

Lane Cove Football Club



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Presidents Intro

Hi Everyone,

As we get close to the end of another exciting season of LCFC football I wanted to thank you all for your participation in the world's best game and hope you have had another enjoyable season and will be back for 2017. Congratulations to all those teams who are still battling it out for honours and to those who have collected ribbons already (Over 35 Division 2 winners and Under 18 Division 2 winners are already locked away). A number of teams are involved in finals series about to be played and these where known as of today are noted below. If you are able please get out and support the LCFC teams in these games. We also have Gala Day coming up next weekend followed by Club Day, All Age Presentation Night and the Over 35s/45s Night of Nights all crammed into Saturday, September 3rd so still much to look forward to. I hope where applicable you can make these and show your support for LCFC as we bring the 2016 season to a close.

You'll be pleased to know we are already planning for 2017 with a free training session for Under 7s – 12s on Monday 15th August at Blackman already scheduled (see below). In addition we will be running an end of season survey which I beg you to complete to help us plan for the future. We are also planning in the next few weeks to run a Strategy Day to look at what the future may hold for LCFC and how we can plan for it. If anyone has a particular wish to be part of the Club's strategic planning please drop me a note at admin@lcfc.com.au with a comment about how you would like to contribute / assist with this. We are keen to hear from as many people as possible.

Thanks,

Francis

2016 Club Day: 3rd September 2016!



LCFC Club Day for the 2016 football season will be held on Saturday the 3rd of September!

Spend the morning down at Blackman Park to celebrate another successful season at Lane Cove Football Club.

Trophies and team photos will be distributed on this day to all junior and miniroos teams. A schedule will be distributed at a later date providing each age group the chance to be presented with and collect their personal trophy.

We are proud to announce that this year Blackman Park will host 2 jumping castles for the kid's enjoyment and multiple soccer goals across the artificial turf fields, so bring a ball to kick around!

Please note that this is also the collection day for all ball bags, player shirts and goalie kits. So please managers, make sure they are all together to be dropped off on this day.

Looking forward to seeing you there!

Note: If anyone has any unwanted football boots at home and would like to donate them to a charity that transports them to children in Africa, then please bring them along on Club Day and we will have a collection point.



Free Professional Training Session at Blackman Park U7-U12: 15th August 2016!



If your child has enjoyed soccer in 2016 and is a keen soccer player who might be interested in doing some more training in 2016 by joining one of the Development Squads, North Shore Lighting would like to invite you to a fun, free training session at 5pm on Monday 15th August at Blackman Astroturf provided by SoccerKickStart. This is for all age groups up to u12, with a particular focus on u7 as 2017 is their “entry year” to Development.

North Shore Lighting is a joint venture between Lane Cove FC, St Michaels FC and Chatswood SC, based at Blackman Park, and was set up by the clubs to give the more enthusiastic and talented players in the clubs a chance to have an “Development/Academy” type experience with their local friends, and without having to drive in peak hour to another suburb (Parent/Guardian self-interest is an important motivation!) The Lightning kids play on the weekends in an orange top – you may have seen them around.

SoccerKickStart provide the clinics for Western Sydney Wanderers amongst others and provide the Term 4 skills, holiday camps and coaching for Development and Diamond League (Diamond League is the name of u11-u14 Girls division 1).

If you think your child may suit this program and are interested in them attending this training session, please register using the following link <https://tas.currinda.com/register/event/1447> which will ask for your child's name, your phone #, club and their current team name.

Any questions please email Rob White on rgw@hotmail.co.uk.

Mens and Womens All Age Presentation Night: 3rd September 2016!

The Annual Mens and Womens All Age Presentation Night has been scheduled this year on Saturday the 3rd of September.

The night will take place at the local Longueville Hotel Under Bar from 7:00–12:30pm.

Each team will receive 3 medals to be presented to the players player, managers player and golden boot of the season. As well as an overall all age golden boot and golden glove!

This year the venue will be dressed to impress, there will be a DJ, food in the form of canapes and each person will receive 2 free drink cards.

Tickets are priced at \$35.00 per person and can be purchased here: <https://tas.currinda.com/register/event/1450>. Partners welcome.

Don't forget to buy your tickets early as the longy underbar has a limited capacity.



Lane Cove Teams in Finals: Where to be to support our teams!



Saturday 13th August

FINAL: Lane Cove U13A v. Lindfield U13B – 8:30am Primula

PENNANT FINAL: Lane Cove U13C v. St Ives U13A – 10:30am Blackman 2

FINAL: Lane Cove U14A v. Chatswood Rangers U14A – 8:30am Kingsford Smith

FINAL: Lane Cove U18A v. St Ives U18A – 8:30am Blackman 2

Friday 19th August

FINAL: Lane Cove O35s v. TBC – 8:00pm Blackman Park (provisional)

As of Friday, 12 August 2016.



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