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Black 'n' White Night

The annual social calendar begins this year the Black 'n' White Night.

Saturday, May 5

Starts 7:30pm

All ages

Entry \$10pp

The night has been specially selected to suit as many senior teams as possible, so don't miss it!

Who's your team manager?

As with most sporting clubs, team manager's play a very important in ensuring the matches get underway each week. Their role includes ensuring a full team is available, collecting casual fee payments, completing match cards, and much more. Be sure to give your team manager a hand!

Our juniors - the Magpie's future

"The purpose of the Junior Development Plan 2001 is to set strategic targets for a co-ordinated approach by the whole club to develop junior players and to work towards improving the long term health of the club."

The Junior Development Plan has been prepared by Pamela Parkin in collaboration with the Junior Committee. It is a very professional document that sets out five primary aims and defines clear strategies for the achieving these aims.

1. To increase the number of junior players at the club.
2. To establish a planned program that will enhance the skill level and team play of junior players in the club.
3. To identify, encourage and support junior players who show potential to further develop their skills toward participation in representative hockey.
4. To create an inclusive, welcoming and enjoyable club atmosphere that encourages and supports both junior players and their parents.
5. To train coaches with up-to-date techniques and skills to assist with coaching young players.

The plan is ambitious and will require monitoring over a few years to ensure the aims are achieved. However to ensure the future of the club, action like this must be taken now.

Membership fees

The inside word is that club fees will see a small increase this year. In comparison to last year's fees from some of the other clubs we still fair well.

Vic Park: \$285

Rockingham: \$210

Melville: \$255

However I also heard rumours that stiff penalties will apply to those who don't pay their fees on time!

Please see Clayton Wright to pay your 2001 fees. A 'pay by instalment' option is available by request to Clayton for those who expect difficulties paying a lump sum.

Saturday soup

Look out for the hot soup! Available from the club room servery each Saturday. So what's your favourite?



Dine at Interfoods and win!

The deal is dine at Interfoods, show them your card and the **full** amount of your meal will be passed onto the club. Make sure you remember your membership card, pay the entire bill (recoup from your friends) and sign the book at the till. If you are yet to receive your Interfoods Magpies card let Glenn Strother know on 9434 9940 or <mailto: slothgrs@touch88.com.au>.

Got a contribution for the Magpie? See Mike Fardon or <mailto: mfardon@arts.uwa.edu.au>.