

U9/7 (2) Vs Colo (1) (Pennants Final) An outstanding effort by the whole team to win the Pennants Final against Colo who had the Hazelbrook supporters biting their nails during the game. Colo scored early and it looked a worry as they were playing so well but perseverance paid off with Thomas Jackman sneaking one in near the end of the first half with a little help from two or three team mates. The match was in the balance until goal a game Shane Wenc decided to settle the fans nerves by grabbing a runaway goal in the last minute. I can't single anyone out this week but a special mention must go to the less experienced players such as Laurence Presland, Jackson Curran and Laura Kelly for giving 100% every time they played. Special thanks also from the kids and parents to our coach John Loughheed for giving up his time to steer us to the final. Congratulations kids well done.

U10/3 (1) Vs Band Club (0) The hawks had to regroup this week after a tough loss last week. With a few changes in attack the hawks looked much sharper right from the start and it wasn't long till Hayley Brown scored the opening goal. Aidan, Jarrah and Anthony fought well up front all match with plenty of chances. 1-0 at the half. The 2nd half was a real dog fight. Harry, Coen, Ananda remained busy and hustled well. The hawks hung on late in the match. The first line of defence in Jack and Andrew were great. They scrambled and dug deep. Ben, Felix, Oliver and Cooper did the clean up work at the back and supported Taj in goal who was solid. It was a gutsy win. The hawks head into next weeks grand final with nothing to lose and plenty of confidence. Win or loss it has been a great season. Great work team.

10/1s (2) vs St Mary's Convent (0) The Hawks return to good form continued with this resounding finals win against SMC. They dominated the game and never really looked like losing. SMC did make dangerous breaks however when the Hawks would momentarily lose composure. On one such occasion an SMC strikers broke free with the ball only to be stopped at the last moment by Jared with a wonderful sliding tackle. The Hawks went one up in the first half when Nick Chaloner's attempt was fumbled by the goalie and the ball trickled across the line. The match was emphatically sealed just on full time when Jared received the ball from Keegan and blasted it into the net from about 20m on the left wing, undoubtedly his best goal of the season. A great win Hawks, deserving of a place in the grand final.

U12/7 (0) Vs Penrith RSL (1) Hazelbrook's great season has finally come to an end. The never say die attitude was there again last Saturday. Players of the week were Stacey Romanowski and Finn Mollineux. Thank you Michelle Sztelma, our very reliable and supportive Team Manager. Thank you to our club for their support and advice throughout the season and thank you to all the parents for travelling across the countryside to ensure their child participated in the 'Beautiful Game'. See you all next year.