

THE JACKAS WRAP

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Round 11 was packed with passion, pressure, and plenty of positives across the Club. A weekend that showcased the commitment of our players, coaches and volunteers, and the growth across all age groups.

The Under 8s embraced the cold with courage and energy. The Stars played smart, structured football. The Rockets continued their exceptional form with another comprehensive display. The Sharks battled bravely, staying competitive across all quarters.

In the Under 9s, both the Stars and Sharks displayed maturity and development. The Stars controlled possession and played cohesive footy, while the Sharks responded to a strong challenge with determination and pressure.

The Under 10s had a rewarding round. The Stars maintained control with impressive ball movement. The Rockets showed real fight in a close contest, and the Sharks put together one of their most complete games of the season, running out comfortable winners.

The Under 11s were a club highlight – every team recorded a win. The Rockets delivered a dominant performance with fast, attacking footy. The Stars remained composed under pressure to take the points. The Sharks played four quarters of disciplined football to earn a strong result. The Comets returned to the winner’s list with determination and intensity, while the U11 Girls secured a breakthrough win built on persistence and teamwork.

Across the Under 12 to Under 15 levels, standout performances from the U13 Stars and U15 Girls led a mix of results, with all teams continuing to show signs of unity, effort, and improved execution.

In the older age groups, the U18 Comets fought out a competitive match nicely. The U18 Rockets started strong and led early, but their opponents lifted in the second term and held on to secure the win despite the Rockets' efforts to claw back momentum.

A brilliant weekend for the Jackas. Let’s carry this momentum into Round 12!

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MILESTONES

Congratulations to Nadav Liebler on his 50th game milestone.



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MILESTONES



Congratulations to Joel Gelbart and Josh Godlewicz on their 50th game milestones and 100 combined games .



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MILESTONES



Congratulations to Toby Vogel on his 50th game milestone.



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Congratulations to Eli Lipshutz on his 50th game milestone.



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Congratulations to Benji Stiglitz on his 50th game milestone.



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Congratulations to Eden Levi on his 50th game milestone.



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THE JACKAS WRAP MATCH REPORTS

U8 - ROCKETS

LITTLE SAINTS BALDOCK

COACHES: DAVE SKURNIK



U8 - ROCKETS

VS

Beaumaris U8 Mixed SHARKS

ROUND 11

MATCH REPORT

COACHES CORNER

""Tackles and pressure win games – goals come when we play as one. It's not just about the scoreboard, it's about the team that fights together.""

?? AFL Weekly Wrap – Round 11: Rockets vs Beaumaris ??? Venue: Beaumaris?? The sun was shining and so were the Rockets in Round 11, delivering a spirited performance against Beaumaris. With grit, pressure, and teamwork on full display, the boys left it all out on the field in one of their most determined efforts of the season.?? Leading the charge were co-captains Mini Swillzy and Andy Siegel, who not only led from the front but set the tone with their inspiring on-field efforts.?? From the first bounce, the Rockets weren't afraid to bring the heat. The pregame message from the coaches was simple: tackle hard and apply relentless pressure—and the boys delivered in spades. Every contest was a battle, and the Rockets showed they were more than up for the fight.?? Up forward, Blieden and Hoppe were electric, slotting multiple goals and giving the team a much-needed boost on the scoreboard.?? The midfield engine room was firing thanks to the hard work and clean ball movement from Lamm, Glasberg, Appel, Micmacher, and Skurnik, who consistently pushed the ball into the Rockets' attacking half.?? When speed and pressure were needed, the trusty quartet of Lewski, Lokshin, Sussman, and Kahn were there to deliver big chase-downs and bone-rattling tackles, keeping the opposition on edge all game.?? Down back and across the ground, defensive and support efforts by Brouze, Frayman, Lokshin, Weinberg, Landis, and Sussman helped keep Beaumaris from gaining momentum.?? Overall, it was a terrific team performance with every Rocket stepping up and playing their role. The boys showed real heart and fire—bring on Round 12!

MENSCH of the WEEK

NOT SUBMITTED

NEXT ROUND

EAST SANDRINGHAM ZEBBIES
U8 MIXED GUERRA? PRINCES
PARK (CAULFIELD SOUTH) 2?03
AUG 2025?09:05 AM

U8 - STARS

LITTLE SAINTS BARKER

COACHES: LIOR HAREL



U8 - STARS

VS

**E Brighton Vampires U8
Mixed TRIOLO**

ROUND 11

MATCH REPORT

Not submitted

MENSCH of the WEEK

NOT SUBMITTED

NEXT ROUND

PRAHRAN JFC U8 MIXED
MCGUIRE PRINCES PARK
(CAULFIELD SOUTH) 22:03 AUG
2025 08:00 AM

U8 - SHARKS

LITTLE SAINTS BURKE

COACHES: JASON LEWIS



U8 - SHARKS

VS

**St Kilda City JFC U8 Mixed
CATTERALL**

ROUND 11

MATCH REPORT

On a cool but pleasant morning at Princes Park, the Sharks turned up ready for a tough encounter. Early strong running out of the midfield from Caleb allowed for the small forwards to take advantage and kick an early goal. Koby Fass was a rock in defence and took a number of strong marks to keep a lead going into halftime. The second half took a turn as we became outnumbered at many contests however we played our hearts out and never stopped running and can hold our heads high going into the last few weeks of the season!

MENSCH of the WEEK

FASS, KOPY

NEXT ROUND

SMDJFC U8 MIXED WHITE
PRINCES PARK (CAULFIELD
SOUTH) 2703 AUG 2025 10:10
AM

U9 - ROCKETS

LITTLE SAINTS LOEWE

COACHES: WILL FEUTRILL, MICHAEL LIPSON, JASON BLANKFIELD



U9 - ROCKETS

vs

Prahran JFC U9 Mixed
STEELE

ROUND 11

MATCH REPORT

COACHES CORNER

"Your commitment and positive attitude gave Prahran their most enjoyable game and made us all incredibly proud"

Round 11 saw the Rockets represent the best aspects of AJAX - teamwork, respect and commitment. Our opposition had just 14 players. So the boys rolled their sleeves up and turned their jumpers inside-out to play 3 at a time for Prahran. What ensued was a fierce but friendly contest. The first quarter we came out of the blocks with Goldberg, New and Kaltmann driving the ball forward while Blankfield played quarter back and repelled attack after attack. Forward of the ball Klinger was a welcome return with Schachter showing good intent. Gestetner and Barber were clean in possession while Lipp was robbed by the bell of a beautiful drop punt goal after a strong mark but we went in confidently. The second, Prahran started to show some bite (potentially driven by a few Ajax boys wanting to play hard against their mates!) Snyder and Ezekiel held strong in the backline while Sahar continued to weave in and out of traffic and drive the ball forward toward a lively Gomo and Joseph combo. The third saw Lipson take control in the backline whilst Feutrill found space on the wing regularly. Up forward, Jankie showed his skills parntering nicely with Dreyfus. We took a lead into the last knowing that Prahran was still coming. The final quarter was an arm wrestle. The speed of Kirschenbaum in the middle was critical while Frid took a beautiful overhead mark and Kolliner continued to use his body well. In the end, the spirit of the boys won the day. Prahran thanked the boys who filled in and commented it was their best game for the entire year. Whilst hesitant to accept help at first, Ajax boys committed to Prahran as if it were their own team - we are so incredibly proud

MENSCH of the WEEK

GESTETNER, ELI

NEXT ROUND

EAST MALVERN U9 MIXED
MAHONY BASIL RESERVE
(DARLING PARK) 13th 03 AUG 2025
08:00 AM

U9 - STARS

LITTLE SAINTS LOCKETT

COACHES: JOSH FRYDENBERG, MARK BENKEL, ELIOT SILMAN



U9 - STARS

VS

E Brighton Vampires U9
Mixed THOMAS

ROUND 11

MATCH REPORT

COACHES CORNER

""Tackle in numbers and support your teammate in the contest""

The U9 Stars hit the road on Sunday morning to take on a strong East Brighton Vampires side. Captains Kelman and Segal set the tone early with passionate pre-game speeches that fired the boys up before the bounce. Segal backed up his words with a brilliant performance – attacking the wet ball, taking strong marks, throwing himself into contests and clearing the ball forward. His work in defence and through the middle stood out all day. Up forward, Benporath was dangerous, creating scoring chances with clean gathers, clever movement and pressure, while Rynderman also worked hard to keep the ball in the Stars’ attacking zone. Freilich impressed with some clever hit-outs in the ruck, and applied pressure up forward to help create opportunities. Around the contest, Fried was a key contributor, with clean valuable clearances, marks, hard ball gets and passing. Chaiton worked tirelessly at ground level, laying tackles and helping move the ball forward under pressure. Benkel, Frydenberg and Silman brought some ferocious tackling efforts – often against much bigger opponents, including sons of former AFL players. They never backed down from the contest and continually tried to win the ball and drive it forward. Jolson, Kaplan, Grosberg, Goldberg, and J & N Binstock laid tackles, chased hard, and played for their teammates across the ground. Special thanks to the Rockets fill-ins, who slotted in seamlessly, played great team footy and gave the Stars a real lift. While the Vampires were strong and relentless with their pressure, the Stars showed real heart. The boys fought hard, held their heads high and finished the game with pride.

MENSCH of the WEEK

NOT SUBMITTED

NEXT ROUND

BRIGHTON BEACH U9 MIXED
TROON WILLIAM STREET
RESERVE 1 03 AUG 2025 09:45 AM

U9 - SHARKS

LITTLE SAINTS NEALE

COACHES: JONO MICHAELS, RICHIE MORRIS



U9 - SHARKS

vs

SBMT U9 Mixed ZLONZAK

ROUND 11

MATCH REPORT

COACHES CORNER

"If we play four quarters, we will be hard to beat"

As the season edges closer to its final stretch, the Ajax U9 Sharks continue to rise. This rare afternoon clash against St Bedes / Mentone was one of the Sharks' most complete four-quarter performances of the year. Captains Perlman and Siton were inspirational - leading with determination, ferocious attack on the ball, and unwavering effort from the first bounce to the final siren. The opening term began as a tight arm wrestle, before Weinberg broke through with a hard-earned goal. Lewis took a heroic mark up forward, and Mizrahi stood tall in the contest, keeping the Sharks in control. Momentum shifted firmly in Ajax's favour in the second. A courageous mark on the last line by Korbl changed the tone and opened the floodgates. Michaels was doing it all up forward, kicking multiple goals from the boundary, while Gerber and Wajsman linked up with mature, MCG-worthy passages of play and precision kicking and marking. Snow was a rock marking everything in his path and delivering with pinpoint accuracy. In the third, Brand and Schwartz worked tirelessly through the midfield with repeat efforts and strong tackling. Spektor joined in, linking defence and attack. Morris continued his strong form of recent weeks with outstanding clearance work and tackling. The Sharks didn't let up in the final term. Goldberg was dogged in defence, repelling everything that came his way. Wibawa applied excellent pressure through the midfield, and Mittelman took on players twice his size to create forward opportunities. A special thanks to fill-in Lipson who was superb all game. A full-team performance built on courage, connection and continued growth. Go Sharks!!

MENSCH of the WEEK

GERBER, JAMES

NEXT ROUND

CAULFIELD BEARS U9 MIXED
RAYNER EAST CAULFIELD
RESERVE 1 03 AUG 2025 09:05 AM

U10 - ROCKETS

RIEWOLDT

COACHES: ANDREW JACKSON, SAUL NEWSTADT



U10 - ROCKETS

vs

Murrumbeena U10 Mixed
LIONS

ROUND 11

MATCH REPORT

COACHES CORNER

"Today was a new benchmark game. Looking forward to building from here and seeing what's possible for the rest of the season"

The first quarter was an arm-wrestle, with the territory battle evenly split between the two teams. The Lions leveraged their strength in the air, while our Rockets ran the ball in waves and used linking handballs to transition up the field. To our boys' credit, they were stingy in defence, ensuring we didn't concede while being crafty and clean up forward putting through the first few majors of the game. We knew we needed to keep running hard in the second, so it made sense to ask captain Brown, the league's most elite runner to stay in the midfield for another rotation. His forced smile suggested he'd have preferred a run up forward (he did get a go later and kicked a beauty), but he stuck to the task and was everywhere. He tackled hard and pumped the ball forward to provide loads of opportunity for the forwards. The midfield group's work saw the Rockets pile on 3 goals in a minute including a long snap from birthday boy Latowicz. The second quarter goal fest meant staying on task in the third was going to be this week's challenge. Captain Sack was injected into the middle to ensure there was no drop off. Sack is destined to drive a Toyota Hilux, when he does finally snag one of those mark of the year efforts. And while today wasn't the day, his aerial presence and run meant we retained our midfield dominance. Although we lost our structure a bit in the fourth, conceding a couple of late goals, the effort persisted throughout the game. Captain #3 Krawitz led by example, personifying that 4 quarter effort. He was at the bottom of many a pack, won plenty of hard ball and used the ball brilliantly on the outside. Well done team!

MENSCH of the WEEK

NOT SUBMITTED

NEXT ROUND

SBMT U10 MIXED CULPH
PRINCES PARK (CAULFIELD
SOUTH) 2703 AUG 2025 11:15
AM

U10 - SHARKS

WINMAR

COACHES: DAVID HOLCDORF, ROB MAJMAN



U10 - SHARKS

VS

Ormond U10 Mixed
BALMER

ROUND 11

MATCH REPORT

COACHES CORNER

"Tackle hard? Pile on pressure? Open up the space? Look for a target"

In wet but temperate conditions on Sunday morning, the Sharks fronted up to Princes Park on Sunday to meet Ormond. Following their highly competed, highly physical contest earlier in the year, the boys set themselves for a tussle. An arm-wrestle of an opening stanza saw the ball in our back half for large periods. To the boys' credit, defensive structures stood up, we got numbers around the ball to congest play and managed to repel multiple Ormond forays forward. Eventually we converted back half pressure into sling-shots out of D50 and were able to slot a major before quarter time. Building on their contested pressure, the Sharks went on to produce their most complete game of the season after quarter time. They dominated stoppages, consistently willing themselves to get to the front of the contest for first use. They took the game on, fended off opponents then lowered the eyes to link up with clean, accurate kicking and marking despite the difficult conditions. We saw coast-to-coast goals, goals generated from forward handpass game, courageous marking and sensational run-down tackles. Most impressively though was the way the Sharks ran for each other to open up space, nailed their kicks to find targets, then followed up with "give-and-go" to keep surging forward. Captain Eden Holcdorf was commanding across the ground. He dominated ruck contests to ensure our mids got first use; he was imposing in defence as we have come to expect; and in the forward line he set up two goals as well as nailing an electrifying snap shot of his own. Coaches and parents couldn't be prouder. Go Sharks!!!!!!

MENSCH of the WEEK

NOT SUBMITTED

NEXT ROUND

SBMT U10 MIXED KRUSE
SOUTHERN ROAD RESERVE 1
03 AUG 2025 12:05 PM

U10 - STARS

HUDGHTON

COACHES: STEVE AJZENMAN, BEN ERLICH



U10 - STARS

VS

WPHawks U10 Mixed
SANO

ROUND 11

MATCH REPORT

COACHES CORNER

**"Backs kick to mids.
Mids kick to forwards.
Forwards kick goals"**

The Stars returned to their spiritual home at Princes Park for a much-anticipated rematch against the Waverley Hawks. There was a buzz in the air, partly from the sun and partly from the sheer excitement of leaving the mini goals in the bag and playing on the real ground with full-size posts. The kids could barely contain themselves – big field, big goals, big occasion. Captain “Courage” Orlando opened proceedings with a rousing speech so rich in tactical detail it had the coaches nervously checking their whiteboards. Then came Captain Joe – ever the minimalist – who distilled the entire game plan into one legendary line: “Backs kick to mids. Mids kick to forwards. Forwards kick goals.” Simple. Direct. Pure genius. The opening quarter was an arm wrestle. The backline held firm under pressure, sticking tight to their opponents and rebounding well. The second quarter continued in the same tight, contested fashion. Both sides had moments, but nothing came easy. It was hard, honest footy – the kind that builds character (and sometimes bruises). Then came the third. Ah yes, the now traditional Stars fade-out. Legs wobbled, Hawks lifted, and the momentum slipped. But at three-quarter time, the tone changed. Let’s just say the players were... motivated. And wow, did they respond. The fourth quarter was electric. The Stars flicked the switch – linking up cleanly from defence to midfield to forward line. Kicks hit targets. Pressure was fierce. A few quick majors closed the gap, and by the final siren, the contest was even. But more than that – it was complete. This was, without doubt, the Stars’ most competitive, cohesive, and consistent performance of the year. They stood tall, dug deep, and finished full of running. A ripper game. A ripping bunch. Go Stars!

MENSCH of the WEEK

NOT SUBMITTED

NEXT ROUND

MORDI-BRAE U10 MIXED
WITHERS EAST CAULFIELD
RESERVE 1 03 AUG 2025 11:35
AM

U11 GIRLS - COMETS

DIVISION 1

COACHES: BRAD AKKERMAN



U11 GIRLS - COMETS

70
11.4

vs

Cheltenham U11 Girls

79
12.7

ROUND 11

AJAX U11 GIRLS COMETS LOST BY 9 POINTS

GOALS

AKKERMAN, ABBY 3 | COHEN,
LAYLA 3 | GOLDBERG, LIBBY 3 |
GOROG, SARI 2

Those who stood on the sidelines for the U11 Girls Cheltenham v Ajax match were treated to a truly memorable experience. From the heartfelt pre match warm up - shared with the Ajax U18 girls who were playing on the adjacent oval - to the thrilling 23-goal shootout that followed, this game truly had something for everyone. Whether it was Libby breakdancing her way down the field after each goal, or Sari backflipping her way to Brisbane 2032 after each goal, this game was packed with highlights. Layla entertained while imitating Ginnivan's cheeky celebrations after bulldozing her way through the goals, and Abby responded to the coach's criticism with 'The Bird' and 3 goals of her own. There were smiles and sounds of applause everywhere. Whilst it was raining goals, there were super efforts across other parts of the field. Mila Cooper dominated the ruck so much so that Darcy Cameron will be looking over his shoulder. Erica was a springboard, rebounding her way out of defense countless times whilst Millie tackled any opponent who dared to make their way past her. Captain Milla Gold found her voice and revved up her troops and demanded one last effort, and whilst they came home with a rush of goals, time got the better of them, falling short by single digits at the final siren. The result was irrelevant. Not matter what jumper you wore, the neutral supporter watching on summed it up best when they said, "a great match, a great spectacle, a pleasure to see so many girls giving it their all on a Sunday afternoon. Is was a privilege to watch, and every player involved should be immensely proud of the 60 minutes of football they were part of". PS - the neutral supporter was me...

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

AKKERMAN, ABBY | COHEN,
ERICA | COHEN, LAYLA |
COOPER, MILA | GOLDBERG,
LIBBY | RATTRAY, MILLIE

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

EAST SANDRINGHAM ZEBBIES
U11 GIRLS MCDONALD
PRINCES PARK (CAULFIELD
SOUTH) 2:03 AUG 2025 12:30
PM

U11 - STARS

DIVISION 3

COACHES: ADAM BOROWSKI, SIMON KRAMPPEL



U11 - STARS

85
13.7

vs

Cheltenham / Highett U11
Mixed RED

25
3.7

ROUND 11

AJAX U11 MIXED STARS WON BY 60 POINTS

GOALS

ISAACS, DYLAN 3 | JANKIE,
DYLAN 3 | MICHAELS, JORDAN 2
| AZOULAY, JACOB 1 | ECKSTEIN,
HUDSON 1 | JANOVER,
MAVERICK 1 | JOFFE, NOAH 1 |
LEVY, SAMMY 1

From the opening bounce, the Stars brought elite pressure, led by Michaels who dominated the centre square with his physicality and fierce tackling. His early work set the tone for a relentless four-quarter effort. Janover was a commanding presence up forward, clunking marks and slotting a goal, while Isaacs, Levy and Jankie also hit the scoreboard in a fast-paced first half. Krampel and Joffe combined cleanly through the middle, giving the forwards plenty of opportunities to attack. The second quarter saw the Stars explode offensively. Michaels launched into a huge, contested mark before finishing truly. Jankie nailed two more majors, with Isaacs and Joffe adding to their hauls as well. Dickman lit up the contest on the back of a mid-game rev-up from mum – bringing down opponents twice his size with fearless tackling, with scenes reminiscent of David v Goliath. Mac and Blum were slick across half-forward, gathering cleanly and delivering inside 50 with precision. The third term was a tighter affair, but Isaacs continued to make his presence felt, kicking his 3rd for the day. Kaplan repeatedly put his head over the footy, making things difficult for the opposition in close. In the final quarter, Michaels and Eckstein each nailed a goal, and Azoulay capped things off with a cheeky snap that had the crowd on their feet. Granek, Epstein & Borowski worked tirelessly down back, whilst Kotlyer and Beebe kept control through the centre corridor with strength and smarts. Another strong win built on pressure, teamwork and a spread of contributors across the ground. The Stars continue to shine.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

DICKMAN, OLIVER | ISAACS,
DYLAN | JANKIE, DYLAN | JOFFE,
NOAH | KRAMPPEL, JACOB |
MICHAELS, JORDAN

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

HAMPTON ROVERS U11 MIXED
GREEN EAST CAULFIELD
RESERVE 1 03 AUG 2025 12:50
PM

U11 - SHARKS

DIVISION 2

COACHES: DAVE GELBART, ADRIAN GODLEWICZ



U11 - SHARKS

43

5.13

vs

**Bentleigh U11 Mixed
RUNCIMAN**

26

4.2

ROUND 11

AJAX U11 MIXED SHARKS WON BY 17 POINTS

GOALS

GODLEWICZ, JOSHUA 2 |
GABIZON, JACK 1 | GELBART,
JOEL 1 | ONAS, ASHER 1

The Sharks enjoyed a good sleep in today and took advantage of the “AFL like” scheduling with a 315pm start against the second placed Bentleigh Demons. Celebrating the 50th games of two Shark legends, Josh Godlewicz and his great mate Joel Gelbart, it was the Demons that landed the first blow, but it was party over from the point onwards with the desperate and ruthless Sharks taking full control from that point onwards. Sloane controlled the ruck against bigger opponents and the Shark’s mids like Blustein, Stub & Oz Onas were just far more ferocious and determined than the opposition but scoring was still hard to come by. Accuracy and poise in front of goal was a frustration for the Sharks but eventually it was Co-captains Gelbart and Godlewicz with 2 majors that broke the seal as the Sharks pulled away from the Demons after half time. Adler, Raleigh and Profus let nothing through while Berry and Kramer had breakout games, both setting up valuable goals for the Sharks at crucial times. With four games remaining in the season, the Sharks are still very much alive and if the improvement continues, then they can still have a big say in the make-up of the final 4. But training attendance and attitude is crucial if the Sharks are a serious threat and the Coaches will be going full steam ahead for the last 4 rounds. Well done to the Sharks today again as their attitude, commitment & toughness cannot be questioned.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BLUSTEIN, LENNY | GELBART,
JOEL | GODLEWICZ, JOSHUA |
KRAMER, JONAH | ONAS, ASHER
| STUB, ZAC

MENSCH of the WEEK

RALEIGH, KAI

NEXT ROUND

BEAUMARIS U11 MIXED GREAT
WHITES @ EAST CAULFIELD
RESERVE 1 @ 03 AUG 2025 @ 02:20
PM

U11 - ROCKETS

DIVISION 1

COACHES: ARI LEWSKI, JARROD KAGAN, ADAM WISER



U11 - ROCKETS

54
8.6

vs

Beaumaris U11 Mixed SHARKS

17
2.5

ROUND 11

AJAX U11 MIXED ROCKETS WON BY 37 POINTS

GOALS

LEWSKI, KOBE 4 | KAGAN, BLAKE 1 | SCHWARTZ, GIDEON 1 | SLADE-JACOBSON, LOUIE 1 | TAFT, JONAH 1 |

91 days is a long time in footy. Round 11 saw the Rockets face the undefeated Beaumaris Sharks - ten rounds after our first encounter in Round 1. That day resulted in a disappointing 46-point loss to open our season. Fast-forward three months, and the Rockets not only clawed back the original 46 points but put on another 6 goals for a total 83-point turnaround. 🎯🎯The Rockets were rewarded for their consistent commitment to the football, willingness to run hard both ways, and ability to apply maximum pressure on the opposition for the full four quarters. In tough, wet conditions, the Rockets were the ones willing to get down and dirty, executing the basics of the sport better and more often than their opposition.🎯🎯Wiser was sensational all game across the half-back line. He read the play to perfection and also used his body and strength to win a high number of contested ground balls. Jolson was another who brought his A-game and didn't miss a beat from the first bounce with his tough, hard play. Raksin's dash on the wing was pivotal, with several important forward 50 entries, while his partner in crime, Krawitz, also owned his wing and impressed with his leg speed. The two co-captains, Sochen and Slade-Jacobson, both made significant contributions up forward. Sochen exhibited a tremendous work rate at CHF and was super clean in the wet conditions, while Slade-Jacobson clunked a couple of beauties deep in the forward line. Levi and McGregor didn't take a backward step at the contest all game, while Levin has taken his game to new heights post his move to full back. Lewski's skills in the wet were on full display, and he added some cream on top with a dynamic 4-goal performance.🎯🎯Hey Rockets... they know we're coming!

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

FRIEDMAN, AITAN | JOLSON, HENDRIX | KAGAN, BLAKE | LEWSKI, KOBE | SCHWARTZ, GIDEON | WISER, JORDAN

MENSCH of the WEEK

LEVIN, JORDAN

NEXT ROUND

EAST MALVERN U11 MIXED
SANGSTER🎯STANLEY GROSE
OVAL 1🎯03 AUG 2025🎯09:15 AM

U12 - STARS

DIVISION 6

COACHES: DALE SMORGON, BRAD DAVIS, DANNY GUNN



U12 - STARS

7
1.1

vs

WPHawks U12 Mixed
GEORGIOS

15
2.3

ROUND 11

AJAX U12 MIXED STARS LOST BY 8 POINTS

GOALS

Not submitted

LEVI, EDEN 1 |

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

COHEN, JAYDEN | GUNN, RYAN |
KANEVSKY, JORDAN | LANDAU,
EZRA | SAVICKY, ILAN |
SMORGON, SHEM

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

BEAUMARIS U12 MIXED
BLACKTAILS DONALD
MCDONALD RESERVE 1203
AUG 2025 11:00 AM

U12 - ROCKETS

DIVISION 6

COACHES: JONO BREUER, ELI STAUB



U12 - ROCKETS

19

vs

**Murrumbeena U12 Mixed
GRIFFINS**

79

3.1

0.0

ROUND 11

AJAX U12 MIXED ROCKETS LOST BY 60 POINTS

GOALS

DAVIDSON, NADAV 2 | WHITE,
SAMUEL 1

The team was pumped and ready for a big game to celebrate Meltzer's 50th game. However, this was short lived as within minutes the Griffin's scored 3 very quick goals. The Rockets struggled to keep up with the Griffin's run and carrying and the Griffins got on top early. The second quarter was not much better. Griffins were first to ball and whilst the Rockets tried to apply pressure through Meltzer and Feder they just couldn't keep up. The Griffins went into the half break with a significant lead. At halftime, the coaches reinforced to the boys to keep their heads up, reset and celebrate the small wins. The boys took on the feedback and played a much better second half. In the third quarter, the Rockets slowed the Griffin ball movement as Nussbaum, Staub and the backline held strong with the repeated ball entries. The final quarter was a story of two halves. The first half of the final quarter saw the Griffins domination continue. However, in the last 8 minutes, the Rockets through Beggs, Lefkovic Nadelman and the other mids started to move the ball beautifully and get on top. The Rockets through White finally scored their first goal through pure guts and determination. The crowd was elated. It didn't take long, and Davidson slotted our second and third goal for the game. The boys never gave up all day and their hard work paid off kicking the last 3 goals of the game.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

DAVIDSON, NADAV | FEDER,
ELIH | LEFKOVIC, ADEN |
MELTZER, DANIEL | NUSSBAUM,
CHARLIE | STAUB, NOAH

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

MORDI-BRAE U12 MIXED
MUSTANGS | PRINCES PARK
(CAULFIELD SOUTH) 2:03 AUG
2025 | 2:00 PM

U12 - COMETS

DIVISION 2

COACHES: COREY SCHWARTZ, SAM JACOBS



U12 - COMETS

35
5.5

vs

**Murrumbeena U12 Mixed
LIONS**

49
7.7

ROUND 11

AJAX U12 MIXED COMETS LOST BY 14 POINTS

GOALS

DUNNE, JOSEPH 1 | GOLDBERG,
NATHAN 1 | NORICH, JAY 1 | PITT,
AKIVA 1 | RICHARDSON, JACOB
1 | SUSS, HAYDEN 1

After a disappointing result last week the boys arrived at the game with a determination and excitement that had been lacking in previous weeks. We started the game well, moving the ball quickly and giving our forwards an opportunity to convert. At quarter time the boys were asked to lift their tackling and defensive efforts and they responded. Our contested game lifted and we matched the opposition's bigger bodies, heading into half time down by one point. We struggled to convert some opportunities in the third quarter but still maintained our effort and ball movement, unfortunately the opposition made us pay and we went into three quarter time down two goals. Our fourth quarter effort was outstanding as we kicked two goals but again our defense broke down and we were defeated by 2 goals. Some individual efforts deserve highlighting: In the backline Goldberg was disciplined, saving goals but also setting up attacking opportunities, Zimmet was instrumental in our ball movement, running hard all day from half back. Hoppe led the midfield, ran hard and provided great link up run, Richardson was a clearance beast and imposed himself on the contest with some big tackles, Dunne was explosive out of the middle and took some great marks, Pitt was dangerous up forward and provided a great contest in the air and on the ground. It was disappointing not to get the win but the boys should be proud of their effort.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

DUNNE, JOSEPH | GOLDBERG,
NATHAN | HOPPE, BRODY | PITT,
AKIVA | RICHARDSON, JACOB |
ZIMMET, HARRY

MENSCH of the WEEK

BORENSZTAJN, INDIANA

NEXT ROUND

PRAHRAN JFC U12 MIXED
CAMPBELL PRINCES PARK
(CAULFIELD SOUTH) 2003 AUG
2025 03:30 PM

U13 GIRLS - COMETS

DIVISION 1

COACHES: DAVID SUSMAN, CARLA CARROLL



U13 GIRLS - COMETS

0
0.0

vs

**E Brighton Vampires U13
Girls LIP TROT**

60
0.0

ROUND 11

AJAX U13 GIRLS COMETS LOST BY 60 POINTS

GOALS

It was a cold, grey, and wet day as our brave U13 Girls went head-to-head against a powerhouse opponent. While the scoreboard painted a tough picture, it doesn't tell the full story of the game. This was a day where effort mattered more than outcome – where courage was measured not by goals scored, but by the sheer resilience our girls showed. Up against a far more experienced and physically dominant side, they kept showing up – running hard, defending fiercely, and supporting one another with everything they had, right up until the final whistle. Sport can be humbling. This match was a tough lesson, but also a powerful reminder that growth doesn't always come from winning. Sometimes it comes from standing tall in the face of challenges, and from refusing to give up when things get hard. We're incredibly proud of every single player today we gave our absolute all. Onwards and upwards – we grow stronger from here.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

CARROLL, ELLA | GILLIS, SHELLIE
| JOHNSON, CHAYA | ONG, TILLY |
SUSMAN, OLIVIA | SZTAR,
GEORGIA

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

EAST SANDRINGHAM ZEBBIES
U13 GIRLS MUNROE SHANE
WARNE OVAL 03 AUG 2025
03:30 PM

U13 - ROCKETS

DIVISION 4

COACHES: MARK LIPSHUTZ, NATAN FELL



U13 - ROCKETS

38

vs

**E Brighton Vampires U13
Mixed GIANATTI**

10

5.8

1.4

ROUND 11

AJAX U13 MIXED ROCKETS WON BY 28 POINTS

GOALS

BEN ZUR, ISRAEL OSHER 2 |
ADLER, BEN 1 | BENSKY, NOAH 1
| SEGMAN, AKIVA 1

After a tough training session focused on defensive efforts and accountability, the Rockets put in a really strong performance to comfortably account for the Vampires. Despite getting good scoreboard reward for our forward entries in the first quarter, the boys were a little tentative early in the game, with too many kicks off the ground and too many half-efforts to win the contested ball. This put the backline under pressure. However, with Micah leading the way, the defence held up superbly. Special mention to Gavi who was enormous in getting back to help the defenders and assist with transitioning the ball out of the backline. The second and third quarters were really pleasing, with the team upping the intensity, putting their heads over the ball and winning clearances. Charlie, Osher and Alfie led the way, while Johnny started having a big influence and took an absolute screamer that will be hard to beat for mark of the year. The last quarter saw some wasted opportunities and a bit of loose checking, which allowed the Vampires to hit the scoreboard, but it serves as a good reminder that we need consistent effort and adherence to team structures or else we will become vulnerable. While the five goals were great, the best aspect of the game was keeping the opposition scoreless in the first half. If we continue to value and focus on the defensive side of our game, we will continue to improve and achieve great results. A big thank you to Asher Snider and Noah Bensky for filling in. It was great to see them in the middle of the circle belting out the club song after the game. Go Rockets!

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BEN ZUR, ISRAEL OSHER |
BURMAN, CHARLIE | FRANSMAN,
GAVRIEL | ROSSHANDLER,
JOHNNY | SEGAL, COBY |
SEGMAN, AKIVA

MENSCH of the WEEK

PRESSER, MICAH

NEXT ROUND

MORDI-BRAE U13 MIXED
MUSTANGS | GLEN HUNTLY
PARK 1 | 03 AUG 2025 | 10:30 AM

U13 - STARS

DIVISION 4

COACHES: GARY WAISMAN, BRAD SMITH



U13 - STARS

32
4.8

vs

Prahran JFC U13 Mixed
GARNAUT

59
9.5

ROUND 11

AJAX U13 MIXED STARS LOST BY 27 POINTS

GOALS

GRANT, ELIJAH 2 | BAKER,
RUDYARD 1 | BELL, ZAC 1 |

The Stars faced off against top of the table Prahran at Princess Park. However the stars showed their true ability to really challenge their opposition and controlled the first half of the game. Wayward kicking in the first quarter was a let down to a dominant first quarter where the stars should have held a comfortable 4 goal lead. Nevertheless, they kicked on in the second quarter frustrating their opposition further to take a half time lead. From there Prahran out played the Stars in the second half as the stars trued hard to match the opposition and with fatigue starting to take control the Stars were eventually overrun. An outstanding effort against better opponent the Stars can take confidence that their best is the best in the competition. Costly skills errors , dropped marks and missed easy set shots continue to hurt the Stars in the run towards the finals. Rudy Baker, Judah Olien, Sam Zamel and Benji Stiglitz tried hard all day, while Rafi Ezekiel and Eli Lipshutz continue to put their head over the ball. Eli Grant looked dangerous when presented with opportunities, while Zac Bell and Hudson Waisman were lively across half forward early in the game. Benji Bigos was reliable as always in defence. Mazel Tov to Benji Stiglitz and Eli Lipshutz for 50 games. Well done

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BAKER, RUDYARD | BELL, ZAC |
EZEKIEL, RAFI | LIPSHUTZ, ELI |
OLIAN, JUDAH | ZAMEL, SAMUEL

MENSCH of the WEEK

GRANT, ELIJAH

NEXT ROUND

ORMOND U13 MIXED GRIGG
GLEN HUNTLY PARK 1 03 AUG
2025 09:00 AM

U13 - COMETS

DIVISION 1

COACHES: JONO BLACK, ZAK BIERENKRANT



U13 - COMETS

1
0.1

vs

E Brighton Vampires U13
Mixed STEVENS

61
0.0

ROUND 11

AJAX U13 MIXED COMETS LOST BY 60 POINTS

GOALS

Ajax v East Brighton – Match Wrap. It was a tough day for AJAX against an undefeated East Brighton outfit. Although the result didn't go our way, the boys showed glimpses of growth as they experimented with new roles and structures. The scoreboard may have been disappointing, but the effort was there, and the match provided valuable learning opportunities. Noah Bensky was relentless, giving everything across four quarters. Ness Page stood tall in defence, consistently repelling East Brighton's attacks, Bude and Miller both put their bodies on the line and showed toughness. Jake and Sheez tried hard all day in the new roles. While Sam Schwartz and Benji Norton worked tirelessly on the wing. In the final quarter, Leo Rochman lifted, showing real spark and determination. While we had a few chances throughout the game, we couldn't capitalise. Despite being outclassed, the boys never gave up, showing resilience and a willingness to adapt. It's all part of the development journey, and there's still plenty to build on heading into the next match.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BENSKY, NOAH | DAVIS, JACOB |
JANOVER, MILLER | NORTON,
BENJAMIN | PAGE, NESS |
ROCHMAN, LEO

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

HAMPTON ROVERS U13 MIXED
GREEN CASTLEFIELD RESERVE
1703 AUG 2025 08:30 AM

U14 - STARS

DIVISION 3

COACHES: EDEN ROSE, ADAM STEINHARDT



U14 - STARS

37

4.13

vs

**Cheltenham U14 Mixed
GADSDEN**

18

2.6

ROUND 11

AJAX U14 MIXED STARS WON BY 19 POINTS

GOALS

FAIGENBAUM, AMOS 2 |
COOPER, LEVI 1 | NOWOWEISKI,
BLAKE 1 |

It was an early start for the U14 Stars. The Stars got off to a strong start with the midfield group of Cooper, Grundmann, Soloman and Steinhardt winning the contested ball. The Stars back six defensive unit were outstanding all game and only conceded two goals against some strong opposition. Special mention to Angus Somerville who continues to play his team role down back week in week out. There was some impressive ball movement by the Stars across the ground giving the forwards some really good looks. The forward group did look dangerous at times however failed to put the dominance on scoreboard due to some poor decision making and execution. The coaching group have encouraged the forwards to work hard for each other with more movement and creating space for each other inside the forward 50. Overall another solid performance by the Stars as well look forward to a big game next week against the Hawks.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

COOPER, LEVI | GRUNDMANN,
LEVI | LEVIN, LEOR | LOWE,
GIDEON | MITTELMAN, OLIVIER |
SOLOMON, LEVI

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

WPHAWKS U14 MIXED PHIBBS?
GLEN HUNTLY PARK 12:03 AUG
2025 1:30 PM

U14 - ROCKETS

DIVISION 5

COACHES: GUMMY NEW, JEREMY WEISS



U14 - ROCKETS

83
12.11

vs

**East Malvern U14 Mixed
PHILLIPS**

0
0.0

ROUND 11

AJAX U14 MIXED ROCKETS WON BY 83 POINTS

GOALS

RAPOPORT, JESSE 7 | KOWADLO,
BENJI 2 | MILCHMAN, JACK 2 |
BEEBE, GIDEON 1 | JACOBS,
XANDER 1 | MELAMED, ADRIAN
1 | SZIEWICZ, MOSHE 1 |

Ok with this Gummy and Jez?? Ajax U14 Rockets Dominate East Malvern in Rain-Soaked Clash?? On an overcast and rainy Sunday, the Ajax U14 Rockets turned the wet and slippery conditions to their advantage, powering to a commanding 12.11 (83) to 0.0 (0) win over East Malvern.?? Despite the challenging weather, the Rockets were switched on from the first whistle.?? Coach's insistence on sticking to the handball-focused linking game plan paid dividends immediately. Within the opening minute, the team transitioned cleanly through the midfield with a series of sharp handballs before slotting through the opening goal. It was the perfect start and set the tone for the match.?? From there, the goals flowed as freely as the rain. The Rockets' slick ball movement consistently opened up scoring opportunities, with every line contributing. Rappaport was unstoppable in front of goal, finishing with an impressive four majors. Milchman and Kowadlo each found the scoreboard twice, while Bebee, Jacobs, Melamed and Sziewicz all chipped in with singles to round out a dominant team performance.?? The defensive unit held firm whenever East Malvern surged forward, and the midfielders worked tirelessly to feed the ball to the forwards.?? By the final siren, the Rockets had not only outplayed their opponents but showcased a brand of football built on trust, teamwork and precision.?? It was a terrific all-round effort from the U14 Rockets, who will no doubt take plenty of confidence from this comprehensive win heading into next week's challenge.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

JACOBS, XANDER | KOWADLO,
BENJI | KREUZER, JUDAH |
MELAMED, ADRIAN | MEYDAN,
NOAH | SZENTAL, SAUL

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

MORDI-BRAE U14 MIXED
CAMPBELL?WALTER GALT
RESERVE 1?31 JUL 2025?05:00
PM

U14 - COMETS

DIVISION 1

COACHES: DYLAN WEICKHARDT, LUKE VERMA



U14 - COMETS

14

2.2

vs

**St Peters / Murrumbeena
U14 Mixed LIONS**

89

13.11

ROUND 11

AJAX U14 MIXED COMETS LOST BY 75 POINTS

GOALS

BOROWSKI, KOBI 1 | WEINGART,
JOSHUA 1

This week, the Comets took on St Peter's/Murrumbeena in a tough contest where we were challenged not only by a quality opponent, but also by a string of injuries that left us undermanned. Despite the odds, the boys showed tremendous heart and commitment throughout the match. From the opening bounce, the team gave everything they had. While our opponents had fresher legs and were able to run the game out strongly, our players never stopped competing. Standout Performances: Kobi was again a standout, putting in an outstanding performance and leading by example. Toby, Max, Harry, Hayden, and Jensen all fought hard across the ground, refusing to give in. Charlie Pack deserves a special mention for playing his role with real discipline and focus. Ber brought relentless intensity and attacked every contest with determination. Although the result didn't go our way, the effort and spirit shown by the team – especially in the face of adversity – was something to be proud of. This group continues to stick together and fight for each other, and that resilience will serve them well in the weeks ahead. Let's get back on the track, regroup, and keep building!

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BASIST, HARRY | BOROWSKI,
KOBI | KAVE, HAYDEN | RALEIGH,
MAX | RITTERMAN, TOBY |
WEINBERG, JENSEN

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

BENTLEIGH U14 MIXED
MARIANNE PRINCES PARK
(CAULFIELD SOUTH) 10:03 AUG
2025 08:00 AM

U15 - JETS

DIVISION 4

COACHES: SAM HARRISON, JORDAN LEVY



U15 - JETS

16

2.4

vs

St Kilda City JFC / Port
Melbourne U15 Boys
TREWIN

109

16.13

ROUND 11

AJAX U15 BOYS JETS LOST BY 93 POINTS

GOALS

BORENSTEIN, SAM 1 | SMITH,
JACOB 1

Round 11 posed our last chance to prove ourselves as a finals contender, with a tough challenge against St Kilda City. Once again missing key personnel, we struggled against a well-conditioned and coached opponent. After a fiery first quarter, we went to the first break with the lead and a feeling of optimism. Unfortunately, we were just unable to keep up the intensity with no interchange and ultimately ran out of legs and got punished on the scoreboard. Smudge (Jacob S) and Borenstein both played great games up forward and under different circumstances would have kicked a bag each. The best play of the day was an elite run down tackle by Flezza (Jacob F) in the forward 50, before sprinting forward and delivering a perfect squaring kick straight onto Borenstein's chest at the top of the goal square. Another tough day for the Jets, we are extremely keen to get back to full strength in the coming weeks.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BORENSTEIN, SAM | BURMAN,
TOBY | GESTETNER, NOSSON |
KRAUS, ARIEL | LIBEROW,
YISROEL | SMITH, JACOB

MENSCH of the WEEK

MOSZKOWICZ, ZAIDEN

NEXT ROUND

SAINTS U15 BOYS HORSLEY
PRINCES PARK (CAULFIELD
SOUTH) 12:03 AUG 2025 09:30
AM

U15 - COMETS

DIVISION 2

COACHES: BRAD ATHOLWOOD, DION APPEL



U15 - COMETS

72
11.6

vs

SMDJFC U15 Boys TYRER

38
5.8

ROUND 11

AJAX U15 BOYS COMETS WON BY 34 POINTS

GOALS

ERETZ, ZEV 2 | KELMANN,
GABRIEL 2 | NAHOOM, LIAM 2 |
ADELIST, TZVI 1 | ALTER, ZAC 1 |
BALBIN, SHMUEL 1 | JOEL, AMIEL
1 | VORCHHEIMER, KAI 1

Chapter 1 of 5. Challenge accepted and achieved! 🏆🏆 The Comets were prepared for, arrive ready for and gave South Melbourne what for, in a prime time win at Prinny Park in front of a home crowd. 🏆🏆 After last week's clash, coaches adjusted the approach and called a team meeting prior to training. Parents were welcomed to join as we presented the game plan and expectations for the 5 week run to finals. 🏆🏆 The way we finish is entirely up to the Comets. We must pressure, tackle and chase to create space and lead in when we have the ball. This will keep us in attack mode and the best position to win games. 🏆🏆 And that is exactly what ALL 21 players delivered against South Melbourne for 80 minutes of contested footy. The skipper was simply sublime playing off half back, even snapping one in the first. Rooster, ever reliable and rock solid up back, supported by the almighty Maxy to deliver a convincing first and second quarter to go into half time break ahead by almost 4 goals. 🏆🏆 The Comets came out fired up to widen the leading margin. Lenny was lethal, a dazzling sight. Gabe was glorious, soaring in flight. Sonny stronger than steel, refusing to stop, all contested with courage, focused to finish on top. Nico was nimble, a comet in flight. Liam leaped lightly, never giving up the fight. Zevva was clever, composed and clean. Rocky brought the ruach, an energy machine! 🏆🏆 We will all enjoy this wholesome W and reset for Chapter 2 against St Kilda City next week.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

ALTER, ZAC | ERETZ, ZEV |
NAHOOM, LIAM | ROSTKIER, ZAC
| SMORGON, SONNY | WROBEL,
NICHOLAS

MENSCH of the WEEK

KELMANN, GABRIEL

NEXT ROUND

ST KILDA CITY JFC / PORT
MELBOURNE U15 BOYS
BURDETT 🏆 JL MURPHY RESERVE
2 🏆 03 AUG 2025 🏆 01:30 PM

U15 GIRLS - COMETS

DIVISION 2

COACHES: LEETAL SALOMONOVITCH, Yael ALFORD



U15 GIRLS - COMETS

1
0.1

vs

**Bentleigh U15 Girls
KIDD/MCGAW**

117
17.15

ROUND 11

AJAX U15 GIRLS COMETS LOST BY 116 POINTS

GOALS

With seven players unavailable, the team was facing a forfeit. But in a brilliant show of club spirit, three U13 girls stepped up to help us field a side. Their bravery and willingness to play up an age group inspired everyone and truly showed what Ajax is all about. From the first bounce, it was clear it would be a tough contest. The opposition came in hard, but our girls responded with grit and determination. They threw themselves into every contest, worked hard across every line, and backed each other in every moment. Lewinsohn was a standout, bursting through packs and winning crucial possessions all game, whilst Kolliner was fearless at the footy, constantly driving forward and making an impact. After halftime, the challenge grew. The U13s left to play in their own game, leaving us with just 12 players. Despite this, the team kept running, tackling, and fighting for every possession. Lewis showed incredible endurance, while Gunn, Borenstein, Schachna, and Beggs brought intensity to every contest, tackling hard and applying relentless pressure. It would've been easy to give up, but this group did the opposite. They dug in, supported each other, and played with unbelievable spirit right to the final siren. Olian led by example with her voice and effort, earning her Mensch of the Week for her leadership and drive. Gold found space well, picked up the ball cleanly, and used it confidently. Smith, Seligmann, and Varker added strong support across the ground, chasing and pressuring right to the end. While the scoreboard wasn't in our favour, it didn't reflect the heart and determination shown. The girls walked off smiling, proud of their effort, and the changerooms were full of laughter, a true reflection of their bond and love for the game. Bring on next week!

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BEGGS, AVA | BORENSTEIN,
ABBY | KOLLINER, GABRIELLA |
LEWINSOHN, EVE | LEWIS, LILY |
SCHACHNA, AVA

MENSCH of the WEEK

OLIAN, MAHLI

NEXT ROUND

PORT COLTS U15 GIRLS RED
PRINCES PARK (CAULFIELD
SOUTH) 12:03 AUG 2025 03:30
PM

U16 - ROCKETS

DIVISION 4

COACHES: GABRIEL DUKES, ELIOTT GASPER



U16 - ROCKETS

48

7.6

vs

East Sandringham Rovers

U16 Boys WHITE

50

7.8

ROUND 11

AJAX U16 BOYS ROCKETS LOST BY 2 POINTS

GOALS

HYAMS, LUCAS 3 | FACTOR,
JOSHUA 1 | FRIEDMAN, ASHER 1
| GUTNICK, ELIYAHU 1 | KATZ,
ASHER 1 |

It was a milestone match for Eli Gutnick, celebrating his 50th magical game for the club. Fresh off a well-earned rest, the boys came out with fire in their bellies, fully committed to delivering a genuine four-quarter performance. From the outset, both teams displayed attacking intent. Our forwards found plenty of the footy early, but Sandringham made the most of their opportunities in front of goal, edging ahead with a narrow lead heading into the second quarter. The second term saw us competing hard around the ground, but a slight lapse in accountability led to increased defensive pressure and allowed Sandringham to capitalise with a few unanswered goals. At halftime, the message was clear: we needed to dig deeper and lift our effort. Strategic positional changes in the midfield sparked an outstanding third quarter, with the on-ball brigade lifting their intensity. Our forwards began to convert more accurately, and momentum swung our way as we entered the final term with a slender lead. The last quarter delivered an absolute thriller. Our boys held firm, showing resilience and toughness as we maintained the lead for much of the term. However, Sandringham managed to steady late and slotted the game-winning goal with just five minutes to go. Despite the narrow loss, it was a massive team effort that every player can be proud of. Captain Jarrad Miselowski and Eyal Berry were inspirational in their relentless attack on the ball and pressure on the opposition. Lucas Hyams was superb all game, fearlessly attacking every contest - both in the air and on the ground - and capped it off with three brilliant goals.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

AINSWORTH, MATI | BERRY, EYAL
| FACTOR, JOSHUA | FRIEDMAN,
ASHER | HYAMS, LUCAS |
MISELOWSKI, JARRAD

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

ASHWOOD U16 BOYS MAGPIES
ESSEX HEIGHTS RESERVE 1
AUG 2025 01:00 PM

U16 - STARS

DIVISION 3

COACHES: LACHIE HERSHAN, MAX HARRIS



U16 - STARS

22
3.4

vs

East Malvern U16 Boys
CARROLL

110
15.20

ROUND 11

AJAX U16 BOYS STARS LOST BY 88 POINTS

GOALS

Not submitted

GORDON, JOSHUA 1 | KATZ,
ETHAN 1 | LEIBLER, NADAV 1 |

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BEN-SALAMON, AVIEL | KATZ,
ETHAN | LEVY, JOSH | LINNOW,
ZAC | RITTERMAN, JORDAN |
WATERS, DEAN

MENSCH of the WEEK

LINNOW, ZAC

NEXT ROUND

CAULFIELD BEARS U16 BOYS
CHRYSTIE KOORNANG PARK 1
31 JUL 2025 07:00 PM

U18 - STARS

DIVISION 3

COACHES: ETHAN CARRICK



U18 - STARS

39
5.9

vs

SBMT U17.5 Boys
PETTERSON

56
8.8

ROUND 11

AJAX U17.5 BOYS STARS LOST BY 17 POINTS

GOALS

GELBART, TOBY 3 | HOLZER,
JOSHUA 2

The Under 17.5 Ajax Stars travelled to Mentone to take on top of the table St Bedes in round 11. After coming off a convincing win against Ormond, the boys attitude and mentality had seen a shift in a positive way. The boys looked to potentially pinch a game off the team that led our competition. Early in the first quarter, the boys got off to just the start they were looking for, kicking the first 2 goals of the match. However, St Bedes responded well and the boys went into quarter time behind by 1 goal. At this time, we decided to place a tagging role on one of St Bedes bests and for the second week in a row, Isaac Weinberg stood tall and did an amazing job running around and disrupting the play of the oppositions best player. In the second quarter, things really evened out, there's no doubt we were up to the challenge of the top of the table and went into half time down by 2 goals. At half time, we discussed how we were going to get back into this game, we had been competing really hard so far and the opposition were a little bit stunned. Captain Toby Gelbart fired up the boys as we went out to start the second half of play. In the third, both teams scored equal amounts of points as we kept the game extremely close. Going into the last, we had a few early opportunities but couldn't capitalise them with some scoreboard damage. A late goal by St Bedes sealed the margin at 15 points. But after last time playing them and losing by 70, to only lose by 15 shows the immense growth seen within the group.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

GELBART, TOBY | HOLZER,
JOSHUA | PALUCH, GABRIEL |
ROSTKIER, BENJAMIN |
WEINBERG, ISAAC | YOUNGER,
ARI

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

ST KILDA CITY JFC U17.5 BOYS
REDFERN ELWOOD PARK -
WATTIE WATSON OVAL 1:30
JUL 2025 6:30 PM

U18 - ROCKETS

DIVISION 2

COACHES: JAMIE MOOSEEK, BAILEY LEVIN



U18 - ROCKETS

30
4.6

vs

E Brighton Vampires U17.5
Boys RISELEY

78
10.18

ROUND 11

AJAX U17.5 BOYS ROCKETS LOST BY 48 POINTS

GOALS

BOROWSKI, JARRAH 2 |
LOWINGER, GILAD 1 | ZALCMAN,
ASHTON 1 |

It was a disappointing defeat for Ajax as we went down by 48 points in a crucial game that could have put us two games ahead in third. We now find ourselves defending our finals spot, however with a home final still well in reach. Shoutout to Samuel Azoulay who was priming for a best on ground performance but went down with a lower-leg injury in a gang tackle. Circumstances were very difficult for us with us starting the game with 0 on the bench and playing with one less for majority of the game. Whilst, East Brighton were playing with 6 on the bench. Most of our attention as coaches goes towards the performance the boys put in in the second quarter winning it 3 goals to 1 with 17 on the field. It gives us all great clarity that we can get it done when we all buy in and have some of the cavalry back. Our attention quickly turns to a must-win game on Thursday under the lights, we look forward to seeing how the boys are going to respond.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BOROWSKI, JARRAH | GORDON,
ZEV | LOWINGER, GILAD |
NAPHTALI, HARRY | PERLSTEIN,
YEHUDA | ROSE, OLIVER

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

MORDI-BRAE U17.5 BOYS
HANNAN & WALTER GALT
RESERVE 1 & 31 JUL 2025 & 07:30
PM

U18 - COMETS

DIVISION 1

COACHES: COREY ZIELINSKI, NOAH MICHMACHER, MATTHEW CIARDULLI



U18 - COMETS

104
15.14

vs

**Murrumbeena U17.5 Boys
LIONS**

35
5.5

ROUND 11

AJAX U17.5 BOYS COMETS WON BY 69 POINTS

GOALS

KRASNOSTEIN, HUGO MACK 6 |
KAGAN, GABRIEL 3 | GROSS, TAJ
1 | KATZ, HAYDEN 1 | LEWIS,
RAPHAEL 1 | PITT, JONAH 1 |
ROTHSCHILD, NICHOLAS 1 |
ZUKERMAN, DION 1

After our first loss of the season last week, the theme going into this game was simple – respond. We asked the boys to come out and show who we are and how we play. From the opening bounce, they did exactly that. We dominated the first quarter with strong contest work and slick ball movement. The scoreboard read 18–8 at the first break, though it could’ve looked even better had we capitalised on our chances in front of goal. The second quarter was arguably our best of the game. Our quick ball movement was a standout, with players lowering their eyes and hitting the 45s beautifully. Everyone had their head on a swivel, looking inboard and opening up the corridor with purpose. By halftime, we held a commanding 52–14 lead. As the rain began to fall in the second half, the contest shifted, but our backline held strong under pressure. The opposition lifted with repeat stoppages and physicality, but we matched them and controlled the game on our terms. Our pressure, tackling, and defensive work across the ground never wavered. It was a four-quarter effort that showed real character and maturity. The boys responded in the best way possible, running out 104–35 winners. A strong reminder of what this team is capable of when we bring our brand of footy.

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BURSZTYN, NICHOLAS |
JANOVER, TYLER |
KRASNOSTEIN, HUGO MACK |
LEWIS, RAPHAEL | SLADE,
JOSHUA | ZUKERMAN, DION

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

ORMOND U17.5 BOYS BURT
E.E. GUNN RESERVE 1 03 AUG
2025 03:30 PM

U18 GIRLS - COMETS

DIVISION 2

COACHES: PHIL GOLDBERG, GYPSY FOLWELL



U18 GIRLS - COMETS

58

8.10

vs

**Cheltenham U18 Girls
HAMIL**

30

4.6

ROUND 11

AJAX U18 GIRLS COMETS WON BY 28 POINTS

GOALS

With rain threatening to deliver wet weather football, the Jackas girls decided that today was the day they were going to control the things that they could control. The contested efforts, the instructive voice, the one percenters. It was a tight and tough start though, with Cheltenham showing lots of run and spirit. An early goal to us was quickly replied by the opposition. The tackle count was high from both sides and the game was a tough affair at every contest. It was an inspirational run and smother from 50-gamer Mischy that encapsulated the girls determination and kickstarted a powerful display of team first footy by the Jackas. Mica was enjoying the freedom of the forward line slotting a few goals of her own. Tahlia showed her class with her clean hands and long goal kicking, whilst Asha relished her time up forward snapping a great team goal as the Jackas ran away with the game in the last quarter. Ruby was dominant around the loose ball, Annabel clean and accurate in front of goals whilst Giselle was impenetrable at CHB. But it was the quick handballs, the toe pokes (Yas), the chase down tackles and the amazing team work that was the highlight of today's game. Team Effort has never been a more perfect description of the reason for today's success. Well done to all!

BEST

listed A-Z by lastname

BERMAN, GISELLE | GOLDBERG,
ASHA | HERMANN, TAHLIA |
ICKOWICZ, MICAELA |
JOTKOWITZ, RUBY | MALETSKY,
MISCHA

MENSCH of the WEEK

AWAY GAME

NEXT ROUND

BYE

THE JACKAS WRAP

MENSCH OF THE WEEK



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