



# ***The Congo***

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## **NO TRIAL GAMES THIS WEEK!**

Sadly our scheduled Trial Games set down for this Saturday have had to be cancelled as the opposition could not arrange their teams in time.

## **COMPETITION COMMENCES SATURDAY 27 MARCH**

Competition games for all teams will commence on Saturday week 27th March.

## **EASTER SATURDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> APRIL**

There will be **NO** games played on the Easter Saturday 3rd April.

## **SATURDAY 10<sup>th</sup> APRIL**

In addition, **NO JUNIOR GAMES** will be played on Saturday 10th April (mid school holidays) although the All Age Premier League matches will be played on that day.

All teams will still train every Wednesday throughout this time.

# **POSITION VACANT**

## **Under 10 Coach**

Following last week's plea for an Under 7 and Under 10 coach we are pleased to advise that **DANIEL JAMES** has volunteered for the under 7.

**We still require a coach for our Under 10 team!**

Anyone who is interested or has any questions please contact James May

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### **CONGOS MAKING GOOD!**

Well-known Congo brothers MITCHELL and BRANDON STARC have shown their versatility in other sports in recent times. Mitchell, who played over 200 games with us during 1997-2006, debuted in the New South Wales SHEFFIELD SHIELD cricket team last year and this season he has virtually been a permanent fixture in the side enjoying great success with both bat and ball. His younger brother, current Premier League player BRANDON, took out the UNDER 18 AUSTRALIAN AND OCEANIA HIGH JUMP at last week's championships at Homebush. Brandon turns 17 this November so this is quite an achievement!! Congratulations from all the Congos!

### **VETERAN CELEBRATES ANOTHER BIRTHDAY!**

Birthday wishes to life member JIMMY PINCOTT who celebrated his 77<sup>th</sup> birthday recently. Jimmy played over 500 games with us during 1944-1997. He proudly presented the Pincott Family Shield for Leading Goalscorer to IBRAHIM TAHA at last year's Annual Presentation Day. Jimmy and his wife reside in at Millfield in the Hunter Valley but are frequent visitors to Phillips Park during the soccer season.

### **CONGS WEB SITE!**

Don't forget to visit the club web site for all the latest news: [www.lidcombechurchessoccer.com](http://www.lidcombechurchessoccer.com)

## 2010 Registration Fees are NOW Due

If you have not yet paid your Registration Fees for the 2010 season please do so no later than Saturday 20th March 2010

Registration Fees:	Under 6 to 7	\$80.00
(Per player)	Under 8 to 12	\$95.00
	Premier League	\$250.00
(Family discounts apply)		

## COACHES & MANAGERS – 2010

TEAM	COACH/MANAGER	PHONE	MOBILE
U/6	TRENT SMITH (Coach) IAN SMITH (Manager)		0434 596062
U/7	DANIEL JAMES (Coach)		0406 209683
U/8	STEVEN MAY (Coach) JAMES MAY (Manager)		0401 913141 0418 436777
U/10	VACANT (Coach) LOUEZE DIB (Manager)		0431 636369
U/12	MATHEW JAMES (Coach) LORRAINE KRATZ (Manager)		0405 297983 0418 235623
P/L	PHIL McINTOSH (Coach) KEN JAMES (Manager) BRETT MAY (Manager)		0412 673459 0416 073576 0417 288448

### BIRTHDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happy Birthday to the following club members!

Daniel Kratz (U/12) 19/3    Christopher May (U/8) 20/3    David Hay (P/L) 21/3

## MINI REFEREE COURSE

Interested in refereeing Under 6 or Under 7 matches?

Are you aged 11 years or older?

Would you like to earn some extra money on a Saturday morning?

Course date: Wednesday 24th March 2010

Course conducted at the office of the NSW Churches Football Association,

3/9 Chester Hill Rd, Chester Hill commencing at 7.00pm and will run until approx 9.00pm

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