

## **Hackney Hotel Round 1 Results**



#### A Grade

Round 1	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Tot
PAOC	2.2	4.4	4.7	9.7	61
Payneham NU	2.2	5.4	12.8	17.12	114

**Goal Kickers:** Drew Clayfield 2, Brendan Papps 2, Justin Graetz 1, Will Hugo 1, Jake Harrap 1, Daniel Fry 1, Simon Potts 1

Best Players: Drew Clayfield, Justin Graetz, Josh Hall, Tom Bailey, Daniel Fry

Not the ideal start to season 2014 for the A grade in what were ideal conditions at Park 9. We have had an exciting summer in terms of both training and recruiting however that only gets you to the starting line. We were out worked and out muscled by a hungrier Payneham Norwood outfit and it was a lesson better to be taught now rather than later in the year. We fielded a well-balanced side which consisted of 7 players playing their first games for the club. Like all footy teams it takes time to work out how to play well together and on reflection this was certainly the case.

It was a scrappy contest in the first half with neither side being able to score easily. Payneham were dominating the stoppages however our backs lead by Hall and D Clayfield managed to cut off a lot of the thrust forward. Given the pressure we were under and the lack of ability to win the clearances we continued to turn the ball over in the first half and we kicked the ball wide when entering our Fwd 50 which made it difficult to create scoring opportunities.

Things didn't get any easier in the second half and the problems we faced earlier in the game were only compounded once we lost Brinsley and Jackman through injury. Payneham kicked 12 goals to 5 in the second half to blow the game away.

Fry, Bailey and J Graetz were good contributors throughout the day however across the group we were well down on consistent output.

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### **Upcoming Fixtures- THIS WEEK**

Saturday 12th April 2014

A Grade v Walkerville (Walkerville Oval, 2:15pm)

B Grade v Walkerville (Walkerville Oval, 12:15pm)

C Grade v Hope Valley (Park 9, 2.15pm)

D Grade v Hope Valley (Park 9, 12.15pm)

E Grade v Scotch (Park 9, 10.15am)

#### **B** Grade

Round 1	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Tot
PAOC	4.4	8.9	12.12	14.16	100
Payneham NU	3.1	4.1	6.4	11.6	72

**Goal Kickers:** Max Clarke 3, Aaron Manning 3, Henry Olsson 1, Seb Moroney 1, Tom Teague 1, Tom Dahlenburg 1, Chris Hannemann 1, Callan Buchecker 1, Ben Gazzola 1, Jeremy Pearce 1

**Best Players:** Aaron Manning, Chris Hannemann, Max Clarke, James Dalwood, Nick Braund, Henry Olsson

The season kicked off against newly promoted PNU and we were met with perfect conditions at Park 9. A new look B grade saw 4 players making their debut for the club – Chris Hannemann, Callan Buchecker, Lewis Crawford & Glen Soper.

The built up anticipation of round 1 was evident early and made for a scrappy first 5 minutes. However, we settled well and once we began to control the football we used it effectively, with our forwards providing strong lead up targets. Plenty of players were rotating through the middle and all were having an impact which was pleasing to see. While we dominated possession, as the quarter continued our decision making lapsed as we stopped hitting the lead up target and opted for the deep kick inside forward 50.

The instruction at quarter time was to lower the eyes and use the footy better. Our forwards continued to present, the midfield began to deliver and we were able to somewhat open the game up. A dominant quarter saw us not only control the tempo of the game but we began to hit the scoreboard and put some distance between us and PNU. By halftime not only had we opened up a commanding lead but we had control of the game.

We continued in this vein in the third quarter but unfortunately lost Soper early to put us 2 down on the bench. With players beginning to cramp late in the term we had to play the last quarter and a half with no rotations and PNU took advantage kicking the first 3 goals of the last quarter to give them some hope. From here the players really dug deep, in particular the backline with Nick Braund & Blake Sanders impenetrable and Henry Olsson & Buchecker providing great run to create some critical scoring opportunities. In the end, despite having only 18 fit men for the last quarter, we ran over the top of PNU to begin the year with a comfortable victory.

#### C Grade

Round 1	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Tot
PAOC	3.3	9.7	9.9	12.12	84
Tea Tree Gully	1.1	2.3	7.5	8.8	56

**Goal Kickers:** Michael Phillips 4, Nick Brooks 3, Max Burford 2, Jackson Myhill 2, Tim Sanders 1

Best Players: Max Burford, Ben Young, Michael Phillips, Greg Honner, Will Thredgold

A great start to the season for the C Grade defeating Tea Tree Gully on their home deck. Micky Phillips and Nick Brooks were impressive up forward while Max Burford played one of his better games for the Club.

The depth at the Club currently is very impressive with a large number of players in the side being B Grade regulars last season. Players like Michael Phillips, Harry Barnes, Greg Honner and Jackson Myhill were all impressive on the day and are keeping pressure on our B Grade as we would have hoped.

Hope Valley at home next week in a triple header, looking forward to getting onto Park 9 for the first time in 2014!



The B Grade celebrates a first up victory at Park 9!

#### **D** Grade

Round 1	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Tot
PAOC	4.3	5.5	13.8	17.9	111
Tea Tree Gully	3.0	5.2	5.3	6.4	40

**Goal Kickers:** Harry Bilyk 7, Ben Newbery 3, James L Thomas 2, Cam Burfield 1, Sam Wood 1, Cameron Garry 1, Arata Gwinnett 1, Matt Faull 1

Best Players: Harry Bilyk, Noah Ramsey, Alex Davidson, Cameron Winter, George Treloar

Welcome to season 2014. With the club now fielding 5 teams the D grade is looking to have another successful campaign not only with wins throughout the season but also with welcoming new players and continuing to promote a positive environment.

We kicked the season off travelling to Tea Tree Gully, a traditionally strong district club fielding a team in D8R for the first time. With a very different team to that which finished 3<sup>rd</sup> last year we welcomed a few new players in Cam Burfield, Noah Ramsay and James Turner as well as welcoming back Randall Lloyd.

The first quarter we started well with good run and when open some excellent delivery to our forwards. Lacking the tall timber we had to depart from the club ideal of T1, T2 and T3 and decided that with a couple of short but larger bodies that 2 out in the goal square would be our best option. We managed 4-3 to TTG 3-0 with both forwards contributing. The 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter followed a similar pattern. When we kept the forward line open, played the ball to space and when we ran we were able to open the game and score however if we didn't run hard on a turnover or from a stoppage the opposition were able to get clean entry to their forwards and score. At half time we had secured a 3 goal advantage 8-5 to 5-2. The 3<sup>rd</sup> is the premiership quarter and the boys responded very well adding 5 unanswered goals to take control of the game and in the last we added a further 4 whilst holding TTG to only 1 goal for the whole second half with final scores showing a nearly 12 goal win.

Noah Ramsay on debut was everywhere, getting his own ball and providing great run through the middle and across half forward, our two short and heavy forwards provided us with a strong presence and contributed 10 goals with Beerslyk Bilyk 7 and Juddy Zacker 3 whilst J Lo was crashing packs at half forward contributing another 2 goals. Alex Davidson was cast into an unfamiliar role in ruck and was outstanding, winning taps and clearing the ball as well as contributing around the ground including the crucial 1% efforts of smothering and chasing down opponents. The backline was resolute with Cam Winter again beating his opponent as we have come to expect and Sam Wood in his role as game-day captain providing his usual rebound. Cam Garry contributed strongly in the 1<sup>st</sup> half up forward and in the second from down back mopping up any opposition attack. Cam Burfield was solid down back in the first half but when released forward in the second showed some great skill across the half forward line. The run from the wings is important to our game play and George Treloar was instrumental in providing that link and was well supported by both Hiran and Sam Duff. Randall Lloyd and Mick Sanders in the middle worked hard and enabled the midfied run of Hill, Parkinson, Faull, Ramsay and Gwinnet to create for us all day. Arata had been having a great game and racking up the disposals around the ground until getting an unfortunate knock to his knee late. We wish him well in his recovery.

A solid 10 goal plus win to start the season, some great debuts and a really positive vibe see us heading to our first home game next week against Hope Valley with some deserved confidence but aware that early form can be deceptive. Congratulations to the club fielding 5 teams this week and securing 4 wins, let's all get to training and ensure the colour of this year is RED.

#### **E** Grade

Round 1	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Tot
PAOC	5.2	8.3	10.7	12.11	83
Pulteney	1.3	5.5	6.6	7.10	52

**Goal Kickers:** John Waltham 6, Scot Tyndall 2, Charlie Hall 1, Nick Rees 1, Andrew Heitmann 1, Will Ellison 1

**Best Players:** Mark McGregor, Michael Siciliano, Charlie Comerford, Nick Rees, Charlie Hall, John Waltham

A good showing by the E grade in their round 1 clash with Pulteney, running out victorious by 31 points. With a good mixture of experienced heads and young recruits, the boys were quick to find their feet and got out to a 4 goal lead early on, led by Jonno Waltham who was marking everything up forward. Pulteney were a persistent opposition and made sure we had a good contest for 4 quarters. A persistent tagging effort from the president, managed to slow down their key midfielder, while tackling pressure from some of the younger boys in C. Hall, H. Treloar and C. Clarke kept the opposition honest. Our inexperienced ruckman in Charlie Comerford gave us first use of the ball all morning, with Reesy and co making the most of it and giving our forwards first use. Waltham threatened to kick a massive bag, if it wasn't for a few dropped marks and some inaccurate kicking. McGregor took the BOG honors, for a 4 quarter effort down back, holding our defense together and repelling numerous attacking movements from Pulteney, in what was a solid team effort for the clubs newest side.

## Craig Kelly Showdown Business Lunch

A big thank you to all those who attended our Business Lunch held the Friday prior to the first Showdown at Adelaide Oval. The day was a huge success and the audience was treated to a Showdown preview thanks to Peter Rohde and Mark Ricciuto.

This was then followed by a very entertaining speech from Craig Kelly who discussed all current issues in AFL including the Essendon saga, draft and much more.

We now look forward to our next business lunch on <u>Friday 22 August at 12.30pm. Make sure you save</u> <u>the date!</u>



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