



TOLLAND FOOTBALL CLUB. Club Newsletter



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April 2009

Meeting For All Coaches

All coaches please take note that there will be an important information meeting on Sunday, 26th April to commence at 7pm at the Rules Club.

This will be held straight after the 1st round of senior matches on that day.

Junior Teams

Please be advised that we have had to combine some junior teams in age groups, due to not enough players to make up full, even teams.

For example, under 11's now have two teams instead of three as in previous years.

We have tried to keep players together where possible.

Junior Team Club Shirts

Team shirts will be provided to each coach at the first training session. These shirts are not to be taken home by individual players. They are to be collected at the end of each game and washed as a team. It is recommended that this is done on a roster system by the parents for each team. These shirts are a valuable club asset and they must be washed strictly in accordance with the instructions provided.



**** Season Starts for Juniors ****

The Junior Soccer season kicks off on the 2nd of May.

All Junior teams are attached and will commence training in the week proceeding the first game at French Fields - from Monday 27th April onwards on whatever day is listed on the attached team sheets.

You cannot play, until you have paid your fees in full.

Your coach should be able to answer any of your questions or you can contact Donna O'Grady, the Tolland Football Clubs Jnr Vice President.

This year, we have been fortunate enough to have a Bronze Sponsor support the Junior Teams and the player of the Match awards for every junior team will receive a voucher from Wendy's in the Marketplace.



**WENDY'S (Marketplace store) – BRONZE SPONSORSHIP -
PLAYER OF THE MATCH AWARDS FOR EVERY JUNIOR TEAM.**

Ladies Football.



Recently, I attended the Women's team training at Kessler Park at the invitation of the Club's President who is coaching this team for 2009. Tolland FC have not had a Women's team for a few years and we are pleased to report that all players are coming together very well as a team. Also, they have all survived an interclub trial held recently. They are an enthusiastic bunch of trainers and I have included a few photos of this session. Go Girls, we are sure you will do the Club proud.



KFC (North Wagga Store) – AFFILIATE SPONSORS - U/18 's



Need Shorts or Socks ?

These items will be available for purchase at 1st & 2nd week of training.

Shorts \$20

Socks \$10



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Soon, log onto our revamped webpage: www.tollandwolves.com.au
It is a valuable tool to find out about the club, what's on and soon, the draws and results with links to other soccer webpages. Why not check it out today. See what has already happened and what's coming up...

Wolves in the Community

"Wolves in the Community" was a new initiative for 2009 being run by Tolland Football Club (TFC). It's a program where members of our committee and club participated in an organised social day in order to develop and promote our club within the community, as well as putting back into the community by way of running a coaching clinic and provide a donation, to assist the chosen group with purchasing sporting equipment or uniforms. The first such program was held at Mt Austin Public School on 13th March. Coordinator of this first event was Martin Loy, Fundraising Officer of Tolland FC. We also had our Club President Steve Wait in attendance during this event, as well as our 2009 Seniors Coach, Pat O'Brien and other members of the committee. Tim Wilson from Football NSW also conducted the coaching clinic with support from Tolland FC players. Due to an existing relationship with Sam Gray, a teacher at Mount Austin Public School and also a committee member, we thought that this school would be a great place to launch the Wolves in the Community Program. The Tolland FC committee members believed that the Wolves in the Community initiative was successful because of the planning that was put into the day. It was also due to the generosity of Tolland FC sponsors and supporters. Here are a few piccy's of the day.



The Tolland FC also presented the school with a cheque to purchase a set of jerseys for the school team. We were also announced as a sponsor on those jerseys as well !!!

PLAYING TIMES JUNIOR FOOTBALL 2009 SMALL SIDED GAMES

UNDER 6	11.40am	(20min halves) 5min break
UNDER 7	10.50am	(20min halves) 5min break
UNDER 8	10.00am	(20min halves) 5min break
UNDER 9	10.30am	(25min halves) 5min break
UNDER 10	9.00am	(25min halves) 5min break

Note - ALL SSG games will be held on Bolton Park

JUNIOR COMPETITIONS GAMES

UNDER 11	9.00am	(25min halves) 10min break
UNDER 12	10.15am	(25min halves) 10min break
UNDER 13	11.30pm	(25min halves) 10min break
UNDER 14	12.45pm	(30min halves) 10min break
UNDER 15	2.00pm	(30min halves) 10min break
JUNIOR GIRLS (11,12,13 YEARS)	1.00pm	(25min halves) 10min break
SENIOR GIRLS (14,15,16 YEARS)	2.30pm	(30min halves) 10 min break

Football Wagga

Football Wagga Wagga has its website at:

www.footballwagga.info

All draws, ladders and information about your age division will be available on this site very soon. Info is updated weekly for competition games and you will find up to date comp ladders on the site each week once the season begin.



What is the speed of darkness?



60 Seconds with:

Our Club Senior Coach, Patrick O'Brien.

When I asked Patrick the "Hard Questions", these were the answers:

Name:	Patrick O'Brien
Born Where:	Darwin
First Employed as:	Petrol Pump Attendant
Started Playing Football When:	5 years of age
Favourite Food:	Roast
Favourite Drink:	Scotch
You Snack on:	Too much of anything
First Music Album / Record you bought:	Queen's Greatest Hits
Favourite Holiday Location:	Pambula Beach
Hobbies outside Work and Sport:	Monaro's and Street Machines
Pet Hate:	People that speak in smoke and mirrors
Highlight in Football Career:	Coaching & Playing in the 2007 Premiership winning squads.
Lowlight of Football Career:	Wooden spooners in 2000 after winning a premiership in 1999
Funniest Thing from Football that sticks in your mind:	Paul Murphin
Favourite Playing Position:	Striker
Favourite Football Superstar:	Peter Schmeical
Favourite Movie or TV Show:	Highlander
Book / Magazine Last Read:	Monaro Story
Playstation or X-Box or Wii:	Playstation and Wii
Coffee or Coke:	Coffee
Takeaway or Home cooked:	Home Cooked
As the Tolland Football Club Senior Coach in 2009, you will...	Endeavour to ensure that our youth players are technically correct.



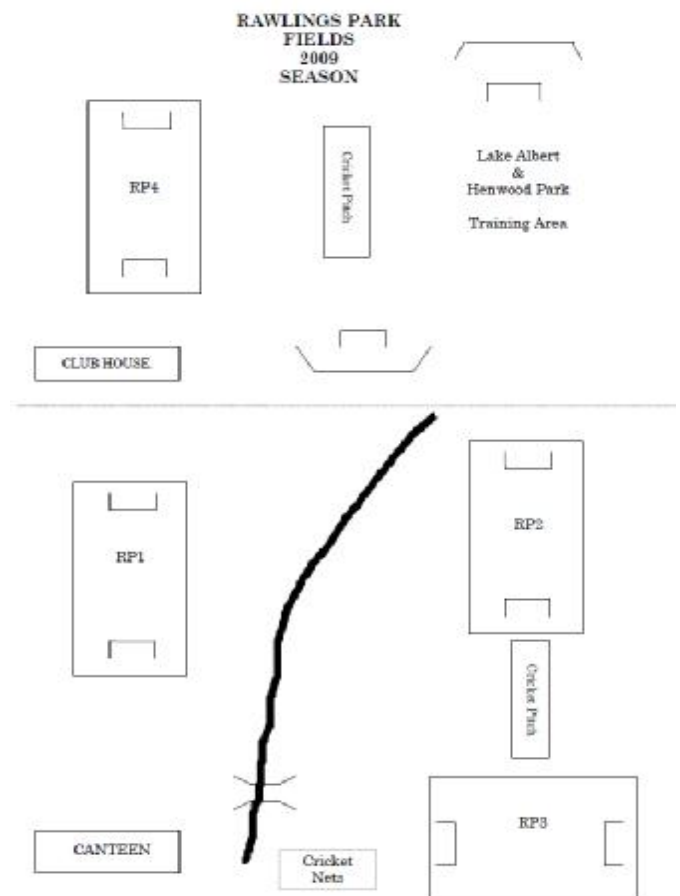
Pat, thanks for spending 60 Seconds with our readers. Cheers, Tony.

Team Management

Each team has a coach that has volunteered his/her time to assist your child. Along with a coach, each team must have a parent to assist with management of the team whilst the coach runs the team on game day. Please consider offering your assistance to the coach. Note, that a team can have more than one manager.

If your team does not have a coach listed please consider volunteering. Assistance is available and you can choose the day and time that suits you.

Jenny & Sue hard at work finalising paperwork at Senior Training recently.



Why do Kamikaze pilots wear helmets?



Tolland FC thanks Riverina Physiotherapy Centre as a sponsor & asks all club members & supporters, that where possible, use Riverina Physiotherapy as their first choice for treatment. Please let the receptionist know that you're a member of Tolland Football Club, to let them know we are supporting them, as they have supported us.. Ph 69217866.

Once the season kicks off, if your coach would like to submit any items of interest, a progress report or just like to let the rest of the club know how you're doing, you can send it through to me, Tony Yeomans at ihateweekdays@gmail.com and we will include the report / photo in the next newsletter for all to see and be amazed...

TFC thanks The Rules Club for the weekly player of the round award for our Senior Women's team.



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TFC Inaugural Black Tie Gala Dinner 2009

The venue is booked and plans are being made for this exciting event.

This is to be held at The Murrumbidgee Turf Club on Saturday, the 6th of June on the evening of the long weekend. It will be held in conjunction with the 20 year reunion of the team involved with re-entry of Tolland back into 1st Grade and also a 10 year reunion of the 1999 Premiership Winning Side.

Plans are in progress if you know someone who was involved with either of these teams, have photos or news items or just want to find out more information give our president Steve Wait a call on 69260535 Wk or email swait@thomasbros.com.au

Training Sessions

All players should attend the training sessions with their team. Players must wear shin pads and boots are recommended.



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Rebel Sport, although only a new partner with the club, has already in a short space of time shown how professional they can make us look when we purchased our new Seniors Uniforms recently. Every time we reward Rebel with a purchase, they will

reward our club with sponsorship credits. Rebel have been chosen as our Shorts sponsor for this 2009. Rebel will provide player of the match vouchers for each round for our Men's 1st grade team and also gave every player in our club a drink bottle at our recent registration days. They have donated 2 Australian jerseys for raffles during the rego days and a 5% discount to any club member throughout the season on any purchase in the store. Please support Rebel Sports who supports us.

What's Happening in 2009:

26th April - Senior Games commence.
26th April - ALL Coaches Meeting at Rules Club
2nd May - Juniors Games commence.
June long weekend - Inaugural Black Tie Dinner
23rd August - Tolland Carnival.

2009 CLUB SPONSOR – JOSS GROUP

2009 GOLD SPONSOR – SPAR SUPERMARKET HOLBROOK

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2009 SILVER SPONSOR – THE RULES CLUB

2009 SILVER SPONSOR – CENTRAL CLEANING SUPPLIES

2009 BRONZE SPONSOR – RIVERINA PHYSIOTHERAPY

2009 BRONZE SPONSOR – JM TOTAL PROPERTY SERVICES

2009 BRONZE SPONSOR – TFC OLD BOYS CLUB



Tolland Soccer Club Meeting.
Our Club has 371 Junior & Senior players yet only 12 or so people attend the monthly meetings and run the club.

We have a small number of parents who always offer their help for fundraisers and of course, our coaches who offer up their time each week. Why don't you think about coming to a monthly committee meeting. We would value your input. Our next club meetings will be held on Mondays 11th May and 8th June at the Rules Club commencing at 7.30pm. We look forward to meeting some new people who wish to take an interest in what the club is doing, bring ideas or just to listen.

Why doesn't Tarzan have a beard?

The SPAR Supermarket is located in Holbrook and they have provided player of the match vouchers for the Mens 2nd grade team. SPAR Holbrook specialises in wholesale supply of Groceries, Fresh Produce, Meat and Bread to businesses for resale or catering purposes and are able to distribute throughout the Wagga area at competitive prices. Store contact: SPAR Supermarket Holbrook - Andrew Ceeney (02) 60363800



As a Parramatta Eels supporter, I have had to endure the following of late:

- # The Eels training was cancelled the other day due to a suspicious white powder found on the field. After calling the police and having the substance analyzed it was discovered this substance was in fact the tryline. Training resumed as it was assumed the Eels would never encounter this substance again.
- # The Coach took the Eels for a training run and first up he told everyone to assume their normal position. They all went and stood behind the goalposts waiting for the conversion.
- # The Eels are making a help line available for fans who are disappointed with their team's recent performance. The help line number is 1800 10 10 10. - That's 1800 won nothing won nothing won nothing.
- # Osama bin Laden has appeared on Iraqi TV this morning to quell a rumour of his death in an explosion in Bagdad yesterday. To prove that he is still alive, he quoted that he had watched the rugby league game on TV last weekend and that the Eels played like "crap". UK & US government officials have dismissed the report saying that he could have seen this happen any time over the past 2 years.
- # There are only 2 man-made things which can be seen from space with the naked eye. The first one is the Great Wall of China - the other is the gap in the Eels defence - and, What is the difference between the Eels and an arsonist? Well, an arsonist wouldn't have wasted that many matches! To all fellow Eels Fans, I am sure we will win again one day !!!

If you have received this newsletter in the mail and you have an email address, please let us know... we would prefer to be able to email this newsletter out to everyone as it is more cost effective than a mail out - which means more money stays in the club's funds. It is also more environmentally friendly and less time consuming to send newsletters electronically. Just submit your email address by logging onto the Tolland Football website under the newsletter heading or submit an email to breedell@exemail.com.au requesting to be added to this list.

Community Sponsorship Account.

If you open an account at Wagga Mutual Credit Union or already have an existing account, please tell them that you belong to Tolland Football Club and you want us put down as your Community Sponsorship Account beneficiary. The more people who do this, the better off the club will be at the end of financial year . They will calculate the average balance on individual accounts at June 30th and give us 1% of the average annual balance !! You will earn a competitive interest rate, paid monthly, money at call and it is all kept Hush Hush so we don't need to see any privacy information. Get into WMCU and get it sorted out.



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The club committee would like to thank all the sponsors of Tolland FC for your very generous donations, equipment, uniforms, awards, food, etc for 2009. Please support the sponsors who support us. There are quite a few major sponsors for 2009 and you will see their logos throughout this newsletter. For any businesses who would like to get on board, you better be quick. Please contact Marty Loy, our Fundraising Officer on martin.loy@optusnet.com.au He would like to hear from you and work with you for the benefit of the club and your business.

The Wolves Den



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