



Match Day Reports

Southport Sharks Junior AFL Club



Superstars (U6's) –
By
Geoff Chant/Nick
Hatch

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Under 8's – White
By
Matthew Dalgairns

Saturday, 16th June

After such an outstanding performance by the team the week before, the big question was could they back it up for 2 in a row? We all found out that the answer was a resounding yes. There were some absolutely fantastic patches where we used the ball through the hands and were able to get outside and find space to kick to a player on the lead or in space.

Apart from being a better way to play as a team and move the ball forward it is actually a better game for the spectators to watch. After all, we are here to entertain.

There were a couple of points when we drafted off our opposition player and let them get over the back. However, that was minimal and I think that everyone should think back to where we were a few months back and the fantastic progress that we have all made at this point in the season.

Under 8's – Black
By
Simon Collins

Saturday, 16th June

At home on a very cool Saturday morning, the Black Sharks took on the Yellow Sharks. The boys were switched on from the first bounce, winning plenty of contested ball and using it well by hand and foot. The more we kept our feet, the quicker we were able to move the ball to teammates down the ground. Thanks and congratulations to Duane and the Yellow team on a great game.

Highlights:

Noah kicked his first goal for the year and continues to get more involved each week. **Connor** always hard at it and improving his skills each week. **Tahj** showed off some huge kicks and also took a couple of nice grabs. **Kahlil** had very clean hands, won plenty of his own balls and also found the goals. Player of the match Awards: 1) **Zach** had his best game of the season so far with superior kicking, especially in the midfield setting up plenty of scoring opportunities for our forwards. 2) **Owen** also continues to set a high standard with his kicking game all over the ground and also managed 5 goals. 3) **Koby** was in and under all day, inspiring his teammates, dominating every zone he was in - having a fantastic season. 4) **Will** didn't take a backward step all game, often winning the footy against bigger opponents, showing great courage - as well as working hard each week at training. All well-deserved winners. We missed **Onyx** and **Tayt** this week and look forward to having them back in the team too. Thank you to all the parents for getting the boys there in good time and supporting them in the right spirit.

Under 8's –
By
Shaun Hogan

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Under 8's –
By
Duane Jongeling

(report not received)



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Under 9's – Black
By
Felicity Allen

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Under 9's – White
By
Glen Forster

Sunday, 17th June

This week the Under 9 white team headed to Labrador to play against the Burleigh Yellow team.

In an even game our boys once again tried their hearts out and showed some glimpses of the football they are capable of playing. At half time they were asked if they could lift and play better and they all agreed and the 2nd half was a much better team effort. In a team performance the awards today went to **Sam** who continues to show great concentration and tackling while playing in the backline and **Ryder** who ran hard all day. **Finn** also won an award for an outstanding all-round game highlighted by a spectacular pack mark in the last quarter. It's great to see the boys playing so well but as always there is room for improvement and we hope to see you all at trying on Tuesday.

Under 10's – Black
By
Brendon Hall

(report not received)

Under 10's – White
By
Garry and Brad

(report not received)

Under 11's – White
By
Paul Donnelly

Sunday, 17th June

Unfortunately our boys were up against it today pretty much from the first bounce. Our two big boys **Alfie** and **Issaiah** were ruled out of the game early due to injury while their big boys just destroyed us. With our forward line decimated we struggled to take advantage of our forward entries. Our backline and midfield battled hard all game and considering the final score they were close to coming out of the contest even. **Noah, Rylie, Jayden, Joshua, Jackson** and **Matthew** were our most consistent players today. **Zach, Alex, Harry** and **Cooper J** played well at different times throughout the match but if we are going to be more competitive against the best need to be more consistent.

Under 11's – Silver
By
Tristan Britten

Sunday, 17th June

After weeks of good footy and falling short we finally put it all together to play some outstanding footy today. Pac Power was no match for our hard at the ball approach resulting in us winning by over 50 points. Our early domination allowed us to throw the magnets around the board in the last quarter and we were pleased with the efforts of the boys asked to play in the midfield. **Jaxon** kicked 6 goals and showed some terrific sportsmanship in the dying minutes to provide **Cooper** with a chance of kicking a goal. **Blayd** was back to his best which is important for Silver going forward. **Flynn, Joshua** and **Matthew** played great games through the middle. **Jake, Jojo** and **Alfie** filled in today and made many valuable contributions. As usual **Noah, Ryan** and **Cooper G** held our defence together well. **Travis** and **Issaiah** were more than handy forwards. Congratulations to **Rylie F** who was our best player with his consistent 4 Quarter game. Thank you to **Alfie's dad** for helping us out last minute to be our runner.



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Under 12's – Div 1

By
Neil Lockett

Under 12's – Div 2

By
Dave Djurovitch

Sunday, 17th June

It was the top of the table cash v Burleigh in a match we were very much looking forward to. We started brilliantly with 4 first qtr. goals to nil against the breeze which really set up the win for us. **Kai** started well kicking 2 goals in the first. Our tackling was great and we certainly put Burleigh on the back foot and went into the second half 6 goals up. Burleigh responded in the 3rd and got the margin with 4 goals but we put the foot down again in the last ran away winners by 6 plus goals against a quality opposition. Some special mentions for **Max**, who was dominate in the ruck, **Billy** played his roll loose down back when needed and across the midfield. **Flynn** was busy up forward with 3 classy goals and **Charlie, Joel** and **Taite** worked hard all day. All in all a fantastic result which cemented out top spot on the ladder, well done boys!

Scores: Southport 8.4.52 to Burleigh 2.1.13

Best Players: **Max, Billy, Charlie, Kai, Flynn, Joel, Taite, Diesel, Jacob & Nelson**

Goal Kickers: **Flynn 3, Kai 2, Billy 1, Jacob 1 & Ethan 1**

Go Sharks!!!

Under 14's – Div 1

By
Wayne Riddle

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Under 14's – Div 2

By
Glen Foster

Sunday, 17th June

Another great day greeted our boys at home, we hosted Ormeau.

There was a swirling wind which gave no team a real advantage either end of the ground but if I had to pick an end that the swirling wind slightly favoured, it was the southern end goals.

We won the toss so we kicked to the southern end in the first quarter.

The game started and Ormeau got the ball straight into their forward line, from there we worked the ball down into our forward line. The first quarter saw the Southport Sharks have plenty of the ball in our forward line with minimal score on the board. The breeze was not making the game easy so the players struggled to come to grips with the breeze as it changed directions throughout the game.

The second quarter was similar to the first with much of the ball in our forward line with very little score on the board. We had 2 goals 10 behinds up until half time so we left Ormeau with an opportunity to try and wrestle the game back in their favour.

At half time I asked the boys to lift and take control of the game which they responded. The third quarter started a lot better with more scoring opportunities which converted into goals. Come 3 quarter time we had scoreboard control which was great.

The last quarter & throughout the game the boys are starting to show the coaches/parents the training drills are working more with plenty of great passages of play with great handball sequences and kicking to team mates which resulted in fast movement down the ground.

In the end we ran out victors which were very pleasing.

Under 16's – Div 1

By
Shayne Nicholls

(report not received)

Under 16's – Div 2

By
Rob Gerlinger

Sunday, 17th June

We travelled to PBC tonight to take on the Lions, it has not been a happy hunting ground for us in recent times, and that trend continued tonight with us going down to the Lions.

We showed in patches what we are about, and we can build on that, and take into the back half of the season.

So well strike a line through that game, learn from it and move on to regroup for next week.



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GIRLS Under 11's

By

David Slinger

Sunday, 17th June

We had a couple of players away this week due to other commitments. So we headed to Pacific Pines with only 10 girls. All of our girls were required to play a full game against Pac Pines who fielded 14 girls.

In cool, breezy conditions, our skills were superior and the girls dominated the entire game. After working on certain skills and positioning at training through the week it benefited the girls' game as they were able to give each other first use of the ball.

On numerous occasions we were able to move the ball from deep within our back line, all the way up the field which then resulted in shots at goal. The girls are to be congratulated on their hard work at training and utilising their knowledge and understanding into the game on Sunday.

With the girls all demonstrating what it means to be a team player, the ball was shared amongst them all resulting in a long list of goal scorers for the day.

Our weekly awards this week went to **Cleo** for her good defensive pressure, tackling and improvement in her kicking of the footy. Our other award went to **Estella** who kicked her first goal for the year and for her continue team spirit.

A special mention to **Scarlett** and **Sunny** who played extremely well in our game and then travelled to Southport to fill in for the Under 13 girls. Both girls played another full game and kicked 7 goals between them. Congratulations girls.





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GIRLS Under 13's

By
Jeff Bell

Sunday, 17th June

With a home ground advantage under sunny skies and a swirling wind we welcomed the Ormeau Bulldogs to Sharks HQ. With 2 injuries and 2 players away we called on 2 of the super talented U11 girls. We only had a team of 12 players, so with no interchange bench we were creative in our on field rotations.

Against bigger bodied opponent our team started with our attacking brand of footy and displayed better skills. Apart from the opposition scoring 2 quick points with the wind in the first quarter, our team for the 2nd straight week held the opposition scoreless for 3 quarters.

Some pleasing things to come out of the game 1) How well **Scarlett** and **Sonny** (U11 Girls) fitted into the team structure. 2) The continued pressure and forward movement of the footy creating many score opportunities. 3) For the 2nd week in a row we took the opportunity to try players in different positions without any impact on the scoring.

The whole team played as a team and thanks again to both Scarlett and Sonny who between them kicked 7 goals. Today we said bye to one of our happiest players, **Jordan** who is relocating north to warmer weather. **Jordan** apart from that training night where you overdosed on redskins :). You have been a joy to coach and have played a very important role in the success of Team G 2018. Team G, we have 1 more game this Friday night against a formidable opponent, before we head into a well-deserved mid-season break.

Go TEAM G!!!

GIRLS Under 15's

By
Chris Harris

(report not received)

GIRLS Under 17's

By
Ty Hodgkin

(report not received)

Colts

By
Paul Redley

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