

ROUND AND ABOUT

Bob Goodluck has taken over the Juniors this year and we wish him "good luck". Quite a few of these younger boys have improved 100% on last year. To any of you young footballers, we would like to see you, - the Comp. is under 19.

In the gossip department, I will tell you such things as Ray Englesman's chooks, Mrs. Thingamebob's bouncing bubba, or the secretary's false teeth so anything interesting will be presented for your approval.

Most of the "old hands" know our theme tune but to all our new readers and members here it is:

Tune: Bless 'em All.

There is a fair suburb 10 miles north of town
Reservoir's township I mean.

They have a great football team of red and

The premiership can be foreseen. white,

We play at Crispe Park as opponents well know

They never do envy the match,

When they start a'bashing,

We give them a thrashing,

And send them away for dispatch.

CHORUS.

Thrash 'em all, kick a score,

We've never been out of the four,

Foes' chances are thinner

We'd eat 'em for dinner

They can't beat the old Reservoir.

Come along to Crispe Park sometime, we'll
guarantee you'll hear this one.

"Lionhearted in Teamwork" is the Club's motto. This not only applies to the players but to everybody connected with Club, such as ladies, committeemen, and supporters. Our monogram indicates club spirit, depicting two lions raising the football shield.

WITH BROG.

THE RESERVOIR RECORD

While the "Big Powers" are launching missiles into space to reach great heights, we of the Reservoir Football Club are aiming high, the result being that we have attained a record - THE RESERVOIR RECORD.

What is the Reservoir Record? Our object is to bring to you, the people of Reservoir and adjoining areas, the news of the Club from our football home, Crispe Park. To save our salesman members quite a deal of talking, the Publicity Section has produced this sample edition for your approval.

This paper will be published each week of the football season. Each copy will cost 6d or the season's subscription is 10/-. The "Record" will consist of 20 pages. One page will contain a preview of "Today's Game" whilst another will be a "post-mortem" on last week's match. Other interesting features will include Players Numbers, fixtures, the "Juniors' Page" and also an amusing page titled "Round and About". This column will cover all social notes and general gossip, and we now guarantee you enjoyment during the half-time break "digesting this lot, while munching the peanuts and things".

A diagram showing the location of Crispe Park is on page 14. The Club competes in the "B" Section of the Metropolitan League, and finished 3rd last year. The Juniors play in the P.D.J.F.A. on Saturday afternoons and share the ground with the Seniors.

Don't we all love football? To you, the people of Reservoir and districts we say, "It is you, the public that keeps our game going; so if our representative approaches you for a subscription, be in it, and also we say, come along and support us on Sat. afternoons, and by doing this, you will be bringing enjoyment to the youth of Reservoir."

COMMITTEE NOTES

By S.O.N.O.

With season 1959 just around the corner, the social committee, comprising men and women, is busy with club activities. This includes the canteen, dances and general money raising efforts.

We would like to stress to club members that to allow the committee to succeed in its entertainment and special efforts, it needs the wholehearted support of everybody.

DATES TO BE REMEMBERED.

April 18th. Player's tea for club members

April 25th. Anticipated car rally and picnic - watch next edition "Reservoir Record" for further details.

May 2nd. Gala Dance at Preston Town Hall.

HELP WANTED

The canteen has been a good money spinner for the club over the seasons. The committee elected to manage the canteen would appreciate the assistance of any womenfolk of the club who could spare time on Sat. or Sunday afternoons, to act in the capacity of servers. Ladies- be assured this is not hard work but really an enjoyable afternoon and what's more, you get into the football FREE! How's that for an offer? So what about it? Contact Mrs. Lois Chandler at the club or at home on phone JJ 4871.

The elected general committee is:

President - G.E. Warner.

Vice-Presidents - D.J.D. McColl, F. Birchall, and A. Freeman.

Treasurer & Assis. Sec. - H.K. Hair.

Committeemen - R. Englesman, H. Lane, E. Watson, G. Eyre, R. Keogh, E. Hatton, D. Sutton, J. Hatton (Soc. Sec.), & G. Richmond (Publicity Officer).

Secretary - R.L. Chandler 789 Gilbert Road, Reservoir.

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Hullo there. My pseudonym is necessary because my assignment is to write a page each week covering social and general topics. This column, to be known as "Round and About" was selected, because the news will be gathered round and about, from the people round and about.

I am a butcher by trade, and a married man, so why the Publicity Officer chose me for the job must be more mysterious than the ingredients of my sausages. Anyway don't we all like to "have a go" and enjoy a bit of fun? I do.

This season's cracker is now afloat, and goes bang on the eighteenth of April. Coach Alan Chandler is bringing the boys to tip-top condition on the track, while match practice is arranged at Rosebud on the fifth of April, and at Crispe Park on the eleventh, when we play our good neighbours "Lakeside Rovers".

Some players are training with senior clubs at present. Ken Hosking is at Fitzroy while Brian Osmond, now working at Essendon Aerodrome is tuning up with the Bombers, and from all reports (or Ossie's anyway), he's not giving Geoff Leek a kick, except maybe for a sly one in the ankle which slows Geoff down somewhat. Others are at Collingwood and Preston which indicates that we will be a fit strong, and fast side this year.

Harvey Stevens has been training with us early on, and this mighty ex-Bulldog skipper has passed on quite a few football hints to the boys. Harvey will be coaching North Ballarat this season, and everybody wishes him success in his new venture.