



Round 3 Results

A Grade

Round 3	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Tot
PAOC	3.5	12.9	14.11	24.16	160
Gepps Cross	2.0	3.1	5.8	6.8	44

Goal Kickers: James R Thomas 4, Cameron Graetz 3, Simon Potts 3, Karl Siebels 2, Gavin Hughes 2, Ben Gazzola 2, Jake Pitt 2, Matt Morrell 2, Tom Barnes 2, Will Curyer 1, Tom Ashby 1

Best Players: Adam Perryman, Simon Potts, James Dalwood, Gavin Hughes, Matt Morrell

Heading out to Gepps Cross we were eager to make up for our poor performance last week. We welcomed Ed Boyd for his first game for the Club and a special appearance from Jake Pitt, who played his first game back from injury before returning to the Bay.

We kicked into a strong breeze in the first quarter and our willingness to compete, particularly around the stoppages, gave us plenty of forward entries and shots on goal. The midfield started sharply, everyone getting involved, playing their role to control the clearances. Perryman and Hughes were busy and Papps, Morrell, Curyer and Graetz provided a great mix of strength and speed through the middle of the ground. Our defence was key to our quarter time lead. Clayfield & Brinsley set the tone with Boyd, Wicks, Tromans and Pritchard only too happy to follow.

The message at quarter time was to maintain focus on our accountability and ensure we were committed to this across the ground. As the rain came we moved the ball efficiently and the increased focus on effort saw us kick 9 goals for the quarter, turning at the main break with a strong lead. The breeze picked up in the third quarter causing some poor disposal. However it was our drop in work rate and effort that allowed Gepps Cross to control some passages of play. We retuned at three quarter time to again focus on our contest and effort. By this stage we had ground the young opposition down and with the aid of the breeze and little resistance goals flowed like they did in the second quarter.

It was a much improved performance. There are still opportunities to improve and we will need to this week as we take on Scotch OC on Ladies Day. A great challenge ahead but we're looking forward to getting on Park 9 for the first time this season.

Finally, congratulations to Jimmy Byers on his representation in the Australian Defence Force team that played the curtain raiser to the Port/Hawks clash at Adelaide Oval. Fittingly the ADF pulled off a last minute win by a goal.

PRINCE ALFRED OLD COLLEGIANS FOOTBALL CLUB PRESENTS

Ladies Day

SATURDAY 2nd MAY 2015

FROM 12.30PM

LEST WE FORGET

Of the 890 odd Old Reds that served in World War One some 125 never returned. Of those that did safely return, at least 4 played for our Club after its formation in 1926:

1926-29 Walter S. "Stan" Gilbert (PAC 1907-09)

1926 Gordon W. Harris (PAC 1911-13)

1926 Dr H. Gordon Prest (PAC 1915-1917)

1928 William A. Holden (PAC 1909-17)

Over the last 90 years many members of our Club have served, whether it is the four above, WWII spitfire Ace Arthur W.G. Dawkins (PAC 1929-33), Thomas F. Young (PAC 1957-64) in Vietnam or current player James D.C. Byers (PAC 2005-07).

On the 100th anniversary of the landing on Gallipoli in 1915, it is important to acknowledge that Anzac Day is a day on which we remember all those who served and died in all wars.

***"They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old;
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them."***



Upcoming Fixtures

Saturday 2nd May 2015

A Grade v Scotch OC (Park 9, 2:15pm)

B Grade v Scotch OC (Park 9, 12:15pm)

C Grade v Tea Tree Gully (Pertaringa Oval, 12:15pm)

D Grade v Salisbury (Park 9, 10:15am)

E Grade v Tea Tree Gully (Pertaringa Oval, 10:15am)

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2015 Player Auction

Lots and Estimated Return after Round 3

- Lot 1 - Tom Ashby, Chris Hannemann - \$220
- Lot 2 - Ben Gazzola, James Prest, Daniel Fry - \$70
- Lot 3 - Tom Brinsley, Ed Boyd, Max Clarke - \$100
- Lot 4 - Brendan Papps, James Byers - \$0
- Lot 5 - Will Hugo, Ryan Tromans - \$50
- Lot 6 - Tom Barnes and any other player - \$130
- Lot 7 - Karl Siebels, Matt Morrell - \$70
- Lot 8 - James Dalwood, Jos Builder - \$160
- Lot 9 - Simon Potts, Jack Ramsey, Matt Jackman - \$100
- Lot 10 - Cam Graetz, Nick Braund, George Choimes - \$220
- Lot 11 - Tom Wicks, Josh Hall - \$50
- Lot 12 - James Thomas, Lewis Crawford, Max Burford - \$130
- Lot 13 - Cam Pritchard, Nelson Ellis, Lachy McNamara, Luke Bartlett, Ben Glover, Vinny Rocca - \$100
- Lot 14 - Will Curyer, Ned Holmes, Aaron Manning - \$50
- Lot 15 - Drew Clayfield, Jake Pitt - \$290
- Lot 16 - Gavin Hughes, Nick Blanch, Sam Gunning - \$70
- Lot 17 - Adam Perryman, Kenny Campbell - \$380

How it works:

Each week the top 6 best players as voted by the coach and selected supporters have a \$ amount allocated the his lot,
i.e. Best \$220, 2nd \$160, 3rd \$130, 4th \$100, 5th \$70, 6th \$50 (estimate only)

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Ladies Day

SATURDAY 2nd MAY 2015

FROM 12.30PM

PRINCE ALFRED OCFC V SCOTCH OCFC

PARK 9, CNR BUNDEYS RD & PARK TCE, NORTH ADELAIDE

TICKETS AT THE GATE \$30

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Featuring: Central District Football Club Superstars Chris and James Gowans,
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Plus some massive news about Park 9



Date: Friday May 1st 2015
Time: 12:30pm for 1pm
Venue: Hackney Hotel
Tickets: \$110 per person - \$1,000 for tables of 10
Includes: 2 course lunch and coffee
Live auction with drinks until 4 pm

Lunch: Supplied by Thomas Food International
Drinks: Wine supplied by Wicks Estate
Beer supplied by Coopers
RSVP: To reserve your seat or table contact:
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Save the date

Business Lunch - Friday 1st May

Ladies Day - Saturday 2nd May

Past Players Day - Saturday 18th July

Alan Crompton Cup match v SPOC @ St Peter's College - Saturday 25th July

End of Season Dinner - Friday 25th September

2015 Player Auction results Rounds 1-3

	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3
1st Best \$220	Cameron Graetz	Tom Ashby	Adam Perryman
2nd Best \$160	Drew Clayfield	Adam Perryman	James Dalwood
3rd Best \$130	James R Thomas	Tom Barnes	Drew Clayfield
4th Best \$100	Cameron Pritchard	Tom Brinsley	Simon Potts
5th Best \$70	Karl Siebels	Ben Gazzola	Gavin Hughes
6th Best \$50	Ryan Tromans	Tom Wicks	Will Curyer

B Grade

Round 3	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Tot
PAOC	7.3	11.7	16.10	21.12	138
Gepps Cross	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	10

Goal Kickers: James Prest 4, Josh Morrell 3, Ned Holmes 2, Lachie McNamara 2, Chris Hannemann 2, George Burford 2, Max Clarke 1, Nick Rees 1, Kieran Artis 1, Aaron Manning 1, Hahns Sullivan 1, Nick Blanch 1

Best Players: Ned Holmes, Chris Hannemann, Jack Ramsey, George Burford, Kieran Artis

The Reds proved far too strong for Gepps Cross on the weekend with an impressive 128 point win. Not a lot to report from this game apart from "all played well".

C Grade

Round 3	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Tot
PAOC	3.6	5.10	8.12	9.17	71
Payneham NU	2.0	2.2	4.6	5.9	39

Goal Kickers: Daniel Fry 4, Michael Phillips 2, Lucas Lovell 1, Nick Brooks 1, Ben Siebels 1

Best Players: Daniel Fry, Ben Young, Mitch Brealey, Jack Latchford, Ben Siebels, Oliver Collison

The team was lead out by our newly appointed captain Ben Young to take on the undefeated Payneham team. We had very good start and controlled the game with strong defence combined with quick ball movement and hard running. We had generated 15 scoring shots by half time but unfortunately only 5 of these were goals. The match should have been over at the long break.

We didn't improve our goal kicking in the second half, converting only 4 from 11. The pleasing thing was that we were getting the ball in the right area. I'm sure if we continue the attack on the goal front the conversion rate will increase.

Special thanks to Harry Barnes who had to move from his normal home of Full Back into Ruck. He was a bit tired by the end of the game.

D Grade

Round 3	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Tot
PAOC	5.0	9.4	11.8	14.11	95
Gepps Cross	3.1	3.1	3.1	4.1	25

Goal Kickers: Will Hudson 3, Andrew Sykes 2, George Waterhouse 1, Jackson Myhill 1, Will Farminer 1, Chris Spencer 1, Scott Snodgrass 1, Jack Zacker 1, Angus Parkinson 1, Lachie Burns 1, Sam Wood 1

Best Players: Charlie Comerford, Will Hudson, Scott Snodgrass, Kosta Mavropoulos, Jack Zacker

The D Grade had plenty to play for in round 3 against the Gepps Cross Rams. It was ANZAC Day, the boys were changing grades to play in C2 and we were aiming to provide a better contest than the previous week to show the competition we are aiming for another successful year.

The game started with a very respectful Anzac Day line up to commemorate the anniversary of the landing on Gallipoli in 1915. This set the scene and Rams were 'pumped to go into battle'. The first 10 minutes were intense but we were able to hold off the attack and start to create run all over the ground. To the boy's credit, we were able to hold Gepps Cross scoreless till late in the final quarter when they managed to add just one more goal to their score. It is always very pleasing to play a side on their home ground, in front of their vocal home crowd and win by plenty.

Young Kosta and Duffy provided plenty of run off the wing and won many hard balls whilst Sykesy and Zacker had solid games. Both guys played well in the middle and additionally provided good options when positioned up forward for a 'rest'.

It was good to see Snoddy putting in another strong performance at centre half back. It was also pleasing to see him back himself in to beat his opponent and then go onto kick a goal from 50 (he'll probably say 70m). Will Hudson had a great game and topped the goal scoring from the wing with 3 goals – this is a great effort for a school lad.

The standout best on ground was Charlie Comerford – he bore the weight of the rucking duties for 90% of the game and put in a massive effort. He is to be congratulated not only for winning most of the hit outs against a bigger bodied opponent but also for his exceptional work rate throughout the day.

Finally, we wish Sam Wood all the best in his travels overseas to Canada. Woody has consistently been a great competitor in the D's and he has played very good footy over many seasons. He has certainly been a terrific contributor and a valuable member of the team and his run and bouncing out of the backline will be hard to replace!

E Grade

Round 3	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Tot
PAOC	4.1	8.4	11.5	13.6	84
Payneham NU	3.1	3.1	6.4	10.6	66

Goal Kickers: Scot Tyndall 7, Drew Clements 2, Josh Palmer 1, Todd Alexander 1, Logan Mahadeva 1, Nick Woolmore 1

Best Players: Ben Pearce, Mark McGregor, Scot Tyndall, Josh Palmer, Todd Alexander, Ben Newbery

New week and a new division for the mighty E Grade but the same result as we recorded a solid victory against Payneham. The only difference we noticed was that clearly the opposition train and thus had superior fitness, running out the game and scoring the last 4 goals.

Coach Marsh attempted to address this post game pleading for his troops to attend training. Cameron Lynch was quick to dismiss this as a solution to the problem stating "fitness is all in the mind thus training is not essential."

Special mention to the umpires of the day who caused a 2 minute delay in proceedings as they passionately debated who was in control of the game and thus the decision maker. Sean Tanner didn't appreciate being overruled from the other end of the oval and politely suggested the opposition umpire return to the half of the ground where he came from.

Josh Palmer managed to cop a 50 metre penalty as he tried to understand which umpire was the right one to be listening to for the decision. He held the ball in hand, confused as to what he was meant to do with it while the umpires argued. The 50 metre penalty cost us a goal and Josh has the carton next week as a result.

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