



Dates for Your Diary

Wednesday 15/4/09, Mouthguards, Under 10s & 12s (4.30 pm–7.30 pm)
Wednesday 15/4/09, Coaches to present jumpers to their players
Wednesday 15/4/09, Uniforms for new players (available from 4.30pm)
Friday 17/4/09, Mouthguards, Under 14s & Under 16s (4.30 pm–7.30pm)
Sunday 19/4/09, Round 1, Round 1, Home Game

Welcome To Season 2009

Firstly, welcome to our new members. We hope you enjoy being part of our Club.

This year is already proving to be a very busy time for our Committee both Juniors and Seniors.

Our main focus this year is to increase the attendance of parents to our games, recruit more volunteers and increase the attendants at club functions. Our 16s seem to have the least support at their games because they play last. Let's try to support them this year by making an effort to go watch them as often as we can.

We will be asking for parents help with Canteen, fundraising, helping with functions and ideas. We have a fundraising committee for the first time this year. If you have experience in fundraising and would like to join this committee please see our secretary.

We are always looking for sponsorship. If you would like to sponsor our juniors please ask our secretary for more information. You may also want to sponsor one of our functions.

Our Website is always updated. Some of the features include weekly coach's reports, photos and players game milestones.

So, let's get this season started, remember enjoy yourselves, footy is about having fun, and winning isn't everything.

COMING UP



MOUTH GUARDS

The Mouth Guard Man, Paul Damiano, will be available at the Club to measure for mouth guards on Wednesday 15th April and Friday 17th April between 4.30 and 7.30 pm.

Under 10s and 12s Wednesday 15th April

Under 14s and 16s Friday 17th April

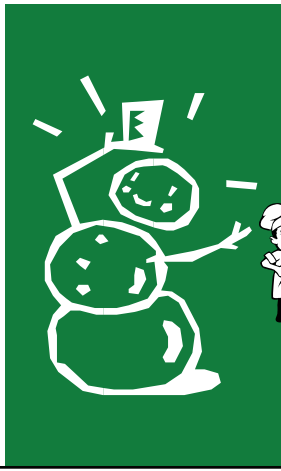
2009 HOME & AWAY SEASON

The season begins on Sunday 19th April at home against East Keilor. A copy of the Season's Fixture will be handed out to all players. If you child did not receive one, copies are kept in the Club Room.



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at Charles Mutton
Reserve.
Call Mick Caruso
Ph: 0419 361 623



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COACHES 2009

Under 10s

Coach: Warren Hoare
Team Manager: Not yet confirmed

Under 12s

Coach: Ange Ciavarella
Assistant Coach: Mark Clarke
Team Manager: Lucy Anania

Under 14s

Coach: Tony Angelucci
Assistant Coach: Chris Sanka
Team Managers: Jessie/Alanie Angelucci

Under 16s

Coach: Rick Kerbatieh
Team Manager: Barry

Our Coaches and Team Managers, will provide you with their contact details. Don't hesitate to call them with any queries.

REGISTRATION PAYMENTS REMINDER

If you have not yet paid your registration please do so. Please note the cut-off for payments is Round 6.

Please see Ian Stewart if you are having difficulties making payments.

Visit our Website: <http://www.northernsaints.org.au>



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Junior Committee 2009

President: Ian Stewart, Treasure: Vicky Jessup, Secretary; Rosa Ciavarella. General Committee are: Adam Smith, Vince Bonarrigo, Marylouise & Tony Ruberto, Josie Litras, Luch Markesich, Dino Silvestro, Russell Dowling, Tony Angelucci, Mark Clarke & Jo Wickham.

Our Committee members spend a lot of time at the club and are always available to answer your enquiries, they wear ID's to make it easier for you to identify them.

We are asking families to donate an item for our raffles and door prizes for presentation day. If you would like to donate a prize please see your Team Manager.

Website: www.northernsaints.org.au

The NS Website is regularly updated and includes important information. We encourage everyone to browse as often as possible. Our page includes Newsletters, information notices, milestones, club policies, photos, weekly game reports from our coaches, direct links to sponsors websites, etc.

Information Notices, Parents please check your child's bag

We know children forget to give us information notices or give us a message. Last season, many parents were not aware of important club information or events. Our Team Managers often hand out information notices to players. If parents cannot come to training please check your child's bag or ask them, **asking children prompts their memory.**

Helpers Wanted on Matchdays—Only Half an Hour of Your Time Required

Every family will be approached this year to help out. The Canteen is an area that raises much needed funds for our club. We are all parents of children that play but some of us don't get to enjoy this. Every family from each age group can help, this will take half an hour of your day. Players normally arrive 30—45 minutes before their game so there is no reason why we all can't help out for half an hour. If no help is volunteered we will consider a parent help roster.

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Player Profile—Answer these questions and hand them to Rosa for newsletter entry

Questions for you

What is your name:

What age group are you in:

What position to you usually play:

How long have you played Aussie Rules:

What AFL Team do you support:

Who is your AFL Hero:

Other sports you play or like:

A joke you want to share:



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April Birthdays
Happy Birthday to....



Under 10s

Daniel Kosmak



Under 12s

Damian Melhem

Shaun Stewart

Michael Vassallo



Under 14s

Alex Aliani

Stefan Angelucci

Pat Condidorio

Darren Melhem



Under 16s

Abdul El Houli



Advertising Corner

Advertise Your Business thru our Newsletter for the cost of only \$25 each time you advertise See Rosa for more information