

Hazelbrook Football Club

HAWK TALK



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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

As the incoming President of Hazelbrook Hawks I would like to welcome back all players, coaches and managers from 2011 as well as all our new players in 2012. We can all look forward to an exciting and challenging season this year, whatever level of football you are playing.

With a newly elected committee and a strong commitment to building a safe and friendly place to play football in the Mid Mountains, I look forward to serving the club and ensuring that everyone enjoys their football in 2012. Our goal is to develop skills, sportsmanship and build on the social aspects that a club like Hazelbrook has to offer.

We have always relied heavily on community involvement and this year will be no different. If you can help through Coaching, Managing, Committee Membership or Sponsorship please let me know, any assistance is always needed and appreciated.

Hazelbrook Football Club is proud of the environment we have created for the development of our younger teams through to the social involvement of the senior teams, the continued growth of the ladies teams and the development of special needs football through the Blue Kangaroos.

This year we will be focusing on coaching skills for our volunteer coaches as well as promoting fair play football throughout the club.

Football is back and we are raring to go.

When you see the committee members at the ground please come and say hello - we are here to help.

Nick Bowman
President

CLUB NOTICES

Season Kicks off on Saturday 31st March and Sunday 1st April

REGISTRATION DATES

- Saturday / Sunday the 4th and 5th of February
9am to 2pm at the Gloria Park Club House
- Wednesday the 8th of February
6:30pm to 8:00pm at the Hazelbrook Bowling Club
- Saturday / Sunday the 11th and 12th of February
9am to 2pm at the Gloria Park Club House

2012 MUSTER/GRADING DATES

Muster and grading will be conducted for players registering to play in Age Groups U/6 to O/35.

WHEN: 8.30 am to 2.30 pm
Saturday 18th February & Sunday 19th February

WHERE: Lawson Oval
Ferris Lane, Lawson

Further information is available on the Club website – www.hazelbrookhawks.com.au or by contacting the Registrar, John Grego on 0433 417 702

PREMIER LEAGUE, RESERVE GRADE & ALL LADIES TEAMS PRE-SEASON SELECTION AND TRAINING

- Selection and Training: 2nd and 5th February at Lawson Oval
- Training: 9th and 12th February at Lawson Oval
- Training: 16th and 19th February at Lawson Oval

Player Equipment will be available for purchase

For further information please refer to the Club's website – www.hazelbrookhawks.com.au or by contacting:

Prem's Squad Manager: Suzy Ladanyi - 0457 452 598

Lady Hawks Squad: Billy King - 0423 339 637

SMALL-SIDED FOOTBALL – AGES U/5 – U/7

Have fun, make friends, and learn new skills!

For more information, please contact Matt Frail on 0457 394 124

COACH THE COACHES

Hazelbrook FC would like to welcome all Coaches and Managers who have expressed an interest in being involved in 2012. If you would like to commit to another season please email Billy King as soon as possible with the age group and team you would like to coach. Billy's email address is: humpbackblues@hotmail.com.

We will be holding a "Coach the Coaches" course where an introduction to the National Curriculum will be covered. This course will help to assist existing coaches, provide an introduction to new ones and is also open to any Assistant Coaches and Managers who would like to gain a greater understanding of the fundamentals of the game.

WHEN: 9.00am – 1.00pm
Sunday 26 February 2012

WHERE: Lawson Oval

For more information and to RSVP, please contact Billy King on 0423 339 637 or via email humpbackblues@hotmail.com.

A Reminder from the Committee – HFC Code of Conduct

Hazelbrook FC is a **family friendly club** and we are committed to providing a safe sporting and work environment for every person involved in Hazelbrook sporting and social events.

To support this, Hazelbrook FC has established a number of specific codes of conduct for all Club Members to adhere to at all times. These strict guidelines are put in place to ensure that any sporting, social or other event involving Hazelbrook Football Club Members and their guests is conducted in a safe and respectful sporting and work environment.

Each code of conduct has been prepared by Club Management based on the codes advised by Football NSW and Football Federation of Australia. These can be viewed on the Hazelbrook website – <http://www.hazelbrookhawks.com.au/News>

Should you have any questions regarding these Codes of Conduct, please be sure to discuss this with a Committee Member.

Positions Vacant

Season 2012 has seen a new Committee installed at HFC. Whilst most of the positions have been filled, there are still a few available and waiting for you! These include:

- Director of Playing Fields
- Grounds Assistant
- Sports Safety Officer

As always the old adage “many hands make light work” holds true and the committee always welcomes extra help and support. If you feel that you can commit some of your spare time to helping our Club please see one of the Committee members to let us know.

For a full list of 2012 Committee members and contact details please visit the website at www.hazelbrookhawks.com.au

WANT TO BECOME A SPONSOR?

Hazelbrook Hawks Football club offers a variety of sponsorship opportunities to local businesses. With a membership of over 600 and a reach into the local community, the Football club is one of the easiest ways to advertise your services. There are a number of levels of sponsorship to suit your budget, large or small. Contact a committee member to discuss a package that suits you.

If anyone would like to contribute an article to Hawk Talk – just e-mail:

newsletter@hazelbrookhawks.com