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TROPHIES & AWARDS

Every year at this time when semi finals are approaching it is necessary to remind coaches, managers and parents of a Club ruling regarding awards and trophies given to players of the Club.

The only awards or trophies which can be given to any player of the Club will be presented by and approved by the Club. Under no circumstances will the Club allow any coach, manager or parent to purchase individual or team trophies for the player(s) of the Club.

Trophies or awards given by the Club at Presentation Day are:-

- a Club bannerette to every junior player
- a trophy for player of the Year for each team
- an award for Most Improved Player for each team
- a trophy for each player of a Premiership winning team
- an award for each player for Runners Up team
- an award for each player for Minor Premiers team
- an award for each player for NON competition teams who have performed well throughout the season

Officials of the team will be cited by the Club if the Club rules are not adhered to.

SOCCER SQUASH

Entries are still required for a Soccer Squash competition to be organised as soon as enough are received.

Age groups 12,13,14,16,19, Seniors, Mens and Ladies.

COACHING CLINICS

Central Coast Coaches Federation in conjunction with WYOMING SOCCER CLUB

COACHES NO COST

MONDAY 15th AUGUST 1983 - 7PM ALAN DAVIDSON PARK

PLAYERS UNDER 9 and Over COST \$18 per Player

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
5/9/83	6/9/83	7/9/83	8/9/83	9/9/83

School Holidays
Each Day 9am - 1pm

Entry forms available soon

DATES TO REMEMBER

A.G.M....MONDAY 26th September 1983

JUNIOR PRESENTATION....SUNDAY 9th October 1983

SENIOR PRESENTATION....SATURDAY 15th October 1983

JUNIOR GRAND FINALS....SATURDAY 24th September 1983

SENIOR GRAND FINALS....SUNDAY 25th September, 1983

PRESIDENT'S CORNER
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UNREGISTERED OR OVERAGED PLAYERS

There has been several incidents recently with our Clubs junior teams involving the opposition team playing unregistered or overaged players.

In an attempt to promote TRUE SPORTSMANSHIP this practice is strictly frowned upon and it cannot be stressed strongly enough that all Wyoming's coaches and managers adhere to the rules of players eligibility

1. All players must be registered and must play with their registered teams
2. Under 10 age groups and above must have registration cards with identification photo.
3. Players who are required to play in any team other than their registered team can only play in a higher age group ie; registered under 9 player can play in under 10 and upward

However, when playing up in grade the player must not play two divisions lower in the next age group.
ie; reg. team Under 9B(2) can play in Under 10A, 10B, 10C, 11A, 11B, 11C, 11D and all other higher teams. The players cannot play in the 10D, 9A, 9B, 9C, 9D or lower age group.

4. Under 9 players who are required to play up in grade to the under 10 or 11's must possess a registration card with identification photo.
5. Whenever a player plays up in grade in the 20 age group and higher the player must always have access to his registration card in case of it being required. A team will lose the game by forfeiture if a coach cannot produce the registration card of any player.

KEVIN BEST

BILLETS URGENTLY REQUIRED FOR NEW ZEALAND SCHOOL BOYS FURTHER DETAILS LATER ON IN TIGER TALES.

UNDER 7 KNOCKOUT SUNDAY 7th AUGUST. FURTHER DETAILS LATER ON IN TIGER TALES.

WASHED^{out} GAME OF 30.4.83 TO BE PLAYED ON SATURDAY 13th AUGUST.

WASHED OUT GAME OF 28.5.83 TO BE PLAYED SATURDAY 20th AUGUST

REMEMBER: IT IS THE MANAGERS RESPONSIBILITY TO SIGN THE REFEREE SHEET AFTER THE GAME TO VERIFY THE SCORE AND THEN TO SEE THAT THE TEAR OFF PART WITH THE SCORE IS RETURNED TO PUBLICITY BOX. CLUB REFEREES MAKE SURE TEAM SHEET IS RETURNED TO PUBLICITY BOX. FAILURE TO DO THAT COULD COST YOUR TEAM POINTS.

SURVEY

If you read this bulletin each month and wish it to be continued please tear this off and place in publicity box.

TEAM REPORTS

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Under 6A1: Since last report the team has had 3 wins and 1 draw bringing our years statistics to 10 wins, 2 draws and 1 loss with the team scoring 41 goals and conceding just 4. 2.7.83. Wyoming 9 Davistown 0. A good team effort with EVAN CAREY scoring 4 goals, KEENAN FIELD 3 and PETER MILLER 2. The team played good positional play and all players are showing a development of skills. 9.7.83. WYOMING 1 TERRIGAL 0. Another good team effort against 11 defenders, but thanks to an own goal we came out on top after playing the entire game in Terrigals half of the field. 16.7.83. WYOMING 2 ET TALONG 2. The best game played this year with both teams attacking and defending well. A goal by DANIEL CURTIS from a good cross by EVAN CAREY and a well taken penalty by PETER MILLER kept us in the game. 23.7.83. WYOMING 5 DAVISTOWN 0. A good team effort saw us score 5 goals and completely shut the other team out of the game. Goals were scored by PETER MILLER 2, EVAN CAREY 2 and DAVID MCGARVEY. Outstanding players this month were BEN LYONS and DAVID MCGARVEY while the best improvers were JUSTIN NIXON and ADAM COULTER. Unfortunately there has been some discontentment from some parents but please remember, it's the kids who play and enjoy the game and Coaches and managers are all working on a VOLUNTARY basis.

.....Coach

Under 6A2: Report time again and some good games to report on. 2.7.83. vs. GOSFORD, score 0-0 Draw and what an entertaining game to watch, both sides were evenly matched and had the ball flowing from one end of the field to the other. All the boys played exceptionally well with some fine attacking and defensive play. We had several shots at goal but without any luck and this seems to be our biggest problem. 3.7.83 vs EAST GOSFORD score 0-2 even though we lost the boys were playing very good until a penalty to East Gosford resulted in a goal and the boys just could not get going again, but these things happen. 9.7.83. vs P.M.K. score 1-0 win and by far the best game played to date. I am sure the boys had some private coaching, they just did everything right, looking for their team mates and passing with accuracy. The goal scored was a gem, scored from 15 yards out by MICHAEL KENNEDY. 16.7.83. vs UMINA score 0-3 the less said about this game the better, the boys turned up but that's about all that happened. 23.7.83. vs DAVISTOWN scored 6-0 a big win and a big effort by the boys. We had 3 more players than Davistown and their poor little goalie made the mistake of carrying the ball into the goal twice, but lets not take anything away from the boys, they were keen and played exceptionally well putting on a fine display of soccer for 5 and 6 year olds. Goals were scored by MICHAEL BUCHANNAN, BEN ROBERTS, KRISTEN BUTLER & BEN GEESON and all the other boys made these goals possible with some strong supportive play. WELL DONE BOYS!

.....Coach.

Under 7A1: 2.7.83. Wyoming vs Ettalong. A very scrappy game compared to what the boys have shown us what they can do, however, there were some moments of concentration and team work. Andrew, Jason B, Kirk and Simon put in some good attacks, with some good clearing kicks from Craig, Scott, Adam K, Jason D, Brett and Jamie. Blake, Tim and Michael were always there in the middle of it tackling well. Our chance to score was lost when Adam M. kicked a perfect corner but no-one finished it off for him. Result NIL ALL DRAW. 3.7.83. WYOMING vs DAVISTOWN. The game started off with the enthusiasm of the team we know with great attacks from whoever the ball came to. Craig had another blinder and cleared and chased the ball everywhere with Simon, Brett, Jason B, Jason D, and Scott. Adam K. had a great first half as he was in nearly every move towards the goal and worked well with Adam M. with good understading between them. Grant and Blake and Michael had good games showing strong determination in their efforts with Tim and Andrew in the tackles to regain possession

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Under 7A1 cont: for their mates. Jamie did well in goal and was unlucky to have one slip in. Result ONE NIL LOSS. 9.7.83.
WYOMING vs TERRIGAL. This was the game we have been waiting for a chance to get on top of a very physical side. From the kick off it was on but in went our boys with solid determination, attack and defence. They worked and kicked every time a ball came within coo-ee of them. The first break was ours just after the start with Kirk putting in a great goal. Everyone kept their positions, their minds on the job, their eyes on the ball and weren't worried about the roughness of Terrigal in their defence tactics. They played their game as true sportsmen of which we should be very proud and hope they carry this talent through the rest of their life. Adam M. a superb game in the goal area, he covered everything and everyone who came at him and kicked the ball clear every time. Attack was on again with the ball being taken down by Jason B. passed to Kirk with Scott there to back him up took a pass and shot a fine goal giving us a 2 nil lead and leaving the Terrigal Supporters amazed. The boys never let up once with great defence from Brett and Simon, Grant, Andrew, Michale, good attack from Adam K. Jamie, (The Rabbit) Blake, Craig and Tim. Congratulations to our coach BRUCE. Result a deserving and delightful 2 NIL WIN. 16.7.83. WYOMING vs DAVISTOWN.
A slow start from both sides with the defence very tight at first. Once they sorted each other out some find playing from Jason B, Craig, Scott, Andrew, Adam M, Kirk, Adam K, was very unlucky not to score only to be fouled right in front of the goal resulting in a free kick only good defence stopped it going in. First half at nil all. The second half proved fruitful for us with some good team work with Adam M forcing the goalie to become unbalanced and finishing it off with a great goal. Next thing it was Tim's turn to do it which was probably one of the best individual goals of the season with throw in near half way he took the ball all the way up to the goal drawing out the goalie and then slipping it past him for a perfect goal. Other good games were had by Grant playing with more thought, with the rabbit on the ball as usual keeping the defence on the hop, and Michael playing as safe as ever in the goal too as he has done on other occasions without any squabble thanks Mike. final score 2 NIL WIN. 23.7.83. WYOMING 1's vs WYOMING 2's. A scrappy game compared to what the boys have been playing lately with a lot of bunching up and wild kicks at the ball that completely missed all together giving the other team every opportunity to regain possession and control to the game. There were some good times when the game opened up with fine attacks from Grant, Blake, Adam K, Jason D, Michael, Andrew and Kirk with Scott putting in a good goal in the first half. The second half was a time to test our defence as the 2's were dominant there most and really deserved to have scored but Jason B. kept them to nil with some good keeping. We were lucky to add to our score when a direct penalty was awarded to us after a hand ball with Scott kicked straight in. Final score 2 NIL WIN.

.....Manager.

Under 7A2: 2.7.83. v UMINA. The game resulted in a NIL all Draw. The boys were again unlucky not to finish off any penetrating moves they made. Our defence proved solid being able to cut off any Umina runs, giving Rod Northey and Ben Piefke a quiet time in goals. Trent Barry and Brad Ham and Mark Mitchell gave good support to Stuart Fortier and Bradley Kirk in the forwards. Stuart and Bradley made a number of attempts to penetrate the defence to no avail, Both boys were in the thick of things without giving up. 3.7.83.
v EAST GOSFORD. Another NIL all Draw. This was a well fought draw with the East Gosford players driving into the Wyoming's goal area repeatedly. Rod Northey displayed fine form in goals, with a number of excellent saves. The whole team played well, with strong defence from Stephen, Wade, Geoffrey and Daniel. Craig Gallagher and Trent Barry were vert outstanding in centre and attack. 9.7.83.
v WOY WOY. The boys lost their game 1:0 and in this game most of

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Under 7A2:(cont) them seemed interested in staying around the centre, not interested in attacking or defending. Outstanding players being Chris McCosker, Stuart Fortier and Brad Ham. Bradley Kirk performed very well in goals in the second half by making a number of good saves. 16.7.83. v EAST GOSFORD. The team lost 1:0 but once again the boys were quite tight in defence. East Gosford being fortunate to score from a corner. Daniel, Geoffrey, Wade, Steve and Ben Emery all played extra well in defence. Once again Rod Northey was able to come out of most close action play with good clearing kicks. Stuart Fortier and Bradley Kirk made a number of driving raids into East Gosford's territory to no avail. Mark Mitchell proved safe in goals in the second half. 23.7.83. v WYOMING A1. The result was a 2:0 loss. The boys were scrappy in defence early in the match enabling the A1's to go to a 1:0 lead. After that set back the boys were able to tighten up their defence and made a number of attacking raids, being led by Chris McCosker, Stuart Fortier and Bradley Kirk, once again Brad Ham giving good support to his forwards. The team's defence played fairly well in the second half being unlucky to concede a penalty. Playing well in defence was James Carter who is improving with every match. Others playing well are Craig, Wade, Rod and the two Bens.

.....Manager.

Under 7B: v2.7.83. v TERRIGAL (1) In losing 1-0, the side was again not disgraced, and were probably unlucky not to earn at least a draw. Scott Medford played well in the backs as did Scott Waddell and Martin Stanfield in the midfield. Dean Turner and Greg Bach in the forwards also played well, but were unable to get the ball into the net. 9.7.83. v TERRIGAL (2) Due to the wet weather this season this was the first time we had met this side. With a full team we should do well against them, but on the day with only 9 players on a muddy field, a 2-0 loss was the best achieved. The backs and midfield tried hard all day with Stuart Kalwig, Ben Noble, Mathew Sainsbury and Scott Waddell all having good games. 16.7.83. v GOSFORD. Another loss again, 2-0, but again not disgraced. The forwards are improving every game, and gave the opponent 'keeper' plenty of work. Trevor Fortune, Greg Bech and Dean Turner will soon start to score goals I'm sure. The backs again played well with Scott Medford outstanding. Scott is another player who is improving with every game. David Derrick and Mathew Sainsbury played whole-heartedly in the midfield as did our goalkeeper Tim Smith when we gave him a run out in the field in the second half. 28.7.83. v DAVISTOWN. A 1-0 win! What can I say? The boys played as a team for the full game and never gave the opposition a chance. The backs, David Edwards, Ben Moore and Scott Medford played hard and tight, giving our keeper Tim Smith a good safe spot to watch the game. The midfield, led by Ben Noble and Scott Waddell (the goal scorer) marked the opposition tightly and continually turned defense into attack. The three forwards, Greg Bech, Dean Turner and Trevor Fortune again combined well. All three forwards were unlucky not to have goals against their names. Time and time again, especially in the second half, shots either just missed or were saved. Hopefully, the tide has changed!

.....Manager.

Under 8A1: 4.6.83. Umina, won 3-1. A very hard and exciting game with all players putting in a top effort. Great attacking play from Robert Ross and hard defense from Bret Jager were features of the game. 18.6.83. v Wyoming 2, 2-2 draw. A very good game considering the weather, we scored 2 goals in the first half and the A2's scored twice in the second. A draw was a fair result but the boys stood back and let the A2's run with the ball and paid the penalty.

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Under 8A1 (cont) 25.6.83. v East Gosford 3-0 win. A welcome return to form with all players working hard and playing as a team. 2.7.83. v Ettalong 3-0 win. Another strong game from the team, consistent strong defense and good team work was the order of the day and the result speaks for itself. 3.7.83. v Davistown. 2-1 win. A hard fought game with the team unlucky not to win by a larger margin. Good play by Brenden Napier was rewarded with a goal - the right person in the right place - and Adam King played strongly in the midfield looking after Davistown's star player. 9.7.83. v Terrigal 2-2 draw. Two games against Terrigal and both times they somehow got off the hook with a draw each time. Great play from the forwards wasn't given the result they deserved - many times the Terrigal goalie or defenders just turned the ball beside the goal posts. Perhaps the defense didn't quite work hard enough, a silly hand ball gave Terrigal 1 goal and without any luck the best we could do was a draw. 16.7.83. v Davistown 2-1 win. Should have been more but Davistown's goalie had a blinder. It is rewarding to see the boys passing the ball and trying to share the ball and work, but there are one or two players who aren't playing as a team and that is making it hard on the others. REMEMBER there are eleven players on each team and if you don't pass the ball you are letting down your fellow players - SHARE THE BALL!!!!

.....Coach

Undr 8B1: On Saturday 2/7/83 we played Wyoming 8B2 which resulted in a 1/0 win for us. This was a game in which no one from our side made any major errors. Oh if only the boys could play like this every week, what a happy bunch of players and spectators we would have. The forwards gave very little away and when the ball did get past them the midfielders did their bit to try and put the ball back into attack. Only on five times were the fullbacks needed to defend and on each time the ball was sent back up field. Our goalkeeper only had to handle the ball once, that was at the beginning when he carried it onto the field. It is hard to mention anyone from a team that never stopped trying but Stepyen Hall on the right wing had a very good game and Mark O'Donnell was our goal scorer. The next day, we went to East Gosford to meet Woy Woy. After the Saturday game when everything went right, this game was something else. We were beaten 4/1 by a side which was physically larger than ours and which played the game with very hard tackling and force. A number of our boys found that the ground is very hard when you land face first in it. Mark again scored a goal for us but no player really stood out in an ordinary game for us. The next weekend we travelled to Terrigal to play Terrigal and we were unlucky to lose 1/0. This game the boys again played hard and really tried. It was only that our goalkeeper was unsighted by a jumble of players that Terrigal got the goal. On a number of other times when he could see the ball, he brought off some saves that had the spectators applauding. Our own forwards shot at the Terrigal goal a number of times, but posts and outside the net just don't count. The player of the match, in an entertaining game, was our goalkeeper Raymond Mitchell. The next Saturday, 16/7/83, we again played the Woy Woy team from two weeks earlier. The boys must have had some vivid memories of the larger and physical Woy Woy side because they played like they were shell shocked and went down 4/0. Our players seemed reluctant to tackle and didn't appear to want to be tackled, and gave up the ball too readily. After this game all anyone could say is that there appears to be some mighty big 8 year old boys going round in soccer. Our next game was on Saturday 23/7/83 against Terrigal at our home ground. We went down 3/0 but 2 of the goals were flukes, one was scored from a scramble with a high ball and the other was scored after the ball appeared to cross the back line and was hooked around into the goal. But I suppose our boys will have to learn to live with the odd strange decision, and it

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Under 8B1 (cont) would be nice to get a referee who at least is big enough to be seen amongst a bunch of 8 year olds. Our boys again lifted their game after Woy Woy and played the game as hard and as fast as the opposition. The three "A's" for us Adam, Anthony, and Andrew had big games with Adam the best player for us with hard, but fair, tackling and good ball work. Well done boys. Now some thanks to two fathers who help out with coaching the boys. Gordon Paziuk and Roland Lauder have helped our coach each week and have not asked for anything but to help the boys learn. Gordon has stepped in as coach whilst our normal coach is unavailable due to work, and Roland is assisting when possible. Thanks Dads.

The Tiger Club Fan
and Manager

Under 8B2: This month was a much better month for soccer with no interruptions because of rain. In the return match against the Wyoming B1 team they were beaten 1 goal nil in another exciting game. Ben Bowyer and Nathan Evans had a strong game in the forwards and they were well supported by Scott Clucas and Adam Raffin in the halves. Ryan Murphy played well in defence with some good clearing kicks and Jeremy Cartner played well in goals. Against Davistown the boys were outmatched by a very good team and were beaten 6 nil. Scott Clucas, Ben Bowyer and Nathan Evans again had good games and Duane Wright at centre back in the second half had a fine game stopping many attacking moves and saved two certain goals with clearing kicks off the goal line. Against P.M.K. the boys lost 3 nil. They held P.M.K. to nil all at half time defending the dry end of the field, however, in the second half in the mud they got a bit confused or should I say "Bogged" down in defence allowing P.M.K. to score three goals. Charles Pfeiffer playing in the halves had a good game with many strong clearing kicks. He was helped in the halves by Andrew Smith who tried very hard to get the ball down the right end of the field. In the first half the backs Mathew Finn, David Peterson and Stephen Shaw had fine games and any ball that got past them were well stopped by Duane Wright in goals. If the game had been played on a dry ground the result may have been very different. In the next game the boys had to play the strong Davistown team for the fourth time this season and they were again beaten 7 nil. Scott Clucas continues to improve and did all that was asked of him. Jeremy Cartner played well at full back with many good clearing kicks, Andrew Smith and Charles Pfeiffer tried hard all day and Adam Raffin, who had a very hard time in goals, managed to save many other goals with determined play. Against Umina 1 team the boys were beaten 3 nil. Nathan Evans made a return to goals for this match and he pulled off some fine saves and in defence Ryan Murphy and Andrew Kennedy had good games. The halves again had a busy day with Scott Clucas and Charles Pfeiffer covering a lot of ground. In the forwards Ben Bowyer had another good game running well with the ball and in this match Duane Wright had a strong game and continues to improve as the season goes on. Mathew Finn and Stephen Shaw also had good games in the forwards trying hard all the match. In general the boys may be being beaten in their matches but they are still trying very hard each match and continue to improve.

.....Manager.

Under 9B1: Although I don't usually report game to game, I feel that we have had such a variation of efforts from the boys that I can best sum up in that fashion. Wyoming 2's 0-2. A lot of the boys participated in the school open-day on Friday 1st July 1983 and backed up on Saturday very tired and played in a very weary fashion. The B2's gave us a lesson in determination and enthusiasm and always seemed to beat us to the bell. Michael Green, Duncan Hogg and Peter Jacobs each had enthusiastic games but unfortunately were held up by the rest of the team. Terrigal. 1-1. This game was played with a few positional changes to our last games, seeing goalkeeper

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Under 9B1 (cont) Marcus "MARKETWON" Pritchard in the forwards giving a fine effort and Grahame "FUZZBALL" McMahon having the time of his life in goal with Guy "SMILY" Bunn and Gary "GOOFY" Deamer playing some very determined defensive play. Duncan the Hogg seemed a bit confused at one stage and had a small game of basketball on his own with the referee content to allow it to continue. A good game by all lads, but in the Alan Davidson mud not a game of skill but more a game of fortunes with a 1-1 draw a fitting result. Davistown. 1-3. I had to referee this game and had to use all my will power not to kick the ball for not one of our lads seemed interested in the game. I think the under 6's would have won this game on the first half performance. Fortunately the boys remembered that they had come to play soccer and a far better effort was put into the second half with David Jacobs and Andrew Smith playing very constructive games. We were rewarded with two penalties, one of which Andrew "STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE" Sainsbury scored well whereas David missed his attempt by trying to outfox the Davistown goalkeeper with the goalkeeper coming out on top. Gosford, 1-1. This game started off with some very long faces when we learnt that Guy was in New Zealand, Peter and David Jacobs were both ill and Gary had a very nasty fight with a stick leaving us with a team of nine players to play a very strong and unbeaten Gosford team. The boys went into the game with instructions to play their own game to enjoy themselves as much as possible, to our surprise the lads played with all the enthusiasm and determination they could muster with Kurt "SMURF" Snashall and Paul "CUTTLEFISH" Cully playing their best game of the season with a super effort upfront by Michael "GREENMACHINE" Green, Andrew "STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE" Sainsbury and Brendon "STICKY" Tate with a goal scored by Andrew after a good team effort and some midfield play by "FUZZBALL" McMahon, Duncan the Hogg and "SMITHSCRIPS" Smith, but a special mention to "MARKETOWN" Pritchard who made some brave saves in goal and would have kept a clean sheet but for the most confusing penalty awarded against us, when it appeared Duncan was penalised for being in the way which is what a good defender strives to be, still the ref is always right even if he is wrong. A super effort by all lads and if you could play each game in the future with as much enthusiasm and determination as you have this game, you would enjoy your games much more and the coach would not have as many grey hairs!!!!
NB: The game against Woy Woy is set down for play at 1.30pm on 6th August 1983 so a sausage sizzle will be held after the game.

.....Coach

Under 9B2: 2.7.83. In this game against the 9B1 we put our game together again after our loss to Gosford. The players kept to their positions and played as a team. This time the 9B1 had a full team and really put pressure on us, but solid tackling and close marking kept the ball away from them and gave us a good win. 9.7.83. Well boys, this is one game we would all like to forget. Our 7-1 loss to Umina was due to lack of teamwork. We did not tackle or mark players and did not go for the ball. Remember boys, without the ball you cannot score goals. 16.7.83. Our 2-0 loss to Terrigal No.1 side was not a disgrace to you boys as you played well. They were the better team on the day. Unfortunately Bernard Howes injured his foot during the week and had to watch the game from the sideline. 23.7.83. We came good again at the expense of Woy Woy winning 3-0. The backs and halves did their job well and passed the ball to our forwards to score. Steve McGarvey did very well as he covered 2 positions half and forward and was rewarded with a very fine goal. To sum it up, an excellent game.

.....Manager.

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Under 9C1: 1st Round P.M.K. 8-0. 2nd Round 6-0. Davistown 1st Rd. 6-0. 2nd Rd. 2-1. Gosford 0-1. 2nd Rd. 1-1, Terrigal 1-0 2nd Rd. 1-0. Wyoming C2 1st Rd. 1-0, 2nd Rd. 2-0. Our team has been showing a gradual improvement as the season progresses, and this is reflected in the comparison of the results shown above. Being the first season of soccer for the majority of our boys, it has taken awhile for them to grasp the fundamentals of playing as a team, keeping to their positions on the field and trying to concentrate for the full period of a game. There has been a tremendous improvement in the team cutting out a lot of silly chatter on the field and in them trying to follow the ball and support each other as a team. We could still concentrate for a whole game, and in every game. We need to be more positive as a team and not hang back when the other side has the ball or is approaching the ball. From the individual players we have seen various degrees of improvement. All of the boys have tried hard, but some have picked up the game better than others. Although we have the smallest team in the competition the boys are to be congratulated on their willingness to keep trying at all times. Ravi McCosker has performed very well all the season. As our goalkeeper he has made many great saves, and if he hadn't played we would have been beaten by many goals. Matthew Kirk and Tane Von Horton have tried very hard in the fullback position. They are starting to combine in defence, and Matthew is a courageous little player who keeps going despite receiving some heavy knocks. Although Tane tends to wander out of position, he can be a very useful player when he applies himself. Mike Lees is improving with each game. His total effort in each game will see him continue to improve, Peter Gattenhof plays some good parts in a game, but still switches off for other parts. When Peter can continue his concentration for a whole game he will be a big asset to our team. Sean Sinclair has missed a few games, but his aggression is spoilt sometimes by his wandering out of position. Scott Thompson gets better with each game. His strong kicking and aggressive tackling has held the team together in the midfield. He has been helped in this area by Glenn Tobin, who follows the ball all the time, but must learn to keep to his position. Drew Purcell and Ben Bateman have shown a lot of improvement on the wing. Drew has been getting some opportunities to run with the ball, and has made some fine runs down the sideline. Ben has been trying to get that left foot of his working and for a tiny fellow has always shown he's not frightened to mix it with the opposition. Chris Cox and Sean Tobin have developed some combination up the front, with Chris being the scorer of most of the goals. Although both boys are small in stature, they lack nothing in determination and effort to do their best for the team. On a few occasions we've had to call on Bradley Kirk and Chris McCosker from the under 7's to help field a team. Both of these boys have played exceptionally well on all occasions and our team is grateful for their help. If our team can continue the improvement shown so far this season, then it may be some encouragement to a loyal band of parent's who continue to offer all the help they can to the team.

.....Coach

Under 10A: Rd. 13. v BUDGEWOI RESULT: 2-0. Goals in the first and last minutes of play were the only bright spots in an otherwise lethargic performance from the team. We seemed to be content with a one-nil lead after Craig Brann neatly tucked away a through ball. Budgewoi belied their position at the bottom of the table as they applied plenty of pressure in the second half. It if hadn't been for the defensive efforts of Mark Wallace and Troy Northey, I think the result may have been different. Goalkeeper Kyle Clarke is becoming more confident each match and is reading the game well.

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Under 10A (cont) Simon Burgess' header from a well taken Scott Brown corner was worth waiting 48 minutes for....with very little else happening in between time. We all know you are capable of better. Rd.14. v WOY WOY RESULT: 2-1. Wyoming faced last years Grand Final opponents Woy Woy for the first time this season. Expecting a hard tussle we were not disappointed. A Woy Woy defender under pressure in front of goal mistimed his clearance and found the back of his own net to make the half-time score 1-0. In the second half the opposition were dangerous on the break and on one such occasion grabbed the equaliser with goalie Kyle Clarke managing to get to the ball but unable to hold it. We hit back when Simon Burgess scored with a good shot 'on the turn'. After a couple of 'close shaves' in our own goal mouth we were able to secure a 2-1 victory to stay in the minor-premiership race. Rd. 15 v EAST GOSFORD RESULT: 3-1. Our forwards wore their 'shooting' boots today and were rewarded with three good goals. It was the first time that we had scored more than twice in a match since round four. Andrew McDonald picked up two deserved goals whilst Shane White grabbed his first for the season. A good team effort. 17.7.83. KILLARNEY KNOCKOUT. The 10A's were one of 32 local teams contesting this annual competition. We were drawn to play Umina in the first game, not having played them previously this season. Wyoming emerged winners 2-0 after many chances went begging. Gosford City, as usual gave us a hard match in the second round. The full-time whistle could not come quickly enough as we clung to a brittle 2-1 lead to put us through to the next round. The only side to have beaten us this year, Kanwal were our third round opponents. Wyoming must have had this in the back of their minds as they proceeded to 'carve up' the opposition scoring three goals to nil. This was a memorable performance by the team, producing a delightful brand of attacking soccer. Semi final.....we lined up against competition leaders The Entrance. Wyoming went down fighting 1-2 in a hard match marred by some crude tackling from the opposition. Unfortunately the referee must take part of the blame as he should have taken a sterner approach. For the weary Wyoming warriors well...they didn't take home the winner's trophy but one thing is certain...they gave it all they had. Congratulations boys a magnificent effort....you did your club proud. Rd. v KILLARNEY RESULT: 0-0. Wyoming found the tough Killarney defence and the cold Batea Bay wind a difficult combination to contend with. We couldn't find the net after spending the first stanza camped in our opponent's half. Appearing to be a little jaded from the previous weekend, we were grateful to come out of the game with a competition point. With four rounds of the premiership remaining Wyoming are currently in second spot with 2 points.

.....Coach.

Under 8A2: 2.7.83. Against Davistown Away. Lost 0-1. Talk about hot and cold performers. After last weeks dismal effort the boys played an absolute blinder today. Even the referee came over after the game and commented on how good it was. The boys tried everything they know to get a goal but once again it was not meant to be. We put Matthew Wilkie in goals and he played extremely well and saved some fine shots. Peter Petch defended brilliantly and the halves kept the ball up to our forwards all day. Grant Richardson kept going flat out all day and ended up on his back with a bent nose but came up smiling and into the game again. Ryan Collins showed he has some skill after all and kept the defence very tight. Well done Ryan. We gave Gavin Gray a game at right back and that seems to be the position for him. He has a good boot for a small lad. All in all it was a good game from everybody. 9.7.83. Against Gosford at Gavenlock 0-0 Draw. After a fast start to the game our boys settled into the attack and kept the pressure on Gosford all the way. Our defenders marked their men well and played Gosfords attackers right out of the game. Once again Peter Petch proved a valuable asset in

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Under 8A2: (cont) the defence, playing a faultless game. At last it looks like we have a goalie in Matthew but he reckons its a bit lonely at his end of the field. That's how all goalies should be Matthew. Ryan Collins made some nice attacks on goal and was extremely unlucky not to get a goal. We had a few crocks in the team, limping about towards the end but they all kept going. When all the boys are playing well it's a shame to take them off at halftime, but everybody must have a go. With a bit more concentration on the ball and better passing we will have a good team for next year if I can keep them all together. Good effort boys. 16.7.83. Against Umina. Lost 2-1. Having decided to change the team around and try the boys out in different positions I think we will have to go back to plan A. portion 2, Section 3. The boys were completely lost and went down 2 nil at half time. Back to their normal position and away we went. Ryan Collins played well all day again and is really getting the idea of attacking the goals. Daniel came good with a beautiful shot from a penalty. Darren Goy's legs seem to be moving very nicely thank you after his treatment and he played nicely for a full game. But lets pass the ball more boys and beat the opposition to it so we can get more possession. When you see boys trying to play who have been missing a lot of training and games you realise how quickly they fall behind the other lads. Next year is competition and missed training sessions will lead to being dropped from the team for the following weeks game. The 'flu is still playing havoc amongst the boys. 23.7.83. Away to Ettalong Lost 0-1. Once again the dreaded wog has taken toll of the team and only 10 boys turned up. The game started on a furious pace and was kept up all day. Warren had another go at goals and did an excellent job. Some nice play from a goal kick from Ettalong saw them go 1 up 5 minutes before half time. The boys started to attack with more determination and put the pressure on Ettalong all the way. It was a rough game with the lads dealing out as much as they got in good clean tackles. Matthew, Aaron, Grant, and Gavin Singh kept the ball alive and made some good breaks between them. Gavin Gray worked very well in the midfield with Darren Goy. The backs were a bit scrappy at times but managed to come good when needed most. Daniel couldn't work out whether he wanted to be a forward or back and when he got the ball seemed to be out of puff from all the unnecessary chasing. But all in all it was a good game to watch and well played.

.....Coach

Under 10B1: 2.7.83. v WYONG. WON 2-1. This would have to be one of the most exciting game of the season with Adam Kirkwood and Mathew Rutherford playing an excellent game in the backs. The first half we were one goal down with a penalty by Bradley Place being unsuccessful after a good save by the Wyong goalie. The first half our boys out played Wyong slightly. The second half was a more exciting half, with Bradley continuously out playing and running wyong with numerous solo breaks down the wing being unable to complete very fine tactics, with only receiving a penalty after mis-play by Wyong, with Bradley being winded from the incident. Adam Clarke scored a very fine goal for the equaliser. By now the team had heaps of spirits and enthusiasm with Brett Sanderson scoring the winning goal after some great attack by our forwards. All the boys played a great game. Most enjoyable game to watch. Boys well done. 9.7.83. v DAVISTOWN LOST 2-0. Well we met the competition leaders. In this game we planned to defend and stop them from scoring. Our defence was very good but the windy conditions suited Davistown in this game. Our defence of Mathew Rutherford, Joel Evans, Dale Condon, Adam Clarke and Bradley Place made only one mistake in the game by leaving a gap for them to score. If we had the same ability in our fowards we could have worried them a lot more. Their second goal was a lucky bounce of the ball in the windy conditions and bounced over Craig's head. Well played boys and looking forward to meeting them again: 16.7.83. v WYOMING Bz's. WON 1-0. Well this team

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Under 10B1 (cont) makes me wonder why they are at the bottom end of the competition. Vic and Dean have them playing well and we were lucky to get the 2 points. Although we missed a lot of chances in the first half due to good work by their goalie Peter Sutherland. But in the second half Joel Evans finally found the goal after good effort from the halves. Players to stand out in this game were Adam Clarke, Bradley Place and our goal scorer, Joel Evans. 17.7.83.

THE KNOCKOUT GAMES. We made up a makeshift side of B1's and B2's our first game we won 1-0 against a very determined Killarney side. Luck was with us in our second game against Wyong result was 0-0 but we had the better of the game and won on corners 3-2. In our third game against the under 10A's competition leaders The Entrance. This was guts and determination from our side we held them nil all at half time. Through a superb effort from Craig Ross in goals. This upset The Entrance who had no answer for our defence of Joel Evans, Dale Condon, Adam Clarke, Bradley Place and Peter Shaw. In the second half we forced them into errors which resulted in their full-back scoring a goal for us. But they came back with minutes remaining to score a long range goal a lucky one to go in, result 1-1 all but our luck ran out in the corner being 3-2. Thanksto all the boys from our team and the 10B2's, Scott McLure, Stuart Bracken, Andrew Jay, Dean Wheeler, Peter Sutherland and a special thanks to Peter Shaw. Well done boys. 23.7.83. v TOUKLEY WON. 1-0. We started this game where we left off on Sunday with plenty of determination with three of our boys away sick we had to use our Under 8 player Robbie Ross who played a big part in our win. We had the better of this first half and worried Toukley no end but just could not score. But in the second half with the wind we had them beaten in all departments, and finally Adam Clarke found the net with a great shot from a long way out. Our best players in defence were Dale Condon who never stopped all day, Mathew Rutherford, Joel Evand, Adam Clarke and Bradley Place in attack, Robbie Ross and Darryl Lambert tried hard all day. Great effort boys with only 10 players.

.....Manager.

Under 10B2: 2.7.83. WYOMING (2) v TOUKLEY. SCORE 0-1. After the 5-0 defeat in the first round, we thought "what the heck" lets give this side a run for its money. We are now down to the basic 11 players and Friday nights and Saturday mornings are nerve-racking on the coach and manager as we wonder if we'll have a full side or not. We have to thank all the boys for their efforts and to the parents for their support. Today the boys put in a sterling effort considering at least 6 of them had played in a school gala day the day before. They kept Toukley out of our half for long periods in the first half and it wasn't until the second half that Toukley managed to slip one past young Pete Sutherland. Pete made some good saves even though injuring his hand early in the game. Who said goalies aren't tough? I would also like to thank Andrew Jay for playing when we were short even though he had a 38 degree C (or 100 degree F) temperature and had been ill the day before. The boys are showing good team spirit which at their age is most important. 9.7.83. WYOMING v Umina. SCORE 0-2. The boys today faced Umina for the first time this year, the first round having been washed out. For once the boys got into the game from the first whistle, and started to move the ball around. Playing into a strong wind they started to look for support and put a stronger foot into the ball. Without regular keeper Peter Sutherland we were at a slight disadvantage however, stand in keeper Andrew Jay tried very hard. A wind assisted first goal and a good passing move from Umina had the score at 0-2 in the first half. Peter Shaw made a good forward move late in the first half and took a fine shot at goal only to see it rebound off the cross bar. In the second half with the wind assisting, the boys kept the ball in Umina's half for most of the game and we were unlucky not to score twice a shot from Dean Wheeler going just over the bar and Pete Shaw once again hitting the corner of the goal for a second time. In our last three

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Under 10B2 (cont) games we have only had 1 goal scored against us in the second half of each match so if only our luck could change we could resiter a win for the boys sake if nothing else. 16.7.83. WYOMING (2) v WYOMING (1) SCORE 0-1. Gurdge match time again and both teams were anxious to get the better of each other. The first round **resulted in a 0-0 draw** and our boys always like to give Michael and Les's team a good run for their money. Both teams got into the game from the opening whistle and the game varied from attack to defence often. The boys always seem to give their best in these games and did nearly everything expected of them. Some more talking to each other is needed and backing up is essential. Often when we played wide there was no one in the centre to finish off. Also in defence it is most important to clear the ball out and not waste time, in attack when near the 18 yard line "have a go" don't look for the "perfect" opening which seems to never come. Pressure on the keeper is the only way to score goals. These skills will come in time just ask the 1st graders!!!! 23.7.83. WYOMING(2) v ETTALONG SCORE 0-2. We are getting close to the end of the season now and it doesn't look like we will ever get those elusive goals. In our last four games we have been behind at half time, come good in the second half and kept the opposition scoreless in the second half. Goals have eluded the boys on so man occasions over the last four weeks it isn't funny. In the first half Ettalong were on top all the time and picked up two easy goals. I say easy because stand in keeper Andrew Jay should have have had to hold off the opposition on his own. Boys there are ten more of you before the ball gets near the keeper and if anyone is to blame for allowing the ball to go in the goal, its all of you not just the keeper. The backs are NOT tackling, talking or clearing the ball when near our goal. The forwards and midfielders are crowding each other, not marking a player and shooting for goal when near the opposing goal. Whether its Andrew or Peter Sutherland in goal its got to be a full team effort to win games. You have proved you are as good as or even better than the other teams by not having any goals scored in the second half, but by that time the damage has been done, its very hard to come from behind and win. The job is a lot easier if you have points on the board by half-time. Players to show a big improvement over the last few weeks are Rodney Rathbone, Nicholas Benson, Dean Wheeler and Garry Ferguson. Thank you to Andrew Jay for standing in as keeper.

.....Manager.

Under 10C: Since the last report the team has continued its winning ways and to date remains as the only undefeated team in the Wyoming Soccer Club, as well as having been scored against in only one game all the season. The game against Ourimbah, our arch rivals from last year, was another nil all draw. The boys were all over them but could not find the back of the net. The next week against Terrigal they put in the worst performance all year and were lucky to get the two points from an only goal from the foot of Stephen Davies. On July 16th the result against Berkely of 2 nil was pleasing with "Muzza" Kilfoyle scoring his second goal of the season on the same ground, and David Post putting in some tricky footwork to side step the goalie for the second goal. Darren Rowland ran tirelessly again and saved a certain goal with a safe cover and clearance. The final game on Sunday 24th was probably the most gratifying as, after playing two nil all draws previously, finally got the better of Ourimbah, and Darren Rowland broke the drought by putting one past the keeper for a 1 nil decision. I was playing on another ground at the time and missed the game, however, reports have it that the wife stood in well to obtain a result that has eluded myself and could be pushing for my position next season. I hope the next report is as positive as the last ones and the team remains undefeated and continues on to the Grand Final in their previously successful form.

.....Coach.

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Under 10D: 2.7.83. Loss 2-nil P.M.K. A disappointing effort at Peats Ridge. The boys just could not get their act together. In all areas P.M.K. made us look like a pack of newcomers. Whilst the opposition did have the advantage of their home ground and the fact that two of our more experienced players being out injured should not have made that much difference. This is because most of our new players are fitting in well and I feel can replace players where necessary. 9.7.83. Win 5-0 Terrigal. With the team back to full strength - we had a whole new ball game. Unfortunately I missed the game but from all accounts the boys played magnificently without exception. Ronan scored the first goal to be followed up with four more goals from our centre Paul. The midfielders and backs played great. It just shows you how many goals we can score when our forwards are not starved off the ball. Full credit to the fullbacks Rodney, Shannon, David and Matthew who produced some good defence, also to our midfielders BJ and Brendian. Jacob also had an exceptionally good game on the wing I was told, and Greg, Paul Jones and Peter also tried hard like usual. 16.7.83 Bye: 23.7.83. Win 3-Nil Kanwal2. The first half was very slow and although the boys had the ball up Kanwal's half for 90% of the time they did little with it as far as scoring. Full credit must go to Kanwal's goalkeeper who was certainly kept busy. In the second half they finally clicked. Greg on the wing loped a high ball over the heads of the defence to score a well deserved goal - great work mate. This effort was followed by several more strong efforts from Ronan and Paul to seal Kanwal's fate. BJ and Brendian also worked hard in the midfield and never stopped running. 24.7.83. Draw 2-2 P.M.K. This was a washed out game from 1/5/83 and was played up at Peats Ridge. The game was exciting in all respects and although a draw, it was a much better effort than our previous encounter. Our main weakness lay in the backs, but both Ray and myself feel it we can get the backs working consistently we should make the semi's with no worries. However, I also feel we played the ball too much to P.M.K.'s advantage. The ball has to be moved around more to find the opponents' weakest points, and the boys failed to do this. Matthew saved a near goal with quick action, but without a doubt our Star was even who had a terrific game in goals, saving numerous attempts from P.M.K.'s strong attack. Paul scored our two goals in the first half and although the second half was exciting it failed to produce our winning goal. A fine effort boys, keep up the good teamwork and we'll make the finals yet.

.....Manager.

Under 11B: 2nd July. vs WYONG. 1-3 Loss. Once again - and for the third year in succession, the post Gale Day infection was inflicted upon all players. May be some day a cure will be found. A game best forgotten. Sam, Darren and Ian being the better players. 9th July vs NOY WOY 4-0 Win. One could be excused for thinking this was a different team to that of last week. The boys showed some welcome signs of playing somewhere near their potential. This was because there was more talking, passing the ball amongst each other and getting to the ball first. Paul, Luke and Troy were amongst the much improved players. 16th July vs P.M.K. 1-1 Draw. Apparently the long drive mixed with the mountain air and a relapse of the Gale Day infection, affected the boys' performance. There appeared to be no enthusiasm, motivation or attention to the basic skills. Hopefully this ends the boys run of "off" games. Jarrod, Derreck and Anthony played nearest to their usual game. 23rd July vs TOUKLEY 8-1 Win. Even though the score is not a true indication of the game, the boys showed throughout the whole fifty minutes most of what they have been taught. Forgetting a few short lapses, the team tried to be first to the ball, talked amongst themselves, passed the ball to someone in a better position

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Under 11B (cont) If you keep up this type of football, then you will enjoy playing the game even more. The better players were Greg, Craig, Matthew and Richard. A special appeal from the coach.....Talk during the game; you don't stop at any other time!!!!

.....Manager.

Under 11C: This is a great report boys to do. You really are starting to fire every boy is helping each other and this is starting to show in your play. But you must take each game as it comes, don't get over confident. But 6 games, 6 wins it is not bad over the last month. A few boys deserve a mention a good captain in Derrick, great goals Adam R. and Greenie, Andrian improving, Mouth improving. Just listen to your coach at training, stop talking, save that for the game. Sorry I forgot to inform you about last Sundays game Twelve, I'm sure if you had played we would have 4-0 instead of 3-0. David (Giggles) glad to hear its only a bruise. PARENTS, All Parents, support your TEAM.

.....Coach.

Under 11D2: After a bad start to the season for the boys with lack of numbers to make a full team and no full time coach to get them on the field at each game, the boys have kept up their morale and fought on regardless. No one could have blamed them if they had given up. On behalf of the parents of these boys, I am sure it was greatly appreciated by us all that the Smith's had devoted their time with all the other soccer commitments to our boys. Also Gary McLeod who was putting the boys onto the field on the Saturdays. 4.7.83. Against Ourimbah. With lack of numbers and guidance the boys lost some spirit with a bad loss only to face the same team the next day at East Gosford for a washed out game. With some good help from some younger brothers, and friends from the under nines and a now new coach, who the boys didn't know who the heck it was trying to direct them from the side line, they faced up to Ourimbah for another loss. The boys are now training two nights a week and improving considerably each game even though it is late in the season. 9.7.83. Against 11D1. They certainly showed what they can do against our own Clubs 11D1 at Ourimbah, even though it was a hard fought 2 all draw. 16.&23.7.83. Against Terrigals 1 & 2. The team was scared off by the Terrigals name for some reason. Sunday's washed out game 24th July. After a defeat on Saturday to Terrigal 1 the boys got stuck into the Terrigal 2 and showed they could really play soccer. Although they really played well it was a nil all draw, but that's better than a loss. It's got to be a win next week.

.....Manager.

Under 12A1: Another monthly report sees the team in a mid season slump, winning 2 games and losing 4. This brings our record to 8 wins 1 draw and 3 losses, scoring 36 goals and conceding 9. 2.7.83. WYOMING 4 BUDGEWOI 0. A very poor team effort with the only bright spots being Chris LARKINS scoring two goals and a good game from WAYNE LIUBINSKAS. 9.7.83. WYOMING 2 WOY WOY 0. An improvement by the team with Simon ANDREW scoring both goals again in the first half, and splendid goal keeping from CRAIG HARRINGTON plus the solid return to the team by DAVID BELL. Thanks to STEPHEN COTTLE and SEAN MITCHELL for helping out during the game. 16.7.83. WYOMING 0 EAST GOSFORD 1. A miserable effort from a team with heaps of soccer ability, but unfortunately they do not use this ability. Good goal keeping from CRAIG HARRINGTON saved us from a bigger defeat, but some players are taking it easy while others are trying to do everyones job. 23.7.83. WYOMING 0 KILLARNEY 1. A big improvement on lost weeks effort but team spirit

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Under 12A1:(cont) and enthusiasm is sadly lacking. Good games from GARRY McLeod, STUART FINLAY and JOHN MCGARVEY kept us in the game but our forwards seem to have forgotten how to attempt goals let alone score them. However, on the bright side of things, we are still in the top four and the team will improve from here on.

.....Coach.

Under 12C: 28.5.83. WYOMING v WOY WOY. Mother nature frowned on us again and the boys had to play in torrential rain - however, this didn't dampen the boys spirit and they made amends for their first up loss to Woy Woy with an 8-nil win. A full team effort with great passing and fine variations of play - congratulations to all the boys. WYOMING v BUDGEWOI. 25.6.83. After a slow start the boys settled down to some good attacking play and were virtually never out of their opponents goal area. Strong games were had by Daniel Hubbard, Dean Bignall, Neil Carney, Jason Jay and Jeremy Hoskins in the attack while Alan Camerson, Michael Hickey, Mark Comber, Matthew Hennessy and Warren (Wozza) Beaty had a good defensive game. A great team effort and a special mention must go to Rod Scales and his safe hands. Goals were scored by Dean 1, Jason 2, and Neil 2. Score 5-nil. 2.6.83. WYOMING v OURIMBAH. Under gusty cold conditions the boys were under pressure early in the game from a much improved Ourimbah side and only a great save from Rod Scales saved a certain goal. The boys then started to fire and turned in a strong performance for the remainder of the game. Neil Carney, Jeremy Hoskin, Dean Bignall and Mark Comber had a strong attacking game while Michael Hickey had his usual strong defensive game along with strong kicks from "Wozza". Good defence from Alan Cameron and Jason Jay who was unlucky not to score a goal with a great kick from the quarter line. Great team effort again. Goals scored by Dean Bignall 3, score 3 nil.

.....Coach.

Under 13A: 9.7.83. v UMINA. 3.0. This game was played in very cold and windy conditions at Umina Oval. The boys were slow to start probably due to the bad conditions but finally got on top in the second half. Unfortunately the ground is in a terrible state and with the sand base made the ball bounce in all different directions, causing problems for both teams. 16.7.83. v KANWAL 0-2. This was a very important game for us as it meant the minor premiership. Kanwal out played us in all departments and unfortunately deserved their win. 23.7.83. v P.M.K. With P.M.K. only fielding 10 players and only 2 of their team being "A" players this game was nothing than a training run. Score was 9-0. 24.7.83. v BUDGEWOI. 4.0. This game had been previously washed out twice and it proved to be a fast game from the start. This was another game which the team had to win due to the tight positions of both teams on the competition ladder. A strong second half left the Budgewoi spectators "stunned" as the first goal went in. They revived a bit only to see another goal go in for a convincing win. The performance in the second half was good enough to win the premiership so keep up the good work boys as we all know you are capable of playing this well.

.....Coach

Under 14A: The under 14's have so far played fifteen games. Of these they have won eight, had five losses and two draws. At the moment they are running fifth and are only one point off being in the final four. Last weekend the boys had to play both Saturday and Sunday. On Saturday they played Terrigal at Terrigal and came up with a 2-0 win. Then on Sunday they played Budgewoi at Budgewoi, and had a 2 all draw. The final score of this match was not a very good indication of the game. It was a very torrid game in which

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Under 14A (cont) the boys created quite a few opportunities to score more goals than they did, but unfortunately had difficulty and a little bad luck in finishing them off. This season has seen quite an improvement in some of the players. The next three games are very important for the team, as they need to win all three to be guaranteed a definite semi-final berth. If the boys can show a little more determination, with everyone applying more effort, I'm confident they could not only make it into the semi-finals, but also to the grand final.

.....Coach

Under 16B: 3.7.83. WYOMING v DAVISTOWN. Draw 2-2. Wyoming started this game as if they were going to annihilate Davistown, but only managed to score once in the first half through D.FREYER. The second half saw Davistown take the lead to 2-1 one goal being a penalty, but through some determined work against an inspired Davistown, K.JONES scored the equalizer, but to be honest we were lucky to grab a point. 10.7.83. WYOMING v KANWAL. Win 1-0. This Kanwal team are very predicable plenty of hustle and bustle but unable to put the ball in the net, some good defensive work by D.MOFFAT who played very well helped to settle the backs down, also good front running by D.FREYER made us very dangerous on breakaways and he eventually scored a good goal, a well played game by Wyoming. 17.7.83. WYOMING v ETTALONG. Draw 2-2. I could watch this sort of game every week it see-sawed from end to end, Ettalong scored twice in the first half but we were unlucky not to have had a few ourselves. Half time 2-0 to Ettalong. The second half we saw J.SCHMIDT score first, then we put the pressure on Ettalong and eventually D.FREYER scored the equalizer and in the end we should have run out winners. Congratulations to the Wyoming side for a fine second half and also to Ettalong, a very good side.

.....Manager.

Under 9A1: WYOMING vs ETTALONG. Although the boys were trying hard in the first half a lot of kicks were not being connected to other players. A lot of shots were directed at Ettalong's net but unfortunately were not finding it. Score nil all. In the second half the team-work picked up and they started to fire and pass and a goal was scored in the first 5 minutes. Three other good team-work goals were scored to give us a score at 4 nil at full-time. Good effort by Danny Bembrick in the goals although he played with a slight injury. Goal Scorers 1 by Brett Woods, 1 by Michael Liubinskas, 1 by Phillip Rutherford, 1 by Conrad Strachan. 9.7.83. WYOMING vs TERRIGAL. In the windy cold conditions also running up-hill in the first half against the wind. Glen Durie, Danny Bembrick and David Hildridge played well in the back line and playing the off-side role to our advantage at half-time. In the second half Wyoming lifted their game and played more attack, which saw Daniel Wilson score the first goal. The second goal was scored by Phillip Rutherford, it was good team effort and Phillip just happened to be in the right spot at the right moment to pull this one off. The third goal coming from a long, high ball from just past the middle of the field, beating the keeper all hand up, Brett Woods scored. The boys all played very well and were given total support by the cheering parents on the side-line. Conrad Strachan who played goal keeper, used very good judgement and commonsense defending our goal excellantly, full credit is due to Conrad in these blustery conditions. Final Score Wyoming 3-nil. 15.7.83. WYOMING vs DAVISTOWN. An exciting first half, with Wyoming determining most of the play. Full credit is due to the good passing and good team work even though they were running up hill the first half of the game. All the boys played extremely well. Half time score was 1 nil. In the 2nd half the pace slowed a little. Good fighting

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Under 9A1 (cont) spirits by the boys saw many balls cross the goal mouths, but unfortunately the strikers had many exciting and near misses. Final Score Wyoming 2-nil. Goal Scorers Ryan Marshall 1, and Nigel Forster 1. 23.7.83. WYOMING 9A1's vs WYOMING 9A2's. In the first half Wyoming passing the ball around scored 2 nil. In the second half they came back with more determination, with all the boys passing well. Wyoming scoring 4 good goals by a good team effort. Good effort by boys taking corner kicks, the balls were being placed well. I thought that the A2's defensive line played well. All the team listened extremely well and tried to execute what they were hearing. Final Score 6-nil. Goal Scorers, 2 Brett Woods, 2 Michael Liubinskas, 2 Conrad Strachan.

.....Coach

Under 15 GIRLS: 5.6.83. WYOMING vs OCEAN BEACH. This was the girls first game in 3 weeks because of the wet weather. The girls found out with no training, no soccer it was very hard to play the game of soccer in the first half. Then the girls put it all together to prove too strong for Ocean Beach to give us a 4-1 win. Best players on the day were Theresea Barber, Michele Davidson, Belinda Deamer and Diane Fathers. 12.6.83. No Game. 19.6.83. No Game. 26.6.83. WYOMING vs GOSFORD CITY. This was the girls first game against Gosford City all the season. The girls were waiting for this game to happen and it did. What a win! Well I was shocked, I couldn't believe it, the girls were passing the ball around the field to find our players and talked to each other to have a gib 8-nil win over our nearest neighbours. All the girls played very well. I couldn't see any girls who played poorly throughout the game. It was the best game I have seen the girls play all season. The goals were scored by Joan Dempsey 3, Michelle Nicholls 2, Joanne Callaghan 2 and Belind Finch 1. 28.6.83. WYOMING vs KILLARNEY DISTRICT U/17. The under 15 and Under 17 were joined together in the same Normal Ross Cup Knockout competition. Well I won't say much about this game. Just that we were well beaten by a much older and a very experienced side to be beaten by 11-nil. 3.7.83. WYOMING vs KILLARNEY DISTRICT. In the first half the girls played extremely good soccer in defence and attack with Joan Dempsey who scored our only goal to give us one nil lead at half time. In the second half the girls collapsed, Killarney took full advantage of it to win 4-1. 10.7.83. WYOMING vs OCEAN BEACH. Won 4-nil. Today's play was a little scrappy probably due to bit of sickness in the side. The main fault was that there was too much bunching up. Improved efforts were handed in by Belinda Finch as a centre striker and Toni Condon and Lisa Carstairs in the back line. 17.7.83. WYOMING 7 vs GOSFORD CITY 0. An excellent game of soccer was handed in by everyone today. Everyone stayed in position, called for the ball and passed the ball to our players. See what happens when you do this girls, the goals come alot easier. The best players on the day were, Kim Ussher, Joanne Callaghan, Theresa Barber and Tracy Lettree. The semi finals start next week. I hope the girls continue their good form to get in the Grand Finals.

.....Coach.

Under 12A2: 2.7.83. Game Against East Gosford. This game started at a very fast pace with the ball going from one end to the other. All boys playing well and marking their opponents in the first half. A lapse in the defence allowed East Gosford to score 2 goals before half time. Just after the break we suffered an injury with one player leaving the field and reducing us to 10 players for the rest of the game which, made it an impossible task to bridge the gap.

SENIOR SCENE

With only five games to go there appears no chance of the First grade being relegated and of course no chance of making the final four. So with the pressure off, coach Kevin Best has instructed his team to entertain its supporters and enjoy themselves. Reserve grade are obviously in a far better position and although not playing to the best of their ability are likely final four contenders.

Last month has had its up and down with losses to Wyong 3/1, Southern United 2/1, Umina 4/1 and wins against Toukley 4/2.

The highlight of the month was the win against Umina A by Wyoming A in the Angel Pie Cup at Baker Park. With the score at 1/0 in our favour with only five minutes remaining the game looked safe and sound but it was not to be. Umina scored to tie the game and put the game into extra time and finally penalty kicks. With luck finally going our way with some fine penalty kicks and some fine goalkeeping from Glen Stewart the game was won 4/3 on penalties. Joe Dalforno the sportsman that he is, tried to keep the penalty count as close as possible.

The next game against Ourimbah (Wyomings 5th grade) saw Wyoming A into the semi finals against Killarney A. The winner to play Wyong A on Sunday 14/8/83.

The Angel Pie Cup also saw the Club's "B" side perform well with a good win against Toukley "B" 3/2 but going down to Wyong "A" 4/0 who appears to be the team to beat this year.

Other highlights of the month was the youngest team ever to grace the 1st grade shirts for the club against Umina, and although beaten 4/1 were not disgraced when only 1/0 down with 10 minutes to go. Also there were only 5 players who had not played previously that day. The average age 22, with Joe Dalforno the grand father and the under 20, Talbot, Frame, McNeil, Van Dorp, Green, Matuska, Robson, Pudsey.

Another milestone reached was the youngest player ever to play 1st grade was attained by Stephen Van Dorp against Southern United. A ripe young age of 17½ years.

With the Angel Pie Cup being played each week together with the competition proper the managers of 1st and Reserve grade have been kept fairly busy. Kevin Best has asked me to give them a sincere thanks for the work done to date. The two men are George Ferguson and Vic Winney. Two interested parents who are being initiated into Senior Soccer. I hope the Club does not over tax their enthusiasm.

Reserve grade have had an average month but still cling to a final four spot. Other than their Angel Cup fixtures the team had results as Wyong 1/1, Southern 2/1, Umina 0/2, Toukley 2/2.

One player that should be mentioned is Chris Cantwell who is one of the keenest trainers and shows it on the weekends when he plays consistently well each week. Not only does he play 1st grade but also doubles beforehand to play Reserve grade. An outstanding month for one of the keenest players Wyoming has.

With injuries the order of the month, coach Kevin Best is getting greyer and greyer trying to select a team each week. Thanks have to go to Col Menzies and the U/19 for the way they have responded to doubling up each week. It is hoped that it benefits their plight in their own competition. Under 19 players to play up in 1st grade are Taylor, Porter, Van Dorp, Matuska, Green, Robson and Bulley.

SENIOR SCENE
(cont)

Players who played well last month are, Glen Stewart in goals, Joe Dalforno in defence, Chris Cantwell and David Talbot in midfield and Dave Cronk and Steve Frame in attack. In Reserve grade Dave McNeil and Mark Selig in defence and Bruce Phillips in midfield.

The under 19 team floundering at the moment will have to get their act together if they want to celebrate at the end of the year. It's a wonder someone hasn't come up with a nick name for this side. McHale's Navy would be appropriate - with all the torpedoes they have been shooting lately one wonders whether they are celebrating a little premature. This team has class but only with a little bit of dedication will the class finish in points on the board. The players who have showed their style in 1st grade only proves they can take this competition out. I only hope they give Col Menzies their 100% support for the remainder of the year.

SEE YOU AT GRAHAM PARK ON THE 14/8/83.

"BUTTERCUP"

3RD GRADE "B"

3.7.83. Game Against Wyong. Today the real Wyoming 3rd Grade team stood up to be counted, completely out playing Wyong in every department. Our new boy in the team Glen Gilbert gave his all and finally ran himself to a stand still. With a few more games under his belt he is going to be a big asset to the old boys. The only time we were threatened in the game the ever reliable Trevor Ross flew from the clouds to head the ball to safety. This game proved beyond doubt that if we play the ball on the ground and use the short snappy passes we are a very hard team to beat. Final Score, WYOMING 1, WYONG 0. 10.7.83. Game Against Budgewoi. With the first round loss to Budgewoi fresh in everyone's mind, it was a hammer and tongs from the opening whistle, with their own referee again it seemed as though Budgewoi could kick everyone in sight. After about 10 mins of play with Wyoming very strongley on the attack, Glen was hacked down with one of the most viscious tackles seen all year. Not long after this Wyoming hit the back of the net and the ball rebounded out, the referee claiming he was unsighted ruled no goal. To add insult to this, Budgewoi scored just after this to have us down 0-1. But this was just what we needed to spur everyone into action with the equaliser coming just one minute later. After a further period of torrid play (players on both sides) Wyoming scored again which seemed to take the fight out of Budgewoi. Final Score, WYOMING 2, Budgewoi 1. 17.7.83. Game Against East Gosford. Well this was the game that we all wanted to win to sew up the Minor Premiership, but alas all players seemed a little bit flat after the previous two hard games. Instead of our usual game of playing the ball on the ground, we resorted to using the long high ball which does not suit us. Just before half time a "STANLY" header went the wrong way and landed at the feet of the East Gosford striker who made no mistake with this gift. This left us down 0-1 but worse was to come, we were awarded a penalty but the ever reliable "PENNY FARTHING" managed to put this gift over the bar. Just on full time "THE SCOTCHMAN" did a bit of shirt pulling inside the box and gave away a penalty. The East Gosford kicker made no mistake (I hope you watched Steve). This left the full time East Gosford 2. Wyoming 0, to give us our second defeat of the year.

SENIOR SCENE
3RD GRADE
"B"

24.7.83. Game Against Gosford. After a torrid encounter in the first round everyone expected the same sort of game, but there was no sting in Gosford this time, with no pressure being applied on our backs. After we scored an early goal it was one way traffic. With the forwards getting plenty of ball the score should have been much higher. Obviously "PENNY FAT-ING" didn't watch East Gosford take their penalty the previous week as he missed with his again this week. The full time score Wyoming 4, Gosford. 0.

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Under 12A2: (cont) Late in the game East Gosford scored another 2 goals to leave the full time score EAST GOSFORD 4, WYOMING 0.

9.7.83. Game Against Killarney. What a great effort put in by the boys, playing in the very difficult windy conditions and this our first home game of the year. All players played to the best of their ability and were rewarded by going into half time holding Killarney to nil all. In the second half Killarney had one decent shot which resulted in a goal, but the boys never gave up and were very unlucky not to score right on full time. Final Result,

KILLARNEY 1, WYOMING. 0. 16.7.83. BYE. 23.7.83. Game Against Umina. A good effort by the team against the competition leaders. Try as they might they could not breach the Umina defence. Finally the pressure told and gaps appeared in our defence to allow Umina to score 4 goals. With a bit more effort by the whole team we should record a win in our next game.

.....Coach

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The above college is sending 2 teams of soccer players on a tour, leaving New Zealand in August and arriving on the Central Coast on 3rd September. Our club will be hosting these boys and we are urgently requiring billets for them. Accomodation would be needed for Saturday night 3rd, Sunday 4th, Monday 5th and Tuesday 6th. So far the only response has been from 9A1, 11A and 13A teams. These boys range in ages from 14 to 16 and will be playing our two under 16 teams, may even play the 14A as well.

Should you require any further information please contact Jill Smith on 24 7218 or 24 5792 as time is running out.

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