

NEWS FROM THE NEST

Official newsletter of the Belconnen Magpies Football Club



Plenty to celebrate

This month saw a number of events that allowed the BMFC community to come together to celebrate the great successes of 2020.

Our sponsors lunch was an opportunity for the football club to express our gratitude toward all of our sponsors for their unwavering support through what has been a difficult year for all. Without the generous support of these great local businesses and supporters, the club would not have been in a position to claim two premierships, and so we are very grateful to all of our sponsors!

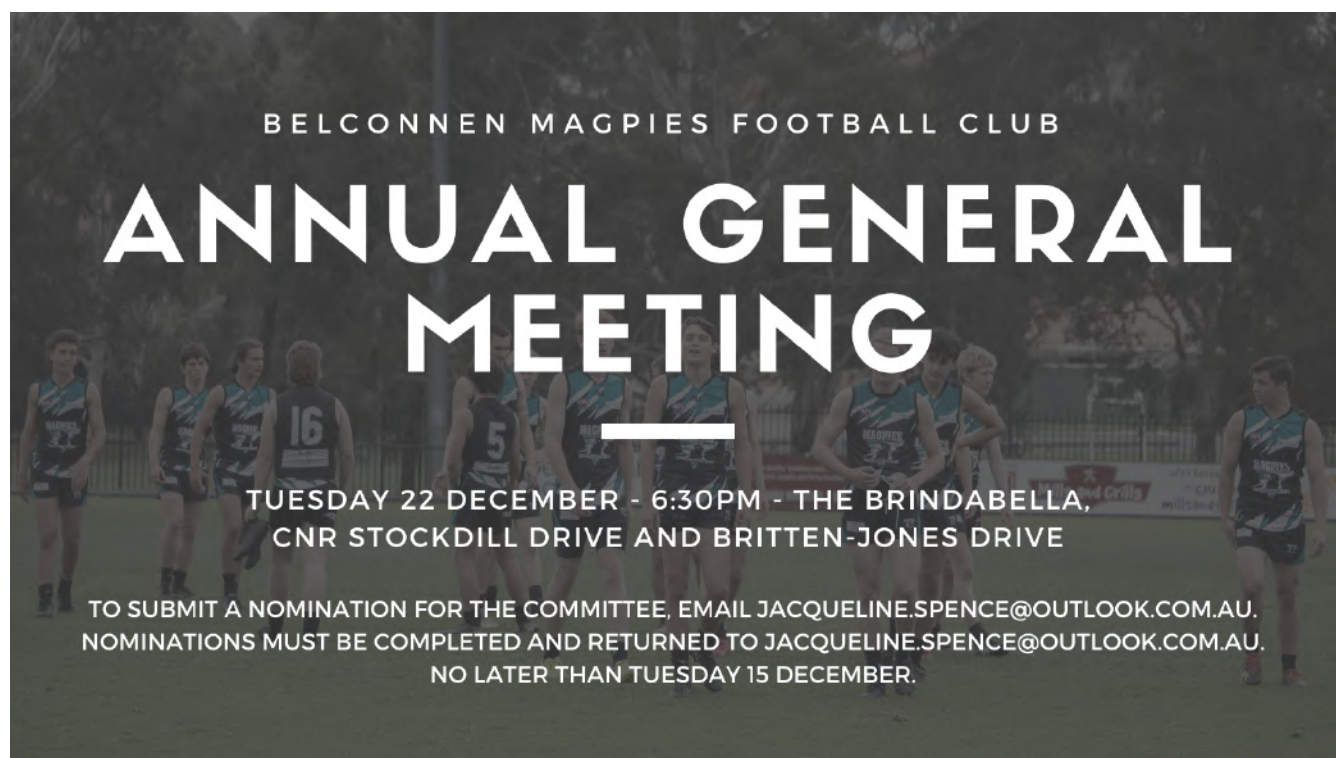
November also marked the 2020 BMFC presentation night. The night was a great success, with so many great Belconnen people getting recognised for their efforts both on and off the field. Read on to find a full list of award winners, as well as photos from the event!

Off-season newsletter schedule

During the offseason, the *News from the Nest* BMFC newsletter will revert to being published monthly. However, though the season may be finished, keep reading the newsletter for information on upcoming events, pre-season training details, and other club news!

And if you know someone out there who might appreciate joining the newsletter mailing list, get them to send an email to info@belconnenmagpies.com.au to sign up!

BMFC ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



The Belconnen Magpies Football Club Annual General Meeting will be held at The Brindabella, Cnr of Stockdill Dr and Britten-Jones Dr on Tuesday 22 Dec, commencing at 6:30pm.

Agenda:

1. Opening by Club President
2. Apologies
3. Confirmation of Minutes of the 2019 AGM
4. Business arising from the Minutes
5. President's Report
6. Treasurer's Report
7. Election of Directors
8. Election of President and Vice President
9. Appointment of Returning Officer
10. Appointment of Auditor
11. General Business
12. Close

To submit a nomination for the Committee, email jacqueline.spence@outlook.com.au. Nominations must be completed and returned to jacqueline.spence@outlook.com.au no later than Tuesday 15 December.

We look forward to seeing you there to officially close out the 2020 season.

BMFC SPONSORS LUNCH



During the past month the club was able to hold a sponsors lunch event as a way to thank our wonderful sponsors for their support through this difficult year.

The highlight of the event was an interview with special guest Tom Green. The GWS Giants young gun and former Marist junior shared some fascinating insights into his first year in the professional game. Attendees also heard from Bobby Moroney and James Bennett, who gave season recaps for our women's and men's teams.

In addition, on Friday the 20th Nov, the General Manager of The Magpies Sports Club Paul Netting honoured our Football Club President Scott Reid for his tireless work within the club and community, presenting him with the #1 membership card for the licensed club. A very deserved recognition, and once again, thanks for everything Scott!



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Sponsor of the Month



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Volunteers of the Month: Amber Allen and Aiden Wenke

This month we are recognising two outstanding efforts from Amber Allen and Aiden Wenke!

Both Amber and Aiden worked tirelessly to ensure that our 2020 presentation night was a tremendous success. Organising such a large event that complied with the necessary COVID protocols presented a substantial challenge, but thanks in large part to the selfless efforts of both Amber and Aiden we were able to safely come together as a club to celebrate a wonderful season. Thanks Amber and Aiden!



BMFC 2020 PRESENTATION NIGHT AWARD WINNERS

Men's 1st grade		Women's 1st Grade	
Best & Fairest	James Bennett	Best & Fairest	Natasha McKay
Runner Up Best & Fairest	Maximus Monaghan	Runner Up Best & Fairest	Amber Allen
Most Consistent	Bradley Hoffman	Most Consistent	Jacqueline Spence
Most Improved	Nicholas Kelly	Most Improved	Maddison Dwyer
Most Courageous	Alexander Bennett	Coach's Award	Hannah Wallett
Coach's Award	Ryan Turnbull	Player's Player	Natasha McKay & Emily Pease
Best in Finals	Sebastian Quirk	Most Courageous	Zoe Allen
Player's Player	James Bennett	Best In Finals	Maddison Dwyer
Best First Year Player	Tom Simpson		
Men's 2nd grade		Women's 2nd Grade	
Best & Fairest	Ryan Bradley & Fraser Miller	Best & Fairest	Sarah Crakanthorp
Runner Up Best & Fairest	Oscar Smyth	Runner Up Best & Fairest	Courtney Halse
Most Consistent	Tynan Doyle	Most Consistent	Alexandra Staib
Best In Finals	Oscar Smyth	Most Improved	Imogen McClelland
Most Improved	Fraser Miller	Coach's Award	Aisling Doyle
Coach's Award	Hamish Healy	Player's Player	Hollie Massey
Player's Player	Ryan Bradley		
Rising Stars		Men's 3rd Grade	
Best & Fairest	Mitchell Fitzpatrick	Best & Fairest	Hamish Warden
Runner Up Best & Fairest	Zac Smith	Runner Up Best & Fairest	Sam Telfer & Tom Rankin
Most Consistent	Thomas Itter	Most Consistent	Aidan Wenke
Most Improved	Lachlan Smith	Most Improved	Brayden Misfud
Coach's Award	Jack Read	Coach's Award	Connor White
Most Courageous	James White	Player's Player	Blake Collins
Player's Player	Mitchell Fitzpatrick		
Perpetual Trophies		Men's 4th Grade	
Allan Phillips Club Person of the Year	Jacqueline Spence	Best & Fairest	Jacob Bink
Peg and Malcolm Townley Services to Senior Football	Lachie O'Sullivan	Runner Up Best & Fairest	Owen Rabak
Services to Women's Football	Bobby Moroney	Most Consistent	Rory Markham
Len Sheedy Services to Canberra District's Football	Drew Sommerville	Most Improved	Kurtis Robinson
Frank Goddard Rising Star	Brendan Egan	Coach's Award	Johannes Conlan
Elise O'Dea Rising Star	Emily Pease	Player's Player	James Gibson

BMFC 2020 PRESENTATION NIGHT



Check out the full album of photos on our Facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=a.3975445015817504&type=3>

THIS WEEK'S FIXTURES

Grade	Date	Time	Opponent	Ground
1st Grade M				
1st Grade W				
2nd Grade M				
Rising Stars				
2nd Grade W				
3rd Grade M				
4th Grade M				

Check out all competition ladders and results here: <https://aflcanberra.com.au/fixtures-results/>

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