

## "25 years Young in 1995"

Welcome to the clubs second newsletter of 1995 season. Any news, information or humorous incidents from players, parents and coaches will be welcomed and always considered for inclusion in the seasons newsletters. Please phone our newsletter editor Elsie Haakmeester 385-1898.

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### Presidents Report

The 1995 season has finally kicked off with the 1st round of games on 8 April. We had a very successful Opening Day, which I hope all our junior players and families enjoyed. Results were good and all children played well.

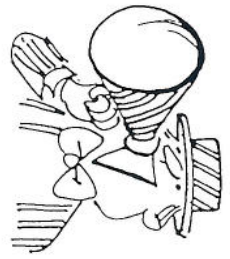
The last newsletter sent out included a plea for new committee members to bolster the clubs working crew. To date the response has been pitiful. Our Junior club has 17 teams and approximately 200 players. How can it be with the size of the club that so few parents are interested in their childrens sport and development? No sports club can survive without the support of its members. **Help us to help your children** so we can continue to provide the high quality of coaching and administration that we have in the past.

On Monday 24 April we have an important club meeting to discuss our 25th Anniversary celebrations, plus some discussion on the shape of our club. If you have any interest in your club at all I would suggest you attend, **8.00 pm sharp** at the Clubrooms, Clare Park.

Steve Allen, President

As a Life Member of the Burwood Club (and your newsletter editor) I would add MY plea for more Junior support, especially at Committee level. Too few people and too many tasks make it difficult to operate as efficiently as we would really like to do. Please come along to the meeting to show your support for the club and our 25th Anniversary.

Elsie Haakmeester, Life Member



### Juniors - Have you paid your subscriptions ?

If not, contact Angie Clapham 388-9641.

### Reminder to All Players and Coaches

While playing, shirts MUST be tucked into the shorts and socks pulled up covering the shin-pads.

### Junior Report

At last the season has arrived, and boy does my phone know about it! I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those coaches taking teams this season. Let's look after them - without coaches there would be no teams. We apologise to those players who were late in receiving the name of their team and coach, but the last 3 coaches were only found 2 days before the opening of JFA games.

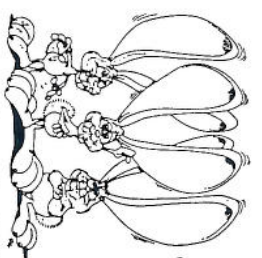
A reminder to all NEW children in the club, I must have a copy of your birth certificate or plunket book within 21 days of the season starting. *Otherwise you will be unable to play - this is a JFA ruling.* This does NOT apply to children coming to Burwood from another club where they have been registered previously.

Midgets this year have had a tremendous response - about 35 beginners. Lets go out and have an enjoyable season and play well.

Angie Clapham Junior Club Captain

### 1995 Coaches

Team	Coach	Phone No
8th grade Tigers	Ian Allison	379-2773
8th grade Panthers	Brian Shaw	385-4147
8th grade Broncos	Christine Jackson	383-4328
8th grade Pelicans	Suran Dickson	388-1432
9th grade Chiefs	Grant Donnell	383-1385
9th grade Pumas	Chris Stricker	383-3252
9th grade Hawks	Eric Ward	383-0191
10th grade Kool Kats	Angie Clapham	388-9641
10th grade Holtspsurs	Chris Bunn	383-1515
10th grade Tornados	Errol Smith	383-5198
11th grade	Stu Lockie	383-0159
12th grade A	Phil Ayres	385-2165
12th grade B	Gordon Osten	388-1502
12th grade C	Stefan O'Neill	383-3911
13th grade	John Jackson	383-4328
14th grade	Kelvin Tibble	388-2247
15th grade	Steve Allen	385-7721
Youth grade	Vern Harkerss	385-1222
1st Mens	John Collier	(03) 313-6884
1st Womens	Chris Johnson	389-8504
Masters	Hugh McDonald	385-5464



If you know of someone in the soccer club who has done really well in sport, school, arts etc.

we'd like to "EAR" from you!

### New Age Grouping

The criteria for age grouping has changed this season, and will apply rigidly in Representative side selections eg. 1995 12th grade representatives will need to turn 12 years old in this year, and so on for other grades. Some clubs will also enforce this in their club teams, but Burwood believes that there are players who by virtue of their ability, should play in grades above their age group. Burwood will continue to allow juniors to play upwards, out of their grades, where it is in the best interests of the player and the team.



## Wizards Night

Mark this date on your calendar, Monday 29 May, Junior "Wizards Night". Coaches will have tickets soon.

## Sponsorship

The club wishes to acknowledge the following supporters and businesses, and thank them sincerely for their sponsorship of new Junior uniforms.

Ardrossan Motors	75 Bassett St	383-4451
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Nui Ngakau Tops Course		382-0092
Charles Drace Investment Consultancy	Level 3, 156 Hereford St	364-9140
G & S Ryder	Supporters	
Shirley Motors Workshop	Chr North Avon & Stapletons Rd	389-7116
Salts Used Appliances	106 Mairehau Rd	383-0717
Burwood Foodmarket	283 Burwood Rd	383-0315
Windsor Service Station	247 Burwood Rd	383-1836

Please support our sponsors - they support us !!! Tell them Burwood Soccer club sent you !!!

## New Uniforms

Our Committee is responsible for the 2nd largest Junior club in Christchurch, and for our Anniversary year we are endeavouring to get the majority of teams into the new maroon shirts. A number of parents, committee and the club have already managed to raise funds or find sponsors for individual teams towards this end. **Very approximate** costs for shirts **only** per team are:

Non-competitive (8th - 10th grades) \$300.00  
Competitive (11th - 16th grades) \$700.00

Should any parents be able to obtain sponsors for a team, please contact Angie Clapham 388-9641 for further details.  
Maroon socks are extra at \$9.50 a pair. Black shorts will be worn this season.

## Congratulations to:

Andrew Ellis (13A)	Member of the Canterbury Primary Schools Cricket team which won the South Island tournament in Oamaru.
Andrew Kirk (12A)	Won the Canterbury 10 and under, 200m freestyle and 200m backstroke swimming titles. In all 2 golds, 3 silvers, 3 bronze medals.
Dylan Masters (9th)	Placed in the Canterbury under 10 swimming titles, 1 silver and 1 bronze medal.
Ryan Kieszanowski (12A)	Represented and captained the Canterbury 7-11 years grade Athletics team.
Sam Pyne (12B)	Has been called into the 12 grade Eastern Districts soccer team to tour Tasmania later this year.
Michael Heron (12A)	Gained 2nd place in the 10-15 year old grade Asia Pacific Karate championships held in Dunedin.
Anika Triplady (15th)	Has been added to the New Zealand Womens Under 17 development academy.

## Senior News

### 1st Men

Once again we are into a busy season with hopes held high for potential championship success. We are however in an awkward position of having no 2nd team. As we are carrying a squad of 16 players, keeping everybody happy will not be easy. To their credit, the lads have so far accepted the situation well and competition for places is keen.

We are fortunate to again have John Collier back as coach who continues to bring out the best in our players. Speaking of which, we welcome to the club for the first time, Shaun Hewitt, Matthew Brown and David Laphorn. Special greetings also to Grant Feringa who has returned to the Burwood club after living in Wellington for a few seasons.

The competitive season did not start wonderfully well with a 0-2 loss away to Ashburton United after a very poor performance. However we bounced back for a well deserved 1-1 draw with Bays United at Clare Park. Our next fixture is against neighbours Parklands at Clare Park on 22 April 2.30 pm. Come and watch. We would love to see you there.

1st Men's Manager

### 1st Women

For all those with short memories, this year the ladies are playing in the Premier Division after winning the 1st Division last year. And as expected, we're finding the opposition a very different prospect this year. So far we've had 2 games, both unfortunately against 2 of the top teams resulting in reasonably heavy losses. Team morale however is still high, which is of great credit to the ladies, and we've yet to tackle the teams that traditionally finish down towards the bottom of the league. These are the teams we are targeting whilst learning from the higher clubs.

Our season will be a resounding success if we can avoid relegation, and I'm sure we will.

Chris Johnson

1st Women's Coach

### Masters

The masters have been training hard on Wednesday evenings, and have 1 game for 1 win. The movie "Murriel's Wedding" at Sumner was a great fundraising success. Everyone enjoyed jiggling to the music of Abba again. A golf tournament at Windsor Golf Course was a great day out, catching up on old, lost skills. Anyone interested in an occasional game of golf ring Nick Wever 383-0088. Thanks to all Senior and adult helpers who made a success of the Junior Opening day, especially "The Master" chefs who ran the barbeque.

Welcome to all the new families in the club and especially parents who have taken on junior coaching positions. Junior coaches, parents and families are welcome to use the clubrooms from 4.00 pm on Saturdays during the season.

Nick Wever

Senior Club Captain

## 1994 Canterbury Representative Players from Burwood

Canterbury Women's	Canterbury Women's U19
Louise Pye	Vanessa Stark Anika Triplady