



Sunshine Baseball Club



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EAGLES NEWS ~ VOL 13



January 29th 2018

Greetings everyone and welcome to Vol 13 of our Eagles News for season 2018-2019, the month of January has started of well and after this week, the majority of all of our teams will be back in action to see out the rest of the summer season.

SENIOR TEAMS UPDATE

The seniors teams have been battling away and we are pleased to report that our first nine won the series over Sandringham and have started of well winning their first game of 2 in the series against Melbourne. Our Seconds are in a bit of a rut at the moment, but with 3 games to go, there is still time for them to redeem themselves and to finish off the season on a high note. The Thirds are the surprise packet this season and under the influence of Gavin Fischer, they are proving to be worthy opponents each week. The Fourths have had a reasonable season to date and racked up more wins than loses and will be looking to finish off another fine season. Our Masters are sitting comfortably in 2nd place on the league lead and will no doubt feature the final series when it comes around.

JUNIOR TEAMS UPDATE

The juniors teams are all doing us proud as they all continue in their fine young careers. From our youngest in the Tee and Rookie Ball, to our Little Leaguers, our Intermediate and Senior League kids, our future is in good hands. The Tee and Rookie ball kids start back on Feb 5th, our Little League teams (Hawks-Falcons-Vultures) start training tonight and have their first game this Friday, along with the Intermediate teams (Raptors-Condors). Our Sunday All star teams are already back into it and are all making our club very proud indeed.

OFF-FIELD UPDATE

The next 2 months will be a couple of the busiest for off-field activities, as the committee and volunteers will be working hard behind the scenes to bring you the following activities and events: Flyers will be prepared for all events, but in the meantime, please see page 3.

JUNIOR EVENTS AND DATES

- FEB 20TH - JUNIOR BAREFOOT BOWLS AT DEER PARK CLUB
- FEB 26TH - TEE AND ROOKIE BALL PRESENTATION NIGHT
- MARCH 1ST - ALL U12s TEAMS PRESENTATION NIGHT
- MARCH 15TH - U14s / U16s TEAMS PRESENTATION NIGHT
- MARCH 17TH - WINTER SEASON TRY OUT & REGISTRATION DAY
- MARCH 31ST - BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLE FUNDRAISER

SENIOR EVENTS AND DATES

- FEB 3RD - HERITAGE ROUND AT MELBOURNE BASEBALL CLUB
- FEB 7TH - SENIOR BAREFOOT BOWLS AT DEER PARK CLUB
- FEB 23RD - \$1000 DRAW NIGHT WITH GUEST SPEAKERS
- MARCH 6TH - CASINO NIGHT/BUS & DINNER AT CROWN CASINO
- MARCH 23RD - SENIOR & U18s PRESENTATION NIGHT

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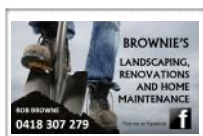
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JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP DRAW FOR JANUARY

January Prize: Heritage Caps



JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP No:



Prizes will be drawn each month for the above team categories

WINNERS

- Tee Ball:** Ainslie Harris
Rookie Ball: Sebastian Arnold
Falcons: Harrison Davis
Vultures: Marcus Misfud
Hawks: Elessio Piperno
Raptors: Marcus Sama
Condors: Elliot Fischer
U16s: Harvey Browne

100-200-500 CLUB DRAW FOR JANUARY

January Prize:



WINNERS

- 100 CLUB**
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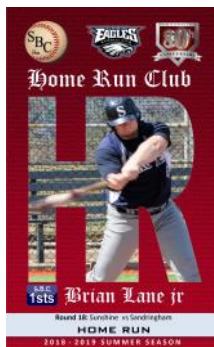


SUDSY AWARDS

Congratulations to our two recent recipients of the coveted Sudsy Award. Both Jeremy and Brian were very worthy winners and can both be very proud of the acknowledgment for their on-field efforts.



HOME RUN CLUB



Top hit Brian, congratulations !!

SIXTEEN 23 PARTICIPANTS



Well done to Nicholas Kain and Bud Murphy for participating in the SIXTEEN 23 program that was held in January. The program was run and coached by the most talented and knowledgeable Australian and American Aces players, with our own Allan De San Miguel being one off them.

Well done boys, no doubt the experience has served to develop your baseball skills further and has made you both better players, we are all very proud of you both !!

JUNIOR REPS AND TRIALS

Our players who were selected for the Charter Player Development program will start their 10 week training sessions this Sunday. At the completion of the sessions, depending on their skill level and performance, players will be then selected for the Twins teams to represent our Charter in the Tournament in Knox on April 11th to 13th. Good luck and all the best to our players.

Trials for the Senior League team will take place this **Wednesday from 6.pm to 8.pm** at Williamstown Baseball Club and on **Saturday from 1.pm to 3.pm** at Williamstown also.

SENIOR LEAGUE (U16s) TRIALS THIS WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY AT WILLIAMSTOWN BC



TWINS TOURNAMENT DATES

06-08 APRIL - Senior, Junior and Intermediate Leagues - Venue: Geelong (Sat/Sun/Mon)
11-13 APRIL - Little league Major/Development/Minor - Venue: Knox (Fri/Sat/Sun)



THIS WEEKS GAMES

GAME DATE	TIME	SUNSHINE	OPPONENT	PLAYING	DIAMOND	GROUND NAME
3rd FEB	3.30PM	1STs - HERITAGE ROUND	MELBOURNE	AWAY		SURRY PARK, SURREY DRIVE, BOX HILL
3rd FEB	1.00PM	2NDs	MELBOURNE	AWAY		SURRY PARK, SURREY DRIVE, BOX HILL
3rd FEB	3.30PM	3RDs	MELBOURNE	HOME	MAIN	
3rd FEB	1.00PM	4THs	MELBOURNE	HOME	MAIN	
4th FEB	6.30PM	MASTERS	WERRIBEE GIANTS	HOME	MAIN	
GAME DATE	TIME	SUNSHINE	OPPONENT	PLAYING	DIAMOND	GROUND NAME / COMMENTS
3rd FEB	9.00AM	U18s SUNDAY	ESSENDON	HOME	MAIN	
3rd FEB	9.00AM	U16s SUNDAY	GEELONG	AWAY		PIONEER PARK, PIONEER RD, GROVEDALE
3rd FEB	9.00AM	U12s SUNDAY	ESSENDON	HOME	BACK	
1st FEB	6.00PM	U14s RAPTORS	SBC CONDORS	HOME	BACK	RAPTORS ARE THE HOME TEAM
1st FEB	6.00PM	U14s CONDORS	SBC RAPTORS	HOME		CONDORS ARE THE AWAY TEAM
1st FEB	6.00PM	SBC HAWKS	NEWPORT YANKEES	HOME	MAIN	
1st FEB	6.00PM	SBC FALCONS	WILLIAMSTOWN	AWAY		GREENWICH RSV, THE STRAND, W'TOWN
1st FEB	6.00PM	SBC VULTURES	WERRIBEE GIANTS	HOME	MAIN CNT	
DATE	TIME	SUNSHINE				
5th FEB	5.00PM	TEE/ROOKIE BALL	SKILLS AND GAME	HOME		
8th FEB	5.00PM	ROOKIE BALL	NEWPORT	AWAY		RESCHEDULED GAME DUE TO WASHOUT AT NEWPORT IN DEC