



Park Orchards North Ringwood Parish Junior Football Club

THE SHARK ATTACK

Edition 1, 2017

Sunday 30 April, 2017



Under 14 Girls.



Under 8 Red



Solomon Brown - Under 12 Black - 50 games.

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President's Report

Hi All Sharks

The season is up and running, hopefully smoother for most of our coaches & teams than we on committee could have imagined.

The planning to get the season underway has been occurring for the last five months. Thank you to all the folks involved in volunteering to get our Club to this point.

Once again, thank you to all for your help & roles undertaken throughout our great club. In particular our Director of Football - Mark Leonard, Secretary - Andrew Mortlock and Team Managers Coordinator - Paul Hayes amongst other committee members.

Let's now all enjoy season 2017.

It was with great pleasure to see so many familiar faces during the day on Sunday. The committee were out in force assisting teams in preparation and the ladies in the Canteen had the food hot and ready to go. It was great to see experienced Volunteers giving a helping hand to our new members, especially novice Coaches and Team Managers.

Thank you and well done one and all – a true family involvement!

I was thrilled to see our Youth Girls in action and congratulate all three teams on their endeavour. For all our Players and Parents, great to get the first match under our belts.

GRADING PROCESS

There was a real mixed bag of results from Round 1.

Each year the YJFL embark on a Grading process over the first four rounds. They consider last year's results, info provided by your club prior to the season & post the grading rounds and an assessment of results during the first four games.

In the past from time to time this has created some difficulty for committee, so as a result we please ask you familiarise yourself with YJFL Bylaws - Schedule A - via the Website.

ANZAC Round 1

I think the Sharks were early in recognising the ANZAC Legend within the YJFL, with all clubs now recognising the people that fought to provide us with what we have today.

It was great to see our teams stand in lines of solidarity, whilst listening to the reading of the Ode, & participating in a minute silence.

My family will be at the Dawn service on Tuesday at Ringwood to show our respect along with our Colts. I encourage you to join us on site at the Clock Tower Tuesday morning.

Burger Night Wrap Up

WOW, what a great response to our season launch Burger night. There were hundreds of our Sharks family in attendance. Well done to all from Auskick to U8's at their first burger night through to the Colts & all the Mums & Dads.

Sorry, due to the food lines not diminishing until all food has sold out, we got under way a bit later than normal. The Kids loved the Giant Blow up Castle & of course the Raffle. Thanks to all our helpers on the night who allowed the evening to run smoothly. U11s – you were brilliant with support and efforts on the BBQs, thank you!

Club Captains

Congratulations to all the Colts who applied for this Distinguished position. Due to the quality of applications received, interviews conducted, club policy & age, we were left with a daunting decision to make. It was a very close call on all applicants.

Well done to Jordan Knox as Club Captain & Will Macrokanis as Vice Captain and Grace Drijfhout as Deputy Vice Captain.

Every application received showed great maturity & leadership. Watch out for our Colts this year, they are a great bunch of young men.

SharKwiz - Trivia Night!

SharKwiz 2017 is fast approaching, Saturday 3rd of June at Domeney Reserve. This is our primary fund raising event for the year, please see your Team Managers & Website for details. Come on be a part of it!

The SharKwiz is an informal night & a great opportunity to get to know the families in your Teams. Also whilst having a bit of fun.

Don't sit with me though as I have the odds sealed on last place!! Again!!

The organising committee are seeking sponsorships & Auction items for the SharKwiz. A flyer explaining the sponsorship opportunities available & request for any prizes/auction items that can be donated will be out to you all soon. Your voluntary contributions will be greatly appreciated.

For more information please contact Mike Newton our Events Coordinator on 0421 049 904 or events@sharksjfc.org.au

Sponsorship – Name Sponsors

Whilst our club is built on volunteers we need every ones input in securing various sponsorship deals. Their contributions allow us to keep fees at a reduced level whilst assisting in our operating costs. Please contact our sponsorship coordinator, Julie Brown, if you can help in any way. sponsorship@sharksjfc.org.au

Conduct

The Sharks are looked upon with envy by other clubs over how our Parents conduct themselves at matches; let's please keep it that way. I know we are all very passionate towards barracking for our children, please make sure it's in a positive manner. Umpires are there to help the game flow. Remember they are only human and at times can make mistakes, please show positive support & watch swearing.

Summary

If at any stage during the season you wish to raise any issues then contact me directly, please feel free to do so either personally or on the phone

Wishing all the Teams the best for next week and the season ahead.

GO SHARKS

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President of the Sharks

Park Orchards North Ringwood Parish JFC

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UNDER 8 RED
COACH: Damien Noonan

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Park Orchards Red v Park Orchards Black

The start to our season was an interesting one.

Unfortunately, Templestowe had only 4 players and had to forfeit. Luckily the U8 Black team had a bye, so thanks to Sam Kupinic their team manager who jumped on the phone to wrangle half a dozen boys in order to give all a game between themselves.

With an early start down at Domeney the boys were full of excitement and eager to have a kick and get in amongst it.

Firstly though, the boys made a guard of honour to show their respects to the ANZACS, they all did a fantastic job standing in silence with their arms around each other during the minutes silence. Once the formalities had been completed their attention turned to the game and they all took to the field ready to show the world what they could do.

Elliot Davis was captain for the day and started the season winning the toss, deciding to kick towards the grandstand. **Elliot** is a quiet young boy but he makes up for it with the way and gets in and uses his pace, showing great dash and evasiveness.

The **Noonan Boys** returning for their second season started where they left off with **Xavier** driving the ball from the midfield hitting his brother on the chest who kicked an early goal. **Darcy** looked set for a big day but received a corky in the second quarter and spent some time on the bench during the third. He managed to stand in the goals for the last quarter where his brother "joe the goosed" a couple simple goals (think you might owe him a couple left over Easter Eggs **Darc!**)

Also returning to the U8 reds was one half of the **Hales duo Angus**. Unfortunately **Ben** was out on the injured list but will be returning shortly according to his father who can't wait as I think he might need to run around and burn some energy. As usual **Angus** took the game on playing on whenever he got the opportunity, especially in the forward line when the big sticks were in sight, welcome back boys!

One of the twin peaks **Ben Nicholls** started the game strongly in the back line sweeping across the defensive line marking everything that came his way. He looked to switch the play across the ground, not to kick blindly but to look for a team mate. Great team work **Ben**, a strong start.

Even though he is a mad Melbourne man, **Will Inglese** has a bit of the Hawks star John Platten about him (boys get Dad to YouTube), the hair flowing in the wind while he dashes down the wing looking to hit a team mate on the chest, great endeavour **Will**.

Patrick Duffy started the day in the back line and showed his competitive spirit, boring in and under, chasing and harassing, getting the rewards with all that hard work. **Patty** has a calm head on those shoulders and used the ball well to the advantage of his teammates.

The ever smiling and polite **Henry James** found his feet in the second quarter and once in the game, he showed what an asset he will be with a booming kick that clears packs giving our runners a chance to pounce onto the ball and get clear. Keep it up **Henry**.

The other twin in the peak **Oliver Lanza** started the day in defence and in true ANZAC spirit, repelled many offensive attacks, clearing the ball with precision and accurate kicking, putting his

UNDER 8 RED Squad Members

Jumper	Surname	Name	Jumper	Surname	Name

team mates in a position to run onto the ball.

A big pat on the back to **Thomas Robertson** who due to circumstances did a couple of stints in the back line and battled manfully taking some timely marks. **Thomas** started the day up forward and showed he knows where the goals are and created space and a strong option for his mates to kick to.

Even though all the boys rotated through to the U8 Black team, a special mention to **Will Fortington, Julian Nichols** and **Kai Watcher** who went over to help even up the teams in the first quarter. Well done boys, great clubmen.

Julian Nicholls has a real desire to compete and showed that he loves getting in amongst it. He was able to get onto his left foot and deliver the footy to a free team mate, nice work **Julian**.

Kai Watcher competed well and attacked the ball with ferocity and strength and he reminded me of a young John Worsfold. An innocent grin but loves the physical stuff, clearing packs. Another promising start.

Last but not least **James Fortington**, another of our quieter boys but just like the others loves footy and performed well in his first game showing his pace and ability to evade the opposition and get clear. No doubt a lot happier the Hawks are also on the board.

Well done everyone on being able to get together quickly and organise a game for all the boys on both sides and enjoy a game of footy on such a wonderful and significant weekend.

A big thanks to Neil Nicholls who has taken on the role as TM,

Mark Inglese who is our assistant coach Dan Radle trainer and all the others who have agreed to take on a role.

Captain: **Elliot Davis**

Maccas Award **Elliot Davis**

Injured List **Ben Hales (1 Week), Liam Walsh (1 Week)**

Rested: **Ryan Radle**

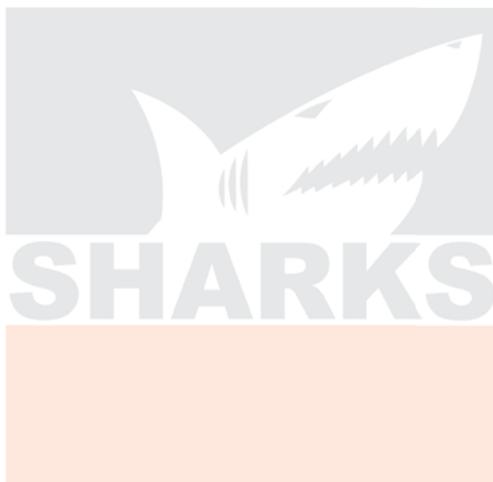
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UNDER 8 BLACK
COACH: Brad Baker

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Park Orchards Black v Park Orchards Red



UNDER 8 BLACK Squad Members

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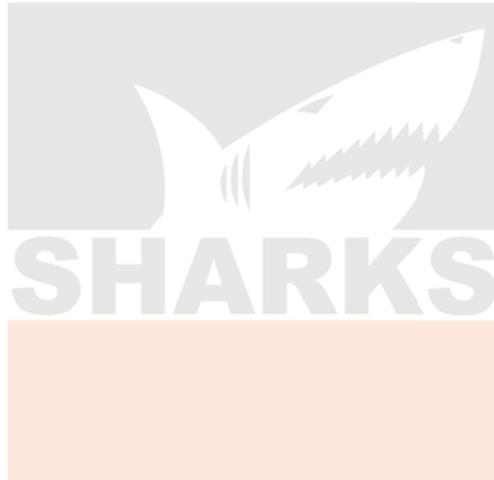


UNDER 8 WHITE
COACH: ????

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Round 14: BYE for Sharks Red



UNDER 8 WHITE Squad Members

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UNDER 9 RED
COACH: Arthur Antonellos

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Park Orchards v

Finally the big day came, with the 2 teams settled and Lisa Prest having done a mountain of work to get us ready. It was time for round one.

What a way to start the season with the first round being Anzac Day. You could tell that there was a level of anticipation from when all the boys arrived at the ground.

With a quick warm up on the ground we headed inside to run through our game day preparation.

To start with we announced the new game day team rules:

Have fun - Mars bar award

Work hard - Gatorade award

Talk it up - McDonald's award

The team leaders were announced:

Josh Bettiol

Zane Stephens

And as for captain there is only one **Daniel Nielsen**.

Daniel is a keen Jarryd Roughhead fan and said he likes allot about him and that he will try and play like him. Which on reflection he did!!

With a read out of the team rules and a joke from Ralph - why did Tiger look in the toilet? Because he was looking for Pooh. The team was ready.

The game was an absolute ripper with both teams going at it hard and goal for goal all day.

Highlights included:

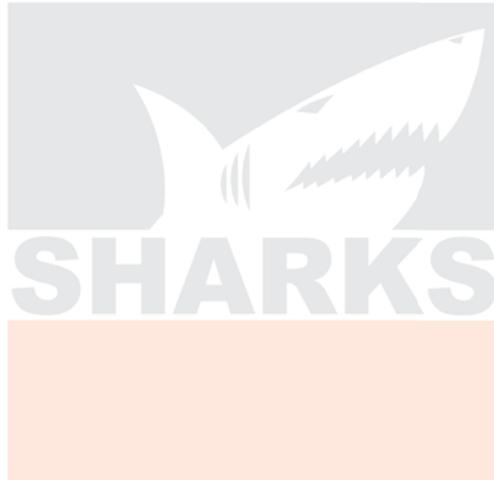
- . **Nate's** marking
- . **Logan's** dashing runs and 9 pointer goal from the midfield which was disallowed
- . **Zac** breaking out of packs and finding options
- . **Dan's** pin point passing
- . **Tom Elliott** trying hard and consistent efforts
- . **Tom Bryant** getting into space and passing to other team mates
- . **Riley** running fast and excellent pass
- . It was great to have **Will T** back and running around
- . Usain '**Zain**' bolt kept running fast and 2 of his passes ended up starting coast to coast goals
- . **Oscar** was in there and was rewarded with some tough possessions which he got to boot



UNDER 9 BLACK
COACH: Daniel Bullen

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Round 14: BYE for Sharks Red



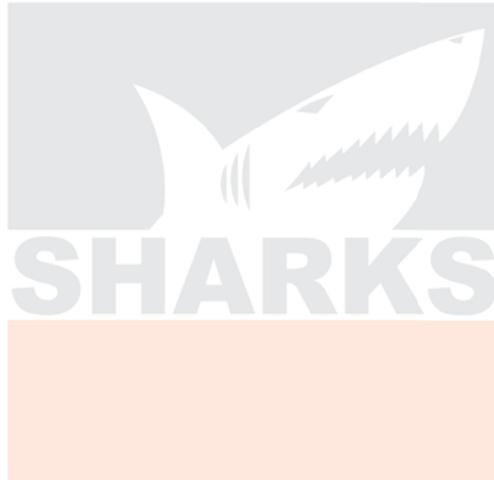
UNDER 9 BLACK Squad Members

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UNDER 10 RED
COACH: Rob Sette

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UNDER 10 RED Squad Members

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UNDER 10 BLACK
COACH: Michael James

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Park Orchards vs Richmond Y

Today the boys stepped into the unknown and found out just how big a football ground can be...

Our 1st half was very competitive as the boys chased hard, run well and tackled with a lot of ferocity. **Hamish** was kicking in well from full back. we had **Charlie, Lucas, Broc, Fletcher** and **Harry** all ran, tackled and put pressure on the opposition. **Austin** was outstanding on the wing as he helped moved the ball from defence into our forward line.

Elliot's effort and leadership in the middle didn't waver all day (not to mention reading out the ode before the minute silence). **Corey** slipped into the side effortlessly and kicked a great goal and **Tom Mac** was starting to feel more comfortable as the game went on.

In the second half things didn't quite go to plan. The hot day and large ground really started to wear the boys down and our pressure at the ball slipped away as Richmond were able to run in numbers. They were able to run and move the ball down the ground as we are learning to do.

Today I was proud of the boys as they make the transition from tacker into junior football and beyond. We showed glimpses of what we are capable of and can learn a lot from the way the opposition played.

Today we introduced 7 new players to the club so welcome **Jordan, Broc, James, Oliver** and the 3 Mac boys **Tom, Will** and **Jack** to the Sharks.

I'm looking forward to working closely with this awesome group and developing their game awareness and skills.

Watch this space...

Go 'under 10 Black' Sharks

UNDER 10 BLACK Squad Members

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THE GRAND
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UNDER 11 RED
COACH: Bevan Smillie

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Park Orchards 13.13.90 defeated
Ashburton G 0.5.5

First game of the 2017 year and were at the famous Dorney Reserve and placed up another Division into Brown.

The Under 11 Reds welcomed 2 new players this year in:

Nathan Draeger & Will Armstrong (Absent due to illness)

Our Team for the season includes:

Nathan Draeger Will Tait Will Armstrong Harry Smit
Max Dominko Josh Smillie Lachlan Quinn Cameron Turner
Andrew Holt - Oakes Joel Stephens Tom Worthington Jake Galstians
Josh Galstians Daniel Albers Lachlan Di Conza Jacob Tymms
Oliver Nitz Jack Fortington Gabe Stumpf

The boys started brilliantly today led by skipper **Max Dominko**. **Lachlan Quinn, Oli Nitz, Josh Smillie** and **Josh Galstians** absolutely dominated through the midfield to give our forwards plenty of opportunity. **Cam Turner** played 4 brilliant quarters with his run and carry and kicked 3 goals.

Jake Galstians continued on from last year with his tenacity as did **Will Tait** and **Jacob Tymms**. **Joel Stephens** and **Daniel Albers** played across half back & half forward and provided plenty of run. **Joel** on several occasions fighting hard with 1st, 2nd & 3rd efforts to win the contest on several occasions. **Tom Worthington** put together 4 really good quarters of football again with 1st and 2nd efforts, one resulting in a goal to a team mate.

Nathan Draeger, Harry Smit and **Lachlan Di Conza** played fantastic games particularly when up forward - all providing a target and competing at each contest - great stuff boys. **Andrew Holt-Oakes** and **Max Dominko** both showed that when they use their size and strength they can rip sides apart. **Max's** effort to make a marking contest punch the ball clear resulted in a great team goal.

Jumping **Jack Fortington** toiled hard and proved to himself that if you go hard at the ball you will win it and when you do..... Boom you kick a great goal.....

Gabe's clearances out of the middle were awesome in the last quarter and with the forwardline creating space **Max** was able to convert 2 majors.

The boys played a variety of positions and will do so throughout every game; and it was good to see everyone acquit themselves across the field. The voices, support and running to help a team mate was great to watch.

What was most pleasing was that each of the boys took pride in winning their position and you can tell that they are really going to enjoy playing TOGETHER.

Great start to the year boys but lets get to Colman Reserve on Thursday Night and train well. (Theres no secret in the fact that we played well because we trained well).

Congratulations to everyone - A great Team Effort. Thanks to Rachel for all of her organising work and to all of the Parent Helpers. Lets enjoy the year together.

Captain: Max Dominko

Park Orchards 8.6.54 def Richmond Y 3.4.22

What a great way to start the season. The sun was out, there was hardly a breath of air and we started the season with a win! It doesn't get much better than that. After having a difficult season last year, a first-round win will give the boys a much needed boost in confidence to start the year fresh.

This week we tried something a bit different in naming the positions at training on Thursday night. This allowed us to spend more time with the boys helping them understand their role and positioning on the field. This was really evident during the game with the boys implementing the forward-line zone when we had the ball, which resulted in a number of kick-out turnovers by Richmond that we then capitalized on. Our structure across the ground was excellent with all of the boys sticking to their positions. We will continue to name the team on a Thursday night and coach the boys for the role that they will play.

At the start of the game we emphasized the need to stick to our positions and to support our team with hard running, tackling and talking. We spoke about the qualities that the ANZAC's exemplified including endurance, courage and mateship. **Dante**, our captain for the day reinforced these messages before the boys took to the field.

The first quarter was pretty tight with the Sharks coming out just in front. The backline was superb rebounding the ball on multiple occasions. **Aiden** in his first game with the club had an absolute ripper. It took the ball on and his kicking out of defense was long and accurate. **Daniel Blaser** played a great role at full back, at one stage he was defending the biggest boy on the field and at no stage did he look intimidated. **Flynn** was as tough as we have come to expect, he didn't get a huge amount of kicks but he put plenty of pressure on the ball and was always there proving support to his team mates.

In the last 3 quarters the Sharks started to dominate the game. It was great to see the team work all across the ground and the improvement in skills. There were some great passages of play where we moved the ball cleanly and efficiently across the ground. **Sam P** lead by example, he was silky smooth and picked up a huge amount of possessions. **Brad King** was the Junk Yard Dog playing rover, he was at the bottom of packs and laying tackles left, right and centre. **Will Kenny** was sensational. He looked dangerous anytime he got near the ball and took a heap of marks across the ground and ended up with a couple of goals. **Sam V** was sensational in the ruck, he dominated the hit outs in the 2nd quarter which really setup our middle field to get the ball into the forward line. **Kye** and **Bailey** played the wings perfectly. They kept to position, gave run up the wings and were always there a kick behind the pack. **Kye's** pace of the mark is unbelievable!

Finn and **Ben** both started in the backline for the first two quarters and defended brilliantly. They then rotated into the forward line. We all know how much **Finn** likes a goal so it wasn't too surprising to see him bag one not long after. After playing quite a bit in the backline last year, **Adamo** has been brilliant in the forward line. You know anytime he gets near the ball he will win it. This resulted in him getting two great goals. I have to say he was probably lucky he didn't get pulled up for running too far on one of them but we will take it.

Lachlan lined up at full forward and was unlucky on a few occasions not to get a goal. We were all hoping to see him break out in dance....maybe next week. **Max** and **Joshua** both presented really well across the ground competing hard for the ball. They created a number of opportunities for their team mates throughout the day. **Oliver P** presented well at Centre Half Forward and kicked a great snap deep in the forward pocket which had to be goal of the day. Our captain **Dante** started in the forward line and then moved in to the middle of the ground where he really came to life. His last two quarters where exceptional showing that he has great skills and runs hard.

All-in-all it was a great start to the year. The boys have really improved and I am really looking forward what we can do for the rest of the season. NOTE: training will now be at Thursday 5:30pm at Colman Park



UNDER 12 RED
COACH: Tom Evans

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Park Orchards 9-5-59 defeated
Templestowe 1-1-7

What a great start to the new season for the boys. Coming off a premiership and rising up a couple of divisions the coaches were not sure of what to expect. We'd lost a couple of players and gained one, and had trained quite well although not for long. We shouldn't have worried though as they came out of the blocks as if the GF was just the previous quarter. By quarter time it was 3 goals to nothing but we had the kicking end. In the second our resilience showed as we still kept them scoreless and scored two ourselves. More significantly we lost one of our tough nut midfielders in **Nick Chisholm** who came off with what turned out to be a broken arm. We're devastated for you **Nick** and we hope you make a speedy recovery. Another player had to come off and so for 8 minutes we played with 16 players and still kept them out.

By the third quarter Templestowe were getting frustrated and our boys needed all their discipline and remain focused on the ball. We peppered the forward 50 and came away a little unrewarded as we struggled to find a player in space in front of goal. The last quarter proved to be more of a slog as the boys' tired, but they never slackened off. In fact their tackling came to the fore. The Reds are going to have a key stat of the week, and this week was tackling. In the first quarter we asked for 10 tackles and they gave us 11, in the second 12 and we got 13, the third quarter there were 11, and the final quarter they tackled 16! times. Well done to **Zac, Cooper** and **Ben** for the most with 6 each. I owe you a crunchie bar **Cooper!** The boys sang the song with gusto and showered Jamo the debutant.

In no particular order, some individual performances stood out: **Sam Harrison** for providing great linking into the forward 50, a ripper pack mark and two goals; **David Broadbent** for also great forward 50 entries, a goal, and run all day; **Jamison** for a great first game, showing great skill running through the wing and a goal; **Josh, Cooper** and **Tobias** combining really well as ruck and ruck rover; **Tom Murphy** for some desperate defending in the third and a couple of great goal assists in the last; **Zac** for his tackling, midfield presence, and run all day, best game we've see you play; **Joel** with great discipline playing in the backline and great run forward to kick 2 goals. **Benedict's** tackling pressure all day; **Boston's** 2 goals after good goal square pressure/markings; **Oscar** combining well with Boston, marking well, and kicking truly for a goal; **Sebbi's** run all day up and down the wing, **Brad's** flexibility to be able to push him into the centre and compete hard and then go in the backline to defend.

Thanks to **Archie Leonard** for filling in, you were fantastic.

Go Sharks!

Captain: **Jamison Morgan**

Goals: **David Broadbent, Joel Foxwell (2), Sam Harrison (2), Boston Harvie, Jamison Morgan, Oscar Pollock (2)**

Crunchie: **Benedict Evans, and Zac Smith**



UNDER 12 BLACK
COACH: Cameron Brown

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Park Orchards 08.08.56 defeated
Ashburton 02.02.14

Our 2017 season started with a match against Ashburton at Ferndale Park in Glen Iris. It was a cracking morning for football with only a slight dew on the ground, making the ball a bit slippery. We had three new players arrive, **Acelin Adama**, **Archie Spring** and **Harrison Baker**, along with **Mitch Clark** and **Harry Prunty** who had both returned for some 'Aussie Rules' action.

Adding to the excitement, **Solomon Brown** was celebrating his 50th game for the mighty Sharks. Well done **Solomon!**

Ashburton are a strong side and have always been good competition for us. Today was to be no different.

Blake made sure that the first touch of the season went our way with a ruck tap to **Will** that saw a long kick into our forward line and a strong mark to **Tom Rees**. **Harrison Bryce** was in the action early, contesting hard at ground level along with **Acelin** in his first game. A mark to **Matt Watt**, saw him kicking for a chance at our first goal, but unfortunately it wasn't to be. **Sam Averay** almost snagged a goal from the pocket, and there were several other missed opportunities, before **Matt Parrott** finally got our first goal on the board. We did have most of the play in our half for the quarter, however the tackling pressure from the Ashburton backline was fierce and they did well to hold us to only one goal for the quarter.

The second quarter was a tough battle and this time, Ashburton had the ball in their forward line for much of the quarter. It was now our turn to show the strength of our defence. Our pressure was outstanding, with **Rhys Jones**, **Jacob Leamont**, **Harrison Baker** and **Archie Spring** all doing a great job for the team. **James D'Alberto** was showing his footy smarts, dropping back into the goal square to prevent any easy goals.

Our hard work in defence paid off, with us eventually going forward and giving **Matt Parrott** another goal from a great team effort. **Ben Parker** was courageous in the packs and came off with a head knock that would see him out for the rest of the game. Some impressive marking across our half forward line from **Will Sonderhof** and **Mitch Clark** meant that our forwards had plenty of action late in the quarter. Unfortunately we just couldn't convert another goal.

The third quarter started with a goal to Ashburton and for a moment we wondered if the momentum was changing. But there was no need for concern as our boys responded by turning up the 'effort dial' and playing some awesome footy. **Blake's** work in the ruck was pure genius and he was consistently tapping the ball to our rovers. One tap straight to **Tom Rees** who then snapped a goal. **Harry Prunty** had been solid all game and was showing his value to the side with his accurate kicking and work rate. **Acelin** took some great overhead marks and has earned the nickname '**Ace**' after his first game. **Harrison Baker** and **Ben Sette** were also showing plenty of endeavour in and around the stoppages.

Goals to **Solomon Brown**, **Matt Watt** and two more to **Matt Parrott**, meant that we went in at the last change with a 40 point lead.

The 4th quarter could have been a goal frenzy, but Ashburton are a tough side and they had other ideas. They pushed forward but **Daniel Kosi** was good in defence and laid some strong tackles on his much bigger opponent. Good work **Danie!**

Daniel Smith had played a fearless first game for the season and came off for a rest after being winded by a heavy opposition knock.

Another goal to **Matt Parrott** and some points helped with the scoreboard and the effort from the whole team continued until the final siren.

In all, a really great team effort from all of our boys. There is plenty of excitement amongst us with the whole season ahead and our new team members now on board.

Captain: Solomon Brown

UNDER 12 BLACK Squad Members

Jumper	Surname	Name	Jumper	Surname	Name

UNDER 12 BLACK (Blue Division) League Ladder after Round 1

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	B	For	Ag.	%	Pts	% WON
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2	Park Orchards B	1	1	0	0	0	57	14	407.14	4	100.00
3	Hawthorn Citizens B	1	1	0	0	0	68	17	400.00	4	100.00
4	Camberwell 3	1	1	0	0	0	73	25	292.00	4	100.00
5	Surrey Park	1	1	0	0	0	35	12	291.67	4	100.00
6	Parkside	1	1	0	0	0	50	23	217.39	4	100.00
7	Brunswick	1	0	1	0	0	23	50	46.00	0	0.00
8	Preston Bullants	1	0	1	0	0	12	35	34.29	0	0.00
9	Banyule O	1	0	1	0	0	25	73	34.25	0	0.00
10	Ivanhoe B	1	0	1	0	0	17	68	25.00	0	0.00
11	Ashburton G	1	0	1	0	0	14	57	24.56	0	0.00
12	Kew Comets 2	1	0	1	0	0	0	134	0.00	0	0.00

Club Milestone Solomon Brown – 50 Games

Goal Kickers: Matt Parrott (4), Solomon Brown (1), Tom Rees (1) Matt Watt (2)

Best players: Tom Rees, Matt Parrott, Will Sonderhof, Matt Watt, Harry Prunty, Solomon Brown, Blake Keane.

New Team ..New Season.

With six changers to the U13's Red team, 3 being made as late as Good Friday the boys ventured to Ratmines Rd Reserve to face Hawthorn Citizens.

The boys were pumped and raring to go and the coaching staff asked the players to set the scene/ make a statement in the first quarter...

The boys tried hard but a more polished and drilled Hawthorn outfit took advantage of our turnovers to score the opening three goals of the term.

The Sharks eventually got their first goal from **Noah Taylor**. This came about from the continual pressure **Josh Moerenhout** put on the opposition to eventually win the ball himself and pump it forward for Noah to Mark and convert.

The Second, Third and Fourth Quarters were much the same with the Sharks being made to pay for their mistakes.

It's early days, and with this group only having one training session together before our first game, the coaching staff are pretty confident the boys will turn it around and start playing some good footy.

Captain: Cristian Ciampa.

Goal Kickers: Noah Taylor, Ben Duffy.

Best players: Ryan Dickenson, Cristian Ciampa, Josh Moerenhout, Alex Macrokanis, James Leach.

Round two see's the Sharks playing Ashburton at Stintons Reserve.

GO SHARKS!



UNDER 13 BLACK
COACH: Glenn Mason

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Park Orchards 15.16.106 def
Camberwell 0.0.00

Captains: Jack Drijfhout

Goal Kickers: Josh, Edward, Shannon, Ben, Rhonan, Angelo, Nathan, Zac. B.

Best players: Zac Bomford, Josh O'Connor, Ben Jefferey, Finn Currie, Ronan Appleby and entire backline!!

After a long pre-season since February, we now came to play at home on the Anzac Day weekend. The boys have been working hard at training working on our handball, sharing the ball and kicking into space.

We started well displaying the areas we have focused on with great work out of the middle from **Nathan, Finn, Shannon** and **Isaac. Ben** started on a wing and moved into defence giving the team great drive through the midfield.

In a new position for **Angelo**, playing in the ruck and up forward, he showing a willingness to work hard around the ground and letting the opposition know he was out there.

Our back six in **James, Flynn, Liam, Dylan, Zac B** and **Ghostie** worked terrific as a team creating the wall and locking the ball inside our forward line.

Up forward, **Ronan** new to our side gave us a real focal point up forward with his great body work and strong play creating opportunities for him and others. **Ed** moved into deep forward also contesting well giving opportunities to his team mates.

After half time, **Josh** moved into the ruck and dominated the ruck hit outs to advantage while pushing forward to kick a couple of goals. **Tadiwa** had a few opportunities to kick his first major but more importantly, he contested hard holding the ball in our forward line.

Orlando, Zac Cahill and **Jack** playing mainly on a wing or half forward played their roles in what was a good team performance.

We did however, after half time not share the ball as much as we all wanted to kick a goal which we can improve on. Good first start and I am sure we will be tested next week.



UNDER 14 RED
COACH: Greg Skien

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**Park Orchards 13.7.85 defeated
Camberwell 3.2.20**

After a strong preseason by all the boys, we finally came to our first game against Camberwell at Lincoln Park.

Our captains **Lockie** and **Ads** won the toss and kicked with a ever so slight wind advantage. A tightly contested first quarter saw both teams throwing themselves hard at the ball, with the ball travelling end to end, at quarter time the scores were Camberwell 1.6.-12 to the Sharks 0.1-1.

The second quarter saw Camberwell kick away kicking 5 goals to the Sharks 1 goal 2 behinds. After a more evenly matched third quarter it saw the sharks claw back a bit of the lead until another couple of goals to camberwell, after a inspirational goal by **Jet**, the teams were now both moving the ball from one end of the ground to the other with both teams kicking goals, the siren sounding early with the ball deep in our forward line, at three quarter time the scores were 9.11-65 to the Sharks 2.4-16.

The Sharks played the best quarter of the match in the last quarter, moving the ball freely from end to end peppering the goals for the full quarter, playing a great brand of footy, but just couldn't claw back the big lead. Finishing strongly but galant in defeat the Sharks went down to Camberwell 11.15-81 to the Sharks 4.6-30.

Congratulations to **Lockie Kelly** on 50 games. Goalkickers were **Foxy** with 2, **Jet** and **Rossi** with one a piece. A big thanks to all the parents on the day that helped. Our next game is at home at the Shark Tank against Ivanhoe.

Go Sharks



UNDER 15 RED
COACH: Andrew Spiteri

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Park Orchards 16.17.113 defeated
Warrandyte 5.7.37

So after a long pre-season for the boys (money in the bank) the first round was finally here. As I drove to the ground I thought, 'what would the season hold'? After grading in gold last season and getting smashed every week we came back to Brown Division and plugged away each week only to just miss out on the finals.

The team trained well throughout the pre-season with several team themes being adhered to, but would they be transferred into the heat of battle on this ANZAC day round.

With the inclusion of four new players **Billy, Austin, Marcus** and **Zac**...it was going to be interesting to see how the new structures would gel. Along with a new perspective from the newly appointed assistant coach in Deano, the Commander in Chief (Spita) was back for another season (although a bit under the weather on game day) and full of optimism.

Declan Hickey was named captain for the first game, in what turned out to be an inspirational move. **Hickey** returned to his days of old, gathering multiple possessions with ease and leading by example throughout the game.

It was great weather for footy, a slight breeze across the ground not favouring anyone in particular, apart from the resident burning off close by.

The siren sounded and we were off to a solid start. The messages of the pre-season seemed to have stuck in the players minds, getting into the contest and assisting their team mates continually. 'Feed it back' was a strong message and the players were there in support.

1st Qtr Score: 5.4-34 to 1.0-6 was the result of the hard work by everyone.

In the 2nd qtr the boys continued to apply the pressure both around the ground and on the scoreboard kicking 5.4 again to take a strong lead into half time.

Halftime scores: 10.8-68 to 3.1-19

I wasn't sure if my decision to not supply snakes and oranges at half time was going to have a detrimental effect, as the boys had been receiving these since their Tackers days. A change that appeared to have no impact on them.

In the second half of the match the boys continued to apply the pressure, although with the heat and lead increasing they appeared to ease off slightly.

In the end, a solid start with still plenty to work on, but looking forward to a great year ahead.

Final score: 16.17-113 to 5.7-37

Captain: Declan Hickey

Best players: Hickey, Jimmy



UNDER 15 BLACK
COACH: Andrew Currie

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Parkside 17-16-118 Defeated P.O 2-3-15

After a big preseason the boys were all revered up and ready to go .

Welcome and congratulations to **Chris Speers , Jack Bateman , Ethan Smart** and **Rhys Igoe** on their 1st games for POFC and great to see **Fraser** back on the ground.

Kaine was captain for today's game and was a real stand out with his 2nd & 3rd efforts around the ball.

Parkside had 3 giants in the middle and our boys competed all day and took no backward steps.

The first quarter had **Josh** at CHB leading by example with **Nick** and **Swanny** at CHF giving us real drive thru the forward half .

Swanny had 2 shots on goal that were touched on the line , a lead and mark from **Tim** had us attacking well .

Ben Harrison playing up from 14s scored a goal in his 1st ever Sharks game ,

In the 2nd the team work picked up . Kick from **Paul** to **Flynn** over to **Mason** who marked driving the ball forward linking up handballs to the outer flank finishing with a strong mark from **Luca** at CHF .

Great tackling from **Fraser H** had the ball turning over a quick kick to **Swanny** for a goal . Good competitive footy from the boys.

Kane and **Mason** continued their workload picking up plenty of touches in heavy traffic.

In the 3rd & 4th quarters great work from **Stoney** across the centre gave us real drive **Flynn** in defence ducking and waving like a fighter kept the opposition busy . **Kane** again with 3 tackles in a row kept the pressure up .

Well done to **Ben** who rucked the game out against much larger boys with support from **Smarty** in the middle.

We are all proud of how our boys played today and very well polished opposition in hot conditions with no bench for a rest really tested our fitness.

They ran all day ,our endeavour and tackling were stand outs of our performance
Well done we never stopped trying .
Looking forward to next week's game

Captain Kane Wallace

Goals Swan , Harrison

Best players Kane, Mason, Flynn ,Ethan Stone , Swan

Go Sharks

Firstly Congratulations to our captains for the year.

Jordan Knox Club Captain and **Will Macrokanis** Vice Club Captain

Lex Hartnett Captain **James Blanck** Vice Captain and **Harry Gayfer** Deputy Vice Captain, All great leaders on and off the field

What a great way to start the season against Preston Bullants. At home at Domeney on a great day for footy. Our intensity was there from the first bounce, **Jacob's** opponent in the ruck was very tall but that didn't stop him from competing all day, Helped out by **Harry, Will Thomas, Knoxy** and **Lex** the mid field did a great job in getting the ball forward for the sharks, the game was very even and low scoring , with the ball going from end to end many times, our back line held up fantastic, led by **Josh McAuliffe** with some courageous efforts backing into packs and some timely marks, **Trotto's** hard defending, helped out by **Blancky** marking strongly and **Knoxy** drifting back, our team work with aggression at the footy to win a 50/50 ball was spot on, this caused many stoppages and gave us time to reset, exactly what we wanted, Our 4 new debutants did an awesome job fitting into the side, **Jarryd Cameron** (Right Foot Suckling) **Matt Purcell, Josh Randal** and **Isaac Taylor** were tremendous, not supprisingly all 4 were very nervous before the game but contributed great on the day and will only grow with confidence, we swapped and changed many players in position many times, handled well by all, with it being our first game and settling in it was fantastic to see they players adapt and contribute around the ground. Our hard work around the ground saw **Greaney** Kick 3 **Cameron** 1 **Knoxy** 1 and **Schafer** 1, its clear that with 19 scoring shots to 8 we controlled the game well, some straighter kicking will only better the side in games to come, we were impressed with the efforts of everyone in the team, clearly our pressure on Preston all day was, causing them to miss many marks, miss kicks and hand passer's followed with smothers and tackles, all these combined into a fantastic well deserved win, the celebration song after the game showed what a tight knit group Colts Red are, this will go a long way moving forward into the season with a clear belief in each other on the ground.

Go Sharks!!

Special Thanks To Nerada and Dave Phelan, it was very busy leading up to the season, but all was ready to go. Also to all our game day helpers and parents.

Captain: Lex Hartnett

Goal Kickers: M Greaney 3 J Cameron 1 J Knox 1 M Schafer 1

Best players: Gayfer Thomas Knox McAuliffe Hartnett Phelan



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COACH: Paris Harvie

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Park Orchards 6.13.49 defeated
Richmond 5.11.41

Welcome back to Colts football boys. We could not have asked for more beautiful day as we travelled to Richmond for our first match against Richmond . I would like to welcome the new boys in **Charles Red Barons, Zac Braunthal, James Kandler, Hugh Parrott, Lawson Appleby** and first gamer with sharks **Jeremy (Jezza) Kalla**, and their parents to our team this year. It was great to see the Supercoach back with his side kick the great Steve Wallis, and his support staff in runner Sev Panza who may have lost a yard in pace and the lovely Jo James as trainer. Also welcome to our new Team Manager Stuart Ball and his assistant Julie Magnano who both have big shoes to fill. Driving to the game with the Supercoach you could tell he was very nervous about this game as the team was missing some big names for the first game of year in **Standish, Gawel, Tank**, and last year's Brownlow medallist **Gus Brown**.

The tone of the match was set early in the game with **Seb** winning the tap-out to **Wally** who kicked it to the inside forward line for **Alex** to kick the first goal in the first 50 seconds of the game. From then on this match was an evenly contested match. We played a good first quarter however we need to improve our conversion rate when kicking for goal. The midfield in the first half worked tirelessly with **Seb, Wally, Bridger, Panza, Harvie, Dorka, Baller, Ollie, Stevo** all having plenty of football. Our defence was rock solid all day as the score indicated Richmond only kicked 5 goals for the day. The defence was beautifully lead by Mr Reliable **Camo Hayes, Red Barons Finn Bolton** and **Kye James**. Our forward line **James Kandler, Zac Braunthal, Jezza , Romas** and **Tyson** forward pressure was good in keeping the ball inside 50 and with some very important touches which resulted in goals. The great **Lachie Munro** probably played one of best games I have seen in Junior football. He was everywhere on the park and he finished his good work by kicking 3 goals for the afternoon. That's what happens when you do a good preseason, you get the rewards. Overall this was a solid start to our season. Our effort and endeavour was good against a bigger and stronger outfit. Let's bring this effort each week and we will be competitive team. Boys remember we need to focus on playing the football and forget about getting into fights as we cannot afford to have any player sent off for 20 minutes especially when you have 2 players on the bench. You are not only letting yourself down but most importantly you are letting you team mates down. Let's pull our heads in and focus our energy on getting the football and we will have a successful season.

Captain: Big Al

Goal Kickers: Munro 3, Magnano 2, Romas 1

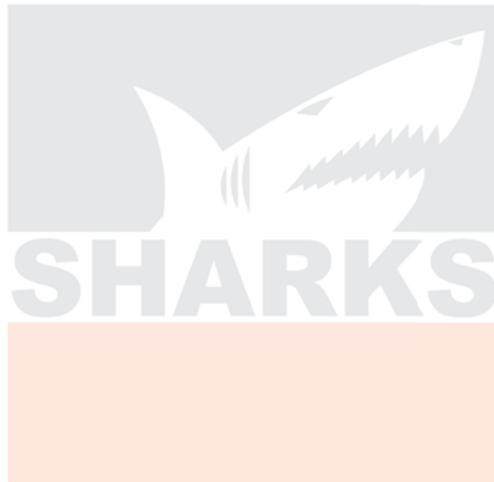
Best players: Munro, Magnano, Bridges, Hayes, Bolton, Barons, James, Panza



UNDER 12 GIRLS
COACH: Mike Newton

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Park Orchards 11. 9. 75
Defeated Camberwell 6.6. 42



A glorious afternoon greeted us at Stintons for the much anticipated start to season 2017 and the first ever match for the Sharks Un14s Girls Team. To say the girls were pumped would be an understatement! With a dry ground and the sun shining the girls exploded out of the blocks kicking a quick 7 goals in the first quarter – St Marys 2 were flawed and never got into the match although they kept battling hard.

It was fitting that our captain for R1 **Chelsea** kicked the first ever goal after a great passage of play from **Manon** to **Mia** to **Grace**. **Lana** was collecting many possessions and **Chelsea** and **Jam** were working hard in the contest. **Chloe** and **Kristen** were tackling hard and **Hanni** and **Mia** were running their legs off. **Sophie** was busting packs – it was an amazing start. Sharks 7.2.44 to 0.0.0

In Q2 we had lost a bit of our pace and St Mary's responded strongly – it was a grinding quarter but our team work was good – **Amelia** to **Flynn** to **Mia** to **Jorja** to **Jas** to **Alicia** was an extraordinary passage in our first match. **Jam** was tackling well and **Anna** was in and under the pack. **Tilly** was competing hard at CHF and **Jam** was taking marks. **Lana's** clearance was outstanding. Our backline **Gemma**, **Chloe/Mia**, **Lana**, **Verity**, **Sophie** and **Anna** held out many attacks to keep St Mary's 2 scoreless. Sharks 8.7.55 to 0.0.0

In Q3 the girls were keeping the structure with the midfield **Grace**, **Jas**, **Jorja** and **Tilly** forming the wall to lock the ball in our FWD line. We were clearly tiring but managed another 3 goals (1 from **Verity** and 2 from **Anna**). Playing Rover, **Jorja** dominated the quarter picking up more than 10 possessions and running and bouncing. **Grace** copped a big cork but battled on and **Emma** took a strong mark while **Hanni** and **Jas** were tackling machines and **Sophie** was controlling CHF. Sharks 11.8.74 to 0.0.0

Asking for a final effort in Q4 the girls never gave up and ran hard. **Amelia** laid a crunching tackle and **Chelsea's** double tackle effort was top shelf. **Nat** was working hard in the FWD line and **Chloe** crashed through the pack to kick 2 goals and when **Mia** and **Gemma** goaled the game was done. Sharks had recorded a historical win 15.14.104 to 0.0.0

Awards: Priceline Eastland Voucher: Flynn Peters, Cocobella Coconut awards Emma Matthews and Anna Marchionno, Kit Kat Awards Kristen Bertoldi and Amelia Rees

R1 proved to be very lop sided – notwithstanding we won by 104 points, our opponent for next week St Marys 1 won by 241 points so we are expecting much tougher opposition in the weeks to come but we'll be ready. At training we will continue to work on kicking on the run, talking to team mates and commence shepherding.

Go Sharks!

Captain: Chelsea Dunoon

Goal Kickers: **Chloe Lee (3)**, **Anna Marchionno (2)**, **Grace Hazelman (2)**, **Chelsea Dunoon (1)**, **Jamisen Pragmaratne (1)**, **Kristen Bertoldi (1)**, **Sophie Harvey (1)**, **Gemma Arnberger (1)**, **Verity Koomen (1)**, **Flynn Peters (1)**, **Mia McAuliffe (1)**



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UNDER 16 GIRLS
COACH: Shannon Caldwell

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**Park Orchards 130 defeated
Preston Bullants 19**

After our 1st match of footy for the season I thought my Under 16 girls played an incredible match and they all played to their best of their ability.

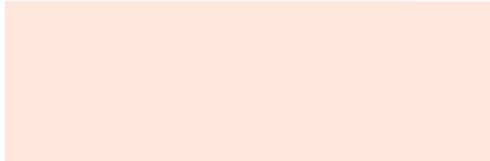
It was great to see everyone in the team help each other out and to work as a team to get goals and win.

The opposition held up an amazing contest and put presume on the girls throughout the whole match, however we were able to come back and Smash them. 130-19 win.

As a couch, I am very proud and impressed with how the girls played as for some it was their first even footy match. Was super impressed and pleased. However, in the last contest, the tiredness and exhaustion of running a full match caught up with the girls and two of my players cessed up and got injuries. I felt that **Chloe, Izzy** and **Alana** held up and incredible contest and were my best players for the match. Keeping an eye on open space and where to be when the ball was in our hands. These three girls helped not only the team but everyone out, which really impressed me for their first match of the year, hopefully next week we can do the same and keep that presume and momentum up.

Team captain Alana

Goals Chloe 7, JT 5, Alana 3, Izzy 3, Alex 1, Jess 1



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