

# MATCH REPORTS 2019



## **U6's**

Kingsway Koalas

Kingsway Bears

## **U8's**

Kingsway Cougars

Kingsway Cubs

Kingsway Cats

Kingsway Cheetahs

The Cheetahs played with great effort on the weekend in an exciting game that was in the balance right to the end. We saw some great endeavour in defence and some nice passing and finishing in attack. The game ended 3 goals each.

## **U10's**

Kingsway Bulls

Kingsway Condors

Kingsway Lynx

Another good game for the lynx, who ended up taking a 5-3 win against LJBC lions pride.

The boys were tasked with displaying good crossing and passing rather than worrying about scoring and they did a great job at showing what we've been working on at training for the past two weeks.

Good job Lynx!

Kingsway Raptors

Kingsway Wolves

## **U12's**

Kingsway Lions

Kingsway Wasps

Kingsway Jaguars

Match Report by Daniel Richards

Kingsway Jaguars took the kick-off and Brodie collected the ball and passed it up to Gabriel.

Then within seconds we had penetrated the Kingsway Hornet's defence and Gabriel took a beautiful shot which sent the Jaguars up 1-0.

The Hornets took the restarting kick-off and almost as soon as you could say boo, the

Jaguars had the ball. It was passed up to the captain for the day, Daniel who got through the

defence and scored 2-0. Ben came up very strongly on the right wing and with a crispy shot

just skimmed the post. It flew back out and Brodie scored. Although the hornets scored,

Declan played a brilliant game in the goals despite his fractured toe. It was now 3-1.

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Zac, Aiden, Emmanuel and Luke as always were brilliant in defence hardly letting anything through. Gabriel scored another two goals to complete his hat-trick. Well done Gabriel!

Seyan, Daniel and Eli were the engines in the midfield sending the ball up frequently to Ben, Dylan and Kyle who all performed brilliant runs up the field.

Josh performed really well at the defence on the wing. He kept stopping James from the opposition who kept on running down his wing

Kiya played very well in attack making a lot of opportunity

### Kingsway Hornets

It was a tough lesson in humility for the Hornets as we were outplayed as a team by the Jaguars. I realise that I need to make improvements in player positioning to strengthen our defensive capability. We conceded two early goals as the opposition overran our defence and then we were having to play catch up. There were a couple of incidents that we need to avoid where we got frustrated and pulled opponent's jerseys and these were rightly blown up as fouls. The high points were some clean build ups where the ball was passed from backs through the midfield to the forwards with the cross coming in. Well done to Libby and James for their

key roles in these attacks. Matt can work on running into open space and then controlling the incoming ball. At one stage we had four corners in a row, but just couldn't make it count with a goal. So, we had plenty of good scoring opportunities but too many shots were too soft or just went wide. However, well done to Ruben A and Jonas for taking their chances to score our two goals.. Goalkeeping duties were shared by Anthony and Ruben A. They were put under constant pressure and did well. Ruben A saved a great high ball looking straight into the sun. Noa and Ruben VN saved goals by defending brilliantly by tackling the opposition and preventing them getting a shot away. Congrats to Lia, who played her first game ever today! The score line of 2-5 does not reflect the closeness of the game. Let's learn from this Hornets!

Coach Paul

### **U13's**

Kingsway Pumas

### **U14's**

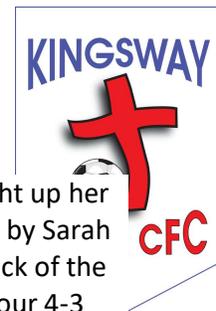
Kingsway Eagles

We suffered an unfortunate defeat on the weekend, going 4-1 down against riverside, however the score did not reflect the score as the boys put a lot more effort in to the match than the

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other team but was just unfortunate in the score line. The defence put up a great performance and nothing got through them, leaving riverside to rely on longshots to score their goals, their was some great attacking the plays and the boys were outperforming in every aspect but were just unable to link it through the midfield. Special mention to Chris and Luke in the defence and Robert in the midfield, who all had a really great game and ran it through. Luke also got our goal which had a great lead up of play. Next week we have Perth Strikers and we are looking to get our winning streak back on track. Great job Eagles!

### **U16's Girls**

#### Kingsway Firebirds

Last Saturday saw us pitched against Riverside in our third game of the season. So far we had two close loses to show for our efforts, but we had shown enough positives to be confident that a win was well within our grasp. We were without our regular goalie, so captain Chiara and Suzanne bravely stepped up to fill Charlottes big shoes/gloves and did a fantastic job at the back. It was a tight first half and we finished it in style with a well taken goal to Leila after a lovely run down the right wing. The second half started well, and we soon doubled our lead but then Riverside fought back to square it at 2-

all. Leila was a star and bought up her hat-trick which was followed by Sarah smashing the ball into the back of the net from close range to seal our 4-3 win. It was a great reward for Sarah who tirelessly pressured every ball up front and didn't give their defence a moments rest in what was a player-of-the-match performance.

We were extremely proud of all the girls – the defence held a great line and scrambled well when broken, midfield kept up the pressure and the wings dominated with dangerous crosses which was exactly what was needed on the compact pitch.

Fantastic game girls – keep it up!  
Nick and Ethan

### **U16's Boys**

#### Kingsway Leopards

#### **Kingsway Leopards 10 vs Ellenbrook Rovers 2**

A fine sunny day, and a dominant performance from the boys this week, as we overpowered Ellenbrook out at Maida Vale.

The boys went out strong, and we were a number of goals up in the first 15-20 minutes. The Mercy Rule was applied at this stage, and we made some substitutes to try and balance out the game. As play continued we swapped all our attackers into defence, and brought our defenders

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out into the attack, but the boys still continued to dominate the pitch, and at half time we were up 8 nil. The second half the boys were asked to concentrate on moving the ball around more, and playing a possession game, and this slowed the pace of the game down, relieving the pressure on a weary Ellenbrook side, and enabling them to press us high up the pitch and to mount a number of attacks.

There was a fantastic passing game going on from our team, and it was a delight to watch as the boys used the space, moving the ball up and down the pitch, and switching play as required.

We scored 2 more in the second half, with one from Johnny our goal keeper, who connected off a great cross from Elijah on the left to power it into the net. It was good to see him on the scorecard.

Strong game from all of the boys, but particularly Hylton both in defence and up front, and from Kenna who was unlucky not to score despite all his efforts, and hats off to Elijah for showing great sportsmanship and taking a late penalty with your opposite foot!

Well done to a very keen Ellenbrook side, who never gave up and pushed us til the end, gaining 2 goals for their efforts

Well done Team, a fantastic effort, and it was beautiful to watch the great display of teamwork, control and composure as you kept possession of

the ball, and great to hear you all communicating well on the field. Thank you and keep up the good work.

### Kingsway Buffalos

### **Colts**

### Kingsway Hawks

### **K Hawks 1 Def by G Steel 2**

The Hawks were keen to get back on track against the Greyhounds Steel who leading into this game were undefeated. There was a different feel in the team from last week with the players determined to bring the intensity from the first whistle. The game started fairly even with both teams trying to gain the ascendancy however after 10 minutes the deadlock was broken by the Steel when the Hawks keeper off guard by a long range shot that just cleared the keepers hands and dropped into the net. Probably being kind to say it was a shot but nonetheless the Steel had taken the lead. The Hawks were working hard to move the ball into dangerous positions with a couple of shots heading either just wide or straight to the Steel keeper. The Hawks suffered a blow not long after when Matt rose to head the ball towards goal only to catch the back of the defenders head. The clash opened up a wound and with claret flowing, Matt had to be removed from the game for medical treatment. To the

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Hawks credit, they regrouped and immediately won a corner which Cam placed nicely into Rhys who rose to head the ball into the net for the equaliser on 24 minutes. The Hawks were now playing some nice Football and created a number of chances leading up to half time but couldn't find the net. Scores locked at half-time 1 – 1. The Hawks continued to control the game for large parts but the Steel were always dangerous on the counter attack. Unfortunately, the Hawks inaccuracy in front of goal would prove costly as from another long range shot, the ball was deflected by the Hawks keeper into the path of a Steel player that knocked the ball in from the goal line with more than a hint of offside. The Linesman raised the flag however the Referee was happy to let the goal stand. The Hawks never gave up and continued to pepper the Steel goals but the equaliser wasn't forthcoming with the game finishing 2-1 to the Steel. This was a difficult game to assess as the Hawks appeared to be the better team on balance of play but came up short once again. Goal scoring is a confidence thing and at the moment the Hawks are lacking a bit in that area however it can come quickly. All other facets of the game are working well and if not for some poor luck, the result of this game could have been very different. Whilst we had solid contributions from all players, special mention to the Hawks midfield trio of

Dylan, Seb and Rhys who worked tirelessly all day to generate good opportunities for the forwards as well as rolling back to assist with backs. There is no let up for the Hawks with the Derby our next fixture. The challenge is there and the boys are ready to accept.

All for One and One for All

GO HAWKS!!

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**Men's**  
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