



Greensborough Football Club Inc

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Dear Member

The President and committee hope you are well and you had a good Christmas and a Happy New Year, the 2010 season starts on the 10th of April and we play Eltham at Eltham which no doubt will be another close game.

With the season finishing for the A grade and the Reserves sides on the 22nd of August it was up to the under 19's to represent the club in the finals and they did the club proud bringing home the Premiership Cup, congratulations to Ben and all his team, well done. Under Shane's guidance the new committee and coaching staff have been working extremely hard to take the GFC to the next level into the 2010 finals, the club has signed a number of new players and with the return of some former players things are looking good for the upcoming season. Neale (Cowboy) Carroll has taken on the role again as senior coach with the assistance of Guy Pemberton, The reserves will again be coached by Mark Wilson and Ben Turner will be looking for back to back Premiership success as he leads the under 19's for the 2010 season. Jim Lawrence has agreed to be club treasurer again continuing his great work of controlling the club's financial requirements.

The new club secretary is Dale Fowler taking on a big job, it's great to see the father of two of our under 19's coming on board with such a positive attitude. The club's 2010 committee again is fortunate to have Russell Waites and Rob Lincoln with 4 new members Sue Dovey (Mrs Stumpy), Russell Grubb, Mark Rogers and Graham Walker with these members enthusiasm the club can only go forward. The club would like to sincerely thank Ian Knight, Greg Knight and Ross McDonald for their tireless efforts over the last 2 seasons. Shane Gration now into his third year as president will again lead the club with more experience and confidence his desire to move the club back to the top of the ladder is unrelenting.

This year more than any, our club sponsors will play a very important part of the club's success for the season. It is essential that we increase the number of our current sponsors and also make sure that we support the sponsors by giving them our business or at least the chance to provide a quote on what service or product you require. If you know a company or person you think might want to sponsor the club or a player please contact Russell Grubb 0419 560598.

2010 is an important year for us as we must reinforce and grow our position in division I. Your membership is critical to our off field strength and success and that with that success the on field victory will come and I ask you to find and bring others to the club with you.

This year the club is reforming the women's committee to ensure that the needs of our female



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members are duly considered when organizing functions and other requirements, please speak to Sue Dovey or Shane Gration 0418 366 746. Russell Grubb has arranged a trip to the Linen House showroom (Girls Big Day Out) on Saturday June the 5th, with the opportunity to purchase Top quality Manchester from the Linen House showroom **at up to half price**. (2 buses from the GFC Clubrooms to Linen House return) Champagne, Lunch & Bus Cost \$30 **Contact Russell Grubb** on 0419 775566

The club would like to invite any members who may be in the position to join either the **200 CLUB** or the New **500 CLUB**.

The aim of the 200 club is to provide additional money for player payments and other related items within the club, last year the 200 club had 50 members, this year Mark Howard is running the 200 club and is hoping to increase the number of members, so please contact Mark on 0438 438 271 if you are interested.

The 500 Club is a new club which was started with the idea of raising funds to go directly to Projects around the club. This will include a new gym, other GFC facility improvements, and new items of equipment for the club. Members of the 500 Club will receive a 2010 GFC membership, a 500 Club polo shirt and be invited to a GFC luncheon (details to be advised). Please contact Russell Grubb on 0419 560 598 for any information.

It is also at this time of the year when the committee looks for volunteers to fill many of the rolls for match day functions for this season for home and away games. Please look at the following page and see if you can provide a small amount of your time to assist in any task. Your assistance no matter how small would be greatly appreciated.

HOME GAMES

- Put up goal post padding 9.00am.
- Put up sponsor banners 9.00am.
- Put out the 2 First Aid stretchers 9.00am.
- Check that umpire rooms are clean and drink container is full with fresh water and cups.
- Setup can bar with stock and power up the fridge unit.
- Fill water bottles before each game and half time for all 3 grades.
- Timekeeper for each grade,
- Team managers for each grade.
- Waters Persons provide water to players during the game.
- Umpire escort, 1 required for each grade.
- Interchange Steward, 1 required for each grade.
- Sell raffle tickets during the A grade game.
- Remove goal post padding at the end of the A Grade game.
- Remove sponsor banners at the end of the A Grade game.
- Bring in the 2 First Aid stretchers at the end of the A Grade game.
- Pack up the can bar 5.00pm



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AWAY GAMES

- Fill water bottles before each game and half time for all 3 grades.
- Timekeeper for each grade.
- Team managers for each grade.
- Waters Persons provide water to players during the game.
- Umpire escort, 1 required for each grade.
- Interchange Steward, 1 required for each grade.

Practice matches are:

- 1: GFC Vs, OakPark.
- 2: GFC Vs Lower Plenty
- 3: GFC Vs Whittlesea

Practice matches may be subject to change of Club, venue and date at short notice due to the scheduled oval not being available, please keep in touch with the club to confirm the time and location of the games. Check the GFC website times and dates.

Please help us in these difficult times by renewing your membership.
Check the clubs website www.greensboroughfc.com for news from around the club.
Your continued support of the club is greatly appreciated.

Thanks & Regards

Mark Trotter
Greensborough Football Club 2010

If there is anything you need to discuss please do not hesitate to call any of the contacts below.

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A membership helps to support your football club

MEMBERSHIP 2010	PRICE	QTY	Amount
Adult Membership	\$100	()	\$ _____
Seniors/Student & Concession Membership	\$ 40	()	\$ _____
Home Game (only) Membership	\$ 50	()	\$ _____
Family Membership (2 Adults & Children Under 16)	\$150	()	\$ _____
Donation			\$ _____
	TOTAL		\$ _____

MEMBER DETAILS

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL: _____

TELEPHONE/MOBILE: _____

I consent/do not consent (delete as appropriate) to the Greensborough Football Club Inc releasing the above details to club sponsors and other interested parties to further the interests of the football club.

Signed

PAYMENT DETAILS

Cheque/Money Order (made payable to Greensborough Football Club Inc and enclosed with application)

Credit Card Visa Mastercard

Card No _ _ _ _ _

Name on card _____ Expiry Date ____/____/____

If sending by mail please post to Greensborough Football Club P O Box 272 Greensborough 3088