

Rosewater Old Dogs

~ The Loan Hound ~ Darian Roberts ~ Reepham Hotel ~
 ~ Portside Office National ~ L J Hooker (Woodville) ~

Old Dogs v Blackwood

Old Dogs 9.1 (55) Blackwood 10.12 (72)

The Old Dogs played against a younger and formidable Blackwood at Blackwood on Sunday. We suffered with a number of experienced players, the Campbell Brothers, Dean and Don, and Roy "Rodgers", AWOL. Blackwood had many younger players in the less than 50 years category and included the likes of Luke "The Bull" Norman - ex Sturt Coach and many others alike. The Old Dogs defence was under pressure and battled all day. A BOG performance by "Dennis the Menace" Umpherston, who thwarted many forays by Blackwood, and with great support from other defenders, including Steve Olthoff (HBF) and Daniel "Rodman" Miles (CHB) kept the Old Dogs in the game. Trent "Kouta" Silcock, dejected and still reeling from Carlton's loss on Friday night, came to the game determined and put in a great performance providing defensive pressure and possessions on the wing. (Something Carlton should have done on Friday night). With the defence standing resolute Kym "The Rash" Rasheed provided a target up forward to keep Blackwood honest and ended the game with 4 majors. In the first three quarters the Old Dogs fumbled and turned over possession many times, due to the pressure exerted by Blackwood, but the last quarter was a total contrast, with sure hand and foot skills and a little extra run to create space. The cream rises to the top eventually and the Old Dogs put in a magic last term to get within a couple of majors but a late sealer by Blackwood shut the door. It was good to have Eddie "Silverfox" Graham-Vandebyl return from a broken forearm (did it playing cricket) and short term retired Steve Sinclair (can't keep the rubber man down) both valued members of the team. It was a great team effort by all the Old Dogs to stay in touch against a much younger side.

Best: Dennis Umpherston, Steve Olthoff, Dan Miles, Trent "Kouta" Silcock, Kym Rasheed.

Goals: Rasheed 4, Mildred 2, Peter Miles 2, Highfold 1.

Rosewater

JUNIOR DATES

- Wednesday 17th July – photos
- Sunday 11th August Under 10's to play PAFC mini-league game at Alberton

Inner Port 8 Ball Association

Results Div 1 (Round 20)			
Cougars Black	1	def by.	Cougars Rock 8
Lord Exmouth Hotel	5	def.	Rosewater Doggies 4
Rosie Stingers	5	def.	Lighthouse Potters 4
Dockside Pirates	9	def.	Rosewater 5-4's 0
Dmac's Dogs	5	def.	Dockside Sharks 4

Results Div 2 (Round 20)			
1 st Commercial Hasbeens	8	def.	Cumberland Cruisers 1
Rosewater SSC (1)	6	def.	Rosewater SSC (2) 3
Cougars White	4	def by.	1 st Commercial (1) 5
Maughan Thiem Falcons	4	def by.	Semaphore Pirates 5

		Ladder as of at		19 th June 2013					
		Division 1		Division 2					
		+	-	Pts	+	-	Pts		
1	Cougars Rock	112	68	30	1	1st Commercial Hasbeens	126	47	34
2	Lord Exmouth Hotel	111	69	28	2	Maughan Thiem Falcons	114	66	30
3	Lighthouse Potters	103	77	24	3	Rosewater SSC (1)	99	75	30
4	Rosewater Doggies	101	79	24	4	1st Commercial (1)	81	99	20
5	Rosewater 5-4's	87	93	20	5	Rosewater SSC (2)	86	94	18
6	Dockside Pirates	83	97	18	6	Cumberland Cruisers	87	93	16
7	Cougars Black	82	98	16	7	Semaphore Pirates	65	115	6
8	Rosie Stingers	75	105	14	8	Cougars White	58	118	6
9	Dockside Sharks	74	106	14					
10	Dmac's Dogs	72	108	10					

Rosewater Juniors

AUSKICK

Now underway each Friday
Rosewater Oval 4:30pm - 5.30pm

Junior Fees are due

They can be paid by EFTpos at the Bar – but advise the Bar Person what the transaction is and the monies are due to the Juniors!

REMINDER – Registration fees are now overdue. If you have not made an arrangement with Karen McCloy or Kellie Hills, please do so now.

Grass Hoppers:
Nil report

U10: Rosewater v Flinders Park

Rosewater U10s took on Portland on Sunday morning. Portland was a bit short and we being blessed with kids on the bench this year handed over a few players each quarter, and a big thanks to all those players who played for our opposition.

It is always recognised that players who make themselves available to the opposition are the best type of persons. Putting themselves forward to benefit both their own club, and sport in general, in providing for a game to continue. Congratulations to all those who participated with the opposition.

The first quarter saw Portland jump out of the blocks with a few goals, however there was still some great work from everyone in the centre and backline. The second quarter saw us lift a bit, moving the ball freely to the forward line and capping off with a couple of very good goals. After the half time break our boys and girls woke up and really started to play some good footy. **Shania** absolutely smashed it in the centre and was definitely one of our best. **Archie** had some good runs down the wing and followed up his own kicks, while **Leaping Liam** was all over the opposition ruckman with **Isaac** kicking a couple of goals. All of a sudden we were in with a real chance and the kids started getting really excited - fist pumps in the air, hugs and high fives were flying all over the place, and even **Jordy**, who wore Portland colours for the last quarter, was in the action, hugging and screaming every time we got a goal! I'm not sure how the Portland coach took that, but **Jordy is a Bulldog through and through!** In the end I believe we won by 1 point. For this result I rely on Jordy's maths – and I am reliably informed this is never wrong! So we will take the win, well done to all.....!!!



U12:
BYE

U14: Rosewater v Port District

Round 9 brings up the half way point for the season, so we have now beaten every team in our completion. Our first quarter today started out a little rough, with 4 of our normal line up missing in action. A very dewy morning made the ball very slippery and Port District came out with all guns blazing, determined to have some impact on the game, to their credit holding us to our lowest opening quarter this season. In the second quarter we settled into a more normal flow for our boys with Josh Morris and Anthony Giacobbe from the U12's making up the number today, and making a great contribution to the game also. We ended up kicking well clear to win 16:20 to 1:00, but all credit to Port Districts who kept at us for the full game.

Goals: **Izak Rankine 5, Kobe Rankine, Tylar Morris 3, Josh Morris 2, one each to Paddy Hure, Ray Burns and Lucas Jolly.**

Best: BOG Nic Balchin and Kobe Rankine.

So on to the second half of the season, the business end. We are the team to beat! We need to keep our heads down and stick with the structures we have developed.

Big Thank You to Frank Carbone for working with the boys last week. A week of training Frank Style was just what the team of young excitable pups needed.

Profile this week is for two lads who only joined Rosewater half way through last year, and had not played much football prior to joining.

No. 11 Tazyer McBride, has developed great fitness over summer and is a versatile player who contributes to our team each week.

No. 9 Tyler Hayward is a first year U14 player whose skills are developing well and another of our very committed players each week.

Message from Coach Coles - Fishing was great! Anyone who hasn't seen the photos just ask - he will be very pleased to show them off.

U16:

Sunday's round 9 clash with Mitcham was just that - a clash, between a smooth, skilled, disciplined, Mitcham and our exact opposite, Rosewater. Having 15+ goals kicked against us in the first half. Unfortunately that was all she wrote.

Comprehensively demolished during the rest of the game. Hard to pick our best, however, Jayden Phillips, Tyler Koenig and Daniel King, were our best while others contributed courageously. Hopefully we will take positives out of this capitulation, running, shepherding, talking, hitting targets and good decision making. However, we did not give up, which is commendable.

BOYS WE ARE BETTER THAN THAT. Final score: 42.17 to nil.

Training Tuesday and Thursday - be there!