



GRANT BRAES AFC
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Newsletter

Important Dates

Junior Registration

Sunday 24 Feb 10am-12noon
Tuesday 26 Feb 5.30pm-7.30pm
Monday 3 March 5.30pm-7.30pm

Junior Games

All Junior Games start on the
5 April 2008.

As a committee we would like to extend a hearty welcome to all our new players as they join our ranks for 2008. For returning players we look forward to working with you once again to ensure everybody's experience at Grants Braes is an enjoyable and a memorable one.

Junior Club

10th Grade and above

If we have enough players for two teams this season we may hold trials for teams 10th grade above.

We will notify the children concerned with the dates of the trials asap.

All Teams

Your coach will contact you once the teams have been sorted.

Senior Club

The Women's team and over 35's men team had a lot of fun competing in the Master Games. The Women's team just missing out on the Bronze, finishing 4th place and the Over 35's getting 7th place out of 19 teams. Well done to both teams

Good luck to all teams for the 2008 season.

Coaches' Corner

Junior Coaches Needed:

Junior coaches needed, if you are able to help please contact;
Michelle Moss, on 454 4606.

Sponsorship

If you are interested or know any firms that might be interested in sponsoring the club, please contact: *Sharron Milne, on 488-4355.*

There are a couple of ways to help with sponsoring:

➤ **Donation to the club**

As indicated on the Junior Registration form

Or;

➤ **Gold Club**

(Yearly membership \$150.00)

Your Gold Club membership includes the following:

*Your business name on our Gold club member's board inside our club rooms.

*The option of your business cards in our club rooms.

*Advertising in our monthly club newsletter.

*Listing your business details on our club website at www.grantsbraesafc.com

*Promotion of your business to our club members.

*A certificate of Membership.

*Grants Braes 2008 supporter sticker.

*An invitation to our end of year prize giving and other functions held throughout the year.

Committee

In November at our AGM the committee for 2008 was formed. The following is a list of the committee members and their current working positions within our club.

President:	Al Laidler
Club Captain:	Shane Carvell
Secretary:	Carolyn Wilson
Senior Rep:	Marty Debono
Junior Rep:	Michelle Moss
Fundraising Co:	Sharron Milne
Treasurer:	Chris Milne
Members:	Kerry Legge Rob Mitchell

The club has a long term plan to make extensive improvements to the club.

The planned changes include:

*installation of further lighting (with more teams, we need more practice areas under lights).

*further upgrading of Junior Strips.

*pre-fab and changing rooms freshened up.

*extensive coaching seminar's, for all Junior and Senior Coaches.

*an upgrade of the kitchen facilities.

Enjoy your season