



TIGER TALK

EPPING EASTWOOD FOOTBALL CLUB INC.

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President's Letter

Hello and welcome, a sad day in some respects, this Saturday, August 14th, marks the last day of football on Boronia for season 2010. From my point of view it has gone just so quickly. We now move into the semi finals, on the road to the Grand Final. Unfortunately for some, today will be the last playing day.

Never the less, as a club we all have something to be involved in, be it supporting those teams that are on the road to the finals or remembering the Club picnic (Sat 5th September) or the Club dinner (Sat 18th Sept) so we aren't quite finished yet.

All teams below Division 1 who make it to the Finals – your finals will be played Saturday August 21st. Full details of times and locations are on our web page.

All Division 1 team finals will be played at Christie Park on Saturday 28th and Sunday 29th August.

Those of you who have been successful in the Pennant Competition should be at the allocated grounds 1 hour after the kick off of the final. For example, if the 9/7's were pennant winners, on 21st August you should be at Morrison No: 1 by 9:30am to receive your medals.

I usually don't comment on the games that I watch for a variety of reasons, please bear with me on this occasion. Last weekend was the last round for our Premier League side, who were confronted with a double header. It's been a tough season for this group, especially our 1st grade side. The last game on Sunday, the boys were up against the competition leaders, Pennant Hills, who needed the points to win the competition. In many respects, it was a non-event for the Tigers. A lot of the football experts thought it would be a walk in the park for Pennant Hills. Someone forgot to tell that to the Tigers who made Pennant Hills work hard to secure the points required. We started very well and 2 minutes before half time, Pennant Hills got one past us. The second half we continued to play well and to be honest, halfway through this period of play, our visitors were being pressed hard and they were becoming concerned that it may end in a draw, which would mean Pennant Hills would lose the Premiership to Kenthurst. The final result was Pennant Hills 1, Tigers 0 but gallant in defeat.

We had a large crowd on hand. Kenthurst filled the old grandstand and we (EEW) and Pennant Hills shared the rest of the ground.

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It was a charged atmosphere and both teams played great football. From our point of view we accepted the challenge. Full marks to our team and congratulations to Pennant Hills.

Premiership winners for 2010 within our club: All Age 13, Over 35 Division 1, 14/1's and 14/3's. Well done to all.

Our 35/1's and 14/1's will represent GHFA in the Champion of Champions Competition which starts in mid September. This is a knockout competition till they find the 2 best teams in their respective age groups who will play off for the title. Never easy, but what a great experience, especially for our U14 boys. Good Luck! We will keep you posted on game times and location.

In our last issue we told you about our 10/1's going for the trifecta at Canterbury. They made it to the semifinals. These competitions are demanding but give the boys a lot

of new experiences. Thank you to the players, parents and the team management for all the effort and time you have put into these last 3 competitions you have all been involved in.

Today is also the last day for all our mini teams, the 'stars' of tomorrow. We will see all of you on Picnic day when you will be presented with your trophies. Most importantly, keep practicing with your ball and maybe bring a friend when we will do it all again next season.

Well, that's it for this issue. Good luck for today for those playing for the Pennant and to those who are heading to the Grand Finals truly can it be said:
Go You Tiger's Go!

Good Luck and best Wishes to all,

Ian Kendal

Feedback is most welcome.
Please forward any comments to
eewtigers@tpg.com.au

Annual Club Dinner

Saturday 18th September 2010, at The Epping Club

Guest speaker - Alex Tobin

Tickets

\$50 per single, **\$80** per couple

Tickets available at Boronia or by phoning Ian Kendal on 9858 1605

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CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL VENUES

SATURDAY 21 AUGUST 2010

Morrison 1

8.30 9/7
9.45 9/6
11.00 9/2
12.15 9/4

Morrison 2

8.30 13/5
10.00 11/4
11.15 12/5
1.00 35/5
3.00 AA/5

Morrison 3

9.30 13/4
11.00 AA/22
1.00 AA/12
3.00 35/6

Morrison 4

8.30 14/2
10.05 11/3
11.15 15/3
1.00 35/3
3.00 AA/2

Morrison 6

8.30 10/5
9.45 12/4
11.00 AA/21
1.00 35/7
3.00 AA/6

Meadowbank 2

8.30 14/3
10.00 10/2
11.15 15/2
1.00 AA/3
3.00 AA/1

Meadowbank 3

8.30 13/3
10.00 10/4
11.15 16/3
1.00 SL/R
3.00 SL/F

Meadowbank 4

9.45 10/7
11.00 AA/17
1.00 AA/15
3.00 AA/13

Meadowbank 6

8.30 9/9
9.45 9/8
11.00 9/1
12.15 9/3
1.30 9/5

Meadowbank 7

8.30 11/6
9.45 10/6
11.00 AA/20
1.00 AA/14
3.00 AA/10

Meadowbank 8

9.30 12/3
11.00 AA/19
1.00 35/4
3.00 AA/7

Meadowbank 9

9.45 12/6
11.00 AA/16
1.00 AA/11
3.00 AA/8

Meadowbank 11

9.15 16/2
11.00 AA/18
1.00 35/9
3.00 AA/9

LH Waud

8.30 11/2
9.15 12/2
11.00 35/8
1.00 17/2
3.00 18/2

View St 1

8.30 14/4
10.00 11/5
11.15 15/4
1.00 19/1
3.00 AA/4

View St 2

8.15 13/2
9.45 10/3
11.00 45/1
1.00 35/2
3.00 21/2

SATURDAY 28 AUGUST 2010

Christie Park No. 1

8.30 14/1
10.00 11/1
11.15 10/1
12.30 15/1
2.00 17/1
4.00 PL/R
6.00 PL/F

SUNDAY 29 AUGUST 2010

Christie Park No. 1

8.30 13/1
10.00 12/1
11.15 16/1
12.45 18/1
2.45 21/1
4.45 35/1

Club Picnic and Presentation Day

trophies presented before lunch to each player (U/6 - U/16)

family

free

Coffee

Saturday

Jump Castles

4 September

fun

Boronia Park

Tea

starting

Lunch

family

at 10.30am

Lollies

free

fun

Ice Blocks

FREE - kids lunches, Juices, Jumping Castle, lollies,
Ice blocks, Tea and Coffee.

Adults lunches with soft drink or glass of wine (at nominal cost).

**** TEAM REPORTS ****

We welcome match reports and team photos from all of our teams. Around 50 words would be great. We try to publish every 2 weeks. Send your reports and pics directly to michmagu@bigpond.net.au

U14/3 (24/7)

EEW 4 Glenhaven 2

The final game of the regular season was away from home and playing as Premiers, and unlike previous games no major number of absences were present and we began the match with nearly a full strength side. The chances flowed for us early on with the pressure down Glenhaven's end but nothing to show for it, but then the tide changed and Glenhaven attacked, once hitting the upright. But Damien and Mark put all doubts out with a goal each just before half time.

Damien scored another putting the score at 3-0, until Glenhaven scored to make it 3-1, and the future of the game was uncertain with both sides having plenty of chances. But we scored another through Damien and Glenhaven finished things up with a consolation goal to finish the regular season

as premiers.

Mentions go to Mark and David, both having a solid game and Man of the Match went to Damien for another three goal haul.

N.Ever Offside

U14/3

EEW 2 - Glenhaven 0

The beginning of the round robin stage began against Glenhaven, in which we had also played in our last game two weeks ago. Andy and Turaab were welcomed back into the squad from this game after lengthy absences from both.

The game began with Epping Eastwood dominating the play, and David turned a lob into a goalscoring opportunity as the ball bounced over their keeper for the first goal of the game. Afterwards we hit the post

twice, and before half time came a penalty to Glenhaven. James cleverly parried away the effort and covered the rebound, as we went into the second half in front.

The second half was a see-sawing affair with both sides having good chances, until a handball in the box was questionably awarded to the Tigers, that Damien put away comfortably.

We still looked in danger of conceding another goal though, but a yellow card to Glenhaven put all doubts aside as the Tigers swept away Glenhaven 2-0 for a strong position in the finals.

A mention goes to James, Matt and Liam all having great performances and Man of the Match to Dave for his command of the midfield.

N.Ever Offside



A happy player after their first goal. 11/5 playing for the penant.

The Tiger Talk is published every 2 weeks during the season, holidays excluded. Please email team reports and action photos directly to Michelle McCoy at michmagu@bigpond.net.au by Wednesday morning each week. 50-100 words max! Don't forget to include Team Age, Name and Week Number, ie. "U/6 Red Wk 1".