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FMR

Mini-Roos

ROUND 12 - What a BIG weekend for the green and gold! FOURTEEN home games for the FMR Juniors, followed by Another EPIC win for the Matilda's! We may not have had the excitement of a penalty shoot out, but we were blessed with sunshine and lots of happy soccer players.

U6 Ninjas

It was all about the action for the Ninja's this week. Arlo Greenspan and Peri Craven were the Players of the Day, with vouchers from Two Cracks Coffee.



U8 Strikers

U8 Strikers v MUSC Thunder

10am kick off on a beautiful day in Margs.

Game started with great teamwork and plenty of pressure on the the Thunders, 3 shots on target but no goals. Jahla produced a magnificent solo run to get the first points on the board.

Jahla's midfield magic continued with great link up with Arlo for the Strikers second goal.

After the break the pressure on the visitors continues with Arlo bagging another and then another after collecting a cracking pass for Malaki. With more teamwork the Strikers got another one.

The visitors were determined not to leave with nothing and started fighting back netting 2 quick goals in succession.

All in all a great game with some great passing and excellent teamwork.

Players of the match were Genevieve and Jake. Thanks to Squid Lips in Margs for the sponsorship



U8 Wasps



An amazing display of teamwork by the U8 Wasps!!

Hard work and lots of running saw their victory of the season!!

Every player put in 100% effort with the Player of the Day going to Elki for her outstanding effort and drives down the line. Thanks to Candy Cow for their sponsorship.

U8 Dragons

This weekend saw the Dragons face a fierce opponent in the Vasse Robins. The game was neck and neck from the first whistle and continued this way all through the match.

The Robins were persistent in their attack and put our defence and goalkeeper through their paces. The Dragons were running hard for the duration of the game, lots of fancy footwork, accurate passing was seen and we hit the back of the net three times.

It was a very challenging game for the Dragons and it showed how the team continue to progress with improving their technical skills. The kids give it their all every week both at training and on match day, and are reaping the benefits of their hard work!

Today we celebrated a birthday in the team, Jake turned 8! So we turned it over to Jake to do the honours of selecting our players of the day. It was a tough decision with everyone playing so well and after much deliberation the prize was award to John and Connor. Big thanks to Squid Lips Margaret River and Kingston Bakery for our prizes!



U9 Storm

Storm showed good sportsmanship to top up numbers for a low numbers Dunsborough Tigers.

In a competitive game Storm came out on top.

Nalu received a Squid Lips Voucher for Player of the Day being a competitive and busy player all game.



U10 Breakers



At the very start Hyrum booted the ball up the field to Will who passed to Banjo who scored the first goal of many for the Breakers in the first half of the match.

The second half saw the Brumbies regain composure as they scored several goals while the Breakers met a wall of defense.

Overall, the Breakers owned the match with Banjo shooting several goals to take out POD along with Zoe who out played the opposition at every opportunity. Thanks to Squid Lips and Two Cracks Coffee for prizes.

U10 Jettz

The gorgeous Zoey has been our leading goal scorer for the season to date and this week was no exception.

Her foot skills and endless energy shows in her assertive play.

The Jettz were against MUSC Panthers this week in an absolute thrilling game.

Again, we are so proud of the sportsmanship and honesty both teams demonstrated when it came to boundary throw ins and support for each other.

The score was level and the skill set of each team was comparable and vein, even from the sidelines.



U10 Stars



Great game had by all.

Isaac was POD with amazing defence.

U11 Stingrays

It was off to Busselton this week for an away fixture against the Flames.

The Flames have set the standard for this division this season and Stingrays knew it would be a tough game. They started well and for the first ten to fifteen minutes held their own with the best opening chances. A good one two between Louis Bebbington and Bobby Atkins finished with Bobby bringing a great save from the Flames keeper. As the Stingrays looked for an opening, both Fraser Massie and Tao Kinney were looking to get on the score sheet and capitalise on balls through from midfield. Stingrays couldn't quite take their chances but should have taken the lead with the pressure in this passage of play.

The Flames then started to get into the game and stretch the Stingrays with some good passing football. Stingrays continued to push forward and rode their luck before going behind. A mistake at the back when the ball should have been cleared gave the Flames the opening they needed. Despite some staunch defending with a hard head by Otis McKinney a second goal moments later was a killer just before half time.

Second half the Stingrays were deflated and lacked shape. With several players injured or recovering from sickness, it looked more like an outing from the local hospice. Credit where credit is due, the Flames were too good, playing great football. They passed the ball well, opening up the Stingrays at will who were always a yard behind the ball. It's fair to say the Flames had stingrays chasing their tails.

The goals continued to flow for Busselton despite several great saves from Finn Langlois who is rapidly showing great awareness in the number 1 shirt. Stingrays could not lift themselves for a reply. Stingrays now know the level of skill and fitness to compete at this level. Back to the training ground for now....

U11 Stingrays

