## TRAGEDY APPEAL FOOTBALLER SUFFERS SPINAL INJURY

At Kingston Oval on July 7 2012 Kingston South East player **Trent Rothall**, in the process of tackling a Bordertown opponent, fell to the ground and fractured the vertebrae in his neck.

This day was also his 21st birthday, and he had intended to celebrate with family and friends at the football club that night.

Tragically instead he found himself being flown to the Royal Adelaide Hospital for emergency surgery and remained in intensive care for several weeks. Trent has recently been transferred to the spinal injury unit at the Hampstead Rehabilitation Centre where it is hoped the dedicated staff can help him regain as much movement as possible.

Currently Trent has very little movement in his biceps, and none elsewhere below his shoulders.

The rehabilitation process is going to be lengthy and will incur costs of hundreds of thousands of dollars to assist Trent recover to the best possible condition.

As is typical of country areas when faced with hardship, the Kingston and surrounding communities are doing a fantastic job in raising funds to assist the financial burden facing Trent's family.

A Trust Fund has been established to assist Trent, with the account details as follows:

Account Name: Trent Rothall Support Fund Trust

BSB: 105 095

**Account Number: 025968540** 

It would be appreciated if you could advise Jessica Wainwright (SA Community Football Staff Member) of any contributions in order to enable an audit of donations made.

A fundraising function is also being held on Friday 2nd November 2012 in conjunction with the Neil Sachse Foundation at the Donato Reception Centre, and donations for goods and/or services for auction items are also welcome.

Advice of donation or to enquire about how to donate goods/items for auction, please contact Jessica Wainwright on jessicaw@sanfl.com.au or (08) 8424 2220. Trent's progress can also be monitored on Facebook at Together 4 Trent.

## JUNIOR PRESENTATION DAY Sunday 7 October 11:00am Presentation of Awards – Normal Format

JUNIOR AGM
Friday 12 October 2012
5:30pm - 6:00pm
Be part of the "winning" team in 2013

JUNIORS PLAY AT AMMI STADIUM
A couple of weeks ago our juniors were the team selected to play in the juniors at the Adelaide Crows / Sydney match.
Over are photographs of the occasion.

## The Team



NEXT WEEK WILL FEATURE PHOTOS
OF THE U8'S – ALSO PART OF THE ACTIVITIES