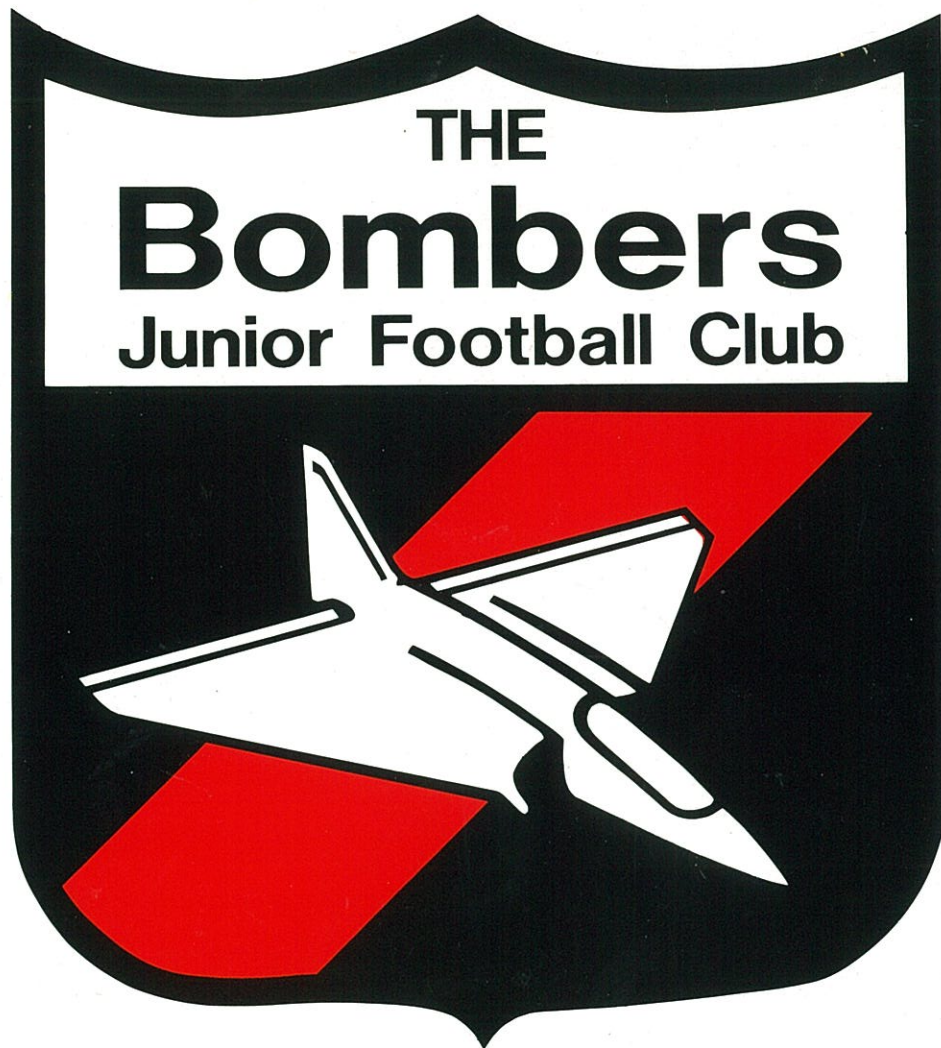


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SOCIAL COMMITTEE

**JENNY KLINE
TONY CATANIA**

PRESIDENTS REPORT



As I lay on my bed nursing a painful ruptured achilles tendon, my mind casts me back to the commencement of the season which began with a new Club Secretary and Treasurer.

In a unique situation, most of our Coaches held executive committee positions - just have a look;

*Charles Musca - (President) Under 17's

*Tony Catania - (Vice President) Under 13's

*Lino Santella - (Dep. Vice President) Under 12's

*Russell Bramston - (Secretary) Under 9's

All other Coaches were actively involved on the Committee.

With Teams fielded in 9's, 2x10's, 11's, 12's and Freeball, our younger brigade augers well for the future.

We fielded only Under 13's and Under 17's in Standard Rules. This was not due to a lack of energy to field in 14's and 15's. It was that numbers were down in those two Grades to the extent where had we of fielded teams in either of those Grades, they would be short all the time. We don't believe that this situation will improve a great deal next year where we hope to field 13's, 14's and 17's however the following year i.e. 1996 we will go back to somewhere close to full strength in all Grades.

Graeme Davy left the Club in good management in 1993 with a win as Aussie Rules Club Champion, so we endeavoured to maintain a respectful profile by advertising for new members, and reminding all that the behaviour of all Club Members is to be at a high level. Fortunately everyone responded and we as a Club had very few problems all year.

Obviously my job as Club President, Coaching Co-ordinator and 17's Coach would not be possible without the tremendous support received from my Committee, in particular Tony Catania who is a absolute credit and ornament to the Club. Russell Bramston had a few people worried with his unobtrusive style but did an excellent job with his minutes and duties around the Club with the help of his loved one Colleen.

Lino once again proved that it would be difficult to be involved with the Bombers without Lino's face and help around the place.

Errol and Sandra Couch worked tremendously as a team taking on many duties and a new face around the place in Jenny Kline worked marvellously and tirelessly combining the 11's Manager's job with Social Committee duties helping to organise and raise most of the funds required to bridge the gap ably assisted by Tony Catania.

Peter Tweedy took on a new role of Club Registrar and Timekeeper with a touch of professionalism that we know Peter applies to all duties he has taken on over the years. We hope Peter stays with us indefinitely.

Our new Club Treasurer was a new shining light around the Club always smiling, ready to take money but didn't like parting with it as easily "only joking", Denise Thomas did a great job first up with a difficult position.

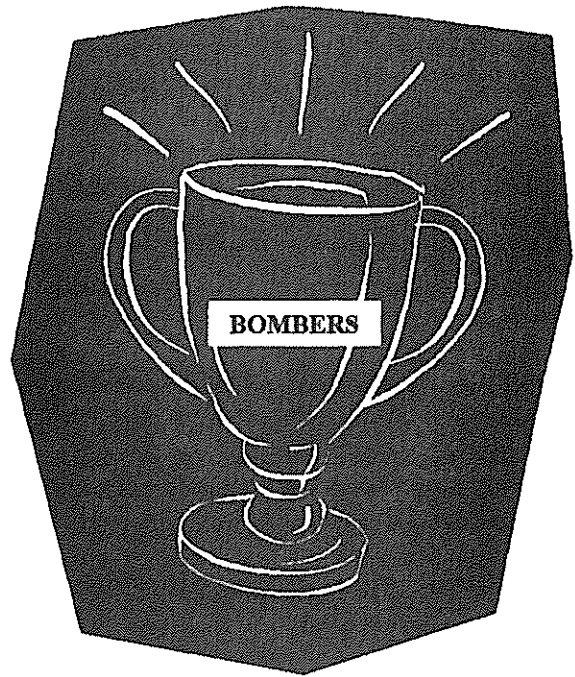
My wife Debbie this year did a tremendous amount of running around to assist me and others so much so that most people knew that she was readily available to help.

Thanks to all the Committee, helpers, Coaches and Managers who have ensured that 1994 was another successful year for the Bombers.

I close by saying that whilst I love my involvement with this Club, I hope that we have some new people around to fill positions in 1995.

CHARLES MUSCA
PRESIDENT

CLUB AWARDS



PRESIENT'S TROPHY - TONY CATANIA

A very popular and worthy winner. Tony put in a huge effort in 1994 practically sleeping at the Club not only in his dual role of Vice President and U/13's Coach, but he went out of his way to help in Fund Raising, assisting other teams and coaches within the club as well as being our Club Delegate to the Association.

Tony is truly a dedicated Bomber.

THE 'DOUG MCGREGOR' OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD - DEBRA MUSCA

Debbie as she is affectionately known was very close to the late "Doug McGregor" and it's a pity that he is not around to present her with his meaningful award. Debbie did lots of running around behind the scenes assisting her husband Charles whenever possible and always willing to assist whenever help is needed around the Club.

Debbie is a worthy recipient of this Award.

BEST CLUBMAN - BRETT CATANIA

With dad "Tony" winning the Presient's Trophy, and Brett's cousin winning this award last year our honours board will have a real "Catania" look about it after this year. Brett was absolutely marvellous this year. He did everything he could for the Club from selling raffle tickets to cooking our sausage sizzles, the 17's boundary umpire.

Always willing to help around the Club, Brett with the help from his buddy Ben Thomas was a popular choice for this prestigious award.

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Our Club fared very well in the Association even though we fielded just two teams in Standard Rules -i.e. Under 13's and Under 17's.

UNDER 13'S

BRETT CATANIA; Stole the show for our Club by running sixth in the voting, polling 15 votes. The winner finished up with 24 votes. Well done Brett - perhaps you may take it off next year.

(Votes cast on 3.2.1. basis)

UNDER 17'S

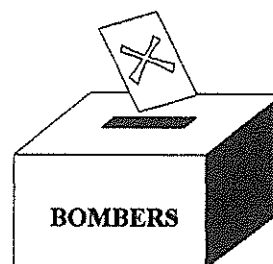
LOUIS DETATA, and TONY DE LUCA were in with a chance at various stages of the counting, however the winner and runner up ended up way in front towards the end. The 17's had a very even spread of talent this year so each week someone different polled votes. We cannot be disappointed because our team polled extremely well in every game.

**TOP VOTES - LOUIS DETATA - 24 VOTES
TONY DE LUCA - 22 VOTES
GARY CRAGGS - 18 VOTES**

Eventual winner polled 45 votes on a (5.4.3.2.1. basis)

CHARLES MUSCA
Coaching Co-ordinator

REGISTRAR'S REPORT



The Bombers playing strength for the 1994 season was as follows:

Freeball	9's	10's	11's	12's	13's	17's	TOTAL
40	19	32	16	17	19	23	166

These figures show the club has increased its number of active registered players from 1993 (159 players), with the younger teams being particularly strong. Freeball continues to give us a firm base on which to build for the future.

PLAYERS MILESTONES

The following players reached milestones during 1994:

100 GAMES: Matthew Buck, Tony De Luca.

50 GAMES: Bradley Couch, Dean Gray, Veejay Johnstone, Bruno Marafioti, Craig Medley, Salvatore Pullella, Jade Zaiti.

Congratulations to all these players on their achievement.

We should also mention the following players who "retire" from junior football this year with more than 100 games under their belts. Well played Joel Duschka (140 games), Gary Craggs (135), Ross Baker (134), Shane Criddle (132), Ben Wilkinson (132), Ian Keen (132). The club thanks them for their loyalty over many seasons.

PETER TWEEDY
Registrar

SOCIAL REPORT



Well another football season is at an end and it was a very good season for the boys.

Thank you to the parents of the club for their support.

We raised around \$1,000 this year with the following functions.

1. Cake stall
2. Quiz Night
3. Disco
4. Various raffles

Our future as a club is very positive. We hope to see you all again next year for a bigger season.

Special thanks to Colleen and Russell Bramston, Tony Catania, Debbie Musca, Robert and Clair Bondo.

Also thankyou to our very supportive sponsors.

JENNIE KLINE

Social Committee Co-ordinator

COACHING CO-ORDINATORS REPORT

An enthusiastic dedicated group of Coaches gave the Club a respectable image in the Association ensuring that all players thoroughly enjoyed the season and performed competitively.

FREEBALL (CHRIS PECK & GARY LENDICH)

Chris Peck returned to join Gary Lendich once again and gave around 45 Freeballers an enjoyable introduction to the skills both at training and in Match Play.

UNDER 9s (MARK STANBURY)

Mark fitted in tremendously well as our only "rookie" Coach this year handling these youngsters like a coach who has been around for a long time. A coach of the future.

UNDER 10s RED (ERROL COUCH)

Errol had another year with many familiar faces and quickly developed them into a very slick team orientated side.

UNDER 10s BLACK (RUSSELL BRAMSTON)

Russell had to get a relatively new group of players and moulded them into a team who eventually became very competitive, displaying some good passages of play.

UNDER 11s (VINCE MIRAUDO)

Vince rejoined our Club this season after an absence of several years to coach one of our Aussie Modified Rules Team. It took a while for the boys to adjust to their new coach but once his experience and well presented ideas got through to the players, they improved out of sight midway and towards the end of the season.

UNDER 12s (LINO SANTELLA)

Lino's team was a touch short on depth this season however they were still able to show some very encouraging form throughout the season equipping themselves extremely well when representing Claremont Football Club in the Little League.

UNDER 13s (TONY CATANIA)

The players found the transition from Aussie Rules to Under 13's pretty tough without many physically strong players however the players enthusiasm and perserverance gave Coach Tony Catania some heart in the few stirring victories that they had.

UNDER 17s

Unlike last season, the players grew in both stature and confidence by winning 10 of their qualifying games out of 14. Charles Musca had a much more satisfying year both on and off the field in season 94, combining the President's job and 17's Coach without too much trouble.

*****WELL DONE TO ALL COACHES*****

Charles Musca
Coaching Co-ordinator

THE BOMBERS

COACHES REPORT

FREEBALL

Yet another busy and hectic football season has been and passed us. In what can only be described as extremely pleasing, the freeball section of the club maintained its high enrollment with some 45 players on our lists. This not only means football in W.A. is alive, but also points to a very promising future for the Bombers J.F.C.

This season saw an almost complete turnover of freeballers, and the new influx were relatively young. With this in mind, it was decided by the club to concentrate on developing the skills of football and of playing the game, by keeping these activities intraclub. We felt that the footballers were a little raw in their understanding of the game to play them amongst other clubs.

A successful season does not just hinge on a programme or coach, but those around him who help execute the programme. A big thanks to all the mums and dads who were there every Tuesday and Sundays giving their time. Whilst I may have been coach by name, I could not have completed the season without the able assistance of Gary Liendich, who proved to be a capable foil. With both of us working together a very successful Freeball season was once again experienced by the Bombers J.F.C.

See you next season,
Yours in Football.

CHRIS PECK
COACH

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COACHES

UNDER 9s

This year has been a productive one with many of our players learning new skills and attitudes, towards the game. The team was not as competitive as it could have been due to some players moving up to the 10's level. However, the lads that made up the team have been a real credit and have made a game of it on more than a few occasions. Some of the boys are hard workers on the field and this is an excellent element to have in order to be successful. Shane Westall and Phillip Veitch were two of our better players and their contribution was much appreciated. Stephen Danti had an unfortunate year fracturing his finger in a game which side lined him for six weeks.

Mark Stanbury has to be congratulated for his commitment and effort which has resulted in many positive aspects in the team. I am sure that the lads appreciate you as coach and have had an enjoyable year.

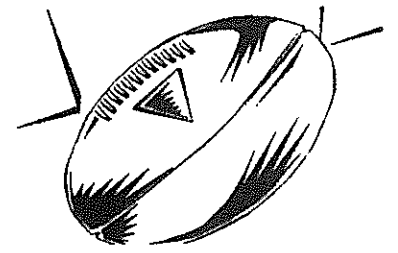
I would like to thank Messrs. Veitch, Westall, Sims and Mead for their contribution throughout the year.

DOLPH DANTI
MANAGER

What a great group of characters, Shane, Phillip, Michael, Ben, and "Little" Alistair all with natural talent but all improving as the season progressed. Simsy, "Big" Alistair, Neil, , Johnny, Stephen D. and Jay with strength and good skills, improving each match day and Stew, Benny M, Guy, Andrew, Joseph, Geoff and Steven showing us all that training hard has its rewards. I hope you all enjoyed the season as much as I did, good luck in all your future football.

MARK STANBURY
COACH

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STEVEN ALLPRESS

Steven started to gain confidence towards the end of the season. His improved ball skills resulting in setting up a few goals.

ALISTAIR BEER

A pleasure to coach. His thoughts to improve the team were well received. A solid influence in the backline repelling many opposition attacks.

MICHAEL CROCKER

Michael discovered and liked the centre ruck and enjoyed playing a kick behind the play. Well done.

STEPHEN DANTI

Just when it was all coming together Stephen broke a few fingers and had six weeks off. It was good to see Steven back for the carnival where he played like a seasoned campaigner.

JAY GILL

A tough backman with a solid bump. Sending the ball back to our goals many times during the season.

ANDREW GORDON

Andrew needs to take training more seriously, but when coached by his mother, showed us all that he could play good football.

NEIL JAQUES

Probably our most accurate long kicker, showed determination in the back line when we needed it.

STEWART KINGMA

The team clown. Enjoys participating with everything he does. A very competitive team member.

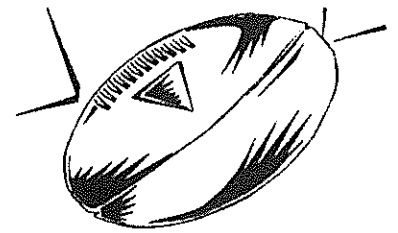
ALISTAIR McEVOY

Set many plays up in the centre, enjoys a run with the ball and trains hard. Good to have in the team.

BEN MEAD

One of the small men, showed us all how to get the ball, run (sometimes to far) and kick towards our goals.

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JOHNNY MEAD

The best bouncer of the ball in the team. Enjoyed the forward pocket with a few goals to his credit.

RHYS PETTIGROVE

Showed promise but only played a few games. A very solid player who gained confidence then decided to have a rest.

JOSEPH SCAFFIDI

What a great accurate kicker. Despite his size could play any position, a very versatile Bomber.

MICHAEL SIMS

Ever reliable in the back line especially at full back. Trains well and tries hard with any task requested of him.

BEN STANBURY

Played some great games, kicked a few goals but needs to be more consistent on a week to week basis. Thanks for your help during the season.

GUY THOMAS

One of our youngest members. Guy's size fooled the opposition and is one of our physically strongest players. Enjoys competition at training and should develop into a good footballer.

GEOFFREY VEITCH

Geoff matured in the later part of the season showing us all that training hard produces good results on match days. Well done.

PHILLIP VEITCH

One of our most consistent players, his ability to read the play created many opportunities to put our team into attack.

SHANE WESTALL

A leader all the team looked up to. His determination on match day could only be described as "truly amazing". Thanks for all your help.

COACHES REPORT

UNDER 10s
RED

We started the season with 17 players, but this number soon grew to 26, so we split players into two sides. This unbalanced the players for a time, but as the season progressed they developed great teamwork.

The players responded well at training and have learnt new skills which have led to them playing well as a team.

The carnival was a big success with the Bombers winning all games. Well done boys.

The season could not have run so smoothly without the help of our Team Manager Trevor Tucker. Thank you Trevor for your assistance.

Thank you also to Mrs Tomich for providing the drinks each week and to our goal umpire Mr. Mellon.

ERROL COUCH
COACH

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PAUL D'ALESSANDRO

Has worked hard this season to improve in all aspects of football. A very improved player. Well done Paul.

MARIO PUTRINO

Mario is improving all the time always tries very hard. Mario played well for his first time at football.

JAMES VINCIGUERRA

James worked hard at training and his effort showed in his game. Held down half back flank with great pride.

CHEY FISHER

A very good season for Chey had the ability to play at the hard position of centre half forward. Played the game hard and led many attacks towards goals. Top stuff.

BRADLEY COUCH

Developed a great understanding of reading the play, a master at handball and a tower of strength all season.

Bradley reached a personal milestone this season playing his 50th game. Well done Bradley.

MICHAEL TUCKER

Michael is improving all the time. Always tries very hard and has alot of ability. Keep up the good work.

STEFAN FORREST-WALKER

Stefan played some great football in the backline. Ran the ball out of defence many times. A greatly improved player.

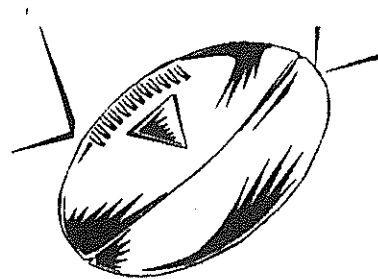
STEPHEN CATANIA

Stephen has heaps of natural ability. A very determined player who is always prepared to attack the ball.

Stephen has had a great season.

JAMIE GRIEVE

Another player who has improved this season and shows increasing confidence. Jamie has good ball skills and tried very hard this season.



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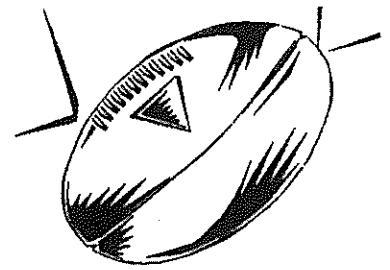
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CHRISTOPHER PRINDIVILLE

Chris started slow this year but then stepped up a gear to become a regular dependable defender. A good season Chris.

BEAU PECK

Our youngest player graduated from 9's partly into the season. Beau has done very well for his first year and will improve more next year.

TONY MELLON

Another new player to the club this season and has greatly improved as the year went on. Kicked some great goals when playing full forward. Well done.

TRYONE PECK

Tryone played very well in any position given. An unfortunate accident hampered his season. He came back to play some great games. Tryone has very good ball skills.

JAMES TOMICH

Developed a good understanding of the game. Tries hard at training and is improving all the time.

STEPHEN MUSCA

Stephen continues to develop and worked hard all season on his skills. Played very well at centre half back. A much improved player.

ADRIAN GIGLIETTA

Another new player to the Bombers. A real trier who worked hard and gained confidence as the season progressed. Well done Adrian.

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COACHES REPORT

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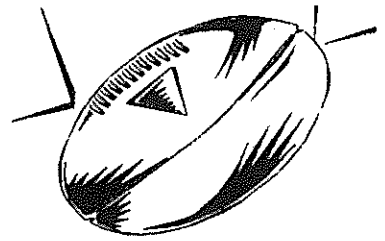
Well boys hope you all had a good season. It was a bit slow at the start but with the advancement up of some of the 9's we formed a full side.

It was tough at first getting used to the new faces but you all soon were training and playing well together.

On behalf of Kim Collard (Manager) and myself thank you to the parents - who made themselves available to assist where possible, your help is greatly appreciated.
To all parents and players we hope to see you back at the Bombers next season.

RUSSELL BRAMSTON
COACH

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JACK ADAMS

Jack came up from 9's to play. Showed great courage in going in and getting the hard ball.

CHRIS COLLARD

Chris shows great ball handling and evasive skills - always gave 100% at training.

RYAN CRAIG

Ryan was another from 9's and when he put his mind to it was a great asset in the goals he scored. He preferred to play forward.

BRENDAN DUDA

Brendan's performances improved greatly game by game and it was a shame injury kept him out of the carnival.

ANDREW EDWARDS

Andrew was an excellent running backman who gave his all to get the ball. Has good ball handling skills and leadership qualities.

BENJAMIN GILMOUR

Ben started to perform better as the season went on with more experience will do well.

Ben was excellent in the back line always stayed on his man.

BEN JOHNSTON

Ben was another whom when he put his mind to it was fearless at going for the ball.

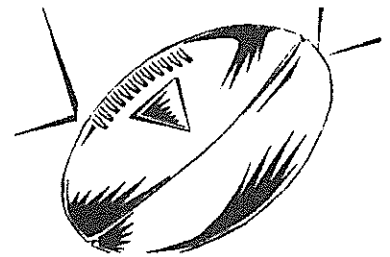
Has an excellent kick on him.

PETER MAYNARD

P.J. came up from 9's and has excellent football skills and was one of the key motivators of the team. Excellent kick.

CHRIS MILORDIS

Chris was always trying his hardest was well liked by all players. A good team member.



TIM MITCHELL

Tim played full back most year and for 8 years old coming up from 9's to play has excellent ball handling skills and possess a good kick.

ADAM MOORE

Adam has excellent marking capabilities. Shows great courage in getting the ball and has good goal sense - Adam has settled into his new club well.

DAVID NANCARROW

David progressed excellently during the year and showed he was keen to play. On carnival day he was one of the best overall players.

NICHOLAS ROBERTSON

Nicholas- another major member of the team always gives 100%, excellent ball skills and game awareness.

ADAM SEALE

Adam - for his size shows he is 10 foot tall, was chosen as most valuable player by other team members.
Great work, Adam.

SHAUN WOODS

Shaun came up from 9's - and being another new member to Bombers settled in well.
Shows excellent ball handling skills and always gave 100%.

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COACHES REPORT

UNDER 11s

After a couple of seasons away from the coaching hotseat it was great to return to the Bombers Junior Football Club and take on the 11's team for season 1994. All credit to Charles and his hardworking committee for running a well disciplined club.

After starting the season with an impressive first up win, successes were few and far between. The turning point came after the mid-season break where a combination of team football, discipline, commitment and change in attitude saw them defeat sides who had previously beaten us. In fact, the team went on to win 5 of their remaining 7 games going down by only narrow margins to the top two sides.

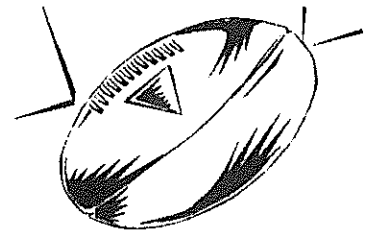
The Carnival showed the team has come along way this year. We finished with two wins from three games going down by 2 points in the last game. Good team effort however, Frank Bonolo and Stephen Musca stood out. Well done for the year!

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank a number of people. To Carl Berryhitti, my assistant coach and team runner for all his hard-work and for being our loudest supporter. To Mike Leach, Dave Geddes and Robert Bonolo for assisting the team in their various roles. To all the parents who came down and showed their support and encouragement week in and week out. To Jenny Kline who kept us all organised, advised and notified of happenings each week and without whose support the team would not have functioned so effectively.

Finally, to all the players for giving me some memorable moments during the season and for making me realize that coaching can still be enjoyable. I wish all of you the best of luck and rewarding football careers.

VINCE MIRAUDO
COACH

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FRANK BONOLO

Developing into a good backman who always tries hard. Needs to work on his kicking to get more penetration.

PAUL BOUVENKERK

By far our most improved player over the season. Can play back, forward or in the ruck. As his coordination gets better Paul will develop into a fine player.

DAMIAN BRACKENRIG

Very skillful player who needs to learn how to read the play better. Has good marking and kicking ability.

MARK COMETTI

Tries hard given his limited ability. Like a good wine Mark will improve with age. Much better suited to full forward than in the commentary box.

ALLAN CURTIS

A fearless trier who has shown a lot of improvement this year. Needs to work on his skills and concentrate harder.

TODD DI ROSSO

From the 10's who found playing with the 11's a bit harder, but will be better for the experience. Needs to work on his pace. Has a good kick!!

ANTHONY DRUKER

Another from the 10's who showed he has outstanding ability and courage. One of the few who is able to show good judgement and vision. Prediction: Potential to play at the top level.

LACHLAN EVANS

Has a ton of courage. A good ball getter who reads the play well. Needs to control his mental discipline. Potential to go all the way....

LEON GEDDES

A dependable full back who kicks the ball well. Needs to learn to get in front and work on his pace. Enjoys his footy!

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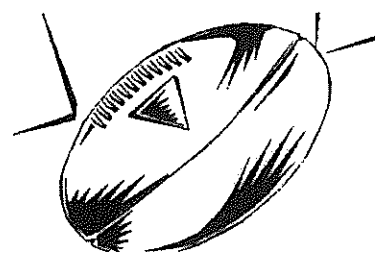
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DEAN GRAY

Good skills and plenty of ability but tends to shy away from the hardwork. With better discipline and concentration Dean could develop into a fine player.

VEEJAY JOHNSTONE

A nuggety little player who often has to concede inches against opponents to hold down the difficult centre-half-back position. Probably our most consistent player all year. Bright future ahead.

JARROD KLINE

Good skills, takes a good grab and is a prodigious kick. Has the talent and ability to succeed. Player of the future.

BEN LEACH

Another of our big improvers. A little man with all heart, goes in where angels fear to tread. Has good pace and ability...

CLINTON LOCKWOOD

Enjoys footy and is an absolute delight to coach. Clinton still needs to work on his basic skills but is a big lad who will take time to mature.

ROBERT McEVOY

Solid as a rock. Half the size of a flea with more than twice the bite of a bulldog. Like Clinton, needs to work on his kicking skills.

MICHAEL MUSCA

An excellent ballgetter. When he realises his capabilities can be a match winner. Disposal of the ball and kicking for goal lets him down sometimes but definitely a player of the future.

BEN MOORE & SCOTT KINGMA

Filled in for us at various times during the season when not playing for the 12's. Good honest triers who still need to work on their skills.

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COACHES REPORT

UNDER 12s

First of all I must start off by saying that I have never enjoyed coaching Juniors as much as I have for the last two seasons with this team. You would have to go far to find another such tremendous team and self commitment, their never say die and their unwillingness to let themselves or their team mates down is quite outstanding. The '94 season started with seven wins and six loses. The numbers at training wasn't the best, but I was pleased with the way they played and fought the game out, even when we came up against some physical sides the boys showed great character in their handling of games. In the end of the season carnival the boys lost the first two games, and won the last two games in which the boys put in the best last game against an undefeated Morley Bulldogs by winning by 8 points. We welcomed some new members this year in Jeremy, Fintan, Steven, Caleb and two players from our U/11's in Ben and Scott, these boys settled in very quickly and were focal points in all games.

In closing I wish to sincerely thank a combination of many people who helped the team this year.

1. Thanks to all the mums and dads for their great help with the washing of jumpers, orange rosters, canteen roster and sausage sizzle rosters.
2. To Peter Tweedy, Tony Catania and Bret Catania who helped out with the timekeeping whenever they were asked. Thankyou boys.
3. Many thanks to two great helpers in Ian Moore and Robert Kingma for goal umpiring each week and for helping to clean up and put away after each home game.
4. To any parents who I may have missed in helping out, many thanks for your great help.

Last but not least to my right hand man, my Manager Pat Marafioti who has been by my side for two years and I really do appreciate all the hard work you did for me and the team. Organising the team and rosters, for your great assistance to me every week of the football season. Pat thankyou very very much for your great help.

Boys I do not know if I will be coaching any team next season, but I would like to wish you all the very best for the future and remember boys - "A team that sticks together stays together."

LINO SANTELLA
COACH

THE BOMBERS

ANGUS ADAMS

Started the season in great form until he had an interrupted season with a broken arm, he was out for about 4 weeks. When Angus did return he contributed to the teams winning efforts. As his confidence increased so did his performance. One good thing about Angus he has a good kick and takes a great mark. Well done Angus.

TOBY FOSTER

Has played some good games for the team, playing full back. I feel Toby needs to apply himself a lot more to training and listen to instructions, as he has the ability to be a very good footballer. Best of luck for next season and the future Toby.

FINTAN ANDREWS

A new comer to the club who had a very good season. Fintan once again proves that size is no barrier, he's a real trier who worked hard and gained in confidence as the season progressed. Can play any position, one thing Fintan must do is improve on his kicking. Hope to see you next year Fintan.

SCOTT HOWARD

Never stopped trying all year whether it was at training or in a game, 100% at all times. Always ready to listen at training and at the game. Keep up the good work Scott.

TRENT KINGMA

Is one of the more experienced players in the team and is the type that everyone would like to have. His skills and all round ability all goes well for his future. Excellent year Trent.

SCOTT KINGMA

Is an U/11's who graduated to the 12's this year, acquitted himself very well. Always ready to listen at training and at the game. Scott must concentrate more on his kicking and marking. The experience will only benefit him. Well done and thankyou Scott.

BRUNO MARAFIOTI

Had another good season. Picked up numerous possessions each week, Bruno is always prepared to attack the ball and is not afraid to burrow in after the hard ball. An exciting player with heaps and heaps of speed and courage. Has improved on his kicking from last season but needs to improve on disposing of the ball. Good season Bruno.

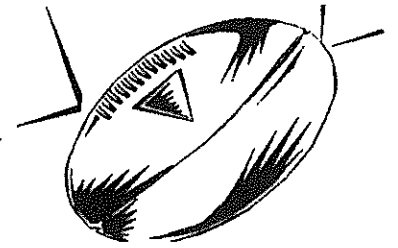
CALEB McGRATH

Yet another newcomer who tried hard and put in some good games, played mostly in the backline, needs to gain in confidence a lot more as he is big, strong lad and a good team member. One thing Caleb can improve on during the summer season is his running and speed. Keep it up Caleb.

JAMES MOORE

Has the determination and desire that is needed in any football team and does not know the word quit even when the odds have been stacked against us. He puts in 100% and tries hard in every game he plays.

Well done James keep giving that 100%.



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VICTOR PETROPULOS

Has the ability to go all the way in football, Victor is quite a gifted player who is capable of being placed in any position on the field and who can keep that position under control. He can kick with either foot and takes some outstanding marks. A very good season Victor.

SALVATORE PULLELLA

Is our quiet achiever who goes about the business of junior football in a level pleasant manner, never grumbles and always available to take on any task given him. Proves that size is no barrier by showing great courage and determination. Salvo you must improve on your kicking.

JEREMY ROBERTS

Came to us from Ballajura J.F.C. and is without any doubt in my opinion the best half back that I have had the pleasure to coach. Jeremy has very good ball skills and a running player. Also he plays the game hard and picks up numerous kicks every week. Welcome to the club Jeremy and well done.

SHAUN SILVER

Has shown potential as a full forward for his size he has kicked a lot of goals, also his anticipation is very good. He's a good mark and kicks well too. Never stopped trying all year whether it was at training or in a game. Well done Shaun keep it up.

THOMAS VINCIGUERRA

Played in patches but was always in the thick of things, playing it hard and tough. If I ever need someone to go through a brick wall, Thomas would do it. He held the backline together on numerous occasions. He would always be found at the bottom of the pack fighting for the ball. Continue playing the way you do and you will go all the way. Well done Thomas.

JADE ZAITI

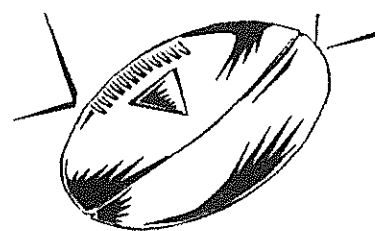
Was a late starter at the club, who has improved this year and his confidence in himself is growing each year. We tried different positions this year and Jade responded well. Jade also has improved on his running and sprint work during last summer, he is prepared to do a lot of the little things for his team mates such as shepherding and using his body well. Jade believe in yourself you're big and strong and the ability is waiting to burst out. Well done Jade.

BEN MOORE

Is another player who comes from our U/11's who is your typical never say die, never lay down footballer. He has tremendous heart, and always ready to listen to instructions. Ben also missed about 4 weeks with a broken arm, but was always down at training, stirring his team mates up. Keep playing that straight at the ball game Ben. Well done and thankyou Ben.

STEVEN MOORE

Came to us midway through the season and has shown a great deal of patience and perseverance and tries very hard to come to the expectations of his team. One thing Steven practice on your kicking and marking, also you must start to listen to your coach and to stop day dreaming. All in all Steven well done and welcome to the club.



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COACHES REPORT

UNDER 13s

Another football season has come and gone, although it was a frustrating season for me as a coach, I still enjoyed very much coaching the boys. Even though the team did not perform as I expected, socially and friendship wise, I think the boys enjoyed the season.

There were some outstanding performances put in by a number of players. Sean, Asher, Brett, Ariel, Cameron, Kieran, Anthony, Clay, Wayne just to name a few.

Asher continues to improve and with our new players, Drew, Luke and Tim: our regulars Paul, Michael H, Jesse, Brendan, Jay, Michael M, Ben T, John and Ben C the team tried their best every week.

Thanks must go also to Victor and Trent from the U/12's for filling in on various occasions.

Guys let me say that with a years experience, the right attitude and desire you will be the team to beat next season.

Thanks and special mention to the following -

- : John Dun Snr. - my Manager for the past 5 years. Big thank you for being there, you have been a great help to me.
- : Tazie & Sylvia - for co-ordinating the canteen.
- : To all the mums, who washed jumpers and helped in the canteen.
- : To all the parents for just being there, which I feel is very important.
- : Michael Sims, my water boy did a great job, and you are welcome back anytime.
- : Ben Thomas did more then play football he helped with the BBQ, canteen, sold raffle tickets and helped with the goal posts, excellent club spirit.
- : To Mr Wayne Sims who goal umpired for the U/13's as well as the 9's was my runner on occasions and shoulder to cry on when we lost (a wet one by seasons end).
- : Peter Tweedy - Time Keeper extraordinaire and fill in person.
- : Joel Brownrigg, and Simon Prosser for running the boundry.
- : Brooke Couch for doing what I asked her to do to help me out.
- : Last but not least to my wife Gael because without her support, help and understanding I would not be here.

Finally, to all players stick together in 1995 and tell your friends, relations and anybody else to come on down to the Bombers and give the Club the support it deserves.

Once again thanks to everyone.

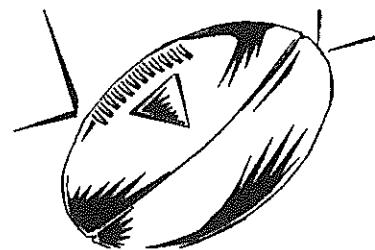
TONY CATANIA
COACH

THE BOMBERS

FAIREST AND BEST;

BRETT CATANIA

Brett has had an outstanding year, as Team Captain and No.1 rover, he lead by example. His courage, speed and determination enabled him to pick up numerous possessions week-in and week-out. Brett's ability and endeavour to chase the opposition and get the hard ball also caught the umpires eye. He polled extremely well in the Association's Fairest and Best Award. Congratulations Brett.



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RUNNER UP;

SEAN PROSSER

Sean was our No.1 ruckman and the best in the competition. His ability to follow the ball around the ground for four quarters is without peer. Sean's agility and marking skills will only give him a fine future. He needs to work on his kicking, other than that he will be the next Sean Rehn if he wishes to keep going.

Well done Sean.

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BEST POSITIONAL PLAYER;

ARIEL WALTERS

Ariel played all but one game at centre half-back and did it with distinction. He drove the ball out of the backline time and time again. He also has a great mark and backs his judgement 100% of the time. Ariel was often repelling attacks and putting us in attack with his running through the centre. The general of our backline was rarely beaten.

Excellent year Ariel.

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MOST CONSISTENT;

CAMERON NORTHWAY

Cameron is only slightly built, but possesses great courage and speed. He went in where angels fear to tread and despite coming off second best a couple of times, he always bounced straight back. His desire to run and work hard is unquestionable.

A great season Cameron.

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BEST UTILITY PLAYER;

KIERAN McEVOY

Kieran played in the backline, wing, ruck-rover and in the forward line, anywhere he was to play. He reads the play well and gives his best in any position he plays. Kieran has a very good mark and a good kick. A player with great potential if he wants to continue with football.

Tremendous year Kieran.

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COACHES REPORT

UNDER 17s

MANAGERS - VIV McALPINE & GREG BUCK
RUNNERS - MATHEW NICHOLAS & OWEN GARDINER
TIMEKEEPER - PETER TWEEDY
GOAL UMPIRE - LUKE WALKER

After a loss to Osborne Park in the first game and fielding only 17 players, I had to get on the phone and persuade more fellows to come down to give us numbers. Within 3 weeks, we had a squad of 27 players. And had now won 2 out of 3 games. Eventually the side won 10 out of 14 games and came very close to defeating the top side. We finished second on the Premiership table looking a big chance to play off in the Grand Final.

We had many exciting players in Ross Baker and Alex Barnes in front of goals with some big games played by many players on different occasions. This is one of the best seasons an Under 17's side has had since the inception of the Bombers. Most of the team came from our U/9's. They are a terrific group of players who love training and enjoy playing the game. The Team Captain Mathew Buck was always available to help and his popularity amongst the players and ability to play football holds him in good stead for the future.

When available, Mason Davy (our only Colts player) was most useful with his strength and ball getting ability in the Centre. If anything the type of players we really needed were 2 class rovers. One scouting packs the other to kick goals.

A big thanks to Greg Buck and Vic McAlpine who combined to give the players a great season off the field.

I believe we will see a big number of these players going on to higher levels of football.

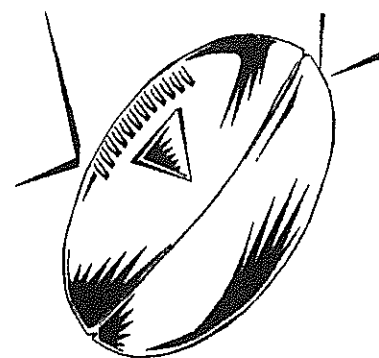
CHARLES MUSCA
COACH

THE BOMBERS

FAIREST AND BEST

ROSS BAKER

In a unique situation Ross Baker won this award last year and now this year. For those that had seen Ross play this season, his performances were just **EXCITING** in a word. His courage, application both at training and in his games make him a complete footballer who will create his own destiny as a player of the future if that's what he wants. A marvellous achievement 2 years in a row. Well done Ross.



RUNNER UP

TONY DELUCA

Tony went one step further this year. He was third in last years awards and found himself in a variety of roles including full back, centre half back and centre with occasional duties in the ruck. Tony's big marks and long kicks, bursting through and opening up packs was a big lift to other players around him. Tony must of caught the eye of the umpires as well because he polled well in the District. Tony and I have talked about what area of improvement is needed for him to advance to Colts level.

MOST OUTSTANDING PLAYER AWARD

BEN WILKINSON

Ben had a **MAGIC** year. He played centre half back and wing mainly. He was easily the tallest wingman I've seen play but his sure ball handling, tremendous reading of the play and precise marking and kicking ensured that he was unbeaten all year in any of the positions he played. Ben has always had potential and this year, he really showed it and I cannot see any reason why Ben won't advance in his football.

COURAGE AWARD

DAVID WRIGHT

David had his ups and downs however he was noticeable to all mainly because of his go for the ball at all costs attitude. With some work on his ball handling, David is the type of player every team needs and wants. This is only his 3rd year in football originally changing from Soccer. All the best for the future David.

MOST IMPROVED (COACH TROPHY)

MARK FAY

Mark is a first year player in 17's who showed maturity above his age with sure ball handling and a definite style about his play. Mark is popular amongst the players and gives everything he's got to his training and game. I believe we will see the best of Mark next season as he continues to improve.

CHARLES MUSCA
COACH

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FINALS

As you may now be aware, the players finished in second spot and here is a round up of the game.

Second semi-final: Cougars 15.5 defeated Bombers 8.10. Cougars blitzed us in the first quarter kicking 6 goals. Outstanding players for us were Mathew Buck, Mason Davy and Gary Craggs.

Preliminary Final: Bombers 8.8 defeated Tigers 8.5. A game we'll remember for a long time. A brilliantly fought out close game with Joel Duschka getting shirt fronted with 60 seconds to go, David Pitman kicks the ball into centre half forward, everyone misses it except for Mason Davy who came through like a steam train and kicks the winning goal.

Meanwhile the coach has jumped for joy e.g. "Oh what a feeling Toyota" and ruptures an achillies tendon.

Jubilation in the change rooms as we are now going to play in our first Grand Final.

BEST PLAYERS - TEAM EFFORT.

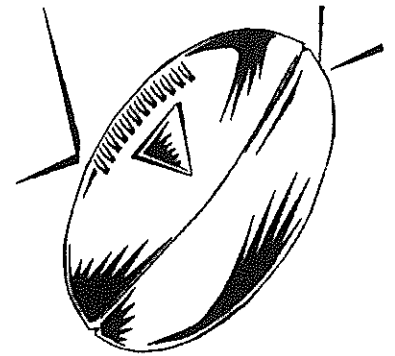
GRAND FINAL: Cougars 15.10 defeated Bombers 8.10.

We really thought we could do better but the Cougars were almost invincible in every position and played some MAGIC football. Our players tried but didn't want to run as hard as our opponents.

Great contributions from **BEN WILKINSON, MASON DAVY, MATHEW BUCK, DAVID PITMAN, ANTHONY DETATA, BARREN NEINDORF, GARY CRAGGS** and **ALEX BARNES** who hasn't played for 7 weeks.

All of us are disappointed that we were unable to bring the Bombers first Premiership home but I can say that whilst we didn't win the pennant, we are certain to have more players from this team go on to bigger and better things.

CHARLES MUSCA
Coach



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