



# The Congo

Wednesday 24th April 2019

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## Diary Dates

### May

#### Wednesday 8th

- State Cup Knock Out commences (AAM)

#### Wednesday 15th

- Final ticket sales- 80th Anniversary Dinner

### June

#### Saturday 8th

- 80th Anniversary Dinner

#### Monday 10th

- Six a side competition for ALL teams

### August

#### Friday 2nd

- CFA Sydney Centenary Dinner @ Club Marconi

## **This weeks matches- Saturday 27th April**

<b>Congo Kickers</b>	at Phillips Park at 10am. Meet at Phillips Park <u>No Later</u> than 9.45am.
<b>Under 6</b>	<b>vs Wentworthville Uniting (Blue)</b> at Freame Park, Rees St, Mays Hill at 9am. Meet at Freame Park <u>No Later</u> than 8.30am.
<b>Under 7</b>	<b>vs St Columbas (Black)</b> at Phillips Park at 11am. Meet at Phillips Park <u>No Later</u> than 10.30am.
<b>Under 8 (Blue)</b>	<b>vs Have a BYE</b>
<b>Under 8 (Gold)</b>	<b>vs Kings Old Boys</b> at Phillips Park at 12pm. Meet at Phillips Park <u>No Later</u> than 11.30am.
<b>Under 11</b>	<b>vs Wentworthville Uniting (Blue)</b> at Phillips Park at 9am. Meet at Phillips Park <u>No Later</u> than 8.30am.
<b>Under 13-2</b>	<b>vs Silverwater Flamingos</b> at Phillips Park at 8.30am. Meet at Phillips Park <u>No Later</u> than 8am.
<b>Sydney Cup</b>	<b>vs Darling St Anglican All Souls</b> at Phillips Park at 1.15pm. Meet at Phillips Park <u>No Later</u> than 12.30pm.
<b>Premier League</b>	<b>vs Wentworthville Uniting</b> at Freame Park, Rees St, Mays Hill at 1.15pm & 3.15pm. Meet at Freame Park <u>No Later</u> than 12.30pm.

## **Congratulations**

# **Chris Morgan**

## **100 Games**

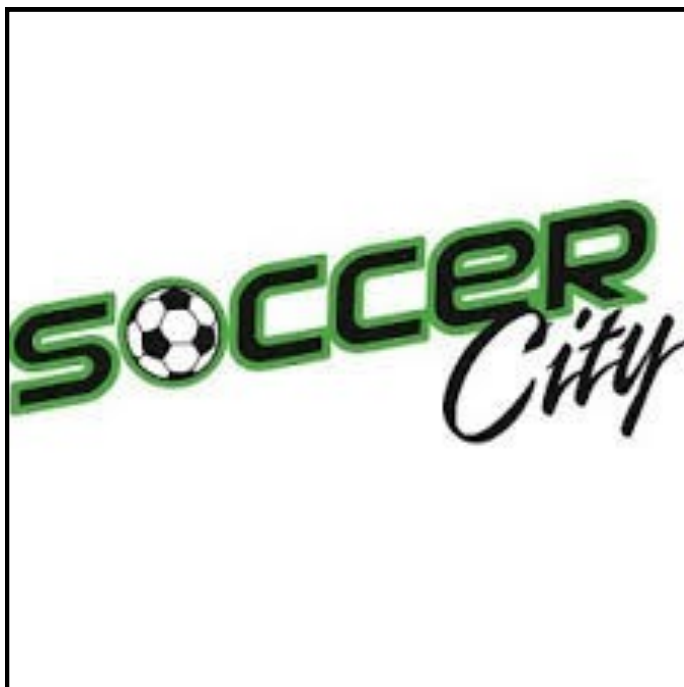
This Saturday at Freame Park Chris will play his 100th game for the Congs.

Come down and show your support to Chris who started playing in 2014.

The P/L Reserves match kicks off at 1.15pm.

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## **2019 REGISTRATION FEES**

<b><u>Congo Kickers-</u></b>	<b>\$60</b>
<b><u>Under 6 to 7-</u></b>	<b>\$100</b>
<b><u>Under 8 to 9-</u></b>	<b>\$160</b>
<b><u>Under 10 to 11-</u></b>	<b>\$180</b>
<b><u>Under 12 to 18-</u></b>	<b>\$200</b>
<b><u>All Age Men-</u></b>	<b>\$350</b>
<b><u>All Age Men (Full time student)-</u></b>	<b>\$300</b>

**\*\*Students must supply current student ID card\*\***

**Once registered, players can direct deposit the appropriate fee into the club account-**

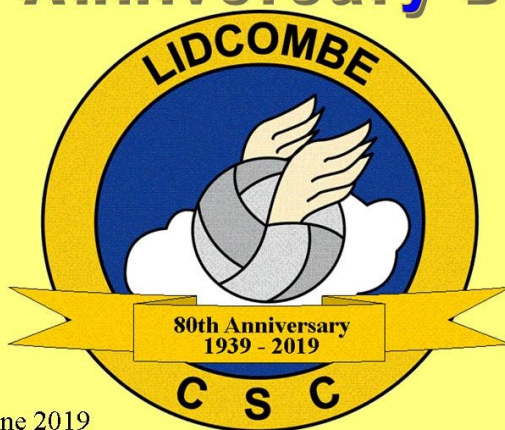
Account Name- Lidcombe Churches Soccer Club

BSB- 032-074

Account Number- 58 1967

**Be sure to include the players name in the reference details!**

## **You are invited to-** **Lidcombe Churches (Cong)** **80th Anniversary Dinner**



**When:** Saturday 8th June 2019  
6.30pm to 11.30pm (Registration from 5.30pm)

**Where:** The Ballroom, Blacktown Workers Club,  
55 Campbell Street, Blacktown

**Tickets:** \$65.00  
To purchase tickets go to [www.trybooking.com/BAUBA](http://www.trybooking.com/BAUBA)

**RSVP:** Wednesday 15th May

**For further information:**  
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# Training Arrangements 2019

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>Training Time</u>	<u>Coach</u>	<u>Manager</u>
Congo Kickers	Saturday 10am to 11am	Felicia Debreczeni 0405 675 033	Camryn Batchelor 0467 479 594
Under 6	Tuesday 5.30pm to 6.30pm	Christopher May Blake Batchelor	Donna Batchelor 0404 353 776
Under 7	Tuesday 5.30pm to 6.30pm	Matthew May 0423 398 974	VACANT
Under 8 (Blue)	Wednesday 5.30pm to 6.30pm	Ken James 0478 887 438	VACANT
Under 8 (Gold)	Wednesday 5.30pm to 6.30pm	Mathew James 0405 297 983	VACANT
Under 11	Tuesday 5.30pm to 6.30pm	Bejoy Corraya 0433 941 135	Chris Morgan 0422 213 660
Under 13	Wednesday 5.30pm to 6.30pm	Patrick May 0478 148 081	James May 0418 436 777
Sydney Cup	N/A	N/A	Mathew James 0405 297 983
Premier League	Tuesday 6.30pm to 8pm	Trent Smith 0434 596 062	

# ***RESULTS OF MATCHES PLAYED SATURDAY 13TH APRIL***

## **Under 6's lost 0-9 to Guildford McCredie (Red) at Phillips Park**

## **Under 7's lost 2-4 to OLQP (Red) at Daniel St Park**

After having a bye last week and coming up against a strong OLQP team who had the benefit of already playing this season, it was always going to be tough for Lidcombe to maintain playing at the pace set by the fast OLQP team. Having conceded 2 goals in quick succession early in the first half, Lidcombe realised that strong defending was needed which was shown from the whole team for the rest of the match. Our efforts were almost rewarded when Paul made a blistering run through the middle of the field, only to be tackled by a desperate OLQP defender.

We were unlucky to go into half time having not scored, but this only inspired the team to play better in the second half, with most of the action being played in their half. We were eventually rewarded when Bahir scored twice off poor clearances from their defenders.

Unfortunately OLQP scored two further goals to take out the match 2-4.

The Coach urges the parents to ensure that we continue to have a full team every week, so the team gets use to playing together and improves as the season progresses.

Goals- Bahir Sawari (2)

## **Under 8's (Blue) drew 1-1 with OLQP (White) at Daniel St Park**

Goals- Zachary McKay

## **Under 8's (Gold) lost 1-4 to Guildford McCredie (Red) at Everley Park**

Goals-

## **Under 11's lost 0-2 to Guildford McCredie (Red) at Phillips Park**

Goals-

## **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.

### **Under 13's lost 0-2 to Guildford McCredie at Phillips Park**

This was a more competitive game than last week, aided by George, Lucas, and Jaybriel from the U11's filling in for us.

However we must have been asleep early as Guildford ran through us for an early goal. After that we had a few chances on goal and did well in defence until they scored from a shot not many would save.

Goals-

### **Sydney Cup defeated Wentworthville Unitng (Blue) 5-2 at Beaumont Park**

The 'Old Fellas' in the clubs 3rd Grade team travelled to Kingsgrove to take on Wenty (Blue). The Congs started well, controlling possession. It was almost as though the clock had been wound back fifteen years as Peter Oberemok controlled the team and had four shots at goal in the first two minutes. From then on father time began to catch up with the side and the game become quite even, with the experience of the 'Old Congos' keeping them in the game against an extremely youthful Wenty side.

The Congs managed to score early through Mat Hyde but Wenty returned the favour with an off side goal which was missed by the officials. A Daniel James 'run into the box' (yes he does run occasionally!) saw him brought down by the keeper with a penalty being awarded, the sideline judges all giving perfect 10's for the dive! Mat Hyde stepped up to put the Congs back into the lead going into half time.

The second half saw the Congs dealt a huge blow with an injury to central midfielder Reggie Rajakumaran. Then a short time later Wenty got themselves back into the game with a well deserved goal after the Congs succumbed to the mounting pressure.

With twenty five minutes remaining things went from bad to worse when Adrian Martinez received a second Yellow card and was made to leave the field. With the Congs down a man and pressure from the young opposition mounting only the determined efforts of goalkeeper, John Mylonas and defender Steve James kept us in the game. A remarkable goal line save from our youngster, Blake Batchelor, who put his rear end to good use, was the inspiration the old Congo's needed to fire up again.

With less than fifteen minutes remaining in the match and seeing that Wenty had left themselves short at the back, pushing forward for a win. A few quick positional changes from the Congs saw three goals go in in quick succession (M.Hyde 2, M. James 1). The young Wenty side did not know what had hit them.

With a final score of 5-2 it was experience which prevailed over youth on this day.

Goals- Mat Hyde (4), M.James

### **Premier League Reserve Grade drew 1-1 with Greystanes Ambassadors at Phillips Park**

Goals- Omer Karabulut

### **Premier League First Grade lost 2-4 to Greystanes Ambassadors at Phillips Park**

Goals- Aydin Agar, Emmanuel Mylonas

## **SPONSORS WANTED**

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**Steven May– 0401 913 141**

## **REMINDER TO ALL PLAYERS**

- All players **MUST** wear shin pads at training and in **ALL** games
- Players **MUST** bring a drink bottle to training and games.



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