

Under 11B Round 11

Ferntree Gully vs	Glen Waverley Rovers
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		Goals	Behinds	Total
Score:	Ferntree Gully	10	7	67
	G.W.R	1	8	14

Best Players:	Team	
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Goal Kickers:	Joshua 3 ,Thomas ,Sam ,Oliver 2 each Josh 1

Injuries			
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Presidents Medal:	Joshua Woodford and Oliver Blackburn

Next Game:	Nth Ringwood	at	

A fantastic effort from all the boys .	
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Coach: Jayco



Under 11C F	Round	11
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Ferntree Gully		VS		Vermo	nt
		Goal	S	Behinds	Total
Score:	Ferntree Gully	5		6	36
	Vermont	3		2	20
Best Players:	Alex Peacock, Riley Klibingatis, Mitch Pendergast, Jay Wagner, Billy Krieger,				
	Jackson Vezey, Jack Andriessen, Luke Varney				
Goal Kickers:	Mitch Pendergast (2), Billy Krieger (2), Jacob Bourke-Doggett (1)				
Injuries					
Presidents Medal:	Riley Klibingatis, Alex Peacock				
Next Game:	Wantirna Sth	at		Wally T	ew

Groundhog Day yet again with the Eagles putting in a very good defensive effort holding Vermont to only 5 scoring shots and the Eagles unable to apply the knockout blow on the scoreboard even though we controlled the possession of the football for the greater majority of the match.

What was pleasing in this match was the amount of smothers the boys were able to apply, constantly putting Vermonts kicking under pressure, many more chest marks being taken after working on it at training and a much improved 'talking' out on the field.

This match marked the 50th game for the Eagles for Riley Klibingatis, he put in a super effort in all 4 quarters, had a great desire for the football and lead by example which lead to Riley winning one of the Presidents medals for round 11. In what has become a mini tradition in this side, the 50 game player has to stand in the middle of the team song while his team mates cover him in water much to the delight of the rest of the team.

Alex Peacock was also a recipient of a Presidents medal for round 11, Alex constantly leaves all he has out on the field, gaining many possessions in the midfield and very rarely misuses the ball which he yet again displayed against Vermont.

Looking forward to our round 12 clash with Wantirna Sth, both teams are 9-2 for the season in a battle for 3rd on the ladder with only percentage separating the 2 teams.

Coach:	Michael Hearn
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Under 14 A (Blue)	Round	11
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Ferntree Gully		VS		Waverley Blue		
		Goal	s	Behinds	Total	
Score:	Ferntree Gully	27		11	173	
	Waverley Blue	0		2	2	
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Best Players:	Jaidyn Stephenson, Nick Halo, Matt Hill, Mitch Pavey, Jackson Halo & Trey Cassidy					
Goal Kickers:	Jaidyn Stephenson 8, Tim Parker 6, Jesse Uren 4, Ethan Grose, Riley Nicholas, Sam					
	Hayes 2, Nick Halo, Niall Hargreaves & Mitch Pavey 1					
Injuries						
Presidents Medal:	Sam Hayes					
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Next Game:	Croydon	at		Croydo	n	

From the first bounce of the ball our boys were switched on and took control of the game scoring 7 goals 2 behinds 44 points to 0 goals 1 behind 1 point.

The second quarter continued in the same way as the first, with Waverly unable to get there hands on the ball. Scoring 51 points to 0 points in the second quarter, the game was now over.

The third quarter was our worst as the boys stopped running for each other and sharing the ball around. Scoring 4 goals 2 behinds 26 points to 0 goals 1 behind 1 point.

At 3 quarter break we reminder to the boys about next weeks game verse Croydon, and that we don't want to take that crap style of footy into that game. So, pull your finger out and start working for each other and they did, finishing the game with the best scoring quarter for the day. Scoring 8 goals 4 behinds 52 points to 0 goals 0 behinds 0 points.

The end result was another comfortable win for the boys, but next week is a whole other ball game.

Coach:	Danny Cassidy
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Ferntree Gully		vs Blackburn			
		Goal	S	Behinds	Total
Score:	Ferntree Gully	11		5	71
	Blackburn	12		9	81
Best Players:	Y Curtis, H De Graaf, B Currie, P Cole, C Dixon, J Eccleston				
Goal Kickers:	B Currie, J Eccleston 3, Wilding, M Battaglia, T Kenny, L Munday, M Lindsay 1				
Injuries	None				
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Presidents Medal:	Brodie Currie				
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Next Game:	vs Lilydale	at	Lilydale Spo	orts Oval	

We were up against it before the bounce of the ball. School camps and sickness had reduced us to 17, include Todd Kenny, who helped out his buddies and Luke Swinkles and Mitch Jacobsen from GG's team. They had 4 on the bench so we knew that late in quarters we would be really stretched.

The boys came out with a strong attitude and Blackburn were surprised. Trev's clearance set up was working well and our attack on the ball saw us up at quarter time. At half time it was all square.

In the third quarter as the game got tighter still, supporters on both sides got frustrated with some of the umpiring decisions, but that's footy. We got called for an illegal shepherd after Perry marked 15 metres out from goal that would have put us a couple in front, which on reflection was the first time I have ever seen it paid in junior footy. I know there is no such thing as evener uppers, even so I had to wonder when the same decision was made in the Burners forward line about 5 minutes later. At three quarter time Blackburn had their noses in front. They got a lot of drive from their spare man in the backline

The boys gave it their all in the last. With 5 minutes to go we hit the front thanks to a beautiful goal on the run from Baggers. Unfortunately, the bounce of the ball didn't go our way and the Burners kicked the last two. Boys, all Eagles supporters at the game admired you for the spirit you showed. JT said it was almost the greatest win he had ever seen at local footy and he must have seen about a 1,000 games! There was a good turnout back at the Club later on and JT told the story to all.

Reporter::	Peter Cole – Team Manager
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