



BLACKWOOD FOOTBALL CLUB

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2022

Held at Blackwood Football Club

Trevor Tce, Blackwood, on the

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President report 2022

I would like to thank and congratulate each committee member on a fantastic year of dedication to give your time and assistance wherever it has been required to the running of Blackwood Football Club. You are all wonderful loyal people.

Coming into my first year as President I have come to appreciate the BFC and its community even more so than ever.

Previous President Kris Winchester saw it in me to have what it takes to hold the reins of my beloved club and you know I have never taken the Footy Club for granted and will continue to do so.

After two solid years navigating through the Covid calamity, we eventually came out the other side with all restrictions lifted early in the year. This opened up the club to get back to some normality with how we wished to operate.

Taking a little bit of time to settle into the role, I have used my skills and knowledge in process to help allow the club and its people to function at its optimum. We are a non-for-profit organisation, run by volunteers, but needed some careful planning to see where (and when) our funds were being distributed into which areas. With thanks to new treasurer Wayne Kernich and our ever-loyal bookkeeper Jules guiding us towards where the club needed to be, we were able to see how those funds flow through the club that runs 24 footy teams and a gang of employees to boot.

This place is a big beast and without a hard-working committee, enthusiastic volunteers and reliable employees, we certainly would not function the way we do.

My particular thanks for this year is for a very hard working volunteer in the club and that is our Vice President Leonie Wilmshurst. I am so grateful you have joined back on the committee because without you I'm not sure where we would be. (Thankyou Nick, Hannah and Ty for allowing her to commit as much as she does).

To Tracy and Vicki for your diligence and strive in the challenging areas of Membership and Sponsorship. Your work is outstanding and both not ones to find the limelight, but shining stars in the work you achieve. I thank you and appreciate you.

Sophie in her first year on committee took on the role around the kitchen and BBQ. Outstanding work this year and thank you for the effort particularly into Thursday night meals, which are a favourite around the club. The team of



Tracy, Tracey and Mark (and the others you rustled up along the way) and the way you ran it was brilliant. Keeping an eye on things with Sam and Renae around the canteen was also recognised. Well done!

Wayne for his first stint on the committee as treasurer has been another great contributor to keep our finances in check. He has also been very diligent and perhaps at times shrewd enough to keep a lid on the spending. A fantastic effort working closely with Jules.

For first timers Jack (Junior Footy Director) and Dustin (SANFL Junior Coordinator) collaborating with Junior Footy are tireless contributors and I feel the dynamic of the Juniors is where our future lies and believe it will be a forever challenging role to be sure the kids and their families are always embraced by the BFC. Also working closely with Lulu Collins in her role as Sub-Junior Coordinator, the footy at this level is an enormous organisational task.

My last appreciation goes to long serving, outgoing members Ruth, Ben and the ever-supporting rock in my life Vickie.

Ruth has served on the committee for three years as club secretary and two years as general committee prior, Ben for three years plus six as social media/website coordinator and Vickie for three years after being on committee before in our 35 years we've been here together.

Without these magnificent people around the place (Ruth contributing towards some of the big ticket decisions being made along the way and Ben running the Senior Football Department, coordinating the men's and women's program) both will be very hard to replace and what they do is beyond more than I could ever appreciate. Vickie has overseen Sponsorship and general committee requirements over the last three years, but more so this year being my #1 support and confidant. It would be great if any person that has been at the footy club who know how much Ruth, Vick and particularly Ben have put into making what makes the BFC so great, to send a message of gratitude from themselves to congratulate these three for the service they have provided over the years. So, I encourage anyone who feels they can be the fine contributor to fill the void they leave, put their hand up to get involved and hope we can see that by the enthusiasm it brings by being a part of the decision making at the club, to be extremely rewarding for you.

To Scott Prebble for the last two years as Senior Coach, I thank you for your efforts and wish you and Chloe well for the future. I'm sure we will see you around the place as I know you have a lasting affection towards the club.



Damien Venning and the work that he does to ensure we have an extremely vibrant women's program; I am so proud to be associated with one of my great mates with this.

Aneeka who took over from Ruth Work as Head Trainer this year and all the training staff of Poley, Vanessa, Stan, Simon and your cast providing the best service in the HFL/SANFL and AdIFL, I would say in any semi-professional environment. I and all who are connected to what you guys do we are so grateful to you.

I wish our new Head coach Kieran Sporn all the best for season 2023 and the club is certainly behind you. Good luck!

Lastly, all those who have chipped in over the year, our outstanding Life Members, the Axemen for their encouragement and generosity who give so much of their time, loyal members, particularly the likes of club award winners Michael Richardson, Trevor Prentice, Brendan Pole, Scott and Bec Brodie family, to Lynn Raddy on the merch, Terry Raddy and Snag with meritorious and Life Member nominations, to Ricki at the helm of donating some of her time to the bar and club functions, Rob and Libby Jones and Mick Minervini our fabulous BBQ/Canteen volunteers, our magnificent friendly neighbour Dave Levinson who keeps an eye over our facility, Game Day helpers and all the others who have done their bit to make the cogs of the big wheel keep turning, I sincerely thank and appreciate you all.

I am certainly looking forward to a big and bright 2023.

Regards David Richardson
President BFC

Senior Football Directors Report 2022

Another football season comes and goes at the blink of an eye! Season 2022 saw plenty of ups and downs in the Senior Football program with the season highlighted by four of five sides playing finals including the A Grade Women's & C Grade side making it to the Grand Final (unfortunately both sides fella short at the final hurdle) and the Senior Colts achieving the ultimate success, winning the premiership, their second season in a row for doing so.

In the Men's A Grade, Scott Prebble continued as coach for a second season and was assisted Craig Bahnisch, Alex Scott, and Jake Atkinson. With the addition of several recruits including Ben Adams and Jack Lewis along



several players stepping up into the side from the 2021 Senior Colt group, the side started the season well winning four of the first five matches.

The group continued to push hard including winning against Hahndorf at home in Round 7, the first time beating them since the famous 2017 Grand Final. However, as the season wore on, injuries and unavailability continued to mount results in the side winning three of the last 12 matches finishing the season with an eight-and-ten record. The A Grade finished the season off playing in an elimination final against Uraidla Districts at Callington Oval. Unfortunately, the side was unsuccessful on the day making it the fourth time in the past five seasons the team has been eliminated from finals in the first week. Across the season, the side saw a total of 42 players pull on the guernsey including 15 debuts. The side ranks as the ninth best offensive unit in the competition (69.7 points) whilst the defence was rated seventh best (88.2 points). Individual highlights for the year included Ben Adams winning the 2022 Moulden Medal finishing 100 votes ahead of Matt Waldron in second place while recruit Jack Lewis took home the leading goal kicker award.

I must say thank you to Scott Prebble who steps down from the role after two seasons in charge. His dedication and commitment to the job has been second to none and his blooding of 26 players in the A Grade across these seasons will no doubt reap the rewards in the long term. I look forward to seeing Chloe and Scott around in the club in the future.

In the Women's program, a decision was made in pre-season to move back to only one side playing in the HFLW competition. Coached by Damien Venning with Mike Attwill assisting, the side made it through to the Grand Final having solid finals run with victories against Mt Lofty and Onkaparinga Valley. Unfortunately, they just fell short in the last game against Uraidla Districts, but the club should be extremely proud of their on-field performances across the season. The dedication and passion all the Women's players show for the red and green is second to none.

The club had its second Women's player being drafted into the AFLW system with Keira Mueller being selected by the Adelaide Crows making her debut on 21 October at Unley Oval. Other individual highlights across the season include Gretel Ramsey winning the best and fairest award from Saraid Kustermann whilst Brianna Medder took home the leading goal kicker award. Thank you to all the coaches, trainers, and volunteers for assisting across the season.

In the B Grade, Daniel Lowe continued as coach of the team for the third consecutive season. It was a tough season for the side with long term injuries and availability hurting the on-field results. Across the season, the side had a



total of 62 players pull on the guernsey with no players managing to play every game. The side started the season in a quick fashion winning four of the first five matches by an average of 35 points having a lean run through the middle of the season winning one of six matches between Rounds 5 and 11 however bounced back with four wins on the trot from Round 12 to 15.

Unfortunately, three losses to end the season saw the team miss the finals finishing in sixth position with a nine-and-nine record. While team ranked as fifth best offensive and defence in the competition, they could only record two wins from 10 matches against the eventual top five sides with the eight losses coming at an average of five goals. Overall, the side saw continued improvement from many younger players with many showing they will be quality long-term players for the Woods. Individual highlights included new player Kyle Hummel winning the best and fairest ahead of Cody Padroth who was in his first season of senior football. Thank you to all those who assisted the team in all the volunteer roles across the season.

Season 2022 also saw the return of the C Grade Men's side return to the HFL competition with Adam Pope returning to the coaching ranks for the first time since 2017. Playing majority of matches on Friday or Saturday nights, the team started the season with four wins on the trot losing in Round 5 to Nairne Bremer. With unavailability in the top grades, the side often played matches with only 18 players including some senior colts. Finishing the season in third position, the side recorded big finals victories over Mt Barker and Hahndorf to face off against Nairne Bremer in the Grand Final. Unfortunately for the side they were unable to record a victory in the big dance. Individual highlights for the year included Alex Hopkins winning the best and fairest ahead of Connor McCarl whilst captain Patrick Mackay took home the leader goal kicker award.

For the Senior Colts, claimed the ultimate prize, the 2022 Hills Football League Premiership, the second season in a row which they have done so. Daryl Sowerby assumed the coaching role for his first season at the helm as a coach with Luke Warburton assisting him.

Across the season, the side had a 14-and-2 record to finish second on the ladder. The side recorded two victories over Mt Lofty and Mt Barker to qualify for the Grand Final and eventually beat the Devils by 12 points in tough conditions at Nairne Oval. The second consecutive Grand Final victory continues the successful period for the group making the Grand Final on five of six occasions. Across the 2022 season, the side used a total of 36 players and ranked as the best attack and third-best defence. Congratulations to



Aaron Ramsey who took out the best and fairest award ahead of Caleb McCormick.

Moving forward into 2023, the senior playing group (both Men's and Women's) are in a position where they must turn opportunity into success. With a solid core of local players, both groups must continue to press hard to make themselves the best footballers and leaders they can be. Success is just around the corner with a little bit of hard work.

Finally, I must say thank you for allowing me the opportunity to be the Senior Football Director for the past three seasons and on the committee for the last six. It has been a massive learning experience and I have enjoyed my time along the way. The Blackwood Football Club is a great club to be apart of and I look forward to continuing being around the club showing my support the red and green. Go Woods!

2022 Award Winners

A Grade (Men's)

- Moulden Medallist (A Grade Best & Fairest) - Ben Adams (172 votes)
- Runner up Best & Fairest - Matt Waldron (72 votes)
- Leading Goal Kicker - Jack Lewis (18 goals)
- Coaches Award - Sam Zevenboom
- Peter Winn Team Player of the Year - Rhys Sporn
- Simon Byrne Most Courageous Award - Nathan Laity
- Player of the Finals - Jaxin Faehrmann

B Grade (Men's)

- Best & Fairest - Kyle Hummel (75 votes)
- Runner up Best & Fairest - Cody Padroth (66 votes)
- Leading Goal Kicker - Cameron Bahnisch (13 goals)
- Coaches Award - Matt McNaught
- Team Player of the Year - Ryan McMurtrie
- Most Courageous Award - Tom Radford

C Grade (Men's)

- Best & Fairest - Alex Hopkins (56 votes)
- Runner up Best & Fairest - Connor McCarl (46 votes)
- Leading Goal Kicker - Patrick Mackay (51 goals)
- Coaches Award - Dylan Scarborough
- Team Player of the Year - Jackson Pole
- Most Courageous Award - Alex Hopkins
- Player of the Finals - Tyson Aiston



A Grade (Women's)

- Best & Fairest - Gretel Ramsey (59 votes)
- Runner up Best & Fairest - Saraid Kustermann (55 votes)
- Leading Goal Kicker - Brie Medder (29 goals)
- Coaches Award - Alex Daniels
- Team Player of the Year - Claire Collins
- Most Courageous Award - Simi Dhaliwal
- Player of the Finals - Olivia Smith

Senior Colts

- Best & Fairest - Aaron Ramsey (105 votes)
- Runner up Best & Fairest - Caleb McCormick (76 votes)
- Leading Goal Kicker - Nick Evans (48 goals)
- Coaches Award - Jay Burton
- Team Player of the Year - Alex Markham
- Most Improved - Luis Riley
- Player of the Finals - Callum Finlayson

Club Awards

- Watchman Award - Michael Richardson
- Les Gillard Award - Trevor Prentice
- Peter Roberts Award - Brendan Pole

Junior Football Directors Report 2022

Firstly, I'd like to thank Dave Richardson and the Executive Committee for giving me the opportunity to return to the Blackwood Football Club as Junior Football Director for season 2022.

Having never been involved in a football club committee prior to this season, it was a fairly steep learning curve. Luckily for me, I had the support of our executive committee led by President Dave Richardson and Vice President Leonie Wilmshurst. They helped me adjust to the demands of the role and were always available for a chat when needed.

I have had the luxury of working with some fantastic coordinators throughout the year. Dustin Fisher (SANFL Juniors Boys), Damien Venning (Girls Program) and Lulu Collins (Sub Juniors). These guys have made my job a lot more manageable, due to their knowledge and expertise in their respective roles.



HFL Teams:

- U14 Boys and Girls
- U16 Boys
- U17 Girls
- U18 Boys

SANFL Junior Teams

- U7 x 2
- U8 x 2
- U9 x 2 Boys
- U9 Girls
- U10 Boys
- U11 Boys and Girls
- U13 Boys and Girls
- U15 Boys and Girls
- U17.5 Girls

At the start of the season, we wanted to focus on our junior coaches' behavior and coaching methods. This was done by a couple of coaches information sessions where coaches were asked to fill out and sign a Coaches Code of Conduct. Scott Prebble, who was the A Grade Coach at the time ran through what coaches of different age groups should be focusing on. This differs from younger grades to the older grades. This was received well by most coaches, but disappointingly there were a few who didn't make it to either session. This is something that I will be looking to rectify for season 2023.

We were lucky enough to have Luke Gunn as our Auskick Coordinator again in season 2022. Luke has grown his numbers from 80 Auskickers last year, to 105 auskickers this year. Luke has done an amazing job with this group and somehow, within the chaos that 105 kids bring has his program run like clockwork. I know Luke was supported by a fantastic group of parents who were more than happy to assist where needed.

There were 90 registered Sub Juniors over 7 teams, in what was a successful SANFL Juniors season. Running U7 teams has offered a great entry point into the football club for our Auskickers. Going forward next season, we'd like to host more Sub Junior home games on a Friday night and welcome our youngest players and their families into the Blackwood Football Club



This last season saw a number of our teams playing for premiership points in both Boys and Girls programs take part in finals football. This is due to the fantastic coaches and support staff we have at our disposal. This culminated in our U14 team coached by Damion Connor and our U16 team coached by Jack Smedley winning both the Courier Cups and Premierships.

As with all clubs, we can only exist if our members and families put their hands up to help out. There are a number of roles that need to be filled on a weekly basis including, canteen helpers, BBQ, oval set up and pack up, goal and boundary umpires, time keepers etc. While the support given throughout the year has been fairly good most weeks, we need to ensure that if you are asked to help, or are rostered on to help, then you help out by doing your bit. It's hard enough running the teams as it is and team managers/coaches/coordinators and the club in general would really appreciate your assistance.

It has been a busy, yet rewarding season for me as Junior Football Director, U16 Coach and proud parent. This is because at the Blackwood Football Club, we have what I believe to be one of the best groups of junior volunteers and families in the competition. It is my goal going forward to create the best junior program for both boys and girls outside of the SANFL and SANFLW. This will only be possible if we work together as a team.

In summary, the future looks bright for the Blackwood Football Club for season 2023 and beyond.

Jarrad Smedley
Junior Football Director

Treasurers Report 2022

The below shows the main factors in the reported loss for this year and differences to last year. There were \$15K costs from last year in this years' result and income was down on what we expected.

- This year had 2 more games than last year as we had a covid shutdown last year, this means player and coach payments were not incurred for those 2 rounds last year.
- Last year we received \$11K covid related government support which was not repeated this year.
- Player memberships were \$9K less than expected as we had a fee increase but less players registered



- Bar sales were about \$40K less than expected, as we increased prices. This impacted the result by about \$20K unfavourable
- Barbeque sales were also less than expected \$5K, impact \$2.5K unfavourable.
- Sponsorship goods in lieu was down by \$20K, but this is offset in match day expenses. This includes complimentary gym memberships. Other sponsorships were in line with last year.
- Wages for bar staff including on costs increased by \$29K as we used less volunteers. Bar staff are required to have RSA training (responsible service of alcohol). We increased bar prices to cover this.
- We had 2 years of insurance in this year \$9K unfavourable
- Trainers costs \$9K higher. We needed to hire paid physio/trainers.
- Last year and this year presentation functions were included in this year, but this was offset by the income for both years also in this year.
- This year included trophy and photograph costs from last year \$6K
- Vouchers cost \$10K greater than last year. This now records all complimentary costs that were previously unrecorded.
- Gas costs \$4K above last year due to price increases.
- Other operating costs generally increased by CPI

This year was affected by reduced attendances, believed to be mainly due to covid which impacted Axeman's attendances and diminished club support for visiting teams when we had home games.

Alcohol, canteen and barbeque input costs have increased, so we will need to review prices again for next season.

And a big thankyou to our bookkeeper Julie Langham for managing the accounting system.

Wayne Kernich
Treasurer

Membership Report 2022

This year has certainly been another busy one. 2022 has seen the implementation of a new registration/membership platform Play HQ which has replaced Sportstg. Hopefully everyone has found it to be more user friendly when registering.

The club currently has 770 memberships consisting of Players, Coaches, Life Members, Axemen, Social Members and Volunteers and a total of 22 teams playing across both the HFL and SANFL competitions.

Social memberships have increased by 10% in 2022, however it would be great to see this increase even further in 2023. By purchasing a social



membership, you will be supporting the BFC and in turn you will enjoy the benefits of free entry to home games, discounted bar prices and special deals from our sponsors.

Thank you to everyone that has paid Player registration fees and Social/Axeman fees this year. These fees contribute in many ways across our club, enabling us to field football teams each week and improve the facilities that we all enjoy. Your support is much appreciated.

Congratulations to everyone involved with the Blackwood Football Club in 2022. Looking forward to a successful 2023!

Kind Regards,

Tracy Ghee

Membership & Marketing Coordinator

Sponsorship Report 2022

We are very grateful for the ongoing support of our wonderful Sponsors. COVID19 once again created uncertain times for many businesses at the start of the season, and many are still experiencing the flow on effects. We cannot thank them enough!

The overall contribution has held fairly steady this season, this amount is outlined in the financial report along with the support given by way of Vouchers and Goods donated to show a true reflection of the generosity shown to our Club.

We have continued to back to our Sponsors through 'Game Day' promotion of the businesses that support us, through Social Media posts and within our weekly emails. Our signage within the Clubrooms has grown to cover 2 walls in the main room. The Axemen have also contributed to promoting our sponsors at their luncheons and I thank them for their fundraising efforts this season.

We continue to attract new Sponsors and hope to welcome more again next Season and we encourage our members to support these valuable businesses.

As always, we thank Barry & Maria Caddle and family for their outstanding contribution to Blackwood Football Club.



2022 Sponsors

Caddle Crash Repairs & Edenwood Auto's, KX Pilates Blackwood, Wood Tech, U-Install-It Kitchens, Goodlife Mitcham, Cellarbrations Blackwood, Blackwood & Belair Conveyancing, Sleek Books, AIR Wholesalers, Sims Refrigeration, Belair Hotel, Dave Benson Caravans, Nelson Teamwear, Blackwood Tree Service, Harris Real Estate, Greens Environmental Pest Control, Senwill Civil, Lowe's Meat Co, Adelaide Dream Homes, National Pharmacies & Optical, Harvey Norman Electrical Marion, Blackwood Hire, Free Flow Plumbing, Thompson's Pool & Spa, Bridgestone Select Blackwood, Galpins, Timms Real Estate, Banner Mitre 10, Intersport Blackwood, Valley Landscaping, Akkerman & Dyer, Blackwood Butchers, Lucid Consulting, MyDentist Blackwood, LAAD Creative, Explorer Caravan Sales, Blackwood Pizza Bar, Sleek Tours, Rick Hooper Glass, Hogan Insurance, Great Southern RV, Botanic Chicken & Seafood, Blackwood Flooring, Online Fire & Security, Brad Voigt Plumbing, Prencos Environmental, Fire & Rescue, Feather & Peck, The Coffee Club Marion, Blackwood Hair for Men, Yangtze Chinese Restaurant, Delicia Acai Blackwood, St Peters Lutheran School, Drakes Supermarkets, Subway, The Fishman & Catherine Hutchesson MP.

Vicki Trevena
Sponsorship Coordinator

Axemen Report 2022

2022 proved to be a challenging year for our committee, the effects of Covid still being a factor in lower-than-expected attendances with patrons seemingly reluctant to commit to pre booking for our four luncheons.

I can assure you that the committee worked tirelessly to try and achieve a positive and welcoming experience for those that attended, we will be working hard to try and get more people involved next year. It sounds like doom and gloom but I'm sure it's just a dip that we will rise out of next season. We believe we offer very good value for money on Axemen's lunch days with a good quality 2 course meal and complimentary beer package (the beer component is provided by the generosity of individual members). We could do with more of these generous sponsors, perhaps we could expand the drinks component with extra generous donations. I would like to thank our Axemen match day sponsors who provide much needed prizes for the raffle that we run.

One very positive thing that has happened this year is the manufacturing of our outdoor BBQ servery area, (many thanks to Kym Rawsthorn for his welding



expertise). While not complete I hope to have the whole modular units completed over the summer break. The project is the biggest physical one that we have attempted and when finished will allow our volunteer BBQ people to be totally independent from the kitchen with power, water and gas included in the design as well as lockable storage underneath.

To finish i would like to thank our great committee where everyone is equal and encourage everyone in the club to get back on board for an exciting 2023.

Peter Gottsche
Axemens Rep

Social Report 2022

FRANCA'S FUNDRAISER

Our first fundraiser for the year, a Girl's Night Out, was held in February to raise funds to go towards protective netting behind the Northern goals. What a night it was! Over sixty members and friends supported the night, and the wider community and sponsors donated items for our many raffles and massive silent auction. The games throughout the night were a lot of fun, but the highlight was the Fashion Parade. Thank you to Hills In Style, Salt Culture and Intersport for your enthusiastic participation, and to Rachael Attiwill for pulling the parade together. With the restrictions of COVID finally behind us we were able to finish the night with dancing, for the first time for a long time. Thank you to Franca Williams for organising this event, and to Rachael Attiwill, Megan Paddy, Tracy Ghee, Leonie Wilmshurst, and Ricki Quintrell for all your help.

LADIES DAY

Round 5 provided a **HUGE DAY** at the BFC when the Woods took on Onkaparinga Valley, and Bec and the girls were thrilled to be right on hand to celebrate Raddy's 200th!

With Covid still creating a bit of social uncertainty we were very happy with the excellent turnout of over 60 ladies in attendance.

Much to the ladies' delight, Blackwood ran out winners 13.11.89 to 10.6.66

The food provided for the day was amazing, Pasadena Foodland and Akkerman & Dyer supplied a delicious assortment of Sweet and Savoury



delights and Tracy Ghee along with Jo Willis spoil the girls with the ever-popular Chocolate Brownies and Lemon Slice!!

Matt kept the ladies entertained with the Champagne and Sangria!

It was great to see so many of the player's girlfriends, wives, and mums there.

It was a big day for the club with Special Guest Louise Miller-Frost announcing that if elected, an Albanese Labor Government will invest \$614,000 in upgrades to deliver:

- Better drainage to help with wear and tear on the oval.
- Better lighting, saving electricity and allowing more teams can train and play at night.
- New netting, so you don't have to waste time chasing balls after kicking goals.

Catherine Hutchesson and Louise Miller -Frost stayed on and were happy chatting to the BFC ladies and getting to know the history of the club.



The BFC thanked our Raffle sponsors for the day – KX Pilates, Skin Haven, Cellarbrations, The Coffee Club, Delicia, The Belair Hotel, Lowe's Meat Co, The Fishman, Goodlife Mitcham, Catherine Hutchesson, Member for Waite, and our **Major Raffle Sponsor**: Blush Hair Society.



A big thank you to committee members David Richardson, Vickie Richardson, Vicki Trevena, and Tracy Ghee who were on hand to ensure the day ran smoothly.

Special thanks to Blackwood Hire for supplying the beautiful White Marquee and to Matt Thomas for supplying our very popular "Bubbles Wall"



BFC GALA BALL

2022 saw the return of the BFC Ball!

A drink on arrival was a hit and very much appreciated. The room looked stunning, the red carpet, Bollards & the **Balloon Feature** were a standout!!

We ran a *Lucky Square& raffle on the night with 1st prize, a Philips 55-inch LED LCD Android TV donated by Harvey Norman Marion. Kieran Sporn was super excited when his name was drawn out as the winner. Thanks to Tracey Clark for organizing and Daniel Lowe for his \$100 Lowes Meat Co Voucher and third prize, a Goodlife Health Clubs Voucher.

The ever reliable Under 18 Mums were on hand to set the night up and The Caterers were welcomed back and served up a delicious meal. We sent a **BIG THANKS TO THE U18 lads:** Dylan Willis, Jay Burton, Josh Payne, Luis Riley, Tyson Kershaw and Tyson Wilmshurst for delivering the very tasty food to the tables.



THE BAND, That 90's Show! Wow, they were awesome, and the dance floor was packed from start to the End!

It was noticed that several members of the BFC family could not attend because of that dreaded Covid virus and we thank them for their kind generosity to the Club in their non-request for a refund!

The night was a huge success, and everyone looked fantastic and had a great time!



SPONSORS AND PAST PLAYERS DAY

A combined day for Sponsors and Past players saw plenty of familiar faces around the Club & they enjoyed sharing some delicious nibbles along with footy stories and their involvement and history at the Club.

Thank you to Vicki Trevena and Ben Kernich for organizing.



SENIOR PRESENTATION

Discussion with the Leadership Group saw this year's Senior Presentation held at the Function Centre, Glenelg.

With dress code set as formal, it was great to see everyone made a real effort to dress up for the evening. Guests were treated to a 2-course meal and a welcome drink on arrival.

Popey MC'd the night along with President David Richardson who presented the Club Awards.

Congratulations to all Award Winners.



Cheers and thanks to all who assisted in helping throughout the season,
Leonie 😊 🟢 🟡