



THE ACORN

SEASON 2023 ISSUE 13

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Hi Team,

Another week of milestones in the 50 and 100 game arena. Sienna Leopold, Zoe D'Souza-Le, Paul Raftopoulos, Tyler Knowles and Aiden van Oosten for the 50 Games and Lachlan McKenzie, Oscar Morton, Xavier Green and Jake D'Rozario for their 100 games. Congratulations.

Next week most teams are locked in for their "Ahead of the Game" or "Mental Fitness" sessions to be held at the Bowls Club. These sessions are compulsory and consent is required for the U13 & U14 age groups. If you haven't completed the consent for your child, please do so as soon as possible. Details are available from your Team Manager. A big thanks to Phil Sturrock for getting this all organised for these teams in conjunction with the Danny Frawley Centre.

I watched some great football on the weekend starting off with a bit of the U11's at Scammell and finishing off with the U18 Boys and U18 Girls back at Scammell. I would also like to thank Bree Vallance (SMJFL GM Football Operations) for coming down to watch the U18 Boys match, your support was appreciated.

The 2024 Committee needs several roles to be filled, including Registrar, Social Media and Compliance (which may be integrated into the Child Safety Officer role as there is overlap in WWCC and First Aid reporting). We also need many more General Committee Members to assist with hands-on help. At the moment a significant portion of the current Committee fill multiple roles, and/or other significant team roles such as Team Managers, Coaches and Trainers across multiple teams. We do need to spread the workload more, or risk burning out and losing important Committee members. If you would like to have a chat about any Committee roles, please give me a call and we can discuss further or I can put you in touch with the correct person.

This Sunday marks the end of the season for U9's teams season and we'd love to see you all back at Grub at the Club to celebrate your season after your Lighting Carnival and hear of all your achievements and growth during your year, U18 Boys are hosting this week and we are going to celebrate your season. Hope you all have a fun and enjoyable weekend.

Have a great round of football everyone. See you Sunday night. Go Dragons!

Brodie Phillips, President

2022 COMMITTEE / OFFICIALS

President: Brodie Phillips
Vice President: David Cash
Secretary: Caz Hayes
Treasurer: Volker Heinze
Registrar: Kane Leopold
Compliance Officer: Kathy McGeoch
Property Officer: Chris Goodman
Canteen Manager: Bella Van Duersen
Sponsorship Coordinator: Phil Sturrock
Social Media: Vacant

Football Operations Manager: David Cash
Team Manager Coordinator: Jude Foster
First Aid Coordinator: Lindsay Armatas
Child Safety Officers: Sonya Moreland / Andrew Allan
Boys Coaching Coordinator (Youth): John McLaughlin
Boys Coaching Coordinator (Junior): Tim Moreland
Girls Coaching Coordinator: John Bernardo
Incident Coordinator: Sonya Moreland
Bar Manager: Gab Dunn
Social Committee: Vacant

General Committee:
Annelise Scott
Justin Scott
Sonya Moreland

2023 MAJOR SPONSORS



**CLAYTON &
CHADSTONE**



woodards 



CONTACT DETAILS Brodie Phillips Ph: 0499 999 863 secretaryOYCFC@gmail.com www.oakleighdragons.com.au

FACEBOOK Oakleigh Dragons Junior Football Club **INSTAGRAM** @oakleigh_dragonsjfc

MILESTONE GAMES!

CONGRATULATIONS

50 GAMES

Sienna Leopold, U14 Girls



CONGRATULATIONS

50 GAMES

Zoe D'Souza-Le, U14 Girls



CONGRATULATIONS

50 GAMES

Paul Raftopoulos, U13 Mixed Green





CONGRATULATIONS

50 GAMES

Tyler Knowles, U13 Mixed Green



CONGRATULATIONS

50 GAMES

Aiden van Oosten, U13 Mixed Green





CONGRATULATIONS

100 GAMES



U17 Boys

Lachlan McKenzie

Xavier Green

Oscar Morton

Jake D'Rozario



DO YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO SHARE?

If you have any photos you'd like in the next Acorn,
please email them with a description to Kathy at complianceOYCFC@gmail.com





REMINDERS

2023 CLUB AWARD NOMINATIONS

It's time for nominations for the 2023 Club Awards. Nominations are invited for the following:

Jock Hepburn Award: For loyalty to the club that would not normally be expected

Irene Bourke Award: Presented to a person who is an involved, committed volunteer for the Club (non-committee members)

Goodwill Family Award: In recognition of outstanding participation, commitment and contribution made to the Club by an entire family, both on and off the field.

Coach of the Year: In recognition of outstanding leadership, commitment and contribution made by a coach

Please submit your nominations to secretaryOYCFC@gmail.com.
Nomination forms can be found at the back of the Acorn.



MENTAL FITNESS SESSIONS

RUN BY
THE DANNY FRAWLEY CENTRE



U16/U18 GIRLS

TUESDAY 15 AUGUST

6.00PM - 7.00PM

U13 BOYS

WEDNESDAY 16 AUGUST

5.00PM - 6.00PM

U14 BOYS

WEDNESDAY 16 AUGUST

6.00PM - 7.00PM

U16/U18 BOYS

THURSDAY 17 AUGUST

5.00PM - 6.00PM

U14 GIRLS

THURSDAY 17 AUGUST

6.00PM - 7.00PM

ALL SESSIONS HELD AT SOUTH OAKLEIGH BOWLS CLUB
CONSENT FOR U13 & U14 AGE GROUPS MUST BE PROVIDED:

www.playhq.com/afl/register/1f3239



TOYOTA

GOOD FOR FOOTY

RAFFLE

*Support Oakleigh JFC and you could win
with the Toyota Good for Footy Raffle.*

Tickets are just \$5 and

100% of the proceeds go to Oakleigh JFC.

*There's \$252,846 in prizes up for grabs, including
three new Toyotas!*

toyotagoodforfooty.raffletix.com.au

Oakleigh JFC





COMMITTEE MEMBERS NEEDED!

There are just a couple of Rounds left for 2023, but the Committee is already looking ahead to next season. We have a number of Committee vacancies coming up, with kids aging out of junior football, and support is needed from younger age groups. The Committee is a great way to help shape your kids' football experience, and a fantastic way to get involved in your community! Come along to a Committee Meeting or contact a current member to see how you can help in a role, big or small!

SEASON 2024



ALL CONTRIBUTIONS WELCOME!

For more information:

secretaryOYCFC@gmail.com



COACHES' REPORTS

U9 MIXED GREEN JAKE BENOITON

Our boys got another bit of nourishment this weekend which was great to see. They have worked so hard all year and for the rewards to come has been a terrific sight.

We were helped by a couple of key returns that made the boys light up.

It's been a tremendous year for us as an entire under 9's program- looking forward to signing off in style.

U9 MIXED YELLOW DANIEL AITKEN

Another early start for our boys as we ventured out to play East Malvern at their home ground for the second time this year. In our final game for the year, we had all our boys available which was a great way to finish the year off.

The first encounter against the Knights was an extremely one-sided affair so it was always going to be a challenge and a good gauge as to how far the team had improved across the season. This season has been all about development for our boys, for most of them this was the first taste of competitive football and learning to play as a team.

Although the result wasn't in our favour, this was by far and away one of the strongest team efforts we have been able to put together this year. We started the game off strongly with Koby kicking the first goal of the game and following up with his second shortly after and at half time the game was evenly poised.

Albeit for a couple of costly turnovers which resulted in goals to the opposition the scoreboard was much closer than when we first met East Malvern.

Special mention to Sam who took a great mark and converted from the set shot along with Ari, Koby, Max, Boyd, Bodhi, Oli, Lach and Thien contributing strongly across the four quarters and doing their best.

All boys should be extremely proud at their efforts not only on the weekend but throughout the year, fronting up every week maintaining a positive attitude to continue developing. We are looking forward to finishing the year off on a great note at the Lightning Carnival next week.



U10 MIXED GREEN ALEX O'BRIEN

On a cold and slippery morning we played Beaumaris at Banksia reserve. We had 14 players but this didn't matter as we ended up singing the song again loud and proud.

After a slow start to the game, our efficiency going forward improved as the game went on. The pressure was great all game and everyone played well.

A special mention to Rishabh and Tyler for being captains for the week.

Well done to Harvey, Max B and Maison on putting in solid performances.

We moved the team around all game with Ben, David, Thommy E, Thomas M, Max M, Ethan, Kai, James and Archer moving the ball well by hand or foot and continually providing plenty of opportunities for our forwards.

Well done by all on a great team effort and go Dragons.



U10 MIXED YELLOW RICK DAVIES

We played a very strong Hampton team at Princes Highway in damp conditions.

Our team put in an almighty effort against a well drilled team.

Our defenders were tremendous all game with Josh and Eli setting the tone with fantastic tackling and Luke setting our forward attacks with great intercept marks.

The midfield battled strongly with Bronx and Charlie using their pace on each wing and James and Blake dominating in the contest constantly moving the ball forward. James played his best game of the season as Captain and Blake was best on ground.

This rubbed off on the forward line who put a lot of pressure with Emily as captain providing a great target (after dominating training during the week). Hugh, Dante, Wyatt and Kian all put a lot of pressure on which was rewarded with a few shots on goal late but the highlight was Charlie moving forward in the last quarter and using his pace to create numerous opportunities.

Really proud of the effort today, even though the result didn't go our way the effort and endeavour was really pleasing to see.

Captains Emily and James (pictured)





U11 MIXED ALLEN COOK

We played St Kilda City at Scammell on a perfect morning for footy. The boys were hungry for a win and very eager to get one back against St Kilda City who beat us at their home ground in a close match early in the season.

Cam and Zach were our Co-Captains and both boys toiled really hard down back which was great to see.

We kept it simple with a focus on applying pressure on the ball when the opposition had it and using run and dare when in possession. The boys bought in from the 1st bounce and reaped the rewards. We had territory early and were able to apply scoreboard pressure.

Jonah played another inspiring game running all day and kicking 3 goals and he had plenty of mates in the engine room with Finn and Ambrose also doing a power of work and Dave dominating the ruck duels again. Masaki and Matty were our generals down back and we had Karlos laying strong tackles throughout the day and inspiring the boys with the pressure he applied.

Our run and dare was on display with some key highlights being linking chains of handball down the wing and through the centre into attack. Finley and Harrison were strong in the air in the forward line with Harrison kicking 2 goals. Finn and Teddy chimed in for a goal each and it was great to see Ben put one through the middle. Highlight of the day had to be Zach going forward and kicking 2 majors in the last to help notch up our best result for the season.

Well done Dragons!

U12 GIRLS MARCO PERSI

The U12 Girls played Ormond in great footy conditions at Princes Highway Reserve. Having lost away to Ormond by 10 points back in June the girls were up for challenge and they did themselves proud.

In a bright start the Dragons were full of running with Miette, Skye and Olivia latching onto great service out of the middle from Ruby A, Jess and Bonnie to run the ball repeatedly into the Ormond back line. After watching a couple of behinds narrowly miss the mark it was Sophia who broke through two tackles to kick her fifth goal of the season to open up a 6 point lead at the first break.

The second quarter was more of the same, small forwards Victoria and captain for the day Ruby T both busy in the goal square and denied only by some resolute defending from the Ormond full back.

At half time we spoke about turning our dominance on the field into points on the scoreboard to avoid heartbreak like last week's 1 point loss at Bentleigh and it was Skye who responded first, latching onto a fine ball forward from Stella to run past several Ormond defenders and kick a great goal.

Special mention also to all the unsung heroes in the back line, Semira, Greta, Lavinia, Stella and Tyra who restricted Ormond to just a couple of points to three quarter time. In the final quarter we looked comfortable as we continued to press and even a consolation goal to Ormond in the last minute failed to produce any anxiety as we ran out winners 14-8.

Sitting in fourth place on the ladder with two games remaining, finals are still very much on the cards and with the second best defensive record in the division watch out world if we start kicking goals!



U13 MIXED YELLOW DAVID CASH

Played AJAX at Princes Park, Caulfield

Another lovely winter's morning bright and dry, although the 8am starts are not loved by many. Our boys knew they had a challenge ahead this week – like every week remaining in the season, but to their credit, they met it head on.

The chat prior to the game was about “score isn't what matters”, attitude, and having a crack is what matters. Winning and losing doesn't matter, player development and getting every single player to be a better footballer at the end of the season than they were at the start of the season is what matters.

And oh my, they brought it, the attitude was great, and they had a red-hot crack. Anyone that was at the score line would have had no idea how good some of the play was from the boys this week. We were able to witness some get development in every player, the tackling was fierce, there was running and shepherding and hitting up team mates on a regular basis.

Down to 18 players at the start of the game posed a tough beginning. With Jacob falling ill overnight and then losing Liam halfway through the first quarter. Our injury bench was busy, and that doesn't include Rhys and Jaron who were really missed.

The things that stood out to me were:

- Everyone doing their best to make a contest in the air and on the ground, Caleb, Liam N, Charlie all made sure they didn't get out marked in the air. Ryder, Mihalīs, Ajay, Hugo, and Max all used their speed and kept chasing the ball, second and third efforts were the norm for them, never giving up.
- Strength in and over the ball, Robbie has improved out of sight this year, along with Ben and Lachlan they get in and grab the ball and get it out to teammates. James only playing his fifth game, is improving every single week, I love his determination and repeat efforts.
- Tracking machines this week were Riley, Josh, Olive, and Kirby, none of them are the biggest in our team, but not even the biggest guy in the opposition team got a free pass when the boys put their minds to tackling.
- And then there is Dion, oh my, this young man is a tower of strength, he was shorter than all the AJAX Rucks he went up against (I think there was at least 3 of them) and he rucked against them all for the entire game, and I am sure the taps were about 50/50, he was so strong and determined it was so good to watch.

So overall, I could not be prouder of the boys this week, and I heard many parents on the side-line also comment about how well the boys played.

U13 MIXED GREEN TIM MORELAND

A much friendlier 12pm start for us as we took on St Kilda City/Sth Melbourne at Scammell Reserve. We got a few players back which helped us take to the field with 18 without any interchange to rotate through. We're still not quite playing our style of consistent footy however fought hard to sneak over the line by 3 points in a close encounter.

Harland, Tyler and Curtis came back after a lay off which helped us balance up a lot more. Harland kicked a couple of early goals but really steadied the ship when we had him deep back for most of the game. We celebrated Aiden, Paul and Tyler's 50th game so it was good we could get across the line for them. All contributed to the win today.

The opposition jumped us in the opening term and it needed a straighten up, which our second quarter achieved. Our patchy play got us on top however a late charge saw St Kilda get close to us when we didn't really want them to. James, Heath and Harrison battled across half back as they worked for their team mates. Up forward, Johnny and Archie looked dangerous when the ball came in fast, whilst we thought Cooper got back into some form with plenty of run and carry. Darcy R does his thing in defence however when we put him on ball he stepped up his contested play. We threw Oscar

into the ruck so we could provide some rotations and we ended up leaving him there as his competing for every contest was helping us propel the ball into our half.

Kaeleb continues to work his way through the middle of the ground providing a presence whilst our wingers, Cam and Andrew ran hard all day. We experimented with Andrew and thought he played that position really well today. Good problem to have when we have players who can play in multiple positions.

Tommy continues to provide a balanced attack on the ball whilst Darcy M was very good again today taking multiple strong marks across the ground whilst shaking another tag. He ended up with 3 attacking goals for the day as well in a very good display.

Back to the training track this week so we can continue to work on sharpening our tools before finals. Well done lads!



U14 GIRLS JUSTINE LEOPOLD

We played East Malvern on our home ground and celebrated a double 50th with Sienna and Zoe running through the banner together. Coming off 3 consecutive losses, we knew what was needed from the girls this week, in particular - pressure on the opposition and our tackling. This was firmly reiterated pre-game and what was expected from each and every girl during the game.

Despite their ladder position, East Malvern brought the heat, the intensity and a really good defensive mindset to this game which certainly caught the girls off guard. While we had the ball camped inside our 50 for the majority of the first half, there was no space or time allowed by the opposition and scoring was difficult. A great mark and goal from Tash found our only goal that half.



The second half saw our effort lift, the drizzle came, the girls locked in and we managed to kick away in the end, although 3.10 could've proved very costly. A great effort by all and a great win for the 50 gamers.

Goal kickers - Tash, Zoe, Yana

Notables:

- Tash and Misaki - SUPER games by both of you. Fantastic position off the pack Tash and the usual turbo legs from Misaki.
- Christina - confidence is growing! Keep going!
- Lucia - the usual bulldozer out of the packs. To try to come back on when you couldn't even run shows your tough resolve even though we dragged you straight back off.

As a collective, we have improved exponentially since day 1 and the coaches are very proud of this but....it's time to dial in to EVERY training session and bring our best each Sunday before finals.

Special mention to the 50 gamers. Congrats Sienna and Zoe from the whole team. You both led brilliantly from the warm ups til the final siren and both ended up with cupcakes on your faces.



U14 MIXED MARCUS SPENCER

We played against: Dingley

At: Chadwick Reserve

Despite the news during the week that all U14's Boys teams would be playing 'finals' we were treating this as a do or die final. We were facing the team placed second on the ladder and we knew we would have to play well to beat them.

And we started very well. Our midfield were winning the contest out of the middle and our forwards (particularly Ari) were getting reward for effort. We were tackling very well and had them on the back foot. Sam, Campbell and Josh were winning the groundballs in the middle and we were able to keep their good players in check. At quarter time we were a goal up in what was a tough and close contest.

The second quarter was an arm wrestle. We started to struggle getting the ball forward but our backline was holding up. A late goal to them put them up by four points at half time.

As we had discussed before the game, to beat good teams, you need to play four quarters. This week it was the third quarter that let us down. Our on-ballers seemed to tire and couldn't maintain the defensive pressure on their opponents. The ball coming into their forward line quickly put our defenders under pressure and we started to make mistakes and to drop our heads. The result was a six goal to one quarter that left us 36 points down at three quarter time.

In the last quarter we outscored them 2 goals to one to eventually go down by 31 points. Given we were outscored by 32 points in the third quarter, it does show us the importance of playing four quarters of football. We can compete with the best teams, but are we willing to compete with them for four quarters?

Ari played well and kicked four goals. Nathan was great across half back and Campbell played well as always. Sam, Hunter, Henry, Josh and Mitchell all tried hard, but we lacked some leadership on the ground when Dingley started to surge in the third quarter. We can learn from this and be better prepared for finals in three week's time.



U16 GIRLS JOHN BERNARDO

Oakleigh 2:2:14 Caulfield 5:5:35

We went into the game like it was a final, simply we had to win every game in order to play finals. And the girls responded. Sienna got the first clearance and kicked it forward, Gracie received a slick handball and kicked a goal. Bang!! We were up and away.

But much to Caulfield's credit they ground away and led 5 goals to 1 going into the last quarter. The girls didn't drop their heads and kept Caulfield scoreless in the last. Whilst connecting with slick ball movement ending up with a brilliant on the run goal from Izzy.

We definitely haven't been disgraced at all this year which is why it makes it hard and I truly feel for the team. I can honestly say that today everyone stood up and played with huge endeavour and the "Dragons" courage. Our standout performance today went to Jessica, her dominant game was even recognised by the opposition teams and she received their best player voucher.

U16 BOYS ZAC BARRETT / MASON ANSELL

Dragons under 16s vs East Sandringham

This round saw the Dragons traveling to Boss James Reserve to face league leaders, East Sandringham. The match was primed to be a tough one.

Oakleigh approached the game full of confidence after a close hit out with Prahran the week previous. The first term was a tense affair with both teams getting a feel for their opposition. Oakleigh managed to kick a couple of goals but East Sandringham ended the first term with a narrow lead.

The second term saw more of the same with both sides managing to transition the ball well and score several majors. East Sandringham remained in control.

The Dragons emerged after half time keen to peg back the lead. Oakleigh managed to score the first couple of goals of the new term but began to feel the pinch with their captain going down with a rolled ankle.

The final term saw the match heat up with both sides aware of the importance of getting the win. Unfortunately, Oakleigh lost another two players to possible concussion and East Sandringham were able to run over the top of the Dragons outfit managing to end the match in the lead.

Whilst the result wasn't what we were hoping for, the boys can take a lot of pride from the fight they showed against a quality opposition.

U17 BOYS JOHN MCLAUGHLIN

Opponent: AJAX Home Game

Result: Oakleigh Dragons won by 4 points

A massive congratulations to our four 100 gamers for this week. Oscar, Jake, Lachie Mac and Xavier. They are all talented footballers and just as importantly, they are all very good blokes. We are very lucky to have such a wonderful group of young men representing Oakleigh Dragons.

This week we were at home to AJAX (currently 4th), this competition is so tight that a loss could see us slip from top position to a 4th or 5th spot, we were both playing to secure a spot in the finals. The game was a real arm wrestle in the first half with lots of contested ball, their defence didn't allow our run or our usual switching of the play. Goals were hard to come by for both teams and it was 27 to 24 at half time. In the third quarter they were kicking to the scoring

end, and they skipped away to a 21-point lead at the final change. We have always spoken about having belief in our ability, we needed to take more risks if we were to have a chance. We kicked a couple goals early to be in the hunt, the congested footy started again for the middle part of the quarter. As a coaching group we were extremely happy to see our boys start to play our way, we had the momentum and seemed to have the edge in fitness. We kicked a couple of late goals to win by 4 points. We kicked 4 goals 2 to 1 point in the final quarter. It was also a good celebration. A win to remember for everyone and especially the 4 team members playing their 100th game.

Special mentions from the game:

- An enormous last quarter from Billy, he kicked 2 monster goals from 40-50m to give us real momentum. He kicked 3 for the game and Elliot kicked 2, great effort for our key forwards in a seven-goal game.
- Borgy and our Skipper certainly lead from the front in the last with some fantastic run and carry.
- Stitches was everywhere in the last half – his best game for the club.
- Jimmy was a real asset with his marking and ruckwork. The mids worked well with him and got on top. Oscar, Stevie, and Pete kept working extremely hard as usual.
- Aden played on the leading goal kicker in the league and kept him goalless. He is playing some inspired footy.
- The most pleasing thing was that we never gave up and we hung in there; with the talent we have we knew we would get a crack at them. Just don't leave it that late again guys!!

We have 2 games to go before finals, let's all get to as many trainings as possible. See all the players at training this week. We are looking forward to the challenges ahead.

Go Dragons



U18 GIRLS GAVIN KENNY



It was back to Scammell this week for our clash with South Melbourne. With 4 wins a piece, it was going to be an even contest.

The Dragons started really well, moving the ball cleanly and kicking 2 goals to 1 in the first quarter. After that we had plenty of opportunities to score but couldn't get the ball through the big sticks. Leading 22 points to 13 at 3 quarter time, we knew we couldn't give up. The Swans kicked 2 last quarter goals and drew level with minutes remaining in the game. The crowd was as nervous as a long tailed cat in a room full of rocking chairs. Peppering the goals we couldn't score until a wobbly point went through with 90 seconds left to play. The girls

were able to hang on to claim the win by the narrowest of margins. 2:14 26 to 4:1 25

It's great to see the improvement of all of the players with more marking, handballing and link up play across the ground. Our defence has been really solid over the past few weeks making it difficult for the opposition to score. To have 4 wins in a row is great reward for the effort everyone has been putting in each game.

Highlights this week included:

- A fantastic 4 quarter game from Olivia Rossato - her best for the year
- 2 goals and some great long kicking from Bridget
- Dominant ruck work and ball use from Daisy
- Lots of important touches from Tayla
- Domination in the centre from Matisse, Gisselle and Freya
- Delicious cupcakes baked by Team Manager Janine





SMOKE-FREE

By law, smoking is banned within 10 metres (about two car lengths) of any public outdoor sporting venue during an organised under-18s event.

The ban includes training or practice sessions to prepare for an organised under-age sporting event, and breaks or intervals during the course of the event, training or practice session.

SOCIAL MEDIA



Don't forget to follow us on social media for all the latest news

Facebook: Oakleigh Dragons Junior Football Club

Instagram: @oakleigh_dragonsjfc

Oakleigh Rotary Market

EVERY SUNDAY 8AM - 1PM

HUGE RANGE OF WARES

- Fruit, vegetables & plants
- Clothing & books
- Tools & hardware
- Preowned treasures

...AND MUCH MORE

Corner of Hanover and Atherton Street, Oakleigh





GRUB AT THE CLUB SCHEDULE

Subject to change during the season depending on game times, your Team Manager will keep you posted.

Don't forget – Grub's Gone Green! BYO plates and cutlery.

Date	U8 & U9	U10	U11-U13	U14+	Holidays	Grub at the Club
23-Apr	Round 1	Round 1	Round 1	Round 1		U16 Boys
30-Apr	Round 2	Round 2	Round 2	Round 2		
7-May	Round 3	Round 3	Round 3	Round 3		U9 Mixed
14-May	Round 4	Round 4	Round 4	Round 4	Mother's Day	
21-May	Round 5	Round 5	Round 5	Round 5	National Volunteer Week, 15-21 May	Hosted by Special Guest
28-May	Round 6	Round 6	Round 6	Round 6		
4-Jun	Round 7	Round 7	Round 7	Round 7		U10 & U11 Mixed
11-Jun	No Games / Interleague Carnival				King's Birthday	
18-Jun	Round 8	Round 8	Round 8	Round 8		U12 & U14 Girls
25-Jun	Round 9	Round 9	Round 9	Round 9	School Holidays	
2-Jul	No Games				School Holidays	
9-Jul	No Games				School Holidays	
16-Jul	Round 10	Round 10	Round 10	Round 10		U16 & U18 Girls
23-Jul	Round 11	Round 11	Round 11	Round 11		
30-Jul	Round 12	Round 12	Round 12	Round 12		U14 Mixed
6-Aug	Round 13	Round 13	Round 13	Round 13		
13-Aug	Lightning Carnival	Round 14	Round 14	Round 14		U18 Boys
20-Aug		Lightning Carnival	Round 15	Round 15		U13 Mixed
27-Aug			Semi Finals	Semi Finals		
3-Sep			Grand Finals	Prelim Finals	Father's Day	
10-Sep				Grand Finals		
17-Sep	PRESENTATION DAY (School holidays commence 16/09)					





PERPETUAL CLUB AWARDS 2023 - NOMINATIONS



Jock Hepburn For loyalty to the club that would not normally be expected

Nomination: _____

Reason: _____

Irene Bourke Presented to a person who is an involved, committed volunteer for the Club (other than committee members)

Nomination: _____

Reason: _____

Life Members Presented to a person with 5 years significant service to OYCFC (Committee)

Nomination: _____

Reason: _____

Goodwill Family Award In recognition of outstanding participation, commitment and contribution made to the Club by an entire family, both on and off the field.

Nomination: _____

Reason: _____

Coach of the Year In recognition of outstanding leadership, commitment and contribution made by a coach

Nomination: _____

Reason: _____

Nominated By (Name): _____

Signed: _____

Seconded by (Name): _____

Signed: _____

Submit to Secretary at secretaryOYCFC@gmail.com