



SUNSHINE FOOTBALL CLUB ANNUAL REPORT 2023





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Notice is Hereby Given

The Annual General Meeting of the Sunshine Football Club Inc. will be held at the Ramon Vila Pavilion, Kindersmith Reserve, Braybrook on Wednesday November 13th 2024 at 7pm.

Nominations for all office bearers, life members, general committee must be lodged with the administrator 7 days prior to the Annual General Meeting. All nominations must be emailed to administrator@sunshinekangaroos.com.au by close of business on November 6th 2024. Nominations will not be taken off the floor on the evening of the meeting.

A nomination Committee Nomination form is attached and should be signed by the proposer, seconder and nominee. Should there be insufficient nominations, vacancies shall be filled at the AGM. The nominee must be a financial member of the club and only financial members are eligible to vote at the meeting.

Agenda for the Annual General Meeting

1. Presidents welcome
2. Apologies
3. Minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting
4. Adoption of the current Annual Report
5. Adoption of the Financial Report
6. Election of Office Bearers –
President, Vice President, Administrator, Treasurer, Committee
7. Life Membership Nominations
8. General Business

Mark Kirk
Administrator

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Sunshine Football Club - Committee 2023

President Chris Gatt
 Vice President Joel Harrison
 Administrator Mark Kirk
 Treasurer Jan Thom

Committee	James Nardella Mark Grech Xavier Hayes	Jeremy Jahoda Craig Ryan Sarah Frost	Ricky Martin Nathan Wilson Nicholas Triplett	Daniel Glowacki
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Western Region Football League Delegate	Mark Grech
YCW National Football Association – Life Member	Peter Evans
Footscray District Football League – Life Member	Mrs Marge Laffin (dec)
Western Region Football League – Life Member	Mark Grech

Senior Match Committee	Senior Coach Ben Chapman
Assistant Coach Brenton Quinn	
Assistants Nicholas Triplett – Rod Horton	
Reserves Coach Hamish Andrew	
Reserves Assistant Jonathon Frost	
Senior Captains Declan Moloney – Patrick O’Keefe	

Club Coaching Coordinator Ron Rooney

Club Legends – HALL OF FAME

Peter Evans (2022) Mark Grech (2022) Ramon Vila (dec) (2022) Marge Laffin (dec) (2022)

Life Members

Msg. B Walsh	MG Hayes	NK Wilson	Mrs J Hilton
JB Larsen (dec)	Mrs M Laffin (dec)	HG Spits	TA Millar
GL Evans (dec)	BA Murphy	CA Ryan	RL Martin
WJ O’Keefe	MJ Boase	ET Oughtred	JA Nardella
PG Evans	Mrs DA Connor	BC Davis	CF Connor
RF Vila (dec)	Ms KF Kavanagh	BJ Hocking	RC Andrew
MC Schwartz	PG Hockey	Mrs JM Thom	Mrs TM Janetzki
GJ Toomey	BE Morgan	LE Schwartz	SD Janetzki
PM Shine (dec)	WJ Bouchaud	MT Schwartz	Mrs JM Schwartz
KB Williams	GJ Waring	MA Argus	R de Santa-ana
IJ Brewis (dec)	GF Connor	MC Goring	VP Smart
TJ County	LV Croft	BJ Connor	B Acreman
MA Laffin	ML Grech	BJ Hedditch	D Glowacki
MG Payne	JR Hedditch	DV de Santa-ana	AS Wilkie
MP Huxtable	BW Carroll	XP Hayes	
RP Kavanagh	DJ Green	PJ McInneny	
GF McInneny	CM Green	JD Frost	

Premierships

YCWNFA

1964 Under 17
 1965 Under 17
 1966 B Grade, Under 19
 1967 Under 19
 1968 Under 18
 1969 B Grade, Under 18
 1971 Under 18
 1976 A Grade

FDL & WRFL

1977 Under 13B	1994 A2 Reserves
1980 Under 17B	1995 A2 Reserves
1981 A1 Reserves	2002 Under 16B
1982 A1, Reserves, A3, U17B	2006 Under 14C, Under 12C
1985 A5, Under 11	2008 Div 1 Reserves
1986 A1 Reserves	2011 Div 1 Reserves
1987 A1 Reserves	2014 Under 14C
1989 Under 15C	2015 Under 13C
1992 Under 16B	2023 Under 14 Div 4
1993 Under 18A	

Sunshine Football Club Presidents Report 2023



Season 2023 was a season of huge change, both off and on the field. Following successive years of struggle in Division 1 for the senior team, we were relegated to Division 2.

While it was not what the club had planned for, we saw this as an opportunity to hit the reset button.

We hired a new Senior Coach, in Ben Chapman, and made a focus both on and off the field to reunite the football club.

We set out to re-connect with past players, have greater connection between our senior and junior programme's and make our sponsors and supporters a bigger part of the Club.

On that front, we succeeded in setting the required platform to begin working off.

On the field, we had a relatively successful year with our open age teams, with both our seniors and reserves qualifying for finals – And while our senior team lost the elimination final, our reserves made it through to the preliminary final.

Junior participation was very strong, with record numbers at Aus Kick level, filtering through our junior programme, having a side represented in each age category as well as being able to field 2 sides at U/16 level.

We were thrilled to win the U/14's premiership under the guidance of Xavier Hayes and performed strongly at U/16 level having both sides qualify for finals football.

With our focus being around rebuilding through our youth, the success of those team gives us great confidence that we are on the right track moving forward.

Another great achievement for our club this year was the success of our netballers, winning a premiership with a fantastic a closely fought finals series – Again, a fantastic launching pad for what is to come.

Off the field, we had greater engagement with our sponsors and past players – as was evidenced by record levels of sponsorship and packed clubrooms after many home games.

The platform is now strong for 2024 – with great stability on and off the field to set the bar higher and aim for greater success.

We aim to have a stronger netball programme in 2024, with a focus on a women's football programme to commence planning.

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank the committee for their support, coaches, and players (of all age groups) for their commitment and trust in the Club and our sponsors and supporters for playing crucial roles in the rebuild of our club.

Bring on 2024!

Chris Gatt

President

Sunshine Football Club

Junior Administrator Report 2023



What a season on and off the field it was in 2023 for the Junior teams!!

A very big thank you needs to go to all club officials, volunteers, coaches, team managers as well as parents and care givers who continually donated their time to work in the canteen, sell merchandise, or assist with match day duties. The season could not have been successful as it was without their ongoing support and commitment to assist the junior kids with developing their skills and love for the Sunshine Football Club.

I received various feedback throughout the year from families, supporters and club officials about how we as a club have created an inclusive and safe environment for the kids, teaching them life skills and values as well as improving their skills on the field.

Team Reports

Under 8s

Coach - Justin Hoffman

Team Manager – Brad Hewitt

It was Justin's first time coaching and with limited numbers it was tough at the start of the season. Justin found his groove with the kids mid season and also assisted with brining the team together and playing a half time game during the seniors when we took on Albion at home. Special mention needs to go to Brad who took on the team managers role and was there early each and every week to set up the ground. A big thank you also needs to go to the Schwartz family, Lee, Mark and Shara who assisted each week whether this was opening the club rooms for an early game, setting up the ground, taking over coaching responsibilities if Justin was unavailable or assisting with on field match day duties.

Under 10s

Coach - Adam Bright

Team Manager – Steve Packer

Adam having previously coached the Under 8's in 2022 took on the role of coach of the under 10's in 2023. Having already built a relationship with the kids having coached majority of them in 2022 in the under 8's, Adam spent the year developing their skills and leading by example on how to represent the Sunshine Football Club. Adam was supported by Steve Packer as the team manager who displayed excellent communication skills to the team as well as myself. Steve was always the first one to contact me to offer assistance for junior events we were hosting throughout the year. A special thank you also needs to go to Cory Day who umpired each week.

Under 12s

Coach – Joel Harrison

Assistant Coach – Greg Ash

Team Manager – Tom Millar

Coaches Comments – Joel Harrison

This year in our under 12's we had a really strong year. Unfortunately missing out on the finals by one game. But the improvement in our boys from the start of the year to the end was immense. We fielded close to 30 players which puts us in a strong position numbers wise. We also attracted a couple of players from other clubs which is always a big plus. Overall the boys enjoyed the year and it was a pleasure to watch them grow as players and people.

Junior Administrator Comments

Joel and Greg worked in unison and provided an excellent balance of coaching styles between them which the team responded well too. With Joel away for a few weeks and working away for work, Greg took on running the training sessions on a regular basis. Tom was the team manager for the second year in a row and had arranged permanent volunteers to cover some match day roles in; trainer (Simon Sacco), goal umpire (Paul O'Brien) and time keeper (Simon Watson). Miller Montebello won the Best & Fairest with Max Harrison taking home runners up. Max was also invited to the leagues Best & Fairest where he came equal 4th.

Under 14s

Coach – Xavier Hayes

Assistant Coach – Brendan Acreman

Team Manager – Jo Carter

Coaches Comments – Xavier Hayes

After taking on the role of the U14s coach for season 2023, I was super excited to roll my sleeves up and get straight into training. Unfortunately, after a few sessions we didn't have the numbers and came to the realisation that we would have to merge with another team. Thankfully we had a great relationship with Flemington Juniors and were able to come together and have enough numbers to form a team that could be competitive. The first few rounds we found ourselves being outplayed by superior teams and therefore were re-graded down a division. This suited our style of play and the players were able to develop and grow as the year went on. We continued on a fantastic journey where we were able to beat most of the teams in our division, and eventually took home the premiership cup. It truly was a year to remember for the players, volunteers and supporters of the team. I couldn't have done it on my own and thank the following people for their support; The U12s for allowing us to train with them, our many volunteers who assisted in some way or another throughout the season and especially to Jo & Dan who did all the work behind the scenes. Congratulations to all the award winners on their successful season and I wish all the players every success in the years to come. Go Kangas

Junior Administrator Comments

Xavier has done an excellent job in outlining the struggles and successes of the under 14's team. We would not have been able to get a team together without the assistance of Xavier and the relationships he built as club president.

Both Xavier and Jo need to be commended on their flexibility with coaching and managing a combined side and working to both clubs needs. Isacc Schulz was a standout player who won the Best & Fairest and came runners up in the leagues Best & Fairest.

Under 16s BLUE

Coach – Derek Montebello

Team Manager – Matt Cachia

Coaches Comments – Derek Montebello

I would like to thank Chris Gatt and the committee allowing me to coach the under 16s Blue team. Two weeks prior to the season, although I had been appointed as a coach, I had doubts whether I would be needed for such position. Together with the great people at the club, we all knuckled down and did all what we had to do to get two sides up and running. Fortunately we succeeded and we took our place come round 1 of the season. The personnel across the two sides strived with the junior program that the club put together along with team structure and discipline. The focus in the 16s was not necessarily about winning, it was based around culture, education and team development as the potential for senior footballers was there in front of us.

With all the players taking our vision on board, the season was a massive success. The Blue team started the season in division 5 and after grading were promoted to division 3. Some fantastic footy was played and to complete the season third placed on the ladder and making final was unbelievable.

To Jimmy Nardella, thank you for all the hard work you have put in this season and working along side of you from the start of preseason was seamless.

To be able to work with Jimmy, Brenton Quinn and Kyle Wilson was fantastic and I thank each and everyone of you.

To my runner Marcus Mudford, Trainers Merryn Auld and Andrew Gaff, Team manager Matt Cachia and all other volunteers who assisted during the year, I thank you all.

A special thanks goes out to Joel Harrison who pushed hard to get me to commit and take on the gig. Joel sold me what he wanted the club's future to look like and his enthusiasm and excitement was enough for me to help out.

2023 season has been fantastic and I look forward to seeing further growth to the juniors coming through in the years to come.

Junior Administrator Comments

Derek showed both pride and passion in his coaching style which was reflected in the way the team played on the field. Derek not only assisted the team in developing their skills but provided support, guidance and mentoring to his team off the field. Matt Cachia took on the role as team manager for the first time and with the assistance of Jeremy McCartin excelled in all required aspects showing great communication and delegation skills.

Under 16s GOLD

Coach – Jimmy Nardella

Team Manager – Jeremy McCartin

Coaches Comments – Jimmy Nardella

Under 16's had a very successful year going from one team to two teams with the pick up of players from

Several clubs we really became a destination team. Having started the season in division 3 we were quickly promoted to division 1 and made finals!!

Although we were knocked out in round 2 of the finals, the development of the group has been fantastic as players and people. We had several players play senior or reserve football at open age.

Junior Administrator Comments

Jim is a huge supporter and volunteer of the club needs to be commended for all the work he does not only in his coaching role but all the other roles he has within the club.

Jim displays the value of mateship and what it means to be involved within a club like ours and shares his stories openly with his team to show them the impact that being involved within the club has had on him. He has arranged team events, boot camps and a live Best & Fairest which the players responded positively too.

Canteen

Brooke Pollock was back to run the canteen on a Friday night and Sunday game days with the assistance of Kate Richardson. With canteen volunteers low in previous years, it was agreed to implement a family volunteer roster where each family was rostered to assist. If they were unavailable on their rostered shift, it was the responsibility of the family to swap with someone else. With the support of team managers ensuring that families were aware of their rostered shift the system worked well in most instances. Brooke continues to be great assistance in the canteen for the juniors and is always fantastic with the kids ensuring that they are respectful and well mannered. Brooke has confirmed her availability for the 2024 and has my full support in returning.

Events

In 2023 we put on two very successful events which I do suggest we schedule again for 2024.

The junior disco was the Friday of the school holiday break so parents were a little more relaxed to allow their kids to stay and we were able to secure the top kids DJ in DJ Con. Both parents and kids enjoyed the night with great feedback being received that the disco was the best one yet!

The other event was to say thank you to our volunteers. This was put on during our home game against Albion at the end of the Junior Season. Volunteers received personal invites with a special message as to why they were invited and enjoyed the day watching the game with drinks and finger food on the club.

The feedback received from the day was incredible and I truly believe will go along way to securing these volunteers again in 2024.

Bar

Craig Ryan was kind enough to offer his time and run the bar on a Friday night after Junior training as many families tend to stay for a bite to eat and a drink of two. Craig is another volunteer that goes above and beyond and Friday's would not have been as successful as they were without him.

Summary

The Sunshine Football Club is certainly seen as a destination club which showed in our increase in junior numbers and the fact we were able to field two Under 16 teams as well as being awarded Junior Club of the Year by the WRFL.

With 2023 being my first year as Junior Administrator a thank you needs to go to Mark Kirk for extending and handing over his knowledge. A special thank you needs to go to Craig Ryan, Mark Grech and Xavier Hayes for their ongoing support whilst I continue to learn more about this role and what it means to be a part of the Sunshine Football Club.

Lastly, but certainly not least, a HUGE thank you needs to go to Joel Harrison. Without his assistance the junior teams would not be where they are today. If Joel wasn't coaching his own team, he was providing support and guidance to other junior coaches, assisting me with opening and closing the rooms if I wasn't available, covering the bar if needed and he even worked in the canteen and served chip and nuggets!!

Looking forward to seeing what 2024 brings.

Go Kangas!!

Sarah Frost

Junior Administrator - Sunshine Football Club



Sunshine Football Club Treasurers Report 2023



Financial Overview: I am pleased to present the treasurer's report for season 2023 for the Sunshine Football Club. Our financial performance continues to reflect the commitment and support of our members and sponsors.

With increased success in our Football Program, we saw a substantial improvement from the 2022 report

Increased patronage and support around the club has allowed our main revenue streams of Canteen, Sponsorship, Raffles, and the Bar to see continued improvement through out the season, however we can not sit on our laurels, and we must continue to work hard as a community to keep the club in a strong financial position.

Financial Goals and Future Plans: Our financial position remains stable, and we continue to diligently manage our resources. Looking ahead, we plan to implement the following financial goals and initiatives:

1. **Increase Sponsorship:**
 - Actively seek additional sponsors to support the club financially.
2. **Member Engagement:**
 - Enhance communication with members regarding all club matters and moving forward with membership drives and encourage continued support, through coterie groups and general membership.
3. **Long-term Planning:**
 - Continue to develop a long-term financial plan to ensure the club's sustainability and growth.

On behalf of the Executive and committee members, I would like to thank all the people that make our club, the club that it is. We as a committee appreciate the ongoing support of our club community. The success of the Sunshine Football Club is a collective effort, and we look forward to achieving greater milestones over the 2024 season.

Sincerely,

Jan Thom

Treasurer

Sunshine Football Club

Netball Report 2023

In 2023, the Sunshine Kangaroos Division 4 had an impressive season despite facing challenges like player commitments. They secured their spot in the finals with five consecutive wins to finish the season and displayed resilience in two tough final games to reach the grand final.

In an intense match, they clinched the premiership by a mere one-point victory over Glenorden who had previously lost one game for the season which was to Sunshine in the final round.

The outstanding performances of Amy Morgan and Alannah Coward earned them the Best and Fairest awards, while Anni Naicovi and Telia Coverdale secured second place. Notably, Anni Naicovi was also recognized as the Most Valuable Player by her teammates. Alannah Coward also took out the highest goal scorer of division 4.

Congratulations must also go to Ani Naicova (captain), Amy Morgan, Allannah Coward and Telia Coverdale on making the WFRL Division 4 Netball Team of the Year

The club extends its warm thanks and gratitude to Amy Morgan in her role as coach this season, and she and the team eagerly anticipate the 2024 season with aspirations of expanding the Sunshine Kangaroos netball club.





OFFICE	BEARERS	1959-2023			
Year	President	Secretary	Treasurer	Senior Coach	Club Captain
1959	Fr B Walsh	JB Larsen	JB Larsen	No Senior Team	No Senior Team
1960	Fr B Walsh	JB Larsen	JB Larsen	No Senior Team	No Senior Team
1961	Fr B Walsh	JB Larsen	JB Larsen	No Senior Team	No Senior Team
1962	Fr B Walsh	PG Evans	PG Evans	No Senior Team	No Senior Team
1963	Fr B Walsh	PG Evans	PG Evans	TF Corcoran	TF Corcoran
1964	JB Larsen	PG Evans	PG Evans	JR Brewis	JR Brewis Capt/Coach
1965	JB Larsen	PG Evans	PG Evans	BJ Crosbie	BJ Crosbie Capt/Coach
1966	RF Vila	PG Evans	PG Evans	TF Corcoran *	KB Williams
1967	RF Vila	PG Evans	RF Archer	TF Corcoran	KB Williams
1968	RF Vila	KB Williams	PG Evans	TF Corcoran	TJ County
1969	RF Vila	KB Williams	PG Evans	HF Doyle *	HF Doyle Capt/Coach
1970	RF Vila	MP Huxtable	PG Evans	NG Evans	NG Evans Capt/Coach
1971	RF Vila	MG Payne	PG Evans	NG Evans	NG Evans Capt/Coach
1972	RF Vila	PM Shine	PG Evans	IJ Brewis	MA McInneny
1973	RF Vila	PM Shine	PG Evans	RP Kavanagh	RP Kavanagh Capt/Coach
1974	RF Vila	PM Shine	PG Evans	RP Kavanagh	RP Kavanagh Capt/Coach
1975	RF Vila	SH Huxtable	PG Evans	RP Kavanagh	RP Kavanagh Capt/Coach
1976	DM Thirlwall	SH Huxtable	PG Evans	IJ Brewis*	RP Kavanagh
1977	DM Thirlwall	JM Francis	PG Evans	IJ Brewis	GF McInneny
1978	DM Thirlwall	JM Francis	PG Evans	IJ Brewis	MG Redford
1979	RF Vila	CP Hume	PG Evans	MW McIntyre	MW McIntyre Capt/Coach
1980	MA Laffin	CP Hume	PG Evans	MW McIntyre	MW McIntyre Capt/Coach
1981	MA Laffin	BJ Ferguson	PG Evans	AW Boyd	AW Boyd Capt/Coach
1982	MA Laffin	BJ Ferguson	PG Evans	NG Evans	GJ Waring
1983	MA Laffin	B Maloney	PG Evans	NG Evans	GJ Waring
1984	MA Laffin	RP Barr	PG Evans	PM McErvalle	GJ Waring
1985	MC Schwartz	RP Barr	PG Evans	RP Rooney	RP Rooney Capt/Coach
1986	MC Schwartz	MA Laffin	PG Evans	RP Rooney	RJ Carroll & WR Flight
1987	MC Schwartz	BJ Ferguson	PG Evans	RP Rooney	P Lenaghan
1988	MC Schwartz	RP Barr	PG Evans	RP Rooney	F Pawlowicz
1989	MC Schwartz	RP Barr	PG Evans	K Kershaw	K Kershaw Capt/Coach
1990	MA Laffin	RP Barr	PG Evans	K Kershaw	K Kershaw Capt/Coach
1991	RP Barr	MR Nelson	MG Hayes	SA Moloney	SA Moloney Capt/Coach
1992	MC Schwartz	MC Schwartz	MG Hayes	LG Sneddon	LG Sneddon Capt/Coach
1993	MC Schwartz	Ms M Murphy	PF Soong	JA Dearaugo	AK Pritchard
1994	JR Hedditch	Ms K Kavanagh	BJ Hocking	JA Dearaugo	WJ Bouchaud
1995	JR Hedditch	Ms K Kavanagh	MS Mannix	JA Dearaugo	WJ Bouchaud
1996	GF Connor	MG Payne	MS Mannix	GJ Evans	GJ Evans Capt/Coach
1997	JR Hedditch	MG Payne	MS Mannix	AW Hall	DI Hart
1998	GF Connor	MG Payne	MS Mannix	AW Hall	DI Hart
1999	GF Connor	MG Payne	MS Mannix	AW Hall	ML Grech
2000	ET Oughtred	MG Payne	JR Hedditch	RP Rooney	ML Grech
2001	ET Oughtred	MG Payne	JR Hedditch	RP Rooney	ML Grech
2002	ET Oughtred	MG Payne	JR Hedditch	RP Rooney	ML Grech & BC Davis
2003	ML Grech	MG Payne	JR Hedditch	RP Rooney	BC Davis
2004	ML Grech	MG Payne	F Salvatore	MP O'Keefe	ST Hanneysee BC Davis & B Acreman
2005	ML Grech	MG Payne	F Salvatore	MP O'Keefe	BC Davis
2006	ML Grech	MG Payne	F Salvatore	MP O'Keefe	BC Davis & B Acreman
2007	ML Grech	MG Payne	F Salvatore	MP O'Keefe	B.Acreman
2008	ML Grech	MG Payne	Ms RL Cooper	MP O'Keefe	B.Acreman
2009	ML Grech	MG Payne	Ms RL Cooper	MP O'Keefe	JP Trevaskis
2010	BR Tensen	MG Payne	ML Grech	BA Jacobs	JP Trevaskis
2011	BR Tensen	Ms JM Schwartz	ML Grech	BA Jacobs	JP Trevaskis & MC Goring
2012	BR Tensen	CA Ryan	ML Grech	BA Jacobs	JP Trevaskis & MC Goring
2013	BR Tensen	CA Ryan	ML Grech	BA Jacobs	MC Goring
2014	CA Ryan	RJ Roberts	ML Grech	BA Jacobs	MC Goring
2015	CA Ryan	Mrs K Connor	ML Grech	BJ Hallinan	MC Goring
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2019	XP Hayes	SP Moloney	Mrs JM Thom	A Contessa	JS Linton & BT McInnery
2020	XP Hayes	SP Moloney	Mrs JM Thom	A Contessa	No Games Played - COVID
2021	XP Hayes	BJ Hedditch	Mrs JM Thom	HG Scotland	DP Moloney
2022	XP Hayes	BJ Hedditch	Mrs Jan Thom	CJ Atkins	DP Moloney
2023	CR Gatt	MD Kirk	Mrs Jan Thom	BN Chapman	DP Moloney –PM O’Keefe

Team Officials 2023

Seniors

Coach	Ben Chapman
Assistant Coach	Brenton Quinn
Team Manager	Tom Oughtred
Captain	Declan Moloney Patrick O'Keefe
Runner	Joel Harrison
Timekeeper	Bob de Santa-ana
Umpires Escort	Lou Kourouklis
Trainers	Dick Spits, Leanne Morgan, Rhonda Boorman

Reserves

Coach	Hamish Andrew
Assistant Coach	Jonathon Frost
Team Manager	Tom Oughtred
Captain	Daniel Glowacki
Runner	Michael Glowacki
Timekeeper	Bob de Santa-ana
Umpires Escort	Lou Kourouklis
Trainers	Dick Spits, Leanne Morgan, Rhonda Boorman

Under 18

Coach	Nathan Wilson
Assistant Coach	Dean Foley
Team Manager	Mark Kirk
Captain	Jude Elcheikh
Runner	Liam McCartin
Timekeeper	Jeremy McCartin
Trainer	Leonie Kirk

Under 16 (Division 1)

Coach	James Nardella
Assistant Coach	Brenton Quinn
Team Manager	Jeremy McCartin
Timekeeper	Raylee Waters & Steve Packer
Runner	Aidan Todo
Trainer	Kevin O'Neill

Under 16 (Division 3)

Coach	Derek Montebello
Team Manager	Matt Cachia
Timekeeper	Steve Stylianou
Runner	Marc Mudford
Trainer	Andrew Gaff / Merryn Auld

Under 14

Coach	Xavier Hayes
Assistant Coach	Brendan Acreman
Team Manager	Joanne Carter
Runner	James Weston
Trainers	Matt Fenech

Under 12

Coach	Joel Harrison
Assistant Coach	Greg Ash
Runner	Cameron Magnusson
Team Manager	Tom Millar
Trainer	Simon Sacco
Timekeeper	Simon Watson

Under 10	Coach Team Mng & Asst Coach Runner/Umpire	Adam Bright Steve Packer Cory Day
Under 8	Coach Team Manager	Justin Hoffman Brad Hewitt
AUSKICK	Auskick Co-ordinator	Sean Acreman - Ricky Martin

Club Awards 2023

Seniors	Best & Fairest	Murray Boyd
	Best & Fairest – Runner Up	Mathew Medcraft
	Most Consistent	Charly Williams
	Most Determined	Daniel Torcia
	Most Improved	Kurtis Barnard
	Coaches Award	Max Weise
	Best First Year Player	Dylan Payne
	Leading Goalkicker	Charly Williams 40 Goals (WRFL Winner)
	Players MVP	Murray Boyd
Reserves	Best & Fairest	Trent Waring (WRFL Winner)
	Best & Fairest – Runner Up	Jayden Chu
	Most Consistent	Jarrem Jeffries
	Most Determined	Joshua Abrogar
	Most Improved	Liam Keenan-Hayes
	Coaches Award	Eward Latu
Under 18	Best & Fairest	Jude Elcheikh (WRFL Winner)
	Best & Fairest – Runner Up	Kane Holden
	Most Consistent	Hamid Diab
	Most Determined	Joshua Wilson
	Most Improved	Brad Brincat
	Coaches Award	Matthew Bethune
Under 16 (Gold Team)	Best & Fairest	Noah Andreula
	Best & Fairest – Runner Up	Lucas Ash
	Most Consistent	Adrian Barcarella
	Most Determined	Charlie Oughtred
	Most Improved	Flynne Considine
	Coaches Award	Lucas O'Neill
Under 16 (Blue Team)	Best & Fairest	Max Auld
	Best 7 Fairest – Runner Up	Rowan Grant-Calle
	Most Consistent	Owen Adams
	Most Determined	Jack Lawson
	Most Improved	Yak Akot
	Coaches Award	Anthony Abela
Under 14	Best & Fairest	Isaac Schulz
	Best & Fairest – Runner Up	Alastair Carter
	Most Consistent	Samuel Carter
	Most Determined	Hunter Weston
	Most Improved	Nathan Trinh
	Coaches Award	Digby Murphy
Under 12	Best & Fairest	Miller Montebello
	Best & Fairest – Runner Up	Max Harrison
	Most Consistent	Gabe Magnusson
	Most Determined	Henry Adams
	Most Improved	Harrison Berenger
	Coaches Award	Sebastian Sacco

NETBALL

Best & Fairest	Allanah Coward & Amy Morgan
Best & Fairest Runner Up	Telia Coverdale & Anicova
MVP (voted by the players)	Ani Naicova

2023 - Western Region Football League - Division 2 Senior

Round 1	A	Sunshine	16.15.111	def	Albion	12.6.78
Round 2	H	Wyndhamvale	11.11.77	def	Sunshine	11.10.76
Round 3	A	Sunshine	18.21.129	def	Braybrook	6.4.40
Round 4	BYE					
Round 5	A	Newport	14.10.94	def	Sunshine	10.11.71
Round 6	A	Parkside	13.10.88	def	Sunshine	6.8.44
Round 7	H	Sunshine	16.22.118	def	North Footscray	5.7.37
Round 8	H	Albion	11.14.80	def	Sunshine	7.9.51
Round 9	A	Sunshine	13.7.85	def	Wyndhamvale	10.6.66
Round 10	H	Sunshine	16.16.112	def	Braybrook	2.2.14
Round 11	BYE					
Round 12	H	Sunshine	11.13.79	def	Newport	8.10.58
Round 13	H	Sunshine	16.8.104	def	Parkside	11.10.76
Round 14	A	Sunshine	18.18.114	def	North Footscray	10.7.67
Round 15	H	Albion	15.6.96	def	Sunshine	10.15.75
Round 16	A	Newport	11.15.81	def	Sunshine	10.9.69
Round 17	A	Parkside	8.11.59	def	Sunshine	5.15.45
Round 18	H	Sunshine	24.21.165	def	North Footscray	7.6.48
1 st Semi F		Newport	16.13.109	def	Sunshine	13.9.87

Premiers: Parkside

Finals Scores

Seniors	1st Semi Final	Newport	16.13.109	def	Sunshine	13.9.87
Reserves	1st Semi Final	Sunshine	7.13.55	def	Parkside	3.4.22
Reserves	Preliminary Final	Albion	12.13.85	def	Sunshine	8.11.59
Under 16 Div 1	Elimination Final	Werribee Districts	11.10.76	def	Sunshine	3.8.26
Under 16 Div 3	1st Semi Final	Newport Power Jrs	11.5.71	def	Sunshine	6.7.43
Under 14 Div 4	2nd Semi Final	Wyndhamvale	10.4.64	def	Sunshine	6.17.53
Under 14 Div 4	Preliminary Final	Sunshine/Flem Jnrs	10.5.65	def	Pt Cook Centrals	2.3.15
Under 14 Div 4	Grand Final	Sunshine/Flem Jnrs	10.5.65	def	Wyndhamvale	3.6.24

Note: The Under 14 team was a combined team with Flemington Juniors



SUNSHINE FOOTBALL CLUB

Under 14 (Div 4) PREMIERSHIP

Played at St Bernards College , Essendon
27th August 2023

Sunshine/Flemington Jnrs 10.5.65 defeated Wyndhamvale 3.6.24

Backs:	Tyler Loc (Flemington)	Ciaran Posar (Flemington)	Ausraj Shergill (Sunshine)
Half Backs:	Digby Murphy (Sunshine)	Isaac Schulz (Capt) (Sunshine)	Xavier Woods (Flemington)
Centres:	Hunter Weston (Sunshine)	Mason Fenech (Sunshine)	Ryder Cusack (Flemington)
Half Forwards:	Tom Tatsulaschwili (Flemington)	Sam Carter (Sunshine)	Jai Pomare (Flemington)
Forwards:	Termana Mitchell (Flemington)	Alastair Carter (Sunshine)	Kohan Balasopoulos (Sunshine)
Rucks:	Nghia Le (Sunshine)	Leon Adams (Sunshine)	
Rovers:	Teague Acreman (Sunshine)		
Interchange:	Kobie Hayes (Suns) Archer Cusack (Flem) Joshua Harris (Flem)	Edward Brook (Flem) Dominic Ciampia (Suns)	Nathan Trinh (Flem) Des Kardachi (Suns)
Best:	Alastair Carter Ciaran Posar	Sam Carter Xavier Woods	Teague Acreman Mason Fenech
Goals:	Alastair Carter 3 Ryder Cusack 1	Sam Carter 3 Tom Tatulaschwill 1	K Balasopoulos 2

Coach:	Xavier Hayes	Assistant Coach:	Brendan Acreman
Team Manager:	Joanne Carter		

WRFL Medallist for Best on Ground: Sam Carter

SENIOR CLEARANCES - 2023

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WESTERN REGION FOOTBALL LEAGUE LADDERS - 2023

Division 2 Seniors	Play	Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	%	Pts	% Won
Parkside	15	13	2	0	3	1327	727	182.53	52	86.67
Albion	15	11	4	0	3	1446	766	188.77	44	73.33
Newport	15	10	5	0	3	1226	954	128.51	40	66.67
Sunshine	16	9	7	0	2	1448	1059	136.73	36	56.25
Wyndhamvale	15	8	7	0	3	1167	771	151.36	32	53.33
North Footscray	16	2	14	0	2	856	1491	57.41	8	12.50
Braybrook	16	1	15	0	2	434	2136	20.32	4	6.25

Premiers: Parkside

Division 2 Reserves	Play	Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	%	Pts	% Won
Albion	15	13	2	0	3	1620	483	335.40	52	86.67
Wyndhamvale	15	12	3	0	3	1226	395	310.38	48	80.00
Sunshine	16	11	5	0	2	1372	576	238.19	44	68.75
Parkside	15	9	6	0	3	1126	564	199.65	36	60.00
Newport	15	6	9	0	3	958	1075	89.12	24	40.00
North Footscray	16	2	14	0	2	612	1848	33.15	8	12.50
Braybrook	16	1	15	0	2	305	2280	13.38	4	6.25

Premiers: Albion

Under 18 Division 2	Play	Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	%	% Won
Newport	18	16	2	0	0	1744	740	235.68	88.89
West Footscray	18	15	3	0	0	1905	554	343.86	83.33
Spotswood	18	12	6	0	0	1360	852	159.62	66.67
Flemington Juniors	18	10	8	0	0	1185	914	129.65	55.56
Sunshine	18	8	10	0	0	1070	1093	97.90	44.44
Point Cook Centrals	18	7	11	0	0	806	1295	62.24	38.89
Yarraville Seddon Eagles	18	4	14	0	0	719	1652	43.52	22.22
Point Cook	14	0	14	0	0	335	1696	19.75	0.00

Premiers: Newport

Under 16 Division 1	Play	Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	%	% Won
Point Cook	13	12	1	0	1	1035	488	212.09	92.31
Yarraville Seddon Eagles	14	11	3	0	0	988	451	219.07	78.57
Williamstown Juniors	13	10	3	0	1	906	450	201.33	76.92
Werribee Districts	13	8	5	0	1	783	527	148.58	61.54
Sunshine	13	8	5	0	1	704	599	117.53	61.54
West Footscray	13	8	5	0	1	666	643	103.58	61.54
Caroline Springs	13	5	8	0	1	557	721	77.25	38.46
Altona Juniors	14	5	9	0	0	522	765	68.24	35.71
St Bernards	13	1	12	0	1	544	1079	50.42	7.69
Spotswood	14	0	13	0	1	281	1084	25.92	0.00

Premiers: Yarraville Seddon Eagles

Under 16 Division 3	Play	Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	%	% Won
Caroline Springs	12	9	3	0	2	549	373	147.18	75.00
Tarneit	12	8	4	0	2	845	379	222.96	66.67
Sunshine	12	7	5	0	2	734	558	131.54	58.33
Newport Power Juniors	13	4	9	0	1	380	850	44.71	30.77
Point Cook Centrals	12	3	9	0	2	401	477	84.07	25.00
Point Cook	12	3	9	0	2	413	675	61.19	25.00
Werribee Districts	11	2	9	0	3	443	920	48.15	18.18

Premiers: Tarneit

Under 14 Division 4	Play	Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	%	% Won
Sunshine/Flemington Jrs	13	9	4	0	1	996	338	294.67	69.23
Wyndhamvale	13	8	5	0	1	958	285	336.14	61.54
Altona Juniors	13	7	6	0	1	699	382	182.98	53.85
Yarraville Seddon Eagles	13	7	6	0	1	549	626	87.70	53.85
Point Cook Centrals	13	6	7	0	1	465	474	98.10	46.15
Albanvale	13	5	8	0	1	532	643	82.74	38.46
West Footscray	12	2	10	0	2	474	661	71.71	16.67
Truganina Thunder	13	1	12	0	1	174	1264	13.77	7.69
Point Cook	13	1	12	0	1	122	1209	10.09	7.69

Premiers: Sunshine/Flemington Juniors

Under 12 Division 2	Play	Win	Loss	Draw	Bye	For	Against	%	% Won
Suns	14	12	2	0	0	588	210	280.00	85.71
Williamstown Juniors	13	9	4	0	0	406	284	142.96	69.23
Yarraville Seddon Eagles	14	8	5	1	0	490	456	107.46	60.71
Werribee Districts	14	8	6	0	0	409	295	138.64	57.14
Point Cook Centrals	14	8	6	0	0	400	423	94.56	57.14
Spotswood	14	6	7	1	0	391	446	87.67	46.43
Sunshine	14	6	8	0	0	341	348	97.99	42.86
Tarneit	13	0	13	0	0	160	651	24.58	0.00

Premiers: Suns

Western Region Football League Best and Fairest Awards 2023

Division 2 Seniors Winner – Shaun Campbell (Parkside) 23 Votes

15 Votes	Mathew Medcraft
14 Votes	Charly Williams
10 Votes	Murray Boyd
7 Votes	Patrick O’Keefe
5 Votes	Hisham Kerbatieh
3 Votes	Declan Moloney, Stuart Purves
2 Votes	Fabian Brancatisano

Division 2 Reserves Winner – Trent Waring (Sunshine) 21 Votes

11 Votes	Jayden Chu (Equal 2 nd)
5 Votes	Matthew Curran
4 Votes	Daniel Glowacki, Luke Buttigieg
3 Votes	Zac Cox, Jordan Rizzardo, Cory Connor, Joshua Abrogar, James Nardella
2 Votes	Charlie Oughtred, Jack Jarvis, Dylan Payne, Thomas Stoneham
1 Vote	Lachlan Meilak, Liam Keenan-Hayes, Jarrem Jeffries

Under 18 Division 2 Winner – Jude Elcheikh (Sunshine) 24 Votes

9 Votes	Hamid Diab, Kane Holden, King Le
5 Votes	Brodie Chatterton
3 Votes	Matthew Bethune
1 Vote	Pach Alaati

Under 16 Division 1 Winner – Darcy Steedman (Williamstown Juniors) 20 Votes

9 Votes	Joshua Djatschenko
6 Votes	Noah Andreula, Charlie Oughtred
5 Votes	Lucas O’Neill, Adrian Bacarella
3 Votes	Flynne Considine, Marcus Russell, Tyson Lewis
2 Votes	Liam McCartin, Archie Minett, Will Djatschenko
1 Vote	Lucas Ash, Nate Bettin

Under 16 Division 3 Winner- Abdul Elhouli (Tarneit) 14 Votes

9 Votes	Rowan Grant-Calle (Equal 2 nd)
3 Votes	Charlie Ross, Luca Ash
2 Votes	Luca Giurleo, Owen Adams, Flynne Considine, Max Auld
1 Vote	Jack Lawson, Evan Cachia, Azaria Mulatu, Cohen Urbina

Under 14 Division 4 Winner – Ibrahim Jawad (Point Cook Centrals) 23 Votes

19 Votes	Isaac Schulz (2 nd)
11 Votes	Teague Acreman
9 Votes	Alastair Carter
3 Votes	Tyler Loc, Sam Carter
2 Votes	Kohan Balasopoulos
1 Vote	Digby Murphy, Xavier Woods

Under 12 Division 2 Winner – Mohammed Hussein (Suns) 24 Votes

14 Votes	Max Harrison (4 th)
4 Votes	Miller Montebello, Gerard Flowers
3 Votes	Gabe Magnusson, Tom Djatschenko
1 Vote	Sam Ash, Henry Watson

Competition Awards

YCWNFA - Best and Fairest Winners

1961	David Darcy	Under 19
1961	Terry Toomey	Under 17
1965	Brian Crosbie	B Grade
1968	Andrew Cox	Under 14 North
1970	Wayne Hume	Under 14 North
1974	Ray Kavanagh	A Grade
1974	Andrew Waschl	Under 15
1974	Daryl Tarrant	Under 13
1975	Michael Laffin	A Reserves
1976	Frank Conway	A Reserves

YCWNFA – Leading Goal Kicker

1963	Denis Saunders	Under 19
1965	George Allen	Under 17
1965	Michael Huxtable	Under 15
1966	George Allen	Under 19
1967	David Bentley	Under 15
1970	Brian Wheelahan	A Reserves
1975	Frank Conway	A Reserves
1976	Frank Conway	A Reserves

Footscray District Football League - Best and Fairest Winners

1976	Brendan Moloney	Under 11B
1977	Bernard Hitch	Under 17B
1977	Peter Argus	Under 15B
1978	Peter Argus	Under 17B
1979	Ian Newman	Under 13B
1980	Peter Hockey	A2 Seniors
1981	Jason Bouchaud	Under 9 A
1982	Norm Igoe	A2 Seniors
1983	Jason Bouchaud	Under 11A
1984	Len Croft	A2 Seniors
1986	Tony Giarrizzo	Under 13A
1989	Doug Hart & Robert Scardamaglia	Under 15C
1989	Jason Bouchaud	Under 17C
1990	Danny O'Brien	Under 11B
1993	Shanon Carroll	Under 18A
1995	David Gray	A2 Seniors
1995	Colin Green	A3 Seniors
1997	Colin Simpkin	Under 18A
1998	Justin McCabe	Under 18A

Western Region Football League - Best and Fairest Winners

2002	Joshua Linton	Under 16B
2004	Paul Eudey	Division 1 Reserves
2004	Justin Grima	Under 14D
2005	Mitch Ellis	Under 18B
2005	Sebastian Reilly	Under 14C
2006	Andrew Gheorghiu & Abera Afewerk	Under 16C
2007	Russell Douglas	Division 1 Seniors
2008	Hamish Andrew	Under 16C
2009	Gary Trotman	Under 14C
2010	Joseph Blake	Under 14C
2012	Bradley Kendall-Coyle	Under 14C
2013	Jason Nguyen	Under 14C
2015	Mark Bell	Under 18C

2021	Xavier Kardachi	Under 16 Div 3
2022	Jude Elcheikh	Under 18 Div 2
2023	Jude Elcheikh	Under 18 Div 2
2023	Trent Waring	Division 2 Reserves

Footscray District Football League - Leading Goal Kicker

1989	Chris Stuhldreier	79 goals	Division 1 Seniors
1989	Doug Hart	100 goals	Under 15C
1993	Justin Little	54 goals	Under 18A

Western Region Football League - Leading Goal Kicker

2000	Cain Mansbridge	59 goals	Under 18A
2001	David Meilak	47 Goals	Division 1 Reserves
2002	Joshua Linton	32 goals	Under 16B
2004	Joel Evans	58 goals	Under 12C
2006	Brad Yewers	55 goals	Division 1 Reserves
2006	Robbie Roach	52 goals	Under 18B
2006	Joel Evans	103 goals	Under 14C
2013	Giovanni Raffaele	65 goals	Under 16C
2015	Atali Patrice	31 goals	Under 13C
2016	Cory Connor	47 goals	Division 1 Reserves
2022	Xavier Kardachi	53 goals	Under 16 Div 2
2023	Charly Williams	40 goals	Division 2 Seniors

FDFL & WRFL – Medallist for Best Player in a Grand Final

1992	Stuart Henderson	Under 16B
2002	Michael Flahive	Under 16B
2006	Hamish Andrew	Under 14C
2008	Aaron Batty	Division 1 Reserves
2011	Alex Barbari	Division 1 Reserves
2014	Alec Coupe	Under 14C
2015	Matthew Curran	Under 13C
2017	Ben Dessent	Division 1 Seniors
2023	Sam Carter	Under 14 Div 4

Western Jets Representatives

1993	Simon Parsons, Robert Scardamaglia
1999	Brendan Acreman, David Loft
2000	Cain Mansbridge
2003	Joshua Linton, Jonathon Donovan
2004	Joshua Linton, Joe Hedditch, Jess McInnery
2005	Joe Hedditch
2006	Joe Hedditch, Michael Heyne, Jonathon Blake
2013	Joe Blake
2014	Joe Blake
2017	Lachlan Smart

Senior Club Best & Fairest Winners

1959	*David Darcy	1981	Don Paxton	2003	Brendan Acreman
1960	*David Cotter	1982	Ricky Carroll	2004	Ben Foley & Ash Comer
1961	*David Darcy	1983	Ricky Carroll	2005	Joshua Linton
1962	*Brian Crosbie	1984	Michael Kelly	2006	Russell Douglas
1963	Noel Ewer	1985	Ricky Carroll	2007	Macauley Goring
1964	John Brewis	1986	Jason Joyce	2008	Tom Millar
1965	Brian Crosbie	1987	Michael Kelly	2009	Russell Douglas
1966	Barry Williams	1988	Frank Pawlowicz	2010	Russell Douglas
1967	Terry County	1989	Frank Pawlowicz	2011	Ben Foley
1968	Terry Toomey	1990	Stephen Moloney	2012	Tom Millar
1969	Terry Toomey	1991	Andrew Pritchard	2013	Russell Douglas
1970	Michael Huxtable	1992	Stephen Moloney	2014	Russell Douglas
1971	Brian Beckensall	1993	Renato Stupin	2015	Jake Allan
1972	Tony McInnery	1994	Eddie Maddern	2016	Matthew Hutchesson
1973	Ray Kavanagh	1995	David Gray	2017	Liam Cavanagh & Ben Dessent
1974	Ken Fox	1996	Paul Eudey	2018	Matthew Hutchesson
1975	Greg Waring	1997	Paul Eudey	2019	Jake Allan
1976	Michael Redford	1998	Paul Eudey	2020	No competition
1977	Ray Kavanagh	1999	Stephen Ralph	2021	Shaun Kostizen
1978	Greg Waring	2000	Paul Eudey	2022	Hisham Kerbatieh
1979	Greg Waring	2001	Slade Hanneysee	2023	Murray Boyd
1980	Andrew Waschl	2002	Ben Davis		

*Denotes under age – no open age team

Senior Players 2023

Surname	Given Name	Age	Senior Games 2023	Total Games	Senior Goals 2023	Previous Club
Abrogar	Joshua	23	2	110		Sunshine
Allan	Jake	31	16	136	5	Hoppers Crossing
Andreula (U16)	Noah	16	7	126		Sunshine
Appleby	Dylan	25	17	46	17	Altona Juniors
Barnard	Kurtis	22	11	16		Doutta Stars
Boyd	Murray	38	16	16	6	Spotswood
Brancatisano	Fabian	29	15	40	22	Airport West
Buttigieg	Luke	23	3	10		
Chapman	Buckley	21	16	16	4	Tullamarine
Chu	Jayden	21	2	47	1	Caroline Springs
Coots-Majer	Brodie	24	6	123	3	Darley
Curran	Matthew	21	3	136		North Footscray
De Leur	Nicholas	24	14	14	1	Woodend-Hesket
Fitzpatrick	Mitchell	21	5	15		Oak Park
Giurleo (U18)	Giuliano	19	16	143	2	Flemington Juniors
Jarvis	Nathan	23	5	197		North Footscray/Sunshine
Jeffries	Jarrem	22	1	152	1	Maribyrnong Park
Kardachi (U18)	Xavier	17	16	139	22	Sunshine
Kerbatieh	Hisham	26	8	23	11	Deer Park
Linton	Joshua	37	2	251	1	Sunshine YCW/ Keilor
McKay	Nicholas	22	16	148	5	Sunshine/North Footscray
Medcraft	Mathew	31	16	17	16	Port Douglas (Qld)
O'Keefe	Patrick	24	9	195	8	Sunshine/Spotswood
Payne	Dylan	19	14	17	8	Hillside
Patak	Wayne	36	4	4	1	Woodend-Hesket
Purves	Stuart	20	15	27	15	Maribyrnong Park
Rizzardo	Austin	26	5	9	3	West Brunswick (VAFA)
Rizzardo	Jordan	24	12	13		Woodend-Hesket
Tahche	Joseph	24	16	43	2	St Bernards
Torcia	Daniel	23	17	46	1	St Bernards
Tucker	Lane	27	8	11		Tullamarine
Waring	Trent	33	2	210		Sunshine/Sunbury
Weise	Max	22	11	149		Sunshine
Wilkinson	James	22	2	49		Maribyrnong Park
Williams	Charly	28	17	106	40	Aberfeldie
Wilson	Kyle	21	13	148		Sunshine/North Footscray

Milestones Reached In 2023

250 Games	JS Linton		
200 Games	TG Waring		
150 Games	JL Green	JK Jeffries	EP Ryan
100 Games	J Abrogar AM Kirk PW McCartin CJ Williams	FA Considine JB Lawson LA Meilak	A Giurleo LJ McCartin BL Webber
50 Games	A Abiem P Alaat WH Fletcher LD Keenan-Hayes DL Murphy	K Acreman DJ Ciampa GA Flowers AR Minett HT Weston	LE Adams TP Djatschenko KA Holden MC Montebello

400 Games

BJ Connor	470
DJ Green	427

300 Games

NK Wilson	399	WJ Bouchaud	361	DV de Santa-ana	331	MG Hayes	310
MC Goring	398	MP Huxtable	351	*VP Smart	326	JM McInnery	305
ML Grech	380	MT Schwartz	348	CM Green	325		
*JA Nardella	375	GF McInnery	337	*CF Connor	323		
BA Murphy	372	*D Glowacki	335	RL Martin	320		
BC Davis	366	JD Frost	335	RP Kavanagh	316		

200 Games

BJ Hedditch	296	TA Millar	250	DC McMurdo	218	PG Lloyd	205
*MJ Ellis	292	DP Reddin	246	CD Simpkin	217	MG Payne	204
RG Green	291	*JW Hilton	245	SM Kelly	216	PD McNally	203
SR Henderson	288	MA Argus	238	JT Payne	216	BT Williamson	202
NJ Triplett	283	WR Hume	237	*BB Quinn	215	GT Toomey	202
DI Hart	275	ML Foster	236	TM Foster	214	TG Argus	202
CA Ryan	275	*NW Wilkie	232	BJ Archer	213	TE Toomey	201
CM Goring	270	JL Croft	230	MA McInnery	213	JM Francis	201
*MD Murphy	268	MS Wilkie	229	CJ Windsor	211	KA Cox	200
CP Hume	265	MG Redford	228	*TG Waring	210	S Moloney	200
AN Barbari	265	TJ Croft	227	PS Davenport	210		
XP Hayes	264	MA Laffin	227	BE Morgan	210		
SP Hedditch	262	PM Shine	227	DW Ellis	210		
BT McInnery	260	MP Morgan	225	JA Hitch	210		
*KP Frahm	257	PJ Rodgers	225	*NP Hayes	209		
PA Green	256	*LS Frahm	222	DF Murphy	209		
*JS Linton	251	JG Bouchaud	220	TJ County	209		
HI Andrew	251	DK Daly	220	PM Cullen	207		
LA Woods	251	GJ Waring	219	FA Conway	206		
PJ McInnery	250	AR Slopak	219	LV Croft	205		

* denotes played in 2023

Sunshine Football Club

Inaugural HALL of FAME 2023

At last years AGM, the club decided to honour our past and current greats by introducing a Hall of Fame.

The main prerequisites being that they are a Life Member, have given the club a lifetime of service, and have gone above and beyond the call of regular duty.

Our four inaugural inductees were Peter Evans, Marj Laffin, Ramon Vila and Mark Grech.

Congratulations to these legends,! The club would not be where it is without them.

A great night was held at the clubs Midyear Ball celebrating their induction, with all families well represented celebrating the honour.

PETER EVANS LIFE MEMBER 1971



Peter first came onto the committee as the Secretary/Treasurer in 1962 & remained until 1990.

Peter performed many functions at the club that included being the Team Manager of the senior team for many years. In addition to his commitments to Sunshine YCW Peter also served on the Executive of the YCW, responsible for running the entire YCW competition.

He was made a Life Member of the YCWNFA in 1975. In honour of his years of dedicated service to Sunshine YCW Football Club the committee room has been named after him. Peter was awarded the Best Club Person award in 1964 & 1985. Peter stayed connected to the club & later took over responsibility for the administration of the Sunshine YCW Golf Club, a social golf club for both former & current members of the football & cricket clubs.

MARJ LAFFIN

LIFE MEMBER 1989



Marj Laffin was a legend at Sunshine YCW & was involved with the club from 1963, when her son Michael began playing. A passionate supporter, Marj & her husband George attended most games. She was best known for fund raising, Marj's ability to sell raffle tickets was phenomenal & her efforts over 40 years contributed many thousands of dollars to the club.

In 1981 Marj was awarded The Best Club Person, making her the first woman to receive the award. She received Life Member of the FDFL in 1996 & in 2004 the FDFL Personality of the Year.

Up until 2010 Marj was a regular attendee at games, enjoying nothing better than watching her grandsons play for the club that she loved so much.

RAMON VILA LIFE MEMBER 1973

Ramon Vila was better known as "Pancho" & was a long serving member of the club & a committee member.

Recruited from Albion in 1963, he played 53 club games, however, he is best remembered for his ability as an administrator.

He held the position of Club President from 1966 to 1975. He remained on the committee as Vice President & was Club President again in 1979 for a year, then remained on the committee until 1985. In all he served nearly twenty years on the committee making a lot of hard & difficult decisions.

In honour of his dedicated service to the club the pavilion at Kinder Smith Reserve has been named the Ramon Vila Pavillion.



MARK GRECH

Mark began playing at Sunshine YCW in 1980 in Under 9's. Playing 380 games, he won numerous Best & Fairest awards as well as other awards at senior and junior levels.

Representing the FDFL in 1985, 86 & 87, he was Senior Captain from 1999 to 2001. Mark's greatest legacy has been his time on the Committee, including being Club President from 2003 to 2009. He has continued to be on the Committee to this day.

Mark spends an enormous amount of time on club business and this has resulted in the clubs stable financial position. Mark was awarded Best Club Person in 2006 & 2016.

Mark is well respected within the WRFL for his commitment to the club, resulting in being awarded Life Membership of the WRFL in 2015.

LIFE MEMBER 1999



Best Club Person – Dick Hume Memorial Trophy 2023



Congratulations to Sarah Frost on being awarded the prestigious DICK HUME Award for Club Person of the Year.

Sarah enjoyed her first year on the committee and excelled as a new Junior Administrator, overseeing and organizing our junior coaches and players, Auskick and their families, junior admin and junior functions.

This was noticed from afar, when the club was awarded "Junior Club of the Year" by the WRFL!

Congratulations again Sarah!

Senior Most Valuable Player - Michael "Sticka" Redford Award 2023



Murray Boyd

The Michael "Sticka" Redford Award is the most valuable senior player voted for by the players, and the winner in 2023 was Murray Boyd.

Murray came back to football at Sunshine after a couple of years in retirement from a glittering local football career.

Murray enjoyed a great season playing mainly in the ruck, making the WRFL Team of the Year, and also winning the clubs Senior Best and Fairest.

Murray's connection with the club is strong with his father being the Sunshine YCW Senior coach way back in 1981.

The karma continues with the Michael 'STICKA' Redford MVP Trophy, with the award being named after the father of his wife Emma.

Congratulations on a great season Murray.

Player Numbers 2023

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2021	2022	2023
Open Age	66	65	66	63	74	64	81	80	67
Under 18	18	30	-	-	-	32	-	32	31
Under 17	-	-	29	-	5	-	-	-	
Under 16	31	27	-	-	-	-	21	28	39
Under 15	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	
Under 14	31	-	21	-	-	26	28	23	26
Under 13	-	23	22	24	26	-	-	-	
Under 12	25	23	-	-	-	31	25	25	25
Under 11	30	-	28	26	30	-	-	-	
Under 10	-	24	-	-	-	24	27	14	17
Under 9	25	28	26	24	24	-	-	-	
Under 8	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	13	8
Total	226	220	192	137	167	193	182	215	213

Team Results 2023

	Wins	Losses	Draws	Position
Division 2 Seniors	9	8	0	4th
Division 2 Reserves	11	5	0	3rd
Under 18	8	10	0	5th
Under 16 (Div 1)	8	6	0	5th
Under 16 (Div 3)	7	5	0	3rd
Under 14	11	5	0	Premiers
Under 12	6	8	0	7th

Note: The Under 14 team was a combined team with Flemington Juniors

Leading Goalkickers

Division 2 Seniors	Charly Williams	40 Goals (WRFL Winner)
Division 2 Reserves	Daniel Glowacki	26 Goals
Under 18	Jude Elcheikh	17 Goals
Under 16 (Div 1)	Tyson Lewis	32 Goals
Under 16 (Div 3)	Max Auld	15 Goals
Under 14	Alastair Carter	30 Goals
Under 12	Sebastian Sacco	9 Goals

Sunshine Football Club

2022 - Division 1 Seniors

Western Region Football League - **Best and Fairest:** Shaun Campbell (Parkside) 23 Votes

Western Region Football League - **Leading Goalkicker:** Charly Williams (Sunshine) 40 Goals

Club Votes

Murray Boyd	114	Votes
Mathew Medcraft	79	
Charly Williams	68	
Patrick O'Keefe	51	
Stuart Purves	45	
Daniel Torcia	44	
Buckley Chapman	40	
Wayne Patak	39	
Jake Allan	37	
Declan Moloney	27	
Fabian Brancatisano	26	
Nicholas De Leur	23	
Hisham Kerbatieh	21	
Max Weise	14	
Kurtis Barnard	14	
Josh Linton	13	
Kyle Wilson	12	
Giuliano Giurleo(U18)	12	
Nicholas Mckay	11	
Jordan Rizzardo	7	
Xavier Kardachi U18)	7	
Noah Andreula (U16)	6	
Lane Tucker	5	
Dylan Appleby	3	
Joseph Tahche	1	
Dylan Payne	1	

WRFL Umpire Votes

Mathew Medcraft	15	Votes
Charly Williams	14	
Murray Boyd	10	
Patrick O'Keefe	7	
Hisham Kerbatieh	5	
Declan Moloney	3	
Stuart Purves	3	
Fabian Brancastiano	2	

Goal Kickers

Charly Williams	40
Declan Moloney	23
Fabian Brancatisano	22
Xavier Kardachi(U18)	22
Dylan Appleby	17
Matthew Medcraft	16
Stuart Purves	15
Hisham Kerbatieh	11
Dylan Payne	8
Patrick O'Keefe	8
Murray Boyd	6
Jake Allan	5
Nicholas McKay	5
Buckley Chapman	4
Austin Rizzardo	3
Brodie Coots-Majer	3
Giuliano Giurleo(U18)	2
Joe Tahche	2
Daniel Torcia	1
Jarrem Jeffries	1
Jayden Chu	1
Josh Linton	1
Nick De Leur	1
Wayne Patak	1

Sunshine Football Club

2022 - Division 1 Reserves

Western Region Football League - **Best and Fairest:** Trent Waring (Sunshine) 21 Votes

Western Region Football League - **Leading Goalkicker:** Jamie Day (Albion) 62 Goals

Club Votes

Trent Waring	70	Votes
Jayden Chu	69	
Nathan Jarvis	53	
Matthew Curran	52	
Joshua Abrogar	49	
Jim Nardella	39	
Jarrem Jeffries	35	
Luke Frahm	29	
James Wilkinson	26	
Daniel Glowacki	25	
Mitch Fitzpatrick	23	
Luke Buttigieg	22	
Kurtis Barnard	22	
Liam Keenan-Hayes	22	
Eward Latu	20	
Jack Jarvis	19	
Lachlan Meilak	18	
Brodie Coots-Majer	17	
Austin Rizzardo	14	
Noah Andreula (U16)	14	
Jordan Rizzardo	12	
Josh Linton	11	
Dylan Payne	9	
Thomas Stoneham	8	
Luke Houston	7	
Michael Murphy	6	
Nicholas Wilkie	4	
Jack Hilton	4	
Cory Connor	4	
Lane Tucker	3	
Jordan McColl	3	
Abera Afewerk	2	
Jordan Cox	2	
Zac Cox	2	
Charlie Oughtred(U16)	2	
Peter Kourouklis	1	
Nicholas Cerche	1	
Luke Allan	1	

WRFL Umpire Votes

Trent Waring	21	Votes
(Winner)		
Jayden Chu (2nd)	11	
Matthew Curran	5	
Daniel Glowacki	4	
Luke Buttigieg	4	
Zac Cox	3	
Jordan Rizzardo	3	
Cory Connor	3	
Joshua Abrogar	3	
James Nardella	3	
Charlie Oughtred(U16)	2	
Jack Jarvis	2	
Dylan Payne	2	
Thomas Stoneham	2	
Lachlan Meilak	1	
Liam Keenan-Hayes	1	
Jarrem Jeffries	1	

Goal Kickers

Daniel Glowacki	26
Lachlan Meilak	20
Tom Stoneham	20
Cory Connor	10
James Wilkinson	10
Dylan Payne	10
Jayden Chu	10
Austin Rizzardo	9
Jordan Cox	8
Brodie Coots-Majer	6
Jarrem Jeffries	6
Josh Linton	6
Allan Vuong	5
Jordan McColl	5
Mitch Fitzpatrick	5
Zac Cox	5
Jack Jarvis	4
Peter Kourouklis	4
Luke Allan	3
Nathan Jarvis	3
Eward Latu	2
Hamid Diab (U18)	2
Jordan Rizzardo	2
Liam Keenan-Hayes	2
Matthew Curran	2
Michael Murphy	2
Mitch Ellis	2
Nicholas Cerche	2
Vin Smart	2
Adrian Bacarella(U16)	1
Amitoj Kang	1
Charlie Oughtred(U16)	1
Joshua Abrogar	1
Josh Wilson (U18)	1
King Le (U18)	1
Kurtis Barnard	1
Lane Tucker	1
Luke Buttigieg	1

Sunshine Football Club

2022 Under 18 Division 2

Western Region Football League - **Best and Fairest:** Jude Elcheikh (Sunshine) 24 Votes

Western Region Football League - **Leading Goalkicker:** Socrates Mavrokostidis (West Footscray) 61 Goals

Club Votes

Jude Elcheikh	175	Votes
Kane Holden	162	
Hamid Diab	118	
Brodie Chatterton	73	
Xavier Kardachi	33	
King Le	30	
Joshua Wilson	30	
Thomas Grima	29	
Pach Alaat	28	
Brad Brincat	17	
Jarrell Palavi-Lyons	17	
Brodie Webber	11	
Giuliano Giurleo	10	
Charlie Carter	9	
Leonardo Wong	8	
Jake Kocankovski	4	
Edrhys Vella	4	
Abdu Zuberi	4	
Matthew Bethune	3	

WRFL Umpire Votes

Jude Elcheikh (Winner)	24	Votes
Kane Holden	9	
Hamid Diab	9	
King Le	9	
Brodie Chatterton	5	
Matthew Bethune	3	
Pach Alaat	1	

Goal Kickers

Jude Elcheikh	17
Brodie Chatterton	11
Edrhys Vella	11
Leonardo Wong	11
Hamid Diab	10
King Le	10
Matthew Bethune	10
Josh Wilson	7
Xavier Kardachi	6
Jake Kocankovski	5
Dean Smith	4
Pach Alaat	4
Achuil Abiem	3
Charlie Carter	3
Kane Holden	3
Angus Kirk	2
J Katsantonis-Galea	2
Sebastian D'Amico	1
Ahmed El-Hassan	1
Andre Volpe	1
Giuliano Giurleo	1
Oliver Jovcevski	1

Sunshine Football Club

2023 Under 16 Division 1

Western Region Football League - **Best and Fairest:** Darcy Steedman (Williamstown Juniors) 20 Votes

Western Region Football League - **Leading Goalkicker:** Rafiek Haddara (Point Cook) 71 Goals

Club Votes

Noah Andreula	91	Votes
Lucas Ash	76	
Adrian Bacarella	66	
Charlie Oughtred	59	
Joshua Djatschenko	53	
Lucas O'Neill	46	
Will Djatschenko	38	
Tyson Lewis	34	
Archie Minett	29	
Nate Bettin	28	
Marcus Russell	26	
Liam McCartin	12	
Flynne Considine	12	
Javier Lama	9	
Alessio Giurleo	3	
Hugo Beggs	1	
Jack Lawson	1	
Azaria Mulato	1	
Hamish Vlaeminck	1	

WRFL Umpire Votes

Joshua Djatschenko	9	Votes
Noah Andreula	6	
Charlie Oughtred	6	
Lucas O'Neill	5	
Adrian Bacarella	5	
Marcus Russell	3	
Flynne Considine	3	
Tyson Lewis	3	
Liam McCartin	2	
Archie Minett	2	
Will Djatschenko	2	
Lucas Ash	1	
Nate Bettin	1	

Goal Kickers

Tyson Lewis	32
Azaria Mulatu	11
Will Djatschenko	10
Liam McCartin	10
Harry Waters	9
Joshua Djatschenko	9
Marcus Russell	8
Javier Lama	7
Alessio Giurleo	7
Lucas Ash	6
Adrian Bacarella	6
Archie Minett	5
Luca Giurleo	5
Nate Bettin	4
Hamish Vlaeminck	3
Charlie Oughtred	1
Jack Lawson	1

Sunshine Football Club

2023 Under 16 Division 3

Western Region Football League - **Best and Fairest:** Abdul Elhouli (Tarneit) 14 Votes

Western Region Football League - **Leading Goalkicker:** Cody Salih (Caroline Springs) 28 Goals

Club Votes

Max Auld	119	Votes
Rowan Grant-Calle	94	
Owen Adams	83	
Jack Lawson	45	
Charlie Oughtred	29	
Luca Giurleo	29	
Lucas Ash	22	
Harry Murtagh	19	
Cohen Urbina	16	
Logan Lindor-McFadden	13	
Flynne Considine	12	
Javier Lama	10	
Sebastian Packer	7	
Charlie Ross	7	
Hamish Vlaeminck	6	
Yak Akot	6	
Joshua Djatschenko	3	
Mason Montebello	3	
Oscar Murphy	3	
Peter Stylianou	3	
Evan Cachia	3	
Matthew Yatim	2	
Fletcher Oughtred	2	
Anthony Abela	2	
Luke Hughes	1	
Douglas Gaff	1	

WRFL Umpire Votes

Rowan Grant-Calle (2nd)	9	Votes
Charlie Ross	3	
Lucas Ash	3	
Luca Giurleo	2	
Owen Adams	2	
Flynne Considine	2	
Max Auld	2	
Jack Lawson	1	
Evan Cachia	1	
Azaria Mulatu	1	
Cohen Urbina	1	

Goal Kickers

Max Auld	15
Rowan Grant-Calle	14
Jack Lawson	11
Mason Montebello	11
Peter Stylianou	11
L Lindor-McFadden	10
Owen Adams	8
Yak Akot	7
Lucas Ash	5
Luca Giurleo	5
Charlie Oughtred	2
Javier Lama	2
Azaria Mulatu	2
Ayden Ford-Geyer	2
Luke Hughes	1
Douglas Gaff	1
Charlie Ross	1
Joshua Djatschenko	1
Evan Cachia	1

Sunshine Football Club

2023 Under 14 Division 4

Western Region Football League - **Best and Fairest:** Ibrahim Jawad (Point Cook Centrals) 23 Votes

Western Region Football League - **Leading Goalkicker:** Aiden Todd (Wyndhamvale) 38 Goals

Club Votes

Isaac Schulz	130	Votes
Alastair Carter	129	
Samuel Carter	74	
Teague Acreman	70	
Leon Adams	36	
Digby Murphy	34	
Ciaran Posar	21	
Mason Fenech	20	
Nghia Le	15	
Hunter Weston	12	
Tom Tatulaschwili	11	
Dominic Ciampa	9	
Joshua Harris	8	
Ryder Cusack	6	
Tyler Loc	3	
Nathan Trinh	3	
Termana Mitchell	2	
Kohan Balasopoulos	2	

WRFL Umpire Votes

Isaac Schulz (2nd)	19	Votes
Teague Acreman	11	
Alastair Carter	9	
Tyler Loc	3	
Sam Carter	3	
Kohan Balasopoulos	2	
Digby Murphy	1	
Xavier Woods	1	

Goal Kickers

Alastair Carter	30
Tom Tatulaschwili	24
Teague Acreman	23
Sam Carter	21
Isaac Schulz	10
Termana Mitchell	9
Hunter Weston	6
Leon Adams	6
Nghia Le	5
Nathan Trinh	4
Kobie Hayes	3
Mason Fenech	3
Kohan Balasopoulos	3
Des Kardachi	2
Digby Murphy	2
Ciaran Posar	1
Dominic Ciampa	1
Jai Pomare	1
Joshua Harris	1
Xavier Woods	1
Ryder Cusack	1

Sunshine Football Club
2023 Under 12 Division 2

Western Region Football League - **Best and Fairest:** Mohammed Hussein (Suns) 24 Votes
Western Region Football League - **Leading Goalkicker:** Samuel Walker (Williamstown Juniors) 26 Goals

<u>Club Votes</u>			<u>WRFL Umpire Votes</u>			<u>Goal Kickers</u>	
Miller Montebello	106	Votes	Max Harrison	14	Votes	Sebastian Sacco	9
Max Harrison	95		Miller Montebello	4		Kai Acreman	6
Gabe Magnusson	87		Gerard Flowers	4		Will Fletcher	6
Kai Acreman	69		Gabe Magnusson	3		Bailey Schwartz	4
Tom Djatschenko	57		Tom Djatschenko	3		Gerard Flowers	4
Sam Ash	44		Sam Ash	1		Miller Montebello	4
Cade Acreman	36		Henry Watson	1		Sam Ash	4
Sebastian Sacco	33					Cooper O'Brien	2
Gerard Flowers	27					Gabe Magnusson	2
Henry Watson	26					Hamish Morris	1
Henry Adams	15					Landen Truong	1
Harrison Berenger	10					Max Harrison	1
Will Fletcher	8						
Hamish Morris	7						
Bailey Schwartz	4						
Cooper O'Brien	3						
Bailey Hayes	2						
Riley Brooks	1						

Western Region Football League Awards 2023

JUNIOR CLUB OF THE YEAR.

Sunshine Football Club was recognized by the Western Region Football League as the Junior Club of the Year in 2023. This is a testament to the dedication and hard work by our volunteers over the season. It is never easy to organize players, officials and support help to assist on game day and the club is fortunate to have people willing to put up their hand and take responsibility to get the team onto the ground.

Well done to all those who helped throughout the season.

TEAM OF THE YEAR



Murray Boyd

A well known veteran of the WRFL, Murray was recruited from Spotswood over the summer to be the number one ruckman for Sunshine. He had a great season, winning the club Best and Fairest, selection in the WRFL Division 2 Team of the Year and was the players choice as the club's Most Valuable Player.



Matthew Medcraft

An speedy onballer Mathew had a great season in 2023 finishing runner up in the club Best and Fairest award and selection in the WRFL Division 2 Team of the Year



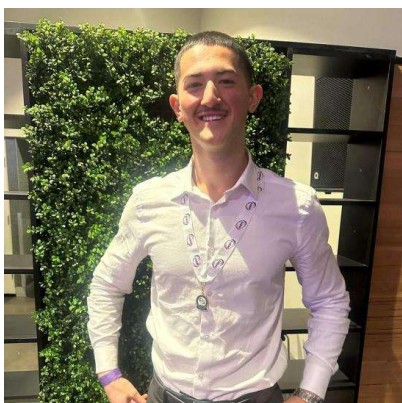
Charly Williams

Charly has been around the club for a while now, but this was his best year by far. He topped the Division 2 goal kicking with 40 goals and was selected in the WRFL Division 2 Team of the Year.



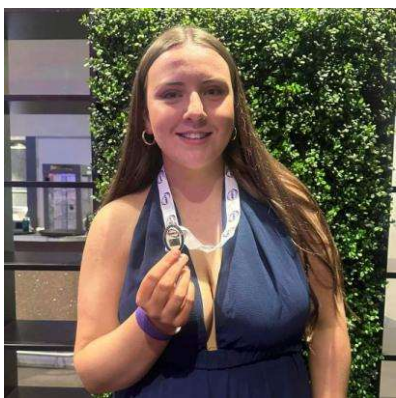
Trent Waring

A loyal servant of the club, with great family history at the club, Trent had a great year winning not only the clubs reserves Best and Fairest, but also took out the WRFL Best and Fairest trophy. Congratulations Trent on another great season



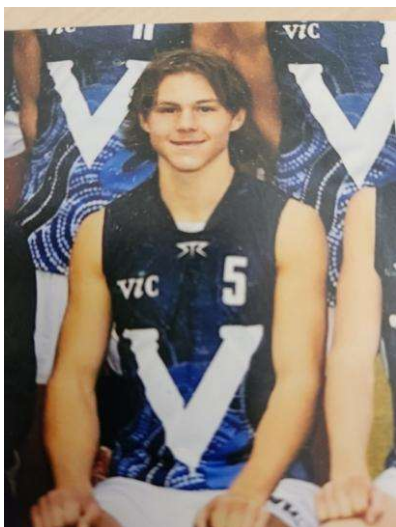
Jude Elcheikh

In a repeat of last year, Jude took out the Clubs Under 18 Best & Fairest and the WRFL Best & Fairest in the Under 18 Division 2 competition. Captain for the second year in a row as well, we congratulate Jude on another outstanding season from an outstanding young leader.



Allanah Coward

Allanah had an outstanding season with the premierships winning team, and took out the award for most goals in the division for the season with an amazing 315 goals. Along with her team mates Ani Naicovi, Amy Morgan, and Telia Coverdale, Allanah was also named in the Division 4 Team of the Year. Congratulations Allanah.



Joshua Djatschenko

Despite an interrupted season for Josh, he was selected in the WRFL Under 15 Inter League team but was unable to play because of injury. However, he was also selected to represent Victoria at the School Sport National Championships at Ballarat in July, becoming the first player from Sunshine Football Club to be selected in the Victorian Under 15 school boys team.

In his other pursuit of athletics, Josh ran a PB of 11.14 secs to win the Under 15 100 metre title at the Victorian All Schools Championships late last year, and just recently won the Under 16 100m title in another PB of 11.06 secs.

Well done Joshua on another outstanding year.

Rowan Grant-Calle



Rowan Grant-Calle

2nd Best and Fairest WRFL Under 16 Division 3



Isaac Schulz

2nd Best and Fairest WRFL UNDER 14 Division 4



Teague Acreman

4th Best and Fairest WRFL Under 14 Division 4



Max Harrison

3rd Best and Fairest WRFL Under 12s Division 2

Western Region Football League Interleague Representatives 2023

Only two players from Sunshine Football Club were selected in the WRFL Interleague teams in 2023, Josh Djatschenko in the Under 15 team and Alastair Carter in the Under 13 team. Neither player was able to take their place in the teams due to injury and other commitments, but they may get another chance in the future

Well done to Josh and Alastair on being selected to represent the WRFL in 2023.



2023 Obituaries

The club acknowledges the contributions made by these former members/supporters who passed on during 2023

Geoff McInnery – Life Member, Premiership player 1968,76 and 85, B&F 1968 & 70

Rodger Dalling – Premiership player (1965, 66 and 67), Under 19 B&F 1967

Cathy Kavanagh – Supporter and social helper 1980's

Shane Moloney – 200 game player, premiership player, Administrator 2018, 2019 & 2020

Philip Hockey – Long time supporter and Coterie group member

Jonathon Flowers – Junior team assistant and regular helper.

Robert Saunders – Supporter and loved son of Bob & Pauline

SUNSHINE FOOTBALL CLUB

TOTAL GAMES PLAYED - 2023 PLAYERS

Abela AR	21	Cusack R (P)	15	Kerbatieh H	23	Quinn BB	215
Abiem A	52	D'Amico S	16	Kirk AM	112	Rees CD	47
Abrogar J	110	D'Andrea O	8	Kocankovski J	14	Rizzardo AC	9
Acreman C	45	Day JM	23	Kourouklis PS	223	Rizzardo JL	13
Acreman E	35	De Leur NX	14	Lama JE	28	Ross CB	29
Acreman K	61	Diab HI	134	Latu EJ	16	Russell MT (P)	12
Acreman T	42	Dimkopoulos A	12	Lawson JB	111	Ryan EP	150
Adams HP	32	Djatschenko JR	87	Le K	30	Sacco SC	42
Adams LE	53	Djatschenko TP	56	Le N	37	Schulz IM	76
Adams OF	68	Djatschenko WR	95	Lewis TN	13	Schwartz A	15
Afewerk A	147	Elcheikh JA	35	Lindor McFadden L	23	Schwartz BT	32
Akot YM	26	El-Hassan A	4	Linton JS	251	Shergill A	38
Alaat PG	56	Ellis MJ	292	Loc T (P)	16	Smart VP	326
Allan JM	136	Fenech MJ	73	Lynch TL	6	Smith DK	136
Allan LA	132	Finn TJ	24	Magnusson GM	49	Stoneham T	13
Andreula NJ	126	Finn SW	20	McCartin LJ	109	Stylianou PS	75
Appleby DJ	46	Fitzpatrick MR	15	McCartin PW	109	Tahche J	43
Ash LD	96	Fletcher WH	56	McColl JS	7	Tatulaschwili T (P)	16
Ash SP	48	Flowers GA	58	McCormack K	24	Torcia DG	46
Auld MT	14	Ford-Geyer A (P)	9	McKay NI	148	Treacy ZM	25
Bacarella A	15	Frahm KP	257	Medcraft ML	17	Treacy ZT	31
Baker J	1	Frahm LS	222	Meilak LA	107	Trinh N (P)	14
Balasopoulos KP	39	Frost AJ	35	Melling EP	14	Truong L	9
Barnard KD	16	Gaff DA (P)	12	Millar HT	43	Tucker L	11
Beggs HS	49	Garcia C	6	Minett AR	56	Urbina CM	23
Berenger HJ	12	Giurleo AX	107	Mitchell TD (P)	11	Urquhart G	13
Bethune MT	17	Giurleo G	143	Moloney DC	191	Urquhart OM	26
Bettin JW (P)	23	Giurleo L	89	Montebello MC	63	Vella E	33
Bettin NJ (P)	23	Glowacki D	335	Montebello MJ	83	Vlaeminck HL	12
Bevis KR	20	Grant-Calle RJ	86	Morris H	10	Volpe A	7
Boyd MT	16	Green JL	157	Mulatu AE (P)	14	Vuong A	9
Brancatisano F	40	Grima T	13	Murphy DL	50	Waring TG	210
Bright BA	23	Hand JA	21	Murphy MD	268	Waters HR	63
Brincat B	17	Harris J (P)	15	Murphy OB	38	Watson HG	41
Brook E (P)	16	Harrison MJ	40	Murphy SP	27	Watson OSC	22
Brooks R	9	Hayes BM	17	Murtagh HR	45	Webber BL	105
Buttigieg L	10	Hayes KJ	21	Nardella JA	375	Weise MR	149
Cachia EM	22	Hayes NP	209	Newar A	13	Weston HT	60
Carter AD	72	Hewitt PD	25	Nguyen J (P)	14	Wilkie NW	232
Carter CR	85	Hilton JW	245	O'Brien CJ	32	Wilkinson JO	49
Carter SE	92	Hoffman LP	14	O'Flaherty CB	8	Willaims CJ	106
Cerche NJ	16	Hoffman XA	26	O'Keefe PM	195	Wilson JN	136
Chapman BJ	16	Holden KA	59	O'Neill JR	12	Wilson KN	148
Chatterton BA	137	Houston LJ	30	O'Neill L	58	Woods X (P)	14
Chatterton ML	81	Hughes LA	93	Orsini B	32	Wong LV	39
Chu J	47	Jarvis JP	131	Oughtred CT	15	Wright ZA	32
Ciampa DJ	64	Jarvis NK	197	Oughtred FC	13	Yatim M (P)	13
Cockfield DG	27	Jeffries JK	152	Packer MG	21	Zuberi A	22
Connor CF	323	Johnson DM	20	Packer SS	87		
Considine FA	108	Jovcevski O	15	Palavi-Lyons J	32		
Coots-Majer BB	123	Kang A	33	Patak W	4		
Cox JR	14	Kardachi DT	46	Payne DA	17		
Cox ZG	149	Kardachi XM	139	Pomare JK (P)	10		
Curran ME	136	Katsantonis-Galea J	17	Posar CP (P)	16		
Cusack A (P)	15	Keenan-Hayes LD	61	Purves S	27		

200 Club Winners - 2023

April	\$700 \$200 \$100	Number 22 Number 50 Number 15	Vincent Smart Cameron Magnusson Carl Vella
May	\$700 \$200 \$100	Number 2 Number 83 Number 62	Peter McInnery Cory & Megan Day Zac Hayes
June	\$700 \$200 \$100	Number 57 Number 99 Number 100	Michael Glowacki Josh Linton Terry Haby
July	\$700 \$200 \$100	Number 149 Number 95 Number 99	Steve Considine Mark Kirk Josh Linton
August	\$700 \$200 \$100	Number 74 Number 118 Number 69	Len Croft Michael Morgan Alan Wilkie
September	\$4,000 \$500 \$500	Number 5 Number 69 Number 19	Colin Green Alan Wilkie Ricky Martin

Sunshine Football Club Ultimate Roo Coterie Group 2022



Chris Gatt	Xavier Hayes
Jim Nardella	Doug Hart
Fabian Brancatisano	Mitchell Hart
Craig Ryan	Ron Hart
Ricky Martin	Adam Carr
Tom Oughtred	Joel Harrison
Vin Smart	David De Santa-ana
Mark Grech	Steve Considine
Jake Allan	Ben Chapman
Cameron Magnusson	Leanne Callaghan
Greg & Katie Ash	Brenton Quinn
Alex Barbari	Rod Toomey

Sunshine Football Club

Sunshiners Coterie Group 2022



Brian Hocking	Nick Wilkie	Michelle Grech
Peter McInnery	Tom - The Granary	Mick Hayes & John Taylor
Steve Moloney	Len Croft	Mick Argus
Chris Hayes	Michael & Jenny Schwartz	Jeff Hilton
Kerry McInnery	Brad Waters	Suzanne Vila
Nathan Wilson	Mark & Shara Schwartz	Nigel Howlett
Ben Hedditch	Greg Waring	Trent Waring
Hamish Andrew	Danny Glowacki	Jeremy & Melinda Jahoda
Patrick O'Keefe	Brian Leiper	Diane Ryan
Wally Glowacki	Declan Moloney	Aaron Batty
Brent Fletcher	Steve Curran	Dean Frahm
Jon Wilson	Michael Slopak	Tim Croft
Michael & Ann Payne	Nicholas Triplet	Michael & Helen O'Keefe
Danny Murphy	Mark Kirk	Scott Hammond
Paul Schwartz	Josh Linton	
Brendan Acreman	Terry Haby	
Jan Thom	Tim McDonald	
Luke Woods	Roger Gill	
Zac Hayes	Shaun Janetzki	
Matt Wilkie	George Thom	
Gerard & Trish Dickinson	Jonathon Frost	
Lee Schwartz	Tom Millar	
Alan Wilke	Michael Murphy	

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Blue and Gold Coterie Group 2022



Kevin Oakley	Cory & Megan Day
Colin Green	Zac Cox
Adrian McGirr	Luke Frahm
Brad Connor	Dale Cox
Tom Argus	Austin Rizzardo
Carl Vella	Father Peter Hudson
Robert Barr	Rob Andrew
Tony Ferguson	John Francis
Buckley Chapman	Lane Tucker
Nick DeLeur	Peter McNally
John Hedditch	John & Pat Le Sueur
Bernie O'Keefe	Jordan Rizzardo
Peter Evans	Stephen Madigan
Peter Hudson	Mick Morgan
Gary & Debbie Connor	Brendan Hockey
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