

Towners Talk

Upcoming

Round 2 – 17th April:
Home Game VS Avenal

17th April:
iPod Shuffle/Scrubble
Party

Round 3 – 24th April:
Home Game VS
Girgarre

SAVE THE DATE

3rd July:
125 Year Reunion



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A Great Start to the Season

From the President

Memberships

Have you grabbed your Membership for the 2021 season yet?

Membership is a great way to support our club. With your membership are inclusions, such as entry to the Members draw and \$20 to spend at the club.

While purchasing your membership, you can also grab some merchandise and discounts on meals.

Merchandise

If you would like club merchandise, we will be putting another Puma order through. So if you want to get anything, place your order ASAP, either at the Bar or via the club website

(<http://violettownfnc.com/shop>).

Thursday Night Meals

Chubb and her team have been wowing us with the dinners over the last few weeks with some old classics and Nardia's desserts have been to die for.

Kids meals available from 6:15 and full meals starting 6:30ish

- \$15 including a drink or dessert
- \$12 on its own
- \$5 for dessert only
- \$7 half size/kids meals
- \$4 bowl of chips

*Vegetarian option available

Grab your tickets for the wheel from Moorey, \$2 each or 3 for \$5. With triple your reselt on offer the last few weeks, you don't want to miss your chance.

Members Draw

Members draw started again last week, with the winner Michael O'Keefe. Unfortunately Michale wasn't there to collect, so we Jackpot to \$150.

Remember, you have to be there to win it, so come along and grab a meal.



Football News/Recap

Seniors

In blustery conditions at Ardmona the the Towners recorded a 150 point win in the opening round of the KDFL. Violet Town led at every change and although not cohesively throughout the day. In our first match in 20 months we did enough to increase our lead in every quarter. In a very even team, it was what the we were hoping for.

Josh Mellington in the Towners guernsey for the first time since 2007, kicked 12 goals to stamp himself as a player to watch throughout the season. So was Ollie Ford, who pipped Mellington for best on ground honours, with a dominant display from the centre.

This week is a much bigger test at home against premiership favourite Avenel. A large home crowd will be a huge support and you should see a great contest as to see how we match up against the Swans.

Goals: J.Mellington 12, N.Brazil, T.Ross, J.Price 3 each, L.Baldwin 2, Nick Abley, O.Ford & M.Georgiadis 1 each

Reserves

An 84 point win was the perfect way to start 2021 for long serving clubman & coach Ed Kozole, his charges started strong leading by 18 points at quarter time holding Ardmona scoreless. With a tight defence and goal scores in Fox (5) and Unger (4) up forward the towners were never pushed and ran out comfortable winners.

Reigning Best & Fairest Riley Dowell was brilliant again first up and another performance like this must put him under the microscope of the senior selection panel. Dean and Fulton were exceptionally good as well as Nikolovski who won many possessions.

Goals: J.Fox 5, L.Unger 4, B.Fulton, E.Kozole, J.Domoter, L.Wright 1 each

Results

VT 26.19.175 def Ardmona 3.7.25

Best: Ollie Ford

Second Best: Nick Brazil



Results

VT 13.15.93 def Ardmona 1.3.9

Best: Riley Dowell

Second Best: Stuart Dean



Netball News/Recap

A grade

The VT girls started well with impressive shooting from Imy in the first quarter shooting 13 from 16 goals. All girls continued to work hard in the first quarter to get the ball down to the attacking end of the court.

Throughout the game the defence end continued to create multiple turnovers and put the pressure on the Ardmona girls to keep the ball in their attacking end of the court.

All girls continued to work well together throughout the game to continue to grow their lead.

B grade

Unfortunately, the VT B grade girls were missing several players this week.

Sam started strongly in the centre controlling the ball and centre well. Steph Howe, a welcomed back asset at WD, jumped on lose balls and helped bring it down the court to the attacking end. The shooting end of Jasmine and Simone started to find their groove. In the second quarter. Both shooters were feed the ball well by Meg and Sam. Abbie came on to add to the shooting end with Meg feeding the shooters well. Steph stepped her defensive pressure up extremely to allow the VT girls to get over the line a close match throughout.

C grade

With C grade missing some players this week, Tash Reid stepped up from under 15s and got the team off to a great start. Tash and Jasmine combined well in the shooting circle with Tegan and Kodi delivering the ball well to them.

The VT girls continued on with defensive trio of Stac, Eden and Ellie, continuing to put on a mountain of pressure and coming up with many intercepts and deflections. Brianna came up with the ball in defense, combining well with the mid court to take the ball down the attacking end.

Well done VT girls on a great start to the season.

Well done all teams and players on a great start to the season. We look forward to having our U15 and U13 girls join us in round 2 against Avenel.

Results

VT 62 def Ardmona 21

Best: Imy Law

Second Best: Jaz Edwards



Results

VT 29 def Ardmona 23

Best: Steph Howe

Second Best: Erin Dawson



Results

VT 53 def Ardmona 6

Best: Tash Reid

Second Best: Tegan North



Junior News/Recap

Football

It was great to have Junior Football Back at the club after a few years hiatus. It was great to see the kids giving it their best, even though they were a little short this week, due to school holidays.

Sportspower Award: Logan Horaba

Boys and Girls aged 8-12, if you want to come have a kick, all are welcome. The club looks forward to having these guys stick together for several years as the grade is pushed from Under 12's up to Under 14's in coming seasons.

Also Thanks to Seymour Junior Football Club for the loan of the jumpers with ours having not arrived in time.

NetSetGo

Every Thursday at 4.30-5.15pm during term 2. If popular may look at doing a program in term 3 too.

Visit the Facebook page for the link and search Violet Town FNC to sign up!



Functions

A poster for a function at VTFC. The background is dark with blue and purple light rays. At the top left, a black circle contains the text 'APRIL 17TH 7:30 PM ALL MONEY RAISED GOES BACK TO THE PLAYERS'. In the center is the VTFC logo, which is a shield with a 'V' and 'T' and '1895 VTFC VIOLET TOWN FOOTBALL NETBALL CLUB' below it. Below the logo is a large black circle containing the text: 'IPOD SHUFFLE / SCRIBBLE PARTY', '- \$20 PER SONG', '- \$50 PAID TO THE FIRST SONG PLAYED', '- \$250 PAID TO THE LAST SONG PLAYED', '\$5 DOLLAR DOOR ENTRY IF YOU HAVEN'T PURCHASED A SONG AND', '- NIBBLES PROVIDED', 'WEAR A WHITE SHIRT THAT CAN BE SCRIBBLED ON', 'LIMITED SONGS AVAILABLE'. At the bottom left is a silhouette of a person wearing a white t-shirt with 'Go Town' and the VTFC logo. At the bottom right, a black circle contains the text: 'PLEASE CONTACT KOLBY WILD, ABBIE ELLIS, RYAN JENNINGS OR NICK ABLE TO PURCHASE A SONG'.



Our Round 3 Jumpers Vs. Girgarre
These Jumpers will be available for the Players to purchase for \$75 if not they will be Auctioned off with Money raised the club will make a Donation to the RSL

