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KNOX FOOTBALL CLUB NEWSLETTER

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Sponsor profile. Councilor David Cooper



Councilor Cooper was first elected to Council in December 2004 following a by-election in the Scott Ward. At the municipal elections held on 29 November 2008, Councillor Cooper was successfully re-elected for a third term. Some of David's roles are

Councillor Committee Appointments for 2008-09

- Audit Committee
- Australia Day Awards Committee
- CEO's Evaluation Committee
- Healthy Ageing Plan Reference Group
- Knox Central Urban Design Framework Implementation Advisory Committee
- Knox Community Sports Centre Management Committee
- Management Advisory Committee for Cathies Lane Transfer Station
- Metropolitan Waste Management Group
- Multicultural Advisory Committee
- Stamford Park Steering Committee

With the other side of David away from work, he has been in the roofing industry for 20 years and previous to that 20 years in retail for Mitre 10, Carter Holt Harvey Roofing and McEwans.

Some of David's role incorporates leadership – relationships, strategic planning, community engagement, and lots of patience and tolerance.

On the home front David is married to Tracy for 32 years and has a son Rhys aged 28 and a daughter Holly aged 24.

On the sporting side he is a staunch tiger supporter and his favorite player is Matty Richardson. His favorite food is lamb (cause Kekka told him) and rice pudding (but Tracy wont make it for him so if there is lady wants me to judge theirs then only to happy to). His hobbies are watching the Tigers playing and also some gardening when time allows him to. His favorite movie is Dog Day Afternoon (sounds like a day at the council) & Love Actually and enjoys watching Tom Hanks as he is a good actor and also Cameron Diaz for the obvious reasons.

David would love to sit over a table and chat with George W Bush and his most cherished holiday spot is Europe.

David is our No 1 ticket holder & a great supporter of the club. We thank him for his continued support and help in the upgrade of our ground & facilities.

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Britton Timbers**

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CD Automotive
The Hon. Chris Pearce MP
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Rinnai Hot Water**

We would also like to acknowledge and appreciate the kind donation from Peter Bennett of Britton Timbers for his donation of the timber for the remodelling of the social rooms. Peter this is greatly appreciated by the club and supporters and will make a significant difference to the interior décor.

If you would like to become a sponsor of the Knox Football Club then please contact either Phil O'Shannassy on 0408 53 44 33 or Lee Metherell on 0408 1331

Awards: That these are held in the social rooms each Saturday night at approx 6.30pm (unless we have a function), lets make sure we get back to the rooms for these and a few frothies after, to hopefully celebrate a win.

Social Functions

We have our annual dinner dance coming up on the 8th August so make sure you have a table and get your money into Julie Keltie so we can confirm bookings

**8th August – Dinner dance
15th August – Ladies Luncheon
22nd August – Ladies Night “Back to School” theme
19th September – Vote Count & presentation Night**

Check the website for more details and contact personnel for bookings

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"Face in the Crowd"



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calendar@knoxfootballclub.org.au
or text calendar to 0403513381

PRESIDENTS CORNER

. We have been on the road for 2 weeks & it will be good to be back home this weekend as we welcome Noble Park. Mixed results over the last couple of weeks with both the 18's & Reserves doing well at Lilydale, whilst the seniors didn't have one of their better games. Last Saturday the 18's struggled, but to their credit had a stronger last quarter, whilst the reserves were depleted & went down an almost full strength Balwyn. The seniors had one of their best games of the season and fought a tough & intense encounter against a highly credentialed Balwyn. I thought the 9 goal differential flattered Balwyn. If we continue this type of effort, a couple more wins are just around the corner.

Saturday 8th August we have our dinner dance. Please see Julie Keltie if you haven't booked your table, it will be a great night with the players putting on some entertainment. Saturday 15th August we have a ladies lunch. Just \$20 includes game entry, catered roast with vegetables, deserts and a free glass of wine. Great value-see Julie Harris for bookings.

We have secured junior finals and have 3 **Sundays** of the A grade division on the **2nd, 9th & 16th August**. This gives us a real opportunity to make some money & continue our facility improvements. As you can see the players & supporters have been working hard with rendering & painting of the front bar area. A new plasma TV, new reverse cycle air conditioners, wood working around the social room & rendering of the social room interior are all done or in progress. Thanks to all the guys who have helped so far. Our next two major projects are fencing at the front entrance, to increase our revenue on game day and lights on the top oval. We need your help with things like gate keeping, canteen, BBQ etc. Please see myself or Lee Metherell if you can give us a few hours on any of these days.

Great win by our U/16's on Sunday, getting up by 1 point on the siren, coached by our very own super coach Shane Saunders and ably assisted by Greg Papanikolou. Good luck for the rest of the finals series.

Cheers

"Go Falcons" - Phil O'Shannassy – 0408 534 433 – email – philo@shann.com.au

MATCH REPORTS

COLTS

Knox 16-19-115 def Croydon 6-5-41

Great game by the boys, clearly Best for the year. Could nearly say it was a complete four quarter effort and the result showed with a convincing 74 point win. The lads followed instructions, talked well. Backed each other up and ran in numbers. The wind was tricky but they managed to play the conditions well and used it effectively. The real test now is to back it up against Lilydale next week. The improvement over the year has been immense but we need to learn consistency as well. Time will tell in the next few weeks. As far as the Croydon game goes, I was really pleased with their effort as they should be too. Pottsy, Nicko, Cal, Dane, Al K and Stinky stood out in a great team effort.

Knox 18-8-116 def Lilydale 8-7-55

Great game by the boys last week against Croydon but even better this week against the higher placed Lilydale. Following on from all the good things they did last week they continued their good form and got off to

a great start and were never really challenged from then on because they didn't give the Lilydale boys a chance. It was a very dominant 10 goal win. Once again they followed instructions and talked well. Backed each other up and ran in numbers and were aggressive at the ball. Their improvement continues and a win this week against Blackburn will further improve our chance of playing finals. Cal (8 goals), Nath, Dicko, Paddy, Nicko, Davo were just a few of the many that did well.

Knox 8-11-59 def by Blackburn 16-9-105

Well after two great games the boys put in a shocker against Blackburn.

Needing to win to give ourselves an even better chance of playing finals, the boys put up their worst performance for the year. Only about seven blokes can say they had a red hot dip for the time they were on the ground. The rest were part timers or had no impact at all.

The key to being a good footballer is not being a star once in a while; it's about being consistent every week and giving 100% every week. We are now in the position where we have to win all four remaining games to play finals. We are good enough but are we committed enough? Time will tell. Best; Dane, Fitz, Dane, Nathan, Al K, Pezza, Potts.

RESERVES

Knox 7-9-51 def Croydon 4-9-33

Shocking weather, injuries at training, things we had to put up with before we even ran out onto the ground vs. the second placed Croydon. We had 7 changes i think from the week before and the boys were asked to play different roles for the sake of the team. As usual this wasn't a problem and we applied ourselves to a tough 4 qtr performance before we managed to break the game open. It was very gutsy by the boys as we managed to kick 2 goals against the breeze the only goals for the day at that end of the ground. it was a very even performance and once again we were only as strong as our 24th player, but the strength of the group at the minute is our willingness to work for each other. it was pleasing to have senior players like Whitten, Bakens and Grasser and I commend the boys on their attitudes as they were first class leaders. Better players were Jarrod GOLBY, animal HOGGETT, rowdy HIGGINS, and many others. We are currently two games clear in top spot however we have a tough run home and none tougher than heading up to muddy Lilydale this week. With injuries and unavailability's constant all players will need to prepare themselves well, during the week, and for people that have been starved for opportunities in relation to match time there chance to play will be now. Let's continue to get better. Well done to Kelts and Rhys who were pretty bloody good on the weekend too? And whilst I am pumping up blokes, time for me to mention how bloody good our team manager is. Many thanks to Blizz and his part time helper Tim Golby, certainly makes my job a lot easier.

Knox 12-16-88 def Lilydale 7-6-48

Knox 9-6-60 def by Balwyn 10-10-70

With a challenging night at the selection table we fronted up to Balwyn with a committed bunch of lads but knowing we would be coming up against a team that was up and about. We battled in the first half, but as the game wore on we started to gain the upper hand. Unfortunately Balwyn had the breeze for 35 minutes in the 3rd qtr and we only had it for 19 in the last. We flew home late and just missed the points. Thanks, to the colts for loaning us 5 of his boys for the occasion. Better players were Keltie, Thorpe and Saunders. Scicluna, flip hunter O'reilly Mcgown all played significant roles in the game. Great to see a budding prospect coming out of the square in the last qtr plucking balls out of the air like they were beach balls.

SENIORS

Knox 10-10-70 def by Croydon 18-16-124

Knox 9-7-61 def by Lilydale 14-23-107

Knox 8-16-53 def by Balwyn 17-15-117

VETS

PLAYER PROFILE - FROM THE BENCH – A MINUTE WITH JYE SIGERSMA



Jumper No. 40
Nickname – Ziggy
Time at the Knox Football Club – 4 years
Favourite Football Team – Hawthorn
Job – Concreter

Your best attribute – My hair and my moves on the dance floor (I have more moves than a hooker in a whore house)

Favourite Football Moment – Colts grand final and kicking 6 goals in 12 minutes.

Favourite Football Trip Destination – Lorne

Funniest Bloke at the Club – Jarrod Golby

Favourite Food – Vietnamese

Favourite Drink – Anything that is alcohol based so then I can dance

Most embarrassing moment – being double dacked at lunchtime at school and not winning the school dance competition

Favourite Holiday Destination – Queensland

What women you would most desire as your girlfriend – Beyonce as then I can dance to her music, I have hips like a 12 year old, god I wish I was black

Who would you turn gay for – Roache, his body is a thrill wish he could dance though

PLAYER PROFILE - FROM THE BENCH – A MINUTE WITH SHANE SAUNDERS



Jumper No. 54

Nickname – Saundo

Time at the Knox Football Club – 13 years (includes junior years)

Favourite Football Team – Tigers

Job – Curator

Your best attribute – Well definitely not my height but my arms and good things come in small packages and I don't mean my groin area.

Favourite Football Moment – making finals in juniors and colts

Favourite Football Trip Destination – Coogee Bay.

Funniest Bloke at the Club – Dukes (he does not hang shit on me about my height)

Favourite Food – Nandos

Favourite Drink – Anything but alcohol, hate those presidents' pots

Most embarrassing moment – getting the ball kicked into my face, considering I only stand 4 foot tall and that's in heels

Favourite Holiday Destination – Mexico – they have shorter people there than me.

What women you would most desire as your girlfriend – Jennifer Hawkins

Who would you turn gay for – Slob especially after seeing his facebook photos and he is all oiled up

BBQ ROSTER

Guys we want to congratulate everyone so far with the assistance with all doing their bit on the BBQ roster, it has been a real winner for us at home games and please make sure we thank all players so far.

Organiser Andrew Tredrea ph 0413 89 00 40

		<u>10.45am</u>	<u>12.30pm</u>	<u>2.15pm</u>
Rd 15 Noble	R.Ransom M.Reyment	J.Smith J.Smith	L.Stanic A.Wheeler	T.Williams J.Rice
Rd 17 W. South	B.Ross J.Scicluna	P.Tredrea A.Whitten	M.Jordon D.Withers	S.Longstaff W. Collins

If you wish to swap with someone, you must organise it before the weekend your due to it, and advise **Andrew Tredrea. Ph 0413 89 00 40**

If your name is not on the list, don't worry, we will have another job for you.

We are getting growing interest in the mystery town so make sure you also check the website for the newsletter and don't be the person who misses out on their Thursday night dinner, don't forget to see either Nick Wheeler or Phil O'Shannassy with the correct answer and win a Thursday nights dinner compliments of the senior club.

Joel McGowan came forward last week with the winning town of **Pukapunyal** – he wins the free Thursday night dinner

This week jumbled town word – **citeersaank**

We have left the contact details of all our coaching staff available so if you know of anyone looking for a game of footy or a transfer then please contact the guys listed below

Coaches

Senior coach: Stuey Wynd 0419 568 063 snhwynd@bigpond.com

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Tony(chucky)Aiello 0410 747 725

Greg Krenn 0407 522 134 gktravel@bigpond.net.au

To all Players fees are due now so please see Heather McLeod for payments; also do not forget that players need to obtain a player sponsor for themselves

PLAYER SPONSORSHIP – We still have a few outstanding players who are chasing sponsors, please make sure you let Nick Wheeler know once you have a sponsor, he will be chasing you for one, if now sponsor then you will be unavailable for selection

Seniors - \$100

Colts - \$50

FALCONVIEW