

# COASTAL SPIRIT FC

## February 2008 Registration newsletter

The 2008 football season will see players who previously played at New Brighton AFC or Rangers AFC playing under the new club name of Coastal Spirit Football Club from this season onwards. Coastal Spirit FC is the result of a joint venture relationship developed at the end of last year between New Brighton AFC and Rangers AFC.

Coastal Spirit have appointed Gareth Turnbull as our new Football Development Manager. Gareth has completed a bachelors of Sport Coaching degree from Christchurch College of Education, and a bachelors of Physical Education from Catawba College in the USA. Gareth also holds various coaching qualifications and has worked extensively in the Mainland Football Player Development Academy and has taken representative sides to national age group tour dements. A large focus of Gareth work will be in coach education and accreditation, and offering his knowledge and advice in the junior club. Gareth also currently plays for Canterbury United in the NZFC.

The following are some of the benefits for the merger:

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| Stronger club                              | Greater financial stability              |
| Improved funding sources and opportunities | Simplified management and administration |
| Stronger management committee              | Greater support from local government    |
| Potential growth in localized area         | Greater sponsorship potential            |
| More attractive to players                 | Opportunity to create a new "Brand"      |

### COASTAL SPIRIT FC EXECUTIVE:

Grant Chellew	Steve Ager
John McManus	Mark Davison
John Bates	Brent Wilson
Wayne McTague	<del>Anthony</del> Green

### Junior Work Group:

Terry Marsh	Bruce Hunter
Lyndal Sloane	Nadine Evans
Martyn Neville	

### Football Development Manager:

Gareth Turnbull 389 3007 or 027 749 9283  
E-mail [gareth@linfield.co.nz](mailto:gareth@linfield.co.nz)

These people are here to make things easier for you. Please feel free to contact them through the Linfield Sports Office on 389 3007

### REGISTRATIONS

Please find enclosed a registration form for the 2008 season. If you have not already registered for the season fill out this form and return it to Eric Adam Park (Macgregor's Road) with your subscription on:

Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> February	6 - 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> February	6 - 8:00 p.m.
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> February	10 - 12:00pm

Eftpos available.

Please make all Cheques payable to Coastal Spirit FC.

For those that find the annual subscription burdensome, please feel free to contact Gareth or Michelle at Linfield Sport, 389 3007 in total confidentiality to discuss options.

Any assistance parents can offer through the season would be greatly appreciated. Just leave your name with one of the organisers at registration or phone 389 3007 and talk to Gareth.

## East Care Physio Dave Kearns

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## Up Coming Events

### Registrations

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February 6 – 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> February 6 – 8:00 p.m.  
Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February 10 – 12:00 a.m.

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February Coaches meeting at Linfield

Does your company lease cars  
Coastal Spirit has a partnership with  
**ORIX**

For every leased vehicle Coastal Spirit receives a gear package worth approx \$500

For more information please contact Gareth at Linfield Sport

## FIFA U-17 WOMENS'S WORLD CUP COACH AND REFEREE ROADSHOW

Do you want to obtain inspirational tips on how to make it to the top in coaching or Refereeing - or simply get some advice or direction on starting out in these areas? Then come along and listen to **Senior Women England Coach Hope Powell OBE**

**WHERE:** St Bedes College Auditorium,  
**WHEN:** Main North Road  
Papanui.

**TIME:** Saturday, 23rd February 2008

2.00 - 3.45pm Seminar & practical session for grassroots coaches & referees  
5.30 - 7.15 pm Seminar for representative/senior coaches & referees

**COST:** FREE

If you would like to attend, please contact:

Ainsley Crawford on 021 829 232 or e-mail [ainsley@fifau17.co.nz](mailto:ainsley@fifau17.co.nz)



## USL MEDICAL LTD

In Conjunction with Canterbury RFU  
and Sport Canterbury  
A Strapping Workshop

Come learn strapping techniques from a Physiotherapist and help your child or team injury free this season.

To be held at Merivale Lincoln RFC  
290 Woolridge Road Christchurch on Wednesday 5th March 2008  
From 7.00 - 9.00 pm  
Admission Free!

### WHERE WILL WE BE PLAYING?

Coastal Spirits home grounds will be Bexley Reserve and Cuthbert's Green for both juniors and seniors.

### WHAT WILL WE BE WEARING?

The new club colours will be Black shirts with white and gold trim, with black shorts and socks but Rangers and New Brighton juniors will still be in their previous original colours for the season.

### WHO WILL BE IN MY TEAM?

Teams from last season will be kept together wherever possible and blended teams will be introduced where necessary. Bearing in mind there may be trials held in some grades.