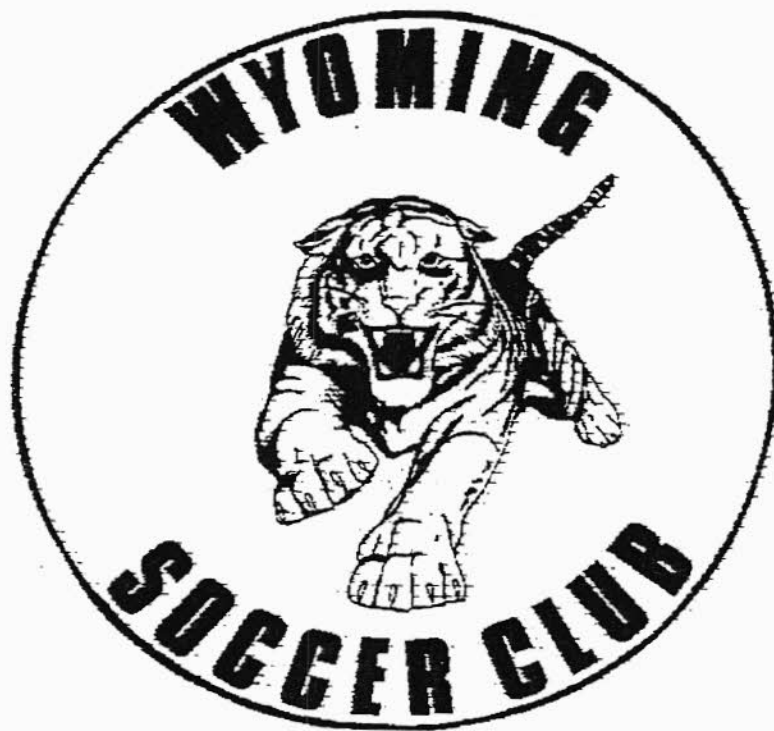


# TIGER TALES



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Previous Committee Executive

PREVIOUS COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE				
Year	President	Vice President	Secretary	Treasurer
1970	Clive Wennerbom	Ron Short	John Harris	
1971	Clive Wennerbom	Ron Short	John Harris/ Bev Oliver	Brian Pudsey
1972	Clive Wennerbom	Kevin Watson	Bev Oliver	Brian Pudsey
1973	Clive Wennerbom	Jorg Breitkopf	Kevin Watson	Ray Presdee
1974	Clive Wennerbom	Ron Short	Kevin Watson	Brian Pudsey/ Bill Neilson
1975	Jorg Breitkopf	Terry Norton/ Dennis Brady	Kevin Watson/ Ray Taylor	Laurie Godfrey/ Bill Neilson
1976	Clive Wennerbom	Jorg Breitkopf	Ray Taylor	Bill Neilson
1977	Kevin Watson	Jorg Breitkopf/ Clive Wennerborn	Val Marshall	Ray Taylor
1978	Jim McCann/ Kevin Best	Graham Smith	Jill Smith	Ron Burgess
1979	Kevin Best	Jorg Breitkopf	Jill Smith	Ron Burgess
1980	Kevin Best	Graham Smith	Jill Smith	Ron Burgess
1981	Kevin Best	Graham Smith	Jill Smith	Col Sinclair
1982	Kevin Best	Graham Smith	Jill Smith	Colin Cottle/ Russ Malsen
1983	Kevin Best	Graham Smith	Jill Smith	Russ Malsen
1984	Kevin Best	Graham Smith	Jill Smith	Geoff Burgess
1985	Kevin Best	Graham Smith	Jill Smith	Geoff Burgess
1986	Kevin Best	Warren Snashall/ Steve Field	Jill Smith	Geoff Burgess
1987	Steve Field	Terry Jones	Marlene Bailey	Garry Smith
1988	Steve Field	Gary Smith	Marlene Bailey	Alistair Kennedy
1989	Steve Field	Gary Smith	Marlene Bailey	Alistair Kennedy
1990	Peter Morrison	John Hughes	Marlene Bailey	Alistair Kennedy
1991	Peter Morrison/ Steve Field	Reagan Coates/ John Hughes	Marlene Bailey	Alistair Kennedy
1992	Steve Field	Reagan Coates	Marlene Bailey	Alistair Kennedy
1993	Bob O'Toole	Steve Frame	Marlene Bailey	John DiCandillo
1994	Donald Sime	Philip Robson	Brian Mottram	Charles Trippier
1995	Gary Johnston	Donald Sime	Marlene Bailey/ Peter Bech	Charles Trippier
1996	Wayne Packer	David Bowcott	Peter Bech	Tracey Hanshaw
1997	Wayne Packer	David Bowcott	Peter Bech	Susan Watts

**SENIOR PLAYER  
OF THE YEAR**

**John Mobberley Award**

1974	Danny Wilkinson
1975	Kevin Best
1976	Frank O'Toole
1977	Mal Tarring
1978	Frank O'Toole
1979	Joe Dalforno
1980	Jim Bryden
1981	Dave Cronk
1982	Mal Tarring
1983	Glen Stewart
1984	Barry Tuddenham
1985	Craig Matuschka
1986	Kevin Best
1987	Dave Talbot
1988	Craig Matuschka
1989	Connel Field
1990	Lance Tropman
1991	Brad Dunn
1992	Nigel Foster
1993	Philip Robson
1994	Philip Cartner
1995	Brad Horrell
1996	Brad Horrell
1997	???????????????

*GREG PRUSTON*

**JUNIOR PLAYER  
OF THE YEAR**

1983	Stephen Hall
1984	Trevor McDougall
1985	Stephen Smith
1986	Matthew Nash
1987	John Bailey
1988	Luke O'Toole
1989	Adam Mackett
1990	Wayne Pagden
1991	Aaron Hood
1992	Bradley Ham
1993	Mark Bohringer
1994	Mark Bohringer
1995	Stephen Bech
1996	Trevor Shute
1997	Abdiqani Hassan

**LADIES PLAYER  
OF THE YEAR**

1982	Sue Smith
1983	Cheryl Fathers
1984	Robyn Brown
1985	Sue Moffitt
1986	Lisa Van Dorp
1987	Sue Moffitt
1988	Sue Moffitt
1989	Cheryl Fathers
1990	Christine Wilkinson
1991	A McLeod
1992	Angela Bohringer
1993	Kerry Smith
1994	Kylie Stewart
1995	Katrina Morrison
1996	Rebecca Wales
1997	?????????

*ANALETTE STEWART*

## CLUB HONOURS LIST

APPRECIATION AWARD
Donated by the Bailey Family
1993 Gary Carmody
1994 Rhonda Bech
1995 Dave Sullivan
1996 Ian Shute
1997 ????????

*Bob O'Toole*

Awarded to a person  
not on the committee  
for service to the Club

LIFE MEMBERS
Marlene Bailey (1990) —
Kevin Best (1977)
Leonie Best (1980)
Jorg Breilkopf (1976)
Joyce Bulley (1980)
Steve Field (1984)
Steve Frame (1988)
Marie Frost (1988)
Peter Frost (1984)
Dave Goy (1989)
Bede Hickey (1982)
Alistair Kennedy (1991) —
Neville Kirk (1991)
Peter Morrison (1992) —
Bob O'Toole (1989) —
Mark Porter (1986)
Paula Robson (1982) —
Phillip Robson (1991) —
Pat Ryan (1989) —
Gary Smith (1992)
Graham Smith (1981)
Jill Smith (1982)
Kevin Watson (1976)
Clive Wennerbom (1976)
Norm Woods (1985)

*DON SIMS (1997)*

CLUB PERSON OF THE YEAR
1975 Don Patterson
1976 Ray Taylor
1977 Val Marshall
1978 Kevin Best
1979 Jill Smith
1980 Peter Frost
1981 Gay Cottle
1982 Steve Field
1983 Jill Smith
1984 Jill Smith
1985 Kevin Best
1986 Steve Field
1987 Marlene Bailey
1988 Gary Smith
1989 Steve Field
1990 Richard Pagden
1991 Joan Mayes
1992 Steve Field
1993 Peter Bech
1994 Dave Bowcott & Charles Trippier
1995 Dave Bowcott
1996 Dave Sullivan
1997 ????????

*Peter Bech*

# PRESIDENTS REPORT



It doesn't seem like eight months have passed since we all lined up down at the Wyoming Shopping Centre and began registrations, yet, here I am writing my last report for the season. Yes, October already!

On the field, our Wyoming players have performed really well.

Our 10D's, 11A's, 13Girls, AA3's, AA5's and 18's won their respective competitions and we had a host of others who just missed out on the prize.

Our Premier League players again performed well, with both missing the Semi's by a solitary point.

Off the field, your committee have again been outstanding with the Club in possibly its best financial position in many years. This result comes, in some ways, from diligence. But more often than not, it comes from sheer hard work by people such as Rhonda and Peter Bech, Dave and Kerry Sullivan and Tracey Hanshaw.

To Mark Le Cornu, Peter Peisley and Kathy and John Robinson as "freshmen" on the committee; the Club couldn't have done without you and I thank you. All other members of the committee; I won't name you all, but suggest you put your feet up for a couple of weeks and relax briefly, it won't be long before we're at it again!! (That includes you Paul Nield).

I also would like to thank the Club's Sponsors for their ongoing support and look forward to your continued involvement with Wyoming.

Lastly, I thank Sue for putting up with me during the season; typing Tiger Tales and fielding the 'phone calls. Now for the Surf Club!

Enjoy your summer everyone and I hope to see you all next season in the Black and Yellow.

Wayne Packer  
Club President

# SECRETARY-PROMOTIONS OFFICER'S REPORT



As this is the final Tiger Tails for 1997, it is time to reflect on the season to date. At the time of this report the Club has one premiership with the u13 Girls having won their Grand Final, 7 Junior teams in the Finals, Senior Ladies as Finalists, Under 18 in Grand Final, 2 All Age teams in Grand Finals and 1 in Final Series. This is a great reflection on the quality of our Coaches, Managers and Players. Congratulations to you all. I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all the Coaches and Managers of all our teams for the time and effort put into helping our players enjoy the game of soccer and hopefully learn new skills during the season.

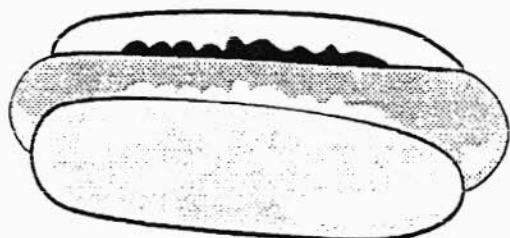
Off the field, the Committee also performed well and I would like to thank them all for their contribution. As Secretary, it is important to have a committed and unified committee supporting you in dealing with the Soccer Association and the other 20 clubs and Council etc. The major events such as registration, Grading days, the Gala Day and so far the non-competition presentation, all ran smoothly this year. I would like to thank my wife Rhonda for putting up with paper work all over her dining room table for most of the year and for running the Canteen this year.

To our sponsors who contributed just over \$400.00 towards soccer strips and equipment, I would like to express the Clubs appreciation. Without your support, we would have to raise our registration and team fees. I hope you gained from our partnership and sincerely hope you will continue to support the Club next season.

Thanks again to the Committee, Coaches, Managers and Players for making 1997 a success for Wyoming and we look forward to seeing you all again next season.

P Bech JP  
26 September 1997

## CANTEEN MANAGER'S REPORT



Firstly, I would like to thank all the teams who assisted in the Canteen this season, the Canteen is very important in generating funds for the running of the club. It is also one of the most labour intensive activities and any assistance is greatly appreciated. I would also like to thank my fellow Committee Members for their assistance, especially on the Australia Day BBQ and the Grading and Trial days.

I would like especially to thank Bob O'Toole and Ken Herzog for their help. Bob coached the Senior Ladies Team and Ken managed Reserved Grade and was strapper for the Senior Teams. Also the help of other non-committee people, such as Heather Rowe, Annette Peisley, Gill Bowcott and Kerry Sullivan were crucial in the successful running of the Canteen this year.

Thank you for supporting our Canteen in 1997.

Rhonda Bech  
Canteen Manager



## NON COMP REPORT

Well its been a very busy season this year for me but I must say that I've enjoyed every bit off it. We've had a highly successful Gala day in May which raised a lot of money for the club and the highlight was that two Wyoming teams were winners and runners up, congratulations Glen Heron and Mal Holland and teams. The weather was favourable with not many rained out games. And there was the issue with the draws (which was the C.C.S.A fault). I would like to thank all the coaches and managers for their dedication to their teams and efforts this year. I hope that all players had a fun season and a great time at presentation.

Lastly but least I would personally like to thank Dave Sullivan for his enormous support and help this year, I could not have done it without it. And a special thanks to Paul Neild for his invaluable assistance with the Gala Day and to all the committee for your time spent working hard at it all season.

THANK YOU

Yours In Soccer  
Tracey Hanshaw  
Non Comp Rep

## KANGA CUP 1998

A sub committee is being formed to take our girls side to Canberra next year for the Kanga cup. Our girls performed exceptionally well this year. Any parents of girls who are contemplating playing next year are invited to contact Don Sime if they wish to be a part of the Sub committee. Much help is needed to raise the money for the girls to go and any that can be offered will truly be treasured.

So act now and offer your help so you can assist our girls to get to Canberra in 1998.

28.6.97 v Wyong 0.4

We knew this was going to be a hard one going into the match, but much to the credit of our little tigers they never gave up and fought hard to keep them down to four nil a much improved game from the last one against Wyong.

12.7.97 Bye

19.7.97 v Kincumber 2.1

Congratulations guys a much deserved win against a very consistent opposition. At half time our forwards Nick, Brendan, Shaun and Lachlan had many attempts at goals and fortunately we snuck one in. In the second half straight in for another goal which shocked the kincumber guys into attack. Our strong defence (Caine, Matthew, Liam and Goalie Curtis) were constantly kept on their toes to keep the kincumber guys scoreless but in the last 2 minutes the opposition scored. Well done guys you deserved your win.

26.7.97 v Killarney Vale 0.14

Well what can I say except you gave it your all guys for the whole game but they were just too good, times have certainly changed in previous seasons this team truly feared their games against us but we'll be back to fight another season against the almighty killarney.

2.8.97 v Kariong 0.7

Well an early start to the day with a cold and windy trip up to Kariong at 8.30am, while our boys were in their strips, I think they were certainly thinking of the warm P.J's and beds. Our mid fielders and defence truly did their best to keep the half time score of five nil down by only letting two more in. Congratulations Curtis and Liam in goals and our mid fielders grant, James Daniel for their defensive efforts.

9.8.97 v Kanwal 3.0

Well our third win for the year. Congratulations tigers. A home game and another early one but the sun was shining. We also had some shining and smiley faces this game with both the coach and caine turning another year older. Thirty Six was it dave. ha ha ha. Happy Birthday!!!!

16.8.97 v Gosford 2.7

Never mind my little A's it took them three seasons to beat us they deserve their much elated win against us but it was not all doom and gloom with some more smiling faces from Lachlan and Matthew who also turned nine this week. Happy Birthday guys.

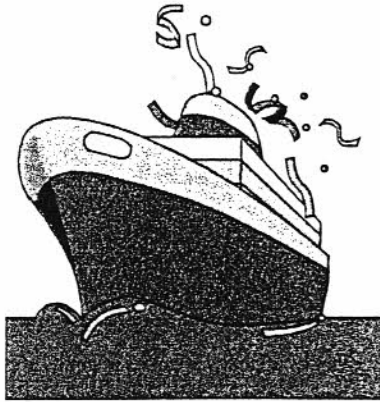
23.8.97 v Umina 0.1

If ever a game truly deserving of two winners it was this one. It was nil all until the last minute of the game when Umina got a run away from half way and Umina scored a goal that premier league would have been envious off. Our 9As are winners in every sense of the word your courage, constant attack, strong defense and never give up attitude makes you all winners in my book.

30.8.97 V Doyalson 3.2

A fitting finish to the end of the season with our fourth win of the season. Our boys went out with a bang in great style way to go. I would like to take this chance to say thankyou to the boys for their constant and dedicated efforts this year and although it wasn't as successful as previous years you all never gave up and you kept trying an effort to be proud off. Thank you to David for his time this year as coach.

Wyoming Soccer Club Inc.  
Annual  
End of Season Cruise



8th November 1997

Attention cruisers your balances for the cruise are now due, please get your monies to Tracey a.s.a.p. There is a awaiting list for people still wishing to go incase of any cancellations, some have already been lucky.

Just a reminder that there will be a two course meal and you can bring your own Alcohol or there will be beer and wine for sale.

Boarding time is 5.30pm and we leave at 6pm sharp waiting for no-one. Rain, hail or shine. We arrive back at 10pm.

There will be music, dancing and lucky door prize, please feel free to bring some extra nibbles and may be your jacket.



Tracey Hanshaw p.h.43294626



**CONGRATULATIONS  
CCSA PLAYERS OF THE  
YEAR**

10 A            MATTHEW DITTON  
11C            KYLLE RICH  
16D            MATTHEW TAPPERELL  
16A            YEONI SHUTE

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***10 YEAR AWARDS 1997***

MATTHEW TAPPERELL  
MATTHEW BROWNE  
DEAN WADE  
PETER MORRISON AS MANAGER

***15 YEAR AWARDS 1997***

PHILLIP ROBSON  
MATT ROBSON  
JARROD MOBBERLEY

***20 YEAR AWARDS 1997***

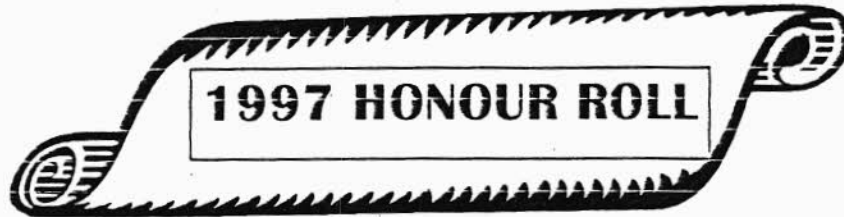
***JAMIE ROBSON***



# 1997 HONOUR ROLL

## SENIOR COMPETITION

<u>AGE AND GRADE</u>	<u>PLAYER OF THE YEAR</u>	<u>COACH'S AWARD</u>	<u>PLAYER'S PLAYER</u>
U18	PAUL JONES	JUSTIN CARMODY	TROY CLUCAS
AA1	ARUL IYER	STEVE KINSELLA	AARON LENTON
AA3	JIM BRUCE	CLIVE HARRISON	JIM BRUCE
AA3/2	MICHAEL LING	MARK RIXON	IAN SUTTON
AA4	STEVE KNOWLES	JOHN HALLAM	PAUL COVENTRY
AA5	DARREN COCKS	STEVE BREED	ADAM LYNCH
RESERVE GRADE	ALAN DUKE	JARROD MOBBERLEY	GREG HERZOG
FIRST GRADE	GREG PRESTON	AARON HOOD	GREG PRESTON
LADIES	ANNETTE STEWART	KERRYNN PHILLIPS	KYLIE STEWART



**1997 HONOUR ROLL**

JUNIOR COMPETITION

<u>AGE AND GRADE</u>	<u>PLAYER OF THE YEAR</u>	<u>COACH'S AWARD</u>
10A	MATTHEW DITTON	LUKE ROBINSON
10D	DEAN BENDIECH	ROHAN MOUNT-MCCAUGHLEY
11A	RYAN MOORE	PETER SHARMAN
11C	DAVID TENNANT	JOHN ROBB
11E	ANDREW FELL-MARSTEN	SCOTT SCHILDER
12B	NEALE MCANDREW	STUART SMITH
12D	CADE COLLETTE	KAVEH BATHA
13A	KIERAN PERRY	JASON GAZZARD
13 GIRLS	SARYNA SHUTE	SARAH ALLARD
13D	JAMES GRIFFITH	ANGUS HATFIELD-SMITH
14C	MATTHEW BROWNE	SHAUN CULLENS
16A	TREVOR SHUTE	GREG BOWCOTT
16D	ANDREW HILL	SHAUN WILKINSON

## STRIKERS



How many times do Coaches and supporters exclaim, "we were all over them but couldn't get the ball in the net..."

Pleasingly, Wyoming teams are coached that all players on the field contribute to scoring, but it is the striker who is worth his money in gold (or redskins)....

It's not easy to get that darn ball in the net but fortunately we are blessed with a few naturally talented strikers in the junior competition ranks that will hold our Club in good position for the years ahead.

Kylle Rich from the 11C's scored an extraordinary high 33 goals in the 1997 season following on his 28 in 1996.... along with Ben Wallington, Daniel Agius 11A's and Matthew Vierboom 11E's all scoring in excess of 10 goals each during the 1997 season, the 11 year old age group looks well catered for in the future.

Abiqani from the 16A's has the same goal scoring ability and will take his skills into the Senior teams in 1998.

Lets hope more strikers are discovered and developed in the seasons ahead.

## PLANNING



**MONDAY 20 OCTOBER 1997**

- ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AT ALAN DAVIDSON OVAL AT 7.30 PM.

# FROM THE LADIES SIDE OF THE CLUB

The two Wyoming Ladies teams have had a fair bit of publicity in previous Tiger Tales, so I won't go over it all again. The under 13's finished their season in fine form, being League Champions and winning their grand final convincingly. The Senior side ran in second place all season only to lose their final in a penalty shoot-out.

All indications are that there will be an even larger representation of lady players in 1998. We look like having at least three sides.

Congratulations to all who won awards from either Wyoming and/or the CCWSA. Our local winners are Annette Stewart, Kerryn Phillips and Kylie Stewart from the Seniors and Saryna Shute and Sarah Allard from the Juniors.

Peter Morrison  
Ladies Representative

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## Ladies Team Report

**Coach: Bob O'Toole**  
**Manager: Peter Morrison**

31/8/97 Vs Central Coast (Major Semi) 0-4

We have never manager to beat this side, but the score does not reflect the state of this game. It was a good hard contest. Kylie Stewart did some excellent work in the backs, while Heidi and Rachel both played well. The five Under 13 subs all held their own, with Elisha and Aimee both saddling up for a full match.

6/9/97 Vs Gosford (Final) 3-4

Well, here it is-- the end of the road! Gosford have been looking like a threat for the second half of the season. Both teams had their chances but could not put a goal away. At the end of extra time the score was still nil all, and everyone was pretty tired. Best field players were Christine, Jemima and Jodie. I must make a special mention of Kerryn, who went into goals late in the second half, only to have to go through the tension of a penalty shoot-out. Considering she was not our regular keeper, she did very well.

What can you say about losing a penalty shoot-out? It was three all at the completion of the first five, and we lost in sudden death. That's all- no-body is disgraced under those circumstances.

Congratulations to the team for doing as well as they did over the season. We'll be in there again next year!

Thank you, Bob for hanging in there as coach for what must have been a rather trying season.

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## U/13 GIRLS

### GRAND FINAL REPORT

14/9/97 WIN 5—2

WELL WE DID IT THE WHOLE SEASON UNDEFEATED . NOT A QUICK START FROM THE GIRLS THOUGH OCEAN BEACH SCORED IN THE FIRST MINUTE, BUT ANNALIESE EQUALISED IN THE NEXT TWO MINUTES . WE THEN WENT IN FRONT AFTER NICOLE BELTED IN A THIRTY YARD SHOT PUTTING US ONE UP ,WE HAD CONTROL OF THE GAME THEN FOR A WHILE BUT WE RELAXED AND LET OCEAN BEACH SCORE AN EQUALISER JUST BEFORE HALF TIME. OUT WE CAME AGAIN AND THE GIRLS WERE FIRED UP AND READY TO GO AND GO THEY DID WITH THREE MORE GOALS BY ELISHA MEGAN AND SARAH (SHORTS ) NIELDS SOLO RUN FROM HALFWAY TO SCORE HER BEST GOAL OF THE YEAR . OF COURSE BY THIS TIME THE COACH'S VIOCE WAS GONE THE CROWD WHO WERE GOING THE WHOLE GAME WENT RIGHT OVER THE TOP **REALLY WELL DONE TEAM - PARENTS -SUPPORTERS -AND OF COURSE THE MANAGER**

DON SIME --COACH

### INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS

<b>SARYNA SHUTE</b>	COASTIES U/16 KANGA CUP WINNERS 13 GIRLS PLAYER OF THE YEAR
<b>AIMEE CULLEN</b>	COASTIES U/14 KANGA CUP SEMI FINALISTS CENTRAL COAST SOCCER ACADEMY
<b>ELISHA KITCHENER</b>	CENTRAL COAST SOCCER ACADEMY
<b>JACINTA LING</b>	13 A BOYS & COASTIES U/16 INTERZONE CHAMPIONS KANGA CUP WINNERS U/16 PREMIERES CENTRAL COAST SOCCER ACADEMY

10A

Coach: Roger Smith  
Manager: Sue Packer

23.8.97 V BERKELEY VALE 1:0

A very exciting game with the Tigers hammering many many attempts at goal but unsuccessfully putting it into the back of the net due to Berkeley's great defence and goalkeeping. Luckily, second half James successfully lifted the ball over the goalkeepers head much to the Coach and parents delight. Berkeley is third on the table and it was a well-deserved win. Nick Freeman and Matt Ditton never gave up but everyone put in their best.

30.8.97 V KILLARNEY VALE 1:0

We had to win this game to leap frog Doyalson to get into the Semi-finals and the Tigers came up roaring and won. Our goal was scored by Tim Packer who played probably his best game all year. Matt Ditton and Boyd Morgan were like solid rocks in the midfield and the whole team put it together. After the game, Coach Roger presented every player's mother with a rose for their support during the season. Thanks Roger it was much appreciated.

31/8/97 V UMINA 0:1

Unfortunately, the team's efforts and success over the past few weeks to win every match and make the semi-finals was dampened by Doyalson's Coach delivering us the news before we took the field that, due to a discrepancy between the Association and Doyalson during the season they had leap frogged us on the table due to a forfeit. This meant that we had to beat Umina the leaders this game to stay in contention. The pressure was a little too much and late in the second half, Umina scored and we were out.

Never mind boys, we were the only team all year to beat Umina and your Coach and supporters were proud of your efforts. Keep roaring into the 1998 Season.

Thanks Coach for all your help and support through the season.

10D

Coach: Alan Bendiech  
Manager: Clyde Bromfield

UNDER 10 GALA DAY

I would like to congratulate Wyoming 10D's on their efforts in the Killarney Vale Gala Day on Sunday 17 August 1997. They finished equal field winners on 13 points with Toukley/Gorokan, but were relegated to runners up because of goal difference (1 goal).

Well done boys.

2.8.97 V GOSFORD 1:2

Gosford came out fighting and scored a quick goal, which seemed to wake us up and we equalised before halftime. The second half was tight until Gosford scored the winning goal near the end of the match. Jason and Kurt played well on the wings.

3.8.97 V GOSFORD 2:2

The boys were ready for Gosford this time and with the forwards, Chas, Chris, and Dean constantly attacking Gosford's goal resulting in 2 great goals. Gosford managed to equalise in the second half. The game ended in a 2 all draw but with the coach very pleased with the effort the boys put in.

9.8.97 V DOYALSON 0:4

A bad day at the office for Wyoming. Doyalson really put it to us and at halftime were leading 3:0. The boys did not have the same fire as the week before and the 0:4 was a true indication of how we played.

13.9.97 V DOYALSON 0:4

MAJOR SEMI FINAL

Our boys held Doyalson out for 22 minutes and we were only 1:0 behind at halftime. But in the second half they decided to play defence and they lost their positions and failed to mark their players which ultimately was their downfall.

20.9.97 V GOSFORD 1:0

FINAL

What an exciting match with both sides very determined to win. It was nil at fulltime, so extra time was needed to separate the teams. With 2 minutes to go Scott found the back of the net and we were in the grand final.

27.9.97 V DOYALSON

3:0

### GRAND FINAL

Doyalson were very confident as they had only lost one game all season. But our boys played an outstanding game holding their positions which enabled Scott to score the early goal that their Coach asked for. This early goal shocked Doyalson as they had not been in this position at halftime all season. Chris scored early in the second half putting added pressure on them. The third goal was scored by Dean off a pass from Chris across the goal sealing a great grand final win. A top defensive effort by our backs. All the team played exceptionally well. Congratulations on their first year in competition on an outstanding season. "Well done boys".

11A

Coach: Wayne Packer  
Manager: Paul Agius

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28.8.97 V EAST GOSFORD

4:0

A much better performance than last week's effort once the boys controlled the ball and supported each other, the goals will come, Great to see Peter Sharman scoring with some great ball skills and who could forget Ryan "The legend" Moore scoring with a great header.

30.8.97 V TERRIGAL

0:0

not the performance we would have liked from the boys for the last game of the season. Not getting to the ball first and allowing Terrigal to run the ball. Good goalkeeping from Daniel McCamley held Terrigal out. Semis coming up in 2 week's, I'm sure the boys will lift.

13.9.97 V KILLARNEY VALE

3:1

### MAJOR SEMI FINAL

The tigers came our roaring and displayed some great ball skills and passing as a team. Chris Polley opened up the scoring with a brilliant shot from far out which knocked the goalkeeper over the line. Our next two goals were scored by Daniel Agius. Every player put in 100% effort. Nuggett could not play because of a broken toe, so thanks to Matt Ditton for stepping in.

27.9.97 V KILLARNEY VALE

1:0

The Mountain's ground did not suit us as we struggled to keep a firing Killarney from scoring. As the Coach and spectators held their breath for most of the game, the team put it together in the last five minutes with lead up work from Ben Wallington and Daniel Agius to put Aaron Shute in a position to put the ball into the back of the net. Man of the Match was Ryan Moore. Michelle McCamley led the spectators display of colour with her war paint and told the players that she did not dress up like this for nothing. Even though it was not one of our better games, we deserved to win after winning the minor premiership by 13 points. Well done players and Coach, it was hard to back up second year in a row but you showed them.

11C

Coach: Gary Benterman  
Manager: Bruce Tennant

16.8.97 V KANWAL

1:1

Kanwal are a tough side but the boys rose to the occasion after being down 1:0 the Tiger spirit came through to claim the equaliser. Patrick Wright was sensational in attack while Brett Taylor and John Robb were rock hard in defence.

17.8.97 V KANWAL

2:2

To back up and play Kanwal again the next day was a big ask but the boys responded magnificently. What a game! Down 1:0 we lead 2:1 late in the game. Both teams gave their all. Mitchell Faulkener was a standout. Peter Le Cornu kept going all day.

23.8.97 V DOYALSON

5:0

The teams best game of the season. The passing and teamwork was outstanding. Kylie Rich was unstoppable in attack while Ben Porter and Mitch Faulkener never gave the opposition a chance.

30.8.97 V KARIONG 5:3

The season ended today but the boys put up a performance to remember against "hotshots" Kariong. We led 5:1 at halftime - fantastic team play was the key. Thanks to Coach Gary for the season and all the parents for their support. Up the "tigers".

11E

Coach: Mike Robinson

Manager: Lyn Robinson

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PLAYERS

Scott Schilder, Chris Green, Andrew Fell- Marsten, Chris Whittington, Robyn Pugh-Robinson, Nathan Paterson, Katy Paterson, Matthew donahue, Michael McEwan, Alex Montgomery, Matthew Vierboom, Matthew Wasson, Cody Mabbot, Paul Branson

COACH - MIKE ROBINSON/CHRIS PUGH

MANAGER - LYN ROBINSON

A very successful and enjoyable season with the team achieving their goal of making the semi-finals.

We played a total of 17 competition matches resulting in 6 wins, 6 draws, 5 losses.

Two memorable games were when we came from 3:1 down in the second half against Berkeley Vale to win 4:3 with Matthew Donahue scoring his first and the match-winning goal. We upset grand finalists East Gosford 1:0 in the third round which put a lot of confidence into the team and supporters. We also had the biggest score in the league beating Wyong 7:0. Matthew Vierboom was our highest goal scorer with 12 goals including 2 hattricks.

Our semi-final was also against East Gosford, who were ready for us this time and although we matched them for skill throughout, a goal in the first two minutes and a hand ball in the box gave our opponents too big a head start, being defeated 3:0. Matthew Donahue and Alex Montgomery shared man of the match honours in the semi with Cody Mabbott playing strongly.

Player of the year was the consistently good Andrew Fell-Marsten and courageous Scott Schilder took the Coaching Award.

Thank you to all the parents who supported us during the year.

12B

Coach: Dave Eller

Manager: Dave Eller

9.8.97 V KILLARNEY VALE 0:4

A poor effort by some of the players in the first half, we improved in the second half, but Killarney had already established their lead. Andrew Betts tried hard up front.

16.8.97 V WYONG 2:2

A return to form for us, after a couple of lacklustre displays. Everybody tried hard and as a result we played well. Gareth Higgins played well as fullback, along with Ashley Mullahey.

23.8.97 V KANWAL 3:2

A good win for us, as we needed to beat Kanwal to obtain a clear second position in front of them. Goals to Neale McAndrew, Darren Cooper and Andrew Betts.

30.8.97 V KINCUMBER 6:0

The first half was tight, but we completely overrun Kincumber in the second half. All players played well.

31.8.97 V WYONG 3:1

the boys were superb today, and played one of their best games of the season. This win keeps us in second place on the competition table, next is the major semi-final.

13.9.97 V KILLARNEY VALE 3:1

**MAJOR SEMI-FINAL**

Having been beaten twice this season to Killarney 1:6 and 0:4 the boys were exceptional today, goals to Andrew Betts, Luke Eller and Darren Cooper, they were committed from start to finish. We now move into the Grand final. Well done team.

27.9.97 V KILLARNEY VALE 0:2

**GRAND FINAL**

We tried hard today, but Killarney seemed to have just that little edge on us. We were thrown into turmoil when our goalkeeper Stuart Smith caught chicken pox 3 days before the Grand final and could not play. Andrew "Nuggett" Wells filled in there and produced a fine effort. Overall another very good year.

12D

**Coach: Bruce Barrett**

**Manager: Karen Fuller**

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No reports to hand.

13A

**Coach: Don Sime**

**Manager: Karl Graf**

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16.8.97 V GOSFORD 3:0

Much better game today. Just little things in the second half of the game had as done.

23.8.97 V KANWAL 0:1

A very close game just one goal separating the teams, should have won this one.

13D

**Coach: Mark LeCornu**

**Manager: Mark Walopole**

23.8.97 V AVOCA BEACH 2:3

A steady game by Wyoming in the second half made up for an ordinary first half. James tried hard all game with Scott and Jarred playing well. Wyoming played better than Avoca in the second half and outscored them. Matthew Le Cornu was everywhere in defence and midfield and was easily the best player for Wyoming. Thanks to Peter Le Cornu for helping us.

30.8.97 V BUDGEWOI 1:2

A very entertaining game with Wyoming playing the better game. Scott should sleep for a week after his effort today. Simon cleared the ball with skill and was supported by Gavin, Matthew Crossley and Paul. Matthew Le Cornu, as usual played very well. Thanks also to Peter Le Cornu, Daniel ambrill, Karveh Botha, Luke Richardson (Goalie extraordinaire) and Chris Whittington for their support.

U13 Girls

**Coach: Don Sime**

**Manager: Debbie Stewart**

No reports to hand.

14C

**Coach: Colin Smith**

**Manager: Sandra Mobberley**

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16AB

Coach: Ian Shute  
Manager: Peter Cumberland

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16C

Coach: Glen Watts  
Manager: Mark McCardle

No reports to hand.

U18

Coach: Barry Jones  
Manager: Derrick Waddell

3.8.97 V UMINA 0:1

So finally we got to play Umina in our top-of-the table clash! We opened well, but they gradually got on top in a very fast but patchy first half, due mainly to better running off the ball and getting to the ball first. They took the lead from the only real chance they had, as our defence of Paul, Troy, Chris and Greg was playing very solidly.

We played much better in the second half, with our midfield gaining dominance and Ananda, Shane and Trevor moving well. Their goalie managed to top a great shot from Trevor onto the bar and Shane also went close, but they held on for our first loss of the season. It was a very close result with their home pitch advantage proving crucial; we feel confident we'll beat them next time.

10.8.97 V KANWAL 10:1

We were 2 goals up within 10 minutes and playing very well, but then we relaxed, gave away a penalty and a couple of clear chances, before we settled down again. The result was never in doubt, with Chris marking out their only real striker, Jordan making several good runs from left-back, and Ken, Jake and Paul hitting some excellent passes.

Andrew and Ananda had good games, and Shane added a bit of sparkle and 2 good goals in the second half. Other scorers were Trevor (4), Ananda (2), Jordan and Andrew.

So...we played well against a weak team; our passing was mostly good, and we supported each other a lot better.

17.8.97 V THE ENTRANCE 2:2

This was a hard game for us as 3 players were unavailable and another 3 carrying injuries or sickness. However, we had an excellent first half-hour; our passing and support were great, with Andrew, Ken and Shane outstanding in midfield and Kean, Ananda and Jordan running well. We took a 2:0 lead through 2 own goals, but it was well deserved, as they were the result of pressure and an excellent free-kick from Ken, and a good hard low shot from Shane.

We lost our sweeper and stopper, and were soon back to 2:2, but the revamped defence played really courageously, with Alan, Yeonie and Abdi from the 16s all doing well, and Greg and Justin steadying them well. We came back and dominated the last 10 minutes, and were disallowed a fair goal and a penalty. So it was a very courageous second half, to add to the outstanding first half-hour.

24.8.97 V S.E.U. 3:1

This was a good solid win on a cold treacherously windy day, especially considering we were missing Paul and Greg. They went 1:0 up when a good header held up in the wind and dropped into the top of the net. We recovered well, with Jake holding the defence together well at sweeper and Jordan excelling at left back. Shane tackled well in mid-field and Luke played well on the wing.

Ken fired in a great shot which hit the post, and Trevor tapped in the rebound. Trevor then hustled in a cross from Ananda, before Ken sealed the match with a well-placed drive.

**31.8.97 V UMINA 2:2**

What a good game; we were missing Paul and Jake but we gave Umina a fright by attacking enthusiastically and deservedly taking the lead when Anada miraculously volleyed a towering cross from Trevor into the net. Unfortunately, we then relaxed and they equalised within a minute.

Greg had a great game at sweeper, Troy, Justin, Chris and Jordan were solid, and Ananda had a great first half in both attack and defence. Shane came more into the game in the second half, and he and Ken were passing beautifully. Up front Trevor and Andy were combining well, and it was no surprise when we went ahead again, when Andrew tapped home a great shot by Trev. Umina's superior fitness and energy began to tell, but we were very unlucky not to win, so they only equalised through a strange free-kick.

So a great performance which deserved a win, and gave notice that we mean to win the grand final! They was the first point Umina have dropped, but we showed we can beat them easily, if we can build up our fitness.

**6.9.97 V GOSFORD 6:0**

We had 3 players unavailable, but once again the 16s supplied us with 3 great subs, Alan, Yeoni and Luke, all of whom played really well.

We were easily the better team, but took a long time to find the back of the net. The defence was in total control, but we scored only one in the first half, a beautifully taken goal by Shane after he combined with Jake down the middle of the park.

Trev added 2 shortly after the break and then Troy hit home a great corner by Ananda. Yeoni and Paul finished off another 2 good moves in fine style.

Troy looked very composed in attack as well as defence, Jake and Shane were in control in midfield and altogether it was a good workout before the finals.

**14.9.97 V UMINA 5:6**

#### **MAJOR SEMI FINAL**

It felt like a grand final, and both teams played with the intensity of a grand final. We opened really well, and had the better of the first half, with Jake and Andrew tacking well in midfield and Paul and Troy particularly solid in defence. Unfortunately, we dropped concentration for a 10 minute patch, and they scored a great goal when we gave them time on the edge of the box. They also had a couple of free headers, before we regained our composure, and regained control. Kean and Trevor were running well up front, and it only seemed a matter of time before we would score.

In the second half we looked more and more dominant, with Greg adding solidity in defence. Jordan finally equalised with a good shot after Jake's effort was blocked. It was all Wyoming for the last 10 minutes, but the ball wouldn't go in for us today. We also dominated extra time, but it came down to penalties. Justin made one great save, but he was unluckily adjudged to have moved early on another. We finally lost on the sixth penalty, but feel confident we'll win the big one. Well played boys it was a great team performance.

**21.9.97 V THE ENTRANCE 2:1 (IN EXTRA TIME)**

#### **FINAL**

Everything seemed to be against us - the rain, 2 suspensions and an injury reducing us to 10 men, and the U16s playing straight before us. But you would have never guessed it as the whole team played really well. Abdi had an inspired game in goal, Paul and Troy and Greg were magnificent in defence, and Jake and Shane had control of the midfield. When we moved into attack, Trevor looked dangerous all the time, Kean had his best game in a long time, and Chris, Ananda and Jordan added variety and class.

Against the run of play they took the lead when a long shot had Abdi unsuspected, but we clawed our way back, and Troy rose magnificently to a great Ananda corner to equalise. Kean and Trevor came close, the keeper tipped a great chip by Shane over the bar, and our defence looked as solid as a rock.

Yeonie, Alan and Luke added energy when they came on as subs, and helped Jake keep control of the midfield. Finally, justice was done; Jake passed to Trevor, and he hit a sweet left footer past their goalie; we were through to the grand final, and looking a good bet for the big one. Let's hope the injuries to Greg and Paul heal quickly as they both had great games.

**28.9.97 V UMINA 9:8**

### **GRAND FINAL**

In a tight grandfinal, Wyoming turned the tables on the undefeated minor premiers Umina. After 1:1 halftime/fulltime/extra time, we won 9:8 in a penalty shoot out! Well done boys!!

#### **LADIES**

**Coach: Bob O'Toole  
Manager: Peter Morrison**

No reports to hand.

#### **PREMIER DIV.**

**Coach: Tony Kayes  
Manager: Brian Mottram**

No reports to hand.

#### **RESERVE**

**Coach: Tony Kayes  
Manager: Brian Mottram**

No reports to hand.

#### **A/A1**

**Coach: Brian Mottram  
Manager: David Derrick**

no reports to hand.

#### **A/A3 'Dream Team'**

**Coach: Bob Bray  
Manager: Clive Harrison**

No reports to hand.

#### **A/A3**

**Coach: Don Sime  
Manager: Kevin Sutton**

No reports to hand

#### **A/A4**

**Coach: Brian Sutton  
Manager: Tim Hatfield**

No reports to hand.

#### **A/A5**

**Coach: Pat Ryan  
Manager: Andrew McRae**

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