

2014 MEMBERS INFORMATION



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WELCOME TO MONTROSE SOCCER CLUB

THE SENIOR CLUB CURRENTLY HAS OVER 120 MEMBERS, PLAYING AND NON PLAYING, AND IN 2013 FIELDED 6 SIDES IN THE BAYSIDE LEAGUE.

IN 2014 OUR MENS SENIOR AND RESERVES TEAMS WILL PLAY IN THE FFV LEAGUE UNDER NEW COACH DARREN SNIJDERS. JOINING THE FFV ENSURES THAT WE HAVE A CONSISTENT PATHWAY FOR OUR JUNIOR PLAYERS TO MOVE INTO SENIOR TEAMS.

THE SOCIAL ASPECT OF OUR CLUB IS VERY IMPORTANT, THE CLUB WILL FIELD WOMENS, MENS AND VETERANS TEAMS IN THE BAYSIDE LEAGUE.

OUR JUNIOR CLUB WAS ESTABLISHED IN 2007 AND IN 2013 GREW TO 160 JUNIOR PLAYERS COMPETING IN FFV COMPETITIONS, AND UNDER 6/7 TEAMS COMPETING IN EASTERN REGION GALA DAYS. OUR JUNIORS GIRLS PROGRAMS CONTINUES TO GROW, IN 2013 WE FIELDED TWO ALL-GIRLS TEAMS IN THE UNDER 13/14 AND 15/16. IN 2014 WE ANTICIPATE MORE ALL-GIRLS TEAMS TO BE FIELDED.

OUR JUNIOR PLAYERS ARE TAUGHT THE SKILLS OF SOCCER AND ARE ENCOURAGED TO DEVELOP THOSE SOCCER SKILLS BY ENTHUSIASTIC QUALIFIED COACHES. PLAYERS WILL MEET NEW FRIENDS AND PARTICIPATE IN SOCIAL EVENTS IN A SAFE AND FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT, AND MOST OF ALL – HAVE FUN!

CLUB INFORMATION

The club's websites,

www.montrosesoccer.com www.montrosejuniorsoccer.com.au

have information on teams, upcoming events, photos and club contacts. Codes of conduct, registration/ renewal forms, and newsletters can be downloaded in PDF format from the website.

A weekly newsletter is produced with team fixtures, match reports, photos, club news and club contacts.

In 2014 a smart phone app will be launched to keep you instantly updated on club information. This app will be free to all members.

CLUB TEAMS

SENIOR TEAMS FOR THE 2014 SEASON

FFV League Montrose Firsts

FFV League Montrose Reserves

BAYSIDE League Montrose Thirds

BAYSIDE League Legends (two teams)

BAYSIDE League Ladies

JUNIOR TEAMS FOR THE 2014 FFV SEASON

Under 6/7, Under 8/9, Under 10, Under 11, Under 12, Under 13, Under 14, Under 15 and Under 16.

All girls teams in Under 11, Under 13/14 and Under 15/16.

TOWARDS 2015

"Towards 2015" is a strategic plan by the Montrose Soccer Club to improve the change room facilities and playing fields at Keith Hume Fraser Reserve, Montrose. Our application for a \$100,000 grant under the State Governments "Strengthening the World Game" program was successful, combined with Council and Club funds will total an \$800,000 investment in our future.

The pitch redevelopment is underway with improvements including new drainage, irrigation and warm season grass. Works on our top pitch is complete, works on the bottom pitch starts late 2013 and will be completed in time for play in 2014 season.

The change rooms will be built adjacent to the existing club rooms. Plans have been approved, shortly the project will go out to tender, with building to commence in 2014. This is a fantastic outcome for the Club.

REGISTRATION

A current registration or renewal form can be downloaded from www.montrosejuniorsoccer.com.au

1st Registration Day: Sunday 8th December 2013 10am-12pm

2nd Registration Day: Sunday 2nd February 2014 10am-2pm

At time of registration, a \$50 deposit of registration fees, and a copy of the birth certificate is required.

Players and parents must adhere to our code of conduct.

2014 MEMBERSHIP FEES

SENIORS

	All Players
Men	\$350.00
Women	\$250.00

JUNIORS

	New Players	Returning Players
Under 6/7/8	\$180.00	\$150.00
Under 9/10	\$190.00	\$160.00
Under 11	\$220.00	\$190.00
Under 12+	\$260.00	\$230.00

Minimum of \$50 Deposit is required on registration day. ALL FEES MUST BE PAID BY 31st MARCH 2014, if they are unpaid the player will be ineligible to play. Direct debit and payment plans are available.

Fees include FFV Insurance, FFV Team Affiliation Fees, Referee Fees, Presentation Day, Medals and Trophies.

Cheque are made Payable to Montrose Junior Soccer Club and sent to PO Box 271, Kilsyth VIC 3137

UNIFORMS

New Players will be receive shorts and socks at registration, all players will use the club shirts for match days to be returned at the end of the season. New Under 7/8 players will receive a personalised training shirt as part of their registration fee.

Under 12 players and above must purchase a club track suit to be worn on match days.

Other club merchandise is available for purchase such as hoodies, bags, beanies, caps etc...

JUNIOR GALA DAYS

UNDER 6 AND UNDER 7

Since 2008 Montrose, Boronia, Croydon, Mooroolbark and Ringwood Junior Soccer Clubs have run Gala Days within the Eastern region during the SSF season on a Saturday morning once a month during the season.

Under 6 and 7 SSF participants will experience of club versus club football within the Small-Sided Football formats. Each team may consist of as many players as the team wishes with a maximum of 4 on the field at any one time. There is no limit to the number of interchanges.

JUNIOR SMALL SIDED FOOTBALL

UNDER 8/9, UNDER 10, UNDER 11

Small Sided Football is a modified form of 11-a-side football, designed to meet the needs of players between the under 6 and 11 age groups, who have very different developmental characteristics and needs to adult players. The philosophy of Small Sided Football focuses on enjoyment and freedom of expression with limited emphasis on coaching per se, particularly in the formative years of a player's development.

The football games designed especially for children, with fewer players competing on a smaller-sized field. Players have more contact with the ball because fewer players are playing in a smaller playing area. Small Sided Football meets the developmental needs of younger football players whilst maintaining a strong focus on maximum participation and enjoyment.

Under 10 and Under 11 play 9 vs 9 on a half size pitch. Under 9 play 7 vs 7 on a quarter size pitch

OLDER JUNIOR TEAMS

UNDER 12 AND ABOVE

After graduating from Small Sided Football, players compete in 11-a-side football on full size pitches with official FFV Referees. Players will develop the skills taught and enjoy more time-on-the-ball and space that a full size pitch offers.

CONTACTS

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MISSION & VISION STATEMENT

MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of the Montrose Social Soccer Club is to:

- Promote soccer in the Yarra Ranges while catering for the social and competitive needs of our members.
- Provide opportunities for all participants to develop to their full potential.
- Ensure a safe and supportive environment to all our members.
- Be inclusive of all and to be aware of the diversity of our community.
- · Play the game with spirit and in a fair and sporting way.

THE VISION

Montrose Social Soccer Club will continue in its expansion and development of its facilities, while continuing the promotion of soccer in the area and providing the highest quality development for all players, officials and volunteers. The game will be played at all times in a sporting and fair manner.

OUR VALUES

Montrose Social Soccer Club is to promote a respectful and responsible culture amongst young people, and it being a safe, inclusive and accountable place for children, young people and women to come to. Soccer should be coached, played and supported at all levels of Montrose Social Soccer Club in a way which accords with the spirit of the game, encourages the broadest possible community and family participation, and embraces all who wish to be involved in a positive and encouraging environment.

Developmental aims and principles should take preference over competitive influences in relation to coaching and planning policies.

OBJECTIVES

- To be a sought after destination in relation to player development, with benchmark measures in place at Montrose Social Soccer Club in all aspects of coaching and junior development, refereeing and club administration.
- Opportunities for all coaches, players, administrators and referees at the club to be able to develop to their potential.
- 3. To continue to promote the positive culture and leadership that is present at Montrose Social Soccer Club.
- Keen to promote as a strong community value our stance on non-violent behaviour and positive rolemodelling for young people.