



BELCONNEN FOOTBALL CLUB

ANNUAL REPORT

1977

F O O T B A L L C O M M I T T E E

VICE PRESIDENT

: W. CAMERON

COMMITTEE:

: R. BAGULEY, P. BRAZEL,
R. BROWN, F. GODDARD, T. GRANT,
R. PROCTOR, G. SCHMIDT,
L. SCOTLAND, J. WALDING,
A. WIGLEY

CLUB COACHES AND CAPTAINS

FIRST GRADE

: K. HASSET, J. CALVERT AND
M. MANSON

SECOND GRADE

: W. GREGORY, P. SHEEDY AND
R. BURGESS

THIRD GRADE

: D. MACILWAIN, P. TAYLOR AND
R. WYLUCKI

TRAINERS

R. ANDERSON
D. MACILWAIN

REVIEW OF 1977 SEASON

Despite the lack of new faces this season, the three senior teams made the final four. The return to the final four resulted from the withdrawal from the competition of the RMC Club.

As has been the case in previous years, the teams did not manage to capitalise on some good performances during the season. The firsts were defeated in the first semi-final by Eastlake. The seconds fared better, but were defeated by the eventual premiers, Ainslie, in the preliminary final. The thirds made fourth position, but were well beaten by Manuka in the first semi-final.

The start of the season was not encouraging; the firsts losing the first five games. However, they improved to win 8 of the following 13 to make the "four". The most vital game for the firsts was the final home and away game against West Canberra.

This game was a must in order to make the finals and this was achieved with a 12 point victory. However, Belconnen were no match for Eastlake in the semi-final, being defeated 17.13 to 13.12.

During the season Ray Baguley, Robert Goddard and Tom Allison, in that order, played their 100th game for the Club; the only players to have reached this milestone for Belconnen.

The seconds had an excellent season and achieved a Club record by winning 11 games in succession and finishing second to Manuka on the ladder. Unfortunately, that was their final achievement for the season, being defeated by Manuka in the second semi-final and by Ainslie, the eventual premiers, in the preliminary final.

The third grade competition was depleted by the withdrawal of both Queanbeyan and West Canberra. This left six teams in the competition, which, with the resulting byes, meant that Belconnen played only 15 out of 21 originally scheduled games for the season.

Despite this, the team made fourth position, but were beaten by Manuka in the semi-final 14.20 to 6.2.

Season 1977 saw the Club with new coaches in each grade, namely, Kevin Hasset - First Grade; Winston Gregory - Second Grade and Dave Macilwain - Third Grade. At the time of going to print, Kevin has been re-appointed as First Grade coach for season 1978.

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The 1977 season has been one of some success, with all grades reaching the finals, but as has happened in past seasons eventuated once again, the bowing out of all teams without winning a finals match.

A talented young first grade team which defeated Eastlake twice and Ainslie once and on two occasions led this years premiership team Manuka by five goals in the third quarter, failed to produce their top form on the day in the first semi-final against Eastlake.

Our first grade coach, Kevin Hasset, has done an admirable job. The team was short on big men and two key position players. Kevin had to juggle the team on many occasions but nearly always he was proven right and coached the team to its highest ever position.

Winston Gregory's seconds looked as if they were certainties after winning eleven games on end and finishing second on the ladder, but it was not to be, they played two finals and lost both.

I believe Dave Macilwain deserves special mention for the task he performed with a team that never stopped trying but was outclassed. He maintained great enthusiasm right throughout the year.

The financial position has improved, but as in the past, too much is left on the shoulders of too few. We must not sit back and think that poker machines will be the answer to all our problems. The costs of playing three teams next season will be even larger.

Congratulations go to the Belconnen Juniors on a great season. When one looks through the three senior teams, all but a very few have been juniors and we must do our best to encourage them in every way.

Congratulations go also to our trophy winners in the senior competition.

A special mention to Peter Taylor equal WINNER in the League third grade best and fairest. Peter played most of the season in the firsts. A very good effort indeed.

The appreciation of the Committee goes to all those people who unselfishly gave their time to serve behind the catering stall at the games.

I would like to record my thanks to the Committee for their support and advice throughout the year.

... WILLIAM D. CAMERON

FIRST GRADE COACH'S REPORT

Reflecting on our performance over the past season leads me to the conclusion that our failure to progress beyond the first semi-final was greatly contributed to by our lack of success in early games. The cause of these early losses is most probably associated with a hurried pre-season preparation occasioned by the League's decision to advance the start of the season. Because of these early losses we were forced to engage in a do or die battle to reach the four and as a consequence that was the achievement that we settled for. A more searching and personalised preparation is planned for 1978.

Because of the unique nature of the League in Canberra (I refer to the dominance of the wealthier Clubs) we as a Club must look to eliminate all the possible pitfalls that we have experienced in the past and while I do not regard season 1977 as a raging success there did emerge a consistency of performance not evident in past years and that is a heartening step. There are many more steps to be taken along a very difficult path but I am sure those who make the journey will find it greatly rewarding.

I must record at this time my sincere gratitude to the many people who in assisting me have demonstrated their deep conviction and support for our Club, notably fellow coaches Winston Gregory and Dave Macilwain, the Selection Panel under the Chairmanship of Barry Wight, Team Manager Frank Goddard, our most able statistician Peter Bradley assisted by Greg Watt and Canberra's top trainer Andy Anderson. To those burdened with the responsibility of leadership within the team, Jim Calvert, Mal Manson and Tim Grant, I offer my congratulations for your efforts and a special thanks for your support. I congratulate also players whose performances this year have won for them special recognition by way of awards, and Ray Baguley, Rob Goddard, Tom Allison, Steve Taylor, Mal Manson and Mick Suidgeest for reaching notable milestones in their respective careers.

All associated with the Club must at this stage be aware of a growing determination and enthusiasm towards achieving our ultimate target in bringing a senior premiership to Belconnen. Please make resolutely certain that that determination and enthusiasm is encouraged to flourish by your own active support.

Finally, might I express my appreciation to all the players for their efforts and to Mr Bill Cameron and the Committee for their support.

... KEVIN HASSET

SECOND GRADE COACH'S REPORT

We improved on past years performances, but failed to take out the Premiership. Whether it was a lack of finals experience or a lack of application to the job in hand is open to conjecture.

However, during the year we played 21 minor round games and 2 finals, winning 16 out of 23. A fair result, but far from being satisfactory considering the form shown during mid-season.

The season and our hopes for a Premiership came to an abrupt end in the Preliminary Final against Ainslie at Manuka. No need to repeat the scores - we lost.

During the season a total of 56 players participated in Seconds games. Of these, 24 played "A" grade and 10 were 3rds players.

Congratulations are extended to Peter Stubbs, Best and Fairest; Greg Burgess, Runner Up and to the other award winners.

To all players who trained, played, moaned and groaned during the year, thank you for your efforts and support.

Thank you to Arthur Wigley, the team Manager for his efforts, Dave Macilwain, Runner and Assistant Medic; and to Andy for his specialised aid as team Medic.

One thing that showed out later in the year was the support given by players who missed out on a game for one reason or another. It is hard to stand back and watch your team go through its paces, especially in finals. It is harder when they lose and you feel you may have been able to help them win.

This, however, is Australian Rules Football, the greatest game of all, and unfortunately only 20 players are allowed in the team at one time.

To finish, thank you for an experience to coach and play with a good team of footballers. With greater efforts, concentration and the will to win, a Premiership Flag must be won in 1978.

... WINSTON GREGORY

THIRD GRADE COACH'S REPORT

Season 1977 was an up and down year for the team, struggling most times against the top teams of the competition. Potential was shown, but could not be maintained due to forfeits, byes and some players not dedicating themselves as much as they could have.

Several members of the team were promoted to higher grades; thus making the way for colts to be introduced into senior football.

Peter Taylor, our captain, progressed to the senior team and became a regular member of that side. Robin Wylucki was elected captain on Peter's promotion and fulfilled the position very well.

Ross Goddard and Frank Southwell both had a great season, as did Wayne Agnew. Wayne stamped himself as a future first grade player.

I would like to thank Kevin Hasset and Winston Gregory for their help and support throughout the season and to the small bank of supporters who attended every game and supported the team when they were down.

Jack Burgess, our Team Manager, has done a magnificent job and the players and myself would like to thank him sincerely for his effort. I would also like to thank Reg Proctor and Frank Goddard for their help during the season.

Finally, I would like to thank all of the players for their efforts and support during the season and congratulate them for their behavior on and off the field.

... DAVE MACILWAIN

APPRECIATION

The Club once again takes this opportunity and, indeed, is proud to acknowledge the help given by those people who have assisted in the operation of the Club during 1977. Without this support, the task of presenting the senior teams each week would be much more difficult.

As has been stated previously, the task of writing this section of the Report is not without risk, if only for the reason that someone will be overlooked. In this event, the offended can be assured that it has occurred unintentionally.

A number of functions and special efforts were conducted during the season and these are reported on briefly hereunder.

The traditional Cup Eve Nite, highlighted by the Calcutta draw, was held for the first time at the Club premises and was organised by Bill Cameron and Jack Walding, who were ably assisted by a number of the players.

The Club once again conducted a stall at the Canberra Show, with Ray Baguley as chief organiser and assisted by the Committee, and players, too numerous to mention individually.

The reintroduction of a mid-season cabaret this year, whilst not being supported as well as was hoped, proved to be an enjoyable function. The venue was the Belconnen Way Hotel, with Ray Baguley once again carrying out the ground work.

The Club best and fairest vote counting night was staged at the Club with Jack Walding, Brian Falconer and Frank Goddard at the helm.

Thanks to the imagination and zeal of Ray Baguley, the usual Silver Circle activity was replaced by the popular Pot-of-Gold, which is continuing and will complete in December. In order that 1000 books could be sold, it was necessary for Ray to seek the assistance of a number of sellers and collectors; this he organised in his usual style.

Since the end of season 1976, the trailer raffles were conducted. The first two were organised by the late Cleve Weatherill and the third, which will be drawn late in October, by Peter Franklin. Tickets were sold in public places by players and Committee men on a roster basis.

This year's annual Presentation Ball was organised by Ray Baguley and Frank Goddard, assisted by Jack Walding and a number of the players. Helen Goddard is responsible for the typing of this report and Clive Lowes for the printing.

The Committee this year was pleased to welcome Jack Burgess, who took over the task of Team Manager of Third Grade. Frank Goddard and Arthur Wigley continued as Team Managers for the First and Second Grade teams respectively.

Special mention is made of a group of our Junior Club players for their assistance. To Dean Falconer, in particular, who carried out the function of Assistant Team Manager for the First Grade team at all games during the season. To Daryl Scotland, who together with his mates, manned the scoreboard on a number of occasions. The same lads also assisted in clearing up an often litter strewn Jamison Oval after home games.

To assist the senior coach and match Committee, Peter Bradley and Greg Watt took on the onerous task of compiling players statistics during each game. A sincere vote of thanks goes to them all. Such support from our junior players augers well for the future of the Club.

Garry Schmidt accepted the unenviable task of organising and operating the catering stall at home matches. He was supported by a willing group of workers.

Once again Reg Proctor was the Club's timekeeper for the three grades. Whilst Reg was absent on a sea cruise towards the end of the season, Jack Walding stepped up to the button and carried on the good work.

Weekly 'after the game' awards were organised by Jack Walding. The Club, in addition to the regular weekly donors, who wish to remain anonymous, was most generously supported by Harry Smith Motors of Fyshwick. Each week, a "Harry Smith Award" was presented to a selected player from each of the senior teams. The Hawker Auto Port also supported the awards by providing a petrol voucher each week to a selected First Grade player.

In addition, Kev Whittaker, the Club Manager, presented a weekly award to a selected player from the First and Second Grade teams.

This year, the Committee conducted raffles at the Club on Thursday and Friday nights, in addition to after match raffles. These were arranged by Ray Baguley, who was assisted by the players on a roster basis.

The players' end of season trip to the Gold Coast was arranged by a group comprising Peter Stubbs, Mick Suidgeest and Mick Price.

Mick Burgess was able to arrange two tree planting contracts during the year. The first of these was completed during the winter period. The work being carried out by a large team consisting of players and Committee men. Some 2,000 trees were planted. Headquarters for the operation was Bob and Moira Burgess' home at Giralang, where the hungry and thirsty toilers were very well looked after by Moira and Joan Burgess, Diane Baguley, Kay Dannock and Meryl Dawson.

The effort put in on this project netted the Club approximately \$5,500; of which \$1,500 boosted the players' end of season trip.

The second operation, which is still in progress, involves the planting of 3000 trees in the Macgregor area. It is hoped to nett \$3,000 from the exercise, half of which will be for the use of the players.

The Supporter's Group was reformed during the season, with Tom Allison as President, Tim Grant Vice-President, Don Johnston Secretary and Harry Phillips as Treasurer. They were supported by the following Committee: Jim Calvert, Winston Gregory, Bob Koehne and Barry Wight.

In conclusion, the Committee wishes to record its thanks to President Russell Brown and his Directors, to Kevin Whittaker and his staff and to all those associated with the Belconnen National Football Club for their assistance and co-operation throughout the year.

SENIOR PLAYERS 1977 - GAMES PLAYED

PLAYER	TOTAL			1977			PREVIOUS TO 1977			AGE	YEAR FIRST PLAYED	FROM
	1st Grade	2nd Grade	3rd Grade	1st	2nd	3rd	1st	2nd	3rd			
	ALLISON, I.	102			14	1	8	88				
ALTHAUS, C.	4	1	12	4	4	9				17	1976	Belconnen Juniors
AGNEW, W.		4	9							17	1977	Belconnen Juniors
BAGULEY, Ray	115	8		19			96	8		28	1971	Turner Juniors
BENNETT, D.	33	11	13	19	1		14	11	13	20	1975	Belconnen Juniors
BLAKE, J.	2	16					2	15		22	1974	Belconnen Juniors
BRADBROOK, O.	3	28			23		3	5		25	1975	Baramba, S.A.
BRADY, D.		1	6		1	6				19	1977	Belconnen Juniors
BURGESS, D.	24	36	22	4	15	8	20	21	14	18	1976	Belconnen Juniors
BURGESS, G.	73	26		2	14		71	12		21	1974	Belconnen Juniors
BURGESS, M.		89			22			67		27	1972	Ainslie
BURGESS, R.		1	12			12				25	1972	Marist Bros., Vic.
BURGESS, T.	3	35		3	20			15		17	1976	Belconnen Juniors
BUTTERWORTH, P.	78	2	10	17	18		61	2		20	1972	Turner Juniors
CALVERT, J.	8	30	2	1		1	7	12	10	20	1975	Belconnen Juniors
CALVERT, L.									1	19	1975	Belconnen Juniors
CAMPBELL, P.	4	14			3		4	11		23	1975	RAAF
CHADWICK, R.	1	12	6	1	12					28	1977	Ainslie
CLARKE, G.					6					21	1977	Acton
COLLIER, L.			9			5			4	19	1975	Belconnen Juniors
CORRY, S.		1	4							17	1977	Belconnen Juniors
CROKER, G.						4				19	1977	Belconnen Juniors
CROOKS, S.	10	40		12	13		10	27		21	1971	Turner Juniors
CULNAME, P.	16	14			4		4	10		25	1976	Victoria
DANNOCK, R.		1			1					22	1977	Victoria
DAWSON, P.	28	1		15	1		13			27	1976	Tongala, Vic.
DAWSON, R.		1			1					20	1976	Deniliquin, NSW
DICKENSON, D.		1			1							

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PLAYER	TOTAL			1977			PREVIOUS TO 1977			AGE	YEAR FIRST PLAYED	FROM		
	1st Grade	2nd Grade	3rd Grade	1st	2nd	3rd	1977							
							1st	2nd	3rd					
McLINDEN, J.			14			1						18	1975	Turner Juniors
MANSON, J.	48	2		17					31	2		21	1972	Belconnen Juniors
MANSON, M.	57	5		13					44	5		21	1972	Belconnen Juniors
MOSS, G.	30	54			12				30	42		28	1972	Eastlake
MOULLAKIS, M.	3	16										21	1977	Ainslie
MURPHY, D.	31	15		5	10	7			31	8		31	1971	Paynesby, S.A.
MUIR, G.	15	13							10	3		21	1974	Belconnen under/age
MURPHY, D.	15	13							67	18		27	1971	Turner/Queanbeyan
O'DEA, John	67	21				11					11	18	1976	Turner Juniors
O'DEA, Justin		4		16	4							21	1977	Ainslie
O'NEILL, N.	16										26	19	1975	Victoria
PALAZZO, R.	3	15			2	11			3	13		20	1975	Belconnen Juniors
PETTERSON, S.	32	1		19					13	1		23	1976	East Perth, W.A.
PRICE, H.	40			15					25			21	1975	Ariah Park, NSW
QUADE, W.		5			4	14				1		18	1975	Turner Juniors
RAYNER, M.	3	17		3	12	2				5		20	1975	Belconnen under/age
READ, A.												19	1975	Belconnen Juniors
REEVES, G.	17	84				21			17	63		28	1972	Tooronga/Malvern
SHEEDY, P.									4	7		19	1975	Belconnen Juniors
SMITH, J.	7	15		3	8	7						31	1977	Belconnen Juniors
SOUTHWELL, F.		5			5					6		30	1976	Victoria
STOKA, B.	39	9		16	3				13	15		25	1972	NSW
STRONGMAN, R.	78	28		10	13				68	15		25	1972	Brockleby, NSW
STUBBS, P.	56	33		13	4				43	29		25	1972	Ainslie
SUIDGEST, M.	8	17			2				8	15		25	1971	Turner Juniors
SUMMERS, J.	30	44							30	26		25	1975	Belconnen Juniors
TALIKKA, J.	15	1		15		6			49	7	25	21	1972	Turner Juniors
TAYLOR, P.	68	7		19		6						18	1975	Belconnen Juniors
TAYLOR, S.		1				1			1			18	1975	Belconnen Juniors
TOMPSETT, D.		1				11						27	1972	Eastlake
WATSON, R.	1	43							1	32				

PLAYER	TOTAL			1977			PREVIOUS TO 1977			AGE	YEAR FIRST PLAYED	FROM
	1st Grade	2nd Grade	3rd Grade	1st	2nd	3rd	1st	2nd	3rd			
	DREKOVIC, M.	26	32		2	13		24	19			
DURVEA, K.	42	6	4	10	5		32	1		22	1975	CCAE (Monaro)
ECCLES, C.						4				17	1977	Belconnen Juniors
FALCONER, P.	12	10	38	4	6	5	8	4	7	18	1975	Turner Juniors
FISCHER, H.			19			13			25	19	1975	Belconnen Juniors
FOSTER, N.			34			9			10	18	1976	Turner Juniors
FRENCH, G.			2			7			27	19	1975	Belconnen Juniors
FROST, B.		10			10	2				19	1977	Belconnen Juniors
FULLGABE, K.	4	4	7		4					24	1977	Albury O & H
FYFFE, R.	4	15		4	15	1			6	24	1976	Healey, Queensland
GEYSEN, F.	105	6		18			87	6		19	1977	Stirling, S.A.
GILL, N.		4	28		4	13				24	1977	Belconnen Juniors
GODDARD, Rob		4		4	4				15	17	1975	Turner Juniors
GODDARD, Ross		39		16	3				38	25	1973	Turner Juniors
GRANT, T.	1	6			1				3	25	1971	Ainslie
GREGORY, W.	74	29	14		3		58	3		33	1974	Ainslie
GRIGOR, W.	18	5		21	2	13	18	8	1	18	1976	Belconnen Juniors
HEANEY, K.										21	1974	Belconnen Juniors
HILLS, A.					2	1			3	17	1977	Belconnen Juniors
HORAN, M.						6				17	1977	Belconnen Juniors
JAMIESON, A.	16	3			3		16			26	1974	Ainslie
JESSUP, A.			24			5			19	19	1976	Belconnen Juniors
JESSUP, R.			21			14			7	19	1976	Belconnen Juniors
JOLLEY, P.			1							19	1977	ACT
JOVANOVIC, T.			12			12				18	1977	Belconnen Juniors
KENNEDY, P.			18			5			13	18	1976	Belconnen Juniors
LAMONT, A.			27			2			25	19	1975	Belconnen Juniors
LAWRY, S.	40	20	3	1	16	3	39	4		17	1977	Belconnen Juniors
LEWIS, S.										22	1974	Narrandera, NSW

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PLAYER	TOTAL			1977			PREVIOUS TO 1977			AGE	YEAR FIRST PLAYED	FROM
	1st Grade	2nd Grade	3rd Grade	1st	2nd	3rd	1st	2nd	3rd			
WHENNAN, S.	31	6		19			12	6		24	1976	Flinders Uni, S.A.
WIDERA, S.	43			19			24			19	1974	Turner Juniors
WIGHT, B.	18	13			1		18	12		35	1972	River Murray League
WIGLEY, M.	27	34		8	13		19	21		21	1974	Belconnen Juniors
WILLIAMS, R.			9			1			8	19	1976	Belconnen Juniors
WILLIAMS, P.		17			17					27	1976	Kilsyth, Vic.
WYLUCKI, A.		20	11		6			14	11	21	1975	Local District
WYLUCKI, R.	1	5	36	1	2	12		3	24	19	1975	Belconnen Juniors

1977 ACTAFL BEST AND FAIREST VOTING

FIRST GRADE: (MULROONEY MEDAL)

T. ALLISON	3	N. O'NEILL	2
D. BENNETT	3	M. PRICE	7
R. DAWSON	1	R. STRONGMAN	1
Rob GODDARD	5	M. SUIDGEEST	2
T. GRANT	1	P. TAYLOR	2
J. MANSON	3	S. TAYLOR	5
M. MANSON	7	S. WIDERA	3

SECOND GRADE: (McNAMARA TROPHY)

O. BRADBROOK	4	M. MOULLAKIS	1
G. BURGESS	7	D. MURPHY	6
M. BURGESS	3	A. READ	2
P. BUTTERWORTH	3	M. SUIDGEEST	5
R. CHADWICK	2	J. SUMMERS	1
L. CALVERT	7	B. STOKA	2
K. FULLGRABE	3	P. SHEEDY	5
T. GRANT	2	P. STUBBS	9
W. GREGORY	4	F. SOUTHWELL	2
A. JAMIESON	2	J. TALIKKA	6
G. MOSS	3	M. WIGLEY	4

THIRD GRADE: (T. A. WHARTON TROPHY)

C. ALTHAUS	1	F. SOUTHWELL	4
T. BURGESS	1	P. TAYLOR	11
Ross, GODDARD	1	D. TOMPSETT	2
R. JESSUP	1	R. WYLUCKI	1
S. CROOKS	3		

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FIRST GRADE:

T. ALLISON	19	J. MANSON	52
Ray BAGULEY	12	N. O'NEILL	6
G. BURGESS	2	M. PRICE	30
D. BENNETT	48	W. QUADE	7
J. CALVERT	1	M. SUIDGEEST	3
K. DURYEA	4	P. STUBBS	8
R. DAWSON	8	R. STRONGMAN	2
Rob GODDARD	22	S. TAYLOR	17
M. MANSON	38	S. WIDERA	15
		S. WHENNAN	12

SECOND GRADE:

C. ALTHAUS	6	S. LEWIS	12
M. BURGESS	7	G. MUIR	4
R. BURGESS	4	G. MOSS	14
G. BURGESS	23	D. MURPHY	22
P. BUTTERWORTH	18	M. MOULLAKIS	14
O. BRADBROOK	18	N. O'NEILL	16
R. CHADWICK	5	A. READ	5
P. CULNANI	9	M. SUIDGEEST	8
L. CALVERT	8	P. STUBBS	42
G. CLARKE	14	P. SHEEDY	5
R. DAWSON	5	R. STRONGMAN	11
M. DREKOVIC	14	J. SUMMERS	5
R. DANNOCK	10	F. SOUTHWELL	6
P. FALCONER	4	J. TALIKKA	15
K. FULLGRABE	1	D. TOMPSETT	4
T. GRANT	3	R. WATSON	3
W. GREGORY	11	M. WIGLEY	17
N. GILL	1		

THIRD GRADE:

W. AGNEW	19	W. GRIGOR	2
C. ALTHAUS	13	R. JESSUP	5
D. BRADY	5	P. KENNEDY	6
T. BURGESS	7	Justin O'DEA	7
D. BURGESS	2	R. PALAZZO	6
S. CORBY	1	G. RUSSELL	1
G. CROKER	2	M. RAYNER	3
S. CROOKS	7	J. SMITH	4
M. FISCHER	18	F. SOUTHWELL	28
P. FALCONER	6	P. TAYLOR	25
N. FOSTER	1	D. TOMPSETT	24
Ross GODDARD	34	R. WYLUCKI	27

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WHERE FINISHED

<u>FIRST GRADE</u>	P	W	L	P.C.	PTS.
Manuka	18	15	3	162	72
Queanbeyan	18	14	4	151.7	68
Eastlake	18	13	5	155	64
Belconnen	18	8	10	95.5	44
Ainslie	18	8	10	88.2	44
West Canberra	18	3	15	58.9	24
ANU	18	2	16	51.2	20

Each team had 3 byes

First Semi-final - Eastlake 17.13.115 d. Belconnen 13.12.90

SECOND GRADE

	P	W	L	P.C.	PTS.
Manuka	21	15	6	183.3	60
Belconnen	21	15	6	166.8	60
Ainslie	21	12	9	129.5	48
Eastlake	21	10	11	120.3	40
Queanbeyan	21	9	12	95.3	36
ANU	21	7	14	66.6	28
West Canberra	21	6	15	35.8	24
Sutherland	21	4	17	72.6	16

Second Semi-final - Manuka 14.14.98 d. Belconnen 12.9.81

Preliminary Final - Ainslie 20.17.137 d. Belconnen 16.14.110

THIRD GRADE

	P	W	L	B.	PTS.
Ainslie	15	9	6	6	60
Eastlake	15	8	7	6	56
Manuka	15	8	7	6	56
Belconnen	15	7	8	6	52
Sutherland	15	3	12	6	36
ANU	15	2	13	6	32

First Semi-final - Manuka 14.20.104 d. Belconnen 6.2.38

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

	<u>Firsts</u>	<u>Reserves</u>	<u>Thirds</u>	<u>Total</u>
Manuka	72	60	56	188
Eastlake	64	40	56	160
Belconnen	44	60	52	156
Ainslie	44	48	60	152
Queanbeyan	68	36	*	104
ANU	20	28	32	80
Sutherland	*	16	36	52
West Canberra	24	24	*	48

S E A S O N 1 9 7 7 (CONT)

TROPHY WINNERS

FIRST GRADE:

Best and Fairest (Cleve Weatherill Memorial Perpetual Trophy)	J. MANSON
Runner-up Best and Fairest	D. BENNETT
Most Improved	R. DANNOCK
Most Consistent	M. PRICE
Coach's Trophy	Rob GODDARD
Most Determined (L. Kerr Trophy)	S. WIDERA

SECOND GRADE:

Best and Fairest (Oscar Washington Perpetual Trophy)	P. STUBBS
Runner-up Best and Fairest	G. BURGESS
Most Improved	P. BUTTERWORTH
Most Consistent	O. BRADBROOK

THIRD GRADE:

Best and Fairest (Reg Proctor Perpetual Trophy)	Ross GODDARD
Runner-up Best and Fairest	F. SOUTHWELL
Most Improved	R. JESSUP
Most Determined	W. AGNEW

ALL TEAMS

Best Clubman (Claire Jones Perpetual Trophy)	F. GODDARD
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JUNIORS

Under 9 Premiership Coach	T. ALLISON
Under 11 Premiership Coach	G. GIRVAN

NOTEWORTHY INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES:

100 First Grade Matches Played for Club	R. BAGULEY Rob GODDARD T. ALLISON
50 First Grade Matches Played for Club	M. MANSON M. SUIDGEEST S. TAYLOR
50 Second Grade Matches Played for Club	G. MOSS
A.C.T. Representatives	M. MANSON S. WIDERA

A T A G L A N C E

PREMIERSHIPS

1972	Under 17 (Champions)
1973	Under 17
1974	Under 19
1974	Under 17 (Division II)

CLUB BEST AND FAIREST

	<u>FIRSTS</u>	<u>SECONDS</u>	<u>THIRDS</u>
1971	T. ALLISON	B. DEVENISH	
1972	M. CHINNICK	A. RICHARDS	
1973	P. BATEMAN	L. PICKERING	
1974	R. WHITE	Rob BAGULEY	
1975	R. WHITE	J. TALIKKA	P. TAYLOR
1976	T. ALLISON	P. SHEEDY	F. SOUTHWELL
1977	J. MANSON	P. STUBBS	Ross GODDARD

100 FIRST GRADE GAMES:

1977	Ray BAGULEY	1977.	T. ALLISON
1977	Rob GODDARD		

LEADING FIRST GRADE GOALKICKERS

1971	M. READ	52	1975	W. QUADE	61
1972	M. READ	40	1976	M. MANSON	53
1973	M. READ	20	1977	M. MANSON	41
1974	M. MANSON	49			

A.C.T. REPRESENTATIVES

T. ALLISON	1971,73,74	R. KOEHLN	1971,72,73
M. CHINNICK	1972,74,75	W. QUADE	1976
P. JOHNSON	1975	R. WHITE	1975
M. MANSON	1976,77	S. WIDERA	1976,77

MULROONEY MEDALLISTS

As Turner Football Club:

1948	H. MADIGAN		
1952	J. GLEESON	1975	R. WHITE
1964	K. MITCHELL		

A T A G L A N C E (CONT)

McNAMARA TROPHY FOR SECOND GRADE

As Turner Football Club

1970 L. PICKERING (Tie)

CANFL UNDER AGE TROPHY

1973	Under 17	J. MANSON
1974	Under 19	M. MANSON
1974	Under 17 (Division II)	D. BENNETT

T. A. WHARTON TROPHY FOR THIRD GRADE

1975	D. BENNETT
1977	P. TAYLOR (EQUAL FIRST)

C L U B S O N G

WE'RE A HAPPY TEAM BELCONNEN,
WE'RE THE MIGHTY FIGHTING BLUES,
WE LOVE OUR CLUB, AND WE PLAY TO WIN
RIDING THE BUMPS WITH A GRIN AT BELCONNEN.
UNDER PRESSURE WE'LL BE STRIVING
FOR TEAMWORK IS THE THING THAT COUNTS,
ONE FOR ALL AND ALL FOR ONE
IS THE WAY WE PLAY BELCONNEN
WE ARE THE MIGHTY FIGHTING BLUES.

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