

ROVERS



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LISMORE RICHMOND ROVERS SOCCER CLUB INC.

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We would like to start this newsletter off with giving a warm congratulation to Kym and Carlo Borra on the birth of their third child Benjamin. Another soccer player to come through the Rovers ranks.



With the amount of rain we have had we need players to be more aware of the conditions of our grounds. Our grounds are starting to deteriorate due to the amount of rain and the cold weather we have been having. All we ask that teams when training use some common sense and stay clear of the parts of the field that are damaged. We also ask that the first teams of the day and the last teams of the day help set up and pack away equipment for fields.



**Help
Wanted**

Once again we are asking for helpers in the canteen. If you see the canteen struggling please feel free to go in and offer to help out until things settle down or even give them a break for a few minutes. The canteen is always looking for people to come in and help out. Go up and introduce yourself and see if they need a hand, it is the best way to get more involved in the club.

Our mystery bus trip was enjoyed by all that attended. What happens on a bus trip stay secret to those who attended the trip. All I can say is that it was a very interesting night that will hopefully happen again in the future.



Our annual dog night was held on Tuesday 21st June, this was a great night that was enjoyed by all that attended. Especially for the kids who attended the night, they loved watching the dog's race and were sometimes lucky enough to get a pat after a race. We would like to thank all the members who attended the night by supporting our club, as well as all the sponsors that sponsored a race on the night. Unfortunately we were unable to draw our major raffle that was supposed to be drawn at the dog night, due to the lack of tickets that was handed in. Our Rovers committee decided to put the draw off until our junior presentation.



Every Friday night we try and hold a meat raffle at the Rous hotel, for fundraising purposes. The Rous has been a sponsor of our club for many years. Before we start selling tickets the Rous runs their Roll A Joker, at the moment the prize up for grabs is quite high. Go on down to the Rous and try and win a meat tray organised by Rovers while supporting one of our sponsors the Rous Hotel. At the moment Carlo is running this raffle on Fridays with little to no help, if anyone would like to put their hand up to help out when they can, please see Carlo.

Rovers are lucky enough to have Gordon Arrowsmith coming to our club for a coaching clinic. This is for all current coaches and any members who may be interested in coaching a Rovers team in the future. The coaching clinic will be held the weekend 15th to 17th July. This is a great opportunity for all coaches, so don't miss out on this opportunity. Please be aware that this is the last weekend of the school holidays and would like all coaches to attend when possible. Mr Arrowsmith's credentials are quite outstanding, please see the flyer for more information. All coaches have been given a flyer with the layout of the weekend. This is a fantastic opportunity for all current and future coaches of Rovers.



Pie drive forms should have been handed out to everyone and hopefully everyone's filling up their sheets as much as possible. Order forms are due in by 23rd July. All forms and monies need to be handed into the canteen as soon as possible. If you haven't received a form or require another, this can be obtained from the canteen. Please support this fundraiser as much as possible. Pies are made by one of our annual sponsors Coraki Bakery.

On 13th August 2011, the Rous Hotel has invited all rovers' members and families to attend a bbq which is being put on by our sponsor the Rous hotel. This is a great chance to enjoy a relaxing night for the whole family with raffles for the whole family on offer with proceeds going towards rovers while supporting our sponsor.



The soccer season is rapidly coming to a close for our junior teams. This means that junior presentation is fast approaching. This year junior presentation will be held once again on the last Wednesday training for non competitive players, which will be the 31st August 2011. All junior teams are invited to attend the presentation from 4:30pm for a 5:00pm presentation start. A sausage sizzle will be put on for all attending with steak sandwiches available to be purchased along with drinks and other items from the canteen.

Make sure you don't miss this opportunity for your child to be recognised for playing a sport that they love. Our major draw that was to be drawn on our annual dog night, will now be drawn at the junior presentation afternoon. Please make sure that all tickets that you have sold or unsold are handed into your coaches or the canteen by 21st August. If you are able to sell more tickets, books can be obtained from the canteen. Please try and support this fundraiser as much as possible, there are great prizes up for offer. For the afternoon to run smoothly we need volunteers to help out on the day. We need people to help with cooking the bbq and other bits and pieces. Please see Tim Sheridan if you can help on the day or email Kim McDonald @ skmcdonald175@bigpond.com, if possible any senior players who can help out would be greatly appreciated. Many hands make light work.



A lot of member's personal information is not current, in January of each year letters are sent out to past season members concerning the commencement of the new season. If your details are not up to date to receive this important letter, please send an email to the secretary@roverslismore.org.au with the updated information.



Could all junior coaches please hand in all carnival nomination forms to Jill as soon as possible, if you wish for your team to take part at a carnival. It is a great day for the kids to get involved in.

Over the next month you will notice a few changes around the clubhouse and grounds to do with signage. We would appreciate if all could take notice of these signs and please abide by them.



Dates to remember:

Friday nights - @ the Rous Hotel
 15th to 17th July - Coaches coaching clinic
 23rd July - Pie drive forms due in
 3rd August - Pie drive orders to pick up

13th August - Bbq put on by the Rous Hotel @ the Rous Hotel from 6:00pm
 21st August - Raffle ticket books and money due in

31st August - Junior Presentation @ clubhouse and East Lismore Bowling Club from 4:30pm
 8th October - Senior Presentation @ East Lismore Bowling Club

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