

2010

South Perth Junior
Football Club – Annual
Report



[2010 ANNUAL REPORT]

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1. Presidents Report

The Club has experienced another strong year with just under 500 members. We had 320 players comprising 13 teams playing in the Perth District Junior Council and 175 Auskick players. This number is slightly down on last year due to only having one team in the Year 5's and the defection to the East Fremantle zone of a couple of influential families for personal reasons.

South Perth is still the largest and oldest Junior Football Club within the Perth District and we expect to be able to maintain the current levels of player participation for at least the next few years. Although our player numbers have remained fairly consistent we have lost some potential players from the St Pius and Manning Primary Schools to the Manning Rippers. As the Rippers have been unable to field teams in age groups above Year 5's we often see their players come to SPJFC to continue their football in the 11's and above. As these numbers are low, this raises the concern that the balance of their teams may be lost to junior football.

We continue to take a strong line on game day environment and developing players with an emphasis on skill development and fun. This year we presented 22 players with 100 game trophies and 8 players with 150 games (and Life Membership).

There were many highlights during 2010 with some of the main ones being:

- ❖ The Club having teams in the finals of all age groups;
- ❖ The 15's Green winning the Grand Final;
- ❖ Awarding Life Membership for service to the President of the Club;
- ❖ The 150 game milestones and Life Membership for Tyler Itzstein, William Case, Tom Bevan, Aaron Stefani. Callum Stefani, Joel Kalajzic, Liam Mondy and Tim Lloyd;
- ❖ Being one of only two clubs in WA to gain Gold Certification under the WAFC Quality Clubs Program;
- ❖ Winning the District Youth Club of the Year award;
- ❖ Being the first club to implement online registration and payment;
- ❖ Running a seminar on the consequences of poor decisions relating to alcohol and drugs for our 17's team;
- ❖ The development of the Orange Card system and its eventual implementation by the JCC; and

- ❖ Another famous Mark Goodwin Dance Night.

The Club remains in a very strong financial position, with comfortable reserves, thanks to the support of our sponsors. Our main fund raising activity the dance night was however not well supported by members and subsequently did not make a positive financial contribution to the Club. The future of the dance night will need to be reviewed prior to running a similar event in 2011.

Our major sponsor, Ian Hutchison Real Estate, who stepped in at short notice in 2009 to take the position of major sponsor, played a very important part in our Club, not only providing financial support, but also with Steve Lally coaching at an Auskick level. Ian Hutchison Real Estate have committed to continuing their role as major sponsor for the 2011 season. We hope that this partnership can continue in the years ahead and urge all our members to give Ian Hutchison Real Estate a crack at any property sales.

I would like to thank all members of the Committee who have worked tirelessly throughout the year to maintain the success of the Club. They continually work to improve all facets of running the Club, to ensure that the solid foundation laid by previous committees is built upon and that the future is well secured. Special mention is due to Mark Goodwin for his continued involvement in the Club even after his kids were no longer playing football with us.

We should also recognise and thank all the coaches, assistant coaches and managers of all the teams and I would also like to pass on a special thanks to all the parents who contribute each week in helping and supporting the teams.

This year our Clubs reputation has been enhanced by the positive behaviour from our parents and players. We have had significant reduction in the number of red and yellow cards issued to our players and have actively supported the JCC in the push to improve the game day environment.

We have been fortunate to have past and present players selected in almost all representative levels of football this year:

- ❖ Perth Colts – Fraser McInnes and Tim Lloyd;
- ❖ 18's State Team – Fraser McInnes;
- ❖ 15's State Schoolboys – Dylan Biggs, Michael Potts, Jordan Richards;
- ❖ 12's State Schoolboys – Rex Strickland;
- ❖ 16's Development Squads (Perth) – Michael Sinclair, Jacob Bryne, Daniel Arangio, Luke Pearson, Matt Cooper, Jordan Leeson, Matt Rodan, Nic Bruner, Glenn Rodd; Wyatt VerHooght (West Perth);

- ❖ 15's Development Squad (Perth) – Dylan Biggs, Jordan Richards, Marc Mather, Luke Seigert, Jack Nichol, Dylan Cox, Harry McInnes, Michael Potts;
- ❖ 14's Development Squad (Perth) – Sam Downsing, Jarrod Curtin, Joel Hooper, Callum Ralph, Josh Rouphael, Jared Bell, George Keith, Willis Wiringi; and
- ❖ 14's District Fairest and Best – Willis Wiringi

Finally, looking forward to next season, I suggest that we are looking for at least six new committee members and will require at least one committee member for age group.

Thank you.

Garry Itzstein
President
October 2010



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WA FOOTBALL COMMISSION



RAC members are happier

2. 17's Captain Report

Good evening all, I'm Matthew Jupp the Captain of the 17's team and tonight I would just like to say a few words to sum the season and what the South Perth Junior Football Club means to me and the players here tonight.

I personally have been at this Club for five years now and it's easily the best five years of football of my life. Some of the boys in the 17's team have been playing at the club since the age of six and we have all built solid friendships and a good football base for our future endeavours in the world of football. This group right here has collectively won three premierships and played in four. Back when we played in the 13's competition both South Perth Green and South Perth Gold played off in the Grand Final which is a first for any club in the Perth District.

Although this year wasn't to be for a team that nearly folded early in the year due to lack of numbers we really stuck it out and made it to the final four, only to go down to Ellenbrook in a prelim final. We also were the number one Perth Club this year and this is its own is an achievement to be proud of. I would like to thank all the coaches over the years – Kim Fancote, Glenn Bartlett, Garry Itzstein, Phil Lloyd who I believe maintained a perfect coaching record and Gino Stefani.

Just a few quick words on Gino who has been my coach for four years and assisted for another one. I have really appreciated all that you have done for me and the other guys in the team and if it wasn't for you I am certain that football wouldn't be the same for me and I wouldn't have as much of a passion for the game as what I've got today. I can still remember the early days as a boarder when you got us all down to the Club and made us all feel welcome, so thanks Gino.

Other thank-you's go out to all the parents that help make this Club run, thanks for all your hard work. Committee as well needs to be thanked for all the hard work you guys do behind the scene. If it wasn't for you then this Club wouldn't run as smoothly as what it does and it's your hard work that gives this club the reputation it has amongst other clubs as an elite and premier junior football club. I would also like to thanks Garry Itzstein, the President – he puts in a lot of effort to get everything in the club up and running – your work doesn't go unrecognised Garry so thank you.

Like I mentioned earlier I was once a Wesley Boarder and joined the Clun as a Wesley Boarder and I am sure there are some younger Wesley and Aquinas boarders here tonight. It's a little bit of a different experience as a boarder as its harder to get to training and too and from games but make sure you guys don't give up on the Club because if it wasn't for you boarders who have a bit of experience growing up an playing in the country against the bigger bodies then the club wouldn't be the same.

To the 15's, congratulations on your Premiership this year. It was a great game and was well deserved. And to the 16's who didn't quite make it, you will be the seniors of the club next year and you need to set a good example and come back and sort out unfinished business you have.

To all who are currently at the Club and contemplating playing on next year, don't go the soft option and just play school footy because South Perth not only offers a completely different range of experiences but it also gives you the chance to win a premiership which is something that school footy doesn't offer and you can ask anyone in the room tonight who has a premiership medallion they will tell you it was easily the best footy moment of their life.

Finally, to the boys that I have played with for the past five years no matter where you go with your footy next year, be it Colts or amateur colts, good luck it has been a pleasure playing with you all - I have had the best times of my life with you guys and at this club – so thanks.

Thank you.

Matthew Jupp
17's Captain
October 2010



2010 Committee

President	Garry Itzstein
Vice President	Mark Goodwin
Secretary	Natalie Gallagher
Treasurer	Grant Edmunds
Registrar (13's – 17's)	Nigel Fleming
Registrar (9'S – 12's)	Jo John
Coaching Coordinator	Darryl Sinclair
Property	Frank Arangio
Auskick	Kelly Kerrison
Committee Members	Laurie Liddelow
	Lindsay Albonico
	Caitlyn Rothnie
	Craig Butler



3. Treasurer's Report

Season 2010 Financial Results

Financial Results

- Registration fees for the year totalled \$46,079 compared to \$53,490 last year and the 2010 budget of \$62,850. When framing the budget two 16's and two 14's teams were factored into the thought process and a few more numbers in the lower teams. This year we also provided parents with the option of registering and paying their membership fees on line through Sportingpulse/Paypal which was taken up by 75 families. A great initiative and should be heavily promoted next year.

- Major sponsorships were received during the year from:

Ian Hutchinson Real Estate	\$7,500
Merv Roberts Motors	\$2,500
Telstra	\$1,200
Downer	\$2,500
Neighbourhood Watch	\$730

- The canteen reported a profit for the year of \$6,226 although the major social event of the year resulted in a small loss. In relation to the canteen we now have accounts established with Cadbury Schweppes and Mrs Mac's and with Como Physiotherapy allowing us to have the goods dropped at their premises, with Laurie then picking up and delivering to the club, significant efficiencies have been made. Special thanks to Charlene and Laurie.

- Major expenses for the year included:

Property and Equipment	\$26,641	Umpires & team fund	\$9,062
Trophies	\$5,061	Photographs	\$5,433
Auskick packs	\$5,336	PFC Registration	\$5,161

In relation to property and equipment the decision was made to incur costs this year with the intent of making life easier in future years. This included the purchase of two freezers to store canteen food (so we don't have to shop weekly at faraway places) \$2,540; a new PC and printer to aid in the production of ID cards and to keep digital records of the club \$1,355; additional clash jumpers \$11,653 and \$7,448 on the all important footy's.

- The season closed with a net loss of \$7,739 compared to the budgeted profit of \$253 and the net profit of \$20,235 in 2009.

Balance Sheet & Cash Availability

- As at 30 September 2010 the bank account per the Bank Statement (cheque account) stands at \$1,834.01 with the Cash Management Account having a closing balance of \$35,464.75 with outstanding cheques to the value of \$12,330 leaving the club with total cash available of \$24,968.

Finally, after being the Treasurer for seven years it is time to pass the cheque book on to a new person. I wish them well and will remain available to guide them throughout 2011.

GRANT EDMUNDS

Hon Treasurer

B.Bus; Grad. Cert. MGT; MBA

4. Significant Achievements 2010

The annual Presidents Award was awarded jointly to Darryl Sinclair and Beau Wardman.

Both have played an integral role in the development of the Club's umpiring program and the development of those players participating in the program. The Club continues to receive the acknowledgement of the other Clubs in the District on this initiative.

Darryl has been involved with many teams over the past few years as his son's Ryan and Kyle have passed through the ages. A man of many talents Darryl has been head runner, umpire, and assistant coach.

Beau has been a player with the Club and returned as a Coach in the 2008 season. This is in addition to his WAFL League umpiring commitments and his role as Coaching Coordinator for the Perth District.

The Auskick Award was presented to Lindsay Albonico by John McGrath.

5. Life Memberships

Life Membership was awarded to the following players upon reaching the 150 Game milestone:

T Bevan
W Case
T Itzstein
J Kalalzcic
T Lloyd
L Mondy
A Stefani
C Stefani

Additionally the Club recognised the long term and sustained efforts of Garry Itzstein with Life Membership. Garry has been a long serving President that was largely responsible for the major lighting upgrade over the past few years, the awarding of the Gold Certification in the Quality Clubs Program – one of two Clubs in Australia; Garry also coached, was an Auskick Co-ordinator; in charge of property; and coaching coordinator. Congratulations Garry.

6. Games Milestones

50 Games

Alex Baker	Mitchel Harken	Lachlan Napier
Robert Bodley	Jack Harris	Jordan Richards
Matthew Boys	Michael Hegerty	Michael Ritter
Nicholas Butler	Sean Hughes	Glenn Rodd
Jacob Burton	Reynard Hodson	Mason Siviour
Brandon John	Kirk Howes	Luke Skonis
Harrison Fleming	Oliver Hunter	Zachary Stewart
Brodie Gorman	Nick Kelleway	Jaxon Symons-Smith
Campbell Godfrey	Harrison Long	Yew Zhi Tan
Tim Gryguc	Mackenzie Long	Jack Wagner
Samantha Guice	Bradley Pattison	Richard Walley

100 Games

Paul Abbott	Cody Cork	Jerra Nile
Michael Arangio	Dylan Cox	Thomas O'Brien
Jerome Begley	Callum Jepp	Michael Potts
Scott Bell	Mitchell McGrath	Tim Walker
Dylan Biggs	Harry McInnes	Zachary Werner
Nathan Butler	Harry Mettam	Robert White
Adrian Cinanni	Jack Nichol	Mark Whittleson



Perth Development Squad Players

14's	15's	16's
Jared Bell	Dylan Biggs	Daniel Arangio
Jarrood Curtin	Dylan Cox	Nic Brunner
Sam Dowsing	Marc Mather	Jacob Bryne
Joel Hooper	Harry McInnes	Matt Cooper
George Keith	Jack Nichol	Jordan Leeson
Callum Ralph	Michael Potts	Luke Pearson
Josh Roupheel	Jordan Richards	Matt Rodan
Willis Wiringi	Mark Whittleston	Glen Rodd
		Michael Sinclair



Perth Colts Squad

Fraser McInnes
Tim Lloyd

18's State Team

Fraser McInnes

15's State School Boys

Dylan Biggs
Michael Potts
Jordan Richards

12's State School Boys

Rex Strickland

Umpiring achievements

7. On-Field Success

PREMIERSHIP WINNING TEAM FROM THE 2010 SEASON

15's Green (Coach Craig Butler)



The 15's Premiership Flag being presented to the Club.



8. Vote Based Trophies

Fairest & Best

13's Green	Zachary Hill
13's Gold	Bailey Nisbett
14's	Jared Bell
15's	Jack Nichol
16's	Nick Kelleway
17's	Matthew Jupp



Runner-up Fairest & Best

13's Green	Bradley Pattison
13's Gold	Clint Chivers
14's	Willis Wiringi
15's	Dylan Cox & Marc Mather
16's	Matt Rodan
17's	Luke PARDINI



Most Consistent

13's Green	Kirk Howes
13's Gold	Campbell Godfrey
14's	Sam Downsing
15's	Mark Whittleston
16's	Richard Walley
17's	Jack Gorman



Best in Grand Final

15's	Dylan Biggs
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Best in Finals

13's Green	James McGuire
13's Gold	Mitchell Dallimore
14's	Jarrood Curtin
15's	Dylan Biggs & Hary McInnes
16's	Chris Butcher
17's	Joel Kalajazic



9. Coaching Panel Trophies

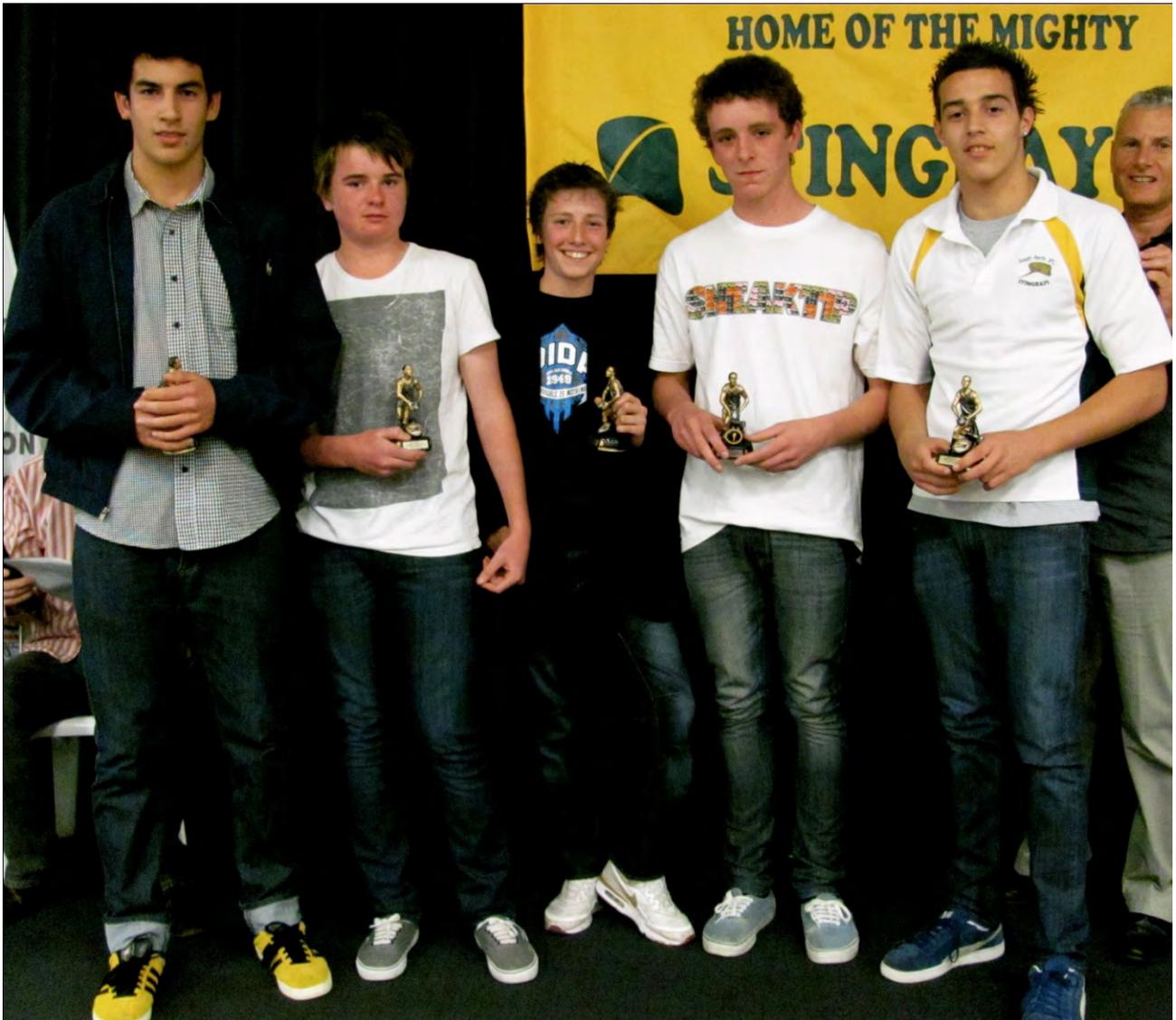
Coaches Trophy

13's Green	Jarrold Clarke
13's Gold	Reynard Hodson
14's Gold	Ben Grigson
15's	Tim Walker
16's	Jake Howes
17's	Tom Bevan



Best Utility

13's Green	Joshua Brennan
13's Gold	Mason Siviour
14's	Sean Harken
15's	Harry McInnes
16's	Daniel Arangio
17's	Callen Stefani



Most Improved

13's Green	Mitchell Harken
13's Gold	Mackenzie Long
14's	Dean Mickle
15's	Michael Arangio
16's	Oliver Jourdain
17's	Joel Kalajazic



Most Courageous

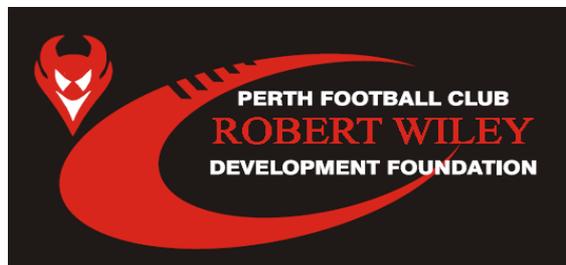
13's Green	James Dewar
13's Gold	Brandon John
14's	Joshua Roupheel
15's	Michael Potts
16's	Scott Bell
17's	Mattais Cailagaro



Robert Wiley Development Foundation Award

The Rob Wiley Foundation award has been in place since 2006 and recognises the efforts of a deserving 16 year old. Steve Irons, Director of Junior Football at the Perth Football Club presented Nick Kelleway with the 2010 Award.

Past winners were Zac Zuconi (2006), Martin Edmunds (2007) and Wade Harn (2008) and Fraser McInnes (2009).



10. Auskick 2010

Kelly Kerrison
Auskick Coordinator

11. SPJFC Player Umpire Program

In conjunction with the Perth District Umpires Coach Steve Hills umpire clinics were conducted at South Perth Junior Football Club.

New umpires Mark Heggarty, Michael Ritter, Brandon John joined the program and Toby Price Ryan Sinclair and Wyatt Gordon were promoted to the Perth District Umpires Team.

Other umpire achievements

Richard Heptinstall Boundary Umpire (100 games SPJFC)

Officiated in 20 AFL League Games

Beau Wardman Field Umpire (100 games SPJFC)

Officiated in 19 WAFL League Games

Appointed to WAFL Reserves Grand Final

Represented WA at National 18's Championships

Ryan Sinclair Boundary Umpire (100 games SPJFC & 2009 17's Premiership Player)

Officiated in 21 WAFL League games

Appointed to WAFL Colts Grand Final

Kyle Sinclair Boundary Umpire (146 games SPJFC)

Officiated in 21 WAFL Reserves games

Appointed to WAFL Colts Second Semi Final

Kirk Webster Boundary Umpire (Auskick player SPJFC)

Officiated in 11 Reserves games

Appointed to Colts First Semi Final

12. Retiring Players

This year the Club acknowledges those 17's who finished their junior football at the end of the 2010 season:

Fadel	BABA		Mitch	MCGRATH
Tom	BEVAN		Fraser	MCINNES
Mattias	CALIGARO		Sean	MCLAUGHLIN
Will	CASE		Liam	MONDY
Nathan	CLARKE		Luke	PARDINI
Jack	ELDER		Aaron	STEFANI
Josh	EVANS		Callen	STEFANI
Matt	FANCOTE		Brad	SWEENEY
Marcus	FRANCO		Jonathon	WALDON
Jack	GORMAN		Dan	WHITTLESTON
Tyler	ITZSTEIN		George	SEREM
Matthew	JUPP		Merwan	KASSEM
Joel	KALAJZIC		Cameron	SCOTT
Tim	LLOYD			



17's Coach Gino Stefani

Retiring Players

