

GAZA GAZETTE

EVENTS & SOCIAL CALENDER

Date	Event
13/01/10	FOOTBALL - SUMMER TRAINING COMMENCED
31/01/10	Membership Due \$35.00 Adults \$25.00 Concession \$5.00 Children
07/02/10	Junior Registration Day / Family Fun Day We kick off at 11.00am, there are a number of FREE activities during the day; a face painter, jumping castle, games & activities and Special Guests. PLUS the BBQ & for \$1 you have the opportunity to throw water filled sponges at some of the Junior coaches. For more information contact: Alan Draper 0413 866 492
14/02/10	6's CRICKET - 6 Players on a Team, each Team Bats & bowls for 6 overs, Girls welcome to join a team (a tennis ball will be used for the girls). \$10 a player; \$2.50 schooners, \$3.50 Pints & other drink specials PLUS free BBQ at the end of the day; Canteen will be open during the day. For more information contact: Andrew Hall
??/05/10	GAZA ANNUAL BALL & LIFE MEMBERS DINNER Date to be confirmed & more details to follow.
21/07/10	PAST PLAYERS DAY & REUNION OF THE 1990 PREMIERSHIP SIDE - TBC

There are other function and events currently being organised please keep an eye on our website for advance notice. www.gaza.com.

STOP PRESS - URGENTLY REQUIRED
Auskick Coordinator & COACHES FOR UNDER 6's & 10's CONTACT ALAN DRAPER 0413 866 492

GAZA COMMITTEE MEMBERS

President:	Trevor Holst
Chairman:	Robert Napier
Vice President:	John Sugars
Secretary:	Pam Krause
Treasurer:	Andrew Hall
Football Director:	Gary Marshall
Junior Football Director:	Alan Draper
Cricket Director:	Perry Brook
Affiliated Sports Director:	Danny Scally
Sponsorship Director:	Mark Walker
Social Director:	Nicole Van De Water

As volunteers, please try to help them out as much as you can.

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Welcome to 2010, we are looking forward to an exciting year with new coaches, new players and a new committee with new ideas.

Please take the time to read this newsletter and the contributions from our committee and get behind YOUR club.

We are planning some special events this year, the first kicks off on February 7th with our junior registration/family fun day, please come along and bring your kids and grand kids to sign up to play for the Mighty Eagles! Our nationally recognized Auskick program kicks off a bit later in the year for the little tackers.

This newsletter aims to keep you informed of events at the club but please make sure you get daily news from our website at www.gaza.com.au and our facebook page. Contributions and volunteers are always welcome.

Council is in the process of planning the redevelopment of Klemzig Reserve and we look excitedly forward to see the massive changes in store.

We look forward to seeing you soon,

Regards

Trevor Holst

President
Gaza Sports & Community Club

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AT GAZA ON FRIDAY NIGHTS

Happy Hour - 5 to 6pm

BBQ - Open from 6:00pm

50 Club Draw - 7:00pm

Members Draw - 7:30pm (must be there for the opportunity to win a 6 pack each week, which will jackpot each week if not won)

 **APL FREE POKER**

Registration From: 6.30pm

Prizes: 1st - \$30 venue voucher + \$50 SA "BIG BUCKS" \$5,000 Deepstack Tournament Coin
2nd - \$20 venue voucher + APL Runner Up card protector

Final table receive a ticket to the weekly World Series Of Poker main event Super Satellite held every Sunday.

FROM THE VICE-PRESIDENT

With this year being a reunion of the 1990 Div2R & Div2 Premierships this will be a good year to catch up with a few old mates for a beer. With newly appointed coach Nathan Grainger and some new recruits these are exciting times & hopefully the start of a successful period at the club. I think having past players around will help build a successful culture around the club & bring the success we are all looking for. Looking forward to seeing you down at the club for a few quiet ones.

John Sugars

Vice-President

Gaza Sports & Community Club

FOOTBALL

We are looking forward to a productive 2010 season with Nathan Grainger (former West Adelaide Reserves Coach) on board as the Senior Coach. Once again we will be fielding Teams in Division1, Division 1 Reserves C1 and Under 18's who play on Sunday afternoons. If you have an opportunity come out and watch a game, our lads would really appreciate the support.

We are in the process of arranging several trial matches in March; the dates are yet to be confirmed and will be posted on the website. Please feel welcome to come and join us, your support would be greatly appreciated.

Preliminary Notice: Season commences 10th April.

**WANTED FOR 2010 FOOTBALL SEASON
RUNNERS, WATERBOYS ETC CONTACT:
DEB STOECKEL 0422 349 773**

BINGO

Bingo held every Wednesday at GAZA.

Eyes down 12.15pm to 2.15pm

Non-smoking venue for your comfort

Various raffles, Pokies, keno, bar facilities

Free tea and coffee

Come and try your luck and

meet new friends

2009/2010 CRICKET SEASON

Gaza Senior Coach is Kym Alley

Gaza Junior Coach is Alan Draper

After winning premierships in C1 in 2007/08 and B3 in 2008/09 the A Grade was put up to B1 and at the $\frac{1}{2}$ way mark are sitting in 4th spot. Best batting Paul Merritt 77, Geoff Wake 70 and Andy Leonard 86 and best bowling Ben Savill 3/17 and 4/49, Michael Peck 4/40, and 4/40, Matthew Brook 3/26, Paul Merritt 5/11 and Brad Bignall 5/17.

After winning C2 premiership last season in C2 the B Grade has been put up to C1 and at the $\frac{1}{2}$ way are 8th.

Best with the bat; Damian Graham 58, Jeremy Satchell 59, Brad Bignall 67 and Nathon Lehman 57 and best bowling Scott Malone 3/12, Darryl Webster 3/79 and Troy Bond 4/49.

Our under 11's last year has been put up to under 13's this year so we could have a team. Most of the boys are under 11's and they won their first game on Sunday 17th January. They have been very competitive and the club should be very proud of these players because they are giving everything that they have. Best with the bat is Jake Kasianowicz 65, Tyson Spencer 38 and Chris Draper 27.

Perry Brook

Cricket Director

Gaza Sports & Community Club

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SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

The clubs success is greatly assisted by the support we receive via sponsors, most of whom have supported us for several years. There are currently several New Sponsorship Packages available and there is an opportunity for other businesses to gain valuable & prominent advertising. If you know of anyone who may be interested in providing sponsorship, please **Contact:** Mark Walker on 0418 337 032 as he will be happy to speak further with them.

FROM THE BAR

Each Friday night we have the 50 Club draw, Free APL Poker, Meat Raffles and the new Members Draw.

Each week a randomly drawn member's number will win a 6 pack of beer which jackpots if the member isn't present. There is also a Happy Hour between 5-6pm on Friday Nights and Members Specials on Saturday Nights. We have a new look gaming room with 3 new machines. Don't forget to renew your membership as last year's expire on the 31st January.

Danny Scally

Bar Manager

Gaza Sports & Community Club

ON THE SOCIAL SCENE

Hi All! Welcome to a very exciting new social year at Gaza. We are looking forward to taking on member's feedback this year and making some minor changes to our social calendar. Our year will start off with senior and junior Football season launches and Cricket wrap ups and hit a high point with our Gala Ball again in May which with some luck will continue to be an annual success and tradition for many years to come.

We also look forward to also restructuring our presentation night to fine tune the award presentations to focus on the celebration of our magnificent club and it's year. To the weekly running of the social senior Football calendar, we want to get the spinning wheel happening again every Saturday night with the player's participation and get the players involved with regular functions that keep the playing group at the club more after and for longer each week.

Nicole van de Water

Social Director,

Gaza Sports & Community Club

DARTS & 8BALL

GAZA has several Dart Teams in operation on both Monday & Wednesday night and 2 8Ball Teams in operation on Wednesday Nights. With a Dart & 8Ball season running approximately every six months we are able to offer competitions all year round. If you are interested in playing Darts or 8Ball please contact **Danny Scally** at the Club on **8261 4450**.

SPORTS TRAINERS 2010

The New decade brings with it a new & enthusiastic team of Sports Trainers.

I would like to extend a huge welcome to Matthew Harris, Rob Pearce, Dylan Brook, Sam Goudie & Christopher Cornish.

Matthew comes to us from West Adelaide football club where he held the position of Head Trainer with their Under 18 Squad. Rob is a recently retired footballer from another local club, and although decided to hang up his boots this year, his desires to stay involved with Football has brought him into the change rooms as a Trainer. Dylan is a unique young man who has had 5 years experience volunteering with St John's, which is an amazing task for one so young. And our own Sam has now progressed as a footballer from our Under 18 side into senior football, and will be the trainer of his old (or young) team mates, the Under 18 Squad, with help from myself, Matt and Rob. Chris has now been with Gaza for 9 years and is devoted to making sure there is plenty of water on the sideline bench.



Currently we are still searching for a Sports Trainer for our C Grade team and would ask anyone who may be interested to please contact me to discuss our requirements.

Please help me to welcome these wonderful men into our Club, and don't be shy to introduce yourself and say Hi.

Debbie Stoeckel

Head Trainer,

GAZA Sports & Community Club

Mobile: 0422 349 773

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MEMBERSHIP

RENEWAL DUE 31ST JANUARY

ADULTS \$35.00

PENSIONERS \$25.00

CHILDREN \$5.00

Members are entitled to discounted prices or Members Prices every day all year round, on drinks purchased from the bar. The only exceptions will be Specials & Happy Hour Prices; no further discounts will apply to these. Members Only Specials will be introduced at events & functions during the year.

We have also arranged for discounts with participating sponsors on presentation of your membership card on purchase of goods, a list of participating sponsors will be provided to you with your membership card.



Luke's

OPEN FOR MEALS FROM
6:00PM TO 8:00PM

EVERY THURSDAY

FROM 28TH JANUARY

EVERY SATURDAY

FROM 10TH APRIL

BRING YOUR APPETITE... YOU'LL NEED IT!!

OPPORTUNITY FOR OUR MEMBERS & A FUNDRAISER FOR GAZA

Gaza has teamed up with Sustainable Planit for a substantial fundraising opportunity.

In short, the government is offering free Home Sustainability Assessments valued at over \$250. It will only take around one hour of your time for a qualified assessor to review your major energy and water consumption as well as lighting, white goods and entertainment system use. Information collected is entered into a sophisticated software program that calculates your levels of consumption and suggests opportunities to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and save money in your home. This customised report is mailed to you by the government after the assessment is complete.

As part of the program the government is offering interest free loans to the value of \$10,000 to help you carry out a wide range of home improvements - anything from a new energy efficient fridge or television right through to solar electricity. There is no obligation to apply for the loan - you can simply benefit from the report. For more information on the program go to www.environment.gov.au/greenloans.

It is important to note that the assessors DO NOT attempt to sell you anything at all, they merely collect the data for your customised report.

What's in it for Gaza??

We will receive \$10 for every assessment completed. This has the potential to be an excellent fundraiser for our club.

WHAT NEXT?

We are asking everyone associated with Gaza to support this fundraising initiative by getting an assessment done at their home - this is money that helps run YOUR club & to continue to provide great sporting and social facilities.

We would also like ALL members to identify family, friends, work colleagues etc that would be happy to get an assessment done at their homes - the more assessments we generate, the more money that will be made - if we all get behind this I think this can be an extremely successful fundraiser.

All I need is NAME / SUBURB / PHONE NUMBER and Sustainable Planit will do the rest.

Please e-mail details of prospective assessments to trevorh@bigpond.net.au or if you'd like any more information please give Trevor Holst a call on 0417 088 197.

GAZA SPORTS & COMMUNITY CLUB INC

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/RENEWAL FORM

Date: _____ **Receipt No:** _____

Membership number (office use only) _____

Social OR Plays: **Cricket** **Football** **Darts** **8 Ball**

Mr / Mrs / Miss / Ms (please circle)

SURNAME _____

GIVEN NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

SUBURB _____ **P/CODE** _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ **MOBILE** _____

I would like to apply for / renew my membership for the year 2010.

The person named above is under 18 and I agree to pay membership of \$5.00

I agree to pay full membership of \$35.00

I am a pensioner and agree to pay \$25.00 (Pension card MUST be sighted by a committee member on presentation of this form. Posted renewals will not be accepted)

MEMBERS/GUARDIANS SIGNATURE _____

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CREDIT CARD PAYMENT

Card Number _____ / _____ / _____ / _____

Expiry Date _____ / _____

Name on Card _____

Signature _____

**PLEASE NOTE : Payment will be processed within 14 working days
POST TO: PO Box 57, Greenacres, SA, 5086**