COOLBINIA BOMBERS JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

2025 ANNUAL REPORT

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT 2025

As the 2025 season wraps up, it's been another year of dedication, teamwork and pride for the Coolbinia Bombers Junior Football Club. With over 500 registered participants across 21 teams, it was great to see so many players wearing our colours with pride each weekend. The Bombers remain one of the strongest and most vibrant clubs in WA junior football.

Our players have shown great commitment and growth — from Auskickers learning the basics to our older teams playing with determination and spirit. Three of our Youth teams reached grand finals, with the Year 8s proudly bringing home the premiership flag. These achievements reflect not o nly our players' efforts but also the passion of coaches, managers and families who make it all possible.

A highlight of 2025 was celebrating 20 years of Girls Football at the Bombers. From the early Bomberettes in 2006 to one of the first clubs to field girls' teams across every age group, the program has become a cornerstone of our club's identity. It was wonderful to see Keith Henneker and others from our founding era at the celebration — a proud moment honouring those who built the pathway for young women in footy.

While we celebrated our history, we also embraced the future with the 2nd season of the Youth Integrated Football League, following All Abilities Footy's 2024 pilot. The program reflects our values of inclusion and opportunity, giving every player the chance to enjoy the game. Seeing current and former Starkick players take the field together was a highlight and a proud step forward for community football in WA. We are also super proud of the Coolbinia Bombers team, making the Grand Final and finishing a close runner-up on the day.

None of this happens without our volunteers. From setting up ovals and running the canteen to managing teams and supporting events, their commitment keeps the Bombers spirit alive. More than a hundred volunteers contributed this season, each adding something special. I also want to thank committee members Lauren, Jacqui, Sharon, Adam and Jenna, who step down after years of service. Your energy and dedication have made a lasting difference to the Bombers community.

Our sponsors and community partners remain a vital part of our success. Their support helps improve facilities, equipment and programs that enrich players' experiences and keep our club thriving. Thank you for believing in what we do and helping deliver footy for everyone.

As we look ahead, we'll keep our focus on development, inclusion and connection — building on strong foundations and ensuring every player feels supported to grow, learn and belong.

Go Bombers!

Michael North
Club President

REGISTRAR'S REPORT 2025

It was great to see many returning faces this year from players to volunteers. The relationships we forge and the moments we share together are what makes volunteering at the Bombers most rewarding.

Thankyou to all the Team Managers for your tireless efforts throughout the season!! It was great to once again have so many returning Team Managers bring their wealth of knowledge and love for their team into another season of footy. Those of you who were first timers, massive effort! You were amazing in your eagerness to learn and adopt the Coolbinia Way while aligning to the WA Football processes. We hope to see you back again in 2026!

The 2025 Season was a success on many fronts from celebrating 20yrs of Girls Footy at the Bombers, to fielding teams in nearly every age group and having some new faces join the Committee bringing fresh ideas and enthusiasm. In 2025 we did not field a Year 9 team, however it was great to see several of the returning players in this cohort continue their pathway together and even achieving Finals!

Congrats to the following Bombers & Demons teams who made the 2025 Finals Series:

- Coolbinia Year 9/10 Girls
- Coolbinia Year 7
- Coolbinia Year 8
- Coolbinia Year 11/12 White
- Coolbinia Year 11/12 Red
- Coolbinia Youth Integrated

A further Congrats to the Year 7, Year 8 & Youth Integrated Teams for making the big Grand Final with the Year 8's coming away as 2025 Premiers!

Our registrations for the 2025 Season were as follows:

YEAR GROUP	NUMBER OF PLAYERS	YEAR GROUP	NUMBER OF PLAYERS
Year 3	36	Year 3/4 Girls	~4
Year 4	31	Year 5/6 Girls	~12
Year 5	48	Year 7/8 Girls	48
Year 6	38	Year 9/10 Girls	22
Year 7	^27	Year 11/12 Girls	20 (*11)
Year 8	18	Auskick (K/PP – Year 2)	111
Year 9	0	Bomberettes	14
Year 10	27	Starkick	46
Year 11	16 (*12)		

* Mt Hawthorn registered players in Coolbinia/Mt Hawthorn Combined Teams
^ Includes x2 Train-on Participants
~ Players who played in Mt Hawthorn team or includes Mt Hawthorn Players in Coolbinia team

TOTAL REGISTRATIONS FOR CBJFC REGISTERED PLAYERS – 514

SEASON ’25 CHANGES

Several changes in rules and regulations occurred both coming into, and across the 2025 season. These included:

- Assistant Coaches were reintroduced after being removed from the Coaches Box in 2024. This was very well received as support around rotations etc on Game Day is needed to ensure fair and equitable processes.
- The Even Down Rule was implemented permanently this year and now includes Year 9’s, which was also very well received.
- The Girls Competition Rules and Regs have now further aligned to the boys in the upper Youth Teams which further shows the continuing strength of girls footy in WA.
- Association Goal & Boundary umpires were implemented in 2025 for Year 11/12 teams. This was initiated to provide further support of teams as this age group is known to struggle with volunteer numbers. It was also deemed to be a positive step in umpire retention and recruitment. While the concept was extremely well received, timing was a little off, not allowing clubs to budget for this significant increase in umpire fees for the season. A review of registration fees for Year 11/12 Teams will occur in the 2026 Budget Meeting.
- The new Player Development Penalty Matrix was fantastic to streamline and keep clubs accountable. It will also aid in reducing poaching and super teams being created across the competition.
- The sit-down pilot was implemented in the Youth Competition with a few rounds to go and continued through finals. This was an interesting one, and received mostly conflicting feedback not just at the Bombers, but across the competition. All Coaches Box volunteers were required to be seated on chairs apart from the Team Managers who could move between boxes when required. We await the 2026 Season to see how far this one goes!

Coming into this season the hope was to see more helpers for odd jobs and boy did the Bombers members step up! We had a great cohort of new faces whether helping in the Canteen, on the committee, hosting 3 weeks worth of finals or odd jobs around the club on training days! LEGENDS, all of you!!

Another season has ended, another year of fond memories and new relationships built. Once again, as I always say, thankyou for allowing me to share in your child’s footy journey…thankyou for allowing me to share in your teams…thankyou for being part of making the Bombers a family orientated club!

Until next season when we get to do it all again!!

#GOBOMBERS
#GODEMONS

Chloe Cushing
Registrar

TREASURER'S REPORT 2025

In terms of overall financial performance, 2025 saw another solid year for the Club, recording a net profit of $9,209.

Income for the year was $187,795 against a budget of $185,900. This was an outstanding result given that our registration income landed at $12,000 under our budget, with the Club fielding two less teams than expected. To bridge the gap, an incredible amount of hard work was required in the canteen across the year (including hosting three rounds of Finals). With a target for canteen earnings of $12,000 ($50,000 sales - $38,000 cost of sales), they delivered! Under the steadfast hands of Sharon Spencer and Chloe Cushing, the canteen surpassed this target, netting over $13,000 for the Club.

Other items of note in the income are a $4,000 Heathway grant which has yet to be allocated and a $3,344 insurance claim for a fridge in the canteen.

As flagged last year, we undertook a comprehensive preseason review of our costs prior to setting our 2025 registration fees. In recent years WA Football has been steadily increasing umpire allocations (field, boundary and goal), substantially increasing costs to all clubs. The result of this review was the need for an increase in registration fees across all age groups, with the largest increase to youth football where umpiring fees are the highest. Despite this increase, our 2025 fees continued to compare favourably to all other local junior football clubs.

The vagaries of cash accounting always make our budgeting process challenging and this year was no different with $18,735 of 2024 umpiring fees being carried over from 2024, billed into this financial year. With an abundance of caution, our 2025 budget included all current season umpiring fees, and 2024 rollover fees, and consequently, forecast a potential overall deficit of $25,427.

Disciplined cost control was again a key feature of the financial result, spending $42,574 on Cost of Sales and $136,176 on Expenses. Key savings were made in Players and Officials Merchandise - approximately $7,800 under budget - thanks to Merchandise Coordinator Catrina Datillo's efficient use of inventory and ordering. Two less teams than expected saw lower than budgeted expenditure across a number of areas such as trophies, photos and team nomination fees. Finally, special mention should be made of a group of volunteers spearheaded by Jacqui Quinn-Smith who did the final clubhouse clean, saving another $1,200.

Whilst a big improvement on last year, it is important to note that some items of expenditure didn't get billed during the financial period, including $3,055 in umpiring fees and an anticipated bill of around $3,500 for floodlighting.

I cannot commend the efforts of our volunteers in delivering another strong financial performance highly enough. Many, many extra hours go into seeking the best deals whether it be food shopping for the canteen (Sharon Spencer and Chloe Cushing), hosting social functions (Shawna Pearson and Jani Thiesera), buying equipment (Jacqui Quinn-Smith), merchandise (Catrina and Matt Datillo) or securing grants and sponsorships (Richard O'Rourke). Thank you all for your amazing effort and dedication to our Club.

Thanks also to Michael North, Chloe Cushing, Shawn Pearson and Laurence Gardiner for assisting me throughout the season.

Michael Smith
Treasurer

2025 CLUB CAPTAINS REPORTS

This year has been such a rewarding season for me. After playing footy for six years, it has been incredible to see younger female players and children develop in their own footy journeys. This growth would not have been possible without the dedication of our club, players, coaches, parents, and especially the passion and drive of our female players.

At the start of the year, we faced some uncertainty about whether the Year 11/12 girls would have a team, as many of our players were part of the Rogers Cup competition — an amazing opportunity that shows there is a bright future for women's football. Fortunately, many girls were still keen to play, and we were able to form a strong and committed team, with our Rogers players joining whenever they could.

This year also brought some incredible achievements across our club. I had the opportunity to play in the first-ever Team of the Year Showcase alongside three of my teammates, as well as some of the Year 11/12 boys who were also included in the metro central team, where both teams' girls and boys ended up winning the whole competition!

I want to say a big congratulations to the Year 8 boys who took out the Black Division, and to the Year 7s for their fantastic season. Congratulations also to the 2025 Youth Integrated B Division team for becoming runners-up in their competition. Well done to our Year 9/10 girls for making the preliminary final, as well as the Year 7 boys who also reached that stage. Of course, we cannot forget our Auskick K/PP, Year 2 Bomberettes, and Starkick teams, who all made the preliminary finals too such a brilliant effort from all involved!

The club has seen incredible growth in registrations this season, and it has been fantastic to see so many events come to life including Indigenous Round, Auskick Buddy Round, Umpire Appreciation Round, Season Launch, and team wind-ups.

It has been an absolute honour to serve as Club Captain, alongside Kyan Perera and the amazing committee. I have watched this club grow so much since I first started playing, and I cannot wait to see it continue to evolve in the coming years.

To all players, parents, coaches, and our wider football community I wish you a well-deserved and restful off-season so we can come back refreshed and ready for another amazing year at Coolbinia JFC.

And to the Bomberettes and our future female players enjoy your time on the field, embrace new positions and challenges, and cherish the friendships that come with playing footy. Respect your coaches, appreciate your parents, and most importantly have fun!

Fulori Laqai
Girls Club Captain

What a season 2025 was! Looking back in retrospect, we have had some amazing achievements all round, whether they be individual, team or the club as a whole. It felt like we came together as a community more than ever before to ensure that our club continued moving in the right direction this year.

First off, congratulations to the year 7 and the year 8 teams on becoming the champions of their respective divisions, this is a huge achievement that deserves commemoration. To all the other teams that found success during the seasons, experiencing the triumph of winning and the taste of defeat, it's all a part of your footballing journey. Special mention goes out to the integrated team on becoming runners up in their division. How good is that!

A huge part of our club's ongoing success are the volunteers that work week-in-week-out to keep things running smoothly for the boys and girls who love running out with t heir mates playing footy. This fantastic season would not be possible without our coaches, managers, runners, first-aiders, and many more that deserve recognition. We are grateful as players of the work you do for us to make our footy experience as memorable as it is.

To be club captain this year, it was a huge honour and there is nothing better than representing this great club on and off the field. Thank you to the committee for their dedication and assistance this year, providing guidance to me and countless other kids who sought it. Going into my last year of community footy next year, I'm sure that the way our club is headed that it'll be a season to remember and cherish, and I look forward to what comes next.

To the players (and the parents) - enjoy the time off and I look forward to seeing you all down for what is living up to be a huge 2026 season for everyone involved. Go the bombers!

Kyan Perera
Boys Club Captain

CLUB AWARD WINNERS

PRESIDENT'S TROPHY

2025 RECIPIENT – MAX BARBARO

This award is selected by the President(s) of the club and represents someone who has played an invaluable role for the club and has demonstrated outstanding dedication and service to the Coolbinia Bombers in 2025.

The President's Award shines a light on someone whose impact reaches across the whole club — a person whose tireless work might usually go unnoticed, but whose influence is simply too great to miss.

This year's recipient has been part of the Bombers since 2015. A mum to Levi, Diesel, Chet and Taj, she's taken on just about every role — from team manager to interchange steward, canteen helper and more.

In 2025 alone, Max managed the Year 2 Auskick and Year 5 Red teams, served as Interchange Steward for Year 10, and still found time to help other teams, cover shifts in the canteen, support younger age groups, and bring her energy to club events.

What makes Max exceptional is that she gives her time freely, without ever seeking recognition. She leads by example, draws families into the Coolbinia Way, and embodies what community football is all about — giving, caring, and connecting. Her influence is felt by players, parents, volunteers and even visiting teams. She's one of those people who make Coolbinia more than a club — she makes it a community.

Thank you and Congratulations, Max.

DOUG MCGREGOR AWARD

2025 RECIPIENT – MICHAEL NORTH

The Doug McGregor Award is named in memory of a well-respected elderly statesman whose service to the Club was second to none. He served for over 20 years as resident timekeeper and in many other roles over his time with the Club, he went through two generations seeing his children and grandchildren play for the Club.

Mike, known to most as *Northy*, finished the 2024 season as Club President and coach of his son's Year 12 team, earning Life Membership for his contribution to the Bombers. While many would take that as the perfect moment to step back, Mike's passion for community saw him continue in 2025 — once again serving as President and finding new ways to give back. Beyond leading the club, Mike volunteered to coach the Year 5/6 Girls team — despite having no children playing — and even helped with the Kindy/Pre-Primary Auskick group. His generosity quickly drew new volunteers in, and his Year 5/6 Girls team became a highlight of his season, with the players now begging him to return next year.

Anyone who has spent time with Mike — whether chatting on the sidelines, working behind the scenes, or attending a club event — knows his humility, warmth and genuine care for others. Everything he does reflects his belief in giving back and strengthening community.

Mike's selfless commitment, compassion and leadership continue to make an enormous impact on the Coolbinia Bombers and everyone around him. We are deeply grateful for his ongoing contribution and proud to recognise him for his outstanding service.

Congratulations, Northy.

KEITH HENNEKER AWARD

2025 RECIPIENT – FLEUR ANDREWS

This Award recognises the club's top Female player who has been outstanding and has excelled on the field across the season.

The recipient is determined by the player that has scored the highest total votes in the Fairest and Best voting across all Female Youth grade teams.

CRAIG AUSTEN AWARD

2025 RECIPIENT – CALLUM JOSEPH

This Award recognises the club's top male player who has been outstanding and has excelled on the field across the season.

The recipient is determined by the player that has scored the highest total votes in the Fairest and Best voting across all male Youth grade teams.

ERROL COUCH BEST TEAM AWARD

2025 RECIPIENT - YEAR 9/10 GIRLS

Errol Couch Best Team award is awarded to the team at the Club which shows great sportsmanship on and off the field, is respectful to other teams, coaches and officials and whose parents provide great support to both the team and club.

The Year 9/10 Girls have been exceptional in what they have given back outside of their own team. From attending multiple Auskick Sessions with the Bomberettes & Starkick Teams, assisting with club events and team volunteers who help in many other areas of the club.

We have a Head Coach who is also a key committee member, an Assistant who coaches two teams in our club and another Assistant who is still volunteering 15+ years later, its exceptional. The team has several parents who are also committee members holding key roles. The team as a whole has been described as inclusive and supportive with a positive culture. This attributes not only benefit our club but also the personal growth and development of these young woman as they grow and become leaders in their own right.

Congratulations to Mat Norris, Darren DeMasi, Robert Carrabba, Kylie Bardon and the Year 9/10 Girls.

DOLPH DANTI AWARD

2025 RECIPIENT – SHOSHANNA EINFELD

Dolph Danti Award is named after a respected Clubman who served the Club for over ten years who passed away in a car accident while travelling to Kalgoorlie. He served in many roles including coach and committee member. This award is given to a young person who has helped around the Club in an outstanding way.

Shoshanna, better known as Shosh or Shoshy, is someone who has given her heart and soul to the Bombers this season.

Shoshy was helping out long before even some of our team officials started their 2025 pre-season planning by assisting with the Summer Fundamental Skills Sessions for girls of all ages back in February. She has been down at Auskick engaging with the Starkick & Bomberettes on Sunday mornings encouraging every player.

Shoshy is a leader amongst her peers and embodies the Coolbinia values encouraging those around her to do the same. Injured or fit to play you can count on her engagement being consistent as nothing holds her back. Shoshy has been a true leader and watching her become more confident and engaged has been a pleasure for those around her to witness.

Thank you and congratulations Shoshy.

LIFE MEMBER INDUCTIONS

2025 PLAYING LIFE MEMBERS

Life membership is the highest honour our club can offer and is awarded when players complete 9 seasons of home and away Football OR reach 150 games. Congratulations to the following new Playing Life Members.

BRADLEY GEERSEN

MAX HAIGH

MILANA MICELI

50 GAME MILESTONES

Lincoln Balaratnasingam	**Year 7**
Obie Caffieri	**Year 7**
August Lienert	**Year 7**
Harrison Muzaferovic	**Year 7**
Nate Radovic	**Year 7**
Nathaniel Sibosado	**Year 7**
Nicholas Theodoropoulos	**Year 7**
Max Ward	**Year 7**
Chace Croften	**Year 8**
Jai Metcalfe	**Year 8**
Davies Mwango	**Year 8**
Tadhg McElligott	**Year 10**
Robert Bonney	**Year 11/12 White**
Jasmine Galvin	**Year 7/8 Girls Red**
Sania Gilby	**Year 7/8 Girls Red**
Neesha Adams	**Year 7/8 Girls Black**
Phoebi Jenkins	**Year 9/10 Girls**
Yasmin Sharp	**Year 9/10 Girls**
Sofia Ferolla	**Year 11/12 Girls**
Charlie Filear	**Year 11/12 Girls**
Asha Ladyman	**Year 11/12 Girls**

100 GAME MILESTONES

Alexis Crooks	**Year 9/10**
Levi Barbaro	**Year 10**
Eames Bond	**Year 10**
Lukas Charsley	**Year 10**
Adam Cranwell	**Year 10**
Corey Cushing	**Year 10**
Jay DeSanges	**Year 10**
Logan Gardner	**Year 10**
Kyan Hansen	**Year 10**
Ben Lohman White	**Year 10**
Ricky Mesiti	**Year 10**
Lachlan Nicolaou	**Year 10**
Olivia Lienert	**Year 11/12**
Milana Miceli	**Year 11/12**
Daisy Phillips	**Year 11/12**
Taj O'Shea	**Year 11/12**
Henry Pearson	**Year 11/12**
Angus Blake	**Year 11/12**
Sebastian Cowan	**Year 11/12**
Jordan Nikoloski	**Year 11/12**

COOLBINIA BOMBERS JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB 2025 SEASON REVIEWS

AUSKICK REPORT 2025

If there was one thing that defined the 2025 Auskick season, it was rain, and plenty of it! Week after week, our Auskickers, coaches and families turned up, umbrellas in hand and smiles on faces. Wet socks, muddy balls and sodden grass/muddy patches became part of the fun and nothing could dampen the energy on the oval each Sunday morning.

This year we had 125 enthusiastic Auskickers across the year groups, filling the grounds with teamwork, skill-building and some seriously impressive handballs and kicks from the kids. From our first-year superstars to our Year 2 rookies, every player brought passion, resilience and a love of the game.

Season Highlights

Round 3 saw capes flying and masks on for Superhero Round, one of the most colourful mornings of the season. We had tiny Batmen, Wonder Women, and even a few superhero parents out there saving the day.

Twighlight round - Rick surprised the club with a visit, slinging high fives to all the Eagles fans

Round 5 gave us our Twilight Round, where the kids played under the lights and the atmosphere was buzzing.

Round 7 some of our kickers attended the East Perth v Subiaco WAFL game at Leederville Oval. We had enough players for two games. Despite the rain and freezing temperatures, it was a lot of fun for the kids and everyone involved to play amongst the pros.

Round 8 was a standout with the All-Girls Gala Day. Our Bomberettes absolutely shone, showing skill, teamwork and plenty of determination. It was a fantastic celebration of female footy and the growing confidence of our young players.

Round 9 was our NAIDOC Round, a special opportunity to acknowledge and celebrate Indigenous culture with Indigenous educator, Clive Smith. The kids listened, learned and asked lots of questions before taking turns walking through the smoke following a smoking ceremony.

And of course, Rounds 11, 12 and 13 marked the start of the Year 2 Rookie Series. Our young Bombers stepped up to play inter-club matches against local teams. Despite the wet conditions, their enthusiasm never wavered.

Due to gala day being cancelled earlier, our final round was celebrated with a neighbourhood game against the Mt Hawthorn Cardinals. It was fantastic to see the kids and coaches get involved in some healthy competition. Mt Hawthorn came out on top, which we agreed was due to them being incredibly well organised! They had coaches in every section of the ground (forward, back and mid). Something we will keep in mind for 2026.

Gratitude and Goals

A massive thank you to all our coaches and team managers for your enthusiasm, patience and positivity each week. Your effort and commitment make the program what it is. And to Jenna, our Auskick Coordinator, for

her tireless organisation, leadership and calmness under pressure, thank you for keeping everything running so smoothly (even in the rain!).

While volunteer numbers were a little lighter this season, we're already planning to build on that in 2026, setting clearer expectations and finding fun ways for more parents to get involved. After all, Auskick is at its best when the whole community joins in.

Photo of the neighbourhood game v Mt Hawthorn Cardinals, last round of the season

All the fun at Season Launch, NAIDOC Round, & Buddy Round 2025.

STARKICK REPORT

The 2025 Starkick season kicked off on Round 1 on the 4th of May 4th with our Bring a Friend Rounds and bring friends we did! We were thrilled to welcome 14 new players to our Starkick group this year, taking us to a total of 44 registered players by season end.

While we welcomed many new faces, as always happens, we said sad farewell to some families who have completed their Starkick journey with us. You'll all be missed and know you are always welcome here at Coolbinia.

Season Highlights were many including:

- Superkids Superheroes Round – a day of colour, costumes and fun, where we dressed up to raise funds and awareness for childhood cancer.
- AFL Half time at Optus Stadium was an amazing experience to play in front of 50000 fans when Fremantle took on Collingwood.
- Buddy Round – always a favourite, with our Year 9/10 Girls team joining us for a morning of skills, laughter, and fun.
- Dockers Gala Day at Cockburn ARC – a standout highlight, with Coolbinia proudly fielding three teams, all wearing the Bombers jumper with pride.

While the big events are special, it's the weekly, smiles, and energy of the kids that make Starkick what it is. Rain, hail, or shine (and we had all those this season!), the kids spirit never faltered and week in week out they turned up ready to play.

Starkick wouldn't run without our wonderful volunteers, including parents who do their bit to help the club, be it on the BBQ or in the canteen, But I want to pay special mention to a few.

- A heartfelt thank you to Paxton, Novak and Alexandria, who have been part of Starkick, volunteering for an amazing 11 consecutive years. You are each simply amazing humans.
- To our Bombers Youth players – Sophie, Isla, Charlie and Giuseppe. Thank you for coming down and giving back as you do. You are leading the way.
- To our Team Manager, Sally, for keeping us organised and ready to go each week, your efforts are simply priceless for our group – Thank you.
- To my fellow coaches Ja, Byron, and Sacheen, Kieran and Bryn thank you for stepping forward, giving your all, and making sure everyone has their moment to shine.

Finally, a sincere thank you to our club and community for your ongoing support and commitment to ensuring everyone is welcome at Coolbinia. Without the club's backing, quite simply, Starkick wouldn't be what it is today.

As we wrap up another memorable season, I want to thank everyone who played a part in making the year a success. The growth, smiles, and friendships formed each week remind us why we do, what we do.

We can't wait to welcome everyone back along with new faces, for an even bigger and better 2026 season.

Rob Geersen
Starkick Coordinator

YEAR 3 RED REPORT

What an incredible season it has been for the Coolbinia Bombers Year 3 Red team in 2025.

From the very first bounce of the season, our players embraced the spirit of teamwork and brought an energy and enthusiasm that made coaching them an absolute joy. The improvement across the board in key footy skills such as overhead and chest marking, handballing, kicking, tackling and positional awareness was genuinely impressive. It was clear that each child grew in confidence and ability as the season progressed, not just as individuals, but as a united team.

One of the real highlights this year was the way the team gelled during games. We saw some sensational passages of play that showcased brilliant link-up movement, smart decisions and selfless sharing of the footy, which resulted in some truly memorable team goals. These weren't just moments of skill – they were a reflection of the trust and connection our players built with one another throughout the season.

Consistency was key to our development, and our players showed tremendous commitment by arriving on time for both training and games each week. This regular attendance allowed us to build strong habits and reinforce our team-first approach. The positive culture within the group was evident not only in our wins, but also in the way the team conducted themselves during tougher matches. Whether we were up on the scoreboard or behind, the kids carried themselves with resilience, humility and a genuine care for the game and their opponents. It was particularly heartening to see our players show compassion when opposition players were injured, and the respect they showed to umpires every week was outstanding.

Of course, none of this would be possible without the incredible support network around our team. A huge thank you to Auri Gleadell for her tireless work as team manager. Your behind-the-scenes organisation made everything run smoothly week in and week out. I also want to sincerely thank Dan Hopkins, Ben Lees, Matt Ireland and Tyler Gleadell for their invaluable contributions on the training track and during games. Your efforts kept sessions fun, challenging and full of energy, and your support made a huge difference.

To our amazing parent group – thank you for the countless ways you supported the team. Whether it was cutting up oranges, washing the kits, helping with goal umpiring, stepping in as interchange officials or providing first aid, your efforts ensured our kids had the best experience possible. We are very lucky to have such a dedicated community around us.

As we wrap up this fantastic season, we're already looking forward to 2026. We can't wait to see how far this team can go with another year of fun, growth and footy together.

Thanks again to everyone involved. We'll see you back for a big 2026.

Matt Pinkard
Coach

YEAR 3 BLACK REPORT

The Year 3 Black team had a fantastic season in 2025. The majority of the group have been playing together now for 4 years and really play and train with great spirit and have developed wonderful friendships within and outside of their school groups. Team sport can really bring people together when you're in the trenches battling together in some tough conditions.

We had a large group training through the year, with both of the Year 3 teams having 35 players combined. The two teams were very evenly matched, which provided for some excellent competitive mini matches at the end of our training sessions. Rarely did any players miss training or a game aside from a small amount of illness which echoed the passion and commitment they all hold for the game and their team.

We began the year with a focused skills session (like a mini draft combine!) to collect some valuable data that was shared only with the specific parents of each player. We then ran the same session at the last training session to be able to witness and acknowledge the improvement and skills development of them. We aim to have this as a regular part of our training approach and the kids really loved it.

Highlights throughout the season included:

- Continued development of individual skills by all players
- Built solid teamwork and buy in from the players to put in effort and positively support each other on the field
- Played all games in a fair and respectful manner in relation to; opposition players, umpires and coaches
- Competitive in every match where we consistently scored and had impressive passages of play
- Almost every player in the team kicking a goal throughout the year and celebrating together
- Tackling intensity was clearly a focus early for our team that galvanized the team and was noticeably a strength against all sides we matched. This led to a matchup against a side who were arguably our toughest opponent was stifled by this pressure all game and as a coaching group we were incredibly proud of our players as they were with their own efforts
- Great positive support from our parents and friends attending all games with great turnouts
- Players listening for quarter time instructions, putting them into action immediately on field and seeing the results of their focus
- New players joining the team in Theo Rogers, Zachary Artha, Zach Manders & Hunter Williamson who all developed well over the season and were super contributors each week.
- Parents v Kids match after the last training session was super fun for all

- Coach social catchups through and after the end of season gave us a great chance to bond outside of training and match days
- Award certificates – thanks to the sponsors as the loved receiving them for a variety of reasons generally related to effort, sportsmanship and team focused characteristics

Challenges we faced:

- 18 on the team with 12 a side competition and regularly having all turn up. Fortunately numerous opposing teams were happy to play 15 a side.
- Wind! Our home game early in the season against Mt Hawthorn was their first experience of extremely strong wind favouring one end and definitely a key learning experience for all.
- Rain (and wind!!) – we played 4 games in solid rain with a couple in torrential rain, including a Friday night fixture at Morley with howling wind, sideways rain and freezing conditions. We still managed 8 goals in a quarter, and the game was reduced to only the most passionate 8 from each side wanting to play until the end. Another game the team was loving and playing super wet weather footy was halted by our opponents at ¾ time due to the rain which was much to our players disappointment.

Importantly I'd like to thank the following people for all their efforts throughout the season:

- Coaching team - Jan Skrapac, Matt Baginski, Reece Pappas, David O'Heare & Dave Crafter for all their efforts during the year helping out at training sessions and on game day.
- Manager – Rachel Crafter for an awesome effort keeping the team running and ensuring we had an informed and fun season for the players and parents alike
- Parent Help – thanks to all who assisted in the various roles when needed and especially those who battle through in some horrible conditions.

With 4 years down as coach I've been really enjoying the challenge and love nothing more than seeing the smiles on the kids faces and seeing firsthand all the benefits of being part of a team sport can bring for them.

Really proud of our Black Team gang and how they held themselves and participated all season.

Bring on 2026 I say!!

Jon Weetman
Coach

YEAR 4 RED REPORT

This Season of our Year 4 Modified Aussie Rules Football team was one of strong development, enthusiasm, and enjoyment for everyone involved. As coaches, it was extremely rewarding to watch each player grow in confidence, improve their skills, and form strong bonds with their teammates.

Skill Development: Throughout the season, the players made excellent progress in their fundamental footy skills. We focused on the basics — kicking, handballing, marking, tackling technique, and ground ball pickups. The improvement across the group was clear by season's end. In particular, we saw great growth in:

- Clean ball handling under pressure
- Awareness of space and smart disposal under pressure
- Stronger and more accurate kicking to a target
- Marking technique and confidence in aerial contests

Each training session included fun, game-based drills that kept players engaged while reinforcing key skills.

Game Sense and Team Play: One of the key goals for the season was improving the players' game awareness and ability to work as a team. Early on, many players were naturally drawn to the ball, but as the season progressed, they began to:

- Spread out and create space
- Look for teammates in better positions
- Defend with purpose and structure
- Celebrate each other's efforts, not just goals

We rotated players through all parts of the ground — forwards, mids, and backs — to give everyone the opportunity to learn different roles and responsibilities. This also helped develop a more rounded understanding of the game.

Attitude and Effort: Perhaps the most pleasing aspect of the season was the players' attitude. They turned up each week ready to learn, have fun, and give their best. Whether it was at training or on game day, the effort and energy were consistently high. The kids supported one another, listened to feedback, and displayed great sportsmanship — all qualities we value just as highly as football ability.

Parent and Community Support: A big thank you to all the parents and carers who helped make this season run so smoothly — from goal umpiring and timekeeping to washing jumpers and bringing the snacks! Your support is vital to the kids' experience, and we really appreciate it. A big thank you to Rebecca our team manager/coordinator who is the spine of our team who we could not do without. We as a group could not be more appreciative and thankful enough for the commitment, organisation and guidance you gave for parents, kids and coaches. We thank you Rebecca!

A huge thank you to Matt our Assistant coach and game day runner. Matt comes from a huge background of playing high level football and this shows with his specific football knowledge that he passes onto the boys on a weekly basis both during the week and on game day. Both Matt and I have immense passion for the game and bringing the most out of our young playing group which resulted in the odd lively and engaging exchange of ideas. A big thank you also to Doug who helped out with coaching at training and game day and I believe Doug is what personifies a junior football coach. His always positive and encouraging influence on the boys played a huge role in the enjoyment and development both on and off the field.

Looking Ahead: This team has built a strong foundation in both skills and values that will serve them well as they move into higher levels of junior footy. As coaches, we're proud of what they've achieved and excited to watch them continue developing in the years ahead.

A huge well done to every player — thanks for your effort, enthusiasm, and love for the game. We hope you all enjoyed the season as much as we did.

Go Coolbinia Bombers RED!

Cam Heise
Coach

YEAR 4 BLACK REPORT

No report submitted

YEAR 5 RED REPORT

What a fantastic year of growth and development by our Year 5 boys. It was exciting to see the group step up from Year 4 footy, carrying forward what they learned last year while embracing the enhanced game play.

We had a strong season on the field but just like in past years this was the outcome of the effort and commitment shown at training. Our sessions built from core skill work into more complex drills that blended fitness, decision making and teamwork.

This year we focused strongly on individual body coordination in kicking, with the four guiding principles that became the backbone of our skill work

The boys' favourite drill was without doubt the 3 second rule match simulation — every time we set it up, the intensity lifted and the energy on the field was electric.

Throughout the season, the players embraced our team rules and game-day tactics with enthusiasm. Their ability to transfer training habits into matches was outstanding, and it was especially rewarding to see them instinctively apply our principles in pressure situations.

A season highlight was the resilience the boys showed in the games played in the wet — adapting their style, staying tough in contested footy, and never dropping their effort.

On the scoreboard, 10 of our boys hit the scoreboard with goals this year. In 2026, we'll continue to challenge the group to broaden our scoring spread, sharpen defensive pressure, and keep taking the game on.

Special thanks to our team support group:

- Team Manager - Max
- Assistant Coach - Matt
- Skills Coach - Levi
- First Aider - Dov
- Interchanger - Jeremy
- And special help from Giles, Shane and Tristan when needed

Your contributions make the team function so smoothly, and the boys benefit enormously from your effort and commitment.

Go Bombers!

Ryan Beccarelli
Coach

YEAR 5 BLACK REPORT

As we wrap up another fantastic season of footy, I want to take a moment to reflect on what's been an incredible journey for our Year 5 team.

What a season! Year 5 Black showed up with heart, grit, and a real hunger to learn. Watching the boys grow not just as footballers, but as teammates and young people has been the most rewarding part of the year.

This season, we took a big step forward as a club, expanding from two teams to three in the Year 5 squad. That shift brought new energy and fresh challenges, and I'm proud to say every boy played a role and had an impact. Whether it was on game day, at training, or simply encouraging a mate, each player contributed to the team's spirit and success.

A special welcome to our new teammates: Tyler Walters, who transitioned from Red, Maddox Ross, Arrigo D'Agostino, and Shane Tan, who joined the Bombers for their first crack at Mods footy. You brought enthusiasm, effort, and quickly became part of the Year 5 Black family. To those returning—thank you for your consistency, leadership, and positive energy.

In my fourth-year coaching, I've had the privilege of watching these boys grow up. I've learned what drives them, how they learn, and how to help them bring their best. With a squad of just 15, and often starting Saturdays with 13, we focused on strong defensive discipline, fast ball movement, and smart decision-making. The boys embraced this style, and by season's end, our tackling pressure, defensive intensity, and strategic training plays were standout features.

As our skills sharpened, so did our teamwork and game day impact. The boys took ownership of our team rules, supported each other, and celebrated every game with pride. From making new mates to training drills that had game day impact and singing the song with full voice and pride after every game. Year 5 Black built a culture of fun that will carry them into Year 6 and I hope to see them all return next year!

Year 5 Black mantra was - Be your best, do your best, and try your best. It's simple, but powerful and the boys lived it every week, on and off the field.

I'm incredibly proud of each of you. You've grown as footballers, but more importantly, as good young men. Well done on another great and fun footy year at Coolbinia Bombers.

Massive Thanks To Our Team Legends

- Gary 'Peter' Cunningham – Assistant Coach. Gary Peter brings deep footy knowledge and a philosophy of developing the young man first, footy second. That mindset shaped our season and helped build the culture we're proud of.
- Gemma White (and Q) – Team Manager Extraordinaire. From Stack App updates to game day awards, end-of-season cards, and washing the boys' kits every week - Gemma kept us running. You're the heartbeat of community footy. Thank you!
- Jo Sharett – First Aid Officer. Your calm care and attention on game day gave the boys confidence and kept us safe. So appreciated. You set the tone early in the season attending to your own son's injury and made sure no one else wanted an adjustment to fingers.
- Chris Shannon, Scott Archibold & Sean Conheady – Our interchange and coffee crew. Always there, always helping, always positive. You made game days smooth and fun. Legends!

To all our parents and carers - thank you. We have again been so grateful to have your support, encouragement, and commitment to make this team what it is. It's been a privilege coaching your boys, and I can't wait to see them next season.

Jay Smeeton
Coach

YEAR 5 WHITE REPORT

Starting from Scratch

This year we were faced with the hurdle of combining returning Bombers players from last years Red & Black teams, with also introducing fresh faces who were both new to the club and new to football. Forming a new team is never easy—and we certainly faced our share of early challenges. From learning each other's names and playing styles to building trust and cohesion amongst the group, the first few months tested our boys resilience (and some of the volunteers!). But through consistency, and a shared goal in what we were building, we turned those early struggles into stepping-stones that will hopefully pave the way for next year.

- Training Day: It was clear early on that we were going to have to start with the basics for Team White, owing to the large number of new commers and developing players. We had a strong focus on the basic skills of kicking, marking and handballing for the first half of the season, touching on game day tactics in the later half. It was pleasing to see the boys really getting into training when we started working on footy sense and practical game day simulations.
- On-Field Progress: The transformation from a group of individuals into a united team was one of the most inspiring parts of the season. Players developed not only their skills but also their confidence and teamwork. It was really rewarding to see the growth of some of the newcomers in a single season. While results may not have always gone our way, the improvement in our structure and execution was great to see. Every game showed progress – individually and as a team. Particularly rewarding to see all but one player on the goal scoring board for the season (we tried our best in the last game!).

Thank You to Our Volunteers

To our incredible volunteers - thank you. Starting a new team requires an extraordinary amount of behind-the-scenes work, and your dedication made it all possible. From organising gear and schedules, to running messages, first aid, and managing logistics, you were the heartbeat of our season.

- Ricky – This year Ricky Lim put his hand up for the Team Manager gig when we were unable to find a candidate for the new team. He stepped up to the challenge and was pivotal in ensuring the season went off without a glitch.
- Marc - As a returning assistance coach from last year, Marc provided invaluable knowledge of the playing group and was instrumental in helping tailor training sessions to ensure all team members had some footy growth this season.
- Phil, Paddy & Marcus – Thanks gents for helping out with the multitude of additional tasks at training and game day. Helping out to warm up the boys before the game, keeping time, managing the interchange or being first-aider, the game wouldn't have gone on without you.

Finally, to the parents and supporters who gave their time, energy, and encouragement: we are deeply grateful. Your support helped us weather the tough times and celebrate the good ones.

Jamie Storch
Coach

GIRLS YEAR 5-6 REPORT

This season was truly an incredible journey of our Year 5/6 Girls team. With a large number of girls from last year's group moving up into Youth Football, we found ourselves teaming up with some families from Mt Hawthorn JFC and pulling a team together in the final weeks before training commenced.

Originally, I stepped in as Coach with the view to just get the team going, but with the players' enthusiasm, parents' appreciation and the team spirit that was shown from the get-go, it quickly made it a great vibe — and an easy choice to stay on for the whole season.

From the start, these 12 girls brought an eagerness to learn and a love for the game that made every week a joy. More than half the team had never played footy before, so we focused on the fundamentals — kicking, handballing, ground balls, and moving the ball as a team. With fantastic support from our assistant coaches, Jill and Kynan, and from Isla, a fantastic volunteer student helper who joined us mid-year, we saw every player grow in confidence and skill.

It was impressive to see the rate of development, as each girl embraced new challenges and became familiar with different roles across the ground. It was genuinely amazing to see how they developed week to week. By the end of the season, we had strong players across every line, with regular rotations and each girl contributing in her own fantastic way. It was a sheer joy to witness how much each of them grew as individuals and as a team.

The girls showed incredible determination and resilience throughout the season. They played tough games against strong opposition - but never backed down — often finishing with their best footy in the final quarter as they refused to give an inch. Whether it was long away trips, with super wet and chilly nights out at Huntingdale, or early starts at our home ground(s), they stuck together and gave their all, each and every week. Their effort, teamwork and positivity were an absolute highlight of the year.

None of it would have run so smoothly without our amazing parents and supporters — and especially our team manager, Maciej, who was an incredible support all season. Whether it was setting up for home games, helping out with scoring or oranges, or cheering from the sidelines, the energy and encouragement made a huge difference. That sense of teamwork extended beyond the oval and created such a welcoming, supportive environment for the girls to thrive in.

We also had some great moments together off the field, like travelling to the WAFL Round 11 – East Perth Club Day and seeing the whole team turn up and play versus the Year 5 and 6 boys with such enthusiasm.

In the end, this season was all about their growth, their spirit, and the joy they brought to the game. Thanks to all the parents for your support and to the girls for making it such a memorable and rewarding experience.

Michael North
Coach

YEAR 6 RED REPORT

The 2025 season for our Year 6 Red Team provided some great memories for our boys and parents, which included playing some exciting team footy throughout the year, a classic derby between two evenly matched sides, our first Friday night game and plenty of wet weather footy to build on the resilience of the group, including us coaches.

We welcomed five new players and their families into the team this year. Ayden, Jamie and Leo joined us from Mount Lawley Football Club, while Jesse and Owen joined us as first year footballers. All five players fitted into the club seamlessly and were a pleasure to coach, and I look forward to seeing them continue to improve their footy in the coming years.

The main focus for this season was to prepare the boys to be ready to enter the youth competition next year, so this included further developing our training drills and standards, establishing a consistent routine prior to games, continued development of individual skills and developing a team first approach in the way we play our footy.

As a first year coach, I couldn't have been more proud of the way that our boys embraced everything that we asked of them throughout the year, and I have been very fortunate to have such a great group of boys in our team that were willing to learn, and I have thoroughly enjoyed coaching this team. It has been rewarding to see the continued improvement of each player throughout the season, and we also took some great learnings playing against the better sides on the areas that we need to keep working on next season as individual players, coaches and as a team.

We showed throughout the season that when we combine our skills, pressure, effort and teamwork into our footy, then that is when we were at our best, and I am sure that the connection and consistency will keep building each year as the boys continue to play more footy together.

This season we also had our first group of 50 game players, which was an exciting part of the pre-game for these players and their families. Congratulations must go to Callan, Elijah, James, Jamie, Luke and Marcus on achieving this special milestone.

There are a number of people that I would like to take this opportunity to thank, that have been important parts of our coaching and support team throughout the season.

Firstly, I would like to thank my assistant coaches in Josh and Nathan who have provided great support, knowledge and guidance throughout the season. I really enjoyed coaching with you both and I know the boys also enjoyed having you both around the group.

A special mention must also go to our team manager Brooke, who has been the backbone for this team since its inception. The role that you play behind the scenes to make sure everything comes together on game day has made our job as coaches so much easier, so thanks for everything that you have done for this team throughout this season. I know there has been talk of a 'succession plan' on the team manager front leading into next year, but I am sure that won't stop us asking the question again.

Thanks also goes to our first aider Jordan for his commitment to caring for our injured players on game day, and all the other helpers that have stepped in at different stages throughout the season to assist with first aid, interchanger, training, pack-downs, etc.

We really do have a great group of parents that are always willing to help where necessary, and this sense of community amongst our team has created a fantastic environment to be a part of.

It was great to see so many families making the effort to enjoy the post-game catch ups that we had a couple of times through the season, which is a good reminder as to what is so great about junior footy!

Finally to all of the players and parents, thanks for trusting me to be your coach this year, as I have really enjoyed the experience and the friendships that have been formed with the players, coaches and parents throughout the year.

All the best for the off-season and hopefully we will see everyone back at the club next year.

Daniel Erceg
Coach

YEAR 6 BLACK REPORT

With our Mods footy journey complete, I wish to thank the 2025 volunteers for all the tremendous support this season, which enabled our team to play the great game of AFL!

Team Managers - Lauren Peake, Ben Goldbloom

Assistant Coach - Dane Peake

Runner - Aaron Lehmann

Interchanger Stewards - Melanie Moen, Michelle Ireland

First Aid - Carla Rodda, Candise Adams

The players representing Coolbinia Black should be very proud of their on-field achievements, playing a brand of football that clearly showed development over fourteen rounds of competition, which will help set them up for the transition to Youth football, Year 7 and beyond.

Their enthusiastic approach to training and games, great character and behaviour on display when challenged by opposition teams, and simply the players overall enjoyment of being part of a team has been a pleasure to Coach.

Thank you sincerely for 2025 and look forward to all that footy offers in 2026!

Brad Smith
Coach

YOUTH INTEGRATED

The 2025 season saw 14 players represent Coolbinia in the Youth Integrated competition which is a mixed all abilities team for our older Starkick players looking for a bit more footy action. This year we had four new faces pulling on the Coolbinia jumper for the first time.

Across our five-game home-and-away season, we faced off against Quinns Districts, Ellenbrook, and the Northern All Stars who were a combined team made up of players from Joondalup-Kinross JFC and Sorrento-Duncraig JFC. With fixtures spread across two conferences, our team certainly clocked up plenty of kilometres travelling around the metro area, but the enthusiasm of our little group never wavered and had the largest playing roster of all the competing teams. A credit to the club as we once again put a focus on participation above all else.

We finished the regular season with one win, one draw (after a game was abandoned due to hail and lightning), and three losses, which saw us qualify for the B Division Grand Final against the Northern All Stars. The Grand Final was played at Ellenbrook alongside other Youth Grand Finals, which is the first time this has occurred. This in itself was a fantastic milestone for our program and a proud moment to see the team included in the official Grand Final booklet and weekend celebrations.

The players gave everything in the Grand Final, leading by three goals at the final change before being narrowly overrun in the last quarter, going down by just eight points. While we didn't take home the win, we proudly brought home a Runners-Up pennant - a fitting reward for the effort, teamwork, and resilience shown throughout the year by everyone.

I want to extend a special thank you to Ben Murphy for stepping into the Team Manager role in 2025, to Ja Smith for his invaluable support in the coaches' box, and to David Hammond for always being on standby for first aid duties (thankfully never needed). To all our parents, carers, and players thank you for your support and energy every single week to ensure the kids can play.

I also want to acknowledge the ongoing support of the club committee, in particular Chloe Cushing, for ensuring our Youth Integrated players continue to be recognised alongside their peers across the club. That recognition means a great deal to our families and players alike, so thank you.

This year as we wrap up, we say farewell to both Brad and Eddie, who have now completed their junior pathway and in Eddie's case moved back home to Kalgoorlie. Thank you both for your contribution to our team and the smiles you brought to our group each week. You'll always be part of our Coolbinia Bombers family.

To everyone returning next year we can't wait to see you back in the Red and Black for 2026 and another great season of fun, friendship, and footy!

Rob Geersen
Coach

YEAR 7 REPORT

Runners Up for 2025 Woo Hoo!

We'll take that and wow what a year! I'm so proud of our boys as we've managed to have a positive year with no major injuries. To be honest, with a squad of 25 it was really tricky at times but we were able to manage throughout the year finishing on a high.

One of our goals from the beginning of the year really was to have our boys experience finals footy. To their credit the group were successful in achieving this in their first year of youth footy and I believe it's a testament not only to our boys but to all involved - volunteers, parents and coaching group. We have a great foundation of players moving forward.

As always, we wanted to ensure that our players had a great experience and a safe positive year and with great delight I can comfortably say we did. With scoring and a ladder in play for the first time for our players, I wanted our players to really work on being competitive and to think about their game overall from a strategy point of view focusing on nutrition, game day readiness and the importance of consistently training well.

Personally, as a coach seeing players develop is one of the main reasons why I coach. With too many highlights this year to mention the two that stood out for me were the following. My proudest moment this year would have to be our boys making finals. After a shaky start we were able to find our groove and after the regrade our boys started to gel. I'm particularly proud of how we got to the GF. Our players showed character and fight in the prelims which united the players as you could witness their belief as a group in their abilities making the grand final.

Another highlight was one of our players, Tate Benger, on taking out the B&F for the whole Year 7 blue division which is an amazing achievement and one that the club, coaching group and his parents should be extremely proud of. I was very fortunate to have some amazing help and support this year. I was able to focus on our players that required the attention and hone in on players strengths and weaknesses due to this support.

- Christie and Dan – What a manager! What a team! Christie thank you so much for putting your hand up. You were so helpful, organised and we managed to have fun along the way. I thoroughly enjoyed sharing our boys moments together with you and Paul. Dan, thank you for being the team manager on game day. You were also so helpful come game day which really allowed me to focus on our boys getting them geed up listening to Macklemores' Cant hold us in the change rooms. Thank you!
- Richard - Our Assistant Coach, well done mate and thank you for your contribution this year. Your help with warmups game day and additional drills at training really alloyed me to focus on our players. You've been a good sounding board also come game selection and tactics which was difficult come Thursday night. Thanks Legend!

- Lee - Runner slash walker haha. From the bottom of my heart, I really appreciate your help overall. You have three active teenagers and still managed to assist the team at training and on game day. Thank you for all your help and input this year. It's been fun!
- Matt – Our first aider, thank you for always being there and always offering to help. Your generosity and time with setting up an additional tent for rostered off players, looking after equipment, not just being our first aider, is something that stood out and didn't go unnoticed. Well done to you and your boy, Elliott, on a great year.

To the Parent volunteers – Seriously, I would need another page to thank you all. Honestly, on behalf of the coaching group and our volunteers we thank you for all your support this year. Week in, week out we had a great support network with families really stepping up helping and contributing. You know who you are and from the bottom of our hearts we say a BIG thank you.

In closing, its been a great season overall. Memories were made and strong relationships established. To all the parents and kids - please keep yourself active during the off season as the off-season activities will put you in good stead for the coming year. As always keep kicking the footy and we look forward to seeing you all next year in the view of winning the bigger flag.

Denis Muza
Coach

GIRLS 7-8 RED REPORT

One of the most exciting things about coaching youth football is welcoming brand-new players to the game at our great Club. This season we were lucky enough to bring seven amazing rookies into the fold as the team's ranks swelled to 24 players. Some solid preseason Summer Skills session gave way to the season proper and our excitement was quickly tested as we ran into some very highly skilled Gold Division opponents.

In the early rounds we rotated the girls through various positions aiming to build experience and identify their best roles. With lots of hard work we finally opened our account and sung the song in Round 4. By the second half of the season the girls were settled and playing some very good footy, closing out the year with a thumping home win to finish 5th (of 8) - a great effort.

Among the playing ranks, congratulations to Sania and Jasmine who both played their 50th games during the season. A big thank you to our Captain Queenie, who read out pre-game acknowledgments at (very) short-notice and lead the team with strength and courage.

All the girls deserve credit for their bravery and effort. The physicality of footy is what makes the game so special and watching the girls grit their teeth and tackle bigger players was an inspiration every week - stand outs in this department were Bailey, Klaudia, Kate, and of course Milla who would tackle a moving car if you asked her to (I won't). First timers Eloise, Mikaela, Sofia and Annelise all played tough and skilled football and are all well ahead of schedule in their young footy careers.

Thank you to all the girls who came down and supported the team even when they were injured or rostered off - it matters. If you are going to run yourself ragged and collect bumps and scrapes on the field, doing it for teammates that like and respect you makes it all worthwhile, well done.

To the parent group, thank you for getting the girls to training and games three nights a week and for your endless support and classy sideline behaviour. Lisa Brideson and Michael Ionakkis were brilliant Assistant Coaches, putting in countless hours of enthusiasm and energy…both of which were required in spades when deciphering my training drill diagrams. Jayson Smeeton and Doug McDonald also regularly helped out at training sessions.

Heather Birk and Wes Wark co-managed our first season of youth football. Thank you so much, the mass of smiling faces, parents and players alike, after our last game was due to all the hard work you both put in to grease the wheels for the team.

Thanks also to Joanne Galvin, Tony Brideson, Paul Prior, Alex Casella, Greg Gordon, WIll Miles, Amanda Furnell, Toby Whincup, Rachael Kalajzich, Mel Nazzari and Maciej Szczepaniak for rolling through the other game day support roles.

I'd strongly encourage all the players to keep kicking over the Summer…we've got finals to play in 2026.

- Fairest and Best - Macy Ladyman
- Runner up - Milla Wark & Jasmine Galvin
- Second Runner up - Mabel Miles
- Most Improved - Emily Prior
- Rising Star - Annelise Casella
- Coaches Award - Klaudia Szczepaniak

Mike Smith
Coach

GIRLS 7-8 BLACK REPORT

The 7/8 Girls Black team started the year as an inexperienced, undersized and relatively young side and finished the season as a strong outfit playing competitive and exciting football. Embracing the challenge of Youth Football, it was a tough season given the strong opposition we faced and fielding a side with many of our team's year 8s being first-year players.

In a season of growth, we witnessed the development of many of our players and saw some great raw talent emerge. The season was characterised by teamwork, support and resilience with the girls delivering some outstanding quarters of football. Greater consistency across games was starting to become evident toward season end.

A huge thank you goes to all of the parents who helped out on and off the field with particular thanks to our dedicated volunteer group:

- Will (Assistant Coach) – Took on the weekly challenge of managing a full bench with grace and precision. His mastery of spreadsheets and magnetic boards was matched by his calm and encouraging presence at both training and games.
- Pippa (Team Manager) – The backbone of our operations. Her organisation, clear communication, and legendary baking kept everything running smoothly.
- Dan – Provided valuable support with training drills and served as our reliable first aider during games.
- Ed – Always a calm and relaxed game day support as team runner.

We also celebrated some outstanding individual achievements this season. Our Year 7 players showed great skill and consistency. Neesha reached the impressive milestone of 50 games, a reflection of her dedication to the sport. Camille led the team with positivity and enthusiasm as Captain, supported ably by our Vice Captain, Abbey. We were thrilled to see Sienna, Akira, Clara and Sophie selected for the East Perth Development Squad, highlighting the talent emerging from this group.

The girls remained upbeat even in trying conditions, whether it was the freezing and wet in Dayton or muddy at home, they never lost their spirit and always played in good spirit. Scoreboards didn't always reflect their effort, but the excitement was real when handballs connected, kick-outs found teammates, tackles were laid, marks were taken, and goals were slotted. One of the sweetest moments of the season was finally getting to sing the team song together. With a little extra focus at training and continued attention to coaches, the future for this group of girls is incredibly bright—and that song will be belted out much more in the future.

<u>Team Awards:</u>

- Fairest & Best – Violeta Bicanski
- Runner Up – Nina Shaikh
- Second Runner Up – Sienna Keall
- Most Consistent – Amelia Cunningham
- Rising Star – Akira Chatley
- Coaches Award – Katelyn Naicker

Heather Gardiner
Coach

YEAR 8 REPORT

As the 2025 season comes to a close, we look back on an unforgettable year for our Year 8 Boys, a season that showcased the team's talent, resilience, unity, and ultimately their Premiership winning spirit.

This year's team consisted of 19 players, not the ideal number for a full season, however the teams commitment compensated for any shortfall in numbers. The core of the team was built on the majority of returning players from 2024 and the welcoming of several new players who transitioned seamlessly into the group. The combination created a balanced and determined squad that were committed to working hard, learning together, and supporting one another.

The season began with a challenging grading phase, where the boys faced tough opposition right from the start. These early games pushed the team to their limits, but their response was nothing short of inspiring. They never gave up, used every game as a learning opportunity, and continued to develop individually and collectively, setting the tone for what would become a standout season.

That growth was evident as the season unfolded, with the team going from strength to strength. They only lost one game for the entire regular season, finishing second on the ladder, being a testament to their consistency, hard work, and growing belief.

Whilst the team was balanced throughout, one of the defining features of the team's success was their defensive strength, applying pressure, tackling hard, and working selflessly for each other. Arguably this resulted in the team being the strongest defensive team in our division, which was reflected in the highest percentage in our competition, by a significant margin, with no other team coming close. It was a remarkable achievement that reflected the discipline, structure, and commitment shown week after week.

Building on last year's finals experience, the team entered the 2025 finals series full of purpose and endeavour and with each game, their confidence and belief grew. In a thrilling Grand Final performance, the boys delivered a dominant and united effort to claim the Division Premiership, capping off a season that will be remembered for years to come.

While the result speaks for itself, what we are most proud of is how the players conducted themselves with sportsmanship, humility, and pride in the jumper they wore. Special congratulations to the players who reached the 50 game milestone, throughout the season, an outstanding achievement and a reflection of their commitment to the club and game.

A huge thank you to the many people who helped make this season a success:

- Catrina Dattilo – Team Manager
- Jason Millsteed & Mat Dattilo – Assistant Coaches & Game Day Runners
- All Parent Volunteers – Whether it was, First Aid, Interchanger, Goal Umpiring, Set up crews, and or cheering from the sidelines, your contributions made a difference.
- CBJFC Committee – For your dedication and tireless work behind the scenes

To all our players and families — thank you for your passion, support, and belief in this group. The future looks bright, and we can't wait to see what this incredible team achieves in 2026 and beyond.

Michael Italiano & Robert Carrabba
Coaches

YOUTH GIRLS 9/10 REPORT

The 2025 footy season for the girls has been a great success. This year we only had 1 team in the 9/10 Girls space which was good for our player availability and good because we didn't need to go through the process of splitting teams and having to put together another volunteer group.

After a strong start to the season, we were put into gold division and had a lot of satisfyingly challenging games. It was nice this season to have ok numbers and to sometimes have players on the bench and the ability to do rotations. The Girls played some really good consistent football and managed to finish on top of the ladder. A great achievement in Gold division. We decided this year to not name Captains and instead have a new captain each week. This worked really well and gave each player the chance to lead the team.

Some highlights for the year were so many strong comeback wins after slow starts including a great win against South Perth in horrible weather conditions. Probably the worst we have ever played in. Another highlight was the general attitude of the girls throughout the year in regard to helping out the club in certain roles, Buddy round and with the starkick kids.

A huge High light was Fleur finishing runner up in the Metro Central best and fairest count for gold division. Congrats Fleur.

The lowlights were losing both our finals after finishing on top. Unfortunately, things just didn't go our way in the finals through a combination of injuries, illness and unavailability. It was just bad timing and luck, but this is what happens in all sports. What was also disappointing was that our 3 Rogers players were unavailable to play with us for most of the year, including finals.

The girls, individually and as a team, showed great improvement and development and did so while continually playing in the spirit of the game and upholding our 2025 team motto "TERF" – Teamwork, Effort, Respect and Fun. Thank you to all our parents and care-givers for their fantastic support and commitment.

We had an awesome volunteer group. It was gratifying to work alongside a group who were easy to work with and made mine and each other's job so much easier and enjoyable. A massive thank you to: Dave (First Aider); Brad (Inter changer) and most importantly to Kylie (Team Manager) who have been outstanding in her role and have really kept the team running throughout the year. Nothing was ever too hard for Kylie - even when having to constantly answer phone calls and emails from me. Finally, to my fellow coach's Darren and Rob whose coaching experience, knowledge of the game and a shared passion for the game we love was a huge benefit to me, the volunteer group and mostly to the players. Thank you so much Darren and Rob, for all for the time and energy you have given throughout the season.

I look forward to following all the girls as they move up next year. Coaching these young women this year was a really rewarding experience and I will hopefully be involved in some way with their footy journeys in the years to come.

Thank you to all and look forward to a big 2026.

Mat Norris
Coach

YEAR 10 REPORT

We started the year with the Red and Black sides merging and having a squad of 28 players there was a lot of excitement for the season ahead.

We started the year in Division 2 during the grading period, and we all quickly realised we were far too strong and we were moved to Division 1 for Round 6. Although competitive in most games and with injuries throughout the year, I feel the boys needed a year to adjust to Division 1 football and to get to know their teammates. This was evident in the last 3 weeks of the year, when the side played to their potential playing good team football.

I was very proud of the playing group to fully commit to training as we always had good numbers with players informing the coaches when they couldn't attend and for being punctual on game day. One of the highlights for the coaching group was to see the boys come together and build new friendships and this will build further over the next couple of years. This is very important, creating energy at training and on gameday.

The 4 coaches focused heavily at training on gameday set up in the 3 zones/connection between the zones, tackle pressure and the role the individual plays for the team. Protecting the ball carrier, unrewarded running (create space), not to all go to the contest, communication was also a focus throughout the year.

On game day the team was measured on tackle pressure, contested footy, inside 50 conversion and clearances and our tackling was our key strength, our repeated 2nd and 3rd efforts made life difficult for the opposition. As the season progressed our skill level improved with players starting to kick to advantage and running to the right spots. We were also starting to see players running both ways, looking inside, being accountable, using their voice and directing traffic on the ground. This is important for all players to continue to develop as they move through their football journey. Well done boys.

Like every other year we are very fortunate to have some amazing people help our side:

- Chris O'Shae (Coach) – Always full of positive energy bringing new drills at training. Your gameday knowledge was invaluable and the relationships you built with all the boys was enjoyable to watch. Taking on the midfield coach saw the boys having a better understanding how they should setup around stoppages, communicate and bring heat on the opposition. (At full strength we had the best midfield in the comp). Thanks mate.

- John Nicholou (Coach) – Really enjoyed working with you this year you were the calming influence in the coaches box. Taking on the forward line coach teaching the boys where they should run, positioning at stoppages really helped the forward line function which helped the players understand their role for the team. Thanks mate.

- Ed Charsley (Coach/Runner) – I have known you for a while but never got to coach with you and thoroughly enjoyed working with you and helping me with the backline. Working on our kickouts and teaching the players when to run off, creating options down the ground and positioning on their opponents. Thanks for your help mate.

To the coaching team, couldn't have asked for a better bunch of coaches who are all on the same page which really helped the boys focus on what we were trying to achieve.

- Chloe Cushing (Team Manager) – Another year (7 years) and nothing changes. Chloe does a lot behind the scenes which go unnoticed. Setting up the Teamapp, gameday rosters, team lists, team dinners and team celebrations you do it all with no complaints. Once again like every other year you are an amazing person and will do anything for the football club. Thanks again.

- Lisa Jonson (First Aid) – Thanks you so much, to step into the role without any notice just shows the person you are always there to support the boys. You have been part of the Bombers family since I started and thank you again.

The parent group you offer great support to the coaches and to the team. To the parents who helped with the volunteer roles, Max Barbaro, Geoff Desanges, Matthew Lee, Gavin McGinty, Nick White, Bond family, Jones family doesn't go unnoticed. Thank you for your support. As I say every year to look over and to see you all there supporting the team on gameday is what junior football is all about. Keep doing what you do.

Finally to the players, all the coaches love being a part of your football journey. Next year is 18 a side, which will add more dynamics to the game. Come back fitter, stronger and switched on and watch as much footy as you can, it all helps with your development. We are all very proud of you and always remember all the positives you brought to the side this year.

Thanks boys and remember to keep a ball in your hands in the off season.

Damien Cranwell (Damo)
Coach

YEAR 11/12 WHITE DEMONS REPORT

It has been an absolute pleasure to coach the Year 11 Coolbinia/Mt Hawthorn Demons this season. The amalgamation of the two clubs has once again been a great success, with the players gelling together almost immediately. We had a great mix of leaders and characters and, despite some logistical complications with our PSA and WAFL Colts participants, all players shone through to provide their best effort, week-in week-out.

With the season being a very wet one, our Year 11 lads were up against it playing in a Year 11/12 Division One competition, where most of our opponents were largely Year 12 based teams. The heavy rain suited the stronger bodies and, while the boys battled valiantly each week to make the finals in 3rd position, we felt our strength lay in our speed and skills which was compromised due to a large run of wet weather weekends. That said, it's a credit to the group to know they could put out a strong performance against bigger bodies in trying conditions.

Congratulations to Belmont for their dominant season and Grand Final victory. As well as our own Coolbinia/Mt Hawthorn Demons Year 12 team who managed to secure 4th spot with a little good fortune and participate in the finals. Fantastic work for our award winners on their consistent efforts throughout the season:

- Fairest & Best: Kyan Perera
- Runner Up Fairest & Best: Sebastian Cowan
- 2nd Runner Up Fairest & Best: Robert Bonney
- Most Consistent: Jordan Nikoloski
- Coaches Award: Reuben Beamish Burton
- Most Courageous: Quinn Hill

We also had three of our players make the Metro Central Male Team of the Year, and we congratulate them on their well-deserved inclusion:

- Kyan Perera
- Robbie Bonney
- Malaki Hansen

All in all, it was a very enjoyable season. A final big thank you to all of our volunteer staff, especially our coaches, who helped to make this season a joy for all involved. The support and passion from the parent group was simply outstanding!

With much appreciation,

Darren Kowal
Coach

YEAR 11-12 DEMONS GIRLS REPORT

2025 was highly rewarding season for our girls. Our team this year was formed from a range players, who came from multiple different teams across both Coolbinia and Mt Hawthorn Junior Football Clubs.

After a big first year coaching our girls in 2024, I decided to come back for a second year, alongside our Assistant Coach Richard Lienart and Team Manager Gabby Ferolla.

With a lot of hard work from our players, our teamwork developed well over the season. Our season had a lot of highs, with a few challenges along the way. The resilience from within our players was apparent, as even in the tougher games everyone kept giving maximum effort. The 2025 season was not short on enjoyment or milestones with many of our players celebrating their 50 and 100 game milestones. This is a true representation of their commitment to the sport and their clubs over the years. Well done on each one of these achievements!

As a current player for Coolbinia Amateur Women's team, we joined forces for Monday night trainings where both junior and senior female teams trained together. There was a big opportunity to integrate our clubs this season and further build the involvement within our communities. Many of our year 11/12 players attended Monday night trainings, which benefitted our players with larger training numbers for increased complexity in drills, while allowing them to showcase their skills and ability. We had two our of year 12 players make their senior football debuts this year, which would see a first across our female programs. Friday night games came with a support crew of our senior women who often volunteered as runners or first aiders.

I have been incredibly lucky to have had such a charismatic group of players, who have all finished the season as strong and confident young women, with very bright futures.

It has been a pleasure to coach the last two seasons, everyone has continued to us extremely proud! Year 11/12 is already a busy stage within life - I really appreciate the dedication to attend trainings and make it to games.

Thank you to everyone who volunteered this season, nothing would have been possible without you!

Aleisha Bordas
Coach

MODIFIEDS GAME TALLIES 2025

Family Name	First Name	Age Group	Previously Played	Total Games Played
Artha	Zachary	Year 3	0	9
Baginski	Liam	Year 3	0	13
Cecins	Max	Year 3	0	14
Crafter	Hamish	Year 3	0	13
De Vildosola	Matias	Year 3	0	13
Einfeld	Alexanderia	Year 3	0	12
Ford	Sullivan	Year 3	0	14
Garner	Marley	Year 3	0	13
Gleadall	Elias	Year 3	0	13
Harding	Roscoe	Year 3	0	13
Hopkins	Braxton	Year 3	0	12
Horner	Taj	Year 3	0	11
Hubble	Harrison	Year 3	0	13
Ireland	Finn	Year 3	0	11
Jones	Eli	Year 3	0	14
Lees	Jenson	Year 3	0	14
Manders	Zach	Year 3	0	13
Murphy	Riley	Year 3	0	11
O'Heare	Nash	Year 3	0	13
Padmanabham	Xavier	Year 3	0	14
Pappas	Lukas	Year 3	0	13
Peri Whitham	Jonathon	Year 3	0	14
Pinkard	Harrison	Year 3	0	12
Pratt	Harvey	Year 3	0	14
Rogers	Theodore	Year 3	0	14
Skrapac	Arael	Year 3	0	14
Tan	Zane	Year 3	0	11
Toovey	Luke	Year 3	0	13
Tullberg	Alexander	Year 3	0	13
Vahov	Charlie	Year 3	0	13
Waters	Chase	Year 3	0	11
Weetman	Arlo	Year 3	0	13
Wheatley	Jack	Year 3	0	13
White	Olivia	Year 3	0	13
Williamson	Hunter	Year 3	0	12
Winfield	Jacon	Year 3	0	13
Ashton	Miller	Year 4	14	27
Bessant	Callan	Year 4	12	24
Bonner	Callum	Year 4	14	27
Bray	Oliver	Year 4	13	25
Clucas	Levi	Year 4	14	25
Conheady	Oisin	Year 4	0	9
de Mello	Bailey	Year 4	0	12
Dunstan	Jeb	Year 4	12	26
Faranda	Jenson	Year 4	11	20
Faulkner	Henry	Year 4	13	24
Franco	Leonardo	Year 4	13	26
Garlett	Trent	Year 4	7	19
Gillinder	Hugo	Year 4	14	25
Harris	Parker	Year 4	14	27
Heise	Novak	Year 4	14	28
Kemp	Elijah	Year 4	14	28
Laurent	Alexander	Year 4	12	24
Lawrence	Nicholas	Year 4	14	28
McDonald	Lachlan	Year 4	7	21
McInnes	Thomas	Year 4	12	25

Family Name	First Name	Age Group	Previously Played	Total Games Played
O'Donnell	Cooper	Year 4	12	26
Orr	George	Year 4	12	26
Peleg	Amit	Year 4	0	2
Phillips-Stiles	Patrick	Year 4	0	14
Sherer	Kevin	Year 4	12	25
Shipsides	Oliver	Year 4	13	27
Turner	Aziel	Year 4	0	13
Vinciullo	Roman	Year 4	13	26
Watson	Cohen	Year 4	16	27
Wynn	Jenson	Year 4	14	28
Zamel	Dash	Year 4	11	25
Archibald	Oscar	Year 5	10	23
Barbaro	Chet	Year 5	28	40
Bayman	Maximus	Year 5	25	37
Beccarelli	Alexander	Year 5	27	38
Ben-Avraham	Micah	Year 5	22	34
Carter	Rion	Year 5	22	33
Conheady	Jack	Year 5	19	30
Coombe	Billy	Year 5	24	34
Cunningham	Thomas	Year 5	25	37
D'Agostino	Arrigo	Year 5	10	21
Easthope	Harvey	Year 5	0	12
Farrell	James	Year 5	28	41
Fazari	Rock	Year 5	23	36
Field	Dylan	Year 5	0	12
Ford	Max	Year 5	24	36
Garner	Makai	Year 5	24	36
Gillam	Jude	Year 5	25	33
Giuffre	Felix	Year 5	27	40
Grant	Henry	Year 5	0	9

Family Name	First Name	Age Group	Previously Played	Total Games Played
Hall	Zayn	Year 5	0	12
Lake	Samuel	Year 5	13	24
Lim	Cedar	Year 5	24	36
Machell	August	Year 5	13	26
Mallard	Chase	Year 5	12	25
Marshall	Alfred	Year 5	0	11
McBrydie	Zayn	Year 5	26	38
Moore	Edward	Year 5	23	36
Musgrove	Aleksander	Year 5	25	38
Ng	Oliver	Year 5	28	41
North	Joshua	Year 5	11	21
Peleg	Alon	Year 5	0	3
Priolo	Cruz	Year 5	19	27
Rohr	Samuel	Year 5	24	35
Ross	Maddox	Year 5	0	11
Rowland	Nicholas	Year 5	25	34
Shannon	Thomas	Year 5	25	37
Smeeton	Jaxon	Year 5	27	39
Storch	Lachlan	Year 5	0	6
Storch	Thomas	Year 5	19	31
Taghizadeh	Aron	Year 5	27	39
Tan	Shane	Year 5	0	10
Thomas	Finn	Year 5	0	13
Tuffin	Leo	Year 5	13	25
Valentine	Elijah	Year 5	24	35
Waters	Tyler	Year 5	28	40
Welsh	Lachlan	Year 5	28	40
White	Harrison	Year 5	27	40
Wilson	Avram	Year 5	22	34
Winfield	Zachary	Year 5	27	39

Family Name	First Name	Age Group	Previously Played	Total Games Played
Adams	Asher	Year 6	0	11
Almonte	Nicholas	Year 6	36	48
Andrews	Callan	Year 6	39	52
Buckley	Miles	Year 6	26	38
Caffieri	Giovanni	Year 6	33	45
Caffieri	Massimo	Year 6	33	45
Coutts	Logan	Year 6	30	37
Douglas	Roman	Year 6	34	45
Erceg	Marcus	Year 6	38	51
Ettridge	Owen	Year 6	0	13
Ford	Hudson	Year 6	36	48
Francisco	Xavier	Year 6	26	39
Goldbloom	Max	Year 6	39	50
Grandison	Jethro	Year 6	38	51
Gray Eglin	Jamie	Year 6	37	50
Gundlach	Lennox	Year 6	12	23
Horner	Elijah	Year 6	39	51
Huynh	Liam	Year 6	39	48
Ingram	Jake	Year 6	36	49
Ireland	Albert	Year 6	0	10
Iwaniw	Oliver	Year 6	37	49
Krakouer	Micah	Year 6	26	38
Lehmann	Jamie	Year 6	26	37
Maas	Kazi	Year 6	38	51
Misquita	Riley	Year 6	35	46
Moen	Samuel	Year 6	37	48
Murdoch	Luke	Year 6	38	51
Murray	Ayden	Year 6	34	43
Nguyen	Oliver	Year 6	39	52
Peake	Ashton	Year 6	37	48
Quinn-Smith	Gideon	Year 6	39	52
Rodda	Spencer	Year 6	10	22
Shinkfield	Jesse	Year 6	0	9
Stanley	Vance	Year 6	34	47
Tilley	James	Year 6	38	51
Vojkovich	Hugo	Year 6	38	51
Whyte-Jansson	Lucas	Year 6	14	18
Wishaw	Leo	Year 6	36	47
Bird	Olive	Year 5/6 Girls	0	12
Cahill	Harper	Year 5/6 Girls	0	11
deMello	Harper	Year 5/6 Girls	0	6
DeSouza	Jada	Year 5/6 Girls	0	13
Gordon	Nina	Year 5/6 Girls	24	37
Handke	Eva	Year 5/6 Girls	0	12
Harich	Ruby	Year 5/6 Girls	31	44
Metcalfe	Josephine	Year 5/6 Girls	0	9
Pridham	Mila	Year 5/6 Girls	0	12
Sanders	Emilia	Year 5/6 Girls	0	10
Szczepaniak	Annabel	Year 5/6 Girls	25	39
Zolesco	Lailah	Year 5/6 Girls	0	14

YOUTH GAME TALLIES 2025

Family Name	First Name	Age Group	Previously Played	Total Games Played
Balaratnasingam	Lincoln	Year 7	48	62
Benger	Tate	Year 7	52	66
Bevacqua	Jacob	Year 7	11	25
Blake	Kai	Year 7	9	24
Brooker	Jobe	Year 7	51	64
Butler	Logan	Year 7	53	68
Caffieri	Obie	Year 7	46	61
Davies	Austyn	Year 7	50	62
Fanowrios	Andrew	Year 7	35	50
Guelfi	Alex	Year 7	33	41
Healy	Hugh	Year 7	51	66
Hicks	Charlie	Year 7	19	32
Jones	Finn	Year 7	52	67
Lienert	August	Year 7	49	63
Midgley	Hudson	Year 7	12	26
Mijatovic	Nicholas	Year 7	50	62
Muzaferovic	Harrison	Year 7	45	57
Pelusey	Reuben	Year 7	51	66
Radovic	Nate	Year 7	46	58
Rowland	Sonny	Year 7	19	32
Ryder	Levi	Year 7	26	39
Sibosado	Nathanel	Year 7	50	65
Spaapen	Elliot	Year 7	25	36
Theodoropoulos	Nicholas	Year 7	50	62
Ward	Max	Year 7	46	56
Carrabba	Robbie	Year 8	66	82
Croften	Chace	Year 8	38	51
Cushing	Beau	Year 8	66	79
Dattilo	Aaron	Year 8	63	79
Davies	Riley	Year 8	64	80
Inamac	Hadrian	Year 8	12	26
Italiano	Marcus	Year 8	64	74
Lawrence	Mervyn	Year 8	61	77
Metcalfe	Jai	Year 8	42	56
Millsteed	Thomas	Year 8	58	72
Mwango	Davies	Year 8	43	52
Pash	John	Year 8	63	77
Romeo	Carlo	Year 8	62	78
Russo	Michael	Year 8	61	74
Sarich	Joshua	Year 8	61	75
Sehrawat	Samrat	Year 8	0	14
Speranza	Tyler	Year 8	59	72
Wynn	Oliver	Year 8	59	71
Alfieri	Marco	Year 10	20	30
Barbaro	Levi	Year 10	94	106
Bond	Eames	Year 10	97	109
Charsley	Lukas	Year 10	89	101
Corrigan	Evan	Year 10	64	75
Cranwell	Adam	Year 10	93	105
Cushing	Corey	Year 10	99	109
DeSanges	Jay	Year 10	93	102
Dorizzie	Kingsley	Year 10	78	90
Gardner	Logan	Year 10	91	102
Hansen	Kynan	Year 10	95	102
Harrington	Tomas	Year 10	69	78
Johnson	Ryder	Year 10	82	93

Family Name	First Name	Age Group	Previously Played	Total Games Played
Jones	Richard	Year 10	78	86
Joseph	Callum	Year 10	38	49
Keenan	Aaron	Year 10	71	83
Lohman White	Benjamin	Year 10	93	105
McElligott	Tadhg	Year 10	47	52
McGinty	Riley	Year 10	110	121
Mesiti	Ricky	Year 10	98	110
Miranda	Hayden	Year 10	76	83
Nicolaou	Lachlan	Year 10	97	109
O'Rourke	Lachlan	Year 10	86	89
O'Shea	Taj	Year 10	99	110
Pearson	Henry	Year 10	96	107
Scott	Aiden	Year 10	62	70
Wehr	Tyler	Year 10	87	99
Abadi	Adhanom	Year 11/12	48	60
Beamish Burton	Reuben	Year 11/12	110	125
Blake	Angus	Year 11/12	94	104
Bonney	Robert	Year 11/12	41	54
Cassidy	Ryan	Year 11/12		1
Cowan	Sebastian	Year 11/12	89	100
Crowley-Petroboni	Jude	Year 11/12	100	114
De Santis	Benjamin	Year 11/12	108	120
Genovese	Eli	Year 11/12	82	94
Hansen	Malaki	Year 11/12	101	116
Hill	Quinn	Year 11/12	52	66
Hurley	Taj	Year 11/12	88	96
Kowal	Jaxon	Year 11/12	103	111
Lamattina	Lucian	Year 11/12	28	40
Lindquist	Nate	Year 11/12	106	112
Marion	Jean-Paul	Year 11/12	99	112

Family Name	First Name	Age Group	Previously Played	Total Games Played
McGinty	James	Year 11/12	130	136
Murphy	Zac	Year 11/12	115	130
Nicholas	Marlon	Year 11/12	117	122
Nikoloski	Jordan	Year 11/12	98	112
O'Donnell	Archie	Year 11/12		1
Parker	Thomas	Year 11/12	114	121
Perera	Kyan	Year 11/12	81	89
Pintabona	Michael	Year 11/12	97	111
Reynolds	Oliver	Year 11/12	67	77
Tiller	Sebastien	Year 11/12	86	99
Travaglini	Luca	Year 11/12	17	24
Wehr	Campbell	Year 11/12	119	130
Adams	Neesha	Year 7/8 Girls	43	56
Bassett	Sophie	Year 7/8 Girls	15	28
Beamish Burton	Emilia	Year 7/8 Girls	55	68
Beven	Imogen	Year 7/8 Girls	0	12
Bicanski	Violeta	Year 7/8 Girls	34	47
Brideson	Inara	Year 7/8 Girls	18	28
Casella	Annelise	Year 7/8 Girls	0	11
Charsley	Liv	Year 7/8 Girls	13	25
Chatley	Akira	Year 7/8 Girls	0	13
Cunningham	Amelia	Year 7/8 Girls	27	39
Dinka	Amelia	Year 7/8 Girls	26	39
Galvin	Jasmine	Year 7/8 Girls	36	49
Gilby	Sania	Year 7/8 Girls	44	54
Gordon	Kate	Year 7/8 Girls	39	49
Gruber	Imani	Year 7/8 Girls	0	11
Hanley	Neve	Year 7/8 Girls	29	31
Hansen	Shanita	Year 7/8 Girls	34	44
Hawley	Clara	Year 7/8 Girls	0	13

Family Name	First Name	Age Group	Previously Played	Total Games Played
Hird	Harper	Year 7/8 Girls	0	12
Hutchinson	Eve	Year 7/8 Girls	40	48
Ioannakis	Mia	Year 7/8 Girls	23	36
Jolley	Tess	Year 7/8 Girls	38	48
Keall	Sienna	Year 7/8 Girls	0	10
Klein	Isla	Year 7/8 Girls	0	8
Ladyman	Macy	Year 7/8 Girls	23	33
McDonald	Sapphire	Year 7/8 Girls	23	32
Miles	Mabel	Year 7/8 Girls	52	65
Naicker	Katelyn	Year 7/8 Girls	13	24
Nicholls	Eva	Year 7/8 Girls	0	8
Pavlos	Abbey	Year 7/8 Girls	24	36
Pearson	Eloise	Year 7/8 Girls	0	10
Power-Craig	Stella	Year 7/8 Girls	0	13
Prior	Emily	Year 7/8 Girls	8	20
Reyes Zelaya	Sofia	Year 7/8 Girls	0	7
Ronchi	Julia	Year 7/8 Girls	27	40
Shaikh	Nina	Year 7/8 Girls	27	39
Sherer	Charlotte	Year 7/8 Girls	0	11
Smeeton	Bailey	Year 7/8 Girls	27	39
Smith	Josie	Year 7/8 Girls	51	61
Stojanovic	Lola	Year 7/8 Girls	0	12
Szczepaniak	Klaudia	Year 7/8 Girls	50	62
Theodosiou	Madeline	Year 7/8 Girls	12	13
Ticharava	Mikaela	Year 7/8 Girls	0	10
Tribut	Camille	Year 7/8 Girls	0	11
Wardrope	Bailey	Year 7/8 Girls	13	24
Wark	Milla	Year 7/8 Girls	27	40
Whincup	Queenie	Year 7/8 Girls	60	72
Andrews	Fleur	Year 9/10 Girls	64	78

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Awidi	Grace	Year 9/10 Girls	58	73
Bardon	Stella	Year 9/10 Girls	78	79
Barry	Eve	Year 9/10 Girls	64	77
Brown	Ruby	Year 9/10 Girls	63	65
Carrabba	Marcella	Year 9/10 Girls	74	84
Crooks	Alexis	Year 9/10 Girls	88	103
De Masi	Sophie	Year 9/10 Girls	65	68
Einfeld	Shoshy	Year 9/10 Girls	53	65
Jenkins	Phoebi	Year 9/10 Girls	38	53
MacLean	Alice	Year 9/10 Girls	11	18
McDonald	Alexandria	Year 9/10 Girls	25	39
McElligott	Elly-May	Year 9/10 Girls	33	47
Morris	Cyanne	Year 9/10 Girls	63	77
Muhlmann	Tali	Year 9/10 Girls	37	49
Norris	Uma	Year 9/10 Girls	61	73
Pearson	Niamh	Year 9/10 Girls	70	84
Radici	Evalyn	Year 9/10 Girls	0	13
Sharp	Yasmin	Year 9/10 Girls	38	51
Tonet	Elizabeth	Year 9/10 Girls	32	44
Van Beek	Scarlet	Year 9/10 Girls	82	86
Watson-Jazyk	Hunny-Matayah	Year 9/10 Girls	10	19
Aldworth	Tayah	Year 11/12 Girls	27	28
Anderson-Nappy	Emma	Year 11/12 Girls	0	6
Barnett	Caris	Year 11/12 Girls	37	48
Bassett	Charlotte	Year 11/12 Girls	50	52
Carrabba	Amelie	Year 11/12 Girls	67	67
Charles	Savannah	Year 11/12 Girls	39	49
De Carolis	Sabrina	Year 11/12 Girls	50	62
Eggleton	Lia	Year 11/12 Girls	17	28
Ferolla	Sofia	Year 11/12 Girls	49	58

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Filear	Charlie	Year 11/12 Girls	49	51
Fiori	Gemilia	Year 11/12 Girls	27	35
Frederickson	Bonnie	Year 11/12 Girls	50	60
Griffiths	Matilda	Year 11/12 Girls	29	37
Gruber	Sienna Jean	Year 11/12 Girls	21	21
Hunt	Elizabeth	Year 11/12 Girls	74	85
Indich	Shamari	Year 11/12 Girls	25	29
James	Elsie	Year 11/12 Girls	88	90
Kenny	Alicia	Year 11/12 Girls	14	14
Ladyman	Asha	Year 11/12 Girls	39	50
Laqai	Fulori	Year 11/12 Girls	75	86
Lienert	Olivia	Year 11/12 Girls	89	100
Lucano	Alyssa	Year 11/12 Girls	48	59
Markey	Tara	Year 11/12 Girls	77	82
Mascarenhas	Zara	Year 11/12 Girls	0	12
Miceli	Milana	Year 11/12 Girls	99	110
Nankivell	Ana	Year 11/12 Girls	68	70
Parksinon	Caitlin	Year 11/12 Girls	48	60
Phillips	Daisy	Year 11/12 Girls	95	100
Pocrnja	Melda	Year 11/12 Girls	70	72
Theodosiou	Isabella	Year 11/12 Girls	60	69
Townsend	Winnie	Year 11/12 Girls	70	73

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