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From the Desk of the President, Stephen Marks

Welcome to the 2015 football season. This season is set to be an exciting one. We have our new Club rooms ready for use and importantly, the football department have worked tirelessly to put together some great teams for this season. As always the Grand Final is an exciting finish to the season but more so for us because we get to host it at our ground. Let's hope we have a team or two playing for a Premiership! There is a great atmosphere around the club at the moment and I encourage everyone to get involved and enjoy a great football year, on and off the field.

This year we see our long term Canteen Manger, Linda Dutschke, retire and we thank her for her efforts over the past few years. A group of people have got together and formed a Canteen Auxiliary to take on the role of management of the Canteen. This is a great concept that I hope will be built on every year with the opportunity for a varied group of people to work together and continue the success of our canteen. As always, we will still need the help of volunteers to run the club, whether it is umpiring, team management, time keeper, runner, bar, canteen or kitchen. Don't be afraid to offer a hand as it will always be appreciated.

Now that we have a venue for after match functions, meals will be available from the kitchen at all home games, and we have an exciting new concept for the kitchen that we hope will be successful. Watch this space as more information will be provided soon. The Social Committee, which is a joint Committee between the Football and Netball clubs, have been busy developing a range of social activities for each home game and I encourage everyone to come along and support their efforts. Fundraising this year is going towards new lights for the oval and netball courts.

The official opening of the new club will be after our first home game on April 11th. There will be a small official part around 5.30pm followed by a meal, guest speaker Rick Davies, band and other activities organised by the Social Committee. This will be a great night to start the new season. Everyone is welcome.

What a great year to be a member of the Football and Netball Clubs, and if you haven't joined as a member of either of these clubs then I would encourage you to see a Committee member or download a membership form from the website. There are also opportunities for sponsorship of the clubs and for the Football Club contact Paul Mack or Paul Ackland to discuss sponsorship options.

Let's get behind the club, support our players and have a successful year.

GO COUGARS!!

CYFC General Committee

President-Steve Marks

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Secretary - Lynne Thomas

Treasurer-Tim Davey

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David Clasohm

David Sly

Paul Ackland

Paul Mack

Luke Dutschke

Gerry Janssen

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Sue Gerschwitz

To contact your committee visit

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A Grade Coach, Dom Fotia

Welcome to the 2015 season. The guys started training on the 12th of January and so far haven't missed a beat. Everyone is engaged in making the Cougars a success in 2015. Players are focused on playing finals for the club. A long road between now and September! The committee, players and team have been established to lead this club into the future. Thanks to Sol and Tim Davey for there commitment. Where we go from here is up to the playing group and our supporters! Exciting times with the official club opening in April. My continued focus is on our next generation of talent and its development. How can we continue as a club to give these guys a chance at playing at the highest level? The Cougars have 2 trial games on the agenda and look to the community for your support. Last week, 21st March against Rosewater in Adelaide and this week the 28th of March against Northern Clare at Maitland Oval. Come along and see the new faces in our playing group for 2015! The guys are looking forward to your support and to show you what's in store for 2015! Get onboard! Support your team at all levels. Dom Fotia

Junior Footy News

Please be advised that training for Under 10's and Under 12's will be as follows.

First Training Thursday 26th March at 3:30pm at Maitland Oval

2nd Training Wednesday 1st April 3:30pm at Maitland Oval

3rd training Thursday 9th April 3:30pm at Maitland Oval.

Under 8's/Auskick will commence on Thursday 9th April 3:30pm at Maitland Oval.

Junior Colts and Senior Colts have commenced on Thursday nights at Maitland oval.

Any queries please contact Tim Schwartz 0428 363 242.

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Coaches 2014

U8's- Greg Dyett

U10's-Nick Polkinghorn

U12's-Ed Morris

Junior Colts-Tim Schwartz

Senior Colts -Chris Briggs

B Grade -Luke Butler

A Grade-Dom Fotia

SHOW YOUR COLOURS

CYFC Merchandise is once again available this season. SACFL approved shorts and socks are in stock ready for season 2015. All your supporter gear is available including Jackets, Hoodies & Polo's. Get ready for winter and have a look at our Cougars Beanie's, Scarves & Umbrellas! Contact Lynne Thomas on 0417849026

GO COUGARS !



Our fantastic new clubrooms are available for your next event. See Paul Ackland to make a booking!

Remember, ALL players older than 11 years old MUST be registered on the Sporting Pulse system. Watch out for your email from the Cougars and follow the prompts in it to update your registration. Contact Paul Mack or David Clasohm if you need help.

A& B Grade
Guernsey
Presentation
9th April after
training
Teas available and
Bar open
All Welcome

Opening for the new
Clubrooms
11th April first home
game
Cougars VS Moonta
5.30pm All Welcome
Special guest
Rick Davies

April 11th Moonta Round 1 (OPENING NIGHT)

Squirrel Grip – 5 piece band.

Jumping castle for kids

May 9th Bute Round 5 (PINK ROUND)

Touch of pink theme

May 16th Kadina Round 6

Drinks Special Night, Kids movie night

June 13th Paskeville Round 9

Tempus Vex (Crowell Boys)

Raffle wheel

June 27th Sth Eagles Round 11

Super hero theme night with Sumo Suit Hire

Ipod or DJ for entertainment

July 18th Wallaroo Round 13

1994 A Grade reunion (20yrs) & 1989 B Grade reunion (25yrs) both Maitland teams

Goods and services auction Saturday night

July 19th Cow Dung Day/ Family Day – Show down weekend

Jumping castle, face painting etc.

August 8th Ardrossan Round 16

Cowboys, cowgirls and Indians theme night with Back to Coda and

Mechanical Bull

August 15th CMS Crows Round 17

Max Tillage

Roast Night

September 19th GRAND FINAL

GET INVOLVED!

General Membership \$50.00

Senior Playing Member (A Grade / B Grade) \$75.00

Senior/Junior Colts Player \$45.00

Minis U12's / U10's Player \$30.00

Minis U8's Player \$20.00

Vice President (2 Memberships, Complimentary meal date TBA) \$300.00

A membership form is attached with this newsletter but they are also available at the Club or to download from www.cyfc.com.au

See David Clasohm for more info on membership.

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