

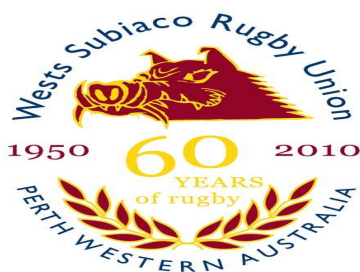
# Wests Subiaco Rugby Union Club - Juniors

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## Junior Newsletter No 8 (6<sup>th</sup> May 2010)

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### Dear Player and Family

Well done to all our players last Saturday. Please take the time to read our match reports. Parents and players to help Jo, Tracy and Jina get home on time Registrations, payments of fees and purchasing of gear will be only available from 5:00 to 5:30pm each Thursday night.

Just a reminder that we need to return all the Wests Hoodies back to Jo as she will be sending these to the suppliers and the replacements will be here within a week.

### IMPORTANT DATES:

- **U7s on roaster for sausage sizzle next Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> May**
  - Junior Quiz Night Friday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2010
  - 29<sup>th</sup> May - Britannia Setup - Volunteers from 7:00 to 8:30 am – all teams to help
  - Wests Subiaco Test Match Lunch Friday 11 June 2010 – Robbie Deans Guest Speaker
  - Junior Trophy Night Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September

**Message From Rugby WA:** There is issue again with rubbish as there is no shortage of bins at Britannia. The Town has reminded RugbyWA on occasions that if clubs leave Britannia in an unacceptable state, they will not allow Rugby to continue there.

Team	Opposition	Venue	Pitch	Kick Off
U6	Bye			
U7	University	Britannia	N	9.10
U8	Nedlands Gold	Britannia	P	9.50
U9	Nedlands	Britannia	L	9.20
U10	University	Britannia	L	11.00
U11	Bye			
U13	Mandurah	Britannia	H	9.30
U15 Swan	Southern Lions Blue	Britannia	H	12.40
U15 Gold	Perth Bayswater	Britannia	E	12.40
U16	Perth Bayswater	Britannia	X	10.30

**West Subiaco Quiz night 21<sup>st</sup> May 2010 (Friday) @ 6.30pm Rosalie Club Room.**

- BYO nibbles/snacks
- Strictly no BYO alcohol - Cash bar facilities
- No surfing the web using Mobiles.

**Tickets on sale at @ \$10.00 per head, 8 people to a table (\$80.00 a table). Ideally we would like to see at least 1 table per team.**

**Calling all Parents to make donations (wine, vouchers, merchandise, small gifts etc ...) to this event this will be used for prizes and raffles on the night or assist us with coordinating the event.**

This could be done either volunteering your time or donating prizes for the event. Tickets will be on sale next Thursday until tickets sell out. Payment needs to be collected before the event. We will be asking the Managers to be responsible for selling and collecting monies? Forms will be sent out to Managers this week so please be quick, as tickets will sell fast.

It would be greatly appreciated if we could have expression of interest for this event. Please speak with Darrell Stops, Tom Pinder or Tania Paul for details.

## **MATCH REPORTS OR MEMO**

### **UNDER 7s**

The under 7s were full of enthusiasm and could not wait to get on the ground for the first game of the season against Cottelsoe. James, Bruno and Taj showed off their side stepping skills taking the ball up and off loading as well providing a solid defence. Charlie, Emmet and Zai were confident in their running attacking play while the pocket rockets Kauri, Ian, and Connor used their speed to keep the opposition guessing. New boys Harrison, Tex, William and Michael played their first game for Westies and showed plenty of promise. All round it was a terrific effort by all the boys and bodes well a great 2010 season.

### **Under 8's**

The Under 8's season got off to a great start with a solid performance against Bayswater. Drey Waetford-Hill set the tone of the match with a brace of tries and the rest of the team followed his lead with strong performances on show across the park. Piripi Walker-Grace put in a solid defensive effort and new boys Fynn Boyce and William Van Uffelen both made good contributions first up. James Silsbury took a couple of heavy knocks early on and came back to finish the game strongly. Overall a great first up effort that showed a lot of promise for a very successful season ahead.

### **Under 9's**

For the first ever season of Tackle the Unders 9s were outstandingly strong, you would have thought they had been tackling for years. A minimum 8 of us (no subs) against a full squad of 20 Bayswater, our boys showed how numbers and size do not phase them.

Forward pack of Connor, Zayvier and William were the driving force behind the ball releases to our Backs...Ben, Adam, Conor and Zac who ALL successfully converted to runaway tries. One of our new-comers Peter Harris tirelessly continued to tackle players twice his size, saving a few Bayswater tries. And with that outstanding performance won him the Player of the Game. Well done Under 9s, I'm looking forward to a season full of exciting matches

### **Under 10's**

It was great to see all the boys geared up for their first game of the season. Matthew Briggs scored a fantastic try in the first half while Josh Welsh was truly a man on a mission. We did slow up a bit in the first half but our spirits and efforts were raised as we came out for the second half. Joshua Stops' efforts must be commended as he raced down the wing and attempted a spectacular try. Special mention also goes to Basti whose great effort saw him leaping over the line to score his first ever try. Well done boys!!

### **Under 11's**

North Coast were our opponents last Saturday and a formidable opponent they proved to be. They were much bigger (and uglier) than our team and had the luxury of almost another complete team of reserves on the sideline. Our Wests team showed the sportsmanship, courage and fortitude that would make anyone associated with this team proud. They defended most of the first half against a well drilled opposition, only having possession of the ball two or three times, with many individual acts of tenacity demonstrated. Many a time our boys took on others twice their size and managed to cope with the hard knocks that went with it. Alex Paul displayed exactly this commitment with his text-book tackling style.

All the boys deserve recognition for their resilient nature in not giving in. This was epitomised by Isaac Henderson, our front rower, who somehow managed to skirt their pack of forwards and score a winger's try. James Haskis, who swapped from half-back to lock, in the blink of an eye and Andrew Briggs's effort of getting up to look for the next opportunity after each tackle. A great effort with all the boys coming off with a few knocks but with smiles on their faces, knowing they stood up to the challenge of a tough game of rugby. North Coast went home with the points and we went home with our team spirit and sense of fun intact, looking forward to our next game.

A special thanks to all those who enquired as to Oliver Hickey's well being after him being out for the count and carted off in an ambulance to PMH. It's reassuring to know that the system works when there is suspicion of a serious injury. All's well that ends well. Many thanks to parents and players.

### Under 12's/13's

Despite injuries and playing half the game with less players than the opposition, the boys put in a valiant effort against Joondalup – losing 50 (58) to nil. The boys showed a lot of heart against the odds and defended well with only 13 players. Thanks to the parents for the overwhelming support on their first game.

### Under 15's

(Gold) Well done boys, great team effort and a great start to the season. Wests played an awesome game against Cottesloe (0). Best Player of the day went to Brandon Rene and Nathan.

(Swan) Wests (5) played against Arks (45) Thank you to all the parents for your support.

### Under 16s

Kick off the season against ARKS with a 27- to 8 Victory

### As at 1<sup>st</sup> April 2010

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