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## Online Newsletter October 2009

### **Coming right up (just when you thought it was all over) .....**

#### **Tsunami U19 Tournament – it's gonna be massive!**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Tsunami South Island U19 Football tournament is being held at Bexley over Labour weekend (24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> October) with 24 club teams from Christchurch, Nelson, North Canterbury, Mid Canterbury and Southland entered. This year sees the inclusion of an 8 team girls tournament for the first time. For details and draws check out the website [www.coastalspirit.co.nz/tourn/u19-09.html](http://www.coastalspirit.co.nz/tourn/u19-09.html)

Sponsor details [www.tsunami-sport.com](http://www.tsunami-sport.com)

#### **Working Bee**

With the tournament imminent we need your assistance down at Bexley this Friday 16<sup>th</sup> from 5.30pm to tidy up the place in preparation for the tournament. Posts moved, pitches marked etc. Many hands make light work, so please donate an hour or so of your time.

#### **Volunteers needed for the Tsunami U19 tournament**

We are still looking for volunteers for the tournament at Labour weekend. We are looking for parking wardens, pitch marshals, food & drink runners. We need at least 20 people there each day. If you can assist with a few hours, a half day or perhaps one full day please contact Michelle at Linfield on 389 3007 or [michelle@linfield.co.nz](mailto:michelle@linfield.co.nz)

#### **Canterbury United Dragons Home Day Sunday 08<sup>th</sup> November 2:00 p.m.**

CSFC is the host club for the Dragons first home game of the season. We need 15 volunteers for things like gate and programme sales, BBQ, half time small sided games etc. If you are available and would like to assist contact [michelle@linfield.co.nz](mailto:michelle@linfield.co.nz) or 389 3007. This is also a club fundraiser.

#### **AGM**

The Coastal Spirit FC AGM will be held Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 7pm at Linfield Sports. All welcome. This will be preceded by a special GM at 6:30 to allow changes to the constitution that will enable us to have charitable trust status.

We also have 2 vacancies on the Board, for information contact Tony Green via Gareth.

#### **Summer 5 aside**

Our Summer 5-aside leagues for junior, youth, open and mixed are filling fast so get in ASAP. For more details and registration please contact [michelle@linfield.co.nz](mailto:michelle@linfield.co.nz)

### **End of season snap shot .....**

#### **MPL Play Offs**

On behalf of the club management we wish to thank everyone for their support of the Men's first team during the MPL play off series. In particular Dave Gregson, Barry McTague and Paul Bradshaw for the pitch preparation at Bexley for the 2<sup>nd</sup> game. Unfortunately the boys went down 3-4 in extra time. After going 1-0 up though Jason Stapley, they found themselves down 1-3 in the second half. A late rally with goals to Gareth Turnbull and Jason (2) saw the match ended 3-3 (4-4 on aggregate). Extra time saw Bays score the only goal, resigning the men to another year in Division 1.

#### **Reta Fitzpatrick Final**

Congratulations to our Premier women's team for winning the Reta Fitzpatrick Cup. It was a great way to end the season by retaining the cup that means so much too so many in this club. A first half goal to Hannah Wong was quickly matched by Western, however a second half penalty to Maia Vink would prove the difference on the day. Well done girls!

#### **Mainland Award Winner**

Congratulations to Ashleigh Ward, who picked up the Young Player of the Year for the WPL for 2009.

#### **Knockout Cup Winners**

Congratulations to boys 12<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> Grade Div 1 teams for winning their knockouts, also to the men's Div 1, Div 4 & Div 5 teams for their League and League Cup doubles.

#### **Canterbury Representatives**

Over the school holidays 49 Coastal players and 5 Coastal coaches were involved in South Island tournaments.

**12 Girls** (Steve Ager) – Runners Up

**12 Boys** – Winners

**14 Girls** (Heather Hepburn) – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

**13 Boys** – Winners

**17 Girls** (Ryan Stewart) – 4<sup>th</sup> Place

**14 Boys** (Steve Gordon) – Winners

**15 Boys** – Winners

**16 Boys** – Winners

#### **Feedback**

With the season completed and prizes handed out, we welcome any feedback (both positive and negative) on the season, the junior & senior prize giving's or anything worth mentioning. Please email your thoughts to [gareth@linfield.co.nz](mailto:gareth@linfield.co.nz)