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AGENDA

North Adelaide Football Club Inc. & The Roosters Club Inc.

SEASON 2018

Annual Reports and Balance Sheets to be presented to Members on Tuesday 12th February 2019 at 7.00pm at the joint Annual General Meeting of both:

The Roosters Club Inc. and the North Adelaide Football Club Inc. at the North Adelaide Football Club Function Room, Menzies Crescent, Prospect.

THE ROOSTERS CLUB INC. at 7.00pm

1. Welcome by the Chairman
2. Apologies
3. Minutes of the Annual General Meeting held 13/02/2018
4. Adoption of the 2018 Annual Report and Financial Statements (refer 2018 Financials)
5. General Business
6. Close Meeting

NORTH ADELAIDE FOOTBALL CLUB INC.

Immediately following the Roosters Club Inc. AGM

1. Welcome
2. Apologies
3. Confirmation of Minutes
4. Presidents Report
5. SANFL Report
6. Finance Directors Report
7. Adoption Of The 2018 Annual Report and Financial Statements
8. Appointment of Auditor
9. Declaration of the Poll (Board Election Voting Results)
10. Presentation of Awards
11. Address by Club Coach – Josh Carr
12. General Business– Q&A
13. Close Meeting



PRESIDENTS REPORT LEE VIRGIN

Apologies to all but I'd like to put my own perspective on the last 12 months or so even though the CEO covers a fair bit of this in his report.

As the final paragraph of my report last year said – “I hope you come along for the ride”!

Well look what happened, North Adelaide won its first premiership for 27 years, a timeframe none of us want ever to see again.

We can put our success down to a whole range of things including the Football Review and the subsequent decisions made by the Football Dept, the Coaching group and the Board but in my opinion, the group that took control of all that was the playing group and for those people who were able to attend the 2017 Barrie Robran Club Champion night, they heard every player who won an award categorically state that the bond between them all was inspiring them to do everything they could to achieve the success we all desperately wanted.

It goes without saying that senior Coach Josh Carr was finally able to get a much more consistent response from the playing group, they were a lot fitter after another solid pre-season and our recruits fitted in beautifully and added much needed depth, coupled up with the further development of the younger brigade as well as more and more experience in the senior players.

Put that all together and led by inspirational captain Max Thring, Vice-Captain Alex Spina and the notable on-field leadership of some of those more experienced, it was no surprise to many of us that we had the makings of a very good, tight knit group.

It should also be noted that for the 2nd time in 3 years, we also won the Reserves Grand Final and congratulations go to Coach Jacob Surjan and his coaching group and the players for having a great year also.

The Reserves only used 41 players for 2018 and because there weren't too many injuries, they were able to maintain a reasonably consistent side and keep the pressure on the senior list, something that has not been able to happen for some time.

Under 18's Coach Craig Brooks and “Surj” communicate constantly to make sure any potential player gets the opportunity to play at a higher level and ensure they become accustomed to the playing style of the Senior Coach as soon as practical.

A big thank you goes to “Surj” and Craig for their tireless efforts in developing and nurturing our future stars.

Having said all of that and the fact that we have all revelled & enjoyed such a wonderful finals series and ultimate Premiership glory, the Club and the coaching group in particular, face some significant challenges in 2019 not the least of which is the 2 game penalty imposed upon us after the Preliminary Final.

We also start the season without 5 of our premiership players – Connor Rozee, Boyd Woodcock, Callum Wilkie, Jordon Sweet and Robbie Young. As you would expect, we are immensely proud of each and everyone of them and wish them all the best as they go into the AFL system. Like we have done in the past with our previous draftees, we will watch them with great interest and encouragement, hoping they do themselves and their families proud as well as the North Adelaide Football Club.

As a footnote to my last comments, one of the Football Review recommendations was to increase our local and zone talent wherever possible and I'm pleased to say that of the players who took to the field in the GF, 57% was “local” and that doesn't include the very unlucky Alex Spina. As members, you can be proud of this as there is nothing more exciting than seeing our younger guys come through the grades and develop into the players of the club's future.

In relation to SANFL, as always there are a number of very significant matters that they have had to continually deal with this year as well as other things that emerge which have or will have a big impact on all the SANFL clubs.

Heading that list is the financial position of the SANFL, without that being in a healthy state, the very underlying fabric to support the clubs would not exist and some of the other clubs would surely not exist in their current form.

Hence at the time of writing, SANFL have announced a plan to develop a Hotel at the Adelaide Oval which hopefully will give them the opportunity to generate significant extra income away from existing traditional sources, but also an asset to solidify the balance sheet once AAMI stadium has been written off.

The SANFL this year will record a budget surplus of \$100k which is well below previous years as they continue to pay the clubs according to the AAMI land divestment programme and retire debt. Each club received a further \$275,000 in October taking total payments to \$775,000 so far of the expected \$2million over the life of the stadium sell down.

The SANFL was able to reduce its debt substantially from \$14.5million down to \$7.3 million this year.

Club Equalisation funding continues for the time being and a CPI increase of \$13,900 for 6 clubs will be provided and another 2 clubs will receive an equalisation payment based on a review of those club's financial circumstances.

On a more positive note, the SANFL have a new major sponsor in Statewide Super and Channel 7 have agreed to continue their sponsorship agreement for another 3 years.

The Grand Final attendance of 40,355 was the highest since 1998 resulting in a \$70k “better than budgeted for” bonanza for the SANFL – no doubt because we had so many supporters come along to cheer our boys on!

To finish off the SANFL component, 2018 season was the highest scoring and lowest stoppage state league competition – further proof that we are indeed the best brand of football at the local levels.

In relation to our own financial results, as has been mentioned over the last 18 months or so, the Northern Tavern has struggled due to the change of ownership of the complex and the subsequent redevelopment after the major tenants departed.

We will report a loss of \$80,754 compared to a profit last year of \$122,453. Pat Hodby will elaborate in more detail at the AGM but “one off” expenses including, the solar panels, picket fence, the new audio system and signage at the Oval had an enormous impact on the results this year.

Financial results such as these are disappointing and while we are still able to continue with our debt reduction programme according to plan, the Board is very much aware of the need to diversify our own sources of income and investment so that we too can be protected against the risks of what has become traditional income. Despite our efforts to date, nothing that we have considered so far was of sufficient quality to progress further with. You can be assured that this matter is constantly being discussed and looked at.

The Football Review, which we owe a great deal to and which gave us some real clarity around areas it thought we could improve on was such a big task to absorb, let alone put into practice, yet you all embraced it because we knew this could only benefit the football club and if we stuck to the plan and recommendations, then this should put us in good stead to achieve success not just in the short term, but also ensure we had the right structures in place to continue successfully for many years to come. As I said at the Football Forum previously, the Board was unanimous in its support of the Review, contrary to what some people out there may have thought otherwise.

I have been asked by a number of members what some of the Board members do throughout the year and I suppose it is timely to mention perhaps the 2 Board members up for re-election just so that you have a bit more of an idea of what goes on away from the football scene for those two in particular.

Wayne Jeffries, apart from being Club Chairman, is our long standing Zone Director and clocks up his usual 10,000 to 15,000kms visiting our vast country zones representing the Football Club either during the week or weekends at various functions, formal gatherings and Northern Area meetings and carnivals, using his vast knowledge and long standing relationships to keep the NAFC brand well and truly in those areas.

Andrew Souter, as mentioned previously, over the last 2 years used his commercial and leasing skills to the utmost in securing a new leasing arrangement for one of our venues and at the same time brought on board a fantastic new sponsor for 5 years, which was worth a considerable amount to the club. As we all know, sponsors are extremely hard to find these days, so to broker that particular sponsorship for the NAFC was a fantastic effort.

As a group, we have achieved so much yet, we know there is much more to be done to ensure the Club survives the considerable challenges ahead. We are a tremendously diverse Board, each bringing something different to the table and I'm sure we are the envy of many other clubs who are in the unfortunate position of having to rely on so few to do so much.

So to Wayne Jeffries, Malcolm Ellis, Pat Hodby, Andrew Souter, Simon Trenorden, Chris McSporran, Susan Girke and Conny Wilson – a very big “Thank You” indeed.

It has been an absolute privilege to be yours and the North Adelaide Football Club's President for the last 12 months and let's continue to work together in 2019 – Football Dept, Coaching Group, Administration, Players, Support Staff, our magnificent volunteers, the History Committee and last but certainly not least the wonderful Presidents Group who raise so much money for the benefit solely of the players and coaching panel.

If we all adopt the “Club First” mentality, then collectively as a football club, we surely cannot be any stronger and more committed to a common cause.

Let this be the beginning of another great era of the North Adelaide Football Club and go you Roosters!

2018 BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Lee Virgin



Malcolm Ellis



Susan Girke



Pat Hodby



Wayne Jeffries



Christopher McSporran



Andrew Souter



Simon Trenorden



Conny Wilson

.....OBITUARY

During the period of 1 November 2017 to 31 October 2018, the North Adelaide Football club mourned the loss of Life Members; Barbara Dolling, Jan Lindner & Dorelle Robins and Past Player Life Member Lyle Griffin.

We also lost Past Players Ron Barnes, Brian Coulls, Michael Eichner and Barrie Mugge.

At the beginning of the season we lost one of our most wonderful volunteers, Vaughan Taylor. Vaughan, who has been a long term trainer and volunteer with our Club, and his lovely wife Raelene travelled each and every weekend down from their Bute farm to be part of the action with their Rooster family.

In August we lost SANFLW Footballer Margaret Varcoe. Margaret was an outstanding member of our SANFL Statewide Super Women's League playing group, a leader both on and off the field, and an inspirational figure for young players at our club.

The Board Staff and Players would also like to extend their deepest sympathy to all who had loved ones pass during the year. The Club uses its best endeavours to maintain current records. Please accept our apologies if any detail is overlooked. Any assistance in ensuring our records are current would be appreciated.

CEO'S REPORT

GREG EDWARDS



SEASON 2018 – PREMIERSHIP YEAR!

I remember writing to our Members at this time last year and stating that there was a lot to like about season 2017, not the wins and loss ratio, but rather the emergence of several young players and a game style that was built on pressure, competitiveness and ball movement. This was taken into the pre-season and further refined to the point where it was obvious the players were completely vested in the vision laid out by their coach, and the positive results which would come if they persisted and committed unconditionally.

As we now know, the result of all the hard work and belief is the 2018 League Premiership Cup!

Our first in 27 years, a long wait for so many Rooster supporters who have stayed with us and each year prayed for this to come along. What a fantastic result for the Club! The look on those faces on Grand Final night was priceless, the joy and elation of success was celebrated for many days and weeks and in some areas, continues today!

In addition, for our Reserves team to achieve Premiership success was testament to the pressure that was building within the selection process each week, all players pushing hard for a spot, keeping the boys in the League side on edge each week. That's what brings success, relentless selection pressure demands high performance.

The young talent on display was a talking point around the finals series, the excitement of watching Connor Rozee stamp himself as one of the top elite 18 year olds in the country and seeing Boyd Woodcock accept the challenge of League football, and make a name for himself as a high pressure, very smart footballer who took on each challenge the coach threw at him. Then we saw Mackenzie Slee up against and beating some of the best small forwards going around, whilst Jordon Sweet made sure we had a big aggressive presence around the stoppages, protecting his teammates and using his great athleticism to our advantage. Our new faces like Jarred Allmond, Aidan Tropiano, Robbie Young and Brock Castree all played their roles to perfection and gave the team that bit of extra polish, skill and speed that was targeted in the off season. And who can forget the wonderful seasons of Tom Schwarz, Mitch Clisby, Lewis Hender and of course, our 2018 Best and Fairest winner, Callum Wilkie.

For me, the most notable effort came from our senior coach Josh Carr. He has always stayed very strong and focused, especially when under close scrutiny, however his ability, persistence and belief in the vision and values communicated to the players throughout the past 3 years has been outstanding. When we struggled to find form in the latter part of the season, when everyone thought we had seen our best and expectations had dropped, Josh's ability to manage that situation and continue to be relentless in his preparation to win finals, was a credit to him as a coach and manager of his team. Very ably supported by Jacob Surjan and Trent Mills, two outstanding coaches in their own right, he put our Club back to where it needs to be.

Now we move forward into 2019 as the reigning Premier and face the challenges that will confront us from round one. The competition will gain strength and we need to as well!

In addition to our 2018 success, we had our second season of the SANFL Women's League, after playing in the inaugural Grand Final in our first season. Our second season had many challenges, two new clubs (South and Sturt), so boundary and zone changes impacted to a degree on all the inaugural teams. However, our team was outstanding and had chances to again play off in the Grand Final, ultimately losing the Preliminary. Big thanks to our coaching group, Matt Slade, Yves Sibenaler and Nathan Steinberner, as well as our wonderful support team, especially Kevin Bateman, Ashlee Lines and our Football Manager, Darryl Wintle.

Can't wait for it all to kick off again!

TRUENORTH : that's where we're going!



CORPORATE PARTNERSHIPS

Growing corporate support for the Club is one of the biggest challenges each year. Over recent years we have been able to grow against the trend, this growth built on great sponsorship packages, relationships and connection. Whilst these philosophies have continued under the eye of our new Sponsorship and Functions Manager Meneka Mendis who replaced Jessamy Lutt at the end of 2017 when Jessamy commenced her maternity leave, it is growing more difficult in the current economic climate we operate in.

In such an exciting year on field, we fell slightly short of our target in this area, mainly due to a few circumstances out of our control. In saying that, we still increased our sponsorship revenue by nearly \$20,000 over 2017, a great result for Meneka in her first year with us.

We plan to hit the corporate market a bit harder as we get the wheels in motion for 2019, and with the Premiership under our belt, we hope to add a few new faces and businesses to those loyal committed partners who have stayed by our side through thick and thin.

Remember the most important thing in maintaining the corporate support we have comes down to the support they receive from our members, so I ask you all to consider that upon making your purchases and choices.

A special thank you again goes out to our Presidents Group Committee for their continued commitment and support for our Corporate Partnerships, often connecting and involving our Partners in their fundraising programs, whether it be the TTG Golf Day, Home Match luncheons, Gala Luncheon or any other function or event.

Once again, we have the best Major Partner in the SANFL with Copyworld Toshiba and once again, the support of David Morris and his team has been vital in our ability to fund critical areas in our operations such as junior development, country zone academies and the female football programs.

MEMBERSHIP AND WEBSITE

An SANFL executive once said to me that the Roosters have the biggest supporter base in the SANFL, they just don't attend matches and aren't all members. You only had to be at Adelaide Oval on Sunday 23 September to witness the masses of red and white around the 40,000 spectators.....perhaps he is right!

Club Membership levels have remained stable at around 2,000 in 2018 which is a good result following some lean years on field. However, we really need this to grow in 2019 to 2,300 – 2,400 and following the success in 2018, we hope our big supporter base will get on board and get our membership up to where it should be for a Premiership Club.

We always are indebted to our wonderfully loyal supporters who continue to outnumber our opposition supporters at Prospect each home match. Our Marketing Manager Allira Ryan with assistance from our admin assistants Ashlee Lines and Olivia Smith, has again been committed and dedicated in her communications, website management and membership.

Following our Grand Final win, the work done behind the scenes from the final siren of the game through to the next 2 - 3 weeks was amazing. Special thanks to Ashlee Lines who manned the office on her own amid celebrations and ensured the premiership apparel, DVD's and other items were ready to be ordered and produced for our supporters. It was truly an unbelievable time!

The NAFC website remains one of the busiest websites in the SANFL, but we will again look at upgrading it for 2019 to meet the changing needs of our customers. It is always an evolving project and we intend to stay ahead of the SANFL in terms of visits and content.

NORTHERN TAVERN AND GRAND NORTH

Whilst 2017 was a very difficult year for our venues in terms of revenue generation, 2018 was even harder. The Northern Tavern has been under development (the Regency Plaza Development) which has impacted on our business there enormously in 2018. At times, the car parks were basically closed, general access was very restricted and foot traffic through that corner was non-existent. In line with this, our gaming, bar and bottleshop revenues decreased significantly and if it wasn't for the outstanding efforts from our Manager Kate Cotter, it could have been much worse.

The good news is that the development works should be complete in the first quarter of 2019, allowing us to resume normal trading and promotional activities.

Grand North has been negatively impacted by the emergence of the surrounding competing venues, all of which have had significant upgrades and refurbishments. Whilst our dining business has remained strong, our gaming (10%) and bar (5%) revenues have reduced.

We have some plans in place to re-energize the venue for 2019, but we don't underestimate the challenges ahead. In a difficult environment our Grand North Venue Manager Tania Hubbard and Head Chef David Wilcox have both done marvelous jobs in maintaining superb customer service standards, delivering high quality food and continuing to build on the well-recognized reputation we have for great service, great food and great atmosphere.



LOOKING AHEAD

Finally, in line with the above, our consolidated financial performance in 2018 has been well below budget for the reasons provided above. In saying that, whilst the venues have struggled, we are proud of the financial results delivered by the NAFC operations, finishing ahead of budget by in excess of \$200,000. This was of course assisted by a wonderful thing called The Premiership!

Key projects for 2019 include the finalisation of lease negotiations at Grand North, the continuing Prospect Oval Development project (and sourcing the funds to commence), the completion of the Regency Plaza developments and of course, the pursuit of another Premiership.

Thank you to everyone; it has certainly been a year to remember for all of us!

Look forward to an exciting 2019 as we again head TRUENORTH!

HISTORY COMMITTEE

The year started with one of the Club's most important events – induction of four new members to our Hall of Fame at a function held on 11th November 2017. While most of the preparatory work was completed in the previous football year, there is always a lot to do in the last couple of weeks. In particular, the establishment of the new display cabinet with 3-D images of each Hall of Fame member set into crystal blocks was finished just in time for the function.

The Committee had been working for several years to identify as many players as possible who have represented the Club at League level. This had been completed back to 1910 by the end of 2017 but the picket project required us to identify as many players as possible who debuted between 1897 and 1909. In the end we were able to identify 109 of these players in time for the pickets to be produced - the remaining 12 have only surnames on the pickets. Record keeping and available sources in that era set us quite a time-consuming challenge!

In May, as part of History Month, the Committee again ran bus tours which highlighted our Club's origins. The tours took participants to several key landmarks in Adelaide which have great relevance to our early history. Nick Haines again orchestrated and conducted the tours which were thoroughly enjoyed by all participants.

Other highlights of the year included:

- Organising three functions during the 2018 season for past players and officials of the Club. These were very well attended, with the second one attracting a record number of past players.
- Establishing a new display in the main display case, featuring the various guernsey designs that we have worn through our history.
- Continuing cataloguing items of memorabilia received from various sources and an audit of all memorabilia in our archives undertaken by Julie Vranek and Colin Richardson.
- Addition of photos of players to the Games and Players Database. This has been completed for most players but there are many for whom we have no photo and we are seeking help to locate something suitable.
- Designing a new display for Adelaide Oval which should be in place shortly.
- Assisting with arrangements to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the writing of our Club song by Johnny Mac. Although the work was undertaken by the State Library, we were delighted that the task of digitising the contents of the fabulous Farmer scrapbooks was completed this year as part of an agreement struck in 2005 when the material was deposited in the Library on indefinite loan. This will ensure that this important part of our history is preserved.

I would like to record my gratitude to the members of the History Committee for their continued hard work and dedication. The list of Committee members is provided under "Office Bearers".

Barry Dolman

Chairman, NAFC History Committee

CHEERLEADERS

What a wonderful season 2018 turned out to be!

The North Adelaide Cheerleaders again entertained the Prospect Oval crowds and despite low numbers in both our Roosters Dance Team & Rockette squads, the girls performed with great enthusiasm, passion and commitment proving it is quality not quantity that counts.

As their respective football teams moved through the finals series to reach ultimate success, lasting memories were formed as the girls were able to soak up the finals experience & Adelaide Oval atmosphere, including the later involvement with the Grand Final celebrations back at Prospect.

Special thanks once again to Olivia Hatherly for her continued voluntary involvement providing exciting choreography for our Rockettes, and to several of our past cheerleaders (Dionne Balopitos, Cara Piantadosi, Sarah Rolton & Jemma Rolton) who returned to offer their choreographic contribution to the young members of our Roosters Dance Team.

We look forward with anticipation to 2019 and encourage anyone interested in becoming involved with our teams to contact the Club for more information.

Catherine Nairn - Manager, Cheerleaders

2018 AWARD RECIPIENTS

MERIT AWARDS



Nick Haines
History Committee



Bruce Schulz
Trainer

CH NITSCHKE MEMORIAL TROPHY CLUB PERSON OF THE YEAR



Josh Carr
Senior Coach

VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR



Tim Goodwin
Reserves Team Manager

LIFE MEMBERSHIP



Barry Dolman
History Committee

10 YEAR SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS:

Manfred Kern –History Committee
Tony Bowering - Rocket Rooster

5 YEAR SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS:

Tayla Ling – Junior Trainer
Bob Richards – History Committee
Lyn Roberts – History Committee
Kos Sarneckis – History Committee

Marcia Potts – Grand Stand
Scott Coppin - Time Keeper
Mia Jordan -Roosters Dance Team

OFFICE BEARERS

NORTH ADELAIDE FOOTBALL CLUB INC.

President: Lee Virgin

Chairman: Wayne Jeffries

Board of Directors: Malcolm Ellis, Susan Girke, Pat Hodby, Wayne Jeffries, Chris McSporran, Simon Trenorden, Lee Virgin, Andrew Souter, Conny Wilson.

SANFL Director: Malcolm Ellis

Alternate SANFL Director: Wayne Jeffries

ADMINISTRATION

Chief Executive: Greg Edwards

Accounts & Compliance: Jann Bartold

Accounts & Compliance: Max Thring

Football Services Manager: Darryl Wintle

Football Development Manager: Neil Sanders

Marketing Manager: Allira Ryan

Sponsorship & Events Manager: Meneka Mendis

Receptionist: Ashlee Lines & Olivia Smith

APPOINTMENTS

Club Solicitor: Adco Legal Pty Ltd

Player Advocate: Greg Edwards & Darryl Wintle

ROOSTERS CLUB INC

Chairman: Lee Virgin

Chief Executive: Greg Edwards

Venue Managers: Tania Hubbard & Kate Cotter

Licensee: Greg Edwards

CLUB STRUCTURE

Finance Director: Pat Hodby

Football Executive: Malcolm Ellis (Chairman), Lee Virgin, Wayne Jeffries, Greg Edwards.

History Committee: Scott Coppin, Barry Dolman, Malcolm Ellis, Nick Haines, Manfred Kern, John Mitchell, David O'Hara, Bruce Pointon, Bob Richards, Lyn Roberts, Geoff Sandford, Kos Sarneckis, Daryl Thomas, Alison Galloway

Associate History Committee Members- Colin Richardson & Julie Vranek

MATCH DAY

Canteen Manager: Pauline Bowen

Grandstand Assistants: Daniel Boon, Gabrielle Curtis, Phil George, Marcia Parker, Geoff Logan & Jess Logan.

MEDICAL STAFF

Club Doctor: Kevyn Hernandez

Physiotherapist: My Physio SA, Tim Bass, Tom Peters, Michael Wilson

Club Head Trainer: Ashlee Lines

Massage Therapist: John Chapman, Elle Polkinghorne

Trainers/ Water Runners: Kevin Bateman, Gary Stork, Duane Schmerl, Troy Harrison, Vaughan Taylor, Laszlo Majoros, Bruce Schulz, Tim Webb,

David Lewis, Paul Neilson, Sarah Boud, Amy Hobbs.

Junior Head Trainer: Tayla Ling

Junior Trainer: Lisa McMurtrie, Chloe Smith

Junior Physio: Chloe Parslow

OFFICIALS - LEAGUE & RESERVES

Senior Coach: Josh Carr

Assistant Coaches: Craig Brooks, Trent Mills, Jacob Surjan, David Bean

Reserves Coach: Jacob Surjan

Reserves Assistant Coaches: David Bean

League Team Manager: Barrie Newton

Reserves Team Manager: Tim Goodwin

Conditioning Coach: Matthew D'aloia

Strength Coach: Ryan Burnell

Assistant Conditioning Coach : Jen Jones

League Runner: Graeme Kellett

Reserves Runner: Aidan March

Online Scoreboard: Scott Coppin

Property Steward: Wayne Baillie

League Time Keeper: Robert Ramsay

Reserves Time Keeper: Scott Coppin

Boot Spriggers: Ian Oswald & John Woon

Transport Officer: John Woon

Drink Steward: Tim Webb, David Woodward

Club Chaplain: Kevin Bateman

Statisticians: Tim Miller, Adam Maio

WOMEN'S TEAM

Coach: Matthew Slade

Assistants: Nathan Steinberner, Yves Sibenaler, Emma Sampson

Head Trainer : Ashlee Lines

Trainer : Kevin Bateman

Massage Therapist: Elle Polkinghorne

Doctor: Kevyn Hernandez

Physio: Danielle Tape

UNDER 18

Coach: Craig Brooks

Assistant Coaches: Scott Bamford, Corey Drew, Marc Cooney, Jason Rivett

Team Manager: Peter South & Karl Christ

Strength & Conditioning: Shimon Baraka

Under 18 Runner: Steve Hocking

UNDER 16

Coach: Jeff Sochacki

Assistant Coaches: Brenton Haynes,

Daniel Uglesic, Jason Rivett

Team Manager: Jason Cosgrove

Runner: Kahlin Santillo

UNDER 15

Coach: Jason Rivett

Assistant Coach: Peter Corrie, Troy

Elbourn, Anthony Cronshaw

Team Manager: Jeff Sewart

UNDER 14

Coach: Mitchell Clisby

Assistant Coach: Keenan Ramsay, Christos Anemouri

Team Manager: Marc Gibbs

UNDER 13

Coach: Brenton Phillips

Assistant Coaches: Lachlan Sandrord,

Nick Harnas, Dave Couzner

Team manager: Mark Northway

U15 & U17 FEMALE COACHES

Under 15 Coach: Jason Rivett

Under 15 Assistant Coaches: Brianna

Arthur, Esther Boles, Ashleigh Woodland

Under 17 Coach: Emma Sampson

Under 15 Assistant Coaches: Erica Greet,

Kathryn Reynolds, Nadia Von Bertouch

COUNTRY

Port Augusta Squad Coach: Robert Laube

Port Pirie Squad Coach: Richard Cable

Northern Areas Squad Coach: Marty Keller

Whyalla Squad Coach: Jarrod Starkey

NAFC Under 17 Country Youth Coach:

Robert Laube & Robert Ashton

NAFC Under 15 Country Coach: Marty

Keller & Richard Cable

Youth Squad Trainer: Kevin Bateman

Mini League: Tayla Batty

Auskick: Damian Emery

IT'S A GREAT GREAT CLUB AND THE CLUB WE LOVE



HALL OF FAME NOVEMBER 11, 2017

Congratulations to John Earl, Jeff Pash, Lyle Griffin and David Tiller who were inducted into the North Adelaide Football Club Hall of Fame November 11, 2017.



JOHN EARL

Seasons: 1897-99; 1901-09; 1911
NAFC League Games/ Goals: 158 games, 72 goals (identified records)
Achievements
 3 x Best & Fairest – 1899, 1902, 1908
 2 x Premiership player - 1902, 1905
 12 x Finals games
 5 x State Games

Other Awards

All-Round Ability – 1906
 Inducted/ Named Awards
 NAFC Life Member – 1909



LYLE GRIFFIN

Seasons: 1946-57
NAFC League Games/ Goals: 179 games, 40 goals
Other Games/ Goals: Other: 1 game, 1 goal
Achievements
 2 x League Captain – 1956-57
 1 x Best & Fairest – 1952
 1 x Premiership player - 1952
 7x Finals games
 11 x State Games

Media Awards

The Advertiser Team Of The Year – 1952

Inducted/ Named Awards

NAFC Life Member – 1956

Other Awards

Best Placed – 1950
 Best Team Man – 1956
 Most Effective – (2) 1948; 54
 Most Effective Player (Grand Final) – 1952
 Most Consistent – (3) 1951; 53; 55
 MacFarlane Memorial Trophy – 1952
 Most Unselfish – 1957
 Most Improved Junior – 1947
 Serviceable Play – (2) 1949; 52



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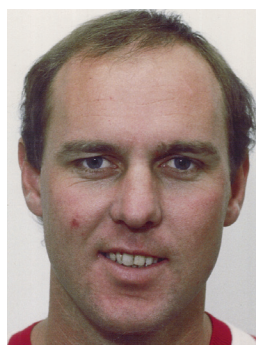
Seasons: 1938-40; 1945-49
NAFC League Games/ Goals: 120 games, 35 goals
Achievements
 1 x League Captain – 1945
 1 x Magarey Medal – 1939
 2 x Best & Fairest – 1938-39
 1 x Premiership player - 1949
 3 x Finals games
 4 x State Games

Other Awards

Most Effective – 1946
 Best Placed – (2) 1939; 47
 Best Forward – 1949
 Best Junior – 1938
 Services Rendered – 1945
 'B' Team Best and Fairest – 1948

Inducted/ Named Awards

SA Football Hall Of Fame – 2003
 NAFC Team of the Century (Right Half-Forward Flank) – 2000
 NAFC Life Member – 1949



DAVID TILLER

Seasons: 1977-90
NAFC League Games/ Goals: 251 games, 148 goals
Other Games/ Goals: 39 games, 13 goals

Achievements

2 x League Captain – 1984-86
 2 x Best & Fairest – 1981, 1984
 1 x Premiership player – 1987
 4 x Grand Finals – 1985-87; 1989
 12 x Finals games

Other Achievements

Coach Under 17s – (6) 2000-05
 Coach Under 16s – (7) 2010-16 (ongoing)
 Assistant Coach (Under 18s) – 2011

Other Awards

Consistent Service – 1978
 Most Consistent – 1980
 Most Magarey Medal Votes – (2) 1981; 84
 Special Achievement – 1981
 Joint Sponsors Trophy – 1984
 Service Award – (5) 1982-83; 85-87
 Reserves Most Effective – 1977
 Reserves 3rd Best Player – 1979
 Under 19s Best First Year Player – 1977
 Club Person of the Year - 2011

Media Awards

The Advertiser Team Of The Year – 1981
 Inducted/ Named Awards
 NAFC Life Member – 1986



PRESIDENT'S GROUP REPORT CHRIS MCSPORRAN



The purpose of the President's Group is to raise funds for the club and to support our players; and 2018 was a successful year in this respect.

A surplus of \$28,100 was achieved with the Group raising funds from membership and events. Based on the requests from the Football Department this surplus contributed towards the following payments:

- Player dress and warm-up jackets/tracksuit tops - \$21,350
- Contribution to Players Gala Lunch tickets - \$6,750
- Player sponsored functions - \$4,300
- Contribution to Player Premiership celebrations - \$3,000
- Other contributions - \$400

Hard work and prudent event management over the past few seasons provided the Group with the opportunity to draw-down on its Retained Earnings to recognise the Premiership success and reward the players.

The solid financial result was due to a successful golf day in March and some well attended home match luncheons.

The offering at our lunches throughout the season continued the club's high reputation for hospitality and thanks to the bar and kitchen teams for the service standards provided to members and their guests.

Our annual golf day was held at the Tea Tree Gully course and a great day was enjoyed by all participants. The golf day is our major fundraiser, so special thanks goes to the hard-working golf day committee and all the sponsors (particularly David Morris of Copyworld our major sponsor of the day). To all interested participants, the 2019 Golf Day will be on Friday 15 March at the Tea Tree Gully course.

Thanks to Meneka Mendis efforts in supporting home match lunches, sending communication to members and many other activities over the season. Similarly, thanks to Chief Executive, Greg Edwards and other guest speakers for their match day contributions during the lunches

After many years without success, the PG Committee is keen to capitalise on the 2018 Premiership. The financial viability of the group requires an increase in membership and the Committee welcomes any Rooster supporters who wish to join a like-minded, passionate coterie group. For a small outlay, friendship, networking and business opportunities are awaiting new members. Please contact either myself or the club if you would like to join the President's Group.

The on-field success in 2018 and the 4 weeks of September was something that we will always remember. Congratulations to Josh Carr, the players and the football department. It's a feeling we all want to experience again and there is no time like the present.

That said, the club's on-field task in 2019 will be challenging for reasons known, but the PG are optimistic that the commitment of the playing and coaching group will enable the Roosters to successful next season.

Finally, I wish to thank the PG Committee for their support and assistance during the year.

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MATCH REPORTS DAVE O'HARA

Round 1 : Friday 30 March 2018 at Elizabeth Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	2.3	4.5	5.6	8.7	55
CENTRAL	4.6	6.11	12.12	17.14	116

Goalkickers : Harvey 3, Schwarz 1, Ramsey 1, Tropiano 1, Young 1, Nixon 1

Umpires : T. Burke, M. Sboro, A. Crosby

Crowd : 3,782

The now-customary Good Friday clash with Central District brought nothing good to the North Adelaide camp as they were completely dictated in all departments from the opening bounce that brought immediate concerns about the new season's aspirations. Without the choice of our first two ruck options due to injury and suspension North were out-played in the midfield and were led to the ball in all areas of the ground. Early poor goalkicking by the Bulldogs remained the only reason North held some hope at the main break. New captain Max Thring (24 disposals) battled manfully but had limited support although Brock Castree (22 possessions), in his first game for North, showed promise rebounding regularly and cleanly from half-back and Tom Schwarz added midfield support. Mitch Harvey was the lone figure up forward and kicked three goals from limited opportunities. Aidan Tropiano played his first game while Jarred Allmond and Robbie Young played their first games for North. Alex Barns played his 50th SANFL game.

Round 2 : Sunday 8 April 2018 at Prospect Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	8.4	12.9	18.12	25.14	164
WEST	0.3	1.5	1.8	2.14	26

Goalkickers : Ramsey 6, Quinn 5, A. Barns 3, Hender 2, Harvey 2, Thring 2, Young 1, Olekalns 1, Spina 1, Schwarz 1, McInerney 1

Umpires : M. Scott, S. Galletly, T. Philp

Crowd : 1,952

Commentator Anthony Hudson's memorable quote "I see it, but I don't believe it" was a catchphrase to the North faithful when the home side put on a clinical performance not witnessed by their fans for years. Kicking with the wind in the first term North hit their straps immediately with captain Thring kicking the first goal and setting the high standard. An eight-goal to nil first term set the match up built around aggression, team ethic and run, run, run. By the time West kicked their first goal in time on of the second term North had already notched up 12 themselves and held an imposing lead. The procession continued in the second half as North remained relentless in their play with players constantly willing to receive a handball and forwards presenting incessantly that included goals scored within seconds of the ball being bounced in the centre. Thring again led by example hassling the opposition when not in possession and presenting opportunities when he had the ball and his final stats of 16 kicks, 12 handballs and two goals were testimony of his second and third efforts. Despite his size he not only collected 12 marks but one was a spinning grab between two bigger West opponents. Tropiano (24 touches) supported his captain while up forward Keenan Ramsey was brilliant with strong leads, accurate kicking and sharp snapshots to finish with 17 kicks, nine marks and a career-best 6.1. Young Mark Quinn, returning to the league side, had a day-out with 10 marks, 14 kicks and a five-goal delivery. The defence were miserly and worked in tangent to clear from defence with clean movement and run. Callum Wilkie (22 kicks, 10 marks), Allmond (20 kicks, 10 marks) and Tanner Smith (14 kicks, 10 marks) led the defence wonderfully. Mackenzie Slee, on debut, also enjoyed a solid first game and vice-captain Alex Spina's celebrated his 50th club game. The 138-point margin was the biggest in North-West history, and the 164 points scored by North their 3rd highest ever against West.

Round 3 : Sunday 15 April 2018 at Unley Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	3.0	4.1	8.4	8.6	54
STURT	2.3	5.6	7.8	7.9	51

Goalkickers : Ramsey 2, Harvey 2, Hender 1, Tropiano 1, Quinn 1, Young 1

Umpires : C. Bowen, M. Sboro, M. Scott

Crowd : 2,972

In a pulsating final quarter when no goals were kicked North held its nerve and showed a new and determined side in its performance when it defeated the reigning-premiers Sturt at Unley Oval – our first win on their home soil since 2012. The victory was vastly different to the previous week's performance when they fought back after looking down during the third term but showed a spirited fightback to take the two points.



The victory was led by a tough midfield and a dominating backline. Tropiano continued to justify coach Carr's eagerness to have him at the Roosters collecting 23 disposals and a goal but also pulverizing the opposition relentlessly with 13 tackles. In defence the tall timbers in Cameron Craig (20 touches, nine marks) and Smith (16 touches, 10 marks) stood large on the wet and windy day. Ramsey remained a strong forward option and with Harvey led well and kicked straight – important in such a low-scoring game kicking two goals and at the same time reaching 50th goal milestones: Harvey (for North) and Ramsey (total). A. Barns, against a taller and bigger ruckman, was again brilliant in his 50th game for the club collecting 16 possessions around the ground, grabbing seven marks and clocking up 23 hit-outs. Young, while quiet for parts of the game, scored the goal of the day with a brilliant individual run from wing to goal 40 metres out on the run. The final siren brought thunderous cheers to the North faithful and with good reason – it was North's first consecutive win since the last two matches in 2014 and the first game in 2015!

Round 4 : Saturday 21 April 2018 at Prospect Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	6.2	8.3	17.5	21.7	133
NORWOOD	3.0	5.6	9.8	13.11	89

Goalkickers : Young 6, McInerney 3, Hender 3, Harvey 2, Ryswyk 2, Allmond 2, Tropiano 2, Spina 1
Umpires : J. Broadbent, M. Sboro, T. Medlin
Crowd : 2,469

North Adelaide continued their impressive early season form with a third successive victory that entwined glitz and glamour with belief, aggression, committed defence and a team ethic that was obvious for all to witness. Many goals were kicked with dazzling snaps or precision long-distance shots but all were underlined due to pressure up-field, strong tackling, quick rebounds and a willingness to do the one-percenters to support each other. After kicking the first goal of the game within 15 seconds of the match by nippy forward Young North pinched an early break when they kicked the last three goals of the first term. Evidence of North's aptitude and commitment was Schwarz's brilliant tackle on Norwood's giant ruckman resulting in a free kick and the quick movement by the North brigade resulted in a goal. It was also the nine-goal third quarter that was awesome in every facet of the Roosters game plan. The goals were kicked in all fashion with Young snagging three and Allmond, after a 15-possession first term, kicking a goal from 60m out that continued over the fence. However it was North's clean ball skills, pressure on the opposition and hard running that resulted in many of these scoring opportunities, and perfectly displayed by the "team" goal of the day when Mitch Clisby kicked long from a kick-out where Lewis Hender took a "screamer" in the middle of the ground and, before landing, shot a handball to A. Barns who was running past. His kick found Leigh Ryswyk loose at half forward flank whose 40m precision kick allowed the gut-running Young not to break stride as he ran into an open goal. It was one for the ages! In was an "all-played well" performance however Young's effort symbolised the team as his six goals (including a successive goal of the week contender during the final term) was balanced with his willingness to work defensively (including six tackles) that showed his all-round performance. Allmond was sensational with his long and accurate rebounding to finish with 35 disposals, 10 marks and two sensational goals. Midfielders Schwarz (29 disposals, 10 tackles), Tropiano (21 disposals, 2 goals) and Thring (25 disposals, 7 150s) dominated stoppages and were relentless in their pressure acts. Tall defenders Wilkie (26 disposals, 10 marks, 6 D50s) and C. Craig (22 disposals, 8 marks, 5 D50s) continued their great form constantly intercepting marking and confident rebound.

FUN FACT JUMPERS 1 TO 10 ALL IN A ROW

In Round 2 against West Adelaide we saw North jumper numbers 1 to 10 running onto the ground. If you would think this was a common occurrence you are wrong. The last time a North league side had all 1-10 jumpers represented in the same game was in Round 12, 1970 – nearly 48 years ago. In that match North defeated West Torrens by 57 points at Thebarton Oval. Many reasons can explain this strange stat including injuries, players playing reserves and in some cases the number put in cotton wool for a season or two (ie No. 10). This year only 5 of the "Top 10" jumper numbers played every game this season with Mark Quinn (No. 6) only playing five games. Some of the players representing North that day in 1970 are champions of North's yesteryear including Don Lindner (No. 1), Terry von Bertouch (2), Neil Sachse (3), Geoff Paull (6), John Phillips (8) and of course Barrie Robran (10).

Round 5 : Sunday 29 April 2018 at Woodville Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	3.1	5.3	9.3	14.7	91
EAGLES	3.0	4.0	9.3	13.4	82

Goalkickers : M. Thring 3, Hender 2, Rozee 2, A. Barns 2, McDonough 2, Spina 1, Tropiano 1, Wilkie 1
Umpires : G. Lewis, M. Schramm, J. Broadbent
Crowd : 2,233

The Rooster juggernaut season of 2018 continued and took its second major scalp on the opposition's home turf when North Adelaide held out against the Eagles in a fantastic display of football by both sides. Matt McDonough set the wheels in motion with two long-distance goals in the first term before debutant Connor Rozee calmly kicked his first goal in league football. Scores remained close through majority of the game with each side sharing the lead in a topsy-turvy encounter. The Eagles goaled early in the last term to take the lead but North's new-resolve and never-say-die attitude responded with five of the next six goals in an 11-minute burst that sealed the match and North finally enjoyed success at Woodville Oval – only their 6th in 29 encounters! Leading from the front was the irresistible captain whose statistics of 23 kicks, 9 marks, 11 handballs, 11 I50s and three goals speak volumes of his run and domination but his ability to draw teammates into the game and lead by kicking three crucial yet wonderfully crafted goals confirmed this surely as his best individual performance. With over 400 disposals in the match North dominated possession with Allmond and Castree (both superb in repelling across half-back) notching 31 and 30 disposals respectively as seven others collected 20 or more touches. A. Barns, whilst beaten in ruck by a more prominent opposition ruckman, certainly held his own around the ground with 23 touches, 11 marks, two goals and 17 hit-outs. Matt Appleton (22 disposals, 4 tackles) showed what can produce, Schwarz (27 touches, 8 tackles) continued his no-nonsense consistent performances and Wilkie (19 disposals, 11 marks, 1 goal) remains unquestioningly reliable. It was in 2007 when North last won four successive wins while young 18 y.o. Rozee's debut also created a new record that makes many us feel that little bit older – he is the first North Adelaide league representative to be born in the 2000's!

Round 6 : Saturday 5 May 2018 at Prospect Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	4.2	8.4	10.5	12.10	82
ADELAIDE	2.1	6.3	9.5	9.6	60

Goalkickers : Hender 4, Harvey 3, McInerney 2, Rozee 2, C. Barns 1
Umpires : G. Lewis, D. Sobieraj, J. Broadbent
Crowd : 1,784

North maintained top place on the premiership table with a gritty, dour, blue-collar victory over a determined Adelaide. Getting to a game-high 31 points during the second term North looked cleaner, quicker and its ball movement more organised before Adelaide battled gamely to fight their way back into the contest. Twice during the third term scores were locked away before a late goal to Hender gave the home side a slight lead into the last break. North's defence stood even grander in the final term allowing just one behind to be scored while North's wayward 2.5 was enough to give them their first win against Adelaide since 2015. North's victory was completed without captain M. Thring who left the field in the first quarter due to injury and Castree who spent a lot of time on the sidelines. Wilkie continued his stellar season regularly intercepting entries into our defence and then delivering precision passing to teammates. He knocked up 28 touches, 11 marks and six R50s. His sidekick in Allmond was again at his brilliant rebounding best with 24 touches, 3 R50s and 4 I50s. North were soundly beaten in the ruck yet A. Barns (19 touches) and Harvey (three goals including his 100th SANFL goal) made amends around the ground. An aspect the Roosters certainly took from the game is that they can now match any opposition tactics thrown at them with their usually fast-tempo, high-disposal movement balanced by a more cautious, and analytical ball movement to cut through the opposition flood tactics. Debutant Chris Barns was written into the "first kick, first goal" history books – just like his brother did against the same club four years earlier!

Round 7 : Saturday 19 May 2018 at Prospect Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	4.3	5.5	8.6	8.10	58
SOUTH	2.2	7.2	10.5	15.5	95

Goalkickers : M. Thring 2, Harvey 1, McDonough 1, Allmond 1, Spina 1, Wilkie 1, Hender 1
Umpires : J. Broadbent, T. Burke, M. Scott
Crowd : 1,882

The bye (due to the State match) seemed to effect North's attitude and intensity as they could not match South Adelaide's chip and run ball movement, tall timber and harder running. North had the first break in the scores with two late goals in the first term however an accurate South opened their lead in a dominant second term. The second half was frustrating for the red-and-whites as they could never seem to obtain control of the match yet midway through the third term were still only one goal behind. A poor and inaccurate last term summed the match up when their 0.4 to South's accurate 5.0 indicated the difference in efficiency for both teams. North's inability to win centre clearances despite winning their share of hit-outs was a clear concern as well as South's ease of clearing their D50. An indication of where the majority of the game was played is shown that two of the top three possession-winners (Smith – 25, C. Craig – 23) are tall defenders. Their performances were gallant despite the constant barrage they received. Schwarz and M. Thring (especially early including goaling from one of North's best plays of the day) battled tirelessly but could not hit the high standards they have placed on themselves as Allmond (in his 150th SANFL game) continued to thwart opposition attacks. Young' played his 50th SANFL match. Whilst the performance was North's most disappointing since Round 1 they remain top of the table.

Round 8 : Saturday 26 May 2018 at Alberton Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	5.1	11.3	13.7	17.9	111
MAGPIES	1.2	1.4	2.7	4.8	32

Goalkickers : Barns 8, Ramsey 2, Ryswyk 2, Young 2, M. Thring 1, Allmond 1, Hender 1
Umpires : J. Broadbent, R. Hundertmark, G. Lewis
Crowd : 2,378

On the back of a fully-committed, determined mindset, resilient defence, crisp ball movement and an undisciplined opposition North wiped their surprising poor performance the previous week to produce quality football to completely dissemble an 18 AFL-listed Magpie contingent with a first-half that was simply sweet football to witness. After scoring an early break late in the first term due to the Magpies poor discipline North broke the game open with a six-goal to nil second term with the lanky Alex Barns stealing the show. He kicked four goals during the term:

the second a deadly accurate pearler from the boundary before two goals in quick succession from outside the 50m arc – the second on the run to complete a splendid chain of North players moving the ball from defence. His performance of 20 kicks, 12 marks and a personal best 8.1 was reward for his own efforts as well as his teammates around him who were keen on sharing the ball amongst them in order to obtain the ultimate result. From the experienced Allmond (26 disposals and a goal) and the durable Clisby (19 touches) who was unyielding in his defensive tasks to young Maris Olekalns (23 disposals, 12 marks) everyone performed their role. Whilst the opposition over-possessed North were clear on their movement. The defence deserved extra credit to negate Port to one goal until late in the third term. C. Craig and Smith again led the rebound and aerial domination as debutant Jared Deep slotted in well across the centre.

Round 9: Bye

Round 10 : Monday 11 June 2018 at Glenelg Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot	Goalkickers : Spina 3, Ramsey 3, Hender 2, Tropiano 1, McDonough 1, Schwarz 1, Harvey 1
NORTH	3.3	5.5	9.8	12.10	82	Umpires : J. Broadbent, A. Crosby, S. Morgan
GLENELG	2.3	5.6	7.6	11.6	72	Crowd : 2,360

The traditional Queen's Holiday Monday bout between North and Glenelg continued in a gritty contest with the Roosters holding off the Tigers for a 10-point victory. With a difficult breeze playing on the players the game remained tight with neither team able to string any continuity. After a tight first half North broke the game open when they kicked the first three goals of the third term to stretch to a 20-point margin. From then to the end of the game it was an arm wrestle as it appeared as one team kicked it was replied by the other immediately. Midway through the last term Glenelg's two goals in succession brought the game under a goal before a calm Spina kicked an important goal with a few minutes remaining. North's used the final minutes to play "hands off" ball possession until the final siren sounded. North were once again led by their tenacious captain M. Thring who celebrated his 100th game with a 28-possession performance to lead the midfield in determination and persistence. Despite losing the ruck and clearances Thring and fellow gut-busting follower Tropiano never allowed the situation to get out of hand. His 26-disposals, 12 crunching tackles and a goal not only forced or provided North the ball into their ownership but earned him the Dean Higgins medal for the Most Courageous player on the field. North's defence continued to handle most D50 and their team work cannot be questioned. Like previous weeks the talls in Smith (20 disposals, nine marks) and C. Craig (23 disposals, eight marks) controlled their opposition but also commenced much of the drive for the Roosters while 99-gamer Clisby kept the SANFL leading goalkicker goalless. Up forward the surprise yet incredibly important Spina snapped two brilliant goals before kicking the sealer while Ramsey – though quiet in the first half – was crucial to kick three goals when they were needed. It wasn't as pretty as other wins but the type of game proved a great opportunity for North to battle under different match circumstances – and still walk away with the two points.

Round 11 : Sunday 17 June 2018 at Prospect Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot	Goalkickers : Ramsey 2, McInerney 2, McDonough 2, A. Barns 2, Young 1, Allmond 1, M. Thring 1, C. Craig 1, Ryswyk 1, Harvey 1
NORTH	3.2	10.8	12.10	14.11	95	Umpires : R. Hundertmark, T. Philp, T. Burke
CENTRAL	2.3	6.5	11.7	13.8	86	Crowd : 2,179

North withstood rain and a Bulldogs late second-half fightback to win their third successive match in a see-sawing and demanding clash at Prospect. North's first quarter was as important as any to lead at the first break despite kicking against a six-goal wind although North's first opportunity with the wind was initially showing no advantage on the scoreboard until a late rush from the 25-minute mark produced 3.2 – including a great 50m running goal from defender C. Craig – that broke the game open at the main break. Central dragged scores back during the next quarter before a 50m sliding goal by Harvey giving North some breathing room at the last change. North entered the last quarter with rain but the wind had dissipated. In a slog-fest final term it was young Sam McInerney who kicked North's last two goals – including the sealer – that kept North ahead at the final term. North were impeded in the centre without their two tackling machines: Schwarz not playing and Tropiano off from quarter time due to injury – and this allowed Central to dominate the clearances. Despite this and the less possessions North were cleaner with their disposal and smarter in their forward movement with a mixed range of goalkickers completing the task. Wilkie continued his great SANFL career with another polished and poised match with 23 possessions, nine marks and six D50. Further up field Allmond kept his unbelievable first season for North continuing playing multiple roles and gathering another 23 possessions – 14 contested and kicking a goal while captain courageous' stellar season was again on display with 23 possessions and six R60. McDonough's season gained momentum fulfilling his role and whilst not as high in possession as others maximises them to bring teammates into play. With the highest amount of past players watching from the sidelines for many years – including quite a number from the past decade – the win was enjoyed by all who witnessed it.

Round 12 : Saturday 23 June 2018 at Richmond Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot	Goalkickers : Harvey 2, Hender 2, Ryswyk 2, McDonough 1, M. Thring 1, A. Barns 1, Schwarz 1, McInerney 1, Tropiano 1, Ramsey 1
NORTH	2.2	9.5	10.13	13.17	95	Umpires : A. Crosby, J. Broadbent, M. Sboro
WEST	3.1	6.4	7.5	7.5	47	Crowd : 1,823

A tardy first quarter and a sloppy goalkicking effort in the second half was adequately covered by a resounding 48-point victory when North held their opposition to 1.1 in a second half domination. North's run was on display from the second quarter despite some clangers when moving the ball to teammates but a clear control of the afternoon was evident with 11 players collecting more than 20 disposals for the game. North's run from defence was relentless and their attack on the opposition forced turnovers and errors which North capitalised on – albeit many becoming behinds in a 1.8 third quarter. The captain was once again inspirational with his gut-running, support for his band of teammates and his 39 possessions showcased his willingness to run all day around the entire ground however his eight I50 proved he was most damaging bring the ball into North's forward lines. Allmond was again relentless with 31 possessions, his cool brain often assisting the team in getting out of picky situations. In the air North were formidable with Wilkie (14 marks), Ryswyk (13), Allmond (11), A. Barns and Clisby (10) all reaching double figure in a club record 151 marks. North's willingness to share the ball produced 426 disposals – the 4th highest by North in all recorded matches.

North's 10 goalkickers showcased their ability to share the ball and give opposition defenders further headaches. The highlight of the game came in the last quarter when our veteran forward Ryswyk took an absolute pearler high mark that took him into the clouds. His goal from the kick was a true reward and deserving for a moment that will be talked about for years by all that saw it.

Round 13 : Sunday 8 July 2018 at Prospect Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	4.1	6.2	9.6	12.8	80
STURT	6.1	9.2	12.6	16.11	107

Goalkickers : A. Barns 5, Hender 3, Young 1, Allmond 1, Quinn 1, Wilkie 1

Umpires : A. Crosby, J. Broadbent, S. Morgan

Crowd : 2,971

North suffered a post-bye tardy start in its clash against Sturt – a team pushing North for a top three position – and the complacent first term proved North's demise on a windy afternoon. Before North got out of first gear Sturt had already kicked four goals and North were compelled to play catch-up for the rest of the game. Despite a few comebacks – including a third quarter attempt on the back of a three-goal purple patch by A. Barns – North could never totally bridge the gap and Sturt ran out comfortable winners. Whilst the midfield have been outstanding throughout the season they allowed their opposition to dictate stoppage and centre bounce authority (partly due to North's cattle down a midfield with Tropiano injured early) while the team overall were poor in their intensity and defensive pressures. A Barns continued his break-out season with 19 disposals, 13 hit-outs and five goals while Clisby was resourceful all day rebounding from defence.

Round 14 : Saturday 14 July 2018 at Prospect Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	1.0	3.2	5.5	8.10	58
EAGLES	7.4	11.8	14.12	18.13	121

Goalkickers : Hender 2, Harvey 2, Thring 1, Ryswyk 1, A. Barns 1, McDonough 1

Umpires : J. Broadbent, C. Bowen, G. Lewis

Crowd : 2,194

For successive weeks North faced a finals-fancied opponent and in successive weeks were made to look second rate after a mediocre first quarter put the life out of the game and North's hopes of victory. With a chance to prove the previous weekends poor performance was an misapprehension North did the opposite when it simply put no counter-attack on the Eagles from the first bounce and allowed them to kick 5.4 before time-on commenced. Whilst the Eagles were going with a very strong wind many of the Eagles seven goals for the first term were direct from North turnovers or sloppy ball use. With the wind in the second term the Roosters were still outscored to trail by 54 points at the main break. North were again second-doubting their ability, looked flat and had no drive with a lack of handballs received non-existent. James Craig returned to the side starting forward but provided some contest in the ruck when, for the first time this season, we won the hit-out statistics. C. Craig (18 disposals, 11 marks) and Wilkie (22 disposals, eight marks) tried valiantly in defence, Allmond was tireless and effective with his 27 disposals however the forward line failed to score a competitive target.

Round 15 : Saturday 21 July 2018 at Noarlunga Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	3.2	4.2	9.4	9.6	60
SOUTH	3.2	9.5	11.7	15.11	101

Goalkickers : Rozee 3, Hender 3, Spina 1, Woodcock 1, Tropiano 1

Umpires : T. Bryce, D. Sobieraj, C. Bowen

Crowd : 1,267

The Roosters travelled South with a fresh new line-up that would hopefully curve the downfall that has seen North drop from top to third in successive weeks. North entered the game with an inexperienced side with Allmond (suspension), Young (injured), Ryswyk and McDonough (reserves) missing and replaced by three newcomers – Keanu Miller, Jake Wohling and Boyd Woodcock - and the four-gamer Rozee taking the field. It was clear early that both the lack of experience and the body size between the two teams would have an impact which widened when J. Craig re-injured his hamstring and remained on the sidelines before half time. North's use of the wind in the first term was nowhere near the required amount and by quarter time the sides remained level. South proved the advantages of using the wind in the second term when in blew the game apart at the main break. North could never gain any momentum and could not compete with South in the air. For the second time in three weeks North's last quarter fade-out was concerning when they did not register a goal and the margin became an unflattering 41 points as South kicked four goals in the last 15 minutes of play. Wilkie was consistent, his 24 disposals and 11 marks indicated his efforts in trying to negate any attacks into our defence, Schwarz got back to his aggressive best with 13 tackles and 17 possessions, and Woodcock showed some spirit with 16 possessions and a goal in his first game.

Round 16 : Saturday 28 July 2018 at Prospect Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	5.1	10.4	15.7	22.9	141
ADELAIDE	4.1	11.2	16.4	19.7	121

Goalkickers : Ryswyk 4, Woodcock 4, Hender 3, Ramsey 3, Olekalns, 2, Harvey 2, A. Barns 1, M. Thring 1, Rozee 1, Deep 1

Umpires : C. Bowen, M. Sboro, S. Morgan

Crowd : 1,726

North Adelaide and Adelaide's clash at Prospect provided a highly entertaining match that included open play, quick movement and goals galore that had the scoreboard attendant working like he has never worked for years. A joint contribution of 41 goals was kicked while both sides registered over 100 points. The excitement was not caused solely on the goal frenzy but during the course of the afternoon the lead changed an incredible 13 times before North cleared away in the last quarter to run out 20-point victors. Clisby's consistent season continued as he was unwavering in defence and lead the club's disposals with 24, Ryswyk played his best game for the season with 15 possessions and four goals and youngster Woodcock showed promise and great goalkicking ability, chiming in with four clever goals. The history books were out after the record score noting it was the first North game since 2011 that the opposition's losing score was over 100 points. The supporters and fans certainly thoroughly enjoyed a game that took us back to the 1970s and 1980s... for those old enough to remember. The win also secured North place in the top five and were finals-bound for the first time since 2013.

Round 17 : Sunday 5 August 2018 at Prospect Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot	Goalkickers : Rozee 2, Tropiano 2, Quinn 1, Olekalns 1, Schwarz 1, Ryswyk 1
NORTH	2.1	4.2	6.3	8.5	53	Umpires : C. Bowen, M. Scott, T. Bryce
GLENELG	2.2	5.7	7.7	8.8	56	Crowd : 1,744

North's second half questionable form continued after a three-point loss to Glenelg in a low-scoring, muddy affair. Growing concerns were North's lack of intensity – clearly the opposite of Glenelg's who appeared more invested in the contest. Despite the margin never boarding over two to three goals North never appeared to look threatening and even in the final 10 minutes of the game when North finally controlled proceedings and were consistently penetrating their 150s still could not put it on the scoreboard. Wilkie was great; collecting 28 disposals and a remarkable 14 marks as Allmond's 33 disposals (29 of them kicks) was collected by second and third efforts, reading the play and hard work. Spina was creative with his 24 touches and Smith continued to be a rock in defence. The loss was North's fourth in five matches and put great doubt of a double chance opportunity.

Round 18 : Friday 17 August 2018 at Norwood Oval (night)

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot	Goalkickers : Ramsey 2, Woodcock 1, Schwarz 1, Sweet 1, Harvey 1, Rozee 1, Spina 1, Tropiano 1
NORTH	1.4	6.8	8.9	9.10	64	Umpires : J. Broadbent, T. Philp, M. Harris
NORWOOD	2.5	4.8	7.12	11.13	79	Crowd : 3,481

North's penultimate minor round match for 2018 was a night fixture against the league leaders Norwood who had not lost a match since their demise at Prospect Oval in Round four. After a slow start North came out strong in the second term especially late in the term to kick five goals to two and take a small but positive lead at the main break. North held sway during the third term with their quick ball movement, attacking attitude and persistence against Norwood's uncontested, over possessive possession game. However late in the third term North lost their rhythm and appeared to lose the positive mindset which allowed Norwood late goals and a return into the match. In the final quarter North battled manfully but was clearly beaten by a more composed team. C. Craig continued to thwart opposition attacks as he has throughout the season whilst his fellow defending colleague Smith was once again reliable. Tropiano was damaging and hard in the midfield with 23 touches and seven bone-crashing tackles, Olekalns produced a solid four-quarter performance and Ramsey was a threat up forward. During the week North's loveable and fan-favourite stalwart and 200-gamer Ryswyk announced his retirement at the end of the season which sadly appears to look premature when a rib injury during the first half of the match left him on the sidelines with scepticism he'd play again this season.

Round 19 : Saturday 25 August 2018 at Prospect Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot	Goalkickers : Hender 3, Harvey 3, Woodcock 2, Ramsey 1, Young 1, McNerney 1
NORTH	4.5	6.8	7.10	11.12	78	Umpires : J. Broadbent, G. Lewis, M. Harris
MAGPIES	2.1	7.4	10.7	11.8	74	Crowd : 2,201

The final minor round match result was not clear until after the final siren when the Magpies' set shot for goal after the siren went awry and North held onto a four-point victory. Prior to the exciting finale spectators were treated a pleasurable game which ebbed and flowed throughout the afternoon. Whilst the first two quarters were enthralling – despite North claiming an ascendancy before the Magpies hit the lead before the main break – the second half included an increased tempo and all-ground running from both teams before the Magpies spilt the scores to hold a rewarding 15-point break at the last change. North were quick to whittle away the deficit and three successive goals – the last from a Hender 50m goal – put North in front... temporarily. The Magpies returned serve by goaling quickly before Ramsey again put the Roosters ahead just before time-on as North held out until after the final siren. Tropiano's first season has been exceptional and he was no different in this match with 24 possessions and another incredible 14 cement-like tackles as his midfielding collaborator Schwarz was also superb with 25 disposals and eight tackles. Young McNerney's 21 touches were effective as Wilkie continued his breakout season with 14 kicks, 10 marks and six handballs. The result left North in fifth position... and into the finals series.

Elimination Final : Sunday 2 September 2018 at Adelaide Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot	Goalkickers : Harvey 4, Hender 2, Spina 2, M. Thring 1, Olekalns 1, Young 1, A. Barns 1, McNerney 1, Ramsey 1
NORTH	1.3	7.4	8.6	14.6	90	Umpires : J. Broadbent, R. Hundertmark, T. Medlin
SOUTH	3.3	4.5	9.9	10.10	70	Crowd : 8,632 (Double-Header)

A brilliant four-goal second quarter by powerful forward Harvey was the catapult for North's stunning victory over the more fancied South Adelaide in the Roosters first final since the 2013 Grand Final. In a see-sawing, attractive contest the second quarter blitz opened the game for North before South fought back in the third term to lead by nine-points at the last break. North's last quarter was breath-taking with slick skills, team unity, a polished game plan with a clear confidence in each team-mate that produced a six-goal term (out of seven goals in the quarter) to defeat the Panthers – who had easily defeated North in the two minor round games – by 20 points. Spina was superb around the ground with 22 disposals, two vital goals but also his smooth magnetism kept players settled around him. Smith was once again impassable in defence with 10 marks, 17 kicks and eight handballs, Harvey's second term was critical in the outcome and Young's attitude efforts in the 1% moments were inspiring. The game was Schwarz's 50th game for North. A club total of 92 tackles underlined the player's ferociousness toward their adversaries as the Roosters surged to the second week of the finals series.

First Semi Final : Sunday 9 September 2018 at Adelaide Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	5.2	8.7	12.11	16.15	111
STURT	2.1	6.2	8.3	8.5	53

Goalkickers : Hender 5, Woodcock 2, Ramsey 2, Spina 2, A. Barns 1, M. Thring 1, Wilkie 1, McInerney 1, Sweet 1
Umpires : R. Hundertmark, C. Bowen, A. Crosby
Crowd : 13,102 (Double-Header)

The red-and-white finals tsunami gained colossal momentum after the Roosters smashed the reigning premiers Sturt by a whopping 58 points to move into the Preliminary Final. From the first bounce North Adelaide were brilliant: ruthless, committed, passionate, skilful and full of run, run, run – this was North Adelaide playing their best football for years. With the dynamic Hender causing mayhem in attack, Clisby the ‘cool as a cucumber’ defender controlling the backline and the uncompromising, tough Tropiano dominating the clearances North were in control of every section of the ground. A five-goal first term set the tone before a second half domination saw North kick 8.8 to 2.0 in a barnstorming victory. Hender kicked five goals (three in the final term) within his 25 disposals, Clisby gathered 24 possession and 10 marks in the back 50M and Tropiano collected 15 kicks and 19 handballs around the packs. Smith, Woodcock and Allmond were also main contributors. Young AFL Draft prospect Rozee did his AFL aspirations no harm with a stunning 24 disposals and 10 marks.

Preliminary Final : Sunday 16 September 2018 at Adelaide Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	1.3	2.5	7.6	15.10	100
EAGLES	4.1	7.4	10.8	14.11	95

Goalkickers : Ramsey 3, Woodcock 3, Young 3, Harvey 2, Hender 1, McInerney 1, Olekalns 1, Schwarz 1
Umpires : J. Broadbent, T. Medlin, M. Harris
Crowd : 7,419

A Preliminary Final that will be placed in the record books and remain etched in SANFL folklore for so many reasons saw the mighty Roosters come from the depths of a huge deficit to produce an incredible, stirring second-half performance and run out winners by less than a goal. A great crowd witnessed a match of two halves with the much-fancied Eagles dominating the first half – and early in the third term – before North began the almighty comeback. After the Eagles kicked the first three goals of the third quarter North were 47-points in arrears (the scores 17 points to 64) and looked down and out with the Grand Final seemingly a game too far. However the Roosters, riding on the back of the inspired “never-say-never” Young, started to gain some ascendancy to kick some goals in succession and finally built momentum of their own. By the time the siren ended the quarter North had kicked the last five goals to leave them behind by a margin of 20 points – still outsiders for victory but a margin to evoke some belief. And belief was what North had as they continued into the final quarter with a barrage of goals – including a passage of seven goals in a brilliant 12-minute burst that contained an incredible snap by Woodcock over his shoulder – that not only thrust them into the lead but to a 22-point lead. Late goals to the Eagles put the margin back to less than a goal before the final siren brought euphoric scenes to the Roosters faithful. Throughout the miracle comeback the Roosters suffered the loss of vice-captain Spina (broken collarbone) and captain Thring (leg) but were superbly led by Wilkie (30 possessions, 12 marks) relentless in defence, the tireless tackle-machine Tropiano (20 disposals and a staggering 15 strong tackles) a workhorse in the trenches, and Ramsey, Woodcock and Young constant annoyances for the Eagles defence with three goals each. It was not until late that evening when the controversial 19th man appeal was raised and North had to endure a worrying 24 hours before they were handed down a fine and a loss of four premiership points for the 2019 season... but were cleared to play in the Grand Final!!!!!!

Grand Final : Sunday 23 September 2018 at Adelaide Oval

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tot
NORTH	5.0	9.4	14.7	19.10	124
NORWOOD	3.7	7.11	12.14	15.15	105

Goalkickers : A. Barns 4, Harvey 3, Woodcock 3, McInerney 3, Hender 2, Sweet 1, Ramsey 1, Young 1, Wilkie 1
Umpires : C. Bowen, T. Medlin, M. Harris
Crowd : 40,355

North Adelaide are PREMIERS for 2018 after a high-scoring, high-skilled and highly entertaining encounter in front of a record 40,355. North were clearly the underdogs with Norwood in a perfect position as North dealt with the controversy following the preliminary final and having lost their VC Spina to injury and their passionate captain Thring under an injury cloud throughout the week. In an absorbing battle where the lead ebbed and flowed throughout the match North's start could not have been better with Harvey goaling in the first minute of the match. Accuracy was important and it kept the Roosters in the game when Norwood had periods of controlling the match. With nothing in the game at the final break North Adelaide's fitness, passion, skill under pressure and the simple belief and confidence in each other proved to be the nucleus to run away in the final quarter when the red-and-whites kicked 5.3 to 3.1 to win by an 19 points. North were simply a champion team with everyone playing their role when required perfectly. Tom Schwarz was tough, relentless and consistent he collected 26 possessions and seven tackles to be a thorn for Norwood. His seasonal partner in crime in the packs, Tropiano, could not have produced a better debut season and his brilliant finals series concluded with a typical Tropiano match: 19 contested disposals and another 10 strong tackles. The unheralded Castree, the less highlighted recruit, was superb running out of defence with defiance and confidence picking up 25 disposals along the way. In attack North were jam-packed full of scoring potential and all the main stars: Barns (four goals), Harvey (three), Woodcock (three) and Hender (two) were ruthless in their potency on the scoreboard but their defensive mindset was also evident. Youngster Jordon Sweet held his own in ruck against a more experienced and bigger foe. The victory was even more historic having been the first from the Elimination Final to win since 1984, and the first since 1964 to come from bottom the previous year to premiers (North won as many finals games as they won for the whole 2017 season). Add the icing was North's youth with Wohling (4th match), Sweet (8th) and Woodcock (9th) now premiership players. The victory followed the North Adelaide Reserves team who won their Grand Final as well against Norwood earlier in the day and a fitting farewell for veteran Leigh Ryswyk who could not get up from injury for the league but was able to play in this match.

Firstly, I want to sincerely thank the loyal Roosters members and supporters for carrying us through a great finals campaign, it was a time I will never forget. I remember writing last year how we fell short in several matches in 2017 with narrow losses from late in the match, and a key for our preparation for 2018 was to be able to maintain the pressure and intensity for the whole match, ensuring we were always a chance. It was certainly one of the many focusses for 2018 that we feel was critical in our Premiership success. The other areas were the continued development of our young players, the improvement of our senior players and the role our new recruits would play.

The season started as we had planned and hoped, apart from round one of course! That game proved to be exactly what we needed in hindsight, it made us understand that good trial form along with a solid pre-season campaign is of no benefit unless you

bring attitude, pressure and intensity. The following week against West Adelaide we delivered it all and set ourselves back in the right direction as we prepared for the top teams the following few weeks. To get to the mid-season milestone on top of the ladder was great, but it didn't guarantee the good form would continue in the face of a few key injuries and some poor weather. We soon found ourselves struggling to cope with the oppositions pressure resulting in a loss of confidence and a few question marks around some players who had previously been very good. Whilst we suffered 4 losses over the last 6 rounds, we did gather some momentum along the way which would prove important. I felt our season turned once we knew we would play finals footy, and we would be playing South Adelaide in the Elimination Final. I can now admit that our preparation for the last 2 rounds against Norwood and Port Adelaide were really all about playing South Adelaide in the first final, hence I why brought in some young boys into those matches and moved a few roles around. We had seen South play a couple of times through the year, and we all know what our form had been like against them over the past 4 or 5 years, so we needed to be fully prepared for them. In the back of our minds, we also knew that if we could get past South, we were a chance. When looking back, the decisions to bring in Boyd Woodcock, Connor Rozee and Jordon Sweet were more than satisfying and gave us some real energy when we most needed it. Those 3 players were crucial in the way we lined up through the finals with Connor going back, Jordon working aggressively in ruck allowing Alex Barns to play forward, and Boyd playing the small defensive forward role.

In a Premiership year, you expect that the AFL Clubs would have more chance to look over your players and the likelihood of extra interest surfaces, and I am proud that we could produce 5 premiership team players who can now begin their journey at AFL level. They all have their own story, and we can now take a special interest in their progress and challenges, and be there for them if they need us.

Special thanks to our Head of Development Jacob Surjan who came in and gave the group real enthusiasm and energy right from the start. His work with our Reserves Premiership team all season was fantastic, and the development of our defensive game at League level was a vital ingredient to the ultimate success achieved. Also thanks to Trent Mills our Midfield Coach for bringing real experience and professionalism to the group. Trent is a winner, he sets high standards and expectations of his players and they follow him. Thanks again to Craig Brooks for his work with the Under 18 programs and the junior development squad support he gave, and also for assisting us on match day in the box. Darryl Wintle has worked hard all year to ensure we are fully prepared off field regards our playing list requirements, support staff and our medical and training staff, and thanks to our CEO Greg Edwards and our Board for all their support and understanding of our needs. Of course, a big thanks to all of our support staff, we have the best in the business!

We now face the big challenge of 2019, the competition is getting harder and as the reigning premier, we will be hunted more than ever. Rest assured, we are hungry and remain the hunter! See you in 2019!



COACHES REPORT JOSH CARR

LEAGUE AWARD WINNERS



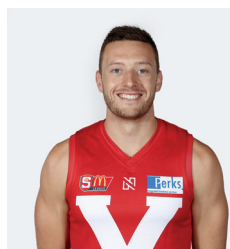
Barrie Robran
Club Champion Medal
Callum Wilkie



**Patrons Trophy for
Club Champion Runner Up
Best Finals Player**
Aidan Tropiano



Third Best Player
Mitch Clisby



Best Team Man
Cameron Craig



Coaches Trophy
Alex Spina



Most Improved Player
Sam McInerney



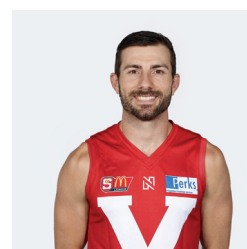
**CL Jessop Trophy for
League Most Consistent
Player**
Jarred Allmond



**Don Lindner
Forward of the Year &
Ken Farmer Leading
Goal Kicker**
Lewis Hender



**RD Lush Young Player of the
Year & The City of Prospect
Encouragement Award**
Mackenzie Slee



**John Phillips Memorial
Trophy**
Leigh Ryswyk





2018 NAFC LEAGUE PLAYER SUMMARY

Coach: J.J Carr **Captain:** M.P Thring **Vice Captain:** A.J. Spina **Finished:** Premiers

NO.	PLAYER	DOB	DEBUT	GAMES 2018	GAMES TOTAL	GOALS 2018	GOALS TOTAL	CLUB VOTES	MAGAREY MEDAL
11	Allmond, Jarred S.	26/6/1990	2018	21	21	6	6	147	12
2	Appleton, Matthew D.	14/2/1993	2017	15	24	0	2	43	0
4	Barns, Alexander P.	18/5/1993	2014	22	69	29	98	143	5
35	Barns, Christopher J.	21/6/1996	2018	1	1	1	1	0	0
23	Castree, Brock A.	9/11/1994	2018	22	22	0	0	90	0
10	Clisby, Mitchell A.	5/1/1990	2010	22	112	0	10	148	0
5	Craig, Cameron L.	12/10/1994	2013	22	85	1	3	130	0
36*	Craig, James L.	18/4/1991	2009	2	113	0	13	0	0
28	Deep, Jared -	14/8/1998	2018	5	5	1	1	12	0
49	Driscoll, Frazer W.	23/7/1997	2017	1	3	0	1	0	0
17	Harvey, Mitchell J.	17/8/1995	2016	22	49	34	77	129	0
45	Helyar, Blake J.	30/6/1994	2017	1	3	0	0	4	0
19	Hender, Lewis K.	13/9/1993	2016	21	52	42	96	108	0
9	McDonough, Matthew D.	26/1/1994	2016	12	39	8	23	42	0
39	McInerney, Samuel J.	30/3/1996	2017	19	28	16	21	91	0
49	Miller, Keanu K.	17/6/1996	2018	1	1	0	0	0	0
42	Nixon, Dakota D.	3/9/1998	2017	1	3	1	1	0	0
33	Olekals, Maris H.D.	29/8/1997	2016	22	36	5	12	89	2
37	Quinn, Mark W.	1/1/1997	2017	5	22	8	23	18	0
3	Ramsey, Keenan G.	23/8/1996	2017	18	36	30	42	106	3
48	Rozee, Connor R.	22/1/2000	2018	12	12	11	11	50	0
32	Ryswyk, Leigh J.	16/1/1985	2006	11	226	13	223	45	0
15	Schwarz, Thomas J.	30/7/1993	2016	21	53	7	18	143	1
53	Slee, Mackenzie T.	19/6/1999	2018	18	18	0	0	55	0
7	Smith, Tanner J.	8/3/1994	2017	22	40	0	19	143	0
21	Spina, Alexander J.	27/6/1995	2015	21	69	13	26	103	0
40	Sweet, Jordon R.	2/2/1998	2017	6	8	3	5	27	0
30	Thring, Maximillian P.	16/2/1992	2011	19	110	14	89	138	15
1	Tropiano, Aidan T.	21/10/1992	2018	22	22	11	11	166	10
26	Wilkie, Callum S.N.	10/3/1996	2015	22	63	5	15	171	5
20	Wohling, Jake T.	27/5/1998	2018	4	4	0	0	12	0
27	Woodcock, Boyd L.	5/3/2000	2018	9	9	16	16	58	0
25	Wundke, Samuel T.	25/2/1995	2015	1	29	0	2	2	0
8	Young, Robert J.	2/3/1995	2018	19	19	19	19	85	3
	Players Used: 37			462		294		2498	56

Players who have represented other SANFL clubs are: J. Allmond (143 games, 50 goals with Woodville-West Torrens), B. Castree (11 games, 3 goals with Adelaide/ 4 games with Central District), M. Appleton (23 games, 5 goals with Eagles), A. Barns (2 games, nil goals for Port Magpies), M. Harvey (38 games, 45 goals with Port Magpies), L. Hender (37 games, 39 goals for Glenelg), K. Ramsey (36 games, 30 goals with Adelaide), T. Schwarz (27 games, 7 goals with Eagles), A. Spina (16 games, 9 goals with Adelaide), R. Young (41 games, 39 goals with Port Magpies)

PLAYER ACHIEVEMENTS

Debuts and Recruits

J. Allmond (From Eagles, Rd 1), B. Castree (From Adelaide, Rd 1), A. Tropiano (Rd 1), R. Young (From Port Magpies, Rd 1), M. Slee (Rd 2), C. Rozee (Rd 5), C. Barns (Rd 6), J. Deep (Rd 8), K. Miller (Rd 15), J. Wohling (Rd 15), B. Woodcock (Rd 15)

Milestones

150 Games : J. Allmond # (Rd 7)

100 Games : M. Thring (Rd 10), M. Clisby (Rd 11)

50 Games: A. Barns # (Rd 1), A. Spina * (Rd 2), A. Barns * (Rd 3). C. Wilkie (Rd 10), R. Young # (Rd 10), T. Schwarz * (Elim Final), L. Hender * (1st SF)

100 Goals : L. Hender # (Rd 5), M. Harvey # (Rd 6)

50 Goals : M. Harvey * (Rd 3), K. Ramsey # (Rd 3), R. Young # (Rd 8)

* NAFC matches only/ # Includes previous clubs details

RIZZA'S RECORD

Leigh Ryswk's career has been deservedly recognised and is a record that sits highly in NAFC history. With his last match completed his record, and where it places him on each list, is one to note remembering over 1400 players have represented the club. His 226 games sits 8th in NAFC premiership games played whilst his 223 goals leaves him 13th in North's all-time goalkicking list. Leigh has recorded the most game and goals in the No. 32 jumper and is 9th in most finals games. He finished with 2692 kicks (9th in recorded history), 1409 marks (3rd), 1182 handballs (18th), and 3874 disposals (11th). He played with 191 teammates with Clint Alleway (112), Luke Ivens (110), George Thring (103), James Craig (102) and Cohen Thiele (102) playing over 100 games alongside him.

2018 NAFC RESERVES PLAYER SUMMARY

Coach: Jacob Surjan **Captain:** Shared Role **Finished:** Premiers

NO.	PLAYER	DOB	GAMES 2018	GAMES TOTAL	GOALS 2018	GOALS TOTAL	CLUB VOTES	MAGAREY MEDAL
41	Agorastos, Strato	24/2/96	12	12	28	28	25	0
51	Aldridge, Dylan	12/5/96	20	20	0	0	31	0
61	Aplin, Daniel	29/5/99	2	5	0	0	0	0
2	Appleton, Matthew	14/2/93	5	12	0	2	18	0
35	Barns, Christopher	21/6/96	20	38	26	54	42	3
44	Brereton, Eric	1/2/99	12	15	0	0	16	0
45	Chapman, Oscar	28/3/99	14	15	14	16	28	0
36	Craig, James	18/4/91	5	26	5	19	7	0
18	Darrou, Ben	25/11/93	15	18	0	0	29	0
28	Deep, Jared	14/8/98	15	15	4	4	47	1
57	Denham, Bryce	17/1/99	7	10	1	3	4	0
62	Draper, Chris	12/2/99	1	1	0	0	0	0
22	Driscoll, Frazer	23/7/97	13	28	3	6	30	0
16	Helyar, Blake	30/6/94	17	48	27	66	41	3
58	Hilder, Dyson	31/3/01	1	1	0	0	1	0
12	Kirk, Brayden	25/2/98	18	27	6	12	49	5
38	Lower, Max	6/7/98	21	21	5	5	81	3
43	Marini, Mitchell	29/11/98	8	8	4	4	10	0
52	Matsouladis, Thomas	26/10/98	11	24	2	3	21	3
9	McDonough, Matthew	26/1/94	8	10	2	4	25	3
39	McInerney, Samuel	30/3/96	3	28	2	17	13	4
49	Miller, Keanu	17/6/96	16	16	17	17	36	1
34	Minervini, Lee	7/5/98	21	38	2	4	45	0
42	Nixon, Dakota	3/9/98	19	37	11	16	60	5
31	Oborn, Ben	30/10/99	6	7	1	1	12	0
59	O'Leary, Jay	24/1/99	11	11	3	3	14	0
56	Purser, Bryce	10/2/98	1	7	0	0	1	0
6	Quinn, Mark	1/1/97	11	63	5	40	39	2
37	Rogers, Thomas	4/10/98	1	15	0	1	0	0
48	Rozee, Connor	22/1/00	3	7	3	5	8	0
32	Ryswyk, Leigh	16/1/85	3	7	2	10	10	3
47	Schwarz, James	13/3/95	19	19	11	11	72	10
53	Slee, Mackenzie	19/6/99	1	3	0	0	2	0
55	Stengle, Anthony	23/4/97	5	5	5	5	9	0
40	Sweet, Jordon	2/2/98	13	42	5	15	30	3
50	Szekely, Frank	13/8/99	21	23	21	22	49	3
46	Verity, Liam	11/3/96	20	20	36	36	45	3
20	Wohling, Jake	27/5/98	18	36	1	5	52	6
27	Woodcock, Boyd	5/3/00	4	8	6	7	16	5
25	Wundke, Samuel	25/2/95	19	74	0	1	36	0
8	Young, Robert	2/3/95	1	1	0	0	1	0
Players Used: 41			441		258		1055	66

CENTURY WIN

North Adelaide's 138-point victory against West Adelaide was certainly one to savour for the Rooster faithful. It was North's first win over 100 points since 2013 when we defeated South Adelaide by 105 points – 26.11 to 8.14. We then have to travel back to Round 22, 2007 for the next most recent 100-point win. In that game North defeated West Adelaide 22.15 to 6.7 to win by 104 points. Out of the 24 occasions North had a triple-digit win the Round 2 138 points is the 4th highest – still 40 point behinds North's 178-point annihilation against South Adelaide in 1972 (34.22 to 6.12).

GOALS GALORE

The Round 16 scoring shootout against Adelaide resulted in both North Adelaide (141 points) and Adelaide (121) both registering over 100-point for the match. This is the 226th time in North's 2343 games that this has taken place with the previous occurrence in Round 2 2012 at Prospect when South (119) defeated North (104). The first match North was part of a game when both clubs cleared over 100 points was in Round 6, 1932 when Port 16.15 (111) defeated North 17.8 (110) by 1 point. Ken Farmer kicked 12.4 in the loss.



RESERVES COACHES REPORT JACOB SURJAN

What a successful season it was for our Reserves in season 2018. We won the ultimate team prize. All the credit needs to go to the outstanding attitude of the players at our club. What makes my job so pleasing is watching the individuals achieve their own personal goals of wanting to become league footballers but also putting in the work. To all the players who achieved their goal of becoming a league footballer this season congratulations and well done. Remember it's not how you start your career at the Roosters but how you finish it. Continue to keep working hard at your individual game but also the team game.

2018 saw 41 players represent the North Adelaide Football Club at Reserves level. With a young group we finished with 12 wins and experienced finals football winning all 3 games & the Reserves premiership.

Congratulations to this year's trophy winners – Max Lower (Best and Fairest), James Schwarz (Runner Up), Dakota Nixon (3rd best player), Frank Szekely (Most Promising Player), Sam Wundke (Best Team Man), Brayden Kirk (Coaches Trophy) & Max Lower (Reserves Best Finals Player 2018).

Big thank you to all the supporters that are there each week to cheer on our lads. My right-hand man David Bean for his fantastic commitment to the Reserves program but also the league team, Team managers Tim Goodwin, stats man Tim Miller, runner Aidan March, medical and fitness staff, the water boys and girls, Greg Edwards, Darryl Wintle and our admin team, Josh Carr and the senior coaching panel.

Last but not least my wife Ali and children Zander, Anthony & daughter Ilaria for letting me follow my dream. Life of a football administrator/coach can be a tough one but the love I have from you all allows me to keep chasing my dreams but also a huge thank you to all the families of all our staff and players. Let's do it all again next season!

.....RESERVES AWARD WINNERS



**Reserves Fairest & Most Brilliant
Best Finals Player**
Max Lower



Reserves Runner Up
James Schwarz



Reserves Third Best Player
Dakota Nixon



**Doris Boyce Memorial
Best Team Man Award**
Sam Wundke



**J&G Downie Memorial
Coaches Trophy**
Brayden Kirk



Most Promising Player
Frank Szekely



2018 NAFCW PLAYER SUMMARY

Coach: M. Slade **Captain:** L.Tynan **Finished:** 3rd

NO.	PLAYER	DOB	DEBUT	GAMES 2018	GAMES TOTAL	GOALS 2018	GOALS TOTAL	CLUB VOTES	MAGAREY MEDAL
1	Alexander, Emma	4/1/1989	2018	1	1	0	0	0	0
10	Allan, Paige	11/6/1998	2017	11	18	2	7	4	0
12	Altschwager, Jane	25/8/1980	2018	9	9	0	0	33	0
18	Arthur, Brianna	24/9/1999	2018	9	9	0	0	0	0
15	Barltrop, Kelly	28/3/1993	2017	11	17	0	1	0	0
20	Boles, Esther	3/8/2000	2018	11	11	8	8	22	2
22	Bond, Charlotte	29/1/1999	2018	10	10	0	0	23	0
23	Castle, Cristie	8/7/1990	2018	5	5	9	9	5	1
31	Collie, Nicole	13/1/1994	2018	11	11	0	0	29	0
7	Conry, Raquel	30/5/1989	2018	3	3	0	0	0	0
32	Cooper, Amber	20/1/1981	2018	2	2	0	0	0	0
9	Daniel, Lauren	2/1/1988	2017	11	16	2	6	31	1
2	Edwards, Jessica	20/9/1989	2017	6	13	2	3	58	10
17	Ellis, Sarah	3/2/1987	2017	11	17	1	1	28	3
25	Greet, Erica	2/8/1998	2018	7	7	3	3	0	0
29	Hopley, Peta	28/12/1991	2018	2	2	0	0	0	0
26	Maloney, Jenna	21/3/1985	2017	4	6	5	6	0	0
30	Masclet, Chelsea	27/4/1999	2018	1	1	0	0	0	0
5	McDermott, Tara	6/8/1985	2018	1	1	0	0	0	0
6	Pavlovich, Hannah	13/1/1997	2017	2	9	0	0	0	0
19	Perry, Brittany	9/3/1994	2017	9	15	7	12	75	10
27	Radan, Talia	9/5/1988	2018	7	7	2	2	52	2
3	Reynolds, Kathryn	18/3/1983	2017	10	16	2	5	29	0
34	Rosenzweig, Katelyn	29/6/2000	2017	11	17	15	15	40	0
30	Tromans, Emily	6/4/1991	2018	1	1	0	0	0	0
4	Tynan, Leah	18/9/1991	2017	10	17	2	2	34	0
21	Varcoe, Margaret	31/12/1990	2017	9	14	1	1	14	1
8	von Bertouch, Nadia	28/8/1995	2018	11	11	6	6	59	1
24	Ward, Amber	12/10/2001	2018	11	11	0	0	43	0
13	Wells, Rebecca	25/2/1996	2018	2	2	0	0	1	0
16	Woodland, Ashleigh	9/9/1998	2017	11	18	2	8	80	5
Players Used: 31				220		69		660	36

COACHES REPORT MATT SLADE



The 2018 North Adelaide Women's season was promising but ultimately disappointing, losing the Preliminary Final to Norwood. Our minor round campaign was very good, finishing 2nd with 7 wins from 10 games. We were able to produce the highest score and winning margin recorded in the SANFLW competition in the round 5 contest against Sturt, highlighting our ability to kick a competitive score. Unfortunately in the final, we weren't able to produce our best football and our season finished earlier than expected.

On a huge positive, we are proud of how many of our players have made it into the AFLW for the up and coming season. A fantastic reward for all the hard work the girls have put in and a great reflection on our program from a developmental perspective. Our Draftee's include: Jess Edwards to Carlton, Brittany Perry to GWS, Ashleigh Woodland and Talia Radan to Melbourne, Katelyn Rosenzweig and Chloe Sheer to Adelaide (both of which have now been aligned with Central Districts as a result of their inclusion into the competition). We congratulate these players and wish them all the best for their up and coming season in the big league.

Congratulations to the following players who had their performances recognised at the end of the season;

Best and Fairest: Ashleigh Woodland | SANFLW Leading Goalkicker: Katelyn Rosenzweig

SANFLW Team Of The Year: Esther Boles, Jess Edwards, Britt Perry, Katelyn Rosenzweig & Ashleigh Woodland

We look forward to season 2019 with excitement as we continue to improve the standards of our successful Women's program.

Go the Roosters!

AWARD WINNERS



Best & Fairest-
Ashleigh Woodland



Best & Fairest Runner Up -
Brittany Perry



Third Best Player-
Nadia VonBertouch





JUNIOR FOOTBALL

DEVELOPMENT REPORT

SANFL Development Officers Jason Rivett (metropolitan) and Craig Oliphant (country) have continued to run participation and promotional activities within our zone. Key areas of their work include:

Metropolitan

Auskick: 22 centres
School Clinics: over 2000 participants
Primary School Football: 13 teams
9 a side competitions: 34 teams
AFL School Football Ambassadors: 44
Mini League and Little League participation
SANFL Juniors, SAAFL, SAWFL: 94 Junior and 45 Senior teams located within our zone

Country

Auskick: 17 centres
AFL School Ambassadors: 55
Secondary Schools Nine A side competitions catering for 26 male and 24 female teams
Crows Cup in Whyalla for male and female participants.
Primary School football in Whyalla with 5 teams participating – 5 teams.
A Mid North Female football League set up, with 2 teams in the Under 16 competition and 4 teams in Over 16 competition.
A Northern Zone female team participated in the Country Championships at Renmark for the first time.
Mini League and Little League participation.

Talent is a vital component of our activities. We currently run the following:

Country:

Training squads at Laura, Port Augusta, Port Pirie and Whyalla
Under 16 Camp at Melrose in February
Under 14 and Under 15 Carnivals in June
Under 16 and Under 18 Country v Metro in March
Under 15 and Under 17 Camp at Port Augusta in June
Under 15 and Under 17 Country v Eagles Country in June
Under 15 and Under 17 Country teams participating in the SANFL Championships run during the July holidays
Carnivals, matches, Grand Finals and Medal nights were attended by Wayne Jeffries and myself.

Metro:

Under 13, 14, & 15 Development Squads run from late March to the end of Term 2.
Under 16 Squad train and play from January until mid May.
Under 18 Squad train and play from late November until season end.
NAFC Senior players visit to our local Clubs.
We also have two Junior Advisory Meetings in the Country, and have metro. club representatives attend our Junior District Leagues meetings which are held about every six weeks. These meetings allow all stakeholders to have an input into the programs we run in the respective areas.

Under 16 National Championships Representatives.

Jamison Murphy (Port FC)

Under 18 National Championship Representatives.

Connor Rozee, Boyd Woodcock, Josh Hart, Oscar Chapman.
The Coaches, Country and Metropolitan, under the guidance of Jacob Surjan (Head of Development) and Craig Brooks (Junior Development Coach) have done a wonderful job ensuring the players are best prepared to enter into our Senior playing ranks. A big thank also to the many support staff who have assisted across the various programs, your time and effort along with our Coaching Staff ensure we continue to be at the forefront of junior development in South Australia.

Neil Sanders – Talent Manager

UNDER 18'S

COACHES REPORT

The 2018 U18 season commenced with a new coaching structure and an enthusiastic group of lads eager to improve themselves and develop their football to new levels. We played 40 players throughout the year, which is down on previous seasons, primarily assisted by a low injury count on both the senior and junior track together with a high level of consistency from those taking the field.

The season started with 4 losses from our first 5 games as players were coming to grips with a new game plan and the requirements to compete at this level of footy. Whilst not achieving the results there was a genuine competitiveness that the group was displaying. A big win in Round 6 against an undermanned Norwood outfit installed the belief in the group that they were on the right track. From there, the boys were more competitive for the rest of the season and we finished the minor rounds in 3rd position with 10 wins and 8 losses. Unfortunately, despite plugging away all day, we weren't quite good enough in the semi-final and we bowed out of the 2018 race. The boys should be very proud of their season and it was particularly pleasing to see the individual growth of a large number of players. The group was perhaps not as talented as in recent years but the commitment, character and desire to improve their footy these lads showed throughout the season will hold a number of them in good stead as they head into senior football, next year. Here's hoping the term league footballer will be mentioned with some of their names. If not, it won't be through lack of effort.

2018 Trophy winners

Best and Fairest – Bailey Coleman-Oakes





Runner up – Mason Neagle
 Most Consistent - James Langley
 Most Improved - Tyran Hill
 Best Team Man: Callum Flanagan
 Coach's Trophy - Lachlan Borg
 SANFL Leading Goalkicker - Jak Goudman-Glasson
 Tom Leahy Memorial Trophy for Best First Year Player - Terrel Rigney
 Thanks once again to all the administration staff at the club, the senior coaches, trainers, water runners, fitness staff, team managers, and my assistants – Scott Bamford, Corey Drew, Jason Rivett, Marc Cooney and Steve Hocking. A massive thankyou to Neil Sanders for all his tireless work.

Craig Brooks - U18's Coach

UNDER 18 PLAYER SUMMARY

Coach: Craig Brooks

Captain: Bailey Coleman-Oakes

Finished: 4th

NO.	PLAYER	GAMES 2018	GOALS 2018	CLUB VOTES	MAGAREY MEDAL
29	Antrobus, Jackson	18	5	5	0
8	Baker, Harry	11	0	2	0
50	Bernardi, Harvey	4	0	0	0
18	Borg, Lachlan	17	6	21	4
14	Bowman, Mack	19	10	9	0
57	Chapman, Oscar	1	2	0	0
12	Coleman-Oakes, Bailey	17	9	59	20
55	Crompton, Clay	8	7	1	0
21	Duggan, Matthew	10	0	5	0
7	Finlay, Karl	8	0	12	0
1	Finlay, Tom	13	2	1	0
17	Flanagan, Callum	18	0	24	0
53	Gligora, Sam	2	1	0	0
32	Goudman-Glasson, Jack	19	53	22	7
45	Hart, Braden	4	0	8	0
3	Hart, Josh	18	0	0	0
16	Henriks, Riley	17	10	6	0
9	Hilder, Dyson	11	2	7	1
25	Hill, Tyran	18	12	24	3
44	Hodges, Max	5	2	0	0
28	Jarvis, Lachlan	4	2	0	0
11	Kairl-Prosper, Jak	16	15	16	7
4	Langley, James	19	29	20	0
19	Magor, Harrison	14	8	24	0
24	Marshall, Ryan	7	0	0	0
30	McWhirter, Andy	3	1	0	0
22	Moore, Liam	8	0	0	0
48	Murphy, Jamison	1	0	0	0
13	Neagle, Mason	19	13	46	8
31	Oborn, Ben	7	9	1	2
23	Osborne, Brydon	16	1	27	0
15	Rack, Josef	13	0	2	0
5	Ralph, Hamish	3	1	0	0
26	Rigney, Terrel	16	33	27	3
36	Robinson, Thomas	5	6	0	2
6	Scott, Jack	19	4	0	0
39	Simon, Lam	2	0	0	0
41	Trenorden, Jack	1	0	0	0
20	Weatherley, Josh	1	1	0	0
27	Woodcock, Boyd	6	8	30	6
Players Used: 40		418	252	399	63

COUNTRY ZONE REPORT

North Adelaide has again been commended at many levels for its representation in the Promotional Zones. Wayne Jeffries and Neil Sanders have again enhanced the NAFC profile both in the country and metropolitan areas as well as Senior Football staff. Jacob Surjan, Neil Sanders and Craig Brooks have conducted Coaching Clinics as suggested in our 2017 Football Review as well as travelling to Regional areas interviewing potential recruits.

It is interesting to note how well Northern Areas is being represented on our Senior Lists. Sam McInerney(Jamestown) , Jake Wohling and Brayden Kirk (Crystal Brook) have all contributed well to our 2018 success.

Our Country Clubs continue to bolster our underage squads and we look forward to a further continuation in that regard. Once again, Economic conditions are still having an effect but it is too early to predict if the resurgence in the Iron Triangle will continue.

Congratulations to the following Premiers and Best and Fairest winners.

Country

SGL

Premiers A grade - South Augusta

Premiers B grade - Solomontown

Premiers Thirds - Central Augusta

Madigan Medal Best & Fairest A grade - Aziel Stuart (South Augusta)

Dyason Medal Best & Fairest B grade - Brett Jones (South Augusta)

Bishop Medal Best & Fairest Thirds - Mason Munzberg (Solomontown)

Under 15 Medal - Ethan Reid (South Augusta)

- Mitchell Searle (West Augusta)

Northern Areas

Premiers A Grade - Crystal Brook

Premiers B Grade - Southern Flinders

Premiers Senior Colts - Jamestown /Peterborough

Premiers Junior Colts - Pt Broughton/Mundoora

Best & Fairest A Grade - Campbell Combe (Crystal Brook) 3 in a row

Best & Fairest B Grade - Damian Stafford (Southern Flinders)

Best & Fairest Senior Colts - Barney Watkinson (BMW)

Best & Fairest Junior Colts - Bohdi Sims Broughton /Mundoora

Whyalla Football League

Premiers A Grade - West Whyalla

Premiers B Grade - Roopeena

Premiers U18 - Central Whyalla

Premiers U14 - West Whyalla

Best & Fairest A Grade - Saul Tonkin (West Whyalla)

Best & Fairest B Grade - Robert Winderlich (Roopeena)

Best & Fairest Thirds - Lachie Tansell (Central Whyalla)

Best & Fairest U14 - Connor Huish (Central Whyalla)

Development Activities

The U16/17 Country Camp at Melrose is becoming more and more successful and is sought after for an invitation by Country lads. North once more has initiated invitations to players at both Broken Hill and the Mildura / Wentworth areas and we continue to receive positive feedback from these communities. North invited an Under 15 team to participate in our Carnival on the June Long Weekend at Jamestown at which they showed our continued interest is worthwhile.

NAFC continued to sponsor the Dyason Medal in the SGL and continued as a major sponsor of the Northern Zone Team in the Country Football Championships which were held in Renmark. All players competed extremely well but did not meet with much success. Once more it is crucial that this event is more positively supported by all Clubs in our Country Zones. North continues to foster this representative football to expand development in our Regional areas. North are actively pursuing options and resources to improve success in SA Country Championships.

A major sponsorship in this area is imminent; we trust that all participants and stakeholders embrace the project.

UNDER 16'S COACHES REPORT

Preseason training kicked off in late October 2017. Skills and fitness were the main objectives coming into the 2018 Season with a keen and enthusiastic squad of 60 boys looking forward to the season ahead. Training continued weekly at Greenacres Oval until the school year finished in December when we broke for Christmas and then, recommenced at Greenacres in the second week of January.

Although only winning one game in the season might seem a lost opportunity to some, the results did not reflect our hard work and significant improvement made throughout the season. It is difficult to place a measure on the understanding, terminology, and game awareness our Under 15 and 16 boys were exposed to over such a short timeframe. Significantly, the journey clearly indicates to the boys the level of commitment and hard work that is expected at this age group in the SANFL and the steep increase that will be expected of them again as they move to Under 18 and ultimately senior football. Congratulations to Jamison Murphy who represented the successful State Under 16 side and to Blayne O'Loughlin and Zyton Santillo who both captained the Indigenous Boomers and World Football sides respectively.

Congratulations to the following young men who received awards for 2018:

Under 16 Best & Fairest - Jamison Murphy (27 Votes)

Best & Fairest Runner Up - Kane Flanagan & Kallis Freer (14 Votes)

Coaches Award: - Leo Coates

Coaches Award - Zyton Santillo

Coaches Award: - Tom Millar



I would like to personally acknowledge and thank all the parents (especially country parents) who made extensive commitment to transport their son's to various football camps, trainings and match day games across the season.

Many people outside a football club do not fully appreciate the sacrifices people make behind the scenes to make a successful football club in the first instance across all grades of footy to assist the players to feel supported and ultimately perform to a level expected of them. From a 16's perspective, I would like to take the opportunity to acknowledge and give thanks to the wonderful support and assistance the following individuals have made to support the Under 16's throughout the 2018 Season.

Thank you to Neil Sanders for his outstanding organisation of junior football within the North Adelaide Football Club.

To Jason Rivett, Brenton Haynes and Daniel Uglesic who made up the coaching group who supported me in my role as Head Coach, and the generous time and expertise imparted to the players. To Jason Cosgrove as Team Manager for ensuring all the finer details of match day were attended to and Kahlin Santillo, our runner and vocal support across the season - it was truly appreciated by the coaching staff and players. To Tayla Ling as the U16's Head Trainer and her fantastic efforts in keeping the boys healthy and out on the track. To Chloe Parlson as the boys personal Physiotherapist who generously provided individual management plans to those that needed them and finally but no means least a special mention to Shimon Bakara and Matt D' Aloia for their implementation and preparation of the boy's fitness program both in and out of the season.

Jeff Sochacki - U16 Coach

UNDER 16 PLAYER SUMMARY

Coach: Jeff Sochacki

Captain: Shared Role

Finished: 8th

NO.	PLAYER	GAMES 2018	GOALS 2018	CLUB VOTES
2	Millar, Thomas	7	0	5
3	Leese, Angus	5	2	0
4	Vervuurt, Connor	1	0	0
5	Bennett, Logan	1	0	0
5	Berryman, Logan	3	1	0
6	Coates, Leo	7	1	12
7	Jordan, Blake	6	1	2
8	Rowe, Jack	3	0	2
9	Richter, Jordan	2	1	0
10	Moors, Oliver	5	2	0
11	Ambler, Trent	3	2	0
12	Simon, Lam	3	0	9
12	Beattie, Bailey	1	0	0
13	Buck, Joshua	6	4	0
14	Murphy, Jamison	5	0	27
15	Donato, Ethan	2	1	0
16	Flanagan, Kane	5	0	14
17	Heuzenroder, Jake	1	1	0
17	O'Leary, Cooper	5	3	0
18	McNamara, Elliott	4	1	5
19	Occhiuto, Josh	2	0	0
20	Hoon Ok, Sung	6	0	4
21	Rogers, Bradley	6	3	7
22	Santillo, Nixson	7	1	9
23	Cusack, Thomas	4	5	3
24	Swan, Nathanael	3	0	0
25	Willis, James	6	0	4
26	Burgess, Jake	1	0	0
27	Band, Jude	1	0	0
28	Manning, Ben	3	0	5
30	Taylor, Jackson	6	1	0
32	Freer, Kallis	7	3	14
33	Borg, Matthew	6	0	1
35	Davison, Jayden	7	2	7
37	O'Loughlin, Blayne	5	0	5
38	McDonough, Charlie	3	0	5
39	Santillo, Zyton	6	3	7
Players Used: 37		154	38	147

LIFE MEMBERS

Title	Initials	Surname (letters)	Year	* denotes deceased.			
* Mr	CE	Aamodt	1953	Mr	A	Freeman	1998
* Mr	MP	Arbon	1985	* Mr	PSN	Furler	1931
* Mr	OM	Arbon	1963	* Mr	K	Fuss	1969
Mr	PG	Arnold	1989	* Mr	M	Gallagher	1945
* Mr	WF	Ashman	1968	Mr	BE	Gambling	1972
* Mr	W	Averay	1925	* Mr	J	Gerard	1998
* Mr	H	Bailey	1947	Mr	RG	Gerard AO	2002
Mr	BM	Bamford	1992	* Mr	WF	Gibbons	1958
Mr	SM	Bamford	2005	Mr	DHA	Gilbourne	1962
* Mr	CJ	Barnfield	1948	* Mrs	L	Gilbourne	1969
Mr	KS	Barr	1972	Mr	D	Goodwin	1997
* Mr	R	Bell	1955	Dr	GJ	Graham	1990
Mr	AAS	Benger	1997	Mr	G	Griffin	2001
* Mr	JF	Bennett	1919	* Mr	GB	Griffin	1960
Mr	PR	Bennett	1992	* Mr	LC	Griffin	1956
* Mr	LG	Bennetts	1947	Mr	RA	Hammond	1972
* Mr	L	Bensch	1957	* Mr	SG	Hancock	1953
* Mr	LC	Bevan	1972	* Mr	RT	Harford	1973
* Mr	G	Bickle	<1908	* Mr	WE	Harris	1922
* Mr	EC	Bird	1954	Mr	DP	Hart	1995
Mr	JV	Blunden	1959	* Mr	HJ	Hawke	1945
Mr	WG	Blunden	1975	Mr	SR	Hay	2011
* Dr	ED	Boer	1964	* Mr	MM	Hayes	1959
Mr	PJ	Bottroff	1968	* Mr	N	Herring	1967
* Mr	KE	Bowden	1946	* Mr	RK	Hewett	1964
Mrs	PM	Bowen	2012	* Mr	JP	Hill	1976
* Mrs	CD	Boyce BEM	1986	Mr	TJ	Hill	1986
Mr	IM	Bresatz	2009	* Mr	T	Hodges	1921
* Mr	B	Brockelbank	1997	* Mr	GJM	Hogan	1949
* Mr	AE	Brown	1898	* Mr	ND	Hoile	1968
* Mr	AG	Burton	1947	* Mr	RO	Hoskins	1963
* Mr	R	Burton	<1908	Mr	L	Ivens	2010
* Mr	SP	Burton	1939	* Mr	T	Ivey	1969
* Mr	J	Callaghan	1909	* Mr	TDL	James	1945
* Mr	EA	Carlsson	1956	Mr	AN	Jarman	2006
* Mr	KW	Carroll	1973	Mr	B	Jaworskyj	1977
* Mr	JD	Cearns	1953	Mr	MA	Jeffries	1999
Mr	JC	Civitillo	1991	Mr	WJ	Jeffries	1999
Mrs	JE	Civitillo	1996	* Mr	CL	Jessop	1910
* Mr	AJ	Claughton	1951	* Mr	EEB	Johns	1919
* Mr	PW	Clisby	1991	* Mr	K	Jones	1970
* Mr	TI	Clisby	1989	Mr	W	Karpiuk	1992
* Sir	L	Cohen	1925	* Mr	S	Kaye	1934
Mr	JD	Condon OAM	1975	Mr	GJ	Kellett	2008
* Mr	DA	Conrad	1931	Mrs	L	Kemp	2000
Mr	JRE	Coppins	1972	* Mr	J	Kennedy	1971
* Mr	G	Cox	1970	Mr	BR	Kessell	1990
* Mr	K	Curtis	1970	* Mr	C	Kingsley	1940
* Mr	FT	Dermott	1972	Mr	RJ	Kingston	2008
* Mr	DH	Dixon	1993	Mr	K	Klomp	1991
* Mr	PR	Dixon	1983	* Mr	AH	Klose	1923
* Mr	W	Dixon	1932	* Dr	S	Krantz	1962
* Mrs	BP	Dolling	1993	Mr	CJ	Ladhams	2008
Mr	G	Donisthorpe	1959	* Mr	BG	Lamprell	1914
* Mr	J	Doody	1930	* Mr	BC	Leahy	1927
* Mr	CS	Drew	1961	* Mr	TJ	Leahy	1921
* Mrs	L	Drew	1961	Mr	KV	Lehmann	1974
* Mr	NS	Drew	1954	* Mr	F	Lewis	1920
Mr	JR	Dunn	1975	* Mr	JW	Lewis	<1908
* Mr	J	Earl	1909	* Mr	P	Lewis	1924
Mr	RP	Ebel	2003	* Mr	R	Lewis	1933
Mr	DJ	Ebert	2008	* Mr	D	Lindner	1971
* Mr	LJ	Edwards	1960	* Mrs	JR	Lindner	1993
* Mr	MA	Eggers	1975	Mr	IH	Lloyd	1998
Mr	MJ	Ellis	1986	* Mr	S	Logan	1956
* Mr	WG	Ellis	1941	* Mrs	DE	Lush	1993
Mr	JG	Everingham	2005	* Mr	H	MacFarlane	1962
* Mr	AH	Ewers	1912	* Mr	H	MacKenzie	1966
* Mr	KWG	Farmer	1937	* Mr	J	MacKenzie	1968
* Mr	RK	Ferguson	1965	* Mr	TG	MacKenzie	1979
* Mr	R	Fischer	1966	Mr	W	Maher	1969
* Mr	H	Fleet	1935	* Mr	J	Malone	1956
* Mr	JW	Forrester MBE	1952	* Mr	LH	Marshall	1970
* Mr	GW	Foulis	1937	Mr	M	Marshall	1998
Mr	P	Fowden	2003	* Mr	O	Martin	1945
Mr	DA	Fox	2008	* Mr	JGF	Matthews	1908
Mr	RJ	Fox	2000	Mrs	K	May	2000
Mr	MG	Francou	1974	Mr	NA	McCann	1959

* Mr	C	McDonald	1948	* Mr	CR	Taylor	1936
* Mr	MJ	McDowall	1934	* Mr	BW	Thomas	1968
Mr	RS	McGahey	2008	Mr	BM	Thomas	2014
* Mr	DL	McInnes	1936	* Mr	JWE	Tidswell	1959
* Mr	MJ	McInnes OAM	1947	Mr	RW	Thompson	1994
* Mr	IL	McKay	1955	* Mr	LJ	Thompson	1957
* Mr	J	McKenzie	1926	Mr	DS	Tiller	1986
* Mr	M	McMahon	1968	* Mr	KF	Tite	1945
Mrs	BD	Mead	1993	Mr	RC	Trenorden	1967
* Mr	RH	Melvin	1951	Mr	SC	Trenorden	1994
* Mr	FC	Moritz	1975	* Mr	GP	Trescowthick	1922
* Mr	RA	Munn	1933	* Mr	TF	Tymons	1926
Ms	CJ	Nairn	2007	* Mr	AE	Wadey	1950
Mr	MJ	Nairn	2005	* Mr	RS	Wallis	1923
* Mr	RB	Neville	1952	* Mr	CJ	Walsh	1979
Mr	BJ	Newton	2017	* Mr	GE	Waterford	<1908
* Mr	CH	Nitschke	<1908	* Mr	RA	Ween	1947
Mr	MG	Northway	2009	* Mr	H	Welfare	1953
Mr	MA	Nunan	1992	* Mrs	J	Wells	1998
Mr	TA	Nunan	1998	* Mr	JH	Whelan	1958
* Mr	DJ	O'Brien	1920	* Mr	H	Whitehead	1927
Dr	RJ	Odgers	1996	Mr	PW	Whitwell	1993
Mr	IA	Oswald	1989	Mr	DL	Wildy	2011
Mr	PB	Parry	1975	* Mr	C	Williamson MBE	1935
* Mr	H	Pash	1908	* Mr	CL	Willshire	1941
* Mr	JH	Pash	1949	* Mr	C	Winfield	1967
* Mr	NJ	Pash	1910	Mr	DS	Wintle	2003
Mr	GR	Paull	1972	* Mr	BE	Wise	1992
Mr	JR	Payne	1995	* Mr	G	Woodhead	1932
Mrs	M	Payne	1997	* Mrs	NM	Woolford	1993
Mr	BP	Phillips	1996	* Mr	VH	Woolford	1977
* Mr	HR	Phillips	1953	Mr	J	Woon	2000
* Mr	JE	Phillips	1973	* Mr	W	Wright	1946
Mr	SB	Pierce	2006	* Mr	CF	Young	1924
Mr	JR	Porter	1968	* Mr	RH	Young	1972
Mr	G	Radloff	2017	Mr	HK	Younie	2010
Mr	RW	Ramsay	2010	* Mr	L	Zeugofsgge	1950
Mr	MJ	Redden	1987	ROOSTERS CLUB			
* Mr	BD	Redpath AM	1999				
* Mr	JC	Reedman	<1908	* denotes deceased.			
* Mrs	GA	Reedy	1993				
* Mr	BS	Richardson	1973	Title	Initials	Surname (letters)	Year
Dr	JL	Riley	1986	* Mr	M P	Arbon	1986
Mr	D	Righetti	2014	Mr	J V	Blunden	1973
Mr	SG	Riley	1992	* Mr	R H	Cavenett	1974
* Mr	CC	Rix	1947	Mrs	E M	Condon	1988
* Mr	A	Roberts	1939	* Mr	L J	Edwards	1978
* Mr	B	Roberts	1964	* Mr	J W	Forrester MBE	1973
* Mrs	D	Robins	1999	Mr	D A	Goodwin	1988
Mr	WJ	Robinson	1974	Mrs	S M	Goodwin	1994
Mr	BC	Robran MBE	1976	* Mrs	J C	Harrison	1983
Mr	RJ	Robran	1979	* Mr	N F	Herring	1979
* Mr	LJ	Roger	1938	Mr	R J	Huppatz	1987
Mr	LJ	Ryswyk	2016	* Mr	T A	Ivey	1972
Mr	PR	Saint	2003	* Mr	R	Jackway	1982
* Mr	F	Sampson	1955	Mr	B R	Kessell	1983
Mr	DJ	Sanders	1991	* Mr	J A	Mann	1983
* Mr	MJ	Sargent	1971	Mr	C	Moustrides	1987
* Mr	DP	Shaw	2006	* Mr	R G	Neve	1980
Mr	DM	Shammall	2014	Mr	S	Quinn	2000
* Mr	PD	Sheppard	1964	* Mr	B D	Redpath AM	2000
Mr	PW	Simmons	1992	* Mr	S G	Reedy	1977
Mr	SC	Simmons	1968	* Mr	R L	Roocke	1978
Mr	HG	Smith	1984	* Mr	J D	Sutter OAM	1984
* Mr	LC	Smith	1965	* Mrs	M	Sutter	1981
Mr	DA	Snow	1989	* Mr	J	Titus	1986
* Dr	GH	Solomon	1976	Mr	B	Treloar	2000
* Mr	A	Spicer	1971	* Mr	J H	Whelan	1973
* Mr	KH	Spicer	1976	Mr	B S	White	1976
* Mr	HG	Stock	1940	* Mr	R H	Young	1979
Mr	AD	Stringer	1959				
* Mr	BM	Stringer	1980				
* Mr	KC	Stringer	1974				
Mr	AJ	Sutter	1989				
* Mr	JD	Sutter OAM	1974				
* Mr	AF	Sutton	1961				
Mr	RJ	Swann	2006				
Mr	SJ	Tasker	2011				

NAFC PLAYER HONOUR LIST

100 GAMES AND GOAL REPRESENTATIVES

(Premiership Games Only)

North Adelaide Football Club congratulates Max Thring on becoming the 123rd player and Mitch Clisby the 124th player to reach the 100-game milestone

NAFC PLAYER	Seasons	H&A	Oth	SA	TOT
Redden, MJ	1978-93	334	44	11	389
Lindner, D	1954-70	280	10	15	305
Sanders, DJ	1982-96	273	32	0	305
Tiller, DS	1977-90	251	39	0	290
Bennett, PR	1983-95	247	46	3	296
Clisby, TI	1980-91	240	39	0	279
Hammond, RA	1960-73	234	12	7	253
Farmer, KWG	1929-41	224	0	17	241
Riley, JL	1977-90	218	32	5	255
Ryswyk, LJ	2006-18	226	2	4	232
Stringer, BM	1971-81	210	10	4	224
Phillips, BP	1981-85;				
	1992-98	208	14	1	223
Jaworskyj, B	1965-72; 76-78	201	7	4	212
Bamford, SM	1993-95;				
	2000-07	201	0	0	201
Gilbourne, DHA	1949-62	198	8	10	216
Robran, BC	1967-76; 78-80	197	4	17	218
Arnold, PG	1980-89	194	32	0	226
Ivens, L	2001-08; 10-13	193	1	0	194
Furler, PSN	1922-33	187	0	18	205
Robinson, WJ	1965-75	186	6	0	192
Wintle, DS	1993;				
	1996-2008	186	0	2	188
Lewis, P	1912-15; 19-28	185	0	7	192
Younie, HK	2001-10	183	0	0	183
Klomp, K	1982-92	182	28	0	210
Griffin, LC	1946-57	179	1	11	191
Robran, RJ	1970-77; 79-82	178	6	0	184
Phillips, JE	1962; 64-74	177	5	5	187
Pash, NJ	1897-1911	175 ^A	0	4	179
Trenorden, RC	1957-66	168	8	0	176
Stringer, AD	1949-58	167	2	1	170
Jeffries, MA	1993-2000;				
	2004-05	167	3	0	170
Paull, GR	1960-66; 68-72	165	4	0	169
McKay, IL	1946-55	164	1	14	179
Johns, EEB	1902-14	162	0	20	182
Tidswell, JWE	1949-58	162	3	0	165
von Bertouch, TC	1967-74	162	7	11	180
Earl, J	1897-99;				
	1901-09; 11	158 ^A	0	5	163
Ewers, AH	1898-99;				
	1902-12	157 ^A	0	8	165
Hill, TJ	1974-80; 84-86	155	14	4	173
Hart, DP	1984-94	155	34	3	192
Nunan, TA	1991-98	152	12	1	165
Conrad, DA	1922-32	151	0	9	160
Matthews, JGF	1896-1907;				
	1910	150 ^A	0	2	152
McCann, NA	1950-59	150	5	7	162
Barbary, B	1957-64	146	9	19	174
Pash, H	1896-1908	144 ^A	0	0	143
Fleet, H	1924-36	144	0	5	149
Riley, SG	1982-89; 91-92	143	27	1	171
Lehmann, KV	1964-65; 67-74	142	4	0	146
Taylor, CR	1927-36	141	0	1	142
Hewett, RK	1953-62	141	7	5	153
Jarman, AN	1983-89	141	24	8	173
Blunden, JV	1949-58	140	1	1	142
Burton, AG	1935-41; 45-47	139	0	4	143
Phillips, HR	1940-41; 46;				
	1948-53	139	0	10	149
Foulis, GW	1927-37	138	0	0	138
Cloke, PB	1975-81	138	7	1	146
Parsons, MW	1983-87; 90-92	137	21	0	158
Munn, R	1924-33	136	0	3	139
Howard, AL	1971-78	134	10	0	144
Gerker, RHE	1992-98	132	4	2	138
Martin, O -	1934-41; 45-46	130	0	3	133
Alleway, CJ	2006-12	129	2	2	133
Burton, SP	1930-38; 1940	127	0	17	144
Thomas, WJ	1922-30	126	0	4	130
Lindner, TP	1959-64;				
	1966-67	126	7	4	137
Hargraves, DA	2000-06	126	0	2	128
Saunders, RG	1990-93; 95-97	124	8	0	132
McDowall, MJ	1925-34	123	0	1	124
McInnes, DL	1925; 1927-36	123	0	0	123

NAFC PLAYER	Seasons	H&A	Oth	SA	TOT
Coppins, JR	1963-71	123	1	0	124
Stringer, WI	1975-82	122	7	0	129
Pash, JH	1938-40; 45-49	120	0	4	124
Wildy, DL	1980-88	120	26	0	146
Perkins, TR	1990-96	120	8	1	129
Ladhams, CJ	1997-98;				
	2001-08	118	0	0	118
Jarman, DR	1985-90	117	27	5	149
Burton, CM	1987-92	117	12	0	129
Ebel, RP	1996-2004	117	0	0	117
Allan, JR	2007-12	117	0	2	119
Trescowthick, GP	1911-15; 19-24	116	0	4	120
Reedman, JC	1899-1907;				
	1909	115	0	3	118
Ween, RA	1922-30	115	0	0	115
Cox, DB	1946-52	115	0	0	115
Jessop, CL	1901-10	114	0	3	117
Thring, GB	2009-16	115	1	1	117
Kennett, P -	1948-54	114	0	0	114
Thiele, CJ	2008-16	113	2	0	115
* Craig, JL	2009-	113	0	0	113
Sims, SJ	1987-92	112	12	3	127
* Clisby, MA	2010-12	112*	2	0	114
Leahy, TJ	1910-15; 19-21	111	0	20	131
Armfield, MJ	1982-88	111	23	0	134
Tanner, CW	1951-58	110	3	2	115
* Thring, MP	2011-	110*	1	0	111
Wallis, RS	1912-15; 19-23				
	1925	108	0	0	108
Thomas, BW	1960-66	108	4	0	112
Ebert, DJ	1998-2008	108	0	0	108
Melvin, RH	1930; 1932-37;				
	1939	107	0	0	107
Anderson, PD	1964-71	107	4	4	115
Mumford, BS	1972-75; 78-79	107	2	0	109
Aamodt, CE	1940-41; 45-50	106	0	2	108
Squire, DT	1991; 1993-98	106	7	2	115
Whitford, MJ	1956-62	105	8	0	113
Barr, KS	1963-72	105	3	0	108
Fowden, P -	1993-2002	105	2	0	107
Rees, JNS	1898-99;				
	1901-08	104	0	5	108
Sheppard, PD	1954-61; 1963	104	7	1	112
Bubner, JL	1957-62	104	5	1	110
Tasker, SJ	1988-96	104	14	4	122
Drew, NS	1928-33; 1937	103	0	4	107
McAdam, GJ	1977-83	103	7	3	113
McKenzie, WL	1950-57	102	2	2	106
Sutter, AJ	1962-68	102	0	0	102
Plummer, JCG	1969-77	102	3	0	105
Sutherland, SM	1996-2001;				
	2003-04	102	0	0	102
O'Brien, D -	1909-15; 19-20	101	0	0	101
Geisler, RR	1962-69	101	1	0	102
Marshall, M -	1990-96; 1998	101	18	0	119
Herbert, LJ	1997-2000;				
	2002-03	101	0	0	101
Cearns, DJ	1964-70	100	1	0	101
Sachse, DE	1967-68; 70;				
	1972-75	100	2	2	104
Hearl, BA	1968-74	100	7	0	107
Gill, NH	2005-11	100	1	0	101
Roach, AR	1975-81; 1983	95	5	0	100
Simmons, PW	1984-90; 1992	91	20	0	111
Barratt, SC	1988-93	90	14	0	104
Dietrich, GE	1982-86	87	16	2	105

PRIMARY CRITERIA - 100 H&A GAMES NAFC

- H&A includes all minor and major round games (Premiership Games)

- Other Games include all SANFL night series and NFL Series games from the 1950's to the 1990's and the National Foxtel Cup. Does not include exhibition matches (ie City v County, Patriotic Games)

- State Games are for South Australia representation whilst a North Adelaide player

* current players/ ^ confirmed games only

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Total	NAFC PLAYER	Seasons	HG*
1417	Farmer, KWG	1929-41	126 (1931)
400	Dietrich, GE	1982-86	109 (1983)
391	Hargraves, DA	2000-06	72 (2001)
358	Sachse, DE	1967-68, 1970; 1972-75	105 (1973)
307	Robran, RJ	1970-77; 1979-82	59 (1977)
286	Hart, DP	1984-94	50 (1990)
282	Bennett, PR	1983-95	52 (1989)
273	Younie, HK	2001-10	49 (2007)
267	McKenzie, WL	1950-57	67 (1954)
267	Lindner, D -	1954-70	36 (1955)
235	Daly, AJ	1902-07; 09; 12	57 (1903)
232	Burton, CM	1987-92	52 (1992)
223	Ryswyk, LJ	2006-	39 (2013)
220	Thomas, BW	1960-66	46 (1963)
216	Johns, EEB	1902-14	26 (1914)
216	Hill, TJ	1974-80; 1984-86	45 (1975)
215	Hearl, BA	1968-74	50 (1973)
211	Jarman, DR	1985-90	68 (1990)
209	Alleway, CJ	2006-2012	47 (2007)
204	Phillips, HR	1940-41; 46; 1948-53	66 (1952)
198	von Bertouch, TC	1967-74	32 (1972)
194	Robran, BC	1967-76; 78-80	30 (1970)
191	Roberts, JP	1987-88	111 (1987)
187	Sheppard, PD	1954-61; 1963	39 (1959)
187	Parsons, MW	1983-87; 90-92	46 (1991)
186	Jeffries, MA	1993-2000; 04-05	39 (1997)
180	Gill, NH	2005-11	47 (2006)
159	Bamford, SM	1993-95; 2000-07	30 (2000)
158	Ladhams, CJ	1997-98; 2001-08	46 (2006)
156	Jessop, CL	1901-10	31 (1905)
155	Antrobus, AJ	1981-86	50 (1985)
155	Sims, SJ	1987-92	41 (1991)
152	Furler, PSN	1922-33	41 (1927)
150	Parker, BP	1995-99	47 (1997)
148	Tiller, DS	1977-90	31 (1982)
147	White, DL	2002-05; 07-10	35 (2005)
143	Lewis, P -	1912-15; 19-28	58 (1923)
143	McAdam, GJ	1977-83	43 (1982)
143	Squire, DT	1991; 1993-98	46 (1994)
141	Redden, MJ	1978-93	23 (1985)
138	Whitford, MJ	1956-62	28 (1956/60)
136	Anderson, PD	1964-71	30 (1967)
134	Arnold, PG	1980-89	40 (1983)
133	Stewart, DB	2008-13	33 (2013)
129	Phillips, BP	1981-85; 92-98	21 (1994)
125	Arbon, OM	1945-50	32 (1945)
124	Rix, CC	1937-41; 46	35 (1938)
120	Sanders, DJ	1982-96	15 (1982)
118	Roach, AR	1975-81; 83	22 (1981)
113	Kennett, P -	1948-54	24 (1952)
112	Thomas, WJ	1922-30	30 (1930)
111	Munn, R -	1924-33	34 (1925)
109	Sachse, NF	1970-74	43 (1970)
108	Cloke, PB	1975-81	39 (1977)
107	Wintle, DS	1993; 1996-2008	20 (2004)
103	Hawke, HJ	1927-28; 30-34; 1936-37; 39-40	38 (1928)
102	Baruzzi, JC	1975-79	37 (1979)
102	Mancini, BM	1992-96	27 (1995)
100	Tasker, SJ	1988-96	53 (1989)
100	Atkinson, BJ	1990-92; 1994-95	43 (1992)

* HG (Highest Goals in a Season)

Note: Continual research will ensure updating of statistics as appropriate. Any questions or discrepancies please contact David O'Hara (NAFC History Committee)

New 100-game incumbent Max Thring (in 2014, 2017 and Grand Final day 2018) and Mitch Clisby (2009, 2015, Grand Final day 2018)



NAFC PREMIERSHIP PLAYER HONOUR LIST

1900 1902 1905 1920 1930 1931 1949 1952 1960 1971 1972 1987 1991
2018

NAFC PLAYER	GAMES	YEAR
AAMODT, Colin E.	106	1949
ALDENHOVEN, Alan -	55	1952
ALLMOND, Jared S.	21*	2018
ANDERSON, Peter D.	107	1971
ARBON, O. Maurice	98	1949
ARMFIELD, Michael J.	111	1987
ARNOLD, Paul G.	194	1987
ATKINSON, Brodie J.	98	1991
BAKER, William	15	1900
BARBARY, Barrie -	146	1960
BARNES, Alexander P.	69*	2018
BARR, Kevin S.	105	1972
BARRATT, Steven C.	90	1991
BARRETT, C. Robert	76	1930; 1931
BENNETT, Peter R.	247	1987; 1991
BLUNDEN, John V.	140	1949; 1952
BOTTROFF, Peter J.	26	1960
BRADLEY, Terrance A.	38	1902
BUBNER, John L.	104	1987
BURNS, Brian B.	61	1931
BURNS, David K.	77	1971
BURTON, Craig M.	117	1987; 1991
BURTON, Sidney P.	127	1930; 1931
CARLAW, Roger D.	74	1987
CARROLL, Keith W.	78	1949; 1952
CARROLL, Raymond C.	75	1987
CARTER, George A.	66*	1900; 1902
CASTREE, Brock A.	22	2018
CHEEK, Alan R.	28	1960
CLARK, Norman C.	84*	1900; 1902
CLAXTON, Norman -	38	1900; 1902
CLISBY, Mitchell A.	112*	2018
CLISBY, Trevor	144	1987; 1991
COATES, C.W. Wallington	66*	1900
COLLINS, Terrance A.	40	1971
CONRAD, Darrell A.	151	1930; 1931
COULLS, Brian H.	60	1949
COX, Darcy B.	115	1949; 1952
CRAIG, Cameron L.	85*	2018
CRAWFORD, David W.	48	1920; 1931
CROUCH, Frank S.	91	1949
CUNNINGHAM, Leslie T.	41	1952
CURNOW, F. Cecil	63	1920
DALY, Anthony J.	93	1902; 1905
DAVEY, Ivan L.R.	31	1920
DAVIES, Lloyd R.	24	1920
DAWKINS, William N.	70*	1900; 1902
DICKINSON, Frederick J.	41*	1900; 1902
DREW, Norman S.	103	1930; 1931
DREW, W.A. Vernon	62	1905
EARL, John -	158*	1902; 1905
EWERS, Alexander H.	157*	1902; 1905
FAGGOTTER, Alwin L.	46	1960
FARMER, Kenneth W.G.	224	1920; 1931
FLEET, Harry -	144	1930; 1931
FLEET, Percy P.	16	1905
FOALE, L. Richard	33	1920
FOOKS, Alfred -	56	1920
FOTHERINGHAM, Charles -	41	1902; 1905
FOULIS, George W.	138	1930; 1931
FRANCOU, Kenneth E.	55	1971
FROST, Percival W.	34	1920
FULLER, Geoffrey R.	89	1952
FURLER, Percy S. N.	187	1930; 1931
FUSS, E. Russell	54	1920
GALLOWAY, Alan P.	69	1949; 1952
GAMBLING, Brian E.	78	1960
GILBOURNE, Donald H.A.	198	1949; 1952;
		1960
GRIFFIN, Lyle C.	179	1952
HAINES, Frank A.	26	1920
HAMILTON, John M.	64	1920
HAMILTON, Steven K.	40	1991
HAMMOND, Robert A.	234	1960; 1971;
		1972

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HANCOCK, Stanley G.	88	1949
HARDWICK, Frederick J.E.	22	1930
HART, Darel Peter	155	1987; 1991
HARVEY, Mitchell J.	49*	2018
HAWKE, Harold J.	70	1930; 1931
HEARL, Barry A.	100	1971; 1972
HENDER, Lewis K.	52*	2018
HESELTINE, Samuel R.	18	1900
HEWETT, Ronald K.	141	1960
HOWARD, Alan L.	134	1971; 1972
HUGHES, Trevor E.	53	1960
JARMAN, Andrew N.	141	1987

JARMAN, Darren R.	117	1987
JAWORSKY J., Bohdan -	201	1971; 1972
JESSOP, Charles L.	114	1902; 1905
JOHNS, Ernest E.B.	162	1902; 1905
JONES, Ernest -	14	1900
KENNETT, Paul -	114	1949; 1952
KENT, Barry J.	76	1960
KLOMP, Kim -	182	1987; 1991
KRIEG, Peter A.	54	1991
LEAHY, Thomas J.	111	1920
LEHMANN, Kym V.	142	1971
LEMON, Norman C.	40	1902
LEWIS, Percy	185	1920
LINDNER, Donald -	280	1960
LINDNER, Theodore P.	126	1960
LOCK, Stanley L.	82	1930; 1931
MACKAY, W. Jackson	72	1931
MACKENZIE, Edward	26	1905
MACKENZIE, Hubert L.	57	1952
MACKENZIE, Thomas D.	54	1905
MACKENZIE, Thomas G.	24	1949
MALONEY, Vernon T.S.	16	1920
MANGELSDORF, Herbert H.	94	1930; 1931
MARSH, David W.	75	1972
MARSHALL, Marc -	1901	1991
MATTHEWS, James G.F.	150*	1905; 1902;
		1905
MAY, A. Ronald	37	1930
MCDOWALL, Malcolm J.	123	1930
MCINERNEY, Samuel J.	28*	2018
MCKAY, Ian L.	164	1949; 1952
MCNAMARA, Thomas J.	50*	1900
MITCHELL, Ernest	38*	1900
MONTGOMERY, Malcolm G.	23	1960
MUMME, H. Warren	16	1900
MUNN, Raymond -	135	1930; 1931
NUNAN, Timothy A.	152	1991
O'BRIEN, Daniel -	101	1920
ODGERS, Allen J.	82	1949; 1952
ODLUM, Fred -	14	1905
O'LEARY, Francis B.	23	1960
OLEKALNS, Maris H.D.	36*	2018
PARSONS, Michael W.	137	1987; 1991
PASCOE, Robert H.	90	1960
PASH, Harold -	143*	1900; 1905
PASH, Jeffrie H.	120	1949
PASH, Norman J.	175*	1900; 1902;
		1905



NAFC PLAYER	GAMES	YEAR
PATTERSON, Michael F.	50	1971
PAULL, Geoffrey R.	165	1971; 1972
PEDLER, Lenard J.	46	1920
PENERY, Charles -	40	1920
PERKINS, Timothy R.	120	1991
PHILLIPS, John E.	177	1971; 1972
PHILLIPS, H. Ronald	139	1949; 1952
PHILLIS, Donald R.	42	1931
PLUMMER, John C.G.	102	1972
POTTS, Barry J.	63	1960
PROUD, Robert E.	36	1952
PROUD, W. Norman	26	1931
RAMSEY, Keenan G.	36*	2018
REBBECK, Adrian L.	37	1971; 1972
REDDEN, Michael J.	334	1987; 1991
REEDMAN, John C.	113	1900; 1902;
		1905
REEDMAN, Leslie C.	29	1920
REES, John N.S.	104	1902; 1905
RENNER, Johannes M.B.	22	1952
RILEY, John L.	218	1987
RILEY, Stephen G.	143	1987; 1991
ROBERTS, John P.	46	1987
ROBRAN, Barrie C.	197	1971; 1972
ROBRAN, Rodney J.	178	1972
ROZEE, Connor R.	12*	2018

RYAN, Bradley W.	70	1991
SACHSE, Dennis E.	100	1972
SACHSE, Neil F.	86	1971
SANDERS, David J.	273	1987; 1991
SANSLAND, Phing T.	17	1902
SAUNDERS, Rodney G.	124	1991
SCHUBERT, Richard J.	46	1972
SCHWARZ, Thomas J.	53*	2018
SHAW, William L.	29*	1900
SIMMONS, Peter W.	91	1987
SIMS, Steven John	112	1987; 1991
SLATTERY, Wayne N.	15	1987
SLEE, Mackenzie T.	18*	2018
SMITH, Tanner J.	40*	2018
SPORN, Garry H.	70	1971; 1972
SPRIGG, H. Lorenzo	61	1920
SPRY, John G.	30	1972
STORER, Garfield V.	56	1930; 1931
STRANGER, Geoffrey R.	31	1972
STRINGER, A. Dean	167	1949; 1952
STRINGER, Barry M.	210	1971; 1972
SWEET, Jordan R.	8*	2018
TASKER, Sean J.	104	1991
TAYLOR, C. Robert	141	1930; 1931
THOMAS, Brian W.	108	1960
THOMAS, William J.	126	1930
THRING, Maximilian P.	110*	2018
TIDSWELL, John W.E.	162	1949; 1952
TILLER, David S.	251	1987
TRENORDEN, Rabone C.	168	1960
TRESCOWTHICK, Glyn P.	116	1920
TROPIANO, Aidan T.	22*	2018
VON BERTOUCH, Terry C.	162	1971; 1972
WARD, Herbert T.	54	1905
WAY, Mervyn P.	35	1952
WEBB, Darryl R.	89	1971; 1972
WESTON, Lloyd C.	95	1952
WHITFORD, Malcolm J.	105	1960
WILKIE, Callum S.N.	63*	2018
WILKEY, Archibald C.	78	1971
WILSHIRE, Clarence L.	54	1930; 1931
WILMSHURST, Horace L.	29	1900
WOHLING, Jake T.	4*	2018
WOODCOCK, Boyd L.	9*	2018
YOUNG, Francis N.	31	1905
YOUNG, Robert J.	19*	2018

Games are Premiership Matches up to the end of 2018



SANFL

MEDALLISTS

Jack Oatey Medallists

(Best On Ground in Grand Final since 1981)

1987	Parsons, MW
1991	Hart, DP

Ken Farmer Medallists

(Leading Goalkicker after Minor Round since 1981)

1987	Roberts, JP
2002	Hargraves, DA

Reserves Magarey Medallists

1909	Russell, PL
1950	Barbary, SH
1953	Blunden, JV
1959	Henningsen, BA
1960	Heading, CS
1991	Atkinson, BJ
1998	King, JS
2004	Cassery, JP
2007	Delvins, TJ
2014	Teasdale, LP

Magarey Medallists

1901	Sandland, PT
1905	Mackenzie, TD
1906	Mackenzie, TD
1913	Leahy, TJ
1937	Hawke, HJ
1939	Pash, JH
1948	Phillips, HR
1949	Phillips, HR
1950	McKay, IL
1960	Barbary, B
1967	Lindner, D
1968	Robran, BC
1970	Robran, BC
1973	Robran, BC
1983	Antrobus, AJ
1987	Jarman, AN
1993	Phillips, BP
1996	Francou, JA
2007	Allan, JR
2009	Archard, RC
2010	Allan, JR
2011	Allan, JR

Tomkins Medallists (Under 19s)

1937	Telfer, LA
1940	Hogben, RS
1950	Weston, LC
1957	Potts, BJ
1961	Farrell, GS
1969	Payne, JL

McCallum/ Tomkins Medallists (Under 18s)

2014	Hayes, JD
2016	Nixon, DD
2017	Woodcock, BL

McCallum Medallists (Under 17s)

1939	Logan, KM
1953	Westley, MJ
1955	Atkinson, DW
1964	Robinson, WJ
1965	Sachse, DE
1966	Burns, DK
1969	Rigney, B
1982	Davies, CJ
2000	Harrison, W

Bob Quinn Medallists

(Best Player in Anzac Day match since 2002)

2014	Shannon, JA
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Fos Williams Medallists

(Best on Ground for South Australian in Interstate Matches)

1986	Jarman, AN v WA
1987	Jarman, AN v WA
1988	Redden, MJ v WA
1989	Jarman, AN v Vic
1996	Francou, JA v WA
2008	Alleway, CJ v VFL

Robert (Bob) Lee Medal

(Reserves Best On Ground in Grand Final since 2002)

2005	Haseldine, MH
2006	Cubillo, JG
2016	Shannon, JA
2018	Schwarz, JP



2017 AGM MINUTES

ROOSTERS CLUB INC.

MINUTES FROM THE 2017 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING HELD TUESDAY 13 FEBRUARY, 2018 AT 7.00PM AT THE NORTH ADELAIDE FOOTBALL CLUB FUNCTION ROOM.

The Chairman of the North Adelaide Football Club, Mr Wayne Jeffries, declared the meeting open at 7.00pm.

1. WELCOME: Mr W. Jeffries welcomed approximately 70 members to the meeting.

2. APOLOGIES: Pat Hodby (Board Member), Arthur Keith Louch, Richard Brown, Patricia Apps, Paul Stevens, Neil Dwiir, John Mitchell, Barry Ellison, Pauline Bowen, Kevin Bateman, David O'Hara, Chris Jeffries.

3. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

MOTION : That the minutes of the 2016 Annual General Meeting held on Tuesday 14 February 2017 be accepted as a true and accurate record.

Moved :B. White

Seconded : A. Bennett

CARRIED

4. ADOPTION OF THE 2017 ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Prior to putting the motion, it was requested that questions be kept for the financial presentation within the NAFC Inc meeting to follow.

MOTION : That the 2017 Annual Report and Financial Statements be accepted.

Moved: P. George

Seconded: D. Palmer

CARRIED

5. GENERAL BUSINESS : Nil

6. CLOSURE OF MEETING

W. Jeffries closed the meeting at 7.05pm

NORTH ADELAIDE FOOTBALL CLUB INC.

MINUTES FROM THE 2017 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING HELD TUESDAY 13 FEBRUARY, 2018 AT 7.05PM AT THE NORTH ADELAIDE FOOTBALL CLUB FUNCTION ROOM.

1. WELCOME: Club Chairman W. Jeffries welcomed approximately 70 members to the meeting. W. Jeffries introduced the members of the Board to the members.

2. APOLOGIES: Pat Hodby (Board Member), Arthur Keith Louch, Richard Brown, Patricia Apps, Paul Stevens, Neil Dwiir, John Mitchell, Barry Ellison, Pauline Bowen, Kevin Bateman, David O'Hara, Chris Jeffries.

3. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

MOTION : That the minutes of the 2016 Annual General Meeting held on Tuesday 14 February 2017 be accepted as a true and accurate record.

Moved: K. Daniels

Seconded: A. Bennett

CARRIED

4. PRESIDENTS REPORT

President Mr L. Virgin presented his report to the members.

2017 Report

2017 Overall Performance

- On field lacked game day leadership at critical times
- Inconsistent performances lead to close losses
- 4 wins is not acceptable, several changes in football program in 2018
- Tough year financially, Regency Plaza issues impacted on all revenue areas of the Northern Tavern
- Highlighted the importance of the revenue generated by the venues
- Corporate Partnerships revenue increase in difficult environment

2017 Positives

- Net profit of \$122K despite major downturn at Northern Tavern
- Womens team successful introduction
- Female football growth
- Football review and the outcomes of that (new coaching structure, zone focus etc)

Moving into 2018

- Fully support the football program
- Grand North lease and tenure, as well as finalising the Northern Tavern lease
- Debt reduction
- Prospect Oval development, continue to work on
- Capital projects – picket fence, solar, Tavern upgrades, wireless/PA project

Key Focus – Board and Management:

- Invest in player and coach development
- Push for best SANFL fixture
- Long term tenures at Venues
- Managing gaming decline
- Reduce Debt
- Club Unity:
 - Supporting each other, members, Board, staff, players and supporters
 - Getting to events and functions
 - Volunteer support and recognition

5. SANFL MATTERS

Malcolm Ellis provided the members an update on SANFL matters:

- SANFL have agreed to recognise some issues and conduct a full review of their football programs and operations, including a focus on the SANFL competition.
- Objective is to understand where it should position itself in the football landscape, as it relates to the AFL and the Amateur League
- Directors and Clubs have put pressure on the SANFL to place far more attention of where the competition is going and how to best structure itself to ensure it goes for another 150 years.
- A subcommittee is being formed and Malcolm Ellis has been nominated to fill one of those sub committee roles

6. FINANCIAL REPORT

In the absence of Mr Pat Hodby, G. Edwards provided a presentation on the Clubs 2017 financial performance. Key points were:

- 2017 result was a profit of \$122,453 which was \$252,967 less than the previous profit result. Very difficult year in venue performance, in particular gaming at the Northern Tavern, a result of the impact of the Regency Plaza Centre sale
- 2017 earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation was \$807,125, which decreased by \$231,270 compared to 2016 results.
- 2017 debt level \$1.81 million (2016 was \$2.10 million), again, critical for the club to continue to reduce debt aggressively.
- 2017 debt reduction was \$292,425 (2015 was \$480,372).
- 2017 Team Maintenance (senior football costs) was \$1,025K (\$1,026K in 2016).
- 2017 Consolidated Profit at \$677K (2016 was \$897K).
- 2017 Consolidated Net Assets \$4.168 million (2016 \$4.297 million)
- Net gaming operations at Northern Tavern decreased by \$340K
- Net gaming operations at Grand North decreased by \$104K due to industry trend reduction following gaming legislation change to \$5 max bet.
- Food and Bar at Grand North up by \$25K over 2016
- 2017 Corporate Partnerships (sponsors) at NAFC were up by \$30K

7. ADOPTION OF 2017 ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Prior to putting the motion to the members, G. Edwards asked for any questions from members regards the financials. No questions were asked.

2017 AGM MEETING MINUTES CONTINUED...

MOTION: That the 2017 Annual Report and Financial Statements be accepted.

Moved: P. George

Seconded: D. Palmer

CARRIED

8. APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR:

MOTION: Appoint Bentleys (SA) as the NAFC auditor for 2018.

Moved: J. Neville

Seconded: J. Woon

CARRIED

9. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE – BOARD TERM

MOTION: From a recommendation from the Football Review, the Board moved a motion to the members to increase the term of a Board Member to a three (3) year term, from the current two (2) year term.

Chairman W. Jeffries explained that this change came through as part of the recommendations from the Football review, to ensure each elected Board member was given enough time to have appropriate influence on the operations and strategies of the Club.

Moved: A. Bennett

Seconded: J. Neville

CARRIED

10. PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

G. Edwards (CEO) presented the following awards to each recipient:

10 Year Certificates:

- Ashlee Lines (Head trainer)
- Daryl Thomas (History Committee)
- Emilie Banks (Cheerleader)
- Tony McGoran (Junior Coach)

5 Year Certificates:

- David Bean (Junior Assistant)
- Chloe Parslow (Junior Physio)
- Lisa McMurtrie (Junior Trainer)
- Tim Miller (Senior Stats)
- Adam Maio (Senior Stats)
- Kevin Bateman (Chaplain, Trainer)
- Tim Goodwin (Reserves Team Manager)
- Jess Logan (Grandstand Attendant)
- Geoff Logan (Grandstand Attendant)
- Chelsea Cox (Cheerleader)
- Nastarsya Krecu (Cheerleader)

Merit Awards:

G. Edwards advised the members the Board had recommended the following recipients for a Merit Award:

Julie Vranek

Moved: B. Dolman

Seconded: L. Roberts

CARRIED

John Neville

Moved: W. Gilbertson

Seconded: A. Pearce

CARRIED

Volunteer of the Year - John Woon

Club Person of the Year - Kate Cotter

11. SENIOR COACH PRESENTATION:

Josh Carr gave members an update on the pre-season so far, his program and how the teams are shaping for the 2018 season. Key matters presented to the members by Josh were:

Coaching Structure

- J. Carr – Senior Coach
- J. Surjan – Head of Development (Asst League Coach & Reserves Coach)
- T. Mills – Assistant League Coach
- C. Brooks – Junior Development Coach & Under 18's Coach

Recruiting 2018

- Aidan Tropiano – Tough inside Mid
- Robbie Young – Speedy forward, could play mid
- Jarred Allmond – great kick, wing/half back, experienced
- Brock Castree – Half back, calm under pressure, good kick
- Anthony Stengle – Small pressure forward, quick and clever
- Keanu Miller – Quick small forward, clever around goals
- Max Lower – Inside Mid, tough and fit
- Jared Deep – Speedy half forward/half back

Fitness

- Minimal injuries at this time, main one being James Craig with shoulder surgery.
- Players are ahead of last year regards fitness and game sense / structure knowledge.

Football

- Players can't wait until trial games start
- Experimented during Fast Footy with young players

Josh took some questions from the members following his update:

Q: Who is our No 1 ruckman this year, with James Craig out?

A: Alex Barns will be the first ruck in round 1 as Jordon Sweet is suspended for first 2 rounds.

Q: How many players have left the club?

A: Quite a few, around 8 – 10. The list has continued to evolve into the list we think we need to start building success. We needed to add some speed and kicking skills which we have done and we have a number of young NAFC juniors who will take their place this season.

Q: What are your realistic goals in 2018?

A: The goal every year is to come top. Our aim is to ensure we win enough games to play finals football. Then, we will reassess and set new goals.

Q: Have we gone after other ruckman from the AFL, like Daniel Currie and Mark Jamar?

A: We have spoken to Currie a few times over the past 2 years, he has settled back in Melbourne. We are confident our ruck stocks are OK. We have developing rucks like Sweet, O'Brien and Denham all coming along.

Q: Was Ramsey reported in the Fast Footy?

A: Yes he was, but it was thrown out.

12. GENERAL BUSINESS

Mr W. Jeffries opened the floor for general business questions:

Q: Darryl Mansbridge – I want to congratulate the club on its excellent facilities for disabled at Prospect Oval. It is the best oval in the SANFL for allowing wheelchairs to move around freely, all other grounds are much worse, and some are impossible for the disabled.

A: Thanks Darryl, it is certainly something the SANFL must rectify.

Q: Shannon Morrissey: With Sturt FC now able to make over \$400K profit after being broke and bottom for a few years, are the clubs talking to each other on how to improve each other in terms of the financial performance of each club, with so many struggling?

A: Sturt FC have developed a sustainable football model off field after off loading the Castle Tavern a few years ago. This is what was creating the huge losses for them, and the lease they were tied to made it very difficult to get out. Now they are out, they have been able to return the profitability, and with the backing of their large membership, VP group and match attendances, have been able to minimise the need for gaming revenue, unlike all other clubs. Yes, the clubs do talk about assisting each other.

Q: Can the SANFL Clubs join forces regards club finances?

A: SANFL puts together meetings and forums for Directors to discuss the issues of each club and the competition. They are very open and sharing discussions between the clubs, but perhaps not so open with the SANFL. This can be frustrating and one of the reasons the clubs have pushed for the review of the SANFL's operations.

Q: Stuart Lawson: Can we change the Northern Tavern bottleshop back into a drive thru?

A: The bottleshop was created because of the smoking legislation in 2008 and will be unlikely to ever be a drive thru again.

Q: Does every club adhere to the salary cap?

A: It is very hard to show disrespect to the other clubs, so not for me to say. I know at NAFC we do adhere to the salary cap, but one thing is for sure, many community clubs do not follow the salary cap guidelines they operate under which places much pressure on SANFL clubs to retain players.

Q: Congrats to all the speakers tonight, has been very interesting. One question, do the Board have people in the country zone looking for new kids?

A: Yes we do, we have several experience people looking at games for the club throughout our zone, as well as outside our zone. W. Jeffries travels to the country zone several times per year as does Neil Sanders, often meeting with people who understand the types of players we are looking for. We also hold country camps and have academies operating throughout.

Q: Would the Board consider changing back to old 'cock of the north' logo and get rid of the current logo, which I don't really know what it is supposed to be?

A: We will take your feedback on board.

13. CLOSURE

W. Jeffries thanked the members for their attendance and closed the meeting at approximately 8.45pm

Note: ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN, PRESIDENT, LEAGUE DIRECTOR AND BOARD APPOINTEES

- Following the 2017 AGM, in terms of our constitution, the 5 elected Board Members and the appointed Presidents Group representative (1), met immediately to elect the President, Chairman, League Director and Board appointees for 2018.
- Mr G. Edwards (CEO - acting Chairman) asked for nominations for the position of Chairman
- A. Souter nominated W. Jeffries for the position of Chairman, seconded by C. McSporran. S. Trenorden nominated M. Ellis for the position of Chairman, seconded by M. Ellis.
- The Board voted, and W. Jeffries won the vote (4 – 2) and was duly elected to the position of Chairman
- C. McSporran nominated L. Virgin for the position of President, seconded by S. Trenorden.
- L. Virgin was duly elected unopposed to the position of President.
- L. Virgin nominated M. Ellis to the position of League Director, seconded by C. McSporran.
- M. Ellis was duly elected unopposed to the position of League Director.
- Board Appointees:
- The Board moved to re-appoint Susan Girke to the position of Board Member (Appointee).

Moved: M. Ellis

Seconded: S. Trenorden

CARRIED

o The Board moved to re-appoint Pat Hodby to the position of Finance Director

Moved: C. McSporran

Seconded: M. Ellis

CARRIED

Meeting closed at 10.00pm

CLUB ACHIEVEMENTS & HONOURS

PREMIERSHIPS

League (14):

1900, 1902, 1905, 1920, 1930-31, 1949, 1952, 1960, 1971-72, 1987, 1991, 2018

Reserves (10):

1925, 1928, 1932, 1934, 1964-65, 2005-6, 2016, 2018

Under 19s (7): (Senior Colts/Thirds)

1937, 1948-49, 1954, 1961, 1966, 2005

Under 17s (12): (Junior Colts)

1939-40, 1947, 1950, 1952, 1956, 1969-70, 1987, 1997, 2005, 2007

Under 16s (3):

2010-11, 2013

Stanley H. Lewis Memorial Trophy (commenced 1966) (6): 1966, 1971-72, 2005-06, 2014.

Australian Club Champions: 1972



2018 GRAND FINAL FACTS:

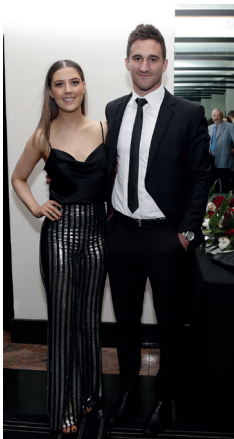
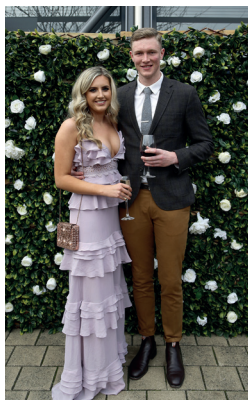
None of the 21 players who played in the Grand Final played in North's last Grand Final appearance in 2013. Max Thring was injured in the Preliminary Final and James Craig and Leigh Ryswyk, who played in 2013, played in North Reserves Premiership this year.

Jake Wohling's 4 league games to become a premiership player is surprisingly not a record for North. Henry 'Harry' Mumme (1900) and Sidney 'Sid' Burton (1930) both played in a North premiership in their second match. Jake's four games places him 3rd, Jordon Sweet is =10th with eight games and Boyd Woodcock is =13th with 9 games.

Boyd Woodcock is the 5th youngest North Premiership Player. The youngest (known) is Hall of Famer Ernest 'Ernie' Johns (18 years, 14 days) in 1902. Boyd's (18 years, 202 days) sits 5th and Connor Rozee (18 years, 244 days) has him equal 7th with another Hall of Famer and former captain Don Gilbourne in 1949.

In 1991 North had seven players who were recruited from other clubs, in 2018 we had eight.

2018 GALA LUNCHEON & CLUB CHAMPION





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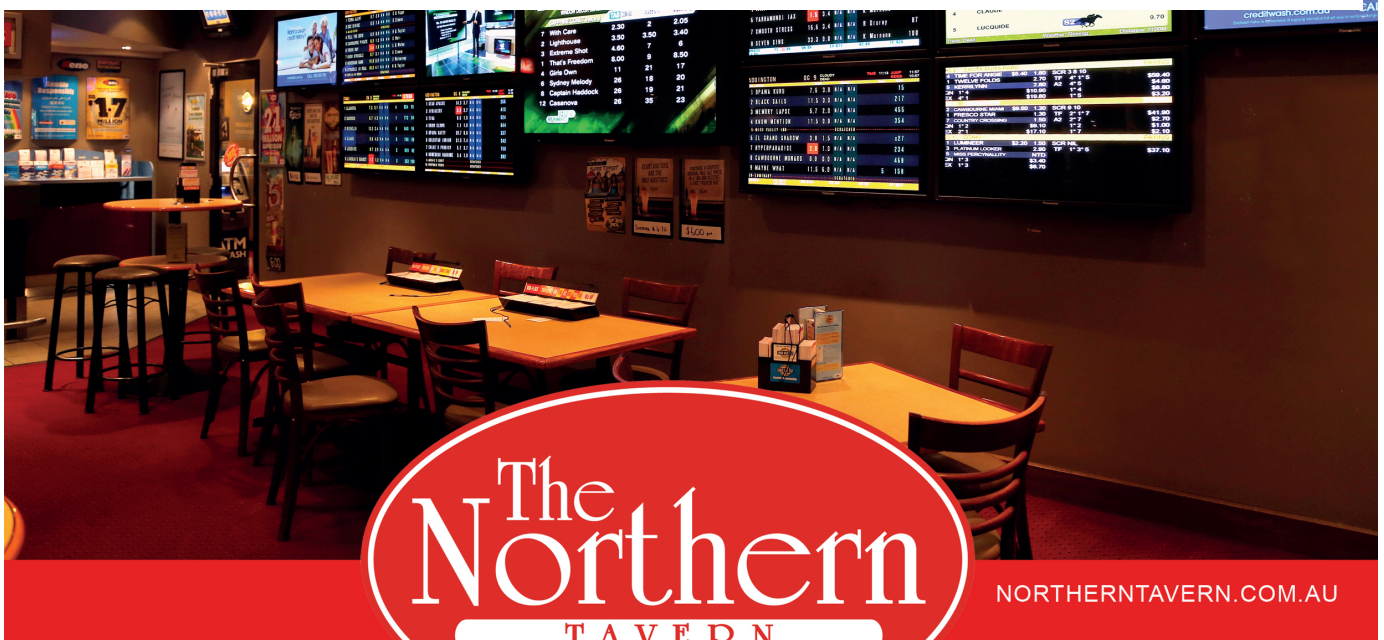
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