

Chairman's Blog – August 2019



Dear members,

Welcome to August's edition of the Chairman's Blog. As you can imagine, at this time of year there is a lot happening with the remaining games of the current season being played as well as planning for the new season.

Richardson Reserve Upgrade – Update

Work has been progressing steadily on the update of Richardson Reserve with some really significant milestones being met, even with the bad weather that we have experienced in July and August. So far this month we have seen the completion of the storm water retention tank, the pathway and retaining walls around the pitch and the erection of the fence frames around the perimeter and on top of the retaining walls. Even more significantly we have seen this week the completion of the upper carpark which even has the new line markings completed. We are also seeing the installation of the light towers getting closer with the light poles being constructed.

I've included some images of the work completed to date for your reference.

Light Towers



Perimeter Fence Frames



Upper Car Park



End of season gala night

On Saturday 19th October the club will be holding its end of season gala night which also includes the club's senior awards presentations for both our men's and women's teams. This event is open to all adult members and will be a great night to celebrate the achievements throughout the season. I hope to see as many people there as possible.

A flyer has been produced that contains details of the evening and has been promoted on our team app and on the clubs social media channels.

Please contact Brenton Stehniak at ffsacoordinator@mvsc.com.au or Karen Landolfi at treasurer@mvsc.com.au for tickets or if you have any questions.



The easiest way to make payment for your tickets is via our direct deposit method. Instructions on how to do this are provided below.

DIRECT DEPOSIT

Deposit funds into:

Bank SA Account Name: Modbury Vista Soccer Club Inc

BSB: 105-122

Account No: 448 909 540

Please put your name and a brief description e.g. SMITH Gala Tickets x 2.

Father's Day raffle – Drawn 30th August 2019 at Smith Partners Stadium

A reminder that our next fundraiser for the club is the Father's Day Raffle. Tickets are only \$2 and it would be great if we could sell as many as possible to help generate some funds for the club.

For tickets, please see your team coach or manager. If we can ensure all tickets and books are returned to the club with monies no later than Wednesday 28th August.

There are some great prizes and we really thank the generous support from our club sponsors who have kindly donated these prizes. I have included details of the prizes below.

Father's Day Raffle 2019 Modbury Vista Soccer Club

1st Prize: 12-month membership at Benefitness Fairview Park – Value \$794

2nd Prize: Charcoal Rotisserie Souvla BBQ – Value \$250

3rd Prize: Sports Power Golden Grove Voucher – Value \$100

4th Prize: Bridgeway Hotel Voucher – Value \$50

5th Prize: Carton of Corona – Value \$50

6th Prize: Jack Daniels Bar Accessories – Value \$50

7th Prize: Two bottles of Shiraz – Value \$40



Bogan Bingo – Saturday 27 July

On Saturday 27 July 2019 the club held its Bogan Bingo night fundraiser. The night was a huge success with the club raising in excess of \$1,300 on the night. There were many laughs and those that attended were treated to a very entertaining evening.

State League 2 Update

This weekend our senior men's state league teams play their final league game with a home game against The Cove. Following on from this game our Reserves and U18's teams have qualified for the finals series which is a great effort. If you get a chance it would be great to see as many supporters there as possible for this last home game cheering on the teams. As always there will be a BBQ, drinks and we should have some merchandise on sale.

I'm also pleased to announce (as advised on our Facebook page) that the club has reappointed Ryan Mogg (head coach), Ryan Bastable (reserves coach) and Barry Kennedy (U18's coach) as our men's state league coaches for season 2020. We are extremely happy as a club of the fantastic job that all three coaches have done in what has been an extremely tough year with many logistical challenges thrown their way. I know like they are, they are really looking forward to continuing the journey we have embarked on in developing a really successful senior set-up.

I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the club to thank Billy Graves who was our senior technical director this season for the job that he did working with our senior men's teams. The club will not be reappointing a senior technical director for season 2020 and we wish Billy the best with his future coaching roles.

Team App

The best way to stay informed with what is happening around the club is to get access to the MVSC club team app. The club regularly posts information on this platform and is a great way to stay connected with what is happening around the club.

If you are unsure as to how to access team app, please follow the simple instructions in the attached brochure.

<https://user-content.teamapp.com/images/newsletters/documents/original/90011-632b46f61c9c19d86e9270a36be406c4e08a3dd4.pdf?1474591640>

End of season presentation

The club is continuing to work through potential solutions and dates for our end of season presentation given the redevelopment of Richardson Reserve has meant we will be unable to use our grounds. As soon as we have details we will let you all know.

Merchandise

New club beanies have arrived and they look fantastic. Great for these cold chilly nights!

If you wish to purchase one, they cost \$25.



If you have any questions or would like to purchase club merchandise (including the new beanies), please speak to Cara Gomez who is our merchandise officer. Cara can be contacted via email at merchandise@mvsc.com.au

Till my next update
Stuart Carlisle
MVSC Chairman