



# The Congo

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## Diary Dates

### July

#### Thursday 16th

- Game 2- North v South Zone Representative Match at Freame & Jones Parks

#### Saturday 18th

- Team Photos. Phillips Park.

## This Week's Competition Matches Saturday 4th July,

**Congo Kickers** at Phillips Park at 10am.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 9.50am.

**Under 7 vs Kings Old Boys** at Homelands Reserve, Homelands Ave, Carlingford at 9.50am.  
Meet at Homelands Reserve No Later than 9.20am.

**Under 9 (Blue) vs Wentworthville Uniting**

at Phillips Park at 9am.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 8.30am.

**Under 9 (Gold) vs Hills Spirit (Red)** at Kellyville Memorial Park (1), Memorial Ave, Kellyville at 10am.  
Meet at Kellyville Memorial Park (1) No Later than 9.30am.

**Under 10 vs Wentworthville Uniting**

at Phillips Park at 10am.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 9.30am.

**Under 11 vs Wentworthville Uniting** at Freame Park, Rees St, Mays Hill at 11am.  
Meet at Freame Park No Later than 10.30am.

**Under 12 vs Guildford McCredie (White)**

at Phillips Park at 11am.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 10.30am.

**Under 13 vs Guildford McCredie (Girls)** at Everley Park, Everley St, Sefton at 12pm.  
Meet at Everley Park No Later than 11.30am.

**Under 14 No game this week.**

**Under 15 vs Baulkham Hills** at Ted Horwood Reserve (4). Renown Rd, Baulkham Hills at 8.30am.  
Meet at Ted Horwood Reserve (4) No Later than 8am.

**All Age vs South Hurstville**  
at Phillips Park at 1.15pm & 3.15pm  
Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 12.30pm.

## ***RESULTS OF COMPETITION MATCHES PLAYED 27TH JUNE***

### **Under 7's defeated Hills Spirit (Red) 8-0 at Phillips Park**

### **Under 9's (Blue) drew 2-2 with St Bernadettes (Lions) at Eric Mobbs Reserve**

With just eight players against a fully-stocked St Bernadettes Lions at Castle Hill, the U9 (Blue) team played very well with everyone putting in a strong effort on the day.

The Congs team raced to a 2-0 lead in the first half, with the first goal coming from a typical effort by Hissham, when he pounced on a goal kick from the opposition, weaved his way towards the goal and slotted the ball past the goal keeper.

The second Congs goal was a team effort - a St Bernadettes clearance found Garang (defender), he drove the ball to Anthony Mylonas (midfielder), who beat at least two players, then made a deft centre pass

which was retrieved by Hissham (striker), Hissham beat another two

St Bernadettes defenders before crossing the ball to an unmarked Si-vanujan (midfielder), whose well-executed shot for goal was deflected by Anthony Mylonas' foot into the back of the net. A great goal!

St Bernadettes regrouped, and struck back quickly to make the score 2-1 to the Congs at half time.

The second half was an exciting affair, with both teams having chances to score.

St Bernadettes got the equaliser from a corner, when just about all players on the field congregated in front of

the Congs goal, and the action looked like a pinball machine. This is when the extra St Bernadettes player made the difference, and the ball somehow made its way into the Congs goal.

Even though the Lidcombe players were very tired, they still managed to lift themselves and make some forward raids, and were unlucky not to score a winner.

With the final score at 2-2, all players deserve praise for the commitment they showed right up to the final whistle - well done!

Thanks once again to the parents and supporters for the encouragement and assistance you provide at these games.

### **Under 9's (Gold) lost 0-5 to Saint Bernadettes (Saints) at Phillips Park**

### **Under 10's defeated Hills Spirit (White) 4-1 at Phillips Park**

It was an easy win for Lidcombe Under 10's playing at home against one of the weakest teams in the competition, Hills Spirit (White).

Even one player short, our boys put on a good fight without any substitute players.

An early goal from our opponents couldn't demoralise our players and the score ended 2-1 in first half.

Another two goals were scored in the second half as our players began dominating in every part of the game.

Donato, Ayden, Yaman and Yehye scored for the team.

Good defence from Gabriel, strong midfield of Yaman, Sweekar and Yehye was the highlight of the game. Donato and Ayden justifying their role as striker.

### **Under 11's drew 2-2 with OLQP (Red) 2-1 at Phillips Park**

### **Under 12's lost 2-4 to Wentworthville Uniting at Freame Park**

A ten player Under 12's side were let down by their team mates who failed to turn up to Freame Park for the match.

Some parents did the right thing and

let the coach know while others did not.

The ten Congo's who took the field all tried hard but the team work that has been present in previous games

was no where to be seen.

Philemon Kwon scored both goals for Lidcombe but Freame Park (the biggest field in the association) is not the place to be short of players!

### **Under 13's lost 1-2 to Guildford McCredie Uniting at Everley Park**

### **Under 14's lost 0-1 to Kellyville at Phillips Park**

### **Under 15's lost 0-8 to Regents Park at Phillips Park**

### Reserve Grade defeated Miranda 3-1 at The Ridge Ovals

Reserve Grade finally got the victory that they have deserved for a long time.

Playing against third placed Miranda the Congs totally outclassed their rivals.

Down 0-1 at half time the Congs lifted in the second half making Miranda look second rate.

Goals to Keegan Murray, Mathew James and Daniel James were the reward for an excellent team effort in

the second half.

Player of the match was easily defender Chris Morgan while crowd favourite was Daniel James for his goal prediction and subsequent goal celebration.

### 1st Grade defeated Miranda 4-0 at The Ridge Ovals

First Grade easily accounted for Miranda in a match that was easy to forget.

The Congs were well below their best but still managed to get the result. Hopefully a return to Phillips Park

this week will see the Congs return to their best, which has been missing for some weeks now.

# Stephen James

## 600 Games

This Saturday 6th July

Phillips Park 3pm

Stephen will become only the fourth player in the history of Lidcombe Churches Soccer Club to play 600 Games for the Congs.

Come down to Phillips Park, buy a sausage sandwich and cheer on Stephen and his First Grade team mates.

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## National Titles Volunteers required



Volunteers are required to help at the 2015 National Titles, being held at Sydney Academy of Sport and recreation, Narrabeen from 27th September to 1st October.

Come for a couple of hours or a couple of days, we would love to have your help. There is a limited number of shared accommodation rooms available if you would like to stay on site for the entire tournament.

Volunteers will receive a stylish T-shirt & cap to wear during their time at Narrabeen.

If you would like to volunteer please fill out the Volunteers nomination form at [nswcfa.com.au](http://nswcfa.com.au) and email to [secretary@nswcfa.com.au](mailto:secretary@nswcfa.com.au)

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