



OGFC WEEKLY SUMMARY – 22nd September 2014

OLD GEELONG PRESENTATION DAY

Last Saturday, Old Geelong had its presentation day to recognise the sensational efforts of so many people over the 2014 season. A list of award winners follows:

- Seniors B&F – Colby O'Brien
- Seniors Runner-Up B&F – Andy Leahy and Aaron Bird
- Best Finals Player – Sandy Stewart and Hugh McKay
- Leading Goal Kicker – Callum Wood
- Most Improved – Will Sharp
- James Head Memorial Best First Year Player – Aaron Bird
- Coaches Award – Andy Leahy
- Most Consistent – Nick Hardie-Grant
- OGFC Life Membership (100-game players) – John Forster and Callum Wood
- Reserves B&F – Tom Fyshe
- Reserves Runner-Up B&F – Tom Slattery
- Clubbies B&F – Brendan Ferguson
- Best Clubman (Peter Lemon Award) – Will Reed
- Best Clubwoman – Bella Anderson

We congratulate all these people as well as everyone who made this year a very successful and enjoyable one for the Club.

REVERSE RAFFLE RESULTS

A big thank you for all the people that purchased a reverse raffle ticket this year. The draw took place on Saturday after the presentation day. The following people were winners:

- 50th ticket drawn – Chrissy Suvoltos (\$50)
- 3rd last ticket drawn – Cathie Kemp (\$400)
- 2nd last ticket drawn – Susie Lansdell (\$500)
- Last ticket drawn – Tom Fyshe (\$1,500)

Also a big thanks to John Bailey and Rupert DeCrespigny for organising the day



OLD GEELONG – COACHING APPOINTMENTS

The Committee of OGFC is delighted to announce the appointment of Matt Collister and Jimmy Wright as joint Coaches of the clubs Under 19 side for 2015.

After a year without Under 19 football, these two outstanding Old Geelong people are determined to re-establish what has been a very successful side in the past few years. Importantly it is also the members of previous OG's Under 19 sides that form a large portion of the current Senior side, something that is not lost on either Matt or Jimmy.

A brief background on the two coaches follows:

Matt Collister

- Senior player 2012-2014
- OGFC Best first year player 2012
- OGFC most consistent 2013
- Employed at AFL House in Event Coordination after successful career at Little Athletics Victoria

Jimmy Wright

- Member of Reserves back to back premierships teams of 2012-2013
- Secretary of Committee 2013
- Employed at Shaw Stockbroking

Both Matt and Jimmy did not attend Geelong Grammar or Geelong College, but were drawn to the club for its inclusive and supportive culture. This is going to be a focus on what they try and bring to their under 19 team.

Aside from aiming to win an Under 19 premiership in 2015, their other main objective is to ensure that their players develop in the Under 19 system and when the time comes for their players to advance to senior grades of football, ensuring that the transition is as smooth as it can be.

We are already working with a core group of potential players, our feeder schools and other partners to re-establish our Under 19s in 2015. We are thrilled to have two extremely capable and enthusiastic people at the helm of the future of the club and look forward to supporting them in achieving great things.

OLD GEELONG AGM – SAVE THE DATE

Event - Old Geelong Football Club AGM

Date - November 26th November

Time - 7:30pm

Venue - Arcadia Hotel, 2 Toorak Road, South Yarra.



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