

The Congo

Wednesday 24th May 2017

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Diary Dates

<u>May</u>

Saturday 27th

• CFA Sydney Junior catch up round.

June

Saturday 10th & Sunday 12th

 Queens Birthday Six-a-Side Competition at Everley Park

This Week's Junior Matches Saturday 27th May 2017,

Congo Kickers at Phillips Park at 10am.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 9.45am.

Under 6 (Blue) vs Wentworthville Unitng at Phillips Park at 9am.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 8.30am.

Under 6 (Gold) vs Parramatta Saint Patrick (Grey) at PH Jeffery Reserve,

Barton Street, North Parramatta at 11am.

Meet at PH Jefferey Reserve No Later than 10.30am.

Under 7 vs Wentworthville Unitng (Gold) at Phillips Park at 10am.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 9.30am.

Under 8 vs Wentworthville Uniting (Blue) at Phillips Park at 10am.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 9.30am.

vs Wentworthville Uniting (Blue) at Freame Park,

Rees St, Mays Hill at 1pm.

Meet at Freame Park No Later than 12.30pm.

Under 9 vs Guildford McCredie (Red) at Phillips Park at 11am.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 10.30am.

vs St Columbas at Jones Park (1),

Banks St, Mays Hill at 3pm.

Meet at Jones Park No Later than 2.30pm.

Under 11 (Blue) vs Kings Old Boys at Phillips Park at 3pm.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 2.30pm.

Under 11 (Gold)) vs Kings Old Boys at Phillips Park at 12pm.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 11.30am.

vs Guildford McCredie at Everley Park (2),

Everley Rd, Sefton at 4pm.

Meet at Everley Park No Later than 3.30pm.

Under 12 vs Guildford McCredie at Phillips Park at 10am.

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 9.30am.

Under 14 vs Wentworthville Uniting (Black) at Jones Park (1),

Banks St, Mays Hill at 9.40am.

Meet at Jones Park No Later than 9am.

Under 15 vs Greystanes FC at Bathurst St Park (2),

Bathurst St, Greystanes at 1pm

Meet at Bathurst St Park No Later than 12.15pm.

This Week's Competition Matches Continued

Saturday 27th May 2017,

Under 16 vs Pendle Hill (Black) at Phillips Park at 11.30am

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 10.45am.

All Age Men vs Kings Old Boys

at Phillips Park at 1.15pm & 3.15pm

Meet at Phillips Park No Later than 12.30pm.

Sunday 28th May 2017,

Under 16 vs Auburn District at Progress Park (3),

Wellington Rd, Auburn at 12pm

Meet at Progress Park No Later than 11.15am.

All Age Ladies vs Doonside at Ted Burge Sportsground (2),

Hollywood St, South Wentworthville at 11am.

Meet at Ted Burge Sportsground No Later than 10.15am.

Wet Weather

ALL GAMES ARE ON UNLESS YOU ARE NOTIFIED BY YOUR COACH OR MANAGER

Do not assume that your game is cancelled or just stay home because it raining.

If you are unsure contact your manager, coach or club secretary.

It is disrespectful to your team and your coach to make your team play short of players because you do not wish to get a bit wet.

REMINDER TO ALL PLAYERS

 All players <u>MUST</u> arrive at their game venue at the specified time....

NOT KICK OFF TIME!

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RESULTS OF MATCHES PLAYED 20TH MAY 2017.

Under 6 (Blue) drew 2-2 with The Kings School at Homelands Reserve

The Under 6 Blue team played a fun an entertaining game against Kings at DeGrazia and Ricky Booth. Homelands Reserve. All the players tried really hard and

Goals were scored by Daniel Zachary May had his best game yet, actually getting involved! While Thanish Mayutharan, Ceysun

Hamza Kilic and John Luke Boutros continue to improve every week. Best players this week were the goal scorers and Suriyah Vadivale.

<u>Under 6 (Gold) lost 4-10 to OLQP (Blue) at Phillips Park</u>

Goals- Abednego Birgen (3), Christopher La Rosa.

Under 7's lost 2-9 to Guildford McCredie (White) at Everley Park

Goals- Yousef Alsarray (2).

played well.

<u>Under 8's lost to Western Sydney Academy at Phillips Park</u>

Under 9's defeated Wentworthville Uniting (Gold) at Freame Park

Under 11's (Blue) lost to Guildford McCredie Uniting at Phillips Park

Under 11's (Gold) defeated Wentworthville Uniting at Freame Park

On what turned out to be a day with fine weather, the team put in a good performance, creating many scoring opportunities, while giving the opposition relatively few chances. In other words, the backline defended well, the strikers made opportunities to score, and the midfielders put in a solid effort by supporting the defenders, as well as by feeding the ball to the forward line.

A feature of this match was the sweeping ball movement up the sides with some good crosses towards goal.

Other aspects to be commended were the amount of effort the players put in for the whole of the match, and the support the players gave each other, with consistently accurate short and long passing. Of note, the most important aspect of this game was that the team

gained the result by enjoying the effort they put in, by being able to work together, and by showing an understanding of the importance of good sportsmanship. As always, it is much appreciated that parents and supporters contributed with their good-natured encouragement from the sidelines, this is a vital part of any match whether it be a win, lose or draw.

<u>Under 12's defeated Regents Park 1-3 at Princes Park</u>

Under 14's lost 1-4 to Toongabbie (Black) at Phillips Park

Under 15's lost 1-6 to Auburn FC at Phillips Park

The Under 15's continued their improvement in this match with some passages of entertaining football against second placed Auburn FC.

In a very close first half the Congs defended well only conceding two goals.

Lidcombe scored through new recruit Despite this there were still displays Cheng Yang just before half time to give the locals confidence.

The second half was ruined by some poor refereeing decisions which saw three very dubious goals awarded to Auburn and Lidcombe being on the wrong end of some poor offside calls. of brilliance in goals from Philemon Kwon.

Best performers this week were Yatin Moharana, Philemon Kwon and Alex Isaacs.

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Under 16's game was postponed as Progress Park was closed

All Age Mens Reserve Grade defeated St Mathews (Red) 2-1 at Phillips Park

Two goals to Marcus Pinson gave the Reserves a rare win and saw them move into the top four for the first time in many years.

All Age Mens First Grade defeated St Mathews (Red) 3-2 at Phillips Park

Two goals to Matthew Hyde and one to Mathew James saw the Congs move into first place on the table after winning this top of the table clash.

RESULTS OF MATCHES PLAYED 21ST MAY 2017.

All Age Ladies lost 0-5 to Oakville United at Robin Thomas Reserve

A weakened Congs side took to the field against an under strength Oakville team.

Lidcombe welcomed back Joanne Nieradka after a few weeks off through injury but were unfortunately missing several others through injury and other commitments.

The first half saw Lidcombe with one

player on the bench match it with their nine player opposition and only concede one goal.

The Congs returned to the field confident of running down their opposition but were soon left short of players themselves when one player had to leave because of a prior Next week, with more players commitment and then losing one of their best defenders, Chi Miller

through injury.

Now playing short of players themselves, the inexperience in the team showed when the centre of the field was left open for the remainder of the match for the Oakville team to run through time and time again. available, a better performance will be expected.

Canteen Open

The canteen will be open every Saturday throughout the season for **ALL** games at Phillips Park.

> Please make an effort to support your club by volunteering some time to help serve or cook on the BBQ.

All profits from the canteen go back to the club for equipment purchases and trophies for presentation day.



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Lidcombe CSC Member Protection

If at any time you feel you have an issue that needs to be resolved you can see your coach or manager.

If you feel unable to speak to them or feel that the issue has not been resolved you can contact one of our Member Protection Officers-

Lorraine Kratz (0418 235 623)

Amanda Kratz (0458 788 787)

Lorraine and Amanda can be found every Saturday in the canteen and will keep all issues confidential.

Feel free to come to them with any issues relating to child protection, discrimination, harassment, bullying or any other problem you may incur.

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