



President's Corner

The end of the season is fast approaching and soccer for 2007 will be all over before we know it. We have some good news, some bad news and a lot of in-between news. Usually people want to hear the good news first. Please note that there will be one more 2007 edition of the newsletter in November.

A Hearty congratulations to yet another Altona soccer star Nicola O'Shea-Korbut from the Under 11 Gold team who has been selected for the North-West regional girls U/12's team and will play in a regional carnival during October, to be held here in Melbourne. Well done Nicola and well done to all the other Altona players who have made it to the next level in soccer. Please if you know of any players who have achieved further success in soccer.

We have another pole with lights for the bottom pitch which means that we can use the whole pitch for training. We are also looking at purchasing two mobile light towers. A big thank you to Ivan Laus and Sash Radevski for all their hard work to improve the lighting situation at the club it is truly appreciated.

On a sadder note it is with deep regret that we let you all know of the death of Michael Chetcuti who was assistant coach for the under 12 Maroon team and Ray Chetcuti's father. We extend our deepest condolences to Ray and his family at this very sad time.

We also would like to welcome Brian Sweeney to the coaching ranks of Altona City who will be replacing Dominic Barba in the Under 13 Super League team. We wish Dominic every success in his future endeavours and thank him for all his coaching contributions at Altona City.

Team and portrait photos will be taking place on WEDNESDAY 5 AND THURSDAY 6 SEPTEMBER. Kangaroo Photos is the company that will be taking the photos this year. Below is the roster for the photo shoot. Please remember to wear FULL Altona City Kit and Coaches and team Managers to wear Altona jackets. Order forms will be available from your Coach and or Team Managers. Photos will be distributed at the Junior Presentation Day.

Wishing you all the best
Patricia Josipovic
President



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JUNIOR PRESENTATION DAY

Junior Presentation Gala Day will be held on Sunday 11 November from 10am to 4pm after all the tournaments have been completed. Please put this date in your diary.

SENIOR PRESENTATION DAY

The Senior Presentation night will take place on Saturday 6 October 2007 at the Grandstar Reception Centre. This Presentation night will be for the Seniors, Reserves, Thirds, Open Women, Under 18 Boys, Under 16 Girls. For further information please contact Joe Gerada on 0417367897.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual general Meeting will take place at 2pm on Sunday 2 December, 2007 at the Altona City clubrooms.

LADIES NIGHT

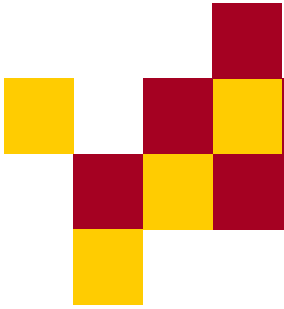
A big thank you to Chrissy Gerada for organising the Ladies night on Saturday 18th August. A great time was had by all. Thank you to everyone who contributed to make it an entertaining and very enjoyable night.

FFV ZONE STRATEGIC MEETING

Football federation Victoria are conducting their FFV Zone Strategic meetings. The North Western Zone meeting will be held on TUESDAY 18 SEPTEMBER FROM 6.30 TO 9.30 AT DISC in Thornbury. If you have any issues you would like to raise in relation to football development in Victoria please make them known to the ACSC committee who can forward them on your behalf at this meeting.

FAMILY NIGHTS

What better way to unwind as a family and team than to have a family night. As the clubrooms cannot accommodate all our families on one night, we would like to hold a couple of family nights that will have a auctions, trivia quizzes (focus on soccer), light supper, music and general entertainment. Some thoughts are 12 teams per night for example, Under 7 to Under 11 including the Goal kick players on one night and the Under 12 to Under 18 plus Thirds, Seniors, Reserves, Open Women on another Saturday night. If you have players who are in both groups then you can choose which night you want to attend. As the weather will be improving by October and we have use of outdoor heaters we could use the outside pavilion as well to accommodate everyone. Team tables could be booked. Suggested dates are Saturday 23, 30 September or Saturday 13, 20 October. Could you please indicate your interest in such an event by completing the tear off slip at the end of the newsletter and returning it to the canteen by 9 September, 2007.



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ALTONA CITY FAMILY NIGHT

Please circle appropriate response

Are you interested in attending a family night at Altona City

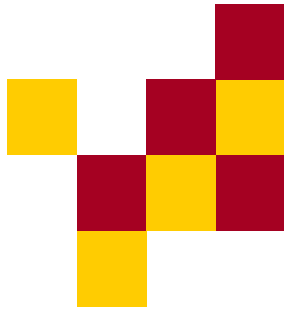
YES

NO

If you are interested in a family night, please indicate what entertainment would you like to have at these family nights?

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Please return completed slip to Canteen by **SUNDAY 9 September, 2007** Thank you for your response.



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TEAM PHOTOS ROSTER

Wednesday 5 September

4.30pm Under 10 M
4.45pm Under 11 G
5.00pm Under 11 M
5.15pm Under 14 Girls
5.30pm Under 12 G
5.45pm Under 14 B
6.00pm Under 15 M
6.15pm Under 15 SL
6.30pm Under 13 SL
6.45pm Thirids

Thursday 6 September

4.30pm Under 9 G
4.45pm Under 9 M
5.00pm Under 10 G
5.15pm Under 12 M
5.30pm Open Women
5.45pm Under 9 M
6.00pm Under 16 Girls
6.15pm Under 8 G
6.30pm Under 8 M
6.45pm Under 18
7.00pm Seniors
7.15pm Reserves