

U6W Lions (1) vs. Guildford McCredie Red (1)

The Lions always play well as a team and have a good sportsmanship attitude. Rachel and Nicholas were in goals this week and did some great saves. Our defence was strong with Christian, Joel, Luke and Ryan keeping the number of shots at goal low. Luca, Jordan, Nicholas and Rachel were on attack all day although Guildford McCredie's defence was good. It was a great game as the Lions constantly tackled and chased throughout the game. Jordan scored our only goal of the match. Nicholas earned Player of the Match for his goalie skills and tackling throughout the game.

Well Done Lions!

By Sue, Manager

U7L Falcons (0) def. by Newington Gunners (5)

No one could fault the effort of our undermanned side who showed great courage throughout the game. We were one player short throughout which meant that our opponents always had an extra defender to shut down our attacking options. Similarly, we were often one short when it was our turn to defend as they used their extra player to their advantage. With three fresh reserves at their disposal it made our job even harder. Jacob and Julia tried very hard in attack. Annie stopped many attacking raids playing her first full game in Defence. Bronte tried valiantly in attack in the first half and kept tirelessly in the second. However, our player of the match was Brad who prevented a number of goals in the first half as Keeper and attacked with great energy in the second. Your parents were all very proud of you. Thanks also to Liam who again stood in as acting coach because Dominic was working.

By Tony Taniane

U8P Gladiators(0) def. by OLOR/St Angelas Red (2)

Although the Gladiators did not win this week, they played extremely well and should be proud of the great effort they made and the way they worked together as a team. Damien and Liam were again really strong in attack and passed the ball well to their teammates. Ethan and Matthew were very reliable the whole game, stopping the ball when it came their way and clearing it well each time! Jordan, Alex and Jarred were our strong backs and did a great job staying in their positions. Flynnne and Sophie chased the ball and got well involved throughout the game. The score was 1 - 0 at half time as the opposition scored an early goal in the first half. We came out strong in attack in the second half with Blake, Lachlan and Nicola working hard for the team. The Gladiators never gave up and worked

really well together but were unlucky to have another goal scored against them close to the end of the game!

Adrian had a superb game and took home the trophy for Most Improved Player while Liam got Player of the Match for his extraordinary effort this week, playing all over the field!
Congratulations Gladiators on a great game!!

By Annette, Manager

U9Q Thunderbirds (1) def. Newington Gunners (0)

Newington Gunners gave us a run for our money as they defended their goal as we attempted to score several times in the first half. At half time the score was nil all and the Thunderbirds were exhausted. After a quick break and pep talk by the coaches, we hit the field. The Thunderbirds stayed in their positions and spread the ball and finally we got the break we needed and Matty scored. Spiros showed us some great footwork and Luca and Chris did some great kicking. Well done to the back line, Michael, Chris and Julian who did a great job in keeping the ball out of the oppositions half. Our forwards, Matty, Matthew and Spiros did not stop until the end supported by our midfielders, Jake Luke E and Pat. A big thank you also to our Goalie, Mitchell.

Congratulations boys on another well deserved win.

By Geraldine Pagano, Proud Manager

U10 Gladiators (2) def. OLOR/St Angela's Red (0)

What a game. We had our team there and thinking this week. Fantastic kicks and plays that showed the boys were thinking about where to place the ball and where they wanted it to go. The first half saw several attempts at goal which had the coach, manager and parents almost pulling their hair out because it wouldn't go in. However good hassling by Liam and Lucas kept the ball away from their end and excellent passing up the line from Samuel, Luca, Dillion and Dominic showed great skill with the ball. Cooper showed great ball control in the backs with several big kicks. He had a penalty shot but unfortunately missed. Kieren did well in goals today getting to touch the ball a couple of times. Nicholas was able to play out on the field and did very well out having a run. Kristian, Matthew, Nathan and Daniel all ran up and down the field really well keeping the ball in our half and focusing really well. If the boys can play like that for the remaining 4 games you never know what could happen. POM – Dominic Sisay

By Jodi Gerardis

U12Q Falcons (4) def. OLOR/St. Angela's white (0)

OLQP Falcons(12Q) played OLOR/St. Angela's(white) at Kellyville. The result was a 4-0 win to the Falcons! Pat scored 2 goals, Erce 1 and Luke 1. It was a fine display of ball control skills and teamwork. Max and Josh H. shared goalkeeping duty today, helping to keep the opposition scoreless. Dylan again showed off his lightning speed and was named Man of the Match.

By Maryanne Clancy

U12P Falcons (5) def. St Bernadette Eagles 12 (2)

Firstly, well done team - what a great display. The last 2 weeks we've played well, but today, it all came together...with only 10 players on the field (we always seem to play well when we're short!), we showed the competition what we can do. The passing, the defense, the goals, it was all fantastic!

Team reports to be emailed no later than **Tuesday** night to: pmelisi@bigpond.net.au Please keep reports brief but do consider all players when writing the report.

First half goals to Andrew Nunez & James who picked up 2! It was also great to see Jesse pick up a goal, just a shame that it was an own goal! You had the right intention Jesse....

3-2 up at half time, the second half was tight for the first 10 minutes until James managed to score another goal & Justin put one into the back of the net, lobbing it over the keepers head - taking us to 5-2 & breaking the Eagles heart.

Well done to Khang, Vishal & Jesse who did a great job in defence, Liam, James & Andrew N played havoc with the Eagles defence whenever they got the ball, Justin, Ashleigh & Shane in the midfield who really provided support all over the field & Ryan who played goalie (& loved it!).

Player of the Match was Ashleigh who was told to mark one of the Eagles better players & she shadowed him all game - not giving him an inch!

By Craig, Manager