

THE YELLOW CARD



JUNE 2017 EDITION



O'BRIEN SHIELD SUCCESS

Congratulations to our Men's Central League Side on winning the O'Brien shield on the 20th of May with a 6-4-win vs Wellington United.

The shield will next be defended vs Palmerston North Marist on the 10th of June following the 0-0 Draw with Team Taranaki on the 27th of May.

Let's get down and support the boys in their defense of the shield.



U17 squad in action in Auckland 2017

“SPORTSVILLE GIVEN GREEN LIGHT”

We are delighted to announce that following a Council Meeting on Tuesday 23rd of May the Fraser Park Sportsville Project was approved funding to commence stage 2 of the build. This will see the commencement of the construction of the new multipurpose facility at Fraser Park. Full press release at <https://www.facebook.com/FraserParkSportsville/>

“The new facility will provide the opportunity to deliver sports in a more professional way.”

NZF SKILLS CENTRE

In May, we were pleased to launch Wellington's first fully inclusive NZF skills centre. The programme is designed for 7-12 year olds offering them an extra training session focused on developing player ability through engaging, fun sessions. These sessions run every Wednesday 4:30-5:30 during the school term in our indoor gym at Fraser Park. So far, we have had a great response to the programme and we are looking forward to working with all those who have signed up in the coming weeks.

JUNE TEAM FOCUS- U17'S

The whole ethos of the U17's is about developing players to reach their potential, gain a greater understanding of the game and endeavouring to make them ready for when they bridge the gap between junior and senior football.

The side took part in the national U17 Youth Football Tournament in Auckland. We were eventually knocked out in the quarterfinal stage in a hard-fought game to the eventual winners Birkenhead 3-1 after being 1-0 up at halftime. In fact, we also drew with the other finalist 0-0 in group play. This was a fantastic effort from the team considering the high quality of opposition from around the country.

Since the national tournament, we have had 3 players make their debuts for the LHC 1st team in the Central League and 11 players make their debuts for the Reserves in the Capital Premier League, the two top senior leagues in the central region, which is an outstanding achievement for those players.



Congratulations to the Lower Hutt City players who have been selected to represent Capital Futsal at the upcoming 2017 Futsal Youth National Championships being held 14th-16th July in Palmerston North.

U16 'A' - Tresor Niyonzima

U19 - Jherson Heredia



WHATS HAPPENING IN THE JUNIORS

7th and 8th Grade Junior Festivals

June is set to be a busy month for our junior section starting with the club co-hosting the Hutt valley festival on the 10th of June at Fraser Park. The festival will see our 7th and 8th grade teams going up against the clubs from all other the Hutt Valley in what is sure to be a fun and enjoyable morning of football for everyone involved. The following weekend (17th June) both grades are again involved in festival football this time at Petone Memorial Park where the McDonalds junior football festival will be held. Best of luck to all the teams! Play well but more importantly HAVE FUN!!!

Junior Match Updates and cancellations

As we make our way towards the winter months and the weather becomes more unpredictable we would like to direct teams and parents to the Capital Football fixtures page for the latest developments in any postponements or cancelations. Please check this page from Thursday onwards and again on Friday/Saturday for any last-minute changes. All updates will also be posted as quickly as possible on our Facebook page too.

http://websites.sportstg.com/assoc_page.cgi?c=1-4205-0-0-0&a=COMPS

<https://www.facebook.com/Lower-Hutt-City-AFC-Official-100399786704557/>

Match Pictures

The club would like to encourage parents to send any match pictures they may taken at the weekend to be used on our Facebook page, website and for our annual report, so if you have any snaps please send them to Renee at secretary@lhcafc.org.nz

GENERAL BUSINESS

Please note that all subs both Senior and Junior are to be paid in full by Friday 9th of June. Thereafter a strict no pay no play policy will be enforced. Please contact Renee or Karen if you have any issues or questions.

Renee- secretary@lhcafc.org.nz

Karen- treasurer@lhcafc.org.nz



UPCOMING EVENTS

We have a number of events in the coming months that may be of interest to you. Please keep an eye out on our facebook page, website and your email inbox for more information about our upcoming events:

10TH June – 7th/8th Grade Hutt Valley Festival (Fraser Park)

12th June – Coach and Team Manager Feedback evening (Avalon Rugby Club)

10th-14th July – Winter Holiday Camp (Fraser Park Gym)

23rd July- U19 Movie Night Fundraiser (Lighthouse Cinema, Petone)

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CLUB MERCHANDISE

We are pleased to offer a range of club merchandise for purchase direct from the club. The range currently includes Polos and Hoodies, with Beanies and Caps coming in the near future. Items are available in both senior and junior sizes. Please see the price chart below and contact clubmanager@lhcafc.org.nz to order.

Beanie	Coming Soon
Cap	Coming Soon
Polo	\$65
Hoodie	\$80



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