# 2019 YEAR BOOK

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# PRESIDENT'S REPORT



Season 2019 is over, and our great football club, the oldest WAFL club in WA was able to maintain a strong presence and make a real impact in all grades of the WAFL competition and the Women's competitions.

Our Reserves team won a fantastic grand final (the first since 2014) and congratulations goes to Blake Arnold and all our Reserves playing and support group. Our league team under the leadership of first year coach Geoff Valentine did extremely well. Achieving finals, our boys were not disgraced and the memorable final at Joondalup against the WCE WAFL side was a game not to be forgotten, going down to the wire in what was to be veteran and club life member Andrew Strijk's final game.

Our Colts also did well and with the Futures Squads with great leadership from Ryan Lasscock and Casey Haw, our club has a very bright future. Young Koopah Todd won the Jack Clark Medal for the F&B in the Colts competition and two young guns (Jaxon Prior and Ben Johnson were drafted).

The Women's reserves team saw a few changes in 2019 with new coaching staff and game plan from Rebecca Boladeras and Edward Beck. They were unfortunate to miss out on finals; however, the season saw three players drafted into AFLW, including past Captain and F&B winner Ashton Hill (WCE) Ann McMahon (FFC) and Biancca Webb (FFC).

Our female Rogers Cup Team (Colts) had a great season finishing it off with some strong wins though no finals. Amy Franklin won the Rookie of the Year Award for the WAWFL competition and Emily Bennett and Biannca Webb played in the WA U18's State Team in both QLD and WA.

The club has in our senior coach Geoff Valentine, an outstanding and respected senior coach and leader. At the close of the season the board agreed to extend his contract as a sign of faith in him and his direction for the club. Along with Football Manager Steve Trewhella and the football department staff we have the core for a group of people that will forge success for the Falcons into the coming years.

The efforts by the board this season have been herculean. Halfway through the year we also managed the resignation of our then CEO Linda Hammersley, who we thank for her efforts managing thought the voluntary administration phase. Director Jimmy Caffieri stepped up to the plate and took on the interim CEO role pro bono. For this the board was very grateful. Along with assistance from finance director Sam Modica we have aimed for a balanced budget. However as reported we will make a loss in 2019, though this was not unexpected.

During the year the board formed a Football Committee under the chair of director Peter Cutler. Peter's connections to the past players from many eras and his work in oversight of the football affairs has been outstanding. We thank Peter and other co-opted committee members John Dimmer, Daniel Shadbolt, Geoff Valentine, Steve Trewhella, and Casey Haw.

The board divided its responsibilities with Paul Murray passionately taking on communications (and matchday MC) with great work provided by former player Cameron Branch in social media. Two business forums with the Hillarys and Joondalup business coteries were held with speakers Basil Zempilas and Dennis Cometti. Brett Raponi took on the Corporate Classic and membership areas and directed a concerted membership drive, kindly assisted by the Cardies Coffee Club. Ross Kelly ably fulfilled many liaison roles with the WAFC as well as sitting on the finance committee (thanks also goes to independent members Mark and Andrew Anderton). During the season Phil O'Donnell president of Whitfords Junior FC was co-opted to the board and he has made a strong contribution already.

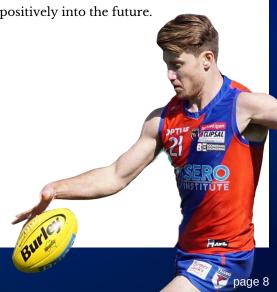
As it is well known in 2017 and 2018 the Club went through its most difficult period financially resulting in the Voluntary Administration issue, due to decrease in major sponsorship's and poor financial management. The Board reiterates that it is a three to four-year journey to get the club back on its feet financially. 2019 was the first year.

There were many off-field highlights through 2019. The Falcons Gala Dinner at the Italian Club hosted by Dennis Cometti where we celebrated the 70th, 50th and 20th anniversaries of the 1949, 1969 and 1999 Premierships was a brilliant night of nostalgia and fun. Premiership medallions were retrospectively presented and many great stories were told.

Our club took the challenge 25 years ago to move from its home at Leederville and grow the game in the northern suburbs. It has not been easy. The club still believes in the vision to be the powerhouse of growing AFL through community involvement and engagement in Joondalup and its surrounds. We have over 5,000 children and youth playing in our junior competitions and we have a huge population and commercial base to work with. In addition, we have been working hard to improve the situation with our landlord VenuesWest and though the relationship is much improved there is still much to be done on both sides to have a win-win situation.

I do wish to thank our very hard-working staff including Tracy Venner, Lis Fullbrook, Steve Trewhella, Casey Haw, Anthony Donetta, Sam Pantellis and Paola Zito. They have all made huge contributions. I trust you will continue to support us as our Great Club moves positively into the future.





Jim Caffieri

## CEO'S REPORT



The New Year brought with it some challenges as we recovered from the Administration period. We needed to regain faith with our Members and Sponsors as we moved towards the start of the new season.

In April Linda Hamersley resigned as CEO but continued to assist the club in a compliance role for the next 4 months which was greatly appreciated. Linda hasn't been lost to football as she accepted a job with the Western Australian Football Commission and we wish her all the best in her new role.

During May we started to think about how we could better use the terrace area to encourage members and guests to be involved at ground level by providing food and drinks while enjoying the football up and close. With the help of members from our WPWFC Trish and Tracy, Past Players Association members, Phil & Claire O'Donnell from Whitfords JFC and other volunteers we were encouraged by the support we received. The sausage sizzle and hamburgers were a A huge success, thank you to those who worked tirelessly at every home game to make this a success.

We had a very busy August as we celebrated the Anniversary of our 1949, 1969 and 1999 Premiership Teams. A special night was planned at the Italian Club with players from the teams and their families coming together to honour them. Medals were awarded to the 1949 and 1969 players or family representatives.

Dennis Cometti was our MC and we heard some great stories and interviews from our past players. We would like to thank Dennis Cometti, the Italian Club, QLS Caffi, Cardinal Lawyers and Keverk for sponsoring the evening and Maree Saracini and Murray McHenry for supplying the wine for the event. We look forward to celebrating future Premiership Anniversaries.

We successfully held a Major raffle, with first prize kindly donated by George Michalczyk's Motive Travel of a trip for 2 to Melbourne.

What a way to end last season...... all 3 men's teams making it through to the finals! The ultimate prize going to the Reserves who convincingly punished Claremont in the 2020 Grand Final. It was wonderful to see the camaraderie with the senior players supporting the Reserves team at Optus Oval. The celebration continued after the match back at our club rooms. It was a fantastic way to celebrate not only the Premiership win but the end of a successful on field performance for all our teams. It was a wonderful afternoon spent with family, friends and supporters. The feeling of unity in the room was great to see. We are family!

Congratulation to all the boys who played and those who supported them during the 2019 season.

I would like to thank our Heritage Committee for helping to make the Club Rooms feel more like our home. They have been hard at work hanging and displaying our memorabilia that has been in storage since moving from Leederville, so all our members can appreciate our club's rich history.

We held the Dominish and Breckler and Women's Fairest and Best Awards and Dinners at the Function Centre. A great time was had by all those who attended. I would like to congratulate our Breckler Medalist Tyler Keitel, Ennis Medalist Alec Johnson, Dominish Medalist Kooper Todd, Roger's Cup Fairest & Best Teal Bennett and Senior Squad Fairest & Best Katherine Bennett.

With the 2020 season fast approaching we look forward to the new plans we have for the Terrace Bar area. With the help of Venues West the installation of a permanent BBQ and bar area and eventually a roof will give us flexibility to use the area in all types of weather.

I would like to thank all our members, supporters and sponsors for their help and support of the club over the past season. We will continue working on building a strong culture with our District Clubs and bringing a sense of Community back to the West Perth Football Club. We look forward to seeing you all

back for Season 2020.

Jimmy Caffieri Interim CEO





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The West Perth Football club appreciates the committed support of our loyal, passionate and faithful members. Membership was strong again in season 2019 and we are fortunate to be surrounded by such fantastic supporters.



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Season 2019

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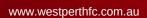
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# BOOMERANG ENGINEERING



Steve Trewhella

## MEN'S FOOTBALL



Season 2019 has seen significant change at the West Perth Football Club as well as the WAFL. The competition was expanded to include a tenth team with West Coast Eagles granted a license to join the WAFL, thus ending their alignment with East Perth FC.

Several quality players from our 2018 squad either retired or decided to continue their football careers elsewhere. Jay Van Berlo, Chris Keunen, Matt Guadagnin, Steve Potente and Max Alexandre all retired. Kody Manning transferred to East Fremantle and Luke Meadows decided to continue his football career in Victoria in his pursuit to find his way onto an AFL list. All up over 950 league games of experience and significant leadership had departed the senior list.

We welcomed in a new Senior Coach in Geoff Valentine who returned to the club he played for in the mid-nineties, including the 1995 Premiership. A key element of the success of the Men's Football Program in 2019 that resulted in our League, Reserves and Colts making finals has been the determination, dedication and unwavering diligence of Geoff who has been ably assisted by Jason Salecic (Assistant Coach), Matt Guadagnin (Assistant Coach), Ron Skender (Specialist Ruck Coach), Dylan Eiffler (Bench Coach), Corey Green (S&C Coach) as well as Blake Arnold (Head of Development), Phil Johnson (Development Coach) and Todd Steward (Development Coach).

Recruiting rucks and key position players to our club was a critical focus in preparation for the 2019 season and the club was pleased to be able to able to welcome Ben Delaporte from Wembley FC, Troy Yukich from Swan Districts FC, Noah Pegoraro from Kingsley FC and Sam Rotham returned after spending a season at Goomalling FC. Tom O'Donnell and Tom Medhat graduated to the Senior list from our Colts program further bolstering our key position stocks. It was pleasing that all these young men played league football during the 2019 season.

The club was also pleased to secure the signature of 2013 Premiership player Laine Rasmussen who returned after a two-year break from the WAFL. Laine's brand of football and his leadership proved to be significant as the season progressed. It was fitting that Laine was awarded the Wayne Dayman Medal as this season's most courageous player.





Throughout season 2019, West Perth fielded a relatively young and inexperienced team and managed to maintain a competitive edge. The league side finished the season in fifth place on the ladder with nine wins and nine losses. Several of our losses were by narrow margins including the 3-point Round 1 loss to Peel, The 16-point Round 3 loss to South Fremantle, the 10-point Round 8 loss to East Perth and the 4-point Round 20 loss to South Fremantle.

The last third of the season presented significant challenges, especially for our defence as regular league players Dean Munns, Laine Rasmussen, Noah Pegoraro, Ben King, Zac Guadagnin and Bailey James all suffered injury that prevented any continuity during this stage of the season. This did however provide opportunity for two emerging players for the future in Jaxon Prior and Ben Johnson to make their league debut's late in the season. Both were impressive stepping up from Colts into League football. Unfortunately, for Jaxon he suffered a broken hand in just his second league game and although he played out the game under duress displaying tremendous courage, his season was ultimately over.

Eight players earned their league debut's and all played their role and performed admirably. Most notably Noah Pegoraro who was recruited from Kingsley FC. Although Noah finished the season with 6 games due to injury he showed he will be a player for the future winning this year's Rising Star Award. Additionally, second year players including Connor West, Zac Guadagnin, Baylee James and Liam Tedesco where all able to add to their League games following their 2018 senior debuts.

Amid the disappointment of the League side being dispatched from the finals' series in the first week in September against West Coast Eagles by 3 points, our members should have great optimism for what the future holds. For anyone who witnessed our Reserves team winning the 2019 Premiership, this was an insight into our future. The average age of the team that bought home the Flag was just twenty years. The spirit and determination the team displayed over 4 quarters of football against an experienced and quality Claremont team and the internal belief that was installed into the young group was truly inspiring, especially when you consider we had been badly beaten by Claremont in the 2nd semi-final by 77points.

To Blake Arnold and his assistants Phil Johnson and Todd Steward, Captain Tom Boyes and the players that secured the 2019 Reserves Premiership it was a great reward for all the hard work over the season. Congratulations also to Conal Lynch who was awarded the Merv McIntosh Medal for the best player on Grand Final day. If ever one player deserves singling out for recognition it would be Drew Blurton for his selfless act, withdrawing himself from the Grand Final team prior to the game commencing due to calf soreness. It was a tough call by Drew who had been instrumental in the finals series in which he had displayed outstanding form throughout September. It was great to see Drew being presented with a premiership medal back in the rooms after the game in front of his teammates. Hopefully we all get to see Drew fulfill his goal and playing senior football in 2020 and beyond.

I extend my congratulations to Aaron Black and Shane Nelson for their selection in the 2019 WAFL State Team that played against South Australia. Incredibly it was the 6th time that both Aaron and Shane have represented Western Australia with distinction. Aaron for the second consecutive year was named as State Vice-Captain.

This season also bought the end of Andrew Strijk's career when he announced he would be hanging up his boots. Andrew has given outstanding service to the Club as well as football over 14 wonderful seasons. Andrew retires a Premiership Player, a Breckler Medalist, a three time Ray Scott Medalist (Club Leading Goal Kicker), a Bernie Naylor Medalist (as the WAFL leading goalkicker in 2018), a seven time State Representative for Western Australia and a West Coast Eagle, having played 13 senior games in the AFL. Andrew comfortably sits in the top echelon of champions in the history of the Club, having represented West Perth on 245 occasions. I wish Andrew and his wife Nicole and their family all the very best for their future together.

Congratulations to all the Award winners this year but it is worth singling out the outstanding individual seasons by Tyler Keitel (Breckler Medal), Alec Johnson (Ennis Medal) and Koopah Todd (Dominish Medal). Tyler strengthens a family bond within the Club's history following in the steps of his Uncle, Ron Skender who won a Breckler Medal in 2002. Alec Johnson backed up his stellar 2018 season when he won the Colts Fairest & Best Award to add the Reserves Fairest & Best to his football resume. We look forward to seeing Alec continue his growth into season 2020 and push for league selection. Koopah Todd also had an outstanding year. He was voted in as the Colts Captain and his stellar season resulted in Koopah also winning both the Jack Clarke Medal for the WAFL Colts competitions Fairest & Best Player. Koopah also made his senior debut in the Reserves Grand Final after Drew Blurton was a late withdrawal and contributed to the fantastic victory finishing his season with a Premiership.

Life Membership is one of the highest honors that can be bestowed on an individual at any Club and this season Shane Nelson joined the exclusive list when he played his 150th WAFL game in Round 15. Shane has been an outstanding footballer who has shown tremendous dedication and excellence in his craft over eight seasons in Senior football. I congratulate Shane on this achievement and we look forward to seeing Shane continue his stellar career in the seasons to come.

Finally, I would like to thank Peter Cutler (Director of Football) for his outstanding support, leadership and wisdom over the course of the season. Additionally, I would also acknowledge Linda Hamersley and Jim Caffieri for their efforts in the CEO role. Our Football Operations Coordinator Anthony Donetta and our Talent Manager Casey Haw have also delivered outstanding work and support during 2019 and I sincerely thankyou both for your dedication and commitment to the Club.

2020 is the beginning of a new decade. I'm excited for the challenge ahead and I urge everyone to get on board and support the Club in anyway you can.

Steve Trewhella General Manager - Football Operations







Geoff Valentine

## SENIORS COACH REPORT

The West Perth FC has always been about its people – its players, their families, its administrators, volunteers and supporters. It has had some amazing people as part of its fabric. People that have not only shaped the club but have shaped the game and the wider community. People like Mel Whinnen, Bill Dempsey, the late Polly Farmer, Dennis Cometti, Jeff Gieschen, John Dimmer. Great West Perth people. But right now, the West Perth FC is being shaped by a young, passionate playing group and it is a privilege to coach, mentor and support these quality people.

For me, football is less about the technical aspects of the game and more about who you are; what you represent; how you go about it. I posed these questions to the playing/coaching group pre-season in a couple of facilitated culture/leadership sessions in the pre-season. By the end of these session, we had a trademark - We are the W.P.F.C

W - for West Perth

P - for Premierships.

F - for Family.

C - for Culture.

W is for West Perth. A club that has its origins from 1885 and has celebrated 19 premierships at League level. A club that is such a special thing for so many people. A club that has continually found a way to rise up and compete for Premierships when others have bottomed out and languished there.

P for Premierships: It's what we do – we win flags. Sunday 22 September 2019, what a Grand Final win that was!! The Claremont reserves team had been beaten just the one time throughout the season and beaten us by 98 & 77 points in our last 2 clashes. To the 23 lads who delivered the Club that flag and the joy and pride that those in attendance and those following the scores on-line felt, we tip our hats and thank you. It was a truly remarkable win. The coaching performances of Blake Arnold, Todd Martin & Phil Johnson were as good as any you'll get, at any level. Going into that game, we all knew that we were a big chance to cause the upset – your capacity to set up the finals campaign, to develop the plan, to sell belief and then to execute on the big stage was elite. The input of Jason Salecic, Matt Guadagnin, Prouty & Corey Green should also be acknowledged and applauded.

Great victories like that are invariably built on the strength of the leaders on the ground. We were blessed to have some great leadership from the boys who had played League football this season, but none stood taller, none cracked in harder than Tom Boyes. Tom came of age this finals campaign and has set his 2020 season up exceptionally well.

F is for Family: It's what we are about – it's about the West Perth Family; bringing people in. Giving them the sense of belonging that comes with family.

The highlight of the season was that Grand Final afternoon when I gave myself a few minutes to stand back and gaze around the room. It was full of families sharing a special day with their sons, their brothers and his mates. There was a genuine feeling of belonging in the room and I felt so very proud to be a part of it. But we don't need a premiership celebration to host your family and friends. Invite them into the West Perth family. Let us put our arms around them too.

I would like to congratulate those players and their partners that have started their own family unit this season – to Laine Rasmussen & Laara who welcomed Sully in May; to Blake Wilhelm and Meghan who welcomed Ruby; to Andrew Strijk and Nicole who welcomed Isabella; to Drew Blurton and Shania who welcomed Laearni.

I'd like to thank the families of the coaching staff who sacrifice so much during the footy season. To Alanna Arnold, Katie Salecic, Natalie Trewhella and Karly Guadagnin – your support and understanding has been greatly appreciated. And I would certainly like to thank my own wife, Vinny and daughters Talietha, Rhani & Lemarna for their love and support.

C is for Culture: It's how we go about it. We know that the little things really are the big things. We know that this great club has been able to punch above its weight because of the cultural threads that bind us together.

For me, culture is what you see, feel and hear around the playing group. It's the customs and rituals that are passed on from one playing group to the next. It's what makes this club great. We, the players and the coaches, know that we are simply custodians of the jumper. We know that our time will pass in due course and that it is our responsibility to ensure that the jumper is in better shape when we hand it on. We know that it's a privilege to wear the Red and Blue jumper in a WAFL match. We know and appreciate that for every team that takes the field, there's an army of volunteer support staff that work tirelessly to make that opportunity happen.

If not underpinned by appropriate behaviours, the 'We Are the W.P.F.C' trademark can simply represent words on a wall. The behaviours that we link to high performance are – United, Professional, Relentless.

United: If ever there was an example of the scope for unity to influence performance it was this Reserves Grand Final. The 35 senior boys who weren't playing had a massive influence on that game without touching the ball. By turning up in full uniform, by sitting in such a tight formation, by generating such noise they made a clear statement that they were 100% there for the boys who were playing. There is no doubt that it lifted those boys to a higher level of performance while at the same, deflated the Claremont boys who were left wondering where their league boys were.

A similar example of what great Unity looks like came with Drew Blurton's decision to withdraw from the team about 45minutes before bounce-down. Drew had been one of our best players during the final series and we were really keen for him to play; but he knew that his calf injury would stop him from playing his role for the team. Selflessly, he stepped aside for Koopah Todd to come in for his first game of senior football.

That Drew and the other emergencies who missed out (Kurt Hindmarsh, Brayden Templeton and Fraser Foley) wholeheartedly supported Koopah and the team epitomises the Unity within this playing group. There is great strength and genuine care in the relationships in the group.

Professional: The professionalism of any Football Department starts at the top. And for us, that's with Director of Football, Peter Cutler, General Manager of Football Operations, Steve Trewhella and Football Operations Coordinator, Anthony Donetta. Your work ethic, professional standards and wise counsel have been a great example for all in the Football Department and I have truly appreciated your support and friendship.

Our medical team headed up by Physiotherapist Aaron Thomas, Dr Greg Smith and Dr Rhys Daniel and Head Trainer Maddie Simon sets a professional standard that is best practice in the WAFL. The work of Corey Green and all his staff at The Athletic Institute provides our entire squad with the necessary foundation for elite athletic performance. There is no more a passionate or professional approach than the way Corey goes about his work.

To the playing group, your commitment to your craft and this club has been professional & inspiring. We recorded some significant achievements things this season but the end of season reviews have highlighted a clear need and strong desire to improve the consistency of our training standards – at the end of the day, finishing 5th was an accurate reflection of our season. We weren't good enough for long enough. We bridge that gap by consistently training which a sharp focus and a strong competitive purpose. I'm looking forward to driving the standards that will underpin a deep run in September 2020.

Relentless: When you start the season at 0-4, all sorts of elaborate theories emerge as to what needs to be done to turns things around. But generally, the key is to stay connected and to simply approach things in a relentless manner. One of the great strengths of this playing group, of this club, is that we are relentless if nothing else. From that position the league team was able to secure a home final (albeit with some good fortune) and our relentless spirit was there to see for everyone who watched that game. We withstood a physical onslaught from a bigger, stronger West Coast team, held steadfast as they repeatedly banged the ball inside their forward 50 and we relentlessly went at the game. We clawed our way back into the game and with less than a minute to go we looked like we might even pinch the victory. It wasn't to be, but our relentless spirit could not be denied.

Finally, I'd like to thank the Board for the opportunity to coach this great Club and the players, coaches, office and support staff for their tireless efforts. I trust everyone has had a safe and enjoyable off-season and I look forward to charging into the 2020 season.

Should old acquaintance be forgot, keep your eye on the red and the blue.

Geoff Valentine - Senior Coach







## Blake Arnold

## RESERVES COACH REPORT

I would firstly like to thank the West Perth Football Club for again giving me the opportunity to coach this year, my role has been thoroughly enjoyable and this has been made possible by our fantastic group of players, coaches and support staff.

The most appealing part of the role for me is consistently based around development, working with our top end talent transitioning from our Colts program, Community and Country football into our Senior program.

Before I go too much in to the detail I want to call out our development coaches Todd Stewart and Phil Johnson, they are both hard working and passionate in their involvement of our program and it would not have worked without their support. In addition to this the support from the coaching staff and players allowed the program to run smoothly and no doubt assisted in fast tracking the development of our young players. This clearly translated to a more consistent range of performances throughout the season from the Reserves Team.

The 3 core objectives of the Development program were;

- 1. Transitioning the players to our senior program
- 2. Development of skill and game plan knowledge
- 3. Preparing the players for the requirements & rigors of League football

We want to give these young men the best opportunity to develop both on and off the field as players and people. A couple of 200 gamers would be nice too....Of the 25 young players in this group, all were exposed to Reserves football and Geoff was able to reward 8 players with a senior debut across the course of the season. In addition to this we saw continued development of last year's debutants including Connor West, Liam Tedesco and Zac Guadagnin. The reserves group were also exposed to 4 finals games, again this will assist in the development of the group moving forward.

The 2nd part of my role was our Reserves coach and what an amazing ride that turned out to be. This culminated in the unbelievable experience for our young group playing on Grand Final day at Optus Stadium. This was made even sweeter when we were able to defy all the odds and beat a heavily talented Claremont side. This turned the tables on 2 previous heavy defeats in the 6 weeks prior including a 77 point smashing in the 2nd Semi final 2 weeks earlier. I have never seen a more focused and hungry group of players who left it all out there and executed the plan to a tee. On Grand Final day our average age was 20.1 years, this puts the senior squad in a strong position moving forward.



The highlight for me on Grand Final day, in addition to the result obviously was the unity shown by our entire playing group (all kitted out in match day attire and ready to roll from the first bounce). On a day we needed everything to go right, their support, investment and ability to create such a great atmosphere was amazing. There was probably 2000 people in the stadium but it sounded like 20,000 and I have absolutely no doubt, it carried us across the line. These blokes just cared so much, there is no other club like it, anywhere. What a day.

You only have to look at the experienced senior players that played in our 2014 Reserves Premiership to know the future is bright. Blake Wilhelm, Corey Chalmers, Ben King, Trent Manzone, Brayden Antonio and Kris Shannon all played on that day. It's exciting to see who our next bunch of players establishing themselves in the League side will be. In addition to this, the strong season culminating in a preliminary final appearance from our 2019 Colts, clearly outlines the future talent currently involved in our club. We should all look forward to the opportunity to welcome another strong group into the senior program in 2020. Well done to all involved in Colts program led by Talent Manager, Casey Haw and Head Coach, Ryan Lasscock.

The senior playing group, led by Aaron Black & Blake Wilhelm. You are such a tight knit group and to see the interactions around the club shows the genuine care you have for each other. I know the members and supporters are extremely proud of your efforts as are all of those involved at the football club. To David Prout, Louie Da'damo, Gavin Lambert, Ray Garcia, Matt Dobson & Daniel Shadbolt, your contribution has been extremely valued this year and to see your joy and jubilation on Grand Final day was amazing. To Corey Green, Aaron Thomas, Maddy Simon and their teams, both S&C and Medical, no way would the players be able to compete the way they do without your efforts, so thanks very much. Steve Trewhella & Anthony Donetta, again you guys have been super all year and the support for the reserves and development program is much appreciated. To our senior assistants, Jason Salecic, Matt Guadagnin, Ron Skender & Dylan Eiffler thanks for the support and guidance for our Development program.

To Geoff Valentine, such a passionate person who cares so much for his players and staff. It was a rocky start going 0-4 but your commitment never waivered and the foundations are clearly there for sustained success moving forward. Your on-going support throughout the season has ensured my continued development as a coach and person.

Finally, to my family, Alanna, Jesse & Mikayla, thanks for your ongoing support in allowing me to be heavily involved in this great club, It is a huge commitment and I appreciate everything you sacrifice for me to fulfill the role. Love you guys.

Just one big final thanks to all the sponsors, members, volunteers, supporters and those involved both on and off the field for your support and commitment in 2019. Look forward to seeing you at the footy in 2020.

It's a Grand Old Flag

Blake Arnold







# Ryan Lasscock COLTS COACH REPORT

The West Perth Football Club Colts programme focuses on developing our talented young footballers both on and off the field. Our programme works to develop on field skills and strategy, the leadership qualities of our players, resilience through feedback and accountability, and to build a culture of support and care for all members of our community.

Our 2019 season proved to be a very successful year for the Colts Programme, both on and off the field. However, this is largely due to the planning and persistence, through hard work by many over the past two years to develop our standards and maintain consistent behaviors to a point where it translated to on field success.

#### On field

The Colts finished the regular season with nine (9) wins and seven (7) losses, finishing the regular season third (3rd) on the ladder. Pleasingly, we were competitive in every game, with our biggest losing margin for the season being 21 points. This result meant the Colts Squad qualified for our first finals series since 2015. This is only our second qualification since 2002.

As a squad, the feeling in the rooms after the first Semi-Final win over East Perth was an experience we won't forget in a hurry.

Unfortunately, we lost to Claremont, the eventual premiers, in the Preliminary Final. Finals experiences, knowing and feeling the highs and the lows, will definitely assist with our development, and it was a fabulous opportunity for our players to experience playing in three finals, and our coaching squad will look to leverage this experience to assist with our development moving forward.

As a coach, this role definitely has its hard moments. One of the more pleasing aspects of our role is telling a young man he is going to make his debut for the WPFC. In 2019, we had 19 players play their first game for the West Perth Football Club at this level.

This year we had five (5) players selected in the WA State 18's program. Congratulations to Jaxon Prior, Ben Johnson, Ryan Hudson, Zak Patterson, and Heath Chapman. WA played some great football over the carnival and were able to win the Championships with a thrilling win over Vic Country in the final game.

Every year the WAFL selects a Colts Team of the year. Well done to Koopah Todd, Ty Hindmarsh, Heath Chapman, Jaxon Prior and Ben Johnson on their selection in this team. A great reward for their efforts at Colts level in 2019. 5 players was the most from any side this year.

The relationship between the Colts program and the Senior Program is an important one at any WAFL Club. We are very lucky at West Perth to have the support of Senior Coach Geoff Valentine, General Manager of Football Operations Steve Trewhella, Reserves Coach Blake Arnold and all of the Senior playing list.

Additionally, during the season four (4) players from the Colts programme were selected to play senior football. Ryan Hudson played in the Reserves in Round 15 against East Perth. Jaxon Prior made his League debut in Round 17 against East Fremantle. Unfortunately, a broken hand the following week against Claremont saw his season come to an untimely end. Ben Johnson debuted in Round 19, he played two games, against the eventual grand final sides, and demonstrated some real promise. Our Colts Captain, Koopah Todd was selected to play in the

Reserves Grand Final and played his role well, to help them defeat a powerful Claremont team to win a Premiership in his first senior game for West Perth. This capped of an amazing week for Koopah, as six days earlier he was announced as the winner of the Jack Clarke medal as the Fairest and Best player in the WAFC Colts Competition for 2019.

#### **Coaching Staff**

At West Perth, we have one of the best coaching staffs in the Colts competition. Adam Radici (Backline), Tom Moscarda (Midfield) & Rob Wass (Forwards) worked throughout the season and did an amazing job with the players. They were assisted by Development Coaches Dean Smith, Jay Carroll and Paul Cox. This season Bruce Bennett returned as our Skills Coach, and I can't thank him enough for his efforts over the year. I ask a lot from our coaches, they are an incredibly collaborative team, and they worked hard week in week out to

#### Support Staff

have our players ready to play a good quality of football.

At West Perth, we are very lucky to have quality people in all areas of our programme. Bryce Williamson runs our Strength & Conditioning program. His tireless work to implement a quality program that is individualised to each player, is the best in the business. Bryce had some great support from Renton Laird, Nhat Vu and everyone at The Athletic Institute. Nathan Stephens, Alex Styan and Jess Fordham have worked to create an amazing Medical team. We are very lucky to have a physiotherapist, sports trainers and other support staff at every training session and game. Their care for our players and the program is evident for everyone to see and very much appreciated. Chris Erikson returned as our Team Manager and kept me on time and out of trouble during the breaks. Thanks again Chris. It was great to have former WPFC Colts Coach and current Fremantle AFLW Assistant Coach Craig Thomas back at the Club. Craig was our runner and assisted with our Leadership group. Craig was joined by Jason Todd as team of two runners.

#### **Family**

A big thank you to all the parents, partners, children, siblings, girlfriends, boyfriends of anyone involved in WPFC Colts programme. It is a massive commitment by all players, coaches and support staff to be involved in this program, and without your continued support, we wouldn't be able to do the things we need to do to produce good people and good footballers.

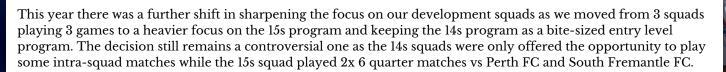
Last but not least, none of this can happen without quality at the top. Casey Haw works tirelessly and brilliantly to consistently create the best Development Program in the WAFL. His love and commitment to this programme is clear to see, and it has been a privilege to work with you over the past three years. Finally, I would like to thank Liz & Harper. Thank you for letting me do this. Your love and support (and advice) is greatly appreciated. Cheers

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## DEVELOPMENT' REPORT



The 15s program was far more intimate with a focus on preparing the players for the 2020 WAFL Futures (16s) Carnival. Again we were able to engage with all Junior Community Clubs and Schools to ensure we selected the very best talent in our zone. There were over 120 players who began in late June and continued through to the October school holidays.

With over 20 coaching and support staff who were committed to the development and welfare of the players, each player was better equipped to make improvements to their football through training, education S&C and other important life skills. It was fantastic to see how far the players came along in just a short period of time. Some best performing players include:

14s
Best Club Person- Noah Vanderviel
Rising Star- Cooper Smith
Encouragement Award- Taj Singh
MVP- Jake Kennedy
15s
Best Club Person- Jake Rundle
Rising Star- Luke Michael
Encouragement Award- Daniel Mann
MVP- Nate Dimanlig



Country Development (Yilgarn Falcons)

The Yilgarn Falcons continues to provide opportunities for young men from our country zone to be exposed to WAFL football and the West Perth Football Club. The program Based out of Merredin was this year coached by former Falcon Tom O'Brien and assisted by Sam Dawson. The two coaches have a wealth of football knowledge and are great role models for the region as they both teach at Merredin High School and play for one of the local teams in Nukarni. They were again supported by Paul Reid, the Wheatbelt Regional Development Manager who helped administer the program. The program was lucky enough to feature visits from Ryan Lasscock (Colts Coach), Koopah Todd (Colts Captain), Ash McKeown (Futures Coach), Geoff Valentine (Senior Coach), Mick Ablett (WAFC Pathways Manager) and Tony Micale (WAFC Talent Coaching Coordinator). Together with all this support we were able to further reinvigorate the program, having an impact on more young players from the region than ever before.

We were fortunate enough to play 2x triple header matches against Perth metro-based development squads, which the Yilrgan players performed exceptionally well. The highlight of the program was again our overnight camp at the fantastic facilities at Joondalup Arena along with an exclusive tour of Optus Stadium.

We acknowledge the challenges the players and their families face in terms of time, distance and costs which is why it was pleasing to see 35 players actively engaged with the program.

Unfortunately, the departure of former Futures Head Coach Luke Tedesco to South Fremantle meant the net was cast to find his successor. Ash McKeown (Former Colts assistant and Ocean Ridge AFC Head Coach) was appointed in the top job supported by Craig Wilson, Steve Hazell, Paul Downer, Daniel Rowe, Matt Davis and Damian Verazzi. The program was revamped in 2019 to align more with the Colts program playing more games across the season, right up to July. Additionally, Clubs were also given the opportunity to play a select few 17 year-olds should they fit some certain development criteria.

Playing 10 games winning 6 and remaining really competitive in the other 4 it was certainly the most successful 16s programs in recent times. A whopping 9 players were in the mix for State 16s selection with 4 making the final Squad. 10 players were also given the opportunity to train with the Colts at the back end of the year which will set them up for season 2020.

Ash and his team were clearly able to get the most out of their players, they handled the inclusions on Country/PSA players really well and shielded the group from other issues that can arise from players in these age groups. Again, this program continues to show the successful closing of the gap between Community Football and WAFL Colts. The players were exposed to an elite football environment which allowed for growth and maturity. The players represented the West Perth Football Club in a professional manner giving us confidence the Club's playing future is in a good position for years to come. Some top performers in the Futures program include:

State 16s Squad Lochlan Paton, Isaac DeMarte, Zac Fliener, Sav Marafioti Best Clubman- Liam Benaquista Rising Star- Taj Hazell Runner Up B&F- Aiden Nelson Best & Fairest- Jack DeMarte

#### Development Squads

We would like to acknowledge Steve Hazell, Craig Wilson and Ben Horgan along with their Assistants and support staff who did a fantastic job with our 14s and 15s Development Squads. The results both on and off the field were really pleasing and it was one of the smoothest run development programs in recent times.

#### Colts & Junior Football Highlights

- 6 players selected in the WA State 18s squad
- 4 players selected in the WA State 16s squad
- Heath Chapman selected in the National All-Stars (U17s) match on the MCG on AFL Grand Final day
- 4 players selected in the WA State School Boys (15s) squad
- Best performing team at the WAFL Colts Combine testing day (1st Yo-yo, 1st Agility, 2nd 20m Sprint & 2 nd Vertical Jump)
- 2 Colts players making their League debut (Jaxon Prior & Dhnson)
- 2 Colts players making their Senior debut (Ryan Hudson & Damp; Koopah Todd)
- Les Fong (16s) Futures had their most successful season on-field with 6 wins
- Colts finished 3rd on the ladder, playing finals for the first time since 2015 and playing in a
- preliminary final for the first time since 2002
- 5 players selected in the Simply Energy WAFL Colts Team of the Year (Heath Chapman-CHB, Ben
- Johnson-BP, Jaxon Prior-HB, Koopah Todd-Mid, Tyron Hindmarsh-Int)
- Ben Johnson drafted with pick 58 to the West Coast Eagles
- Jaxon Prior drafted with pick 59 to the Brisbane Lions
- Koopah Todd won the Jack Clarke Medal (WAFL Colts B&F)

# FALCONS IN THE COMMUNITY





Gilba Downs Camp in York was the scene for a two-day pre-season camp for the Falcons in February. Thanks to the financial support of Kevrek Australia and the O'Neil family the entire senior squad and the coaching staff was able to participate in a range activities designed to

build team work, leadership and enable the players and coaches to get to know each other on a more personal level. The Camp was facilitated by Karly & Matt Guadagnin (both elite sporting coaches) who challenged the group both physically and mentally over the weekend with activities around the farm as well as visits to the town centre where the players where able to train on the football ground and swim at the aquatic centre.





AFL JLT Community Series - The Club hosted an AFL Pre-season Game between Fremantle Dockers FC and Collingwood FC on 4 March at Joondalup Arena. Dennis Cometti was in attendance to host Collinwood Senior Coach Nathan Buckley and former Falcon and Collingwood Assistant Coach, Justin Longmuir at the luncheon which was well attended by local football fans. Nathan and Justin gave terrific insights into life inside the AFL and spoke about the highs and lows of football including the 2018 Grand Final loss to West Coast. Once the game started it was a terrific contest and when the final siren sounded it would be the Magpies who would prevail by 27 points in front of 5,245 people.

Final Scores Collingwood FC 17.9 (111) d Fremantle FC 12.12 (84).





ANZAC Day — The Club hosted Swan Districts FC in the 2019 ANZAC Round as we remembered those Australian and New Zealand Army Corps men and women who served their country in the military displaying courage, mateship and perseverance during war times. Prior to the League game. The ANZAC march which was followed by the playing of The Last Post and a minute silence to remember all of those who served and those who never returned





Education Abroad Network – the Club was proud to continue its partnership with the Education Abroad Network in 2019 hosting four international students over the course of the season.

Justin Dore (University of Rhode Island) joined the team

in February and returned home in May. He was followed McCarthy & Madison Barber (all from James Madison who arrived in June and returned home in August. The work placements with our Sports Medical Team. under

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by Katie McCoy, Megan University in Virginia) students completed the leadership of



Physiotherapist Aaron Thomas and our Head Trainer Maddy Simon. The students were a valued addition to our team showing commitment and a willingness to learn. During their placements they all managed to experience the Perth lifestyle and gain a knowledge of Australian Rules Football.



**NAIDOC Week** - celebrations are held across Australia each July to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. The week is a great opportunity to participate in a range of activities and to support local community.

This year the West Perth Football Club asked one of its current senior players in Drew Blurton to produce a design that represented the Falcons community and celebrated its Indigenous Culture. Drew collaborated in the project with Xavier Hayden-Dhurkay to produce our 2019-2020 NAIDOC Jumper. Everyone at the Club was proud of the result with the design telling the story of the Club's history, its indigenous players and all the members and supporters.





In the lead up to the Round 13 NAIDOC game against Perth Football Club the player group welcomed the great club champion, Bill Dempsey who attended training to talk to the players about the importance of NAIDOC. Dempsey shared his story including the many hardships and challenges he had to overcome during his life and the importance of inclusiveness, equality and community. It was an inspiring story and a great learning opportunity for our player group as part of NAIDOC

week.





Avner Foundation - this season our Club raised awareness and much needed funds for Pancreatic Cancer Research. Long time West Perth member Ryan Verge was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer some years ago and in the lead up to the Round 15 game against East Perth, Ryan attended training to address both the Senior and Colts teams to share his story about battling terminal illness. All three grades wore "Purple Socks" over the course of the day which delivered a stirring victory against our traditional rivals. Unfortunately, Ryan lost his battle with pancreatic cancer on September 26. Ryan leaves behind his wife Belinda and daughters Talia and Lily.





Regional Football — Our Club has a proud record in developing and servicing our regional communities through football. In 2019 several of our players and coaches made the journey to different regional towns to impart their knowledge and experience to our country zones located in the Central Wheatbelt and Eastern Districts Football Leagues. Our staff and players delivered football clinics to primary schools including Beacon, Bencubbin, Koorda, Mukinbudin, Nungarin and Trayning. Our Senior Coach, Geoff Valentine, Colts Coach Ryan Lasscock and Futures Coach, Ash McKeown provided specialist coaching to players and coaches across the regions through the Yilgarn program in Meridian and the Club was again proud to host the Landmark Country Week Championships at Joondalup Arena.



Our Club was involved in the **Sock it to Sarcoma** campaign raising much needed funds and awareness about Sarcoma which is a rare form of cancer. During our Round 17 clash against East Fremantle the players wore odd socks to raise awareness and the Club collected much needed donations from the crowd





Junior Club Week — The Falcons headed out to their Junior Clubs during the July Bye Week to coach and share their stories of their pathway from junior football to the WAFL. All up our Senior players attended nine different Clubs including Brighton, Joondalup-Kinross, Kingsley, Sorrento-Duncraig, Ocean Ridge, Quinns Districts, Waneroo, Whitfords and Yanchep reaching over 450 juniors aged between 14 and 17. It was a great experience for our Senior players to give some time back to their community clubs.





Auskick Gala Day – On the 11th of August approximately 1200 kids aged between 5 and 8 descended on MacDonald Park for the Annual Falcons District Auskick Gala Day. Our senior players where in attendance to ensure the kids had a fun packed event by running a range of activities, handing out prizes and promoting our game. It was a great opportunity for our players to give back to grass roots football and represent our Club in our local community. We look forward to seeing many of these boys and girls playing for the Falcons in the years to come.





Farmer Jacks & Westpac Junior Club Round — Our final home game for 2019 saw over 1500 junior footballers from our Junior District Clubs descend on Joondalup Arena to watch the Falcons take on the Bulldogs. The Junior Clubs participated in a parade prior to the league game and the kids received plenty of giveaways thanks to our sponsors Farmer Jacks Supermarkets and Westpac Bank.



## CONGRATULATIONS



John Loughridge entered the WA Football Hall of Fame in 2019. John played 136 games for West Perth between 1945 and 1950. He won the Fairest & Best Award on 3 occasions (1945, 1946 & 1949) and in 1946 was awarded the prestigious Sandover Medal after his stellar season. In the same year John won the Simpson Medal for his best on ground performance in the losing Grand Final against the undefeated East Fremantle team. John would eventually taste Premiership glory

when in 1949 West Perth defeated Perth to claim the Premiership Flag. In a non-professional era however, work commitments forced Loughridge to place family security before football and he retired at the age of 28 due to work commitments. Loughridge was not lost to football however, serving on the West Perth committee from 1952 to 1957 and intermittently as a broadcaster. He was awarded Life



Membership to the Club in 1955. Loughridge was also the driving force behind the Sandover Medallists' club, serving as its president until his early death from a brain tumor in 1981. He was only 58 and remembered by many as one of the game's great personalities and friends.



Former West Perth & Essendon Player and Football Administrator Ron Evans was inducted into the AFL Hall of Fame in 2019. Evans played 64 games for Essendon between 1958 – 1962 kicking 210 goals. In 1963 Evans moved to West Perth where he played 60 games between 1963 and 1965 kicking 271 goals. He topped Essendon's goalkicking in 1959 and 1960 and was West Perth's leading goal kicker in all three of his seasons at the Club. Evans also represented Victoria and Western Australia in State football playing 5 games for each state. Later in life Evans returned to the game and was an Essendon board member: from 1978-92 including a term as President from 1988-92). He then became an AFL Commissioner from 1993-2006 including Chairman of the AFL from 1998-2006.

WAFL Life Membership - Vic Carbone was awarded WAFL Life Membership at this season's WAFL Sandover Medal Count. Vic was recognized for his outstanding service to Western Australian football over nearly four decades. Vic has volunteered in numerous roles during his time at West Perth, the West Coast Eagles and the WA Trainers Association . Vic is still involved and is currently the League Team's Match Day Manager. The Award was recognition for one of the games truly great gentlemen.



Volunteer of the Year — Belinda Taylor was recognized for her outstanding service as a volunteer in the role of match day photographer. Since 2009, Belinda has braved the elements of rain, hail and sunshine to contribute to the club every week. She is diligent with her service and her work is always of the highest quality. Through her work she provides our players and fans with lasting memories throughout the season. On receiving the Award, Belinda shared her passion for photography and for her love of the Club.



KIA Mark of the Year – Club Captain Aaron Black has won just about every award there is to win in the WAFL and in 2019 Aaron added another to his list when he was awarded the KIA Mark of the Year for his screamer that he held in Round 3 against South Fremantle. For his efforts Aaron

received a \$5,000 cheque thanks to the KIA Motors.

TAB Touch Goal of the Year – West Perth took out the Quinella when Keegan Knott was awarded the 2019 Goal of the Year for his spectacular goal. Keegan is one of the premier forwards in the

WAFL and is no stranger to finding the goals and causing headaches for opposition defense. Keegan received a \$5,000 cheque thanks to TAB Touch.



BRISBAN



2019 AFL National Draft – Congratulations to Ben Johnson and Jaxon Prior who where picked up with picks 58 and 59 respectively at this years AFL National Draft. Ben is a Medium sized defender who showed elite speed and has a penetrating kick. Playing for Western Australia in their winning team in this year's 2019 NAB AFL Under-18 Championships, he averaged 13.5disposals. With an average of 23 disposals at Colts level Ben progressed to make his League debut in Round 19 against Subiaco.

Jaxon is a readymade defender who is able to not only intercept the ball, but has superb vision, skills and decision making. While other defenders are able to lock down, Prior is able to be creative in defence to hurt opposition zones. At the 2019 AFL Draft Combine, he impressed with his agility and running vertical

leap and he was a key member of the victorious WA U18 Championship team. Jaxon topped off a fine individual 2019 season when he was among five Falcons named in the WAFL Colts team of the year and like Ben progressed to League football making an impressive debut in Round 17.



2019 All Australian – Congratulations to Jack Darling who was selected at Forward Pocket. This is the first time Darling has made the All Australian side after a stellar season which netted in 54 goals in the home and away season. He added another 5 goals during West Coast's finals campaign finishing 2019 with 59 goals and took over the mantle as the Eagles' most dangerous forward. Darling was recruited by West Coast at Pick 26 in the 2010 National Draft. At the end of 2019 he sits on 196 AFL games with West Coast and has kicked 378 goals.



## **PAST PLAYERS & OFFICIALS**

Congratulations to the coaching staff and players for the wonderful efforts with all grades reaching the finals. A special congratulations to the Reserves team who capped the year off with a stunning Grand Final victory. This year we have been able to assist the Club in a more financial capacity. Jim Cafferi was able with the assistance of Claire and Phil O'Donnell, to establish a food and drinks bar on the terrace adjacent to the Grandstand. The Past Players and Officials were asked to help man this facility at each of our home games. This proved to be a great success and my thanks go to the members who assisted and in doing so missed much of the action on the field.

We again ran a number of BBQ's for all grades and at the Presidents function for the sponsors. Thanks again to Sandy Hasler and Val Higgins for their sandwiches and to Joe and Tony Scarfo for their wonderful sausages. Once again thank you to the members who assisted throughout the year at the half time fellowship and with the sale of tickets at the gate raffle.

On the back of his work with our club and for his efforts in promoting the Combined Past Players and Officials, it was fitting that Roger Higgins was awarded the "Bernie Hughes Award" at the Combines Xmas Function". The plaque now bearing his name is in our possession for this year. Members of our group have once again been active with the "Heritage Committee" and you will notice more of our history on display around the walls of the clubrooms.

Congratulations to our Past Players and Officials award winners.

Blake Wilhelm (League) Conal Lynch (Reserves) Heath Chapman (Colts)

On a solemn note this year we acknowledge the passing of a great number of former players who have represented us on the field and their names together with years of playing and the number of games played are listed below:

Graeme Bernard Comerford 59 games Mervyn John Davis 22 games Michael Tony Dragun 2 games Graham Vivian Farmer 79 games Arthur Michael Freeman 31 games Leonard Thomas Harman 201 games Graham Stanley Heal 62 games George Leslie Kerr 28 games Thomas Barry Lawler 9 games Ronald McGrath 1 game Robert William Ptolomey 13 games John Andrew Shaw 17 games Harold Martin Wood 10 games

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### LIFE MEMBERS ASSOCIATION

Season 2019 showed the resilience, determination, camaraderie and talent within the player group and coaching staff with all three grades making the finals. It culminated in an amazing premiership to the Reserves team against a Claremont side which had taken all before them, losing only one game during the qualifying rounds and beating our lads by a total of 175 points in the previous two outings. Well done to the players, coaching staff and support staff in all three grades We look forward to a bright future with this group.

Another life member joins the coaching panel. Three-time Breckler Medallist Dion "Dizzy" Fleay returns after being posted to Kalgoorlie for seven years in his employment. During that period he coached Mines Rovers FC to four grand finals and two premierships. He will be a great asset, and joins our other life members in Jason Salecic, Matt Gaudagnin, Chris Keunen and Ray Bartholomew on the panel. Welcome back "Dizzy".

A Life Members Appreciation Day was held on 3rd August at the pre-game lunch at Joondalup against East Fremantle. The club reduced the cost of the lunch for life members and their wives/partners, and this was further reduced by way of a subsidy from the Life Members Association. The turn-out from life members was disappointing, considering we have a list of 89, but those who attended had a great day.

We have two new life members who received their awards at the December 2018 AGM. Kim Rigoll was club captain in 1999 and 2000, and three-times Breckler Medallist. The premiership under his captaincy in 1999 will be remembered for a courageous win over a star-studded South Fremantle side that was host club to the Fremantle Dockers.

The other recipient was Ray Garcia, who offered his services to the club in 1990 as a volunteer, and it's been a labour of love since then. He was the "runner" for the Colts and assisted in their recruiting and development programs. Ray is still currently involved as the league property manager and reserves property coordinator. Congratulations on your awards Kim and Ray.

After 34 years of service to football Vic Carbone is still collecting life memberships. He became a life member at West Perth in 1998, and prior to that he was awarded life membership of the WA Football Trainers Association, where during his duties as Secretary of that organisation he was instrumental in drafting their constitution. Added to that, Vic was recently awarded life membership of the WAFL at the Sandover Medal presentations evening in September 2019 for his services to the game since 1985. Over that time his dedication as a trainer, head trainer and league team manager involved around 700 games. Well done Vic!!

In July, dynamic possession accumulator Shane Nelson reached the milestone of 150 games for the club and attained life membership. His medallion will be presented to him at the AGM in February. Congratulations Shane, it's well deserved for your great service and contribution.

It's going to be strange not to see Andrew Strijk on the playing arena in 2020. The word "champion" fits him perfectly, and his showcase of talents and skills are something that the game at the next level seems to be short of these days. After 245 games with West Perth, 13 with West Coast and 7 appearances for WA, Andrew is hanging up the boots. He has made a massive contribution to the team and the club's successes, and we wish him, wife Nicole and family the very best in life after football.

By the time you read this it is hoped that a good deal of the club's memorabilia will be on display in our clubrooms. A reconvened Heritage Committee has been given the task of restoring, repairing and hanging the large volume of items by early March, just before the Marsh Community Series pre-season game at Joondalup between West Coast and Fremantle.

At the time of writing, Steve Trewhella has organised the repair, updating and hanging of some items including the large club honour board which is now fixed to the wall near the trophy cabinet. Darrell Kent has been donating his time repairing damaged frames and doing a great job, and hopefully the upgraded life members honour board should be displayed by the time this publication is received. The Association is pleased to be able to fund the restoration of the honour board. Thanks to Pieter Haverhoek for his assistance during 2019 and his continued support in keeping the life members group together. We wish all Falcons a prosperous New Year, and great success both on and off the field in 2020. We look forward to your support.

Bill Spittles - Life Members Association

# STATE TEAMS



This year Western Australia hosted South Australia on the 12th of May at Optus Stadium. West Perth had two players represent the State in Aaron Black and Shane Nelson. Aaron for the second consecutive year was named as Vice-Captain. It was an enthralling hard-fought contest and a high standard of football played between the two states with both Aaron and Shane playing with distinction in their 6th State appearance each. Unfortunately, the home side went down by a narrow margin of just 7 points after some errant kicking in front of goals. The final scores were WA 13.15 (93) lost to SA 16.4 (100).

Congrats to our Simply Energy State 16s & 18s representatives: Michael Mallard (Wanneroo Junior Football Club (official)), Lochlan Paton JETS Joondalup Kinross Football Club JKJFC), Heath Chapman (JKJFC), Jaxon Prior (Sorrento Duncraig Junior Football Club), Ryan Hudson (Kalannie, Western Australia), Ben Johnson (Whitford Junior Football Club (WJFC)), Zak Patterson (JKJFC), Zac Fleiner (Quinns Districts Junior Football) and Isaac DeMarte (Kingsley Junior Football Club)









Eight players made their league debuts with West Perth in 2019.

Congratulations to the following players who made their League debuts with the Club in Season 2019.



# MILESTONES



Congratulations to the following players who achieved milestones game during Season 2019.

50 WAFL Games Dean Munns (Round 8)

50 WAFL Games Keegan Knott (Round 20)

100 WAFL Games Michael Lourey (Round 19)

100 WAFL Games Kris Shannon (Elimination Final)

150 WAFL Games Shane Nelson (Round 15)

250 Senior Games Andrew Strijk (Round 2)



# FAIREST & BEST AWARDS





Congratulations to the following players:

#### **LEAGUE**

Breckler Medallist Tyler Keitel

Runner-up Blake Wilhelm

Past Players & Officials' Award

3rd Place Aaron Black Ken Ashdown Memorial Award

Best Clubman Kris Shannon

Rising Star Noah Pegoraro

Most Courageous Player Laine Rasmussen Wayne Dayman Award

Leading Goalkicker Andrew Strijk (38 Ray Scott Medallist Goals)

**RESERVES** 

Ennis Medallist Alec Johnson

Runner-up Conal Lynch

Past Players & Officials' Award

3rd Place Nathan Murray

**COLTS** 

Dominish Medallist Koopah Todd

Runners-up Heath Chapman Rosa Townsend Award

3rd Place Tyron Hindmarsh

Past Players & Official Award



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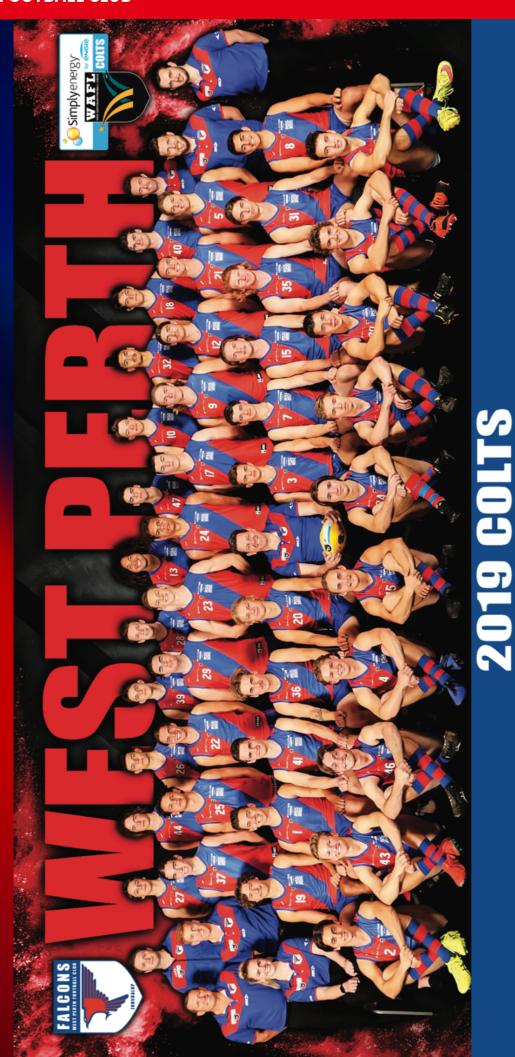
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11	Mitch Antonio	TRG Restoration	41	Tom O'Donnell	Investigative Solutions WA
12	Liam Tedesco	Neale Fong	42	Tom Boyes	UHY Haines Norton PRT
13	Dean Munns	Homezone Property Maintenance	43	Lachlan Johns	Beaumaris IGA
14	Shane Nelson	Peter Collier MP	44	Connor West	Safeguard Wealth
15	Tom O'Halloran	M & P Chadwick Thoroughbreds	45	Ben King	Respendent Car Detailing
16	Baylee James	Buzz-a-long Apiaries	46	Jake Turner	CNW Electrical
17	Blake Wilhelm	Joondalup Financial Services	47	Drew Blurton	Kevrek Australia
18	Scott Nelson	Show West	48	Kirk Bartel	Buzz-a-long Apiaries
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27	Nathan Murray	West Coast Surface Coaters	57		
28	Keegan Knott	Ballem Civil	58	Patrick Fairhead	The Grapevine Restaurant
29	Alec Johnson	Mindarie Pharmacy	59	Terrell McKenzie	Express-link
30	Dylan Yem	Peggy Wright	60	Brayden Templeton	Hair by Harpers

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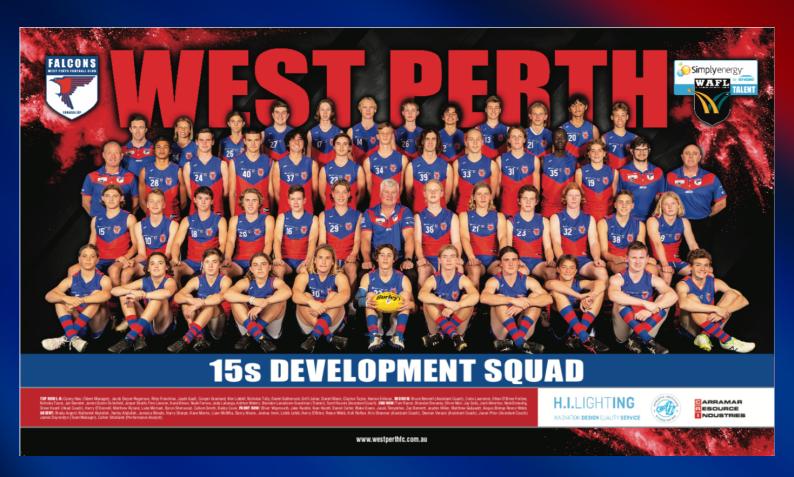




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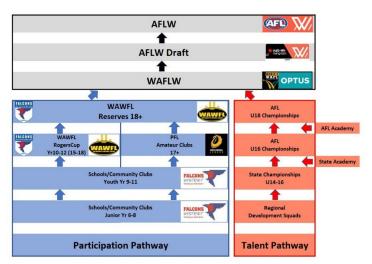
## Ella Baché Joondalup





Women's football took another big step forward in 2019, with the WAFC creating Women's WAFL.





This new competition sits between AFLW and WAWFL (where are two teams are currently playing). This now completes the Female Pathway from Auskick through to AFLW as shown by this picture. While we did not field a side in the WAFLW in 2019, we have set-up a new sub-committee that will work on a plan through 2020 to set us up for a possible entry in 2021.

The partnership we started with 2hFD (2 Halves Football Development) has had a dramatic influence over the fitness and well-being of all our players, the great enthusiasm that Shane, Fraser and Tayla bought to all the sessions was brilliant. The variety they bought to every session helped ensure the teams were motivated to do the Strength and Conditioning sessions with great intent which ensured that they were well prepared to run out games and limit any soft tissue injuries.

The return of Brendan Aitkens as our Head Sports Trainer, who is well recognized within the female football circles as the best in the business, ensured that all players that did suffer any unfortunate injuries had the very best of care and ability to return to playing in the shortest possible timeframe. What can't be said about Bastien Auna, who was nominated for the Leagues Volunteer of the year award, he is someone who very willingly gives of his time literally rain, hail or shine, hot or freezing cold he is there and ALWAYS with a warm smile. Sometimes with lots of 'friends' other times painting a solo figure in the night. He will sacrifice his own sport to ensure those around him are taken care of first, he always runs to their aid in times of need.

We welcomed Edward Beck and Rebecca Boladeras as coaches for our Senior side, they came with great pedigree having coached the Claremont Reserve team to the 2018 Premiership. They relished the opportunity and very quickly gained great respect from the playing group. While the new game plan/strategy took a while for the players to adapt to, once they had grasped it, they certainly became very competitive, which bodes well for the next season. Some of the highlights; a big win over Swan Districts, a side that has generally held the wood over our teams in the past, a one point loss to the eventual Premiers Claremont, two epic draws against Subiaco and East Fremantle and a few confidence boosting wins over the ol' foe East Perth.

The development of our younger players was certainly another highlight, seeing Bianca Webb come from Ocean Ridge juniors in 2018, straight into our Senior side and then be given an opportunity to play in the first ever WAFLW Grand Final with Swan Districts and eventually be drafted to Fremantle AFLW for 2020. Emily Bennett who one-year younger was elevated to the Senior side for the second half of the season to be able settle in and play great footy, especially to attract votes off the Umpires, this on top of both players playing for Western Australia's U18's in the National Carnival.

Amy Franklin taking out the Rookie of the Year in the WAWFL Competition speaks volumes for the next lot of players to follow this tallented group.

The Falcons continue to shine at the highest level too, with Ashton Hill a past F & B Winner for both West Perth and WAWFL being selected by West Coast Eagles to play in their inaugural AFLW Side in 2020 and Ann McMahon joining Bianca Webb at Fremantle. We wish both these players all the best as they start their AFLW careers.

We thank Karen Cowley and Ken Dillon for the work in setting up the Rogers Cup team and to Bryan Bennington who bought the team home in the second half of the season. Bryan instilled a good discipline amongst the team and also with a little shuffling unearthed some of the stars of the future and while he will not be with us in 2020 (after taking a Senior role at Coolbinia) he has certainly laid great ground work for the next coach to work with.

The brilliant Falcons culture and never say die attitude on the field was set in place by two great leadership groups; For the Senior Squad, Trish Medwin (Captain) with Ashleigh Greenwell, Andrea O'Loughlin. Tracy Gallagher and Katherine Bennett.



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For the Rogers' Cup squad, Natalie Bennett (Captain) with Isabel Strover, Dixie Corcoran, Phoebe Jenkins, Summer Mollross and Tarzara Kelly. This group really set the standard for the way the two teams played on the field and the style of play, tough but fair was a true reflection for the values they instilled.

The 2019 Season was celebrated in style at a Gala Event held in the West Perth Function Centre. Karl Langdon (West Coast Eagles Premiership Player) was the MC for the night, which was kicked off from an address by Jimmy Caffieri (CEO WPFC), who mentioned the importance of having females as part of the club to ensure its long term viability, he also congratulated Ashton Hill for being drafted by the Eagles and for her joining Ann McMahon in East Fremantle's Premiership winning WAFLW side.

Dave Burton was awarded the newly created Volunteer of the Year award for his services to the female teams, an award which will be named in his honour for the years moving forward.

Sandra "Downsey" Downs provided some great entertainment during the night as she recapped each block of four rounds in the Vote Count conducted by Karl, with lines like "our Rogers team took on some

slobbery but dogged bulldogs" and "I falcon kid you not.." had everyone in the room in fits of laughter.

The players great efforts during the season were recognized by several awards presented during the night as showcased on the following pages, with the night coming to close with great music supplied by Bailey Chalmers' Perth DJ Hire.

We thank everyone involved throughout every facet of the club who has helped and supported our two womens teams and look forward to what the 2020 Season can bring.

Special thanks to Matt Beilken Photography for being generous with his time and taking all the photos on the night.





## FEMALE PLAYERS

2019 Senior Players							
			<b></b>				
		Games	Career Games				
Emily	Bennett	7	28				
Katherine	Bennett	16	16				
Alison	Blanchard	13	50				
Nicole	Bombardieri	13	74				
Shauna	Bradley	1	2				
Stephanie	Bremner	5	5				
Genevieve	Cant	14	46				
Jennifer	Chamberlain	5	5				
Courtney	Collard	15	15				
Emma	Cummins	5	27				
Dina	De Ruyter	13	29				
Grace	Dempster	3	59				
Karina	Donatti	9	28				
Chelsea	Doolan	2	2				
Karla	Edwards	1	15				
Mikayla	Edwards	11	34				
Abbi	Fulcher	3	23				
Tracy	Gallagher	15	118				
Ebany	Goddard	8	8				
Ashleigh	Greenwell	16	16				
Lucy	Haynes	1	39				
Kelly	Keane	6	6				
Patricia	Medwin	14	34				
Hailey	Merrick	14	28				
Chloe	Metcalf	4	31				
Sally	O'Hagan	10	51				
Andrea	O'loughlin	13	13				
Kavita							
Marie	Pepper	14	14				
Tenille	Reidy-Crofts	1	1				
Alexandra	Robinson	5	25				
Tiahna	Scandrett	8	38				
Candice	Shepherd	15	40				
Zoe	Smith	7	15				
Georgia	Sneddon	2	25				
Amy	Szeliga	6	35				
Jacinta	Valentini	3	23				
Shannia	Wai	15	15				
Bianca	Webb	8	8				
Jade	Wilson	15	33				

2019 Rogers Cup Players						
			Career			
		Games	Games			
Brenda	Amito	11	28			
Scovia	Anzoa	8	19			
Emily	Bennett	8	28			
Natalie	Bennett	15	15			
Teal	Bennett	16	23			
Latifah	Chagai	13	21			
Evie	Corcoran	8	27			
Dixie	Corcoran	10	31			
Piper	Day	9	9			
Jaymee	Duke	15	15			
Amy	Franklin	14	14			
Abbi	Fulcher	7	23			
Caitlin	Guthrie	14	23			
Sarah	Henderson	14	36			
Abigail	Hunt	13	13			
Phoebe	Jenkins	3	3			
Tarzara	Kelly	13	13			
Fulcher	Lois-Jae	13	15			
Jana	Lombard	11	11			
Esperanza	Lopez	7	7			
Summer	Mollross	14	14			
Megan	Mornement	11	11			
Holly	Morris	2	2			
Elissa	Price	13	13			
Indianna	Servaas	14	14			
Tia	Smith	16	16			
Jadi	Smith	11	11			
Karla						
Jade	Stagg	14	14			
Isabel	Strover	16	27			
Mahli	Turland	15	29			
Arabella	Urquhart	7	7			
Mahalia	Woolterton	2	2			



# FAIREST & BEST AWARDS





Candice Shepherd winner of the Senior Squad's Coaches' Award.



Indianna Servaas winner of the Rogers' Cup Coach's Award.



Ashleigh Greenwell winner of the Senior Squad's Falcon of the Year



Teal Bennett winner of the Rogers' Cup Squad's Falcon of the Year

## FAIREST & BEST AWARDS





Bianca Webb & Kavita Pepper dual winners of the Senior Squad's Leading Goalkickers



Katherine Bennett winner of the Senior Squad's Fairest and Best



Elissa Price winner of the Rogers' Cup Leading Goalkicker



Teal Bennett winner of the Rogers' Cup Squad's Fairest and Best

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## **DRAFTED PLAYERS**

YEAR	PLAYER	CLUB	GAMES
1987	John Gastev	FÄĞLËS	143 ^
1987	Dean Laidley	FAGLES	149 ^
1987	Sean King	PÄGLES.	1 ^
1987	Paul Mifka	EAGLES_	1 ^
1988	Craig Turley	FACLES	131
1989	Dennis Repacholi		0
1989	Brad Gwilliam	EAGLES_	8
1990	Derek Hall	EAGLES.	76
1991	Todd Curley		118
1992	Paul Symmons	FERTES_	99
1992	Brady Leckie		0
1993	Mark Merenda	<b>2</b>	101
1994	Ashley Blurton	EAGLES_	24
1994	Ian Downsborough	eactes	39
1994	Ryan Smith	<b>\$</b>	0
1994	Neil Mildenhall	1922	7
1995	Brendon Fewster	PARTY.	70
1995	Craig Smoker	EAGLES	17
1995	Paul Whitelaw	EÄĞLES	0
1995	Darren O'Brien		24

YEAR	PLAYER	CLUB	GAN	IES
1995	Steven Koops		89	
1995	Martin Whitelaw	ECCNENA	1	
1996	Brendan Logan	3	0	
1996	Phil Smith	HEMES	0	
1997	Troy Longmuir	(4)	83	
1997	Ryan Webb	EÄĞLES	0	#
1998	Justin Longmuir	acididates	139	
1999	Clayton Lasscock		0	
1999	Simon Duckworth	EAGUES_	0	#
1999	Mark Pearson	EAGLES	0	#
2000	Wayde Skipper	odl(G)Sec	60	
2001	Mark Seaby	EAGLES	115	
2001	Digby Morrell	HURTH	72	#
2002	Quinten Lynch	EAGLES .	227	
2003	Kepler Bradley	ESSE 110)	117	
2003	Michael Pettigrew		103	
2003	Brent LeCras	MARTH	6	
2004	Nathan van Berlo	2	205	
2004	Mark LeCras	e a consec	219	
2005	Max Bailey	HAMINES	43	

VEAR	PLAYER	CLUB	GAM	FS
	Steven Browne	0	23	
2007	Josh Smith	NORTH NORTH	11	
2008	Stephen Hill	₫.	203	٠
2009	Jay van Berlo	DOUGH.	32	#
2010	Jack Darling	FAGLES	172	٠
2010	Rohan Bewick	LIONS	103	
2010	Andrew Strijk	EAGLES	13	#
2010	Josh Donaldson	HAWKS	0	#
2011	Bradley Hill		127	٠
2011	Jordan Lockyer		0	
2012	Mark Hutchings	ZÄGLES	95	٠
2013	Blake Acres	丢	56	٠
2013	Nick Robertson	ILICANS BALLESONA	68	٠
2015	Marcus Adams		27	٠
2016	Josh Rotham	rägivs _	0	٠
2017	Oscar Allen	FAGLES_	2	٠
2019	Ben Johnson	FAGLES	0	٠
2019	Jaxon Prior	TISS.	0	٠

<sup>^</sup> Inaugural squad member

<sup>#</sup> Rookie List \* Current player



## HONOUR BOARD

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YEAR	PRESIDENT	GENERAL MANGER/	TREASURER	CLUB	COACH	CAPTAIN	FAIREST & BEST
		SECRETARY/ CEO		POSITION			
1885	J. C. H. James	H. R. Dixson	-	Second	-	A. G. Rankin	-
1886	J. C. H. James	H. R. Dixson	-	Third	-	A. G. Rankin	-
1887	C. H. Rason	A. Lake	-	Third	-	H. Wilson	-
1888	C. H. Rason	A. Lake	-	Second	-	H. Sadler	-
1889	Dr. Kenny	J. P. Peters G. D. Moffat	H. Sadler	Second	-	F. McDonough	-
1890	J. Thomas	D. Brennan	T. Hardwick	Third	-	J. B. Kneale	-
1891	T. Quinlan MLA	E. Bishop	E. Ranford	Second	-	K. McKenzie	-
1892	T. Quinlan MLA A. Lee	H. Sadler	H. Wilson	Second	-	A. Newlands	-
1893	A. Lee	E. Wilson	-	Second	-	G. F. Sykes	-
1894	R. H. Barrett	E. Wilson	E. Wilson	Second	-	G. F. Sykes	-
1895	R. H. Barrett	E. Wilson	E. Wilson	Third	-	J. W. A. Morgan	-
1896	R. H. Barrett	A. Fischer	-	Second	-	J. Coward D. J. DeCoit	-
1897	R. H. Barrett	C. McEwan W. Clifton	-	PREMIERS	-	E. F. Grecian	-
1898	R. H. Barrett	W. J. Pickup	W. Woodham	Second	-	E. F. Grecian	-
1899	R. H. Barrett	J. Cullen	W. Woodham	PREMIERS	-	E. F. Grecian	-
1900	R. H. Barrett	R. Abell	R. Abell	Third	-	E. F. Grecian	-
1901	R. H. Barrett	R. Abell	R. Abell	PREMIERS	-	L. Jones W. B. Plunkett	-
1902	R. H. Barrett	J. Cullen	J. Cullen	Second	-	H. L. Loel	-
		E. Hanley	E. Hanley				
1903	R. H. Barrett	E. Hanley	E. Hanley	Second	-	H. L. Loel T. J. McNamara	-
1904	R. H. Barrett	E. Hanley J. Cullen	E. Hanley J. Cullen	Fourth	-	W. B. Plunkett	-
1905	R. H. Barrett	E. Hanley	E. Hanley	PREMIERS	-	W. B. Plunkett	-
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1906 1907	R. H. Barrett R. H. Barrett	W. Cross A. Strickland	W. Cross H. Rowe	Second Third	-	A. C. Ford G. A. Balme	-
1907	R. H. Barrett	J. Webb	W. Cross	Fourth	-	F. P. Strickland	-
1909	J. M. Lapsley	J. Webb	W. Cross	Fifth	-	J. S. Everett	_
1910	J. M. Lapsley	J. Webb	W. Cross	Third	-	G. A. Balme	-
1911	J. M. Lapsley	E. Hanley	J. Webb	Second	-	G. A. Balme	-
1912	J. M. Lapsley	E. Hanley	J. Webb	Sixth	-	G. A. Balme W. H. Mose	-
1913	J. M. Lapsley	E. Hanley	J. S. Everett	Sixth	_	S. H. D. Rowe	_
1914	J. M. Lapsley	G. H. Hunter	J. S. Everett	Seventh	-	S. H. D. Rowe	-
1915	J. M. Lapsley	C. Hales	W. H. Bellion	Seventh	-	A. N. Austin	-
1916	J. M. Lapsley	F. Selby	W. H. Bellion	Third	-	A. N. Austin	-
1917	P. Barrett	J. O. Hughes	W. H. Bellion	Fifth	-	S. F. Jeffery	-
1918	P. Barrett	R. Henkel	W. H. Bellion	Sixth	-	J. O'Dea	-
1919	P. Barrett	R. Henkel	W. H. Bellion	Sixth	T. R. Willoughby	T. R. Willoughby	-
1920	P. Menzies	H. Rice	W. H. Bellion	Fifth	G. S. Tyson	G. S. Tyson	-
1921	P. Menzies	J. Webb	W. H. Bellion	Third	G. S. Tyson T. W. Soutar	T. W. Soutar	-
1922	P. Menzies	J. Webb	W. H. Bellion	Second	T. W. Soutar	T. W. Soutar	-
1923	P. Menzies	J. Webb	W. McBride	Third	A. D. Herd J. Leckie	H. Boyd	H. Boyd
1924	P. Menzies	J. Webb	W. McBride	Sixth	J. Leckie	H. Boyd	-
1925	P. Menzies	J. Webb	W. McBride	Sixth	G. R. Taylor	G. R. Taylor	-
1926	P. Menzies	J. Webb	W. McBride	Third	T. W. Soutar	T. W. Soutar	-
1927	A. Todd	W. Barnes	W. McBride	Sixth	T. W. Soutar	D. C. Sinclair	J. Gosnell
1928	P. Menzies	W. Barnes	W. McBride	Fifth	H. Boyd	W. A. McRae J. Gosnell J. Craig J. F. McDiarmid	E. J. Flemming
1929	P. Menzies	T. C. Reid	W. Barnes	Third	H. Boyd	E. A. Moyle	E. S. Budd
1929	A. Breckler	T. C. Reid	W. Barnes	Seventh	H. Boyd	J. Craig	E. S. Budd
1931	A. Breckler	T. C. Reid	D. Deering	Fifth	S. M. Tyson	E. J. Flemming	W. M. Rainoldi
1932	A. Breckler	T. C. Reid	D. Deering	PREMIERS	J. Cashman	J. Cashman	M. J. Tetley
1933	A. Breckler	T. C. Reid	D. Deering	Third	J. Cashman	J. Cashman	D. L. Marinko
1934	A. Breckler	T. C. Reid	D. Deering	PREMIERS	J. J. Leonard	D. L. Marinko	W. J. Benton

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YEAR	PRESIDENT	GENERAL MANGER/	TREASURER	CLUB	COACH	CAPTAIN	FAIREST & BEST
		SECRETARY/ CEO		POSITION			
1935	A. Breckler	T. C. Reid	D. Deering	PREMIERS	J. J. Leonard	D. L. Marinko	J. T. Anderson
1936	A. H. Panton MLA	T. C. Reid	D. Deering	Fifth	J. Cashman	W. J. Benton	E. J. Flemming
1937	A. H. Panton MLA	T. C. Reid	D. Deering	Fifth	J. J. Leonard	E. J. Flemming W. Buttsworth	W. F. Buttsworth
1938	A. H. Panton MLA	T. C. Reid	D. Deering	Eighth	M. J. Tetley	M. J. Tetley	T. B. O'Keeffe
1939	C. J. Veryard	D. Deering	H. Jackson	Eighth	M. J. Tetley	M. J. Tetley	T. B. O'Keeffe
1940	C. J. Veryard	T. W. Soutar	R. W. Hill	Fifth	R. Hutchinson	R. W. Hill	T. B. O'Keeffe
1941	C. J. Veryard	T. W. Soutar	R. W. Hill	PREMIERS	R. Hutchinson	R. W. Hill	T. B. O'Keeffe
	,		C. Parks			J. S. Pola	J. S. Pola
1942	W. Nevard	T. W. Soutar	E. Bidstrup	PREMIERS	J. Brooker	L. T. Harman	L. W. Bowen
1943	W. Nevard	T. W. Soutar	E. Bidstrup	Fourth	J. Brooker	L. T. Harman	A. W. Anning
1944	W. Nevard	T. W. Soutar	E. Bidstrup	Third	J. Brooker	F. J. Buttsworth	F. J. Buttsworth
1945	W. Nevard	T. W. Soutar	E. Bidstrup	Third	J. Brooker	J. S. Pola	J. W. Loughridge
1946	W. Nevard R. P. Fletcher	T. W. Soutar	E. Bidstrup	Second	R. Hutchinson	R. Hutchinson	J. W. Loughridge
1947	R. P. Fletcher	T. W. Soutar	R. W. Hill	Second	S. Heal	S. Heal	S. Heal
1948	R. P. Fletcher	T. W. Soutar	R. W. Hill	Second	S. Heal	S. Heal	R. J. Schofield
1949	R. P. Fletcher	T. W. Soutar	R. W. Hill	PREMIERS	S. Heal	S. Heal	J. W. Loughridge
1950	R. P. Fletcher	T. W. Soutar	R. W. Hill	Third	S. Heal	S. Heal	R. J. Schofield
1951	R. P. Fletcher	T. W. Soutar	R. W. Hill	PREMIERS	S. Heal	S. Heal	F. J. Buttsworth
1952	R. P. Fletcher	J. Fleming	R. W. Hill	Second	S. Heal	R. J. Schofield	W. J. W. Price
1953	R. P. Fletcher	R. E. Standing	R. W. Hill	Second	J. P. O'Donohue	J. P. O'Donohue	R. J. Schofield
			N. L. Garland				
			R. Reid				
1954	R. P. Fletcher	R. E. Standing	R. Reid	Third	J. P. O'Donohue	J. P. O'Donohue	R. J. Schofield
1955 1956	R. P. Fletcher	C. F. Cavanough	R. Reid	Fourth Fifth	D. R. Scott	D. R. Scott	R. J. Schofield
1956	R. P. Fletcher R. P. Fletcher	C. F. Cavanough C. F. Cavanough	R. Reid R. Reid	Fourth	F. V. Sparrow F. V. Sparrow	F. V. Sparrow R. J. Schofield	K. R. Porter T. B. Foley
1958	R. P. Fletcher	L. A. Day	R. Reid	Fourth	R. J. Schofield	R. J. Schofield	K. London
1959	R. P. Fletcher	L. A. Day	R. Reid	Fifth	D. A. Marinko	D. A. Marinko	T. B. Foley
1960	R. P. Fletcher	L. A. Day	R. Reid	PREMIERS	A. Oliver	D. A. Marinko	P. L. Medhurst
		,				T. B. Foley	
1961	R. P. Fletcher	R. P. Barnett	R. Reid	Fifth	A. Oliver	T. B. Foley	J. Fanchi
1962	R. P. Fletcher	L. A. Roper	R. Reid	Third	A. Oliver	T. B. Foley	A. M. Whinnen
1963	E. F. Ptolomey	L. A. Roper	R. Reid	Fifth	A. Oliver	T. B. Foley	B. L. France
1964	E. F. Ptolomey	L. A. Roper	R. Reid	Fifth	C. W. Lewington	T. B. Foley	A. M. Whinnen
1965	E. F. Ptolomey	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	Fourth	R. L. Spargo	R. L. Spargo	B. L. France
1966	E. F. Ptolomey	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	Third	R. L. Spargo	R. L. Spargo	W. B. Dempsey
1967 1968	E. F. Ptolomey L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley K. L. Bradley	R. Reid R. Reid	Fourth Third	R. L. Spargo G. V. Farmer	R. L. Spargo G. V. Farmer	A. M. Whinnen A. M. Whinnen
1969	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	PREMIERS	G. V. Farmer	G. V. Farmer	G. V. Farmer
1970	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	Sixth	G. V. Farmer	G. V. Farmer	A. M. Whinnen
1971	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	PREMIERS	G. V. Farmer	G. V. Farmer	A. M. Whinnen
1972	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	Fourth	P. W. Steward	P. W. Steward	A. M. Whinnen
1973	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	Second	D. Jones	W. B. Dempsey	A. M. Whinnen
1974	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	Eighth	D. Jones	W. B. Dempsey	W. T. J. Valli
1975	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	PREMIERS	G. Campbell	W. B. Dempsey	A. M. Whinnen
1976	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	Fourth	G. Campbell	W. B. Dempsey	I. W. Logan
1977	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	R. Reid	Third	G. Campbell	A. M. Whinnen	W. T. J. Valli
1079	I A Bons	K I Bradlen	L. A. Day	Fourth-	D. I. Ioh	A I Ducharanti	\\/ T   \/-!!:
1978 1979	L. A. Roper L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley K. L. Bradley	L. A. Day L. A. Day	Fourth Seventh	P. J. Johnson P. J. Johnson	A. J. Duckworth G. S. Taylor	W. T. J. Valli R. M. Prunster
13/3	L. A. Nopel	K. L. Drauley	L. A. Day	Sevenui	G. Campbell	G. S. Taylor	ivi. Prunster
1980	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	L. A. Day	Fifth	G. Campbell	L. R. Fong	S. F. Fitzsimmons
			H. Knaggs				
1981	L. A. Roper	K. L. Bradley	H. Knaggs	Sixth	G. Campbell	L. R. Fong	P. R. Menaglio
			A. G. Cahill				
1982	R. J. Brown	G. P. Pleydell	A. G. Cahill	Third	D. J. Cometti	L. R. Fong	L. R. Fong
1983	R. J. Brown	G. P. Pleydell	A. G. Cahill	Sixth	D. J. Cometti	L. R. Fong	L. R. Fong
1984	R. J. Brown	G. P. Pleydell	A. G. Cahill	Sixth	D. J. Cometti	L. R. Fong	P. R. Menaglio
1985	R. J. Brown	G. P. Pleydell	A. G. Cahill	Fourth	J. F. Wynne	L. R. Fong	P. F. Bradmore
1986	R. J. Brown	G. P. Pleydell	A. G. Cahill	Fifth	J. F. Wynne	L. R. Fong	D. J. Foley
1987	B. A. Atkinson	G. P. Pleydell	A. G. Cahill	Fifth	B. J. Monteath	P. R. Menaglio	C. B. Nelson
1988 1989	B. A. Atkinson T. James	G. P. Pleydell A. White	A. G. Cahill A. G. Cahill	Sixth Fourth	B. J. Monteath G. Michalczyk	P. R. Menaglio P. R. Menaglio	M. A. Williams P. R. Menaglio
1989	T. James	A. White	A. G. Cahill	Eighth	G. Michalczyk	P. R. Menaglio P. D. Hasler	D. J. Palm
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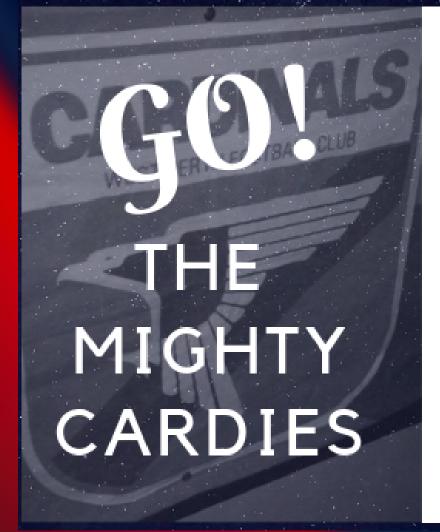
1991	T. James	S. G. Woodhouse	A. G. Cahill	Eighth	G. Michalczyk	D. J. Palm	C. B. Nelson
1992	T. James	S. G. Woodhouse	A. G. Cahill	Eighth	J. Gieschen	C. B. Nelson	R. J. W. West
1993	T. James	S. G. Woodhouse	A. G. Cahill	Second	J. Gieschen	C. B. Nelson	P. S. Mifka
1994	T. James	S. G. Woodhouse	A. G. Cahill	Third	J. Gieschen	C. B. Nelson	D. O'Brien
1995	T. James	S. G. Woodhouse	R. J. Holden	PREMIERS	J. R. Dimmer	D. J. Harris	D. J. Harris
1996	L. Hasler	S. G. Woodhouse	R. J. Holden	Fourth	J. R. Dimmer	D. J. Harris	S. M. Trewhella
1997	L. Hasler	S. G. Woodhouse	R. J. Holden	Sixth	J. R. Dimmer	B. J. Barrows	S. M. Trewhella
1998	L. Hasler	S. G. Woodhouse	R. J. Holden	Second	J. R. Dimmer	B. J. Barrows	K. D. Rigoll
		N. Bryant					
1999	L. Hasler	N. Bryant	R. J. Holden	PREMIERS	J. R. Dimmer	K. D. Rigoll	K. D. Rigoll
2000	L. Hasler	N. Bryant	R. J. Holden	Fifth	A. A. Lockyer	K. D. Rigoll	S. M. Trewhella
		C. Knapton					
2001	P. B. Hanna	C. Knapton	R. J. Holden	Fifth	A. A. Lockyer	S. M. Trewhella	C. J. Kelly
		R. A. Malone					
2002	P. B. Hanna	R. A. Malone	R. J. Holden	Second	D. J. Harris	S. M. Trewhella	R. J. Skender
2003	C. S. Rockman	R. A. Malone	R. J. Holden	PREMIERS	D. J. Harris	S. M. Trewhella	K. D. Rigoll
2004	C. S. Rockman	B. Stewart	R. J. Holden	Seventh	D. J. Harris	K. D. Rigoll	B. J. Murray
2005	C. S. Rockman	B. Stewart	R. J. Holden	Fifth	D. J. Harris	T. B. Curley	S. R. Duckworth
		K. Torrance					
2006	C. S. Rockman	K. Torrance	R. J. Holden	Fourth	T. B. Curley	C. K. Lasscock	D. R. Fleay
2007	C. S. Rockman	K. Torrance	R. J. Holden	Fifth	T. B. Curley	C. K. Lasscock	D. R. Fleay
2008	C. S. Rockman	K. Torrance	R. J. Holden	Second	T. B. Curley	J. S. Salecic	J. Van Berlo
2009	B. A. Raponi	G. M. O'Dea	R. J. Holden	Fourth	W. P.	J. S. Salecic	J. S. Salecic
					Monaghan		
2010	B. A. Raponi	G. M. O'Dea	R. J. Holden	Fifth	W. P.	J. S. Salecic	D. Burns
					Monaghan		
2011	B. A. Raponi	G. M. O'Dea	R. J. Holden	Second	W. P.	J. S. Salecic	D. R. Fleay
					Monaghan		
2012	B. A. Raponi	G. M. O'Dea	B. Musca	Fifth	W. P.	J. S. Salecic	M. Hutchings
					Monaghan		
2013	B. A. Raponi	D. Crute	B. Musca	PREMIERS	W. P.	J. S. Salecic	S. Nelson
					Monaghan		A. Strijk
2014	B. A. Raponi	D. Crute	B. Musca	Sixth	W. P.	L. Tedesco	S. Nelson
					Monaghan	J. van Berlo	
2015	B. A. Raponi	D. Crute	B. Musca	Second	W. P.	L. Tedesco	A. Black
					Monaghan	J. van Berlo	
2016	B. A. Raponi	D. Crute	B. Musca	Fourth	W. P.	J. van Berlo	J. van Berlo
					Monaghan		
2017	S. Ballem	D. Crute	B. Musca	Fifth	W. P.	J. van Berlo	S. Nelson
					Monaghan		
2018	S. Ballem	L. Hamersley	A. Anderton	Runner up	W. P.	A. Black	A. Black
	N. Fong		(June)		Monaghan		
2019	N. Fong	L. Hamersley	A. Anderton	Fifth	G. Valentine	A. Black	T. Keitel
		J. Caffieri (Interim)					



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