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## SEASON 2010 HERE WE GO!!

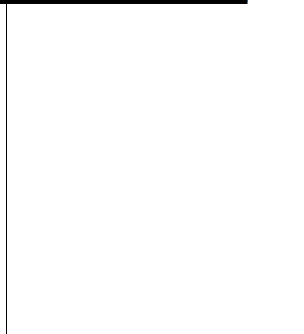
Welcome to 2010 GCFC.  
Hello and welcome to the new season of football at Gosnells City FC. A special welcome to all new players, coaches, volunteers and parents to the club for this coming season and I hope you all enjoy your experience with us. Also welcome to all the new committee members in what will hopefully be a huge season for the club. Our focus this season will be to improve the communication throughout all factions of the club, bringing us all closer together under the one umbrella. The starting point has been the club website at [www.gosnellscityfc.org.au](http://www.gosnellscityfc.org.au) which has now been completely updated with relevant information and is open to all, to post teams information throughout the coming season. This will hopefully be the number 1 resource for all information around the club. Stage two is the re-introduction of the GOS-E-NEWS letter which will be a hardcopy periodical which will be circulated throughout the club via the teams coaches.  
The club will also be wholeheartedly taking onboard the Football West's RESPECT campaign. There has been a noticeable and worrying trend over the past few years in which the respect for the game, participants, team mates, spectators, officials, volunteers, coaches, parents etc have all been decreasing and our club is determined to reverse this trend as quickly as possible. Details on the respect campaign can be found on the Football West website at [www.footballwest.com.au](http://www.footballwest.com.au) and follow the links off the advertising banner at the bottom of the homepage.  
Tony Pritchard - Club President

- Special points of interest:**
- Team of the month
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  - Night Series fixtures
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### YOUR CLUB NEEDS YOU!

As you all know we are a non profit organization run by volunteers and we rely on donations, sponsors and fundraising to be able to keep GCFC up and running. The money that we raised is used for purchasing equipment such as balls, cones, nets etc, soccer kits, maintenance of our club plus the usual day to day running of a building phone, electric, insurance ground fees etc. To keep our Club going it takes a little bit of help from all of us. It could be as simple as selling chocolate from our chocolate drive or just having a great night out attending one of our functions, that we will be holding throughout the football Season . Please remember no matter how large or small your contribution is we at GCFC we will be providing a great community spirited football club for your child to play at .



Thank you  
Silver Swan Jewellery  
Who kindly donated  
the chain & pendant  
as a prize and who  
also printed this news  
letter



Registrations will be held on  
 Sunday 31st of Jan  
 and  
 Sunday 2nd Feb  
 In the Gosnells Club rooms  
 Cassidy Rd Thornlie  
 10am–2pm  
 The first 200 Juniors to pay  
 their fees in full will receive a  
 starter pack valued at **\$40** and  
 also go in draw to  
**WIN YOUR FEES BACK!**  
 Plus a Silver Football Pendant  
 & chain valued  
 at \$60!

**SPONSORSHIPS 2010**  
 If any one is interested in  
 sponsoring our club  
 Not matter how small or large  
 Please check out our website  
 for the full details  
 It could be as simple as spend-  
 ing \$50 to go into our web  
 site "Business Finder"  
  
 See back page for details

Thinking of having a  
 function?  
 Why not hire our club  
 rooms!  
 We can hire out our Club  
 rooms to GCFC Members  
 Please contact  
 Debbie our lovely  
 Bar Manager  
 Or  
 Go to our Web Site  
[www.gosnellscityfc.org.au](http://www.gosnellscityfc.org.au)



## TRAINING UPDATE

Preseason training has once again been disrupted by not being able to book the Cassidy Rd oval for use until after April 1st 2010. This will result in the majority of juniors having to start preseason away from the club as in 2009 by using passive ovals around the general area. All coaches will be briefed at the seasons first coaches meeting and all players notified of the training ground and times by phone once confirmed. This is proving to be a major intrusion into our clubs preparations for the season and is something the committee is working on to rectify in the future. Until then we need to adapt and work with what we have available to the best of our abilities.

Grading will begin prior to the end of FEB. for our Junior Teams

Pre-season for all our senior teams have begun .

However if anyone is interested in playing for any of our teams please contact us by email or ring our President Tony on 0419 228 275 and he will point you in the right direction .

## TEAM OF THE MONTH!!

Our 14 Division 1 team will be the only Academy team for season 2010. They were very unlucky not to be playing Premier League in 2010 having finished 2nd in 2009, but the introduction of the WAIS Girls team at this stage of the competition means that only one team from Division 1 was promoted. The clubs continued goal is to provide a constantly increasing level of coaching to all our young players and believe our policy of providing funding to all our junior coaches to complete the Football West accredited coaching courses is the method in which to get the job done





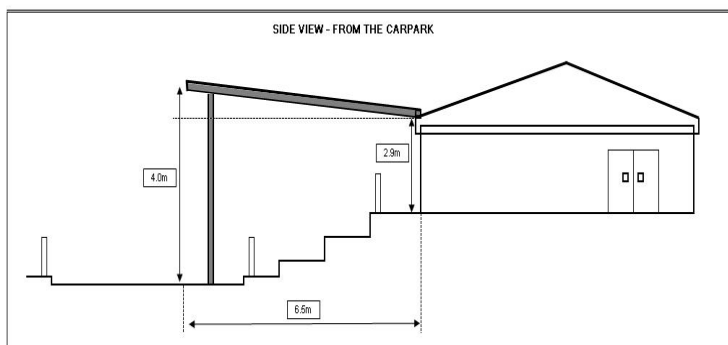
# GCFC UPGRADE - PATIO PROJECT 2010

**GCFC PATIO PROJECT 2010**  
 The committee can confirm the selection of the proposals for the patio erection to the front of the clubrooms has been made. Associated Patio Systems have confirmed in previous meetings that they can complete the job prior to the start of this 2010 season, over a 7 day period and within minimal disturbance to the operation of the club. The project will be totally funded by grants obtained by the City of Gosnells, sponsorship and fund-raising throughout 2009. The go ahead has been provided to the Associated Patio and technical drawings will begin, with the club having final approval of any

submitted drawings to the City of Gosnells. The patio will bring welcomed shade from the sun and cover from the rain throughout the year providing greater comfort for all members



GCFC PATIO PROGRAM 2010



## SENIOR FIXTURES THIS MONTH

Our Semi Pro teams will be playing in the **2010 Division 1 Night Series** to be held at Forrestfield United, Hartfield Park Hale RD Forrestfield, starting on FEB 5th. Our 18's youth team will be playing first followed by a GCFC 1st team game each weekend. We have some talented new faces this year and combined that with our experienced Lads, its shaping up to what could be a very successful season. It would be great to see as many spectators as possible to cheer our teams on!

The times for the night series below are the First team times the youth teams will start aprox 6.00pm

Fri 5 Feb 10 8:00PM	Gosnells City	v	Rockingham City
Sun 14 Feb 10 7:00PM	Gosnells City	v	Fremantle SC
Fri 19 Feb 10 8:00PM	Queens Park	v	Gosnells City
Sun 28 Feb 10 7:00PM	Wanneroo City	v	Gosnells City
Sun 5 Mar 10 8:00PM	Gosnells City	v	Forrestfield United





We are on the web  
[www.gosnellscityfc.org.au](http://www.gosnellscityfc.org.au)



# ReSPeCT

Show respect for all Officials,  
Spectators, Coaches, Players  
and Team Mates.

Show respect for Opposition

**GOSNELLS CITY F.C. Clubs, Your Club and for Yourself**

We have now added to our website a  
"GCFC Business Finder"

you'll see the link on the left hand side menu on  
the main page.

This is a great community service and for the small  
fee of \$50 you too could have your business on  
our web site!!!!

Please contact at  
[www.gosnellscityfc.org.au](http://www.gosnellscityfc.org.au)



Gosnells City FC was established in 1969. Through it's many name changes our continued aim has been to promote the game of football in the community, whilst encouraging our players, coaches, managers and parents to develop an appreciation and enjoyment of the game and its skills.

Our club's objectives are reflected in all our approaches to the game of Association Football.

- To allow all players to enjoy the game.
- To encourage all players to play to the best of their abilities.
- To provide a skills and learning environment in which players can fully appreciate all aspects of football as a team game.
- To promote good sportsmanship and goodwill.
- To encourage pride in our Club and their own achievements as players in our Club.
- To provide cohesive development pathways from grass roots to elite, and providing education, information and technical support to all.

Our club is a member of Football West who is affiliated with the Football Federation Australia.

