

Golden Grove Football Club

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Round 8 Results

A Grade

Golden Grove	10	11	71
Seaton	11	9	75

C Grade

Golden Grove	19	20	134
North Haven	5	6	36

B Grade

Golden Grove	26	12	168
Seaton	5	3	33

D Grade

Golden Grove	5	3	33
North Haven	12	9	81

Under 18s

Golden Grove	10	11	71
Modbury	7	9	51

Congratulations!

100 Games
Ryan Brook

150 Games
Wade Harrison

Club News

Player Auction rescheduled

The Player Auction has been rescheduled to Saturday 25 June. See details on the flyer on the next page.

People's Choice Community Lottery

Lottery books are due back asap!

Thanks to everyone who sold a book or purchased a ticket.

Next fundraiser is chocolate boxes which will start in June.

Boat Licence Information Session and Test: Monday 20 June

A Boat Licence Information Session and Test will be held on Monday 20 June starting at 6.30pm.

Cost is \$50 per person. There is a maximum of 30 people so get in early to book your place!

Payment will be required to hold your spot. Transfer your payment to BSB 633000, A/C 145664041.

Suitable ID will be required on the night.

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Please note the bar will be closed that night while the session is running.

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GGFC Calendar of Events 2016

25th June **Sponsors Day & Player Auction**
(Club)

17th July **FIFA afternoon**
(Club from 12pm)

30th July **Quiz Night \$15 per head BYO**
(QuizzaMe with Darren Shaw) (Tilley from 7.00pm)

17th Sep **Senior Presentation Night**
(Black Tie - West Lakes Resort)

18th Sep **Junior Presentation Day**
(Club)

GGFC Calendar of Fundraising 2016

April - People's Choice Lottery

June - Chocolate Boxes



PLAYER AUCTION

25th June 2016 | 7.30pm Start | Club Rooms



To be Auctioned - 7 groups of 4 players in the A Grade Squad
(Groups to be advised)

Each group is auctioned to the highest bidder
(can be a syndicate of people putting their cash together)

**For all remaining rounds a dividend will be paid
for the top 3 players to the owner of the group**

Player Groups for the Auction are as follows:

<u>GROUP 1</u> COREY PRESSLER JOSH INGRAM KANE BLADES NICK PRESTON	<u>GROUP 2</u> TODD SHEPPARD SHANE SCUDDS ROHAN SHENTON CAMERON FLEMING	<u>GROUP 3</u> SCOTT PETERSON SAM GUNNING MATT FORESTER NATHAN BROOK
<u>GROUP 4</u> GAVIN HUGHES MATT PENDLINGTON JOSH BUTTERY SAM SCUDDS	<u>GROUP 5</u> JUDD MORRIS DANIEL LEPKA BEN JARDINE JOEL HORSKINS	<u>GROUP 6</u> MATT SHARPE OLIVER GRAHAM DASH RAVLICH BRAYDEN SHAW
	<u>GROUP 7</u> TOM OLIVER ALL OTHER PLAYERS NOT LISTED	

Under 6 Green

The Green Kookies were home to Eastern Park this morning on a mild, slightly windy day and after a big win by the crows the night before, we hoped for inspiration.

That is certainly the way the game started, with our team passing and sharing better than ever and kicking lots of goals. Billy Abbot played his best game this season, as did Jacob Frenchman, gathering everything and learning the routine of getting low early to win possession, and then running their full measure before delivering long. Cailllin played well also, with Annelise and Brodie getting enough as well.



Jarvis was tough in the contest and burst through plenty of times, Jacob Day was tough also, and our 2 captains, Jakob Tuckwell and Cohen did their bit when required.



We were lucky we started with such enthusiasm in the first half, because our energy left us after a plethora of fruit and we became reactionary and second to the ball. Maybe Eastern Park just got their game going, but they dominated the 2nd half with head over, first to the ball contests, long kicks and nice marking. Hayden got some nice run in the second half before copping an accidental poke to the eye, Brodie copped a head clash, Alexander copped some off-the ball punishment and Ethan was landed upon heavily. We will have our hands full with this team over the coming years, and although we may have just got the chocolates this time, it would have been by the barest of margins.

A good learning curve as to what will be required to stay in a game for all 4 quarters... Well Done Kookies.

Under 7 Blue

Round 5 saw U7 Blue play another local rival TTG U7 Red at Harpers Field on the top oval. Louis was captain for the day. Team numbers were strong this week with U7 Blue having 17 boys available to play which complicated the normal rotation system as two boys were needed to sit out each quarter.



Midfield setup, involving other team mates, manning up/being accountable and running with the ball/fast ball movement were area of focus this week.

TTG team started the game well showing their experience. Joshua, Brandon and Austyn showed plenty of run from defence with a number of strong runs and long kicks into the midfield. TTG's experience didn't allow the ball to enter our forward line too often.

Quarter time came and I encouraged the boys to get the footy, run and to use plenty of voice. Early on in the quarter the signs were great with Jayden, Rylie, Sam, Cooper and Joseph all involved in a number of plays where we were able to either gain possession of a loose ball or cause a 50/50 ball up. Jamison and Rylie both had shots at goal late in the quarter with both drifting late and unfortunately not scoring a major.

Half time came which allowed the boys to have a drink and a couple of oranges... Rotations occurred and the boys went to their various line coaches (Scott & Darren) for a last minute pep talk. As the umpire was ready to commence the third quarter, I realised that some of the boys hadn't listened to which way we were going as we had eight boys forward and only two in defence, a few swift changes saw this corrected and the third quarter commenced. TTG again came out very strong showing some very impressive skills including a number of lengthy goals.



Three quarter time came, the boys were looking tired, after a quick drink, I encouraged them and asked them to go get the footy and have fun as we only had one quarter to go. The last quarter couldn't have started better... first three clearances out of the middle thanks to Jayden, Cameron and Joseph allowed us to have good possessions inside our forward zone with a return of two goals. Kadin and Cooper started well both having a number of possessions and good run. As the quarter went on, our midfield team was clearly on top winning most clearances and every loose ball. Jack, Ben and Ryan all gaining a number of possessions deep inside our forward area. Kadin continued to show

great run and enthusiasm for the ball creating a number of attacking plays as well as bringing others into the game with smart handballs. Our dominance of this quarter saw U7 Blue slot through five goals and a number of shots that were extremely close. This quarter we played amazing team football and our best for the year. This was very pleasing to see and demonstrated that we can compete with the more experienced teams. As the final siren blew, we congratulated the other team for a great game and then sang the club song.

Next week we are on the road travelling to Angle Vale. GO BURRAS!



Under 8 Gold

Gold vs Green - it was to be a big clash of the Titans in a muddy, sloshy, freezing cold and rainy match. The rain had held off for a few hours so we were pretty confident of a good match.

We were well organised gaining the main spot under the veranda for the parents to stand under cover should the heavens open up. Again everyone was on time, so Craig Bradshaw and his band of Dads got the warm up going – and did we need to be warmed up!! It was freezing!!

Things to concentrate on tonight are: play in front and be first at the ball.

We came in from the warm up ready to go. Sammy Carter and Riley Roseburg were our Co-Captains today. Whilst they tossed the coin we read the team out. The boys came in to tell us we're kicking to the Shopping Centre end – lets Fire Up Kookaburra's!!

Before we ran out, we huddled together: tonight is going to be a tough match. Golden Grove Green are a great side so we'll need to be at our best to be competitive. Who's gonna be brave tonight? Who's gonna work hard? Who's not going to worry about the rain when it comes? Who is absolutely freezing right now? WE ARE!!!!

The siren went and Green managed to win the tap, but Caleb Zanker pounced on the loose ball and with a left then a right fake, handballed to Kyan Smith on the move. He took a bounce and spotted Emily Schulz who passed into the forward lines, great ball movement Kookaburras!! That's the team work we want, excellent start! Green knew they were in with a fight this game so they stood tall for the rest of the quarter. Ajay Visnyai down back was under immense pressure, but managed to withstand the onslaught with his little helper and Co-Captain for the night, Sammy Carter.

At quarter time we came in to find that everyone was pumped. We're in for a tough match tonight guys! For some reason it seemed we had about 30 seconds to read the team out and get back out there – even the coach was under the pump!!

The second quarter started and Green were immediately on top. Ollie Ward and Mitchy Webb were battling hard in the centre with Brodie Murphy who started finding some form. Our backs were under some real pressure for the entire quarter, but we did manage to have some time spent in our forward half. When we did, we made it count with Adam Barnett make the most of any chances up forward. We're very lucky that Green were not as accurate as they'd hoped this quarter.

Just before the half time whistle the heavens opened up and made the ground very wet under foot. We all came in soaking wet and shivering, there was crazy talk about not wanting to go back out there – but we're Kookaburras – we never give up! Come On Kookaburras!! (It was cold though!!)

The third quarter started and we were literally stuck in the mud. We couldn't (wouldn't) move. Our forwards hardly saw the yellow Sherrin for the quarter. Our centres were working hard, Nate Atkinson and Rylan Whitwell were coldest kids I've seen in a while and braved the quarter out. Harry Slater down back was only just holding things together with our other Co-Captain Riley Roseburg before Harry had to go off with a sore arm. Thanks to Alby for quickly jumping in to replace him and did a tremendous job for us in defence.

Three quarter time was a time to really re-group. This was our last chance to embrace our inner 'Burra' and find out who we really are. The coach wanted to get the team going with some real inspiring talk but again, we had about 30 seconds to get back out there (I think the ump was getting cold and wanted to get going! Can't blame him :-)).

The siren blew to start the last quarter and BANG!! Out of the centre comes Alby Bradshaw with a spearing pass to Bailey Casey. With a set shot on the trusty old left foot – straight through the big sticks! We're on here Kookaburras! The next clearance was a quick kick out of a pack straight into our forwards where Emily was playing in front of her opponent, marked it on her chest. She went back and passed to Hamish Pullen (who kicked a few in the last) in the goal square – BANG! Another sausage roll!!! We were really on in the last with our defence really shutting everything down. Lachlan Anderson put in an absolute stellar performance on one of their best players whilst Jordan Ruchs was marking everything ensuring many goals were stopped. Jayden Jackman came out of his shell to really play a great role in the last whilst Riley Baker played an unbelievable quarter and was SO unlucky not to be rewarded for a fantastic mark across half back. It was 'Wayne Carey like' the way he took that. Unfortunately he was apparently out of his zone with all opposition around him.

In summary, it was a really great game to be a part of. Even though we were under the pump for most of the game, we didn't give in and we fought back and absolutely dominated that last quarter. We showed plenty team spirit throughout the game with great handballs to release a running player and we were still pin pointing our passes even though it was a very wet game. I'm so proud of the team to keep fighting and never giving up.

To celebrate a magnificent game both sides came together to sing the song – and man was it loud!!! My ears are still ringing. Both coaches agreed the future looks very bright for the Golden Grove Football Club; the talent both sides displayed was immense.

Next week we have Walkerville who have touched us up a few times in recent years – but this year, the Kookaburras are playing with extra spirit. If we play at our best, I know they'll be no match for team like.....

Who is Golden Grove Under 8 Gold?!!! WE ARE!!!! Go Kookaburras!

Under 8 Green

After a Round 4 outing on a balmy Friday night, things were great with the Kookaburras Under 8 Green. We backed it up with a solid training session on Thursday where we worked on some areas to improve. Training has been excellent of late, numbers have been good and everyone is developing.



Game day was here and the forecast was terrible for Friday night lights at Harpers Field in the Showdown vs our Club's Gold team. My opposing Coach (Brian) and I were chatting throughout the afternoon in the lead up about the game and the probable conditions. 'The kids will have fun, but we're going to get drenched' was the topic. After a considerable amount of heavy rain during the day it was actually holding off as the first bounce approached, although the ground was very slushy.

Our boys were in the clash guernsey which took a lot to get used to, and we were warming up the carpark end of the top oval. Most of the boys seemed pretty switched on but they didn't have a lot of experience in the wet, and the bitterly cold. I could see some were a bit bothered by it, and I wasn't sure what I was going to get from them. As usual I had a peek over at our opposition and once again they seemed much bigger than us and matchups might be a problem with me. We had already lost Kody and Marley to sickness, who are two of our bigger boys. Lucky it's wet and they'll be a lot of balls on the ground for our little fleas.

We started the first quarter with a strong midfield and very attacking forward line. Carter and Oscar gave us first use of the ball and even Lucas was getting his hands on the pill. Our inside 50's were plenty, but we really set a bad tone for the game and butchered our shots on goal. I felt like we were on top in all areas of the ground and I was extremely happy with the boys effort. I just wasn't sure how long it would last.

The second quarter was much the same. Carter took some nice grabs up forward as did Oscar. Trae had a nice opportunity in the deep pocket, but couldn't pull off an Eddie Betts miracle and was caught holding the ball for running too far. Our midfield were still getting their fair share of ball and our backs were like a Brick wall once again.



As we hit the oranges at half time we spoke about how the Gold team had also been together for a couple of years and weren't going to lay down. I told the boys to keep warm, keep moving and we've only got 20 minutes of footy to go and then you can go have some pizza. We'd had some pretty heavy rain and some boys clearly had had enough, but with no one on the bench everyone had to dig in and do the team thing.

The third quarter was a bit lacklustre, Hudson was getting his hands on the ball and sending us forward to give the likes of Blake, Jake and Lucas some opportunities, but we just weren't on in front of the sticks tonight.

Three quarter time saw some kids at breaking point, it was cold, they were wet and it had been a long day. Some just wanted to hit the showers and call it a night. Unfortunately Brian's boys had a different idea and they came out that switched on that I thought it was a different team, they were getting their hands on the ball in the middle, their defence was very tight and their forwards were finding space. Our boys didn't know what hit them.

In the end it was hard to split the two teams and the real highlight for me was watching the future of the Golden Grove Football Club go at it. The game was played in great spirits and full of effort. A nice sunny Sunday morning would have been nice, but footy is a winter sport and my boys will be stronger and better from the experience. All in all, I was very proud of the them.

It was hard to know which team finished on top tonight, but we'll learn more from a game like that, than winning by what would feel like 20 goals. We've got to improve and keep working hard on the track as we've got a tough month ahead starting this week against Walkerville. Until next week...

Under 9 Green

Round 5 saw the Green Machine take on Athelstone at Harpers Field on the bottom oval in muddy conditions. The boys were reminded about being first to the ball and moving the ball quickly before being tackled. In the midfield Indy, Blake, Liam and Thomas were getting their hands on the ball first thanks to some precise taps and punches from Caleb to the advantage of his team mates. However we could not buy a goal in the first quarter with seven points on the board. Damo was not happy with what the boys produced for this quarter as he knew they could play much better.



The boys responded and came out fighting in the second quarter. The hard work started with Hayden, Evan, Harley, Zach and Logan in the midfield who were able to get some quick ball movement to the forwards, which saw Jordan put our first goal through. Once the boys started to share the ball around the goals also started coming thick and fast with Ryan taking a great mark in front of goal and slotting it through. Jace, Indy, Zach didn't want to miss out on the show and were able to find the ball in the muddy goal square and convert their hard work to much needed goals. Jordan managed to put through his second goal to be the first multiple goal scorer of the game.

The third quarter picked up where the second quarter had left off, with the midfield once again winning the ball out of the centre. Thanks to Jace's hard work in the centre tapping to the advantage of his team mates, Alex was able to break from the centre and have a shot but unfortunately was unable to convert. The good work in the centre continued for the quarter with Christian, Louis, Alex and Jordan making sure the forwards having plenty of the ball, Indy managed to slot another 2 goals whilst Louie managed to get his first for the game. Zach even managed to sneak down from the back lines and 2nd for the game.

At the final change Damo asked the boys to keep the intensity up and to come home strong and the boys did just that. Blake laid a great tackle which resulted in a holding the ball decision that saw the ball kicked long towards the goal square where Logan was able to hold off his opponent with one hand and grab the ball in his other whilst on the run and bend it through for his first of two goals for the quarter. Whilst on the far side of the ground Evan was part of a great handball chain down the wing showing how just how far the boys had come. Kam was fighting hard in the forward lines getting his hands on the ball first. Whilst Harley and Mackye continued to put in the hard work that we have all come to expect from them both.

It is great to see how much the team has developed in the first 5 rounds of the season and in particular it is great to see how much our new boys Thomas, Hayden, Christian and Caleb have all grown in confidence and skill level. Together the boys have now set a standard and shown the rest of the competition that they are a force to be reckoned with, and a team that everyone wants to watch but no one wants to play against. 1, 2, 3 Green Machine!

Scorers: Indy 3.2, Jordan 2.1, Zach 2.1, Logan 2.1, Jace 1.1, Louis 1.0, Blake 0.3, Alex 0.2, Ryan 0.1.



Under 10 Green

I would like to congratulate Cooper Brown for a wonderful 50 games for the club so far. Even though I have only coached the boys this year, it has been a pleasure.

I thought the effort was once again really good from the boys on Sunday. I have been really impressed over the last three weeks with the effort the boys have been putting into the games and throughout training. Tough conditions with the wind and rain on Sunday made it difficult to stick our marks and made hitting targets quite difficult. But I think the boys made the most of these conditions and when they couldn't take the mark, brought the ball to the front which allowed us to get underneath and get our hands on it.



The intensity from the boys to get inside the contest and get their hands on it first has been really good over the last few weeks and I'm glad to see that we are starting to develop using our handballs to our teammates outside of the pack and getting our kicks moving into our forward line. The effort that all the boys are putting in at the moment is fantastic and every single one of them is trying their best, which is something I am personally very proud of.

Goal kickers: Sewel 1, Weaving 1, Parsons, Jones, 1, M Callaghan, J Callaghan 1, Crane 1.

Encouragement Awards: Jai Arnold, Riley Crane, Lachlan Cannard, Cooper Brown (50th Game)

Under 13 Red

Congratulations Braedyn Hasiuk and Brayden Callaghan on 100 Games! Awesome achievement !



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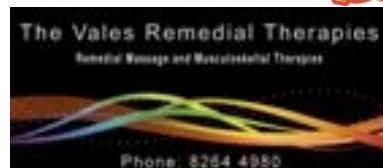
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	Chest	12 Kids 14 Kids	51 68	53.5 70	56 72	58.5 74	61 76	63.5 78	66 80		
Kids T-Shirts	Size	6	8	10	12	14				\$25	
	Chest	37	40	43	46	49					
	Length	48	52	56	60	64					
Adult T-Shirts	Size	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL		\$25	
	Chest	51	54	56	59	61	63.5	66			
	Length	68	70	72	74	76	78	80			
Kids Polo Shirts	Size	6	8	10	12	14				\$40	
	Chest	37	40	43	46	49					
	Length	48	52	56	60	64					
Ladies Polo Shirts	Size	8	10	12	14	16	18	20		\$40	
	Chest	44	46	48.5	51	53.5	56	58.5			
	Length	58	60	62.5	65	67.5	70	72			
Men's Polo Shirts	Size	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL	\$40	
	Chest	54	56	58.5	61	63.5	66.5	70	73.5		
	Length	70	72	74.5	77	79.5	80	81	82		
Kids Warm-Up Jacket	Size	4	6	8	10	12	14			\$55	
	Chest	84	90	96	102	108	114				
	Length	53	56	59.5	63	66.5	70				
Adult Warm-Up Jacket	Size	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL			\$60	
	Chest	119	124	129	134	139	144				
	Length	72	75	77	80	82	84.5				
Kids Hoodie	Size				10	12	14			\$55	
	Chest										
	Length										
Adult Hoodie	Size	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL		\$65	
	Chest										
	Length										
Kids Winter Jacket (Stadium)	Size	8-10		10-12		12-14				\$65	
	Chest	49		52		55					
	Length	60		65		70					
Adult Winter Jacket (Stadium)	Size	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL		\$70	
	Chest	58	62	65	68	71	74	77			
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