

Hibiscus Coast AFC

2022 April Newsletter



Presidents Piece

The season start is just around the corner for our Mens 1st and U23 teams (16th April away to Cambridge) and our Youth NRFL teams. Our Woman's First team started on the 10th April, taking away a 4-0 win against Central FC. The community teams start in May, with April interrupted with Easter and School Holidays.

Registrations are now closed. You can email registrations@hbcafc.org.nz and the coordinators will do their best to place your child in a team, otherwise you will be put on a waitlist.

If you are looking to coach this year and you haven't done so, look to enrol in a coaching course. We are running some through the Club. Not only will it upskill you as a coach, but it will be hugely beneficial to the players. Similarly, if you are the type who would put their hand up to referee, get on the Club Based Refereeing Course. Again it helps you, the team and the Club.

With the trainings starting, it is important that we look after the fields. We ask that you don't train in the goalboxes if you don't have to. Also, please no warmups and straightline running exercises on the field. It quickly wears the field out and Council will close them if they have to. The fields do belong to the Council and we work with them to keep them maintained.

Talking of coaches and referees, we are essentially a volunteer based run club. So helping with coaching, managing, or on a Committee is greatly appreciated.

As always we are grateful to all of our sponsors. Have a look at who our sponsors are, especially those within our Business Network Group. Using our sponsors and mentioning you know they sponsor the Club is really value for money for the sponsors.

In terms of our Mens and Womens top teams, the Men play Saturdays (first home game 23rd April) and the Women Sundays.

Bring the young players down to watch or just come down yourself. The Clubrooms will be open and there is a bar upstairs which sells alcohol. (I mention that because some people don't realise).

All the best for the season.

Yours in Football,
 Scott Beard
president@hbcafc.org.nz



Up & Coming Events

Key Dates

- 10th April - Woman's First Teams Season starts
- 14th April - School Term 1 Ends
- 16th April - Men's First Team Season starts
- 19th - 22nd April - Holiday Programme week 1
- 23rd April - Men's first home game
- 26th - 29th April - Holiday Programme week 2
- 30th April - Senior Men's Season starts
- 1st May - Senior Women's Season starts
- 1st May - Youth NRFL Season starts
- 2nd May - School Term 2 starts
- 2nd May - Skills Centre starts
- 3rd May - Goal Keeping Academy starts

Volunteers - We need your help!

We are currently looking for:

- 6th Grade coordinator
- 6th Grade coordinator
- 7th Grade coordinator
- 8th Grade coordinator



If this is something you would like to help us with please email info@hbcafc.org.nz

We are also looking for a volunteer to help us with our Boot Bank on Saturday mornings. This involves you pricing the boots and being available at the club on Saturday mornings to sell to our club members.

If fundraising is your thing or you would like to get more involved, please get in touch and we can invite you to our next fundraising committee meeting. Email: info@hbcafc.org.nz



Junior Summer Footy

This was the first year running Junior summer footy in Term 1 and it appears to have been a great success, despite the environment. We would really like to thank all the schools, parents, coaches, managers, referees, volunteers and staff that helped make it a huge success!

We will be back running in Term 4 again this year, so keep your teams and we will let you know when registrations open for this.

A massive thank you to McDonalds and NZ Football for the player of the day trophies for each of our teams. We ask if you haven't already could you please return these trophies these to the club so we can use them again in Term 4.

Lastly a massive thank you to Game Over for their contribution, sponsoring over \$20,000 worth of Player of the Day certificates and vouchers for the wider football community.

Please remember the vouchers cannot be used for team bookings.



Club Open Day

Thank you to everyone who braved the weather and came down to our club open day! It was a fantastic day of footy, candy floss, popcorn and bouncy castles. A huge thank you to Party Kingdom for sponsoring this event.



Programmes

Term 2 2022 HBCAFC SKILLS CENTRE

Our high quality coaches aim to fast track players ability through highly engaging and fun sessions

Who: Juniors 9th - 12th grade
(All skill levels)

When: Mondays
9&10: 4:30 - 5:30pm
11&12: 4.30 - 5.30pm
2nd May - 4th July

Where: Metro Park, Millwater

Price: \$108



Hibiscus Coast AFC Skills Centre is Accredited by New Zealand Football

Register Online: hbcafc.org.nz



Coaches:

Mitchell Browne
- OFC/NZF C-License
- NZF Junior Level 3

Tyler Agiovlassitis
- NZF Junior Level 3



APRIL SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME



Come join us for our April School Holiday Programme!

Week 1
Tuesday 19th April
Wednesday 20th April
Thursday 21st April
Friday 22nd April

Week 2
Tuesday 26th April
Wednesday 27th April
Thursday 28th April
Friday 29th April

What to bring:
2x Snacks, Lunch,
Water bottle,
Boots or Sneakers,
Sunblock, Raincoat

9AM - 3PM

Ages:
5 - 12 Years old

Where:

Stanmore Bay Park

Price:

\$45 a day
\$120 for 3 sessions
\$160 for 4 sessions

Girls only session available on the Tuesday & Thursday



Register: www.hbcafc.org.nz/holiday-programme

TERM 2 HBCAFC GK ACADEMY

What is covered:

- Movement and Positioning skills specific to goal keeping
- Handling Techniques
- Shot stopping
- Footwork and coordination
- Narrowing the 'angle'
- 1v1 Attacks
- Handling crosses
- Ball distribution

Who: Grades 9th - 17th

When: Tuesdays

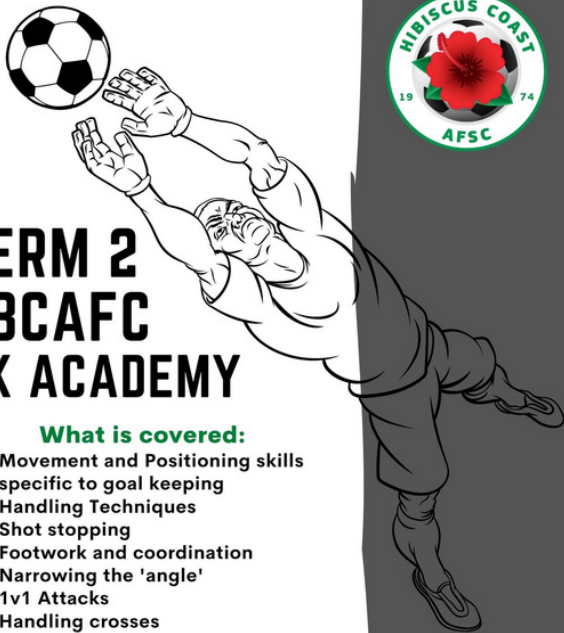
9-12th grade: 4.30pm - 5.30pm

13-17th grade: 5.45pm - 6.45pm

3rd May - 5th July

Where: Stanmore Bay Park

Price: \$108



FUNDAMENTALS PROGRAMME

Our Term 2 Fundamentals programme is back at school!

Our Fundamentals programme takes place on the school fields, making it easy for children and parents to access. We run after school and lunchtime sessions for kids in years 1 - 6. In these sessions we work on coordination and football skills by incorporating fun games and matches.

Orewa Beach Primary - Monday after school 3pm-4pm

Red Beach Primary - Waiting for Orange Setting

Wainui Primary - Monday lunchtime 11.35am-12.15pm

Stanmore Bay Primary - Tuesday after school 3pm-4pm

Stella Maris Primary - Waiting for Orange Setting

Whangaparaoa Primary - Tuesday after school 3pm-4pm

Silverdale Primary - Waiting for Orange Setting

Kingsway Primary - Thursday lunchtime 12.55pm-1.40pm

Gulf Harbour Primary - Thursday after school 3pm-4pm

Dairy Flat Primary - Thursday lunchtime 1pm-1.45pm

Orewa Primary - Friday after school 3pm-4pm

Kaukapakapa Primary - Friday lunchtime 12.15pm-1.00 pm

Wentworth Primary - Waiting for Orange Setting

VISIT OUR WEBSITE TO REGISTER: WWW.HBCAFC.ORG.NZ

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The Business Network Group

On Wednesday 16th March the Business Network Group hosted a thank you evening for volunteers and sponsors at the Northern Union Pub. This was an inaugural event which should have happened at the end of the 2021 season, but due to going into level 4 lockdown. The football club couldn't run without the likes of the junior committee, the grade coordinators or the executive. It was a great night which also formally recognised our top youth volunteers and the efforts that they put into the running of the club.

Once again many thanks to all of you for everything you do.

Keep an eye out for the end of 2022 season bash!

Cheers,

Rob Howarth

Chair of the Business Network Group

021925489 - Call me if you'd like to find out more about how we support the club and local businesses



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