

### LADIES DAY

IT HAS BEEN A BIG TWO WEEKS ON THE HILL.

Sorry the edition did not get out last week so it is a double edition this week. Since last we met the Men's teams went beserk, the Netballers have been inconsistent and the Hillies are about to get their season rolling. In our home game against Cribby the Under 19's unfurled their premiership flag. It was great to do this under clear blue skies and with about 40 past players in attendance. A great afternoon was had and the social activities continued into the night Frat style. The following round saw us travel to Devon Meadows, and again there was success on the footy ground and on the Sunday the Hillies played their first game of the season. Things do not slow down this weekend. It is ladies day at the Hill. This is a special day as it is one way that as a club we show our commitment to community.

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RED HILL FOOTBALL NETBALL CLUB  
**LADIES DAY**  
TIME FOR TEAL  
SUPPORTING OVARIAN CANCER AUSTRALIA

**SATURDAY 12TH MAY**  
RED HILL FOOTBALL NETBALL CLUB  
FROM 12:30PM  
HOME GAME V RYE

**GUEST SPEAKERS**  
SUSAN ALBERTI AC  
+ SPECIAL GUEST

**TICKETS \$60**  
per table (10 people)  
<https://www.trybooking.com/v58ML>

**INCLUDES:**  
Bubbles & 120ozs of wine  
Home Made Pies  
Cupcakes, Tea & Coffee  
Pasta Salad  
Guest speaker  
Tutor Puck  
Silent Auction

Proceeds will be donated to:  
 Ovarian Cancer Australia

Every day, four Australian women are diagnosed with ovarian cancer. It is the deadliest women's cancer and there is no early detection test. You can make a difference in their lives and for future generations by purchasing a ticket and coming along to support Ovarian Cancer Australia. Ovarian Cancer Australia provides vital services for women with ovarian cancer and their families, raises awareness of the disease and facilitates high impact research to improve outcomes for Australian women.

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Red Hill FNC Club is committed to supporting community events. This year our Ladies Day support goes to Ovarian Cancer Australia. The event is now sold out! Thankyou to everyone who has purchased a ticket and supported this great cause. Enjoy the lunch, enjoy the football, and enjoy each others company. A huge thankyou to Ocean Eight Winery for their generous support and contribution as our 2018 Ladies Day Sponsor!

We'll have a wrap up of the day's events with some photos in next weeks Newsletter!

### PAST PLAYERS DAY

FIRSTLY MANY THANKS TO THE ORGANISERS FOR A GREAT DAY, ESPECIALLY RUSSELL "GOLDIE" GOLDSMID AND DARYLL HOLMES FOR THE COMMITMENT TO THE CAUSE. THANKS TO ALL THOSE THAT HELPED ON THE DAY.

About 40 past players of many generations made it to the Hill and helped destroy the refreshments on offer. It was wonderful that some of the boys took the opportunity to buy a past player membership. Not too late to buy a \$50.00 membership for the rest of the season.

**WHY WE NEED YOU ON THE HILL:** Lets not beat about the bush. Red Hill is a proud club, but we cannot be that proud that we cannot ask for money. The club has great numbers on the oval and the court, but these teams need financial support. Your paid up membership will help keep teams on the field, but also go to some bigger costs, such as new jumpers for the Under 19's, new netball courts, work on the Green Shed, new tables and chairs in the club rooms. Look at the packages on offer, if you would like to help us financially contact Denise Catchlove at [dencatch@pac.com.au](mailto:dencatch@pac.com.au)

## FROM THE OVAL

In the words of somebody who I am sure is an expert they said, boy were doing alright. At this stage of the season, all 3 teams sit in the four. The ones have had two strong wins in the last two rounds. They really showed that they can sustain the pressure and then kick on to finish the opposition. The Twos are really starting to gel, and the young brigade are stepping up to the plate and are coming out swinging. The back line in particular are holding strong and have had very little get past them. The Unders are simply awesome. Their ability to deliver the footy and apply pressure is something worth watching. Some very good talent running around in this team and the Senior coaches must be watching with anticipation as the season progresses. But all this tyre pumping could be hot air if all 3 teams don't get up and about this week. Playing Rye at any time is a challenge and this week will be no different. This is a real local game with a huge chance for bragging rights. If ever there was a time that you thought about getting up to the Hill this is the week. Predicted poor weather will add to the drama.

Our Women's team have started their season playing Frankston at Frankston. The Hillies had a full side and took on an experienced team in the Bombers. The pre-season over, and the hard work done. The Hillies battled hard all day, but came out on the wrong side of the ledger. The coach was proud of the girls efforts and is looking forward to the first home game at the Hill. The girls were penciled in to play Edi-Asp but it looks as the lady eagles are struggling for numbers. There maybe a game this week against Seaford, which will be a real test for the girls, and one they will look forward too. The Hillies are very excited about playing on Ladies Day especially with Susan Alberti at the luncheon.

## FROM THE COURT

Some inconsistencies in the results on the court. One team that has been very consistent is the Under 17's. The score of 69 to 3 against Cribby was impressive to say the least, and the girls followed up with a 20 point win the next week. The D machine had a narrow loss against Cribby, but put the wheels in motion against the Panthers with a 7 point win. The C graders followed the same game plan as the D's with a loss to Cribby and a strong win against Devon Meadows. The B team are proving to be the most consistent of the the girls, with a 4-1 win loss at the moment. The A's are looking to improve on their win loss ratio, but their determination and persistence will soon pay off.

## ODD SPOT

May need to get Jim White onto this one, but when was the last time we had a Father/Son combination both playing on the same team? Last week Seconds coach Simon Powell pulled on the boots and was in the forward line with son Torren. We also have a mother Daughter combination in the Hillies with Karen and Bree Phillips. Who says we are not a family club!



## RED HILL GEAR

**BEANIES, SCARVES, JACKETS, POLO TOPS AND MORE. ORDER OR BUY DIRECT.**

All our apparel is available at home games. See Holmsey near the club room entrance, or you can buy on line through our web site. Make sure your in Red and White this season especially as the weather moves towards the cooler days.

## GAME DAY RAFFLE

Buy a ticket at the game. Some great prizes to be won. Tickets sold throughout game day



WE NEED YOUR HELP GAME DAY. IT IS A BIG JOB TO MAKE EVERY GAME DAY HAPPEN. IF YOU CAN HELP FOR 1-2 HOURS EITHER IN THE CANTEEN, ON THE GATE, AROUND THE GROUND, IT WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED. DO NOT BE SHY, NO PAST EXPERIENCE NEEDED . TRY AND CATCH A COMMITTEE MEMBER AND LET US KNOW THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN US IN MAKING THE DAY GREAT.



## MANY THANKS TO BENDIGO BANK

It was with great pleasure that Jim White and Jim Baird attended the Bendigo Bank Sponsorship evening last week. The Rye and District branches (Rye, Rosebud and Dromana) presented the Red Hill FNC with a sponsorship of \$10,000. Please support Bendigo Bank and all our other sponsors, because they are the ones that allow us to play.

## THE SOCIAL CALENDAR

### THE BALL

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May @ The Clubrooms

### PRESIDENTS LUNCH

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June v Dromana @ Home

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Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June v Chelsea @ Home

### MEGA MONEY \$5K RAFFLE NIGHT

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June v Chelsea @ The Clubrooms