

REDS WEEKLY

Round 13 Review

The Reds came away with 3 wins out of 5!

RESULTS

ROUND 13



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8 . 3

A GRADE
vs. PORT DISTRICT

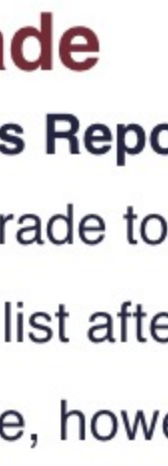
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B GRADE
vs. PORT DISTRICT

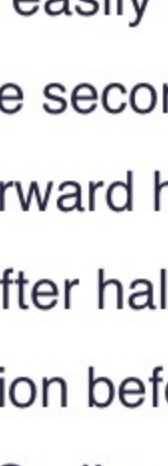
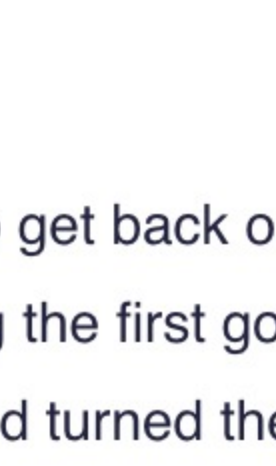
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C GRADE
vs. PORT DISTRICT

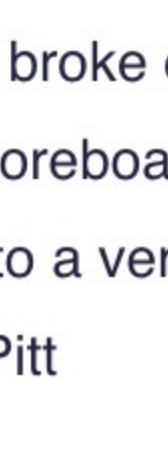
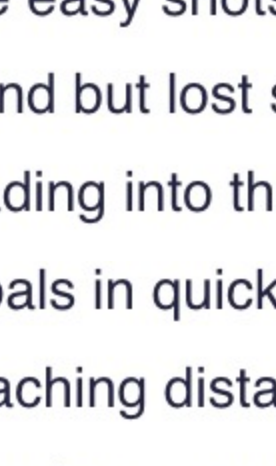
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5 . 7



71
10 . 11

D GRADE
vs. WOODVILLE SOUTH

32
4 . 8



165
25 . 15

E GRADE
vs. PARA HILLS

7
1 . 1



A Grade

Coaches Report

The A Grade took on 3rd placed Port Districts on the weekend looking to get back on the winners list after a bye. We started the first 10 minutes really well kicking the first goal of the game, however we were wasteful with our entries going inside 50 and turned the ball over too easily coming out of the back 50 which gave Port Districts some easy shots on goal. The second quarter we continued to compete well around the ground but lost some of the forward half ascendancy which allow Port to take a small lead heading into the main break. After half time we were slow to get going giving up 2 very easy goals in quick succession before hitting the scoreboard late ourselves to stay within reaching distance at ¾ time. Sadly we were unable to produce our best football in the final quarter as our defence broke down and allow early goals in the quarter again leaving us too far behind to apply scoreboard pressure on the opposition. We will continue to build this week and move into a very exciting game against Glenunga at home.

- Craig Pitt

Best: Hayden Jolly, Luke McCauley, Jack Trenorden, Benjamin Siebels, Mitch Wicks

Goals: Pitt 2, J Davis 2, Charlick, Garrels, B Ianniello, A Perks

B Grade

Coaches Report

The B grade travelled down to prostitution park to play against Port (red light) District. Unfortunately, we got off to a very poor start, only kicking 1 goal to 5 in the 1st quarter. It also didn't help that all 5 of their goals came from our turnovers. The 2nd qtr was worse. We were overusing the ball and couldn't manage a single inside 50 entry and were held scoreless. At this point it became obvious to the coaching team and our celebrity runner (Chris Thredgold) that the team were heart broken about the absence of their super coach Trent Bromley. After half time, the team had somehow forgotten all about Trent and they started to play simple direct football and we managed to kick 5 goals to Port (red light) Districts 1. We were back in the game. The last qtr was a real battle but we didn't quite have enough time to get ourselves over the line. Overall, it was great to see a team that had such a bad start actually have the spirit to recover and play a great 2nd half of football even if our coach and one of our more senior players were sunning themselves in the Amalfi coast (see down below for more...)

- Mike Ellery

Best: Joe Howard, Lucas Bernardi, Mitchell Thiele, Tom Cook, Nicolas Howe

Goals: McInnes 2, Thiele 2, Caldwell, Short, Archer

C Grade

Coaches Report

The C grade came up against a determined Port Districts in trying conditions. After a slow start into the breeze we were lucky to only be 9 points down at quarter time with PD missing some opportunities they would normally take. Some stern words from the interim coach Davo, saw the boys respond in the second quarter & make the most of the breeze. Taking the lead into halftime we once again struggled into the breeze, but managed to hold on in the 3rd quarter to a slim lead. Big Dags dragged himself out of the cage & rucked for the last quarter which was probably the difference. Coming away winners in what was certainly a danger game was great. To be challenged & respond the way we did was positive.

- Tom Brinsley

Best: Will Hugo, Will Dalwood, Simon Potts, Sam Girdler, Hugo Lidums

Goals: Tromans 2, Bartlett 2, Parisi 2, Hudson, O'Donohue, Lidums

D Grade

Coaches Report

The D grade took on 3rd placed Woodville South at Park 9, with the winner to go a game clear in second. We gave up the first goal of the game and after that took control and if it wasn't for inaccurate kicking should of lead by more. Second quarter we carried our momentum from the first, our big focus of the day was defending a man not space when we don't have the footy and the boys did everything, I asked of them and deservedly had a 22-point lead at HT. The second half we outscored the opposition 5 goals to 3 and ran in comfortable winners by 39 points, after last weeks deplorable effort against Golden Grove I was really impressed with the boy's response. Two standouts I need to mention for their body of work Baz Sanders last month since going into the midfield has been outstanding and after moving into the backline in round 3 Luke Stevens has been an absolute rock for us and has not put in a bad performance all year.

- Max Clarke

Best: Tim Sanders, Angus Catt, Edison West, Luke Stevens, Francis Drogemuller

Goals: Day 3, Catt 2, T Sanders 2, Harvey, Williams, Escott

E Grade

Coaches Report

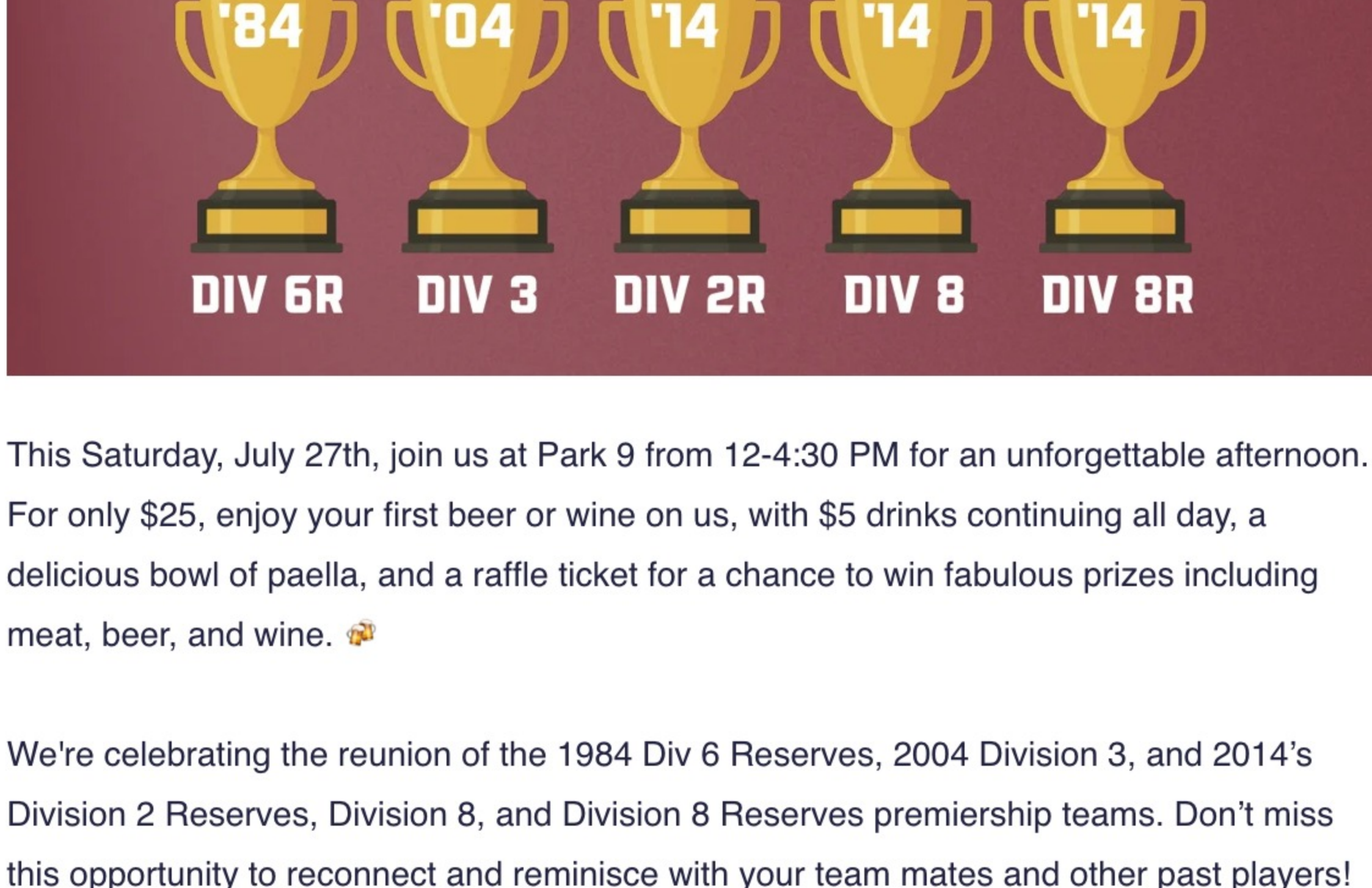
The E grade had 16 changes this week for our game against the bottom side, with 8 fathers coming into the team for our designated father/son/family clash. With the load being carried by a core group of sub 30 year old players they stepped up and hit the ground running with an 8 goal first quarter. Our midfield led by Oscar Pledge dominated early and newcomer Redden was proving to be a good target up forward. Tom Davies who was celebrating his 200th game (over 19 seasons) was dangerous up forward and apart from kicking 5 goals, handed off plenty more, including to some of the older fathers. After going into the half time break 16 goals up the game was well and truly in our keeping but the team continued their strong offensive play in the second half. Our backline was virtually impenetrable all day led by Stentiford, Kitto – Stewart and Nick Sanders and only gave up 1 goal for the day. The team finished the game strongly and surprisingly most of the fathers got through the day unscathed, with our best performing dad being Darren Davey who played his first game in 22 years. Another highlight was seeing James Pledge kick a goal in his first game for 33 years, courtesy of Davies generosity. We finished with our highest score and winning margin for the year and are now well poised to make a run for the finals over the next month. It was one of the more enjoyable and memorable days for the playing group and an absolute pleasure to be part of. Special mention to David Searles who did a great job handling the many rotations on the day.

- Andrew Buttery

Best: Oscar Pledge, Tom Davies, Jasper Stentiford, Isaac Sanders, Jack Kitto-Stewart

Goals: T Davies 5, Redden 5, Siciliano 4, Oswald 3, Buttery 2, J Pledge, Naughton, Kitto-Stewart, O Pledge, Zadow, Stentiford

Father & Son Match



This past weekend, the E Grade hosted a special Father and Son game, bringing together generations of PAOCFC players. In total eight fathers took to the field alongside their sons. Thanks to all who participated!

Reminder: Coopers Past Players Day

This Weekend!

PAST PLAYERS DAY 2024

27TH OF JULY - ROUND 14

At Park 9 | 12-4.30pm | \$25 entrance fee

Includes: 1st Beer or Wine on us then \$5 for rest of the day + bowl of Paella and Raffle Ticket

PREMIERSHIP REUNIONS FOR

'84

DIV 6R

'04

DIV 3

'14

DIV 2R

'14

DIV 8

'14

DIV 8R

This Saturday, July 27th, join us at Park 9 from 12-4:30 PM for an unforgettable afternoon. For only \$25, enjoy your first beer or wine on us, with \$5 drinks continuing all day, a delicious bowl of paella, and a raffle ticket for a chance to win fabulous prizes including meat, beer, and wine. 🍷

We're celebrating the reunion of the 1984 Div 6 Reserves, 2004 Division 3, and 2014's Division 2 Reserves, Division 8, and Division 8 Reserves premiership teams. Don't miss this opportunity to reconnect and reminisce with your team mates and other past players!

Reach out to your fellow past players, especially those from the celebrated 1984, 2004, and 2014 teams, and encourage them to join. Spread the word and let's make this event a memorable one!

B Grade Coach's Italian Getaway

Our B Grade coach Trent Bromley has traded the field for the Amalfi Coast, enjoying a little mid-season break. He managed to catch up with our A Grade captain, Tom Sumner, over a delightful Italian lunch. Not one to forget his roots, he was also spotted soaking up the Italian sun in a pair of rather snug PAOCFC swimming trunks. We look forward to having you back Trent!



Upcoming Fixtures

ROUND 14

FIXTURES

A GRADE **2:15**

B GRADE **12:15**

C GRADE **10:15**

vs GLENUNGA

AT PARK 9

D GRADE **10:15**

vs MITCHAM HAWKS

AT PRICE MEMORIAL OVAL

E GRADE **12:15**

vs ROSTREVOR OC

AT CAMPBELL MEMORIAL OVAL

WICKS **ESTILO** **HUGO**

ESTATE furniture FAMILY ESTATE