ST CHRISTOPHERS JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE CLUB

River Road Express

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President's Report

With the Saturday boys getting a day off due to the rain, all eyes focussed on our Sunday sides. The 14s were in Tiger country against Concord-Burwood and got the bickies 14-4 to have them on 2 wins after 3 starts. The 15s were at home to Sports and showed occasional glimpses of ability but were outclassed by the smaller Sports side. They are now 1 from 3. The 16s were severely depleted in numbers due to team members letting their mates down with lame excuses and played accordingly to go down 26-22 to Mascot. They are now 1 from 3. The 19s were also in Bunny territory and with quite a few of the boys embarrassing themselves with inept displays, hopefully they've learned that birthday parties, alcohol and rugby league don't mix. The A Reserves were at home to Berala and had a walk in the park to win 70 nil – they are 3 from 3. The A grade were also at home for the much publicised game against Moorebank. We led early and looked like we could run away with it but Moorebank ended with the cash.

Volunteers

I was gobsmacked to hear last week that many of our new parents think the Committee get paid to run the Club thus their reluctance to get involved with the various chores. **That is incorrect**. We are all volunteers and get nothing for providing your kids with a game of football in the most professional manner we can. The only reward I seek is the occasional win or at least a 'show of heart' from teams to let me see I'm not wasting my time. On a brighter point, thanks to our helpers last Sunday who manned the BBQ, cameras, canteen, bar and all the other free jobs that are needed to run Sunday games at our standard.

Important dates

More details will follow but mark your diaries:

- Golf Day Friday 24 May – Royal Georges River
- Annual Ball Friday 7 June –Vaudeville
- Kids Disco Sunday 9 June – Diggers Auditorium

Go the Saints

John Grealy

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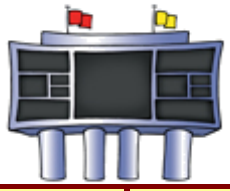
Round 4 Results



Team	Opposition	Venue	Result	For	Against
6 Gold	Milperra Colts	Killara Reserve	Wash Out		
6 White	Sports	Steve Folkes	Wash Out		
6 Blue	Colts	Bill Delauney	Wash Out		
7 Green	Broncos	Bill Delauney	Wash Out		
7 White	Bulls	Bill Delauney	Wash Out		
7 Blue	Moorebank	Bill Delauney	Wash Out		
8 Green	Tigers-R	Roberts Park	Wash Out		
8 White	Bulls	Bill Delauney	Wash Out		
8 Blue	Chester Hill	Terry Lamb Complex	Wash Out		
9.3	Moorebank	Hammondville Oval	Wash Out		
9.1	Tigers	Bill Delauney	Wash Out		
10.1	Dragons	Bill Delauney	Wash Out		
11.1	Sports	Steve Folkes	Wash Out		
12.2	St Johns	Begnall Oval	Wash Out		
13.2R	Sports	Steve Folkes	Wash Out		
13.2	Chester Hill	Bill Delauney	Wash Out		
14.2	Concord Burwood	Blackmore Oval	Won	14	4
15.1	Sports	Bill Delauney	Lost	4	44
16.1	Mascot	Erskineville Oval	Lost	22	26
19.1	Coogee Randwick	Marcellin Fields	Lost	0	20
A Res	Berala	Bill Delauney	Won	70	0
A Grade	Moorebank	Bill Delauney	Lost	14	16

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Under 14.2 ~ won 14-4 Concord Burwood United

Big improvement on last week's effort! Playing a team of similar size the boys were more confident in defence and we managed to only allow them to cross our line once in the 1st ½ and went into ½ time at 4 all after a try to Hayden.
The second ½ was an arm wrestle which we managed to get on top of late in the second ½ with another good back line try to Hayden out wide. We finished on the bell with another good team try to Anthony to win 14-4.
Tries - Hayden x 2, Anthony x 1
Goals x 1

Under 15.1 ~ Lost 4-44 v Bankstown Sports

At half time it was 0-28 and not much more should be said about that except that Sports had the lion's share of possession. In the second half with a little more ball we were able to move forward and put some points on the board. In a similar story to last week we were not able to capitalise on our opportunities.
Remember boys a **whole team** effort will always beat a team of one or two individuals and we have a great team! Our boys **are** better than Sports and when **they** believe this and can consistently get the little things right they will beat any side.

Under 16.1 ~ Lost 22-26 v Mascot

We started the game a little out of sorts, with positional changes and no reserves. Mascot put on some easy tries up the middle from some missed tackles and dropped ball, however, as the game went on, we warmed to the task. We were going try for try with them and there was standouts during the game who really worked hard. If only for a costly try against us straight after halftime, we may have come away winning. A gutsy effort Boys.

Under 19.1 ~ Lost 0-20 v Coogee/R'wick

A Reserve ~ won 70-0 v Berala

A Grade ~ Lost 14-16 v Moorebank

Congratulations!!!

Recently 5 of our U11s (Reily Dundas, Aidan Davidson, Dane Loutsos, Cody Fuz & Jon Pengue) were selected in the East Hills District Schools team. As much as we hate to see the East Hills name associated with any of our boys, this team will take part in the trials for the South West Sydney team to compete in the NSWPSSA championships. Well done boys and good luck for the trials.

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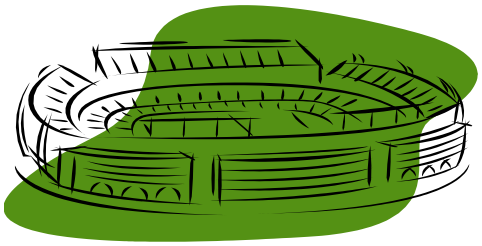
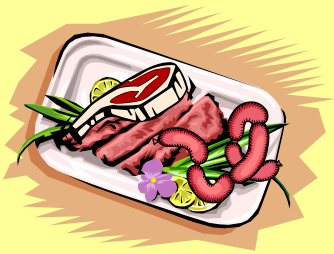
This Week's Games

Saturday 27th April			
6 Gold	9.00	Moorebank	Hammondville Oval
6 White	9.00	St Johns	Begnall Oval
6 Blue	9.40	Berala	Peter Hislop
7 Green	9.40	St Johns	Begnall Oval
7 White	9.40	Moorebank	Hammondville Oval
7 Blue	9.00	Greenacre	Bill Delauney
8 Green	9.00	Berala	Bill Delauney
8 White	10.20	Sports	Steve Folkes
8 Blue	9.40	Moorebank	Hammondville Oval
9.3	9.40	Greenacre	Bill Delauney
9.1	10.30	Berala	Bill Delauney
10.1	11.10	Chester Hill	Terry Lamb Complex
11.1	11.20	St Johns	Bill Delauney
12.2	12.10	Sports	Bill Delauney
13.2R	1.00	Bulls	Bill Delauney
13.2Y	11.20	Milperra Colts	Killara Reserve
Sunday 28th April			
14.2	10.00	Dundas	St Patricks College
15.1	11.30	South Eastern	Pioneer Park
16.1	3.00	Bulls	Guilfoyle Park
19.1	2.20	Hurstville	Beverly Hills Park
A Res	1.45	Eaglevale St Andrews	Hammondville Oval
A Grade	3.15	Bass Hill	Hammondville Oval



Raffle Winners



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Meat Trays - Kevin Dredge & Alan Wren

Joker Jackpot - $7320 ~ Won by Popeye & Glen Barry. Congratulations!

Drawn 6:30 Friday at Revesby Pacific Hotel

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Friday 26th April:

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from 5:30-7:00 ~ **Under 16's.**

Saturday 27th April

- (a) Revesby Pacific Hotel ~ Meat Tray raffles
  from 3:30-5:30 ~ **Under 11's.**

- (b) Panania Diggers ~ Meat Tray raffles
  from 3:30-5:30 ~ **Under 7's.**

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