



# HAPPY VALLEY FOOTBALL CLUB

## MARCH 2019 NEWSLETTER

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### FROM THE PRESIDENT...

Welcome to the 2019 season! I hope you all have had a chance a to relax over the off season and that you are all ready and raring to go.

It is an exciting time to be a Valley Viking! This year we have senior coaches for our Men's and Women's teams with SANFL coaching experience, we are already able to see their wealth of knowledge, which will filter down through to the other coaches. The club is excited to have Heath Lawry as our Player Development Manager and Skills Development Officer.

We are implementing a mentor program for the junior teams (both boys and girls). This year we will also be beginning to drive our One Club Culture along with our #werowasone.

I am excited to announce that this year we will be playing a Heritage Round with our A Grade donning the blue and gold heritage strip guernseys.

I would like to thank Joe Maoirana and Luke Ferguson who work tirelessly each year to retain our current sponsors and also bring new ones to our club. These sponsors are crucial to running a club of our size and I would like to thank them for their ongoing support. I urge all of our members to support these sponsors and their businesses where you are able.

A reminder to all of our members that our senior squads are very young and the club is currently in a development phase, we do have some really exciting times ahead of us.

Our committee have been working extremely hard in the off season to try and improve our club both on and off the field, we are currently waiting on the outcome of our changeroom upgrade grant application, and we will keep members informed of any news on that application.

Finally, many hands make light work and it takes a lot of volunteers to run our great club. We are always in need of help and just a few hours of your time will go a long way. I look forward to seeing many of you helping out to better our club.

Steve Greening,  
President

# #WEROWASONE

## UPCOMING EVENTS

SFL Round 1  
April 6<sup>th</sup>

Casino Night  
May 4<sup>th</sup>

Women's Round 1  
May 12<sup>th</sup>

Sportsman's Night with  
Sam Newman  
May 14<sup>th</sup>

Heritage Round  
(Men vs. Reynella)  
June 1<sup>st</sup>

Ladies Day  
Breakthrough  
Community Round  
June 22<sup>nd</sup>

Quiz Night  
August 17<sup>th</sup>

Senior Presentation  
Night  
October 12<sup>th</sup>

## MERCHANDISE UPDATE



- Polos • Hoodies • Jackets • Shorts • Footy Socks •
- T-shirts • Scarves • Stubby Holders • Skins •
- Baseball Caps • Beanies •

Merchandise Manager Ali will be at the Club or you can contact her on 0438 866 841 for all your merchandise needs!

## FAREWELL...

*On behalf of all players, sponsors and supporters we wish Dwayne Ruddock goodbye this season.*

*Dwayne's efforts and passion for the club were evident as he served as A Grade Captain and reached life membership last season. After starting with the Vikings as a junior, the club wishes to recognise Dwayne for his leadership and commitment in previous years, and wishes him all the best for the future.*

## MEMBERSHIP PACK UPDATE

Membership packs for players and members are now available in the clubrooms for collection!

Packs for Season 2019 include your membership card, bumper sticker and for players, your Season 2019 Player's Handbook



# THANK YOU!

A huge thanks to Form&Flow for running a bootcamp session with our Senior Men and Senior Women's teams over pre-season, everyone had a great time.



## SENIOR MEN'S LEADERSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT

We are excited to announce that the following players having been selected as the 2019 Senior Men's A Grade Leadership Group:

- Captain: Justin Schurgott  
Vice Captains: Jacob Battifuoco and Lee Davis  
Leadership: Nick Frisby-Smith and Declan Maguire

Congratulations guys, we cannot wait to see you in action in this season.



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

HVFC is still in desperate need for volunteers to help get the Club running to its best ability!

If you are able to donate any time this season, or would like to take on any of the below roles please contact Kevin on 0421 069 771

- Auskick Coordinator
- BBQ Coordinator
- Bar Staff
- Team Managers
- Trainers (remuneration available)

Remember – the Club cannot run without volunteers!



Thanks so much to Joe Maiorana from Harcourts Tagni for coming back on a sponsor for Season 2019. Joe has been such a big support over previous seasons and we're so glad to have him back on board!

Joe Maiorana  
**Harcourts** Tagni