



MICHAEL SHOLLY
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

LET THE GAMES BEGIN



Season 2005 is the start of a new and hopefully exciting era for the VFA following the departure of my predecessor, Phil Stevens who gave the Association

outstanding service for sixteen years. I look forward to the challenges that will confront me when upholding the traditions of the Association. Hopefully over the next few years you will see some changes that will assist in the development of Amateur Football.

State Representative Football is something unique to Amateur Football and getting the opportunity to represent the Big V is an experience valued by all.

We are starting our three year cycle with the Australian Amateur Football Championships. One change this year being that all competing states in the Championships will compete at Under 23 level. This season our match is being held in Perth which gives our players a wonderful opportunity to tour and build relationships. Former St Bernard's and Old Essendon Coach, Frank Dunell will be coaching this team.

The Senior Representative Team will be playing against the Victorian Country Football League. This is always a very challenging match and our team will once again be coached by the current VFA Executive Nick Bourke.

The combined C - D4 team, coached by Certificate of Merit winner, George Voyage, will host the Southern Football League and play for the Cystic Fibrosis Cup. This

charity game gives every club the opportunity to participate in a Bangers for Cash promotion where the money raised goes to this worthwhile cause.

Over the summer Brian Goodman was appointed as the full time Manager of Umpire Operations. The VFA are leaders in this field as we are the only metropolitan football competition in Australia to have a full time administrator in umpiring. During the off season Brian has worked tirelessly on recruiting and already we have 40 new field umpires this year. As the competition continues to grow we cannot underestimate the need for quality umpiring and I ask all club people to get behind Brian and his umpires.

One of my goals is to make the administering of clubs by our loyal volunteers less time consuming and more enjoyable. We will advance our thinking technologically with an aim of making it easier for everyone, both at the club and in the offices at the VFA.

But it's on the ground where the real enjoyment happens and in my job it has been interesting hearing of all the recruits over the summer. Previously, my involvement has been at a club level and I've really enjoyed immersing myself in the competition as a whole. We are continuing to attract high quality playing and coaching personnel and if we continue to set and maintain the highest possible standards then we will make, being involved in Amateur Football, enjoyable for everyone.

Let the Games begin and I wish each club the very best for the season ahead and trust that your year will be as fulfilling as mine.

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Chief Executive Officer

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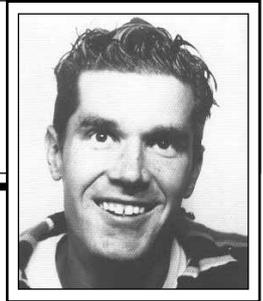
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A SECTION

by Jonathan Horn



"Riddle me this", said a man given to leaping about in green suits "but is A Grade a case of three standout teams and raffle the rest?" After the sheer debacle of last year's predictions, I somewhat meekly give you my pre season ladder...

1. Old Xavs

This time last year, Travis Ruyg was judging bikini contests with all the hungover backpackers at the West London Wildcats. The gun on baller is back from the Old Dart, along with premiership players Tim Clarke and James Scanlan, as he chases his first Premiership medallion after a ball breaking ten GF losses throughout his career. James McDonnell (overseas) and James Hawkins (retired) are gone but with Anthony McDonald and Adrian Cox slotting in and Ryan Colbert, Tristan Purss (both from the bush) and Justin Arnold (DVFL) rounding things out in the recruiting stakes, I reckon they might just be a good thing. Mortgage the house.

2. Uni Blues

Surely not, you mutter. Well yes, Uni did rewrite all the rules last year. They were streets ahead of any other team, their reserves had a percentage that resembled an IBF round at Muirfield Village, they had the best coach (Kanis) the umpires' MVP (Gleeson) and the Hoi Polloi's MVP (Young). But Young has been snapped up by the VFL and maybe they're due for some misfortune on the injury front. They're clearly the benchmark but it'll be tougher at the top this year. They regain three star players from years past in Liam Ryan, Rob Wilkie and Andrew Henderson and say goodbye to Messrs Nailon, Brooke, Penny, Roydhouse and Guengerich (all defenders significantly).

3. Old Scotch

"5% better in 2004" was the theme at Scotch

last year but unfortunately it seemed as if 95% of its list were either nursing an ailment or kicking back at the chalet. Like Xavs, they stormed home in the second half of the season and they may have really shaken things up had they snuck into the finals. And when you add Andrew Pugsley (Collingwood, Box Hill) and Luke Hawkins (Bendigo Bombers) to a forward line spearheaded by James Gertsman, everything begins to make sense. Danger team.

4. Old Trinity

Trinity really gave it a nudge last year and only an avalanche of goals from St Bernards' Dan Jordan denied them a grand final spot. Alistair Neville being snapped up by Box Hill will leave a huge hole across half back but they remain a solid, if unglamorous side. Should be thereabouts.

5. St Kevins

Not long ago, SKOBS were the glamour team of the VFA with a young list bristling with talent, guided by the most successful coach in the history of the comp. Without warning, everything went the way of the pear. A good coach, better luck with injuries and shrewd recruiting has seen them climb back to where they belong but the jury is still very much out. Still, McKee and Garlick are pretty handy acquisitions and they could well be the knockout team. Their only loss of note is John Rombotis, who has teamed up with John Newcombe and actor Grant Dodwell to coach up Caroline Springs way.

6. Marcellin

Bernie Dinneen, the heart and soul of Marcellin and probably their best ever player, has jumped ship and will play for Vermont this year which is a bit like Sir Lawrence



Olivier taking on a guest role in Hey Dad. 5 rounds out, the Eagles were flag fancies for many but their season petered out miserably. Much rests with the likes of Cullinan and his mates from the 2000 AGS premiership team but they're as honest as the day is long and you can never write them off.

7. Old Haileybury

After experiencing the sights, sounds and salacity of playing school football against Haileybury at Keysborough, it was an odd feeling spruiking the Bloods this time last year. Of course they duly fell in a hole, thanks mainly to an injury list with its own congressman. Club champion Mark Corrigan will play for Sandringham though they do have the benefits of a coach with a knack of making Grand Finals and the youngsters filtering through from a strong school side.

8. Old Melburnians

Ahh the boys from the Grammar. Year after year they seem destined for the indignities of B Grade before the inevitable last round miracle victory. The powers that be like to recruit coaches who can add a bit of mongrel to all the James and Eds with their mildly ironic bouffants and in Dean Rice, they have a man who is to Melbourne Grammar what Frank Drebin is to the Jim Murcott Driving Centre. A change of direction perhaps? No dice Mr Rice.

9. St Bernards

Where do I start? B&F Dan Jordan has gone to East Fremantle, along with good mate

Lucas Fielding. Simon Clarke and Danny Byrne are playing at Geelong, captain Ben Jordan is up the goldfields somewhere and Luke O'Sullivan and Gary McIntyre have scooted off overseas. Not since Luke Skywalker was dropped through the trapdoor at Jabba's Palace has there been such peril at a Pit. Sorry Simon, sorry boys, the party's over.

10. Collegians

One of the oldest and most successful football clubs in Australia. A Herculean effort to rise from C Grade. A key forward who once graced the pages of Picture Magazine as a Home Bloke. A strong feeder school and picturesque playing arena. Absolutely no hope whatsoever.

Today's Tips

Xavs, Blues, Scotch, Trinity, OMs

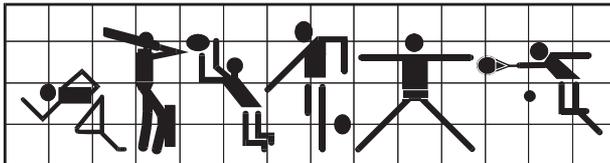
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TODAY'S MATCHES

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Old Haileybury v Old Scotch
Marcellin v Old Trinity
Old Xaverians v St Bernards
Old Melburnians v Collegians
University Blues v St Kevins



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St Kevins v Old Melburnians - **at Righetti Oval**
Old Scotch v University Blues

B SECTION

Old Essendon Gr v De La Salle
St Bedes Mentone Tigers v Old Brighton
Caulfield Gr v Mazenod O C
Old Ivanhoe v Whitefriars
North Old Boys v MHSOB

C SECTION

University Blacks v Monash Blues
Old Paradians v Therry Penola O B
AJAX v Old Camberwell - **at Packer Reserve,**
Carnegie (68 J8)
Banyule v Hampton Rovers
Beamaris v Parkdale Vultures

D1 SECTION

Aquinas O C v Glen Eira
Prahran v Ormond
Yarra Valley O B v Emmaus St Leos O C
Fitzroy Reds v Old Mentonians
Old Carey v Bulleen Templestowe

D2 SECTION

Williamstown CYMS v Rupertswood
Peninsula O B v Old Geelong
Ivanhoe Assumption v Oakleigh
Swinburne Uni v La Trobe Uni
Bentleigh v Salesian O C

D3 SECTION

St Johns O C v West Brunswick
Monash Gryphons v South Melbourne Districts
Syndal Tally-Ho v Old Westbourne
Kew v UHS-VU
Power House v Werribee Amateurs

D4 SECTION

Box Hill North - **bye**
St Marys v Eltham Collegians
Richmond Central v Elsternwick
Bulleen Cobras v North Brunswick
Albert Park v Hawthorn Amateurs - **Sportscover**
Arena, Saturday

UNDER-19 SECTION 1

St Kevins - **bye**
St Bernards v Collegians
Old Brighton v Marcellin
De La Salle v Old Scotch
Old Xaverians v University Blues

UNDER-19 SECTION 2

Whitefriars v Banyule Viewbank
Old Camberwell v Caulfield Gr
Old Trinity v Old Melburnians
Rupertswood v Beamaris
Old Carey v Old Essendon Gr

UNDER-19 SECTION 3

MHSOB v La Trobe Uni
Oakleigh v Old Ivanhoe
AJAX v St Bedes Mentone Tigers - **at Packer**
Reserve, Carnegie (68 J8), time TBA
Old Paradians v Bentleigh
University Blacks v Monash Blues

UNDER-19 (2) BLUE

Peninsula O B v Salesian Scorpions - **at**
Peninsula GS, time TBA
Hampton Rovers v Old Haileybury
De La Salle (2) v Mazenod O C
Ormond v Oakleigh Clays

UNDER-19 (2) RED

Bulleen Templestowe v Old Scotch
Emmaus St Leos O C v Kew
Old Westbourne - **bye**
Therry Penola O B v Aquinas O C
Fitzroy Reds v Rupertswood (2) - **at Ramsden**
Street Oval, Clifton Hill

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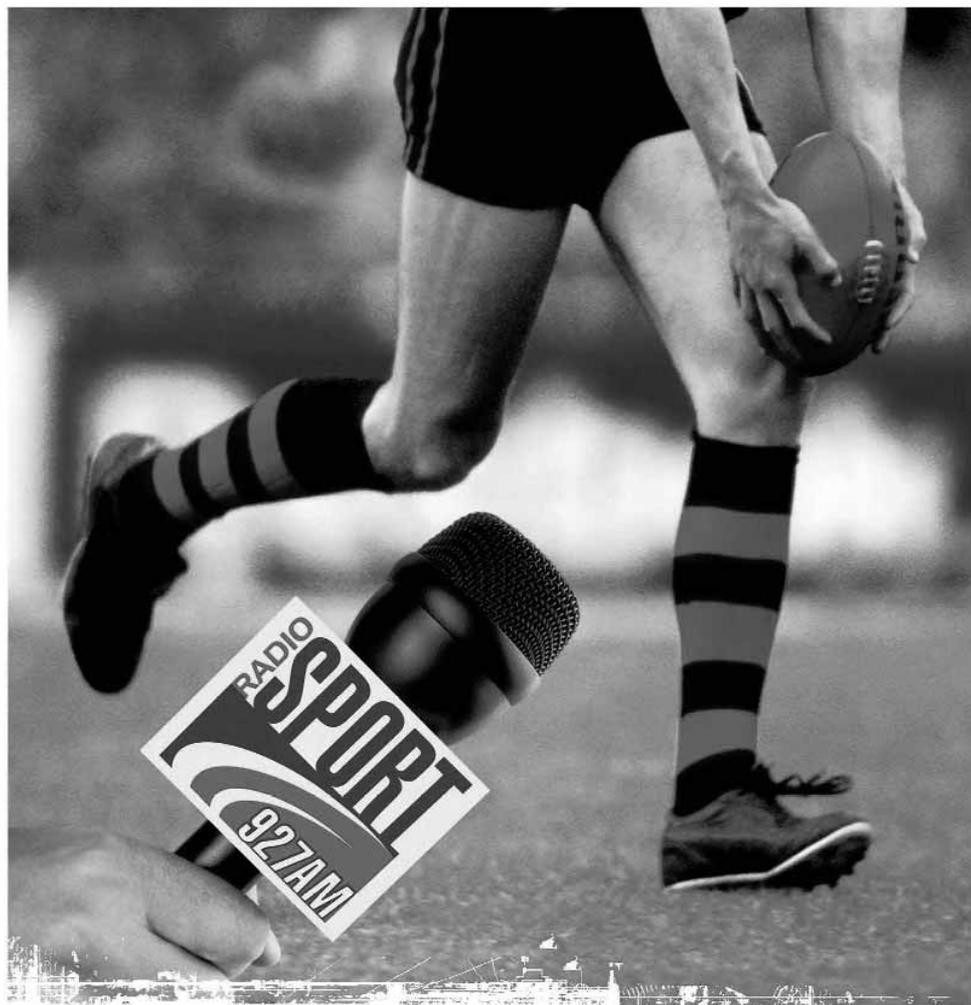
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Prahran v Mt Lilydale O C
Old Brighton v Old Melburnians
De La Salle v Old Scotch - **at Waverley Park**
before U19's
Old Xaverians v University Blues

CLUB 18 (2)

University Blacks v Marcellin
Therry Penola O B v Collegians
Old Trinity v Old Xaverians (2)
Box Hill Sharks v Old Essendon Gr
Fitzroy Reds v Monash Blues - **at Ramsden**
Street Oval, Clifton Hill

CLUB 18 (3)

Whitefriars v Old Scotch (2)
Emmaus St Leos O C v Caulfield Gr
Old Geelong v Fitzroy Reds (2)
Old Carey v North Old Boys
La Trobe University - **bye**



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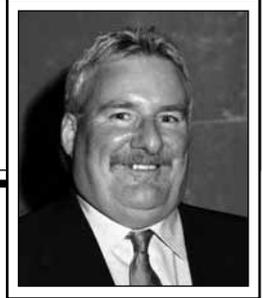
A LEAGUE OF OUR OWN

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B SECTION

by Tom Brain



Well the summer has gone and here we are back at the coalface ready and primed for another season of VAFA Football. In what has been a somewhat long pre-season, game time is now finally upon us and all the hopes and aspirations for the season go on line today. Welcome back to Whitefriars, De La Salle, and MHSOB after 1 year absences and Caulfield Grammarians make a welcome return to B Grade after a long hiatus.

PREVIEW.

De La Salle welcomes **North Old Boys** to the expanses of Malvern. Both sides have kept things pretty close to the chest over the summer with the signing of Simon Minton-Connell an obvious plus for the NOBS. If they can get the ball down to him often enough then they have to be some sort of chance. Both clubs have lost a few but De La blooded a lot of young players in the highest section last year and it could be their experience from that that gets them over the line today.

Old Essendon make the long trek across town to tackle **Old Brighton** at the Beach Road Oval. Without any shadow of a doubt both were the disappointments of the 2004 season and would be disappointed with their results. Both have new Coaches in Greg McLoughlin and ex VFL star in David Calthorpe and will be looking for a good start to the new season. Believe the practise match form of the Tonners has been pretty good and that combined with the huge home ground advantage should see them over the line.

Mazenod and **St Bedes Mentone Tigers** at Central Reserve. The home side I believe have lost a few to SFL side Murrumbena, while the Tigers have had a tough time with retirements, jaunts overseas, and some defections affecting their list. This time last year the Tigers slaughtered their hosts to set up their season, and while it will be a lot closer today I believe that the Tigers have the

balance still of youth and experience to get over the line.

Two of the returnees clash out at Park Orchards. **The Friars** are coming off a tough year that was riddled with injury, while **the Fields** despite the Grand Final loss earned promotion. A change of coach in January would not have helped the cause, but Stevie Wright is a proven performer and brings plenty to the club. Whitefriars possibly lost more games at home last year than in the club's history and will be looking to remedy that throughout 2005. It is still an awesome advantage and I think they will win and make the Fields return an unhappy one.

Unfurling the flag in front of a large crowd makes it a big day for **MHSOB**. The drums are beating fairly strongly for the side in the **Brown and White** from out in the North. Practise match form is excellent and a loss in extra time in the last game they played makes them my nominal flag favourite. But that does not mean that I am going to select them today. MHSOB have not rested on their laurels have added more youth to an already talented line up and with the boost of the large parochial crowd I'm going against the flow and tipping the High to start the season with a win.

PRESS CORRESPONDENTS

As usual I am seeking your assistance to write this Report throughout 2005 because without any information it is particularly hard to reflect what is happening. Just a brief match report with a couple of Best Players worthy of mention is perfect for me.

My contact details are 9553 1561 home phone and fax, the mobile is 0403 433 016 or drop me an email to brainco@optusnet.com.au. Thanks in anticipation of your continued support.



M I I MILESTONES E S

North Old Boys - congratulate Brendan "Bobby" Sheehan as he plays his 50th game for the club today against De La Salle. He began in the Under 19s and was a part of the famed forward set up with Heighty, however despite having that famous Sheehan goal sense, he soon found himself as a rebounding defender. It was a role he excelled at last year in the reserves and he was an integral member of the Grand Final side. And with a big pre-season under his belt, this determined young man is sure to make a big impact with his next 50 games.

Well done Bobby!

TODAY'S MATCHES

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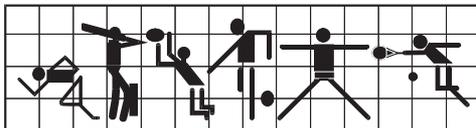
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- 9 M. Frater
- 10 A. Will (C)
- 11 B. Carboni
- 12 D. Pearce (VC)
- 13 A. Green
- 14 B. Gross
- 15 A. Docker
- 16 N. Fallu
- 16 J. Wright
- 17 S. Argvros
- 18 B. Baxter
- 18 J. Cowlishaw
- 19 B. Evans
- 20 H. Vella
- 21 M. Pennycuick
- 22 C. Fagan
- 23 C. McGrath
- 24 C. Murphy
- 25 B. Sinclair
- 25 N. Dorman
- 26 S. Widjaja
- 27 J. Sayers
- 28 J. Jacobs
- 29 N. Guyett
- 30 M. Sharpe
- 30 D. Elias
- 31 W. Bowes
- 32 A. Lawson
- 33 S. Fryers
- 34 H. Baker
- 35 S. Thompson
- 36 G. Crathern
- 37 B. Scott
- 38 N. Edwards
- 39 A. Bosna
- 40 M. Wilson
- 41 B. Jeffkins
- 42 A. Strain
- 43 T. Gerrand
- 44 B. Hasforth
- 45 B. Acfield
- 46 K. Weir
- 47 S. Jenkinson
- 48 R. Chapple
- 49 G. Poulter
- 50 N. Green
- 51 W. Rudd
- 52 G. Winter
- 53 J. Gross
- 54 D. Buckthought
- 55 C. Hooper
- 56 Z. D'Arcy
- 57 P. Farmer
- 58 S. Cunliffe
- 59 D. Loetje
- 60 R. Saunders
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- 64 T. Wailes
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- 71 M. Cassidy

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- 9 J. Moloney
- 9r G. Gilbert
- 10 T. Silvers
- 11 P. Bourke
- 13 A. Johnstone
- 14 W. Dwyer
- 15 P. Bowden
- 16 S. Hyland
- 17 L. Bowden
- 17 A. Elliott
- 17 J. Garland
- 19 M. Goodier
- 20 M. Picone
- 20 A. Shields
- 21 D. Rayson
- 22r M. O'Donnell
- 22 M. Brown
- 23 R. Sherman
- 24 J. Morel
- 25 C. Hyde
- 25 R. Walmsley
- 26 D. Spithill
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- 31 S. Hyde
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- 43 A. Greenalgh
- 44 A. Moore
- 45 T. Molan
- 46 D. Dobric
- 47 T. Woodlock
- 49 P. Hesse
- 52 T. Moloney
- 54 A. Skinnis
- 55 A. McLeish
- 57 C. Chester
- 58 M. Clinch
- 59 S. Waeny
- 70 M. Krezel

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- 25 S. Stanley
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- 28 P. Jones
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- 34 C. Boyd
- 37 L. Morgan
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- 52 G. Tilling
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- 61 M. McDowell
- 64 T. Bourbon

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 & Warren Fall
Res Coach: Jamie Dixon

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- 6 M. Brain
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- 10 R. Parry (VC)
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- 25 H. Taylor
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- 26 L. Evans
- 27 W. Backway
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- 28 S. Moore
- 29 W. White
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- 32 A. Cassell
- 33 L. Campbell
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- 35 P. Rujevic
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- 37 T. Harper
- 37 M. Ting
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- 5 S. Cox
- 6 M. Fitzgerald
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- 10 M. Carney
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- 26 D. Brady
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- 28 D. Joyce
- 29 C. Hosking
- 30 D. Skene
- 31 L. Boyle
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- 33 M. Barker
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U19 Coach: Results or Development

Today (46) U19 coaches will begin their seasons with one thing in mind a premiership – or will they?

More recently the emphasis at U19 level in the VFA has been that of development as opposed to premierships.

Forty three clubs will provide U19 football opportunities for young men, with Old Scotch, Rupertswood and De La Salle fielding second U19 teams, in 2005 – not all will be successful in terms of winning the premiership, but how you define success will go a long way to defining how successful your team is.

Is a premiership the be all and end all, or is your measure of success having (x) amount of players exposed to senior football across the season, or simply fielding a competitive team each week? If you haven't addressed this question yet with yourself and your players (collectively and individually) – your planning is behind for season 2005.

Take the time to set realistic goals for your team both collectively and individually, for one player it may be to play (x) amount of senior games, for another it maybe learning how to play key position, and another to cement a regular spot in your U19 team, while from a team perspective it may well be to make the four, win all of your games at home or simply to be competitive each week – whatever the goals make them achievable and re-assess during the season, review and revisit . Goals give the team focus throughout and give you the ability to remind your team, and individual players, of their own commitment and focus for the season.

While every one of the five sections will see teams compete weekly and at the end of the home and away season some twenty clubs will compete for the ultimate prize of a premiership, along the way there will be trials and tribulations, injuries, joy, exhilaration, thrashings and every bit of raw energy will be expended, but for what.

U19 team placings do not influence where senior teams are graded in the VFA.

The VFA U19 competition is an investment for the future of VFA clubs. U19 teams give clubs access to not only a group of players with which the future can be built on-field, but also off-field. Future club administrators, volunteers and support staff can also flow from the group of raw boned and enthusiastic individuals at your finger tips. They are a valuable resource, treat them as such.

So as an U19 coach have you sat down with your Senior Coach or Director of Coaching and discussed the pathway and strategies for the development of your group this season. If not, why not?

For example have you discussed when and if possible U19 players will be trialed in the Senior team in 2005.

Trialing U19 players in the seniors has many positive effects (and I'm talking about those players physically and mentally ready for the rigors of senior football), (i) the players will begin to appreciate their own worth in their future at the club, give them their first opportunity to play senior football and not many future quality players forget that experience – INVESTMENT, (ii) by providing an opportunity for the players at senior level, you are saying to the U19 players who may be a year or two off playing senior football that opportunities exist at your club to play in the Seniors – the pinnacle at every VFA clubs whether A or D4 section – OPPORTUNITY and (iii) their youthful exuberance will challenge the senior players in the team, enthusiasm is infectious, competition for spots is a challenge and when challenged regular senior players raise their efforts, increasing their output and such their worth to the team - CHALLENGING.

Promoting U19 players into the senior team also needs to be timed well. Robbing an U19 team of key players can decimate a side at underage level, a non-competitive side decreases player and team confidence and when this drops the reverse of the above (3) positives begins to surface and U19 teams suffer.

There is no perfect recipe for success in promoting U19 players, many factors come into the equation from maturity (physically & mentally) of the players, to the timing of the match and opposition in which he player is to be promoted – but rest assured by doing so the long-term benefits far outweigh any negatives.

In conclusion we are asking all U19 coaches: have you set your goals for the coming season, or are you taking it a week at a time, because failing to plan is preparing to fail, and good development coaches are well planned and will continue to reap the fruits of their labors for many years to come. All the very best for the coming season to you all – may you all achieve your goals.

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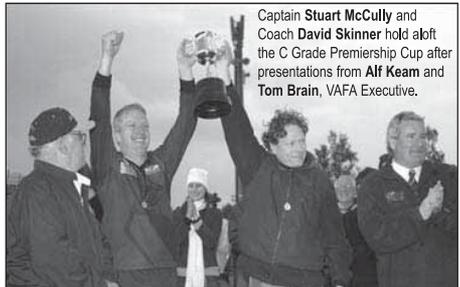
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C SECTION

by Glen Harrison



It's been 217 days since the last C Grade game was played in anger and after yet another all conquering summer by our Aussie cricketing heroes, it's great to finally return to the real action and have the footy back.

The HJ Stewart Cup is again up for grabs and the 2005 season shapes up as the most competitive of all of the amateur sections. The rewards for a successful year are plentiful with promotion earning a berth in prestigious B Grade, whilst relegation sees a club spiral into the murkier waters of D1.

Two sides that recently waded through the shadows of D1 and into the light of C Grade, are the all conquering undefeated Uni Blacks side of '04 and their fellow Grand Final combatants, the Banyule Bears. Both will be keen to continue their forward push for higher honours.

Beaumaris and **Old Paradians** return to C Grade hostilities and no doubt each team will be eager to follow the lead of last year's premiers, MHSOB, who slipped down in '04, but regrouped quickly, to have the briefest of stays.

The new lineups will not have it all their own way, as six of 2004's C grade clubs also look to earn themselves a Grand Final placing.

Monash Blues lead the marauding pack and following their preliminary final loss to the Unicorns, will be looking to go one better in '05.

The **Parkdale Vultures** who had been very impressive for much of last season lost their way in the elimination final and will be keen to atone.

Old Camberwell made a late surge for finals' glory, only to fall a little short and will be hoping to cement a finals spot a little earlier this time around.

Hampton Rovers also pushed for September action, but last year's nine nine win loss record was not enough. Solid off-season

recruiting and the return from overseas of some of their talented players will hold them in good stead.

They know if they can get their best team on the paddock, the lads from Oak Park will be more than competitive.

With an unavailable home ground, Ajax were the traveling gypsies of 2004. Having flirted with relegation, they will be difficult to counter when they put their bodies on the line and get their running game together.

PREVIEW

Without form to assist, Round 1 selections are always a bit of a lottery and in most instances; the final decision was made on the fall of the coin.

They host **Uni Blacks** and whilst Oak Park has tripped up many visiting teams, it won't deny a team that won 20 consecutive games in 2004.

Banyule make the long trek to Gerry Green and the visitors who are notoriously slow starters, will be the **Vultures** first victim.

Beaumaris have a difficult first up assignment against the **Blues** and the Students who always play their home ground well, should win.

Hampton welcomes the **Jackas** as they did in the corresponding fixture last season. As on that occasion, it was victory to the Rovers and should again be so today.

The Wellers and **Paradians** complete the round and this may be the game of the week. OC had many close matches last year and this may be another where they just come out ahead.

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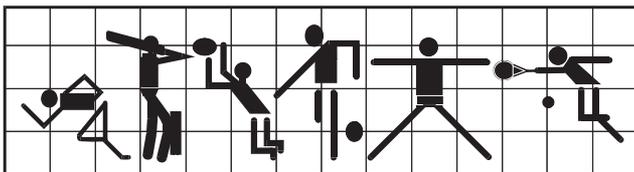
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- 8 E. Raleigh
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- 20 J. Sharp
- 21 A. Lewin
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- 24 O. Henzel
- 25 R. Kagan
- 26 B. Duzenman
- 27 J. Berger
- 28 A. Zemski
- 29 R. Heine
- 31 B. Ritterman
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- 34 J. Raleigh
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- 37 J. Kestenberg
- 40 D. Seidl
- 41 J. Lewski
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- 54 D. Rutko
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Res Coach: David Witchell

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- 2 A. Bottomley
- 3 N. Taylor
- 4 P. Gloury
- 4 M. Creak (Res)
- 5 B. Willmore
- 6 M. Morgan
- 7 C. Taylor
- 8 B. Cantwell
- 9 J. Plant
- 10 A. Dooley
- 11 D. Wilson
- 12 J. Egan
- 13 B. Moxon
- 14 L. O'Donnell
- 15 A. Brown
- 16 A. Demetriou
- 17 C. Davies
- 17 S. Gray (Res)
- 18 T. Wise
- 19 L. O'Connell
- 19 T. Nasrallah (Res)
- 21 R. Dintinosante
- 22 C. Taylor
- 23 M. Gray
- 24 T. Prior
- 25 D. Phelan
- 26 B. Mounsey
- 27 J. Jones
- 28 D. Sproules
- 29 D. Nasrallah
- 30 D. Mutton
- 31 G. McLellan
- 32 J. King
- 33 B. Gayfer
- 34 S. Lorenzini
- 35 L. Richardson
- 36 M. George
- 37 T. Thompson
- 38 D. Gayfer
- 39 J. Turnbull
- 40 T. Prior
- 41 A. Tshaikiwsky
- 42 M. Van Poeteren
- 43 L. Ferral
- 44 J. Connelly
- 45 A. Roethe
- 46 T. Egan
- 48 B. Herbert
- 49 G. Bell
- 50 S. Gray
- 55 D. Williams

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Asst: James Whitla & Mick Carty
Res: Jono Holt

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- 2 H. Gibson
- 3 J. Heath
- 4 M. Matulick
- 5 M. Ensor
- 6 A. Spence
- 7 S. Lynch
- 8 M. O'Brien
- 9 B. Cousins
- 10 L. Buller
- 11 M. Lee
- 12 L. Healy
- 13 J. Whitty
- 14 T. Collins
- 15 M. Boon
- 16 A. Quin
- 17 M. Pitts
- 18 N. Kennedy
- 19 M. Atkins
- 20 J. Black
- 21 S. Coote
- 22 L. Atkins
- 23 A. Catlin
- 24 B. Gray
- 25 D. Teasdale
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- 27 B. Haynes
- 28 J. Vance
- 29 C. Martin
- 30 C. Lambert
- 31 C. Graham
- 32 L. Wonnacott
- 33 S. May
- 34 H. McMillan
- 35 S. McNicholas
- 36 N. Atkins
- 37 R. Presnell
- 38 M. Wilson
- 39 L. McNicholas
- 40 J. Hogarth
- 41 N. Conlan
- 42 B. Gillespie
- 43 T. Woolnough
- 44 C. Collins
- 45 M. Kurta
- 46 J. Gerrand
- 47 A. Kent
- 48 T. Whitty
- 49 J. Bryce
- 50 S. Dicks
- 51 J. Mitchell
- 52 J. Williams
- 53 A. Poll
- 54 S. Lee
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- 57 T. Boreham
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- 76 C. Terpsinis

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- 2 L. Holt
- 3 G. Cannell
- 4 G. Carr
- 5 J. Prantzios
- 6 S. Gravina
- 7 A. Duddy
- 8 Drew Anderson
- 9 N. Pinto
- 10 S. Blanchard
- 11 J. Zampaglione
- 12 G. Barker
- 13 G. Woods
- 14 Daniel Andersen
- 15 A. Browne
- 16 N. Greenwood
- 17 L. Cave
- 18 J. McCarthy
- 19 M. Lawrence
- 20 A. Power
- 21 S. Parkinson
- 22 S. Burggraaf
- 23 M. Gray
- 24 C. Christianson
- 25 M. Davey
- 26 M. Devereaux
- 27 M. Flynn
- 28 B. Kezilas
- 29 M. Fletcher
- 30 A. Quon
- 31 T. Pucella
- 32 J. Hanlon
- 33 R. Mosbey
- 34 A. Crowther
- 35 J. Ng
- 36 M. Heffernan
- 37 D. Lillecrapp
- 38 A. Fisher
- 39 A. Crisp
- 40 M. Flahive
- 41 David Anderson
- 42 C. Malthouse
- 43 C. Cooper
- 44 A. Blake
- 45 G. Davis
- 46 L. Woolrich
- 47 S. Helliger
- 48 G. Giasoumi
- 49 M. Ellis
- 50 N. Foster
- 51 J. Glanville
- 52 B. Cantlon
- 54 D. Marshall
- 55 L. James
- 56 T. Porter
- 57 D. Williams
- 58 C. Delosa
- 60 M. Terech
- 61 A. Kavanagh
- 62 D. Kroker

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Res Coach: Dale Murchie

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- 2 L. Renton
- 3 L. Holloway
- 4 B. McKenzie
- 5 J. Rosengarten
- 6 M. Davidson
- 7 P. Farrar
- 8 A. Hickey
- 9 C. O'Sullivan
- 10 S. Lloyd
- 11 M. Spencer
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- 25 J. Hawkins
- 26 P. Wills
- 27 N. De Young
- 28 J. Main
- 29 A. Costley
- 30 L. Creamer
- 31 J. Green
- 32 L. Beddingfield
- 33 J. Smith (c)
- 34 R. Shields
- 35 A. Fyfe
- 36 A. Williams
- 37 C. Dennis
- 38 N. Brennan
- 39 M. Smith
- 40 J. Mazur
- 41 Michael Bolton
- 42 M. Coe
- 43 R. Feenaghty
- 44 L. Leviston
- 45 M. McMahon
- 46 D. Jones
- 47 S. Mentha
- 48 M. Carey
- 49 M. Pettingill
- 50 A. Tota
- 52 N. Moresi
- 53 J. Peel
- 54 B. Adamson
- 55 I. McCormick
- 56 M. Jones
- 58 J. Lui
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Congratulations to former University Blues player **Richie Vandenberg** (right) who was announced the captain of the Hawthorn Football Club in 2005. A hard, aggressive and pacy midfielder, Vandenberg has



played 102 AFL matches and booted 48 goals since being recruited from **University Blues** at No. 78 in 1997 AFL National Draft. The former Wentworth (NSW) boy, while studying at Melbourne University, played 47 games with the Blues from 1995-97. During his time at University Blues his talent was identified by the VAFA as he was selected in U18 and U19 representative teams in 1995 which played against the Oakleigh Chargers and Eastern Ranges in the Pura Milk Challenge Series and later that year against the VFA. Vandenberg joins other notable VAFA players to have gone on to captain VFL/AFL teams including Dr. Donald Cordner (University Blacks - Melbourne), Gary Dempsey (FITOB – Footscray), John Kennedy (Teachers' College – Hawthorn), David Parkin (MHSOB – Hawthorn), Ross Smith (Hampton Rovers – St. Kilda) and Neil Roberts (MHSOB – St. Kilda).



Melbourne has had a sensational start to the season and two former VAFA players have been leading lights. **Cameron Bruce (MHSOB)** and **James McDonald (Old Xavs)** were the best two in the Dees victory on Friday night over Geelong. This follows Bruce's BOG efforts in the first two matches. Maybe the retirement of **Dr Don Cordner**, VAFA's last Brownlow Medallist, could coincide with the next VAFA winner of the coveted award.



VAFA congratulates former **St Bede's** player and **VAFA umpire Brad Hodge** on his selections on the recent tour of New Zealand and the upcoming Ashes tour of England. Brad began as a boundary umpire when just 15 years of age and **Brian "Benny" Goodman** remembers Hodge as a "fresh faced, enthusiastic young lad". How things have changed!

OF THE GAME...



Another former VAFA player **Tim O'Sullivan (Old Xavs)** has had great success with St Kilda Cricket Club where he **captained his third consecutive Premiership in Premier Cricket**. O'Sullivan made 93no in the Final after the Saints were struggling at 3/27. O'Sullivan has now played in Five First XI Premierships. O'Sullivan was also a selector of the C-D4 representative side from 2001 - 04.



VAFA Patron in Chief, **Dr Don Cordner**, retired from his position at the Season's Launch last Monday. Unfortunately Don wasn't able to be there for this occasion as he had spent some time in hospital and was at home recovering. Patron, **John Dillon**, accepted a momento on his behalf and spoke about the many achievements Don achieved throughout his career. Don is the only VAFA player to have won a Brownlow Medal. He has been the Patron in Chief since 1993 and the VAFA will seek to announce his replacement during the season. All at the VAFA thank Don for his outstanding service and trust that he recovers fully from his recent health scare and look forward to seeing him at many Amateur games in the future.



Congratulations to the VAFA'S first lady of Umpiring **Leah Gallagher** who this week officiates in her **350th Amateur Game** at Central Reserve between Mazenod and St Bedes Mentone Tigers. Leah started as a Boundary Umpire many years ago and over the years has matured and progressed to become one of our better Field Umpires improving so much that a regular spot in A Grade should be just around the corner. It has been a "big week" for Leah who celebrated her **40th Birthday** last weekend and surprised all those present with a **wedding** to her long term partner.



Monash Gryphons are running a **D3 Tipping Competition** and all clubs are welcome to enter. The cost is \$20. Please register at **www.tipsin.com**. Payment options and rules are on the site. Prizes include a Mini Mac Computer Valued at \$899 and an iPod valued at \$399 and another iPod values at \$149. Please contact Mark Graydon on 0412563782 or via email at

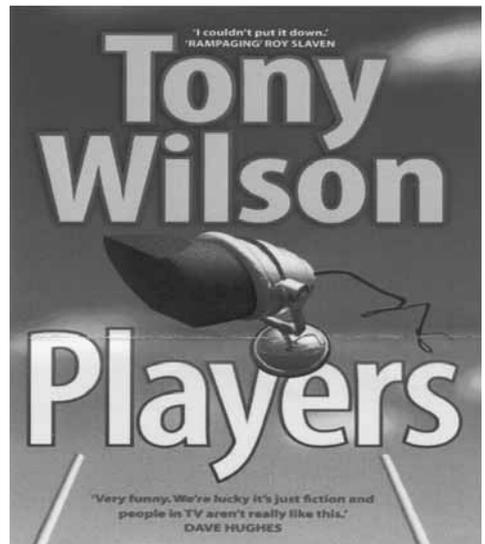
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Inspired by Tiger Woods' US Masters victory CEO **Michael Sholly** and Treasurer **David Scott** headed out to **Northern GC** by invitation from Cadbury Schweppes for the Amateur Invitational Final. Once a competitor always a competitor, Michael took the honors on the day with 35 stableford points and in doing so has booked himself a spot in the final at Royal Pines Resort Queensland in June - stay tuned for more.



Noticed former VAFA goalkicking machine and 3RRR breakfast presenter **Tony Wilson** has entered in the world of print media. His book **PLAYERS** is described as "an unsettling familiar portrait of the relationship between sport, celebrity and media, searing a look at the mayhem that ensues when bug reputations and even bigger money, are on the line". We love the Author's note "PLAYERS is a work of fiction. Any similarity between the characters depicted here and any real person, living or dead, is entirely coincidental". Having played plenty of VAFA footy FTLOTG reckons there would have been plenty of inspiration from VAFA clubs and personalities!



FOUR'N TWENTY

D1 SECTION by Barry Hickey



The threefold welcome to D1 for 2005; to the 6 Clubs who survived the rigours of the Section action in 2004; to Bullen-Templestowe & Old Carey, whose promotion continues their rivalry from last year; and to Emmaus St Leos & Glen Eira, rebuilding from not such flash years in 2004. For Glen Eira, it's been 40 years since their last appearance in this section! And finishing with a little known fact, this scribe has never written about Emmaus in a season in which they did not win the Senior Flag!!! We will also watch with great interest the fortunes of our worthy 2004 Grand Finalists, Uni Blacks and Banyule, in the tough environs of C Section.

Have a fantastic year each and every!!

Preview

Glen Eira v Old Carey meet for the first time in decades with both in rebuilding mode. Legendary Coach Terry Walsh has returned to Glen Eira in an effort to redirect its fortunes; while Old Carey is reeling from the retirements of Club Legends Cam Campbell, Matt Cohen, Nick Everett, Cam Matthews, John Raftopoulos, Nick

Vasilopoulos, & Simon Wood! Glen Eira is determined to regain C level

status for 2006, and may have a slight edge over the Old Carey Kindergartners at this stage. The home side to win by a few points.

Ormond v Aquinas

The Monds are quietly confident of being there for finals action again and should have an experience advantage over the rejuvenating Bloods, who usually take a few rounds for their cricketers to adjust to not wearing creams. Both sides will be thereabouts in August, but the Monds will take today's contest by 4 goals.

Emmaus St Leo's v Prahran

Demotion seems to bring out the best in the Animals, and this game will indicate how good that best will be. Prahran had a horror year with injuries in 2004 and did damned well to avoid relegation themselves. Both Clubs are cautiously optimistic. Being at Bennettswood, the Animals should start the year with a 3 goals victory.

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Old Mentonians v Yarra Valley

The Panthers have lost vast experience with the retirement of many veterans such as Adam Acreman and Drew Solley, but hope to counter that with reams of enthusiastic cubs! They did well in their pre-season games and could surprise. Yarra Valley could (should?) have seen finals action in 2004 but for some unaccountable lapses, and they won't be far away again in 2005. The Bushrangers are one of the few sides not fussed by the environs of Keysborough Fields, but I think the Panthers young guns, boosted by the return of Chad Twentyman & Justin Vick will take out a top match by 4-5 points.

Bulleen Templestowe v Fitzroy Reds

Saving the best for last, this will be a very good game. For starters the Coaches, Steve Easton & Graham

Burgen, have more moves than a Contortionists College, and both teams commence the year with substantially the sides that served them so well in their respective finals campaigns last season. The unfurling of their D2 Flag will give the Bullants an added lift that should carry them to a 2 goals win.

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TODAY'S MATCHES

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Glen Eira v Old Carey

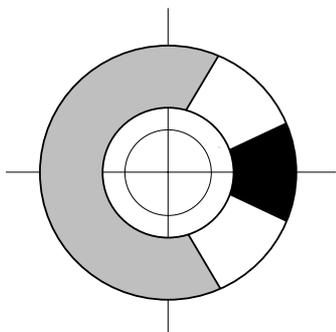
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D2 SECTION **by Andrew Wu** **& Peter Williamson**



Prognostications from Wuey and the Quill for 2005.

Old Geelong

2004: 3rd (D2); 14 wins - 5 losses - 1 draw
We say: Had disappointing finish to 2004 but with likes of Mark Vickers-Willis, Hugh McCarthy and Will Paul still at Como Park, should push very hard for flag.

Prediction: 1st

Peninsula

2004: 9th (D1); 5-13

We say: Relegated last year after powerhouse 2003 when lost just two games for season - the second semi final and the grand final - both to Fitzroy. Massive home ground advantage should set it up for another September.

Prediction: 2nd

La Trobe

2004: 5th (D2); 9-9

We say: In Glenn Taylor, has arguably the most meticulously prepared coach in the section. Improved markedly last season despite implementing youth policy and should take next step this year by playing finals.

Prediction: 3rd

Ivanhoe Assumption

2004: 4th (D2); 11-7-1

We say: Former Melbourne and Richmond talent scout Tony McKay takes over from John Matthew with pressure on to match last season's effort.

Prediction: 4th

Salesian

2004: 10th (D1); 2-16

We say: Should steady after horror year last year.

Prediction: 5th

Williamstown

2004: 8th (D2);
5-12-1

We say: Keep Dave Lee fit and the sky's the limit.

Prediction: 6th

Oakleigh

2004: D3 premiers; 18-2

We say: Rebounded in fine style after relegation in 2003 when they showed improvement. Former reserves coach Pat McKenna replaces the retired Chris Moore at the top.

Prediction: 8th

Bentleigh

2004: 6th (D2); 7-10-1

We say: Loss of skipper Leigh Ireson, Mark Eyles and Jayde Handfield leave big holes. Will need a good run with injury to make finals.

Prediction: 9th

Swinburne

2004: 7th (D2); 6-12

We say: Loss of club champion Simon Fragiaco is huge but return of three-time best and fairest Carmelo Dell'Olio helps ease load. Another club that needs luck with injury for strong 2005.

Prediction: 10th

Social

Ivanhoe Assumption invites past players and supporters to a pre-match luncheon at the Hoe Park clubrooms for the unveiling of their Wall of Fame. For \$50, a past player can get a name plaque, detailing how many games played for the club, up on the wall. The cost for supporters to come to lunch is just \$20. For more details, contact Matt Ebbage on 0409865412.

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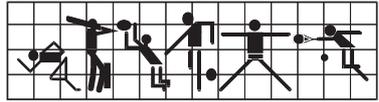
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Williamstown CYMS - Congratulations to **Brendan Cocks** on reaching his **150th game**. Brendan is gutsy winger who often goes where angels fear to tread. His courage and skill is recognised at the CY's combining in three club champion awards. The first was in the U19's. His pace on the wing and ability to dodge players and take strong high flying marks makes it a joy to watch.

Salesian OC - congratulate today's milestone of **250 Games** by **Andrew "Eggy" Seager**. Starting his career as a swift and miserly defender, Eggy has exploited the Amateur ruck laws with great effect for over 15 years to become "the best tap ruckman of a generation". It is a credit to his fitness and preparation that he becomes the first Salesian player to reach this milestone. Andrew is a tireless worker off the field, having served on the Committee in various capacities for over 10 years. A true Club Man and colourful character within Amateur circles, we congratulate you Eggy, and hope there are many more games to come.



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... *Retrospective*

by Geoff Reilley



5 YEARS AGO - 2000

In his editorial, CEO Phil Stevens, detailed a number of key points for the Millennium season. There was a new "heat policy", an extension of the "audible obscenity" rule for players who incur more than one "order-off" and an "All Star Team of the Year", to be chosen, based on weekly nominations. The VAFA was at its progressive best!

A Section scribe, Jason Frenkel, reported that the opening was a "bumper" round. Match of the week was between Old Melburnians and University Blues. At half time the Blues held a 6 goal lead but tired badly and the OM's ran over the top, 14.11 to 12.13. The OM's were pleased with the effort of Holmes in his battle with Blues' big man McLachlan and Mulligan and Browne also satisfied the OM's camp. "A" Section coaches were - Garry Connolly (Marcellin), Warren Fall (MHSOB), Kevin Tibaldi (Old Ivanhoe), Neil Ross, (Melburnians), Brendan Mason (Old Scotch), Leigh Carlson (Old Trinity), Tim O'Shaughnessy (Old Xavs), Gary Foulds (St Bernards), Mike McArthur-Allen (St Kevins) and Lee Adamson (Uni Blues).

In B Section Whitefriars unfurled the 1999 C Grade pennant and celebrated with a strong win over Mentonians, 14.15 to 7.10. Best players; Carbone, Cunningham, Hilton, Hughes, Reidy (6) Pasqualotto, (W'Friars) and Newton, Kitto, Flaskis, Katris, Cozens, Campbell (Mentonians).

In C Section, the two promoted teams, AJAX and Bulleen /Templestowe, were both soundly beaten by Old Geelong and Glen Eira respectively. Beaumaris, who had been relegated from B Section, announced their intentions with a huge result, 30.15 to Ivanhoe/Assumptions 13.16.

D1 Section's Aquinas Old Collegians had been middle of the road in the previous season but launched their new season with

a massive 34.17 to Oakleigh's 10.10. Thomas with 8 goals and Cultrera with 7 were the guns up forward for Aquinas.

Peninsula Old Boys went straight to the top of the D2 Section ladder after they disposed of Parkside 16.7 to 6.13. D 2 Section coaches were - Grant Hammond (Fitzroy Reds), Serge D'Angelo (Kew), Ken Wood (Mentone), Laurie Zerafa (Parkside), Brett McIlwraith (Peninsula), Matt Sexton (Salesian), Gordon Burrows (Thomastown), Kane Bowdern (Uni Blacks), Tim Pontefract (West Brunswick) and Tim Kilworth (Yarra Valley OB).

The new All Star competition, "Players of the Week", announced: A Grade - Michael Blood (Old Xavs), B Grade - Peter O'Loughlin (Old Paradians), C Grade - Mick Goodwin (Therry), D1 - Brett Birkhill (Old Carey), D2 - Elliott Hannan (Uni Blacks), D3 - Peter Sadler (Williamstown CYMS), D4 - Jeff Wilson (Old Westbourne).

10 YEARS AGO - 1995

We welcomed new clubs and teams to the competition - Beaumaris (seniors, reserves & U19's), Warringal (a new "composite" U19 team), Swinburne Institute and Hawthorn Citizens (new Club 18 teams). Eltham made the transition from Club 18 to senior ranks. In "A" Section the highly fancied Old Xaverians, under new coach, former Richmond great Barry Richardson, hosted Ormond, tipped by scribe Don Blackwood to be facing a tough season. Somewhat surprisingly Ormond held a 4 goal lead at the main break and increased it slightly by three quarter time. The Xavs rallied, had most of the play in the final term but Ormond, led by captain Brett Connell,

played possession football in the final minutes to finish in front, 12.7 to 10.15. The Monds had made an early season statement to say they were not finished yet! Best for Ormond – Sebo, McConville, Kenrick (4) and Fraser. For the Xavs Landrigan, Bourke, Tapping and Mollard.

In B Section, Old Haileybury, still smarting from their relegation from A Grade, pounded Old Mentonians 22.7 to 12.14 at McKinnon. Best for OH – Armstrong, Morey (5), Kirkwood-Scott and McKenzie. For Mentonians – Brooks, Davis, Dart and Carter.

Monash Blues were big winners over St Bedes Mentone Tigers in C Section. The Blues kicked away in the first term with 7 goals to 3 and continued on their merry way as Leigh Baring (4) and Dan Carman (5) provided headaches for the Tigers' defenders. Other good players for the Blues were Logan, White and Hipwell while Bilos, Diggins, McGraw and Parsons deserved plaudits from the St Bedes match committee for sticking to their tasks.

20 YEARS AGO – 1985

In A Section Collegians went straight to the top of the ladder with a resounding victory at Old Xavs' expense, 21.12 to 7.11 Hinchin, Cook Schmidt (3), Tregear, Bennett and Baum (4) were strong for the Lions. Curtain (3), Trainor, Ryan, Klein, Godsell and Carlin did their best for the Xavs.

North Old Boys were also very impressive and their 13.11 overwhelmed De La Salle who could only muster 4.12. Paul Considine (4), Busutill, Conti, O'Rourke, Lynch and Dore pleased NOBS' coach Jim Durnan who was delighted with the great start to the season. For De La Salle, centre half back Mick Deveson did all he could and the margin could have been considerably more had he not defended so stoutly. Cooke, Harrington, Holdsworth, Bromley and Anderson were the best of the rest.

The tribunal had a very busy start before round one with no less than 14 players suspended for indiscretions in the practice matches. Unfortunately the trend continued with 19 players suspended during round one.

Bob Green played his 300th game during round one. Bob started with Parkside in 1966 and was lured to West Brunswick the following season. Bob was an excellent contributor on and off the field and had already been awarded life membership by his club.

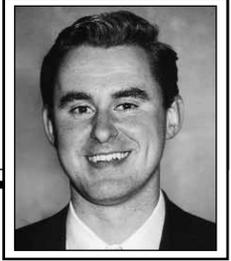
30 YEARS AGO – 1975

In A Section Ormond opened their season positively and avenged their defeat in the 1974 Grand Final when they accounted for Uni Blacks. Their 8 goals straight in the third quarter turned the game around completely. Best for Ormond were the dashing Alan Graham (4), Bruce Bourne (1984 VAFA player of the year), Russ, Buckley, Thomas and Naylor also providing great drive. Simon Costello was the Blacks' best and was supported by Holmes, Perrett, Burne, Pascoe and Tony Costello.

In B Section Old Scotch ran over the top of Old Carey 17.10 to 7.10. The Scotchies' best were Morgan (7), Molyneaux, Alder, J Marx, Tallent and Anderson (3). Old Carey's best were clearly Yeo, Constable, R Cooke, Freeman and Morrison.

Old Brighton comfortably defeated Brunswick 14.11 to 8.11 in C Section. Best – Jones (5), Walsh, Berry, Currie, Paroissien and Thomas (Old Brighton) and Lasala, R Johnstone (3), P Egan, Hanlon, Hughes and Watt (Brunswick).

A Section field umpires were Brian Goodman, Colin Wills, Phil Rowell, Ken Jorgenson and Trevor Rowe. The first five gentlemen were to continue their contribution to the VAFA, after they stopped umpiring, as observers, advisors and even VAFA executive members.



Welcome to season 2005!

Having been promoted (with my beloved Westbourne) from the scribe's job in D4 last season, I am looking forward to penning my views on what should be a very tightly fought division. Having spoken to most clubs I have managed to form some thoughts on what I believe will transpire over the season, and have put these into my 2005 preview.

2005 Preview

West Brunswick

Having come down from D2 last season, the Westies have been dealt another blow losing three stars including three-time comp B&F Adam Cannane to overseas work commitments. However, gun recruits Donik Manoukian, who will provide plenty of zip from the half back line and bollocking forward pocket Brendan Hogan should fill this void somewhat. Coach Angus "Hamma" Hamilton said that he "was taking it one week at a time" and would be "hoping to give a good, honest account of themselves" when asked about their prospects. A top four finish is not out of the question.

South Melbourne Districts

Word in D3 circles is that the Districts are a big chance to take out the flag this season. Pre-season has been very exciting and although they lost a few of their experienced players from last year, a number of pick ups have shown good form early. Included in there is a "big bush recruit, a couple of players coming down from the D2 comp and some talented and skilful young ex-U19's". Judging from the mail, I am expecting a top four finish by the team.

Old Westbourne

The Warriors, fresh from their thumping 2004 premiership season where they lost only one match for the season have all the momentum going into 2005. However, the loss of four experienced players from the premiership side may put a dent in coach Jeff Wilson's plans. Word from the club is that players such as

"Fish" Whiting and Adam Mokrusch are the up-and-comers expected to fill that void and a finals place will not be out of the question, though a mid table finish is most likely.

UHS-VU

The students have lost much of their side from last season with a staggering ten players heading off overseas and also several retirements. However, in their place, quite a few youngsters have filled the void with "several exciting pickups". Another positive is the fitness of Cracknell who is promising to have a big 2005. Given their consolidation season in 2004, the students will have their eyes firmly placed on a top two finish in 2005 and I think they may be a good thing this year.

Werribee

Having staved off relegation last season by the skin of their teeth, it will be a desperate Tigers outfit taking to the field in 2005. An influx of talented youngsters have begun to filter through from their successful U/19's team, and led by Daniel Lee and Matt Palmington it is expected that the pace of the Werribee outfit will be increased significantly. The return of some long term injured players to the fore adds to the positive signs. However, to me I believe this will be a tough year for the Tigers who will need to win some close ones to stave off relegation.

Kew

I tried hard to contact someone from Kew but to no avail. As such I can only go on what I saw last year, and on that I think Kew will be competitive. A lot will depend on whether they can win the close ones, however, my guess is a 7-10 finish is on the cards for the Browns.

Syndal Tally Ho

Training since January, the Hoers have had consistent numbers on the track throughout pre-season. Newly appointed Senior Coach Tony Rowe has had his work cut out for him with a

number of senior players departing from last season, and has brought many new players to the club with him. Competitive in their practice matches, I am expecting them to be thereabouts come finals time with a 4-6 finish most likely.

Monash Gryphons

Despite the Gryphons disbanding their Club 18 team after only one season, and losing several players as a consequence, the club has managed to pick up a number of players primarily from the university. One of the stars of D3, Adrian Flowerday, will be a big part of any success the Gryphons should experience and along with the steadying influence of veteran Lee Wells, and the mercurial talents of Chris Leeton, I am expecting a 6-8 finish for the club.

St.Johns OC

St.Johns, after a third placed finish in 2005 are expected to give the flag a real shake, however, the preseason has not been all that coach Ben McGee would have planned. A number of his gun players such as 2004 sharp shooter Chris Horbury have yet to commit and as such predicting how their season will transpire is a difficult task. Positives have been the great form of youngsters such as Diaz and Arnold who are expected to be stars of D3 this year. None the less, I believe that they start the season as premierships favourites despite their early setbacks.

Power House

After yet another long pre-season PHFC has had some mixed results in their 3 practice matches. New club Captain and 2004 B&F winner, Matt Hill is expected the lead from the front while Nick Bishop, Matt Taylor, Ben Reardon and Rob Walsh should also be good players for Power House this year. In an even competition I believe a finals berth is unlikely with a 5-8 finish on the cards.

Round 1 Preview

West Brunswick v Power House

The Westies have many D3 pundits placing them in the top three although the club continues to play down their chances. On the flip side, Power House would be hoping to get off to the flyer they did last season. For me it is West Brunswick though to win at home by 32 points.

South Melb Dist v St Johns

St.Johns have not had the pre-season they would have liked, while South Melbourne appear to be on track for a good year. The wide expanses of Elsternwick Park will test the pre-season work of both clubs and I am expecting

some tired legs at the end of the day. Picking a winner is tough, but I think I will go with 2004 form and pick St.Johns to win by 11 points.

Old Westbourne v Monash Gryphons

The Gryphons travel to Artic Park in what will become one of the dreaded road trips of 2005. The Warriors will still be flying after the club's two premierships last year as they meet one of the other D3 newcomers. Westbourne are always tough to beat at home, and today will be no exception as they open their account today with a 32-point win.

UHS-VU v Syndal Tally Ho

The students promise to be a good side this year with an abundance of talent and experience throughout the club. Syndal are also looking good and could surprise. This match will help us assess just how good UHS are, and in picking my winner I am going with them to impress with a 26 point win.

Werribee v Kew

My early thoughts have been that both these teams may struggle in 2005 and therefore it is supremely important that they open their accounts in today's match. The young Werribee side is full of promise and their run on the large Tiger's Den will make the going tough for Kew. In what I believe will be a close encounter, I believe Werribee will have the legs to outlast Kew to open the season with a win by 9 points.

Press Correspondents

If you want your team and players mentioned in my column, I am only too happy to oblige. However, I must get your reports into me by midday on Monday at the latest. Please also include your nomination for the player of the round. My preference is an email to gavan.flower@spotless.com.au.

As always, I welcome comments from all readers, either good or bad so please feel free to email me at gavan.flower@spotless.com.au or otherwise feel free to say hi when you play Westbourne during the year.

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West Brunswick v Power House
South Melbourne Districts v St Johns OC
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Old Westbourne v Monash Gryphons
UHS-VU v Syndal Tally-Ho
Werribee Amateurs v Kew

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13 E. Henderson	12 D Bennett	11 D. Forbes	12 B. Black	11 Norman P
14 D. Bell	13 S Miller (Res Vice Capt)	12 W. Smith	13 R. Bell	12 Maguire T
15 B. Lazzaro	14 S O'Boyle	13 N. Rose	14 J. Marinis	13 Brockley S
16 J. Neimi	15 D Reynolds	14 J. Mitchell	15 A. Murphy	14 Bowshall – Tanner C
17 P. D'Andrea	16 C Hayes	17 J. Tate	16 R. Daly	15 Russell M
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23 B. Downing	21 D Kennett	22 G. Mandalis	22 A. Dibatista	22 Hanson J
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28 T. Paterakis	26 A Morrison	27 A. Cusick	27 A. Borg	27 Brooks M
29 J. Adgemis	27 M Lepilaa	28 B. McInnes	28 D. Czajowski (Sen V/C)	28 Waller E
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Inside the VAFA



The finest ruckman of the modern era, a nomadic goal kicking machine, a Carlton premiership winner with gammy knees, one of the most respected AFL coaches of all time and even a former world championship rower are welcomed into the amateur fold as season 2005 dawns today.

After a string of cameo coaching roles in the AFL, **Simon Madden** has finally taken the plunge as a senior coach and will guide St Bernards this year. Despite his acquisition and a multi million-dollar upgrade to the facilities at West Essendon, one problem remains; almost every player with a smidgen of talent has flown the coop leaving the former Bomber with a Himalayan task. Still, if any team is capable of proving doomsayers wrong, it is St Bernards. Indeed, this very writer dismissed them as relegation certainties this time last year, only to hail them as flag favourites a month later! Bernards' President **Peter O'Connor** said this week, "Simon is doing a great job with the boys but we are hopeful rather than confident at this stage".

Other former AFL identities who will chance their luck in the coaching stakes today include **Barry Richardson** (Old Xavs), **Dean Rice** (Old Melburnians) and **Steven Wright** (Caulfield Grammarians) while **Adrian Cox** and **Anthony McDonald** (Old Xavs), **Steven McKee** and **Simon Garlick** (St Kevins) and **Luke Beveridge** (St Bedes Mentone Tigers) should spice things up in the playing ranks. Scotch's **Cameron McKenzie-McHarg** may not have an AFL pedigree but the experience of rowing in the Australian Eight at the World Championships should hold him in good stead for the rigours of A Grade football. As always, a host of players have crossed over from suburban and country teams to experience football, VAFA style

Heaven help those B Grade full backs who will acquit themselves against one **S Minton Connell** this season. The canny chest mark specialist seems to have played at every club in Australia during the course of his career but despite his nomadic nature there is one recurring theme, stacks of goals. Business commitments will restrict him in terms of game time but on the back of countless 100 goal + seasons, he should prove a boon for North Old Boys, one of the proudest and most unique clubs in amateur football.

As the **Uni Blues** proved emphatically last year however, former AFL players are by no means a pre-requisite for success. Indeed, common sense dictates that all eyes will be planted on the Melbourne Uni clubs as we head into season 2005. **Jock Nelson**,

arguably the most decorated amateur player of all time with 5 competition best and fairests, says that the Blues exhibited the "most awesome display of hard running I have seen in fifty years of watching amateur football" and it's hard to disagree.

In many ways, their slick, free flowing, handball orientated style of play epitomised the difference between our competition and other local leagues which are characterized by more physical, one on one football.

Similarly, their D Grade cousins **Uni Blacks** rewrote all the rules last year by totally dominating their section. With **David Parkin** operating as a "coaching adviser and high performance playing mentor" and a smattering of ex AFL players engaged, it would be a brave person who would tip against them doing the double. They have won more A Grade flags than any other club and are the third oldest football club in Australia, behind Melbourne and Geelong.

Like the Blacks, **Fitzroy Reds** and **Caulfield Grammarians** loom as the sleeping giants who are looking to rise through the grades in years to come. With a nod to their former affiliate Uni Reds, Fitzroy Reds will celebrate their fiftieth anniversary this year. In 1998, they made the decision to adopt the Fitzroy Football Club colours, theme song and former home ground and with one of the largest supporter bases in the amateurs, they look poised to challenge the dominance of Old Boy and University clubs.

A decade ago, Caulfield were languishing in E Grade, despite having a strong feeder school. The retention of senior players and a policy of taking on former AFL stars as coach has propelled them to B Grade. As their 1st round opponents Whitefriars could well attest however, going from E to A is hard enough, trenching yourself in the premier grade is nigh on impossible.

Whatever the case, the competition has never been stronger and the future looks bright. I hope your team gets off to a great start today.

Premiership Tips

- A. Old Xavs
- B. De La Salle
- C. Uni Blacks
- D1. Ormond
- D2. Old Geelong
- D3. Monash Gryphons
- D4. Elsternwick

Jonathan Horn



Here we go again!

Well, the celebrations of the festive season were well and truly over and that Christmas "excess baggage" began to shed when our new **Fitness Advisor Rob Sneddon** took control of us on that first official night of pre-season training in February. Some umpires had obviously been doing a fair bit of work over the summer, whilst a few looked like they'd "swallowed the furniture". New umpires received a great initiation to the rigours of VAFA umpiring, by week two we'd only scared off a couple. A few retirements as usual, but this year we've topped-up to a pretty reasonable level. Second year Advisor (now full-time Umpire Operations Manager, **Brian (Benny) Goodman**) is licking his lips with the prospect of being able to appoint two field umpires in each game. Umpires over 40 are pretty happy about that too! Run well this weekend, and let's look forward to a successful 2005.

Welcome

A big welcome to 2005's new recruits. **Welcome back** to former VAFA umpires - **Cameron Stewart, Nathan Carlyon, Robert Sneddon, Nick Fennessy** and **Justin Lipson**. To the **new field umpires** who've changed careers - **Nick Keating, Alex Maggio, Michael Ryde** and **Paul Tyrer** from the boundary and **Matthew Simpson** from the goals (will Matt get the Blue 18 shirt under the father-son rule?) Other **new names** include - **Steve Castersen**, Lee Crossley, **Daniel Silfo, Shaun Brailsford, Russell Davidson, Bob Kaindl, Robert O'Gorman, Paul O'Loughlin, John Hughan, David Longworth, Danny Trott, Mark Farrell, Jon Kerr, Dean Schwab, Brent Woodhead, Paul Brown, Nathan Sheppard, Shane McNamara, Danny Ewans, Vaughan Sidebottom, Rod Penaluna, David Anselmi, Ian Kennedy, Graeme Templer, Shane Mackintosh** and **Tom Window**. Hopefully all of these umpires will be out there today representing the VAFAUA for the first time. If we've left you out (or spelt your name wrong) just let us know during the week, we'd like to give everyone a mention. Stay tuned for new boundary and goal umpires.

Goalies

Check out the new look of the VAFA goal umpires today. Does something look different? Good to see **Kevin (Chilli) Segota** back between the posts, fully recovered after an injury that put him out of action for the whole 2004 season.

VFL Umpiring Lists announced

At the completion of the 2004 VAFA premiership season, Brian Goodman nominated **Damian Anderson, Ben Ryde** and **Dash Peiris** to trial with the VFL Development Squad. All three endured a

demanding pre-season schedule involving training, fitness tests and practice matches. They were also regularly seen joining in VAFA pre-season training at Elsternwick Park. About four weeks ago, the VFL umpiring squads were finalised for the 2005 season. It was announced that both Damian Anderson and Ben Ryde would join the VFL Development Squad for season 2005 and umpire in the Under 18 TAC Cup competition throughout Victoria. Dash Peiris will continue to umpire in the VAFA.

The VFL Development Squad is made up of 23 field umpires. It is Damian's second time on the VFL list after having umpired with the Development Squad from 1999-2001. Ben Ryde (2004 Golden Whistle winner) is one of nine umpires who are new to the squad in 2005.

All three umpires are to be congratulated on their efforts during the pre-season.

e-Coaching

All Coaching Sessions conducted by Umpire Operations Manager, Brian Goodman, and his team will be available on www.vafaua.asn.au throughout season 2005. The schedule of Coaching Sessions can already be found by clicking on "Development" in the left margin.

Each Coaching Session will be available throughout the season by clicking on the session title in the Coaching Sessions Timetable.

Brian Goodman is asking all VAFA umpires to attend Coaching Sessions conducted at Elsternwick Park. Umpires unable to attend training should view the information on the fantastically maintained VAFAUA website. Our Webmaster **Tim Sutcliffe** has done a sensational job over summer re-building our site. Bookmark www.vafaua.asn.au and check it out. You might be in it.

Southern FM

Don't forget to tune into Tommy Brain and Steve McCarthy for all the latest VAFA news at 9:30 every Sunday morning on 88.3 Southern FM.

Dates to remember

Thursday 28th April - Annual General Meeting of the VAFAUA. 7:30 pm at Elsternwick Park with our new President, Rob Mayston. Apologies should be addressed to the Secretary, Simon Stokes.

Stay tuned for a run-down on the social calendar next week.

If you have an upcoming milestone, or any other trivial bit of information, just contact Leah (Spider) or Macca during the week.

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D4 SECTION

by Ed Sill



Preview

The planning, brainstorming, recruiting and all other processes that dominate summer and pre-season will be forgotten as the 'real stuff' begins in earnest. It is a great time of year, primarily because all teams are equal and thus expectations high. Unfortunately, a reality check will be put into place by about 4.30pm Saturday afternoon as round 1 draws to a close.

It is always important to remember however that the season is a long one and a loss in round 1 is no different to a loss in round 10. Not the right time for panic, at least not yet. And quick one to remember, the first runner out of the stadium in the Olympic marathon has never been the first one back to the stadium!!

No form guide or round 1 thus we will have to revert to that tried and tested method, the Amateur grapevine. The one name that keeps popping is St. Mary's, a side desperately unlucky not to get through to the Grand Final. The grapevine also suggests that Bulleen will be able to continue their solid form of 2004 whilst one at longer odds, namely Albert Park, has also been the subject of some coat tugging in recent weeks. The loss of Mt Lilydale makes for an interesting situation. Historically, the side demoted via a second last finish start the year as strong contenders. With the Lilydale crew regrouping for the next 12 months, the incumbents in D4 won't face the prospect of two teams coming down to dominate. The other relegated side, Hawthorn was fairly competitive last year and will be keen to reverse the trend of the past two seasons.

As for D4 last year, it truly was a tale of two stories, namely the haves and the have nots. The sides finishing 3-5 were part of a top upper ladder group whilst the sides finishing 6-10 were competitive amongst themselves but were no match for the top five. The gap was fairly large and the five sides in question will have to do a lot of work to build the bridge.

As for **my top four**, I think that **St. Mary's, Bulleen and Elsternwick** (always a strong and

proud club) and **Albert Park** take my fancy with St. Mary's and Bulleen to play off.

As for the league **Best and Fairest**, might take a little liberty and reserve judgment for about 3 weeks as a quick refresher in the D4 stars is undertaken. **Lauletta (H)** and **Allen (Albert Park)** will fight out the **goal kicking**.

Quick preview for round 1.

Box Hill North host Albert Park. The Hillmen finished off reasonable well last year however if the stories are true, Albert Park have had a great pre-season and might be a little too good.

Elsternwick welcome **St Mary's** in this week's match of the round. Despite thinking that St. Mary's will win it, fancy the Wicks home ground advantage might get them over the line.

Richmond travel to **North Brunswick** with a win fairly in mind. Richmond all got better as the year went on however the home ground advantage might be too tough.

Finally, **Bulleen** make the quick trip across to **Hawthorn**. The Hawks might get better as the year goes on whilst the Bulls might be a little bit more settled and record a first up win.

Eltham OC has the bye in Rd1.

Press Correspondents

Looking forward to getting all the information from club scribes. Either email me on ed.sill@locker.com.au or call on 0418348723. Have a great year!

TODAY'S MATCHES

D4 SECTION

Box Hill North v Albert Park

Eltham Collegians - **bye**

Elsternwick v St Marys

North Brunswick v Richmond Central

Hawthorn Amateurs v Bulleen Cobras

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Section 1

Amateur football returns to suburban Melbourne this weekend after a five month break, with ten sides set to contest the 2005 Section One title.

Reigning premiers De La Salle kick off their 2005 campaign with an away fixture against Uni Blues at Crawford Oval. Aiming to become only the eighth-team in Under-19 history to claim back-to-back JS McCann Cups, De La once again have the luxury of a large squad base to choose from with more than fifty players regularly attending training. Managing to hang onto a large percentage of last year's premiership winning side, the only hiccup in the side's preseason training has been the absence of their coach David Madigan who flies in from overseas on the morning of their first game. De La Salle by 13 pts.

Section One runners-up St Kevins face a tough round one initiation this weekend, playing host to Old Xaverians. Former coach Owen Hourigan returns for his second stint with the St Kevins 19s after coaching the side for three seasons in the mid-nineties. Fielding a younger side this weekend St Kevins will go into the game as underdogs, a lack of experience rather than skill likely to be the determining factor. Old Xavs by 7 pts.

In other games, Collegians receive a forfeit victory following the withdrawal of Werribee, St Bernards to rectify a disappointing 2004 with a round one win over Marcellin, while Old Scotch should get the four points at home to Old Brighton.

Section 2

Hey where did those long, endless evenings at the beach go? You know - with a couple of stubbies of Coopers' and a bag of Doritos & salsa dip....When were they replaced with touch skills, running drills, tackle bags, weight circuits and 5 x 1km time trials? Beats me.

Welcome all to season 2005, and the hardest round in Victorian footy to predict, VAFA Under 19 round 1.....

Banyule -v- Old Carey will be a good physical affair with the home side boasting some strong midfielders. Up a section in '05, I expect The OC to put in a good 1st up performance, but the Bears will prevail by 3 goals.

The Fields come down to meet the newly promoted Friars. Daly should have an embarrassment of ex-schoolboy riches at his disposal. Forget the Form-guide at here, the visitors should have enough talent to win by 15 points.

Good oil is the OMs are struggling for numbers and this alone would put them on the back foot in round 1. Facing the Wellers, who were one win away from Section 1 in 2004, means they couldn't have a tougher initiation. Wellers by 12 goals.

The Sharks have been very quiet off-season, and I've little idea of their lead-up form. Naturally, I've got a better idea of the T's, who have had the benefit of 3 solid practice hit-outs against section 1 teams. On that basis, I expect a tough 4 goal away win.

Finally, Showdown III kicks off the season out west where Rupo host the

Bombers. Both teams finished poorly last year, and will be keen to start well. Home side by 3 goals in a ripper.

Section 3

Section 3 is basically an Intervarsity League this season, so we can expect some interesting results 'round exam time!!

Nevertheless, the Trobers will be full of confidence. They face-off against last season's disappointment, the Blacks, who should've nailed the premiership, and will hit the Main Oval at Bundoora at 100mph. Blacks by 6 goals.

Whilst the seniors sides face off at South Yarra, the Hoers and Unicorns lock horns at Chelsworth. Can't say either side impressed last year, but the Hoers should enjoy the drop in a grade to chalk up a solid 5 goal win.

Oakleigh will drive the team bus down Warrigal Rd where the Tigers lie in wait. I was on the Tigers' bandwagon early last season, but it ran out of gas. This year will be different, so it's the home side by 17 points today.

Have the all-conquering Bentleigh Demons managed to keep their side together during summer? The Jackas improved throughout the year, and will be a tougher unit in '05. However, the Demons, with the home advantage, should win by 2 goals.

Spinner's boys couldn't have asked for a better draw to start their new year in Section 3. The Monash boys usually take time to 'gel' and, unless they've chosen to recruit sooner, I expect another slowish start. Raiders by 7 goals.

Section Blue

Great to see Salesian Scorpions here in 2005, but I'm expecting big things from Mick Oaten's boys, who will hit Kingo's Lounge for the club season opener with 4 points tucked away. Ormond by 26 points.

Fresh from an APS victory in '04, the new Bloods should do serious damage. They have the joy of playing on the postage stamp McKinnon #2, which will prove tough for visiting sides. I expect the Pirates will return empty handed – OH by 14 points.

Johnny Tapp used to say “Noddors –v- Rovers: harder to pick than a broken nose”. I tossed the coin and it landed sideways. The crystal ball fogged up, so I turned to the tarot cards, and they said.....Mazenod by 3 goals.

Last game sees Oakleigh Clays hosting De La (2). With plenty of boys looking to show the coaches why they should've been in the 1sts, this will be a hum-dinger. De La Soul to play the first tunes of '05 with a tight 9 point victory.

Section Red

Reigning premiers Fitzroy will remain in Section Red after originally being promoted to Section Three. In all only five of last year's sides are to return for the new campaign, with newcomers Kew and Old Scotch (2), as well as Therry Penola (3) and Emmaus St Leo's (Blue) all ready to challenge for the 2005 title.

After rewriting the under-nineteen history books with an undefeated 2004 campaign, Fitzroy will aim to continue their run of consecutive victories when they face the second-string side from Old Scotch. However the Reds, who like most clubs have experienced a moderate turnover in player numbers, shouldn't underestimate the Scotch seconds given the depth of the club's squad base. Fitzroy by 19 pts.

Newcomers Kew return to under-nineteens competition after several years without a side, a strong affiliation with the Kew Junior Football Club Colts providing sufficient numbers for a team in 2005. While the club will be hoping to build on a base for future years, coach Matthew Jack will optimistically be

aiming to become the first coach of any Kew U19s side to win a premiership. This weekend's initiation is as good as any, a home tie against Bulleen-Templestowe who rallied after a disappointing 2003 to finish mid-table last year. Bulleen-Templestowe by 3 pts. In the round's other two fixtures, Old Westbourne to defeat Aquinas, and Rupertswood to down Therry Penola in a thriller.

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Marcellin v St Bernards
Old Scotch v Old Brighton
University Blues v De La Salle

UNDER-19 SECTION 2

Banyule Viewbank v Old Carey
Caulfield Gr v Whitefriars
Old Melburnians v Old Camberwell
Beaumaris v Old Trinity
Old Essendon Gr v Rupertswood

UNDER-19 SECTION 3

La Trobe Uni v University Blacks
Old Ivanhoe v MHSOB
St Bedes Mentone Tigers v Oakleigh
Bentleigh v AJAX
Monash Blues v Old Paradians

UNDER-19 (2) BLUE

Salesian Scorpions v Ormond – **to be played at Mt. Waverley Reserve, Mt. Waverley (61 F12)**
Old Haileybury v Peninsula O B – **to be played at 9.30 a.m. (TBC)**
Mazenod O C v Hampton Rovers – **to be played at 1.30 p.m.**
Oakleigh Clays v De La Salle (2) – **to be played at Keeley Park Clayton (79 D5)**

UNDER-19 (2) RED

Kew v Bulleen Templestowe
Emmanuel St Leos O C - **bye**
Aquinas O C v Old Westbourne
Rupertswood (2) v Therry Penola O B –
Oval 2, Eric Boardman Reserve, Mitchells Lane, Sunbury (381 G5) (TBC)
Old Scotch v Fitzroy Reds

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Coach: Robin Smith

- 1 M Herkess 38 J Bird
- 2 W Dwyer 39 M Crimson
- 3 M Fieldsend 40 R Breda
- 4 T John 41 J Fisher
- 5 J Pitcher 42 T Robson
- 6 N Roberts 43 I Clancy
- 7 T Kovess 44 M Dean
- 8 M Moore 45 M Munoz
- 9 W Fenton 46 S Morwood
- 10 L O'Donnell 47 O Keaney
- 11 T Silvers
- 12 D Mescher
- 13 T Donegan
- 14 A Cox
- 15 S Nethersole
- 16 J Toniolo
- 17 D Keely
- 18 J McKenzie
- 19 L Bull
- 20 N Burns
- 21 N Stewart
- 22 L Casey
- 23 J Casey
- 24 C Ball
- 25 G Hess
- 26 J Hanson
- 27 S Miles
- 28 J Fletcher
- 29 T Kovarik
- 30 A Demaride
- 31 D Lowe
- 32 A Nasr
- 33 D Hassaballa
- 34 J Oakley
- 35 J Greenhgel
- 36 S Edwards
- 37 D Close

ORMOND

Coach: Michael Oaten

- 1 Ashley, J
- 2 Bailey, D
- 3 Chisholm, R
- 4 Barnes, S
- 5 Brosnan, D
- 6 Denatris, T
- 7 Mclelland, M
- 8 Sayers, R
- 9 Jewell, A
- 10 Calvert, L
- 11 Fisher, S
- 12 Evans, G
- 13 Haysom, D
- 14 Upstill, L
- 15 Johnson, T
- 16 Wilson, A
- 17 Harry, J
- 18 Washfold, L
- 19 Woolfe, T
- 20 Machin, D
- 21 Mogirr, R
- 22 Vipond, S
- 23 Vicli, M
- 24 Turnbull, J
- 25 Woodford, C
- 26 Knoester, L
- 27 Cribbes, A
- 28 Kinniard, L
- 29 Leary, T
- 30 Duthie, L
- 32 Freeman, C
- 33 Ryde, N
- 44 Robbins, B

HAMPTON ROVERS

Coach: Dale Ross

- 1 A Bice
- 2 J Barry
- 3 G Cannell
- 4 S Blanchard
- 5 K Cho
- 6 M Deluca
- 7 C Dowling
- 8 T Fallon
- 9 C Gleeson
- 10 R Henry
- 11 J Hille
- 12 T Hose
- 13 L Jones
- 14 Y Kobayashi
- 15 D Kettle
- 16 R Lang
- 17 T Mitchell
- 18 B Mackie
- 19 B McDonald
- 20 I Nicholls
- 21 D O'Brien
- 22 N Pinto
- 23 T Rootsey
- 24 A Ross
- 25 R Sharpe
- 26 S Suleyman
- 27 J Schafer
- 28 R Semmel
- 29 T Skewes
- 30 L Smith
- 31 N Ulbrick
- 32 M Westhead
- 33 R White
- 34 P Wood
- 35 S Woods
- 36 J Williams
- 37 D Zampaglione

PENINSULA

Coach: Tony Thrupp

- 1 L Walker
- 2 R White
- 3 E Wittich
- 4 R Smith
- 5 D Smith
- 6 B Mitchell
- 7 N Coy
- 8 P Wignall
- 9 B Coldrey
- 10 M Warner
- 11 M Kenny
- 12 A De Lange
- 13 S Robertson
- 14 L Coghlan
- 15 S Byrne
- 16 M Lewis
- 17 D Felvus
- 18 T Madder
- 19 A Crefield
- 20 S McGuinness
- 21 H Nestor
- 22 S Taylor
- 23 C Witzell
- 25 J Rees
- 26 J Murphy
- 27 J Wilmot
- 28 R Trickey
- 29 J Birt

MAZENOD

Coach: Shane Regan

- 1 M. Bertone
- 2 N. Bradley
- 3 S. Castricum
- 4 D. Caughey
- 5 A. Ciavarella
- 6 G. Cocks
- 7 B. Costin
- 8 M. Cummins
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- 17 J. Mather
- 18 D. Micallef
- 19 S. Moran
- 20 A. Norman
- 21 D. Nutting
- 22 M. Pecora
- 23 D. Power
- 24 D. Regan
- 25 E. Roberts
- 26 B. Ross
- 27 S. Smith
- 28 P. Souter
- 29 S. Stanley
- 30 T. Steinfort
- 31 W. Vandergert
- 32 A. Weekes
- 33 R. Wickremasinghe
- 34 A. Winstanley

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TEAMLIST NOT SUPPLIED

OAKLEIGH CLAYS

Coach: Gary Williams

Team Manager: Greg Evangelista

- 1 J. Simon
- 2 K. Nguyen
- 3 J. Lao
- 4 J. Linke
- 5 S. Janjic
- 6 J. Sajenko
- 7 L. De George
- 8 C. Thompson
- 9 C. Rossenis
- 10 A. Plozza
- 11 A. Nasr
- 12 S. Gallagher
- 13 J. Evangelista
- 14 D. Ni
- 15 J. Nevitt
- 16 D. Gilmore
- 17 B. Forbes
- 18 G. Mesley
- 19 D. Smith
- 21 K. Onuru
- 22 S. Levy
- 23 L. Townley
- 24 S.C. Levy
- 25 D. Davidson
- 26 J. Castello
- 27 S. Masoud
- 28 P. Cook
- 29 J. Bolitho
- 30 J. Moffat
- 31 C. Dureau
- 33 S. Kurth
- 34 J. Price
- 35 C. Fletcher
- 40 J. Joseph
- 43 R. Thomas

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Coach: David Lappage

- 1 A. Folino
- 2 M. Scholes
- 3 J. Walsh
- 4 J. Mills
- 5 S. Podaridis
- 7 D. Gilby
- 8 F. Mohammad
- 9 N. Waite
- 10 S. Wilson
- 11 A. McIntyre
- 12 N. Harrison
- 13 D. Mays
- 14 S. Jones
- 15 K. Maltaris
- 16 A. Temby
- 17 J. Stanley
- 18 T. Doukas
- 19 S. Roberts
- 20 M. Fankhauser
- 21 M. Sliberer
- 22 S. Ellis
- 23 J. Elliott
- 24 D. Korios
- 25 S. Lockwood
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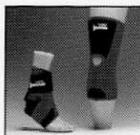


Under-19 – Section RED

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Round 1 2005

Yes it is that time of the year again when the all of the players dust of their boots and head out to Parkville for the first game of 2005.

The season opens with **Moonee Valley Magpies** playing **Maribyrnong Bulldogs 2**. Yes that is right the first game of the season is a clash of traditional rivals. Moonee Valley might just get over the line in what should be a close encounter.

The corresponding game on Oval 2 is between **Port Colts 2** and a new team **Mazenod Panthers** from Oakleigh. Port Colts should be able to use their experience to advantage but we wish the Panthers all of the best for the season and welcome them to the competition.

The next game is between last years Division 1 premiers **Ballam Park 1** and **Broadmeadows 1** who finished in the top four. Ballam Park should win on form but we are sure that Broadmeadows have put in a big preseason and should give a good account of themselves.

Port Colts 1 who played off in last year's Division 2 grand final play **Bulleen Templestowe**. Our scouts have said that Port Colts have had a number of players retire and

this may prove to be the difference between the two sides with Bulleen Templestowe getting the ideal start to 2005.

Ovens & Murray Jets 2 travel down the highway to take on **Broadmeadows 2** in the third game of the day on Oval 1. Going on last year's form Broadmeadows should be able to kick a winning score in what should be an entertaining game.

Maribyrnong Bulldogs last year's Division 2 premiers take on **Ballam Park 2**. This game will be very close but may go to Maribyrnong if they have kept their 2004 squad together.

Mambourin Tigers play **Ovens & Murray Jets 1** on Oval 1. The Tigers are hoping to emulate their name sakes in the A.F.L. and come out in 2005 full of running. Ovens & Murray 1 may have other ideas in a game that is to close to call.

The final game for the day on Oval 2 is between **North Ballarat Knights** and **Parkside**. Parkside from all reports have lost a number of players from 2004 and may find it hard to defeat the Knights who are an experienced combination.

The executive wishes all of the teams and officials the best of luck for season 2005.



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SAT	SOUTH MELBOURNE DISTRICTS V ST JOHNS OC (D3)
SUN	NO MATCHES - GROUND AVAILABLE
NXT SAT	ALBERT PARK V HAWTHORN (D4)
NXT SUN	ST. BERNARDS V MARCELLIN OC (A)
30 APRIL	OLD MELBURNIANS V UNIVERSITY BLUES (A)
1 MAY	FIDA
7 MAY	ST. KEVINS OB V MARCELLIN OC (A)
8 MAY	MOTHERS DAY - NO MATCHES
14 MAY	OLD ESSENDON V CAULFIELD GRAMMARIANS (B)
15 MAY	DE LA SALLE OC V OLD IVANHOE (B)

RESULTS OF TRIBUNAL HEARINGS

Results of Investigation Hearings -

Tuesday, September 21, 2004

1. St. Kevins and De La Salle charged with a minor melee in their under-19 match played at Gerry Green Reserve on Saturday September 11.
 2. St Kevins charged with conduct unbecoming in that during the above game St. Kevins runner, Paul Harrison, allegedly pushed and shoved players and then allegedly wrestled with De La Salle players.
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1. Melee: Both clubs pleaded guilty. Both fined \$300 (De La Salle for 3rd offence and St. Kevins 4th) for a minor melee.
 2. Runner Misconduct: Charge proven. Club fined \$100. Harrison suspended from any official on-field activity for 4 matches.

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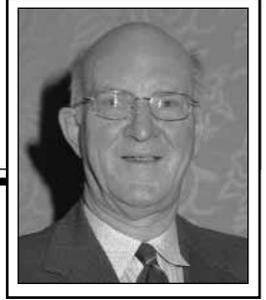
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Winning Edge
Presentations

CLUB XVIII SECTION

by Norm Nugent



The successful format of previous seasons continues with twenty nine teams divided into three sections. The annual change of team participation has continued with the loss of an Old Scotch side and Monash Gryphons. Into the competition comes another Fitzroy Reds side and Mt Lilydale return after a season in F Section (1999) and our seasons in D4 Section and one in D3.

Another successful season is anticipated especially at this time of optimism when each club is sure it will experience premiership glory on the third Sunday in August!!!

Preview of Round 1.

Section 1

St Kevins, hoping for more success than in 2004, host reigning premiers, Old Xaverians, who have past. Why should 2005 be any different? It's Old Xaverians for me!

Runners up Mazenod play host to Mt Lilydale. In 2004 Mazenod were a very successful combination who should be able to win today. Mt Lilydale are an unknown quantity. Their loss of players must have an effect on their standard of performance although they have a tremendous advantage when they play at home. Mazenod should win narrowly.

Old Melburnians, newly promoted, and with many new faces meet Prahran, whose abnormal pre season training made the news. Personnel changes at Prahran, will give the "Two Blues" a changed look. Without any knowledge of who will take the field, I lean to Prahran to take the points as their experience

should carry them to victory.

Old Scotch following their success last season play Old Brighton, who did not achieve their usual degree of success last season. The younger Old Scotch team is my selection because the Old Brighton players may take a while to adjust to their new coaching regime.

University Blues will unfurl their pennant before facing De La Salle, who missed the finals last year for the first time in seven seasons. I know many of the premiership team have left the Blues, who have moved up in standard. However I select them to win to show they will be serious contenders in the section.

Section 2

Marcellin, who will appreciate their participation in this section, host Fitzroy Reds, who have been finalists in the past two years. I favour Fitzroy Reds as I fancy their depth of talent will give them superiority over Marcellin.

Collegians should be able to defeat University Blacks on the new Harry Trott Oval. University teams are notoriously slow starters and those Club XVIII players who played against Old Paradians on March 19 certainly will need the run today.

Old Xaverians, who were leading as the final 2004 siren sounded, play Therry Penola today. The Xaverians are my selection as Bob's Therry Penola players tend only to be "Lyons" at home.

Old Essendon are at home to last

season's runner's up Old Trinity at East Keilor. Old Essendon, who struggled last season, will appreciate their movement to Section 2. However Old Trinity will prove worthy opponents. At home, I favour Old Essendon to win by a small margin.

Eley Park or the Box Hill Sharks, have gained "bite" through judicious recruiting, according to my sources. They do face a difficult game first up at Monash where the "Blues" are always hard to defeat. Early in the season is the most vulnerable time for University sides and so I select the Sharks to win first up.

Section 3

Old Scotch, should be able to defeat the young La Trobe University side at St James Park. As many of the La Trobe players are coming from the Under 19s, I feel the more experienced Old Scotch players will triumph.

Caulfield Grammarians, in their second season, are at home to Whitefriars, who disappointed last season. Availability of players is an unknown and my selection of Whitefriars is purely a hunch based on the fact that they will field the more experienced players.

Newcomers Fitzroy Reds are an unknown quantity, who will face tough opposition from Emmaus - St Leos. Given Emmaus - St Leos were finalists last season, I suggest they will defeat the Fitzroy Reds.

North Old Boys, under the astute leadership of veteran Damian Cerini should prove too strong for Old Geelong, whose form over many seasons has been erratic.

Old Carey has the bye due to St. Bernards OC recent withdrawal.

Press Correspondents

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TODAY'S MATCHES

CLUB 18 (1)

Mazenod O C v Mt Lilydale O C -
**switched from original draw
commencing at 11.10 a.m.**

Old Melburnians v Prahran
Old Scotch v Old Brighton
University Blues v De La Salle
St. Kevins v Old Xaverians

CLUB 18 (2)

Fitzroy Reds v Marcellin - **game
switched from original draw - at Punt
Road Oval, Richmond at 2 p.m. (TBC)**

Collegians v University Blacks
Old Xaverians (2) v Therry Penola O B
Old Essendon Gr v Old Trinity
Monash Blues v Box Hill Sharks

CLUB 18 (3)

Old Scotch (2) v La Trobe Uni
Caulfield Gr v Whitefriars
Fitzroy Reds (2) v Emmaus St Leos OC -
**at Punt Road Oval, Richmond at
11.40 a.m.**

North Old Boys v Old Geelong
Old Carey has the bye



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STRUCTURE OF 2005 COMPETITION

A SECTION

- * COLLEGIANS
- MARCELLIN
- OLD HAILEYBURY
- OLD MELBURNIANS
- OLD SCOTCH
- OLD TRINITY
- OLD XAVERIANS
- ST. BERNARDS
- * ST. KEVINS
- UNIVERSITY BLUES

B SECTION

- * CAULFIELD GR.
- # DE LA SALLE
- MAZENOD
- * MHSOB
- NORTH OLD BOYS
- OLD BRIGHTON
- OLD ESSENDON
- OLD IVANHOE
- ST. BEDES MENT.TIG
- # WHITEFRIARS

C SECTION

- AJAX
- * BANYULE
- # BEAUMARIS
- HAMPTON ROVERS
- MONASH BLUES
- OLD CAMBERWELL
- # OLD PARADIANS
- PARKDALE VULTURES
- TERRY PENOLA
- * UNIVERSITY BLACKS

D1 SECTION

- AQUINAS
- * BULLEEN-TEMPLESTOWE
- FITZROY REDS
- # GLEN EIRA
- OLD MENTONIANS
- ORMOND
- * OLD CAREY
- PRAHRAN
- # ST. LEOS EMMAUS
- YARRA VALLEY

D2 SECTION

- BENTLEIGH
- IVANHOE-ASSUMPTION
- LA TROBE UNI
- * OAKLEIGH
- OLD GEELONG
- # PENINSULA OB
- * RUPERTSWOOD
- # SALESIAN O C
- SWINBURNE UNI
- WILLIAMSTOWN CYMS

D3 SECTION

- * KEW
- # MONASH GRYPHONS
- * OLD WESTBOURNE
- POWER HOUSE
- ST. JOHNS
- STH. MELB. DISTRICTS
- SYNDAL TALLY HO
- UHS-VU
- WERRIBEE
- # WEST BRUNSWICK

D4 SECTION

- ALBERT PARK
- BOX HILL NORTH
- BULLEEN COBRAS
- ELSTERNWICK
- ELTHAM
- # HAWTHORN
- NORTH BRUNSWICK
- RICHMOND CENTRAL
- ST. MARYS



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KEY

- * promoted up a section(s)
- ** New teams for 2005
- # dropped down a section(s)

UNDER-19 SECTION 1

- * COLLEGIANS
- DE LA SALLE
- MARCELLIN
- OLD BRIGHTON
- OLD SCOTCH
- OLD XAVERIANS
- ST. BERNARDS
- ST. KEVINS
- UNIVERSITY BLUES

UNDER-19 SECTION 2

- BANYULE-VIEWBANK
- BEAUMARIS
- # CAULFIELD GRAMMARIANS
- OLD CAMBERWELL
- OLD ESSENDON
- OLD CAREY
- OLD MELBURNIANS
- OLD TRINITY
- RUPERTSWOOD
- * WHITEFRIARS

UNDER -19 SECTION 3

- AJAX
- * BENTLEIGH
- * LA TROBE UNI
- MHSOB
- MONASH BLUES
- OAKLEIGH
- # OLD IVANHOE
- OLD PARADIANS
- ST. BEDES MENT TIGERS
- UNIVERSITY BLACKS

STRUCTURE OF 2005 COMPETITION

UNDER-19 BLUE

DE LA SALLE (2)
HAMPTON ROVERS
MAZENOD OC
OAKLEIGH CLAYS
**OLD HAILEYBURY
ORMOND
PENINSULA OB
**SALESIAN SCORPIONS
THERY PENOLA

UNDER-19 RED

AQUINAS OC
BULLEEN-TEMPLESTOWE
EMMAUS ST. LEOS
FITZROY REDS
**KEW
OLD WESTBOURNE
**OLD SCOTCH (2)
RUPERTSWOOD (2)

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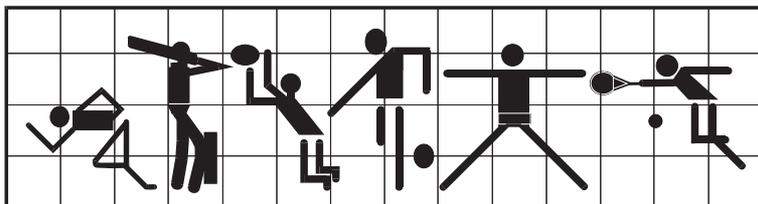
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OLD XAVERIANS
PRAHRAN
ST. KEVINS
UNIVERSITY BLUES*

CLUB XVIII (2)

COLLEGIANS
BOX HILL SHARKS
OLD XAVERIANS (2)
FITZROY REDS
MARCELLIN#
MONASH BLUES
OLD ESSENDON
* OLD TRINITY
THERY PENOLA
UNI. BLACKS

CLUB XVIII (3)

CAULFIELD GRAMMARIANS
EMMAUS ST. LEOS
**FITZROY REDS (2)
LA TROBE UNIVERSITY
NORTH OLD BOYS
OLD CAREY
OLD GEELONG
OLD SCOTCH (2)
WHITEFRIARS OC#



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