



News from the Lakers!



Newsletter – Round 1, 2013

The weather gods were smiling upon us to open the season with a solid start to the season with our netballers taking a clean sweep, whilst our junior footy sides performed well but our 14 and 16.5's struggling against stronger opponents.

This week we take on Ballarat at Alfredton in a dual gate game with our seniors. This will be Ballarats first home game on their new junior oval and we note that cars are unable to park around the ground. Therefore parking may be at a premium. It is also important to note that there is no seating or shelter available so if you are coming to watch a few games it may be worth throwing a chair or two in and maybe an umbrella or maybe a hat - maybe both is a good idea because who knows what the weather may do!!

Because it's a dual gate game, each player will require a pass from the BFL to enter the ground free of charge. These will be handed out at training this week. Failure to bring this pass on game day will see players and their families charged for entrance. Note cars may be charged regardless of the pass.

Note that there will see changes to game times for our netballers only. Coaches will advise the girls at training this week.

** PIZZA/DISCO NIGHT **



Come along this Saturday night at the Lakers clubrooms for a Pizza/Disco night. Cost \$15 per family or \$5 per player and we will also run a disco for the players

on the night. Kids feel free to bring along your ipod with your favourite songs on it. If you don't feel like dancing, there will be Karaoke as well, so kids bring your best voices and parents a set of ear muffs may help! FUN BEGINS AT 6.30pm

This is a great opportunity to get together early in the season and meet other players and parents in the club.

**** CLUB CAPTAINS ****

Congratulations to our club captains.

Football

Under 16.5's Co-Captains Harrison Robertson & Max Lawrence, Vice Captains Eamonn McCuskey, Darrien Mann & Jono Neville

Under 14's Captain Xavier Schuurs, Vice Captains Callum Mc Kay & Kynan Raven

Under 12's Captain Matthew O'Connell. Vice Captains Noah McIntosh & Lochie Pett

Netball

Under 16.5's Captain Sarah McCabe Vice Captain Emma Day

Under 14's Captain Isabel Fraser Vice Captain Tia McLachlan

Under 12's Captain Grace Turner Vice Captain Tessa Canny.

**** CONGRATULATIONS ****

Congratulations to the following boys who played their 50th games this weekend.

Xavier Schuurs and Kynan Raven.

SPONSORS...

The club has a number of excellent sponsors, and you wish to get involved please contact Nat, Neil or Darrin to discuss.

Many thanks to our match day sponsors:-

- McDonalds
- Pinkys Pizza

- Ballarat Leagues Club
- Wendys Wendouree
- Stockland Wendouree

Girls Junior Footy Team...

The Youth Girls team kicks off this Sunday at Alfredton and the club are still seeking players. Training is Monday nights from 4.15 at Lakers and interested parties should contact Fiona Edwards on 0418 518 004.

Auskick...

Wendouree Auskick will commence on Friday 19th April 6.00 to 7.30 running every Friday night through to the 28th June, under lights, on the Lakers main oval.

Coordinators Leah and Tracey are keen to see plenty of little Auskickers this season, along with Coaches Tom and Mark, who are eager to create a fun environment for children to learn and develop their AFL skills.

Register online at www.aflauskick.com.au

Assistance



We require more volunteers for the canteen roster, especially in the later timeslots from 11.30 to 4.00. **A big call out to our Under 14 and Under 16.5 football and netball families to assist.**

If every family did one 2 hour slot per year then the burden is more evenly shared. Please contact Julie Bulter on 0417 363 172 to register your time.

Thanks to those that assisted on the weekend both in the canteen and with match day duties. We require volunteers every game to enable both the boys and girls play on the weekend, so please make yourself known to coaches and team managers and offer your assistance.

Canteen Roster - Saturday 27th April

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| 7.30 - 9.30 | Alicia Rodd, Jodie Gilbert, Bekky Fleming, Felicity Harte |
| 9.30 - 11.30 | Catharine Catherall, Fiona Chatterjee, Thea Hubble , Cathy Freeman |
| 11.30 - 1.30 | Helene Jarred, Carolyn Robertson, Denise McCuskey (1 vacancy) |
| 1.30 - 4.00 | Ger Edwards (3 vacancies) |

Merchandise

Merchandise including bags, hoodies, old playing jumpers and track pants are still available for purchase. Contact Jodie Gilbert on 0438 301 027 for orders.

DATES TO REMEMBER



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| Team Photos - | Thursday 23 th May from 4.30 in the clubrooms |
| Races Night - | Friday 31 st May 2013 |
| Lakers Ball - | Saturday 6 th July |
| Trivia Night - | 20 th July 2013 |
| Major Fun Day- | 4 th August 2013 |

REMINDERS

Footy Jumpers & Dresses

Footy jumpers and netball dresses should only be worn at the game, and removed after you have played if boys and girls are staying at the oval/netball courts for long periods after they have played.

They are not to be worn at footy training, but the club does have old playing jumpers for sale at \$20 each if you wish to wear the clubs colours at training.

Tape

Please note that the trainers will not supply boys with tape to hold down their laces during the season. If your son requires tape please ensure that you supply your own and that at the end of the game tape is disposed off in the bins rather than left on the floor.

Rubbish

Please ensure that all rubbish be it in the rooms or around the grounds is disposed off in the bins rather than left on the floor or around the oval.

Lost property

Please make sure that you keep items of clothing in a secure location and remember to collect your articles of clothing after you have played.

Several pairs of footy boots were left in the rooms following Sunday's game and can be found in the lost and found tub located in the trailer.

Skins

Skins have become more popular in recent years as the boys try to emulate their favourite players. The BFL have a policy that skins must be skin colour. Boys who wear the incorrect skins will be unable to take the field without removing the skins.

FOOTBALL RESULTS

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MARS U/16.5 SENIORS

Bacchus Marsh 12.20.92 def Lake Wendouree 12.20.92

Goal Kickers: T. Liston , D. Mann , M. Lawrence , S. Jackson , A. Gillett , E. Mc Cuskey , L. Mc Intosh

Best Players: T. Liston, M. Crosier, L. Mc Intosh, H. Bennett, M. Lawrence, T. Lawrence

MARS U/16.5 RESERVES

Bacchus Marsh 24.21.165 def Lake Wendouree 2.4.16

Goal Kickers: T. Chatterjee , L. McIntyre

Best Players: B. Morshead, N. Gemmola, J. O'Connor, A. Spratling, J. New, J. Relouw

SCHWEPPE U/14 SENIORS

Bacchus Marsh 12.10.82 def Lake Wendouree 6.1.37

Goal Kickers: C. Harte , L. Currie-Jones , J. O'Connell , L. Fahey , F. Robertson , C. McKay

Best Players: J. O'Connell, B. Creelman, R. Emerson-Jones, C. McKay,
B. Andrews, L. Currie-Jones

SCHWEPPE U/14 RESERVES

Bacchus Marsh 13.11.89 def. Lake Wendouree 0.3.3

BALLARAT TOYOTA U/12 SENIORS

Lake Wendouree 5.4.34 def. Bacchus Marsh 1.1.7

Goal Kickers: H. Carter 2, M. McLachlan 2, J. Loader

Best Players: C. Bath, N. Browning, O. Pryor, L. Black, L. Pett, M. McLachlan

BALLARAT TOYOTA U/12 RESERVES

Lake Wendouree 4.1.25 def. Bacchus Marsh 1.2.8

Goal Kickers: S. Antrobus 2, L. Worthington, M. Nash

Best Players: T. Nunn, S. Rajesh, A. Davis, L. Hubble, S. Antrobus, L.
Worthington

UNDER 10 SENIORS

A well contested match but were unable to get over a strong Bacchus Marsh.

Goalkickers: Cooper James 2 Fletcher McGuire 1

Best Players: Flynn Loader, Sam Butler, Rory Gibson, Thomas Cleary & Patrick
Corbett

UNDER 10 RESERVES

Great start to the day with the boys winning well showing great skill and team
work.

Goalkickers: Jude McGuire 4, Ty Palmer 3 and Harry Mikus 1

Best Players: Casey Henning, Ty Palmer, Joe Fraser, Brodie Tobin and Bill
McKechnie

NETBALL RESULTS

Apologies for anyone missed off the scoring or best players list, the netball
website isn't up and running to form as yet, we hope this is rectified in the
next few weeks.

iiNet UNDER 16.5 SENIORS

Lake Wendouree 35 def Bacchus Marsh 15
Goal Shooters; Emma Day, Sarah McCabe, Courtney O'Connell

iiNet UNDER 16.5 RESERVES

Lake Wendouree 30 def. Bacchus Marsh 17
Goal Shooters; Celie Hay, Ebonie McSparron, Jaya Keogh, Olivia Aringo
Best Players: Olivia Aringo, Millie Harte, Jaya Keogh

iiNet UNDER 14 SENIORS

Lake Wendouree 29 def. Bacchus Marsh 26
Goal Shooters; Chelsea Amarant, Hayley Ryan, Eva Gillett, Teah Rosenow
Best Players; Grace Todd, Eva Gillett, Hayley Ryan

iiNet UNDER 14 RESERVES

Lake Wendouree 10 def. Bacchus Marsh 8
Goal Shooters; Sara Chatterjee, Olivia Loader, Annie Turner

iiNet UNDER 12 SENIORS

Lake Wendouree 34 def. Bacchus Marsh 7
Goal Shooters: Tessa Canny, Paetyn Jarred, Ellena Raven, Jayde McSparron

iiNet UNDER 12 RESERVES

Lake Wendouree 8 def. Bacchus Marsh 2
Goal Shooters; Ellie Carr, Sophie Davis-Rex, Freya Valpied
Best Players: Ellie Carr, Freya Valpied, Enya Duke

ANY GAME DAY PHOTOS ARE APPRECIATED AND WILL BE ADDED TO THE LAKERS WEBSITE. PLEASE FORWARD ON TO EITHER;

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