



Saturday 31st August 2013

PREMIER LEAGUE

Mens Premier Alliance vs Fremantle (Won 1 - 0)

Goals: S. Geers

Heading into the final round we had destiny in our own hands as a win would secure second spot. With the fixture moved to prime time Friday night, the boys were pumped with confidence. The game started off slow but we were still able to enter the D on several occasions with de Winda missing an all but certain goal. Eventually Sammy Geers demonstrated his class, with stick and ball, by beating several players and then firing the ball into the back of the net. Fremantle continued to push into their attack but weren't able to get anything past Ash and Cam at the back. Half-finished with us only one ahead. With only 35 minutes left of the regular season a 1 goal advantage was enough security for captain and coach. The game started as we hoped heading into our attack with Matty B pushing a pass across the face with Ollie on sitting at the spot licking his lips but unfortunately dewinda's big feet were in the way as the ball flew into the net off them. With 10 minutes to go a terrible accident occurred as Matty Bowater and Stephen Gibson smashed into each other and Matty was carried off and sent to hospital for scans. Game finished 1-0 and we head into the first week of finals full of confidence but without play maker Matty Bowater.

Ladies Promotion 1 vs Rockingham (Won 3 - 2)

Best: A. Clark, S. Gale, B. Clark

Goals: S. Gale, H. Grant, E. Stratton

With Squeak joining us this week, today was all about knocking off Rockingham at home and ensuring we finished as minor premiers. And yes, we did. The goal scoring trio were up to their usual tricks and with the coach shuffling the side around, "Borat" was put back in his place with a 3-1 half time lead. Another goal to Rockingham meant we had to grind out a win with everyone working together as a team right to the final siren.

Kirsten, where were your manners. Thanks heaps to all the Ball Girls for all your efforts.

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Ladies Premier 2 vs UWA

No report



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PROVISIONAL LEAGUE

Ladies Provisional 1 vs Modernians (Lost 1 - 2)

Best: S. Clark, M. Regan, S. Heal

Goals: M. Regan

This was a must win game and we played great hockey as we have most of the season but just failed to convert enough opportunities in front of goals. Individually we have improved and as a team we have also improved and that's what it is all about. I wish to thank everyone associated with the team but especially Sue Wilson for her management of the tough things that needed to be done. Lets stick around for the next few weeks and cheer on those who are in finals. Hope you can make the windup as it will be a great night and a wonderful climax to a sensational season.

Ladies Provisional 2 (Gold) vs Rockingham (Lost 0 - 3)

Best: R. Harries, A. Sperinck, T. Cousens/J. Hadley

A slow start and an aggressive Rockingham outfit put us on the back foot early on. Not the end to the season we wanted. Bad luck girls. See you again next year!

Mens Provisional 3 (Gold) vs Aquinas

No report

Mens Provisional 4 vs Fremantle

No report

Ladies Provisional 4 vs Rockingham (Lost 0 - 1)

Best: S. Gibson, L. Walkemeyer, H. Gibson

No report

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE

Mens Metropolitan 1 vs NC Raiders

No report

Ladies Metropolitan 1 vs Vic Park (Lost 2 - 4)

Best: C. Coleman, L. Brearley, J. Olde

Goals: T. Rayfield, E. Rayfield

No report

Mens Metropolitan 2 (Gold) vs Fremantle

No report

VETERANS

Ladies O35 Division 2 vs Hale (Won 2 - 1) 2013-08-21

Best: M. Farrow, A. Hall, G. Glaskin

Goals: D. Goundrey (2)

No report

Mens O40 Midweek vs CT Pirates (Won 3 - 0)

Best: A. Scanlon, J. Cooke, R. Achemedei/M. Starling

Goals: B. Rushton, A. Scanlon, D. Wilson

Excellent result to both guarantee a place in the finals (in 3rd spot) and celebrate Cookey's 500th game with MCHC. All-in-all a fitting end to a fairly tough season, blokes all did themselves proud.

Mens O40 Division 1 vs NC Raiders (Won 2 - 0)

Best: A. Scanlon, G. Templeman, D. Loffell

Goals: N. Elliott, D. Wilson

Righted a wrong we imposed upon ourselves in the first round, and had a scrappy but satisfying win to end the season. First Semi (Elimination) Final next weekend ...

Mens O40 Division 2 vs NC Raiders (Won 2 - 0)

Best: D. Doak, R. Achemedei, D. Beckwith

Goals: R. Achemedei, D. Beckwith

Outstanding result and great way to end a fantastic season - the team literally could have been relegated to Div 3 at the end of last year, but have managed to turn their fortunes around full-circle, and end the season second on the ladder and thus a Second Semi Final (and a second chance, if required) next weekend. They've done themselves proud.

Mens O40 Division 4 vs Suburban Lions (Lost 3 - 5)

Best: B. Gibbins, A. Toogood, G. Gelfi/B. Kennington/I. Munns/D.

Wauhop

Goals: B. Gibbins (2), M. Berkovic

Missing some key players with injuries and absences we were overwhelmed in the and 4 nil by the end of the first half. This was some dubious umpiring decisions made by the two Sub lions umpires but we played very well to win the second half 3-1. Looking forward to some better umpiring and some hard fought finals.

Mens O50 Division 1 vs YMCC (Won 0 - 3)

Best: W. Hudson, G. Ross, G. Hunt

Our game against one of the grade leaders, YM, was a good game played in the right spirit with pretty good umpiring to help. 4 nil didn't seem like a fair score and if we had converted a couple and kept them out a couple we might have won. Not much different to Labor's plight at the moment. Thanks to Wayne and Tash and Dylan for all the hard work they did this year behind the scenes. It made my job much easier. Remember the windup is soon and tickets are available now. Lets get everyone there if we can. See you at the finals – to spectate – this year. Stay fit and healthy and looking forward to a great year in 2014.

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Mens O50 Division 2 vs Wolves (Lost 1 - 2)

Best: B. Morrison, R. Knyn/G. Widdicombe

Goals: B. Morrison

The ball went in the goals before the umpire had finished blowing his whistle to signal the end of the game, robbing us of a draw. Unless the fourth placed team loses 15 points between now and next week, we not be participating in finals.

Mens O50 Division 3 vs WASPS (Won 3 - 0)

Best: T. Patton, M. Hudson, L. Welten

Goals: S. McEntee, M. Hudson, D. Porter

What a day the sun was shining the temperatures was 25 degrees and we played a very controlled style of hockey. Our short game in the 2nd half proved to be the match winner with terrific individual efforts across the whole field. A great way to finish the qualifying rounds and to finish 2nd on the table when most thought we wouldn't make the top 4. We invite everyone to join us Saturday 31st for the 2nd semi at Richardson park 3.15pm come one come all!!

Mens O60 Division vs WASPS (Lost 1 - 2)

Best: K. Platel, J. Smith, G. Riley

Goals: M. Hudson

A close game, in which both teams had lots of corners and goal chances. Although disappointing to lose, still a decent finish to the season, with many periods of good team play. Thanks to Leo, Matt and Tony for helping out when we were short.



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