

NEWSLETTER OF THE SOUTH BENDIGO FOOTBALL NETBALL CLUB

July Edition

Welcome to your July 2021 edition of "Blood Lines". The intent of the Club's newsletter is to keep members, players and supporters informed about what's happening at South by recalling the highlights of the month just passed and informing on what's coming up in the month ahead.

AND NOW IT'S GONE!

Work on our new pavilion at Harry Trott Oval commenced mid-June starting with the demolition of the old. Exciting to see such tangible progress at last.





Just a reminder to all people attending club training sessions or matches, be they players or spectators, that you will need to park outside of the Reserve on Neale Street rather than driving into the complex. This particularly applies to parents who transport our junior players to the venue. While it may be convenient to short term park in the driveway when dropping off or picking up your junior passenger/s it will not take too many vehicles gathered around the entrance gate to create a dangerous situation for traffic travelling along Neale Street from Skene Street who drive over the crest of that hill which is only just a short distance from the entry gate.

We would also hope that our people keep front of mind the club value of "Be nice to people" by not parking your vehicles where they will block or inconvenience residents, as well as recognising and respecting the relatively quiet character of the residential area.

Temporary traffic management plans will be put in place with signage visible around the facility, including access to safe pedestrian movement areas. Please take care when coming to the ground and be mindful of pedestrians.

BENDIGO FNL FIXTURE UPDATE

To offset the lost rounds due to the imposition of the last Covid restrictions the League has released a revised draw for the remainder of the 2021 season.

See below for all the dates and details.

2021 BENDIGO FNL FIXTURE (JUNE 11 UPDATE)



SEASON OPENER

2ND APRIL (GOOD FRIDAY)

Strathfieldsaye v Sandhurst (Rd 2)

ROUND 1

10TH APRIL

Sandhurst v Maryborough Gisborne v Strathfieldsaye Kyneton v Golden Square (N) Eaglehawk v Kangaroo Flat (T) Castlemaine v South Bendigo

ROUND 2

17TH APRIL

Golden Square v Gisborne Kangaroo Flat v Kyneton South Bendigo v Eaglehawk Maryborough v Castlemaine

ROUND 3

24TH APRIL (ANZAC)

Sandhurst v Golden Square Gisborne v Kangaroo Flat Kyneton v South Bendigo (N) Eaglehawk v Castlemaine Strathfieldsaye v Maryborough

ROUND 4

IST MAY

Kangaroo Flat v Sandhurst South Bendigo v Gisborne Castlemaine v Kyneton Maryborough v Eaglehawk Golden Square v Strathfieldsaye

ROUND 5

BTH MAY

Sandhurst v South Bendigo Gisborne v Castlemaine Kyneton v Eaglehawk Strathfieldsaye v Kangaroo Flat Maryborough v Golden Square

ROUND 6 (SPLIT)

15TH MAY

Castlemaine v Sandhurst Eaglehawk v Gisborne Kyneton v Maryborough South Bendigo v Strathfieldsaye

22ND MAY

Kangaroo Flat v Golden Square (T)

*ROUND 7

12TH JUNE (QUEENS B'DAY)

Sandhurst v Eaglehawk Gisborne v Kyneton Strathfieldsaye v Castlemaine Golden Square v South Bendigo Maryborough v Kangaroo Flat

*ROUND 8

19TH JUNE

Kyneton v Sandhurst Gisborne v Maryborough Eaglehawk v Strathfieldsaye Castlemaine v Golden Square South Bendigo v Kangaroo Flat

*ROUND 9

26TH JUNE

Sandhurst v Gisborne Strathfieldsaye v Kyneton Golden Square v Eaglehawk Kangaroo Flat v Castlemaine Maryborough v South Bendigo

*ROUND 10

3RD JULY

Maryborough v Sandhurst Strathfieldsaye v Gisborne Golden Square v Kyneton Kangaroo Flat v Eaglehawk South Bendigo v Castlemaine

ROUND 12

10TH JULY

Golden Square v Sandhurst Kangaroo Flat v Gisborne South Bendigo v Kyneton Castlemaine v Eaglehawk Maryborough v Strathfieldsaye

ROUND 13

17TH JULY

Sandhurst v Kangaroo Flat Gisborne v South Bendigo Kyneton v Castlemaine Eaglehawk v Maryborough Strathfieldsaye v Golden Square

ROUND 14

24TH JULY

South Bendigo v Sandhurst Castlemaine v Gisborne Eaglehawk v Kyneton Kangaroo Flat v Strathfieldsaye Golden Square v Maryborough

ROUND 15

31ST JULY

Sandhurst v Castlemaine Gisborne v Eaglehawk Maryborough v Kyneton Strathfieldsaye v South Bendigo Golden Square v Kangaroo Flat

ROUND 16

7TH AUGUST

Eaglehawk v Sandhurst Kyneton v Gisborne Castlemaine v Strathfieldsaye South Bendigo v Golden Square Kangaroo Flat v Maryborough

ROUND 17

14TH AUGUST

Sandhurst v Kyneton Maryborough v Gisborne Strathfieldsaye v Eaglehawk Golden Square v Castlemaine Kangaroo Flat v South Bendigo

ROUND 18

21ST AUGUST

Gisborne v Sandhurst Kyneton v Strathfieldsaye Eaglehawk v Golden Square Castlemaine v Kangaroo Flat South Bendigo v Maryborough

*ROUND 11

28TH AUGUST

Sandhurst v Strathfieldsaye Gisborne v Golden Square Kyneton v Kangaroo Flat Eaglehawk v South Bendigo Castlemaine v Maryborough

*FINALS SERIES

QUALIFYING FINAL

4th September

ELIMINATION FINAL

5th September

2ND SEMI FINAL

11th September

1ST SEMI FINAL

12th September

PRELIMINARY FINAL

18th September

GRAND FINAL

24th September (FRIDAY)

(N) - Night (T) - Twilight

*RESCHEDULED ROUNDS





EVOLUTION OF THE CLUB EMBLEM

The Club's emblem has gone through several iterations since the formation of The Bloods in 1893.

Initially used as the design for the club's enamelled metal membership badges the emblem has evolved along with the club across our 128 year history and is now widely used as the logo to identify all club merchandise, apparel, stationery and social media.

The centre piece of our logo, the interwoven letters SB, became a frequently used symbol on membership medallions in the 1930's although it seems to have first appeared on the 1925 membership medallion*. The SB symbol then came and went as a part of the emblem across subsequent years, see Figure 1, until around 1950*

1950* appears to be when the basis of our current logo; the SB symbol on a shield atop a scroll with the words South Bendigo was first adopted by the club, see figure 2, and except for a couple of years, 1955* & 1956* it has been the basis of our logo ever since.

*All of these years/dates are best "guesstimates" based on those past membership medallions still in the Club's possession.



Fig1: The symbol of the interwoven SB letters became a common component of our emblem in the 1930's



Fig 2: The basis of the current logo became consolidated as the emblem of the club in the 1950's

In 1991 the Bendigo Football League introduced a netball competition. The club formed a netball division that year and in 1999 the club became known as the South Bendigo Football Netball Club. The club's emblem was changed slightly at that time, with the wording in the scroll being amended from SOUTH BENDIGO FC to FOOTBALL & NETBALL CLUB





In 2016 the club recognised that it had truly evolved into a football netball club and the logo being used did not reflect that. The club's emblem which esentially remained the same as when first adopted in 1950 and which still had on top of the shield a football with the 1893 year of establishment was changed to truly represent all club members.

Now with a football and netball either side of the shield and the &st 1893 now within a rectangle atop, the change was an evolutionary rather than a revolutionary redesign. The current logo retains the traditional club shield as its centre piece while transitioning to a contemporary design which equally reflects both the football and netball teams who represent our club.



The Club has also had several other emblem / logo formats over the course of its history.

The first pictured below was the embroidered emblem used on the breast pocket of club blazers around the 1950's era.

Next, the "Little Fat Man", this caricature appeared as the club's symbol in the weekly record, the Bendigo Advertiser and even on the Q.E.O. score board. In fact, it's on the scoreboard as nobody knows how to get it off and while there is still some affection for the little bloke around the place it is no longer a suitable image for a modern sports club and particularly unsuitable for a Football Netball Cub.

The triangular graphic was put onto club apparel in 2015 with intent to contemporise the logo. This change created some disquiet, in particular amongst many past players and long-time supporters and the concept never really gained traction.

The 125 Logo this was a "one off" design used on club merchandise and membership cards in 2018 to commemorate and celebrate the Club's 125 year anniversary.











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2021 Toyota RAV4 GX AWD 2.5L Hybrid Auto CVT

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2ND PRIZE

2021 Toyota Camry Ascent FWD 2.5L Hybrid Auto CVT

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3RD PRIZE

2021 Toyota Yaris Cross GX 2WD 1.5L Hybrid Auto

(RRP: \$33,198)

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The Toyota "Good for Footy" Raffle is a great initiative that can assist our club with vital fundraising as the sponsorship by Toyota allows for 100% of the proceeds to be directed back to our club.

It's so easy to buy a ticket and tickets are only \$5.00 – just go online, see the link below, and purchase a ticket or tickets using your credit card and you will go into the draw to win 1 of 10 amazing prizes, including a brand new car.

Now that's good for everyone; good for you, good for your club and good for footy.

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SUPPORTING SOUTH BENDIGO - IT'S IN THE BLOOD

NETBALL

After a short lockdown and a couple of weeks of the unknown of where our 2021 season may lead to, the Senior Netballers were prepared to play Golden Square in Round 7. Leading into this round, the girls returned to training via ZOOM and in small squads; committed in returning to the court as soon as possible. The under 17's were defeated by only five goals in a close game; whilst the remaining teams had successful wins. Due to the imposed restrictions, we saw no crowds for this round; and we thank all officials, volunteers and players for making the round possible to proceed in the circumstances.



Round 8 vs. Kangaroo Flat we welcomed back crowds and witnessed Annie Hockey play her 50th game for the club. Annie came to South through under 17s but unfortunately suffered a serious knee injury. Since this time Annie has bounced back, and this year is our B Reserve Captain. Kangaroo Flat are top competitors through each grade and each team came out determined with great passages of play. We were able to see some tough and close games and standard to expect for the second half of the year. Our B Graders took home the win for the day with A Reserve very close behind only slipping to Kangaroo Flat by 7-goals.

In round 9, we were able to travel home from Maryborough with four wins of netball, and our A Reserve team having the bye. A Grade bounced back after the week before and had a 19-goal win and B Grade continued to strengthen their connections and attacking with a convincing 33-goal win. Under 17s and B Reserve demonstrated their capabilities under pressure, both with close and physical games but were able to come home with the win. After several injuries in the B Reserve team, it also provided the opportunity for two under 17 girls to step up and take the court – well done to Mya and Bella!

The end of Round 9 marked the middle of the home and away season and at this point we see all five senior netball teams as contenders for finals – exciting second half of the season awaits!

Ladder Positions:

- A Grade 4th Place
- A Reserve 5th Place
- B Grade 4th Place
- B Reserve 5th Place
- Under 17s 4th Place



Keiarah Brooks

Special mention to Ella Flavell again who continues to represent South Bendigo in the Under 17 BFNL representative team. After their win in the Echuca Tournament on 22nd May, the team played on Sunday 27th June and were runners up to Wimmera, which has booked the team a place in the Netball Victoria Association Championships in Melbourne on August 1.

The open division BFNL team is also set to play on this date; with a congratulations to our A Grade Vice-Captain and cocoach of Under 17s, Keiarah Brooks who has been selected in this squad. This is Keiarah's first year playing for South Bendigo, having come across in 2020 from the Ballarat League after locating to Bendigo for University commitments.

SNAPS FROM THE SIDELINES



Amanda Walters Netball Reporter

JUNIOR NETBALL

We hope everyone is enjoying a couple of weeks off after a stop-start May. We are now over ½ way through our home and away season with only six games before finals start.

At this stage we have six of our thirteen competitive teams in the top four of their respective divisions which is a great result. We have seen some real improvement amongst the teams since the beginning of the season, but most importantly everyone seems to be having fun being back out on the courts playing netball.

Under some great coaching from Ruben, Haley, Bec, Jemma and Rachel our primary teams are also having a great time learning all about netball and developing new skills.



Succession planning (Committee and Operations)



Are you interested in ensuring your child has a Club to play netball at? Perhaps you are looking for a way to give back to your community or maybe you just have some spare time on your hands.

If you answered yes to any of these questions, we would love to hear from you.

We are currently looking for interested people to join the junior netball Committee. Most of the current Committee have been around for a few years and at least four of them are looking to make the shift to retirement \bigcirc in the next little while. It would be great if we could get some people interested in stepping onto the Committee and into some of the Exec roles. Apart from the Operations role most other positions do not require a huge time commitment. We try and keep meetings to a minimum and the more people we can get to join the Committee means things do not take a huge amount of time or effort.

If you are interested, reach out to one of the existing Committee members or drop us an email at jnrnboperations@southbendigofnc.com.au

Whole of Club Training

We are currently planning a whole of club training session. This event will take place mid-August and will see all our teams (Senior/Juniors/Footy/Netball) training together if COVID restrictions allow. Keep an eye out for the date and details on Facebook, team app and in next month's newsletter.

Team Namesakes visits

Jane Bakes is pictured here with her namesake Grade 4 team. The girls were very lucky to have Jane come along to a training session recently and then come and watch them play a game! The girls had a great time getting to know Jane and learning a few tips and tricks.

Mel Dillon also recently took her Section 3 team for a training session and then watched them at a game. Again the girls really appreciated and enjoyed the time and effort spent with them.

And we couldn't go by without acknowledging Marianne and Andy Barrett who get along most Friday nights to cheer on Marianne's Section 3 team. The team appreciates your effort and thanks you for your never-ending support!





Reminders

A couple of reminders to finish off....

- Don't forget to QR code in before training starts and at the various game venues each week.
- Don't forget to let your coach know if you can't make training or the games.
- There is no parking inside the Harry Trott Reserve.



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FOOTBALL

Well June didn't exactly get off to the start we all thought with any thoughts that Covid was behind us coming to a crashing halt causing a delayed start to the fixture following a disappointing game against Strath mid May. Off the back of some delays in training and not being able to access any players from Melbourne due to their heightened restrictions we had a compromised side heading into a vital game against Golden Square on their deck. Loosing Will Allen, Daniel Johnstone and with a season ending injury to Will Keck our lads showed enormous commitment jumping out early to lead the Square in the first quarter and with some easily missed goals as well. It was frustrating to let the opposition back into the game in the second quarter and the coaching staff were less than happy with our application and let them know during the half time break. We were able to even up the next coming into the last a goal down but with the opportunity to build on that effort we allowed Square to kick some easy goals to take the game by 3 goals, an opportunity missed by our lads. Back at home on the QEO against a Kangaroo Flat side who had just won their first game for the year the previous week we again seemed prepared to play the game on the opposition's terms, they led the way with their endeavour and run in blustery conditions. A few home truths at halftime saw the boys lift in the second half holding the Roo's to a goal despite them kicking with the aid of a strong breeze, last quarter saw us rally running out 8 goal winners with the feeling that despite not being in best form we were able to overcome a scrappy opposition. Last week we went over to Maryborough who have been hit hard with injuries, it was our most consistent game for some weeks and Kaiden Antonowicz added 11 goals to his seasons tally which was a great effort.

Reserves football nearly mirrors the senior group with a poor effort against a beatable Golden Square unit and a tussle against the kangaroo Flat side that we squeak home to win by a goal. Much better effort against Maryborough last week which saw our team get back to some good team orientated footy and record a solid percentage booster.

On the Under 18 front its been a steady climb to improvement, we have a solid group of boys now despite losing Harry Downing to a knee injury and with the numbers at training improving Coach Zac hare has been able to get some great improvement to the way the lads play as a team. Our last game against Kangaroo Flat easily the best performance all year. Another great sign is that when given the opportunity to step up Myles Livingston, Declan McMahon and Xavier Dole have been very solid. Myles first senior game against golden Square showed that he will be a very good player at that level.

Its traditionally this time of the year that has the players digging deep to put in the training when its darker and colder so that we can be at our optimum in the latter half of the draw. A few things happening in regard to Harry Trott Oval means that for the rest of our time there this year we have been running training from the portable building sited at the end of the ground, a small price to pay for what will be, we hope, a facility that will take the club into the next phase. By the time you will have received this report we would have additionally acknowledged 200 club games to Reserves Co-Coach Tim Arnold, a great individual effort on his part, well done General.

Congratulations too to our rising star nominations Wil McCaig and Myles Livingston, both have worked really hard during the pre-season and are well regarded by our senior group. Our mid-season review sees us sitting in the final five but heading into a tougher run of games against some of the stronger sides, if we are good enough and consistent enough, we feel we have a good chance to take the club into consideration for a finals berth but our focus at the moment is looking at our next opponent.







Bendigo FNL Rising Star Nominations Wil McCaig and Myles Livingston



Picture: Amanda Walters

Gary Bath Football Operations Manager

SNAPS FROM THE SIDELINES

Round 8: V Kangaroo Flat at Q.E.O. Pictures: Amanda Walters



JUNIOR FOOTBALL



A number of Bendigo Junior Football milestone games were recorded and recognised during June.

Well done to the following 5 South Bendigo Junior Footballers or their commitment and passion for the Red & White

- * Sebastian Gray
- * Nate Sandstrom
- * Harper Fitzallen
- * Tadgh McBurney

Plus, big "congratulations" to Harry Hiatt on his achievement of 100 BJFL Games.

All terrific young men who have big footy careers with the club.



Tadgh McBurney & Harry Hiatt with their U16's Coach Shaun Leech



Sebastian Gray celebrating his 50 BJFL games with his proud parents.

Another event worthy of recognition during June was our 4 U16's boys (Jakob, Harrison, Mitchell & Ben) who ran the boundary for the clubs Round 8 senior BFL game at the QEO against Kangaroo Flat.

Congratulations boys, a great job in very windy conditions, you made the club proud.



Our U14's footballers, turned Boundary Umpires fot the day, pictured with U16's coach Shaun Leech and U18's coach Zac Hare at the QEO

AND PLEASE REMEMBER



Meghan Rogers SBJFC



CREATING SAFER ROADS IN OUR COMMUNITY

You may have seen and heard around the ground, on our social media and in our Newsletter that we are supporting the TAC's campaign of *Creating Safer Roads in All Communities*.

We believe it is important to share the key road safety messages as we want all of our players and club members to arrive safely at training and games, each and every week.

"We want to make sure that all of our players, coaches, volunteers and club members arrive safely each week"
Shaun Langdon

South Bendigo Junior Football Club President





South Bendigo Football Netball Club proudly supporting the TAC in creating safer roads in our community

We're supporting the <u>Transport Accident Commission (TAC)</u>, sharing road safety key messages, helping to create safer roads in our community.

Making sure everyone in our club arrives at games, arrives at training and arrives home safely, each and every week.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SOCIAL UPDATE!

2021 Annual Ball Tickets from the original date of May 29th have been refunded and should be processed shortly.

A new event link has been created for the Annual Ball on 14th August. We will offer an early bird price of \$50 again for the annual ball before returning to \$60 a ticket so get in quick!

We hope to see everyone at the Cocktail Ball on July 10th and the Annual Ball on it's new date - August 14th! We understand that this means that there are a few ticketed functions close together but unfortunately we cannot control the effects of lockdown.

The link to access tickets for both events is in the Instagram bio or over on Facebook!





First Aid Course - Register now!



The Club has secured funding to run a First Aid Course which will be conducted late July early August.

The course is **FREE**.

Whilst preference will be given to Club First Aid Carers/Trainers if you are interested in obtaining a First Aid certification then please let Rob Robertson know on 0424 575 658.

2021 FIXTURE & RESULTS

JULY'S FIXTURE

ROUND 10 Saturday, July 3 South Bendigo V Castlemaine At Q.E.O.	THE BLOODS OF SERVICE ASSESSMENT OF SERVICE
ROUND 12 Saturday, July 10 South Bendigo V Kyneton At Q.E.O.	TIGERS **OFTE BENDOO 16
ROUND 13 Saturday, July 17 Gisborne V South Bendigo At Gisborne Recreation Reserve	ON THE BLOOD OF TH
ROUND 14 Saturday, July 24 South Bendigo V Sandhurst At Q.E.O.	THE BLOODS OF TH
ROUND 15 Saturday, July 31 Strathfieldsaye V South Bendigo At Strathfieldsaye Oval.	STORM STORM



RESULTS

Round 7: 12th June V Golden Square at Wade St Football

	Seniors	Reserves	U18's
South Bendigo	15.8-98	3.6-23	1.0-6
Golden Square	18.18126	12.9-81	32.20-212

Netball

	A Grade	A Reserve	B Grade	B Reserve	U17's
South Bendigo	60	35	49	37	30
Golden Square	23	22	31	31	35

Round 8: 19th June V Kangaroo Flat at Q.E.O. Football

	Seniors	Reserves	U18's
South Bendigo	10.17-77	9.5-59	3.2-20
Kangaroo Flat	4.7-31	7.9-51	8.10-58

Netball

	A Grade	A Reserve	B Grade	B Reserve	U17's
South Bendigo	29	34	45	36	36
Kangaroo Flat	64	41	42	49	51

Round 9: 26th June V Maryborough at Prince's Park Football

	Seniors	Reserves	U18's
South Bendigo	24.13-157	12.20-182	BYE
Maryborough	3.5-23	1.1-7	

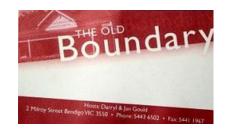
Netball

	A Grade	A Reserve	B Grade	B Reserve	U17's
South Bendigo	52	Bye	53	33	36
Maryborough	33		19	30	32



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