

## Next phase of our preparation for the 2013 Season Issued 24<sup>th</sup> January 2013.

Welcome to 2013 for all existing players, parents and supporters of North Ryde Soccer Club.

## **Next Phase with the NRSC Organising Team**

I was disappointed that we did not have any new attendees at our preliminary planning meeting on Monday night. So we have had to make some interim steps to get the ball rolling. It looks like most of you are quite happy to let the existing team continue along without your support. We really do need some extra help!!

## Interim key appointments.

The core organising team for the 2013 pre-season will comprise Tony Borg, Mark Milne, Dave Anderson and Tony Zdilar. This group will handle all matter relating to the preparation for On-Field Football in 2013.

This will include the Player Registration, GHFA Liaison, Trialling and Selection of Teams, Grading of Teams, Pre-Season Trial Games and Training.

They will rely more heavily on the individual team managers to support the key functions that happen within our club.

In support of our Football operations the current people remain in key roles.

- Mark Simpson will continue in his Coaching Directors Role
- Ian Cunningham will continue in his Merchandise Role
- Eric Viana will continue in his Communications Role
- Ricky Symonds will continue in his Web Master Role.
- Peter Rolls and Paul Uhrig will continue in their Social Co-ordination Roles.

For the interim, Jessica Stone-Herbert, Alan Ball and I will stay on board to handle the back-end finance and administration in transition, with a specific focus on preparing for the 2013 Season.

This includes, banking, forecasting and budgeting, liaison with Registrations Team, advertising, recruiting and promotions, ground booking etc etc.

We **really need someone to step up and assume the Treasurers Role**. We will do the budgeting work but we need someone to run the role in an ongoing capacity. The role is well supported by great systems and templates. We need someone to come in and take on this role.

In preparation for the season we **urgently** need people in the following roles:

- Equipment and Jersey Co-ordinator
- Ground Preparation Co-ordinator
- Age Group Co-ordinators for Minis (U6, 7, 8)
- Junior Team Co-ordinator for Juniors U9-U12
- Junior Team Co-ordinators for Juniors U13-U17.
- Senior Team Co-ordinator for All Age

- Senior Team Co-ordinator for Over 35s and 45s
- Sponsorship Co-ordinator
- Canteen Co-ordinator
- Child Protection Officer

With out a core group of volunteers we will not be able to maintain the quality of support that we pride ourselves on. It is time for you to get involved.

If you have any interest in helping please drop me an email on <a href="mailto:mmbrh@optusnet.com.au">mmbrh@optusnet.com.au</a> or call on 0404041990

## **Pre-Season Programs**

- We have prepared an amended pre-season timeline (as attached)
- The information on the pre-season programs has been issued on a separate bulletin this week.
- As well we have the Parents vs the Kids Soccer Match at 5pm every Sunday afternoon at Ryde East School Oval.
- We also encourage the Coach / Manager of each existing team to make contact with their players and confirm numbers for 2013. It is especially important that you let us know if you are not playing in 2013 and we will take you off the list.
- Finally, each player can be a recruiting person for the club. Have a chat to your mates and invite them to come along and play at your club in 2013.

Check out the club website for information as we move forward. www.northrydesoccer.com.au

Regards,

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