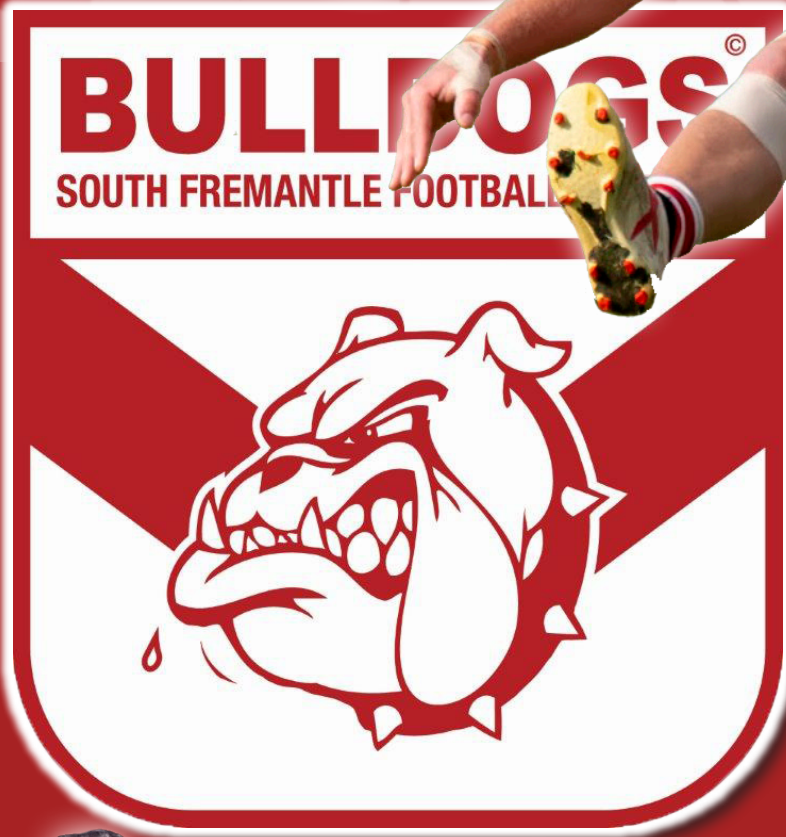


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OUR VISION

- Be 'The Premier Family Club'
- Win premierships, breed AFL footballers
- Be financially strong through our stable but entrepreneurial diverse revenue streams
- Have a strong presence and a positive influence in the SFFC zoned communities

OUR VALUES

PROFESSIONAL
In everything we do

SELFLESS
Organisation first, respect

UNITED
Inclusiveness, sharing,
empowerment

PROGRESSIVE
Innovative, dare, take risks

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PRESIDENT REPORT

Peter Christie

I write this report with great pride after my first year as President of this unbelievable club and want to thank the Board for initially nominating me to replace Haydn Raitt, and then of course the Members for endorsing this nomination.

The year in 2019 was in most ways a very good year, but also a stark reminder of how hard premierships are to win.

The 'experts' had us finishing in the bottom of the final five at best, so to playoff in a Grand Final was a terrific achievement. Congratulations to the players, Todd and the coaches and indeed all our football department staff.

However, Ian Chappell has a saying that I have adopted "if winning doesn't matter, why keep the score?" Our members, sponsors and supporters want to follow a club that wins games and premierships regularly, so rest assured our players, coaches and support staff will be resourced going forward to the very best of our ability, within the bounds of financial responsibility.

To all our sponsors on every single level, large or small, many thanks for your continued generosity and support which I look forward to continuing into 2020 and beyond.

To Eileen Bond as our No. 1 Ticketholder, and Peter Johnson whose generosity and support to this club is unrivalled, no 'thanks' to you both is adequate. I doubt any club in the WAFL is fortunate enough to have two supporters like you both whose passion and support is without peer.

In 2019, we lost a past great player in Tom Bottrell as our Chief Executive Officer to the WAFC. As disappointing as the loss was, it is a



promotion for Tom that we are proud of, and this change opened the door for the appointment of Cameron Britt to replace Tom as our CEO.

Cameron has significant sporting administration experience across multiple sports, in conjunction with heading community engagement for a period at the Essendon Football Club.

While a small profit for 2019 is the right side of the ledger, it is this bottom-line result that will be Cameron's predominant focus moving into 2020.

David Depane was the unfortunate casualty of our recent restructure and his efforts need to be acknowledged over the past five and-a-half years. The Board wishes David the very best in his future endeavours.

This restructure ultimately saw our games record-holder Marty Atkins appointed to the new position of General Manager Football and

Community after doing excellent work in the community space at Perth Football Club in recent years. With the Board's desire to make the South Fremantle Football Club and indeed Fremantle Community Bank Oval a 'community hub', Cameron and Marty's experience and previous success will be critical to achieving our desired outcomes in this ever increasing and relevant community space.

A special thank you to Russell Fletcher who stepped in to cover Tom's mid-season departure. Nothing was too difficult and Russell's commitment, energy and desire to assist the club through this period was simply outstanding. We are so fortunate to still have Russell supporting Cameron and Marty as they settle into their new positions.

A note of congratulations also to Sal Capolingua, Tony Mollica and Santo Pasqua on being awarded Life Membership of the WAFL – due recognition for three wonderful servants of the Bulldogs!

The year of 2020 will be busy, exciting, and present lots of opportunities for us to bring 'The Premier Family Club' together. We will celebrate our 120th Anniversary, the 70, 50 and 40-year anniversaries of 1950, 1970 and 1980 premierships as well as possibly a Hall of Fame night and a Red Cap day.

To my Board, I thank you for your continued hard work and ongoing support. 2020 is upon us already and I know we are all up for the challenge of improving both our football and financial results in 2020.

PETER CHRISTIE
President



BIG ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR 2020

Significant off-field signings

Far from being an organisation to rest on its laurels, the South Fremantle Football Club is excited by what the future holds and where it's possible for the club to go to, highlighted by some exciting off-field recruitment.

There was one forced change once club great Tom Bottrell was offered a job at the WA Football Commission midway through the 2019 season.

Russell Fletcher must be commended for standing in to fill that role following Tom's departure, but the South Fremantle Football Club is now excited to welcome Cameron Britt as its new Chief Executive Officer for 2020 and beyond.

Not only that, but a new position has been created and that means another Bulldogs legend, and indeed games record holder, Marty Atkins returns to the South Fremantle Football Club.

Marty returns to the Bulldogs to fill the position as General Manager Football and Community.

With Cameron and Marty now in their new roles leading the South Fremantle Football Club into the future, and thankfully with Russell moving back into his role as Corporate Partnerships Manager, the Bulldogs' off-field future is in strong hands.

Cameron arrives at the Bulldogs a well-respected sports administrator across the country as he returns to football after most recently leading the Wanneroo Basketball Association and the Joondalup Wolves into the powerhouse of WA basketball on and off the court.

Prior to his move west, Cameron worked as Community Manager and Head of Community at the Essendon Football Club where he managed community and fan engagement strategies.

Cameron was also the 2019 winner of the WA Business News 40under40 awards which identify the year's 40

outstanding young business men and women who are delivering significant outcomes in their chosen fields.

With a track record in achieving high-level objectives including leading high-performing teams, developing and implementing commercial strategy, facility planning negotiation and redevelopment, financial management, along with a strong history in stakeholder engagement and change management, the club is excited to now have him on board as CEO.

The Bulldogs are also excited with the return of Marty Atkins into the new role created for 2020 and beyond.

Marty was one of the most popular and respected players of his generation during his playing career which spanned a club record 266 matches and, of course, included the 1997 premiership triumph.

He went straight from playing into a football manager role during John Dimmer's era as coach with South Fremantle before he moved on to Peel Thunder in a similar position.

He then stepped up as Chief Executive Officer at the Perth Football Club where had been the past seven years.

Marty had significant success in turning Perth from a club almost on its knees to one in a strong position off the field and ready to establish some on-field success.

But the pull to return 'home' to South Fremantle has always been there



for Marty and both he and the club couldn't be happier to now allow that to happen coming into 2020.

Following on from a recent restructure of the administrative positions within the South Fremantle Football Club, the position of Football Operations Manager has been replaced with the new position of General Manager of Football and Community being established.

Marty will work closely with Cameron to form a partnership that will ensure the football club's long-term financial security and community driven viability.

On top of the arrival of Cameron and return of Marty in 2020, South Fremantle is delighted to re-sign senior coach Todd Curley for at least one more season after leading the Bulldogs into the Grand Final in 2019.

The senior players have also been quick to re-sign for 2020 as well including WJ Hughes Medallist Haiden Schloithe, captain Dylan Main, leading goalkicker Mason Shaw, Nick Suban and Jacob Dragovich.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORT

Russell Fletcher

What a wonderful season for the South Fremantle Football Club in 2019 both on and off the field.

In a year where most 'experts' predicted the club wouldn't even make the finals we managed to qualify for our first Grand Final since 2009 and our first game at Optus Stadium.

Given we lost nine senior players from our 2018 side and a total of 873 games of experience, it's hard to argue with the predictions, however every player on the list lifted and the results speak for themselves.

I am sure all the players, coaches and support staff all enjoyed the experience of being involved in the Grand Final at Optus Stadium and now given a taste, I am sure they are all keen to return next year and strive to go one better.

Congratulations to all our players this season.

In regard to our coaching and support staff, I would like to take this opportunity to make special mention of Todd Curley and his team. Given the changes in the playing group, the role you have played in the club reaching the 2019 Grand Final was outstanding. Congratulations Todd.

Highlights for the year included another outstanding year by Tim Kelly for Geelong and his performance in again finishing second in the Cats' Fairest and Best. Not to mention finishing top five in the Brownlow Medal. We are all so very proud of Tim's performance since arriving in the AFL just two years ago and now he comes home to the West Coast Eagles as one of the elite midfielders in the competition.



Whilst Tim made us so proud in season 2019 what can we say about Marlion Pickett.

Considered to be a long shot of being drafted after breaking his finger for a second time mid-season, he still managed to get drafted by Richmond, performed admirably for Richmond's VFL side during the season followed by an outstanding performance in their Grand Final culminating in him winning the Norm Goss Medal as the best player on the ground.

However, Marlion wasn't finished with that performance, he then managed to get selected to debut in the 2019 AFL Grand Final, played that well that he ran third in the Norm Smith Medal, became an AFL Premiership player and Life Member of the Richmond Football Club after just one game. Unbelievable!

With the performances of Tim, Marlion and Matty Parker over the past few

years, the South Fremantle Football Club is certainly on the radar of every AFL Club as they search for quality mature aged recruits.

Wasn't it great to see John Worsfold and Tim Kelly both return to the club and offer their time for our two business lunches during the season? Both events were a huge success and our very own President, Peter Christie did an excellent job with his well-researched interview process with all the boys.

There was also a real buzz around Fremantle Community Bank Oval when Geelong came to train for the week before their game at Optus against Fremantle and it was great to see so many Geelong faithful lining up for Tim's signature and a quick

selfie.

Off-field we saw an improved financial position compared to last year assisted by a substantial increase in our Corporate Sponsorship and a reduction in our permanent and casual staff costs.

Our Annual Raffle this year was the magnificent Harley Davidson Motorcycle which netted the club over \$34,000. We thank everyone involved with this raffle from our generous prize sponsors (Peter Johnson, Airmech Airconditioning, Burnback Welding and Framesport) to everyone who supported the raffle and purchased a ticket. Congratulations of course to our President, Peter Christie who managed to win first prize and no doubt he would have purchased quite a few tickets to support the club.

Unfortunately, we have had a few disappointing results throughout the



year that had a substantial effect on our financial position. Our game attendance for the year has been our worst since the Second World War and membership has also been down on last year.

In order to re-engage many lapsed members, we sent 2019 membership renewals to all lapsed members as far back as 2014.

We also advertised heavily in the local newspaper and on the LED screen but alas this had little effect on new memberships.

It has been well documented throughout the WAFL that the attendances across most clubs is in decline and hopefully the WAFC can assist in turning the declining numbers around in the near future.

MEMBERSHIP

Although we generated several initiatives in 2019 to increase our SFFC Membership, the numbers again declined in season 2019 for the sixth consecutive year.

Like all of you who are taking the time to read this Annual Report, I am

totally baffled as to why we don't have a larger uptake of membership when taking into consideration what the club has to offer, and the enjoyment derived from our game day experience.

Obviously, the AFL influences the WAFL offering but given the pricing differential and relaxed atmosphere, I still believe there is a market for WAFL football and the Bulldog experience down at the kennel with your family and friends.

I personally felt our fixturing this year left quite a bit to be desired and I am sure this will be scrutinised closely when we meet to discuss the 2020 fixturing and with WA Day and NAIDOC Games scheduled for next season we are certainly expecting larger attendance figures in season 2020.

We also have several marketing ideas in the pipeline for 2020 and I am sure with the addition of our new Chief Executive Officer, and General Manager of Football and Community there will be continued focus on new initiatives and ideas to increase membership next year.

CORPORATE PARTNERSHIPS

The wonderful support of our many Corporate Partners continued in 2019 and we quite literally could not survive without them. To our major partners: Deb Rule & Pan Santoso - Bendigo Bank; Paul McGovern - WA Hino; Dean Ercegovic - Primero; Greg Poland - Strzelecki Group; Brad Hatfield - Esplanade Hotel Fremantle; Mark Barnes - Total Eden; and John Hughes, we thank you for your unwavering support.

We also have a good network of Support Sponsors and we sincerely thank you all for partnering with 'The Premier Family Club'.

New partners coming on board in season 2019 were Advanced Traffic Management, Armando Sports, Big Rigz Burgers, Dinner Twist, Francisco Electrical, Gate Bar & Bistro, Gino's Café, Inspire Financial Planning, Lifespan Mortgage Services, Mark's Painting Service, Princi's Butchers Fremantle, Satellite Security, South Freo Medical, SV Glass and Warren's Menswear and this substantial increase in our Corporate Partners in 2019 has gone a long way to allowing the club to return a positive financial result in season 2019.

Thank you also to Empire Property, Shacks' Fremantle, Regional Drilling, and Showscreens for your support in sponsoring the players training apparel.

I would also like to thank our Players Sponsors who supported over 55 of our Men's and Women's players in season 2019 and we again look forward to your support in season 2020.

A big thank you to all of you who participated in our 2019 Corporate Classic event and congratulations to Empire Property, Benny's Bar and Café, Brown McAllister Surveyors and The Gate Bar and Bistro who took home the prizes this year.



SOUTH FREMANTLE FOOTBALL CLUB

Wherever possible, we ask members and sponsors to utilise the businesses within the South Fremantle family.

Corporate Partners are so important to the financial survival of our beloved football club and as I will soon be returning to my role as Corporate Partnerships Manager, I would ask you all to make contact with me if you can think of any of your friends, family or associates that may be interested in coming on board and becoming a Corporate Partner with the Mighty Bulldogs – no amount of support is too small.

I would now like to make special mention of Peter Johnson from Metwest Steel. Not only does Peter continue to offer financial support to our wonderful football club, he is also heavily involved in supporting the players and is regularly seen down in the rooms after our games congratulating or consoling our boys.

Peter was also gracious enough to donate our Harley Davidson Motorcycle this year which greatly assisted in achieving such a wonderful result for the club. Thanks Pete!

FEMALE FOOTBALL

In a milestone year for the SFFC Women's football program we saw both teams make the 2019 Grand Final - well done to all the girls in the SFFC Youth Girls and Reserves teams.

This is a huge turnaround from our 2018 results, and we applaud everyone involved in both teams.

A great effort from both our coaches in Adrian and Jason and their respective assistants and support staff.

Although we had the disappointment of not being awarded a WAFLW League team berth in season 2020, we still had some wonderful highlights with Mim Strom and Shakira Pickett being selected for the WA State AFLW Under 18s Team.

Congratulations to Lauren Vecchio in winning the WAFLW Reserves Fairest & Best Award for 2019 and then capping off the year with winning the SFFC Reserves Fairest and Best Award.

Congratulations also to Cali Hunt in winning the SFFC Youth Girls Fairest and Best Award in 2019.

On a personal note I just love the

energy and enthusiasm the girls bring into the club and this was evident at the WJ Hughes awards night this year and their love for the game and SFFC.

STAFF AND OPERATIONS

Quite a few changes this year within the day to day administrative operations of the club and none bigger than with our Chief Executive Officer – Tom Bottrell - pulling up stumps and taking a position at the WAFC.

Tom is a Life Member of the club and the Bottrell name is such a wonderful part of the club's history. No doubt we will still see Tom around the club at home games and our functions etc.

Whilst losing Tom was a huge shock to the club, it has allowed me to take over as CEO from July to November, increased my overall knowledge of the club's operations and it has been a role that I have enjoyed immensely.

In early November we welcomed our new CEO, Cameron Britt into the club. I am really looking forward to working closely with Cam, once he finds his feet, so that we can ensure SFFC continues to be one of the most successful clubs both on and off the field in the WAFL competition.



We also saw the creation of a new position within the football club in 2019 – General Manager of Football and Community. Unfortunately, this new role saw our long-term Football Operations Manager, David Depane made redundant.

Dave was a well-respected member of our football club and he will be sadly missed by all those who dealt with him on a day to day basis.

With the creation of the new General Manager of Football and Community role, we saw a favourite son return to the club in Marty Atkins. He has come home to SFFC from Perth Football Club where he 'captained' the operations of the club as Chief Executive Officer for over seven years.

As with the addition of Cam, I am looking forward to working closely with Marty in his new role and I am sure he will bring a wealth of football knowledge and experience to the club.

The above changes forced the remaining staff members to pick up the slack left by Tom and Dave's departure and I would like to thank Jess, Beth and Brooke for their outstanding efforts in ensuring the club continued to operate with a minimum of fuss over this period.

As a team we managed to oversee 20 corporate functions throughout the year including a Grand Final function at Optus Stadium in just over 48 hours – congratulations girls!

Whilst employed by the WAFC, our Talent Manager – Jason Pedulla – is still a major part of our team and I would like to thank Jason for the work he does with our Talent program and in the district.

Jason's input following the departure of David Depane has been priceless and I personally thank him for his contribution in Dave's absence.

Thank you to Steve McCarthy for his ongoing support – Steve is the longest serving employee at the club and nothing is too much trouble for him. Assisted by Lorne McGuinness, they



make a formidable team as they ensure our facilities are always in good order.

Finally, I would like to thank all our volunteers and support staff for your efforts in 2019. Without your support we would not have a team in the WAFL competition, and I hope we can count on your support again in season 2020.

PAST PLAYERS AND OFFICIALS

To President, Ray Van Burgel (Dutchie), thanks to you and the committee of the PP&O for all you do for our great club. I look forward to being involved in your planning for 2020 and to work closely with you next year to ensure we take advantage of every opportunity to grow the PP&O and support the SFFC where possible.

FUNCTIONS AND EVENTS

As I have previously mentioned, the club arranged 20 functions over season 2019, with some of the highlights being - lunch with John Worsfold, another lunch with Tim Kelly and Chris Scott, a magical Gala Event with Neil Diamond in July, a Grand Final function in the Cygnet Room at Optus Stadium and of course the prestigious WJ Hughes Fairest and Best count which catered for almost 360 guests.

So much work goes into these functions at the office level and I ask that wherever possible you support

these functions to not only enjoy the experience but to become an engaged member of our wonderful club which offers so much camaraderie and friendship.

Thank you so much to Ivan and Nelson and the team at Benny's Bar and Café for their wonderful hospitality over the season. Their produce is always delicious, and nothing is too much to ask of the boys or any of their staff.

Keep up the great work guys and I look forward to working with you again in season 2020.

THE BOARD

The South Fremantle Football Club obviously needs a strong Board to oversee the operations of the club and it is imperative that we continue to maintain a high level of competent Board members for the club's benefit into the future.

I thank all of our Board members for their support, and I would like to make special mention of Liz Houston and our President Peter Christie who have offered great support to myself in a year of many changes.

SEASON 2020

Season 2020 is shaping as a massive year with a new CEO on Board, a new General Manager of Football and Community, a celebration of 120 years of the South Fremantle Football Club and reunion celebrations for our 1950, 1970 and 1980 teams. I look forward to seeing you all around the Premier Family Club throughout the year as we strive towards another successful year and hopefully our first premiership since 2009.

Have a great Christmas and New Year and thank you so much for your ongoing support of the Mighty Bulldogs.

Go South!

RUSSELL FLETCHER

Acting Chief Executive Officer

SOUTH FREMANTLE FOOTBALL CLUB

LEAGUE RESULTS

RD	DATE	W/L	OPPONENT	VENUE	SCORE (SF FIRST)	CROWD
1	Saturday April 6	W4	Swan Districts	Steel Blue Oval	8.5 (53) - 7.7 (49)	2191
2	Saturday April 13	L3	Perth	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	10.13 (73) - 11.10 (76)	1490
3	Sunday April 21	W16	West Perth	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	11.12 (78) - 10.2 (62)	1511
4	Saturday April 27	W91	East Fremantle	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	19.12 (126) - 5.5 (35)	1077
5	Saturday May 4	W59	West Coast	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	20.11 (131) - 9.8 (72)	941
6	Saturday May 18	W22	Subiaco	Leederville Oval	12.11 (83) - 9.7 (61)	1370
7	Saturday May 25	W1	East Perth	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	15.13 (103) - 16.6 (102)	1281
8	Monday June 3	W32	East Fremantle	New Choice Homes Park	16.7 (103) - 10.11 (71)	5050
10	Saturday June 15	W3	Peel Thunder	David Grays Arena	10.14 (74) - 11.5 (71)	-
11	Saturday June 22	L33	Subiaco	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	8.6 (54) - 13.9 (87)	998
12	Saturday June 29	L21	West Coast	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	8.9 (57) - 11.12 (78)	666
13	Saturday July 6	L16	Claremont	Revo Fitness Stadium	9.8 (62) - 12.6 (78)	1195
14	Saturday July 13	L6	Perth	Mineral Resources Park	13.11 (89) - 15.5 (95)	1434
16	Saturday July 27	W85	Swan Districts	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	15.17 (107) - 2.10 (22)	990
17	Saturday August 3	W33	East Perth	Leederville Oval	15.16 (106) - 11.7 (73)	1216
18	Saturday August 10	W40	Peel Thunder	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	11.16 (82) - 6.6 (42)	1265
19	Saturday August 17	W33	Claremont	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	14.7 (91) - 8.10 (58)	1084
20	Saturday August 24	W4	West Perth	Joondalup Arena	12.12 (84) - 12.8 (80)	2924
QF	Saturday August 31	W7	Claremont	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	11.5 (71) - 9.10 (64)	2226
SF	Sunday September 8	L34	Subiaco	Leederville Oval	10.3 (63) - 14.13 (97)	2873
PF	Sunday September 15	W30	Claremont	Fremantle Community Bank Oval	9.9 (63) - 4.9 (33)	3494
GF	Sunday September 22	L96	Subiaco	Optus Stadium	3.6 (24) - 18.12 (120)	18,941

Team	P	W	L	D	FOR	AGST	%	PTS
Subiaco	18	17	1	0	1700	911	186.6	68
South Fremantle	18	13	5	0	1556	1212	128.4	52
Claremont	18	12	6	0	1368	1042	131.3	48
West Coast	18	9	9	0	1214	1216	99.8	36
West Perth	18	9	9	0	1389	1425	97.5	36
Perth	18	9	9	0	1226	1335	91.8	36
Peel Thunder	18	7	11	0	1285	1318	97.5	28
East Fremantle	18	5	13	0	1109	1493	74.3	20
East Perth	18	5	13	0	1004	1446	69.4	20
Swan Districts	18	4	14	0	1005	1458	68.9	16



LEAGUE PLAYERS

NAME	GAMES		GOALS	
	2019	TOTAL	2019	TOTAL
Chris Ah Siu	4	5	0	0
Shaun Bewick	17	124	14	44
Tom Blechynden	4	4	1	1
Glenn Byron	5	11	0	0
Daniel Cabassi	7	14	2	8
Josh Collard	7	10	6	8
Caleb Datson	9	9	6	6
Zac De San Miguel	8	9	1	2
Blair Della Franca	2	4	0	0
Zac Dent	20	22	0	0
Brandon Donaldson	21	52	16	51
Jacob Dragovich	20	82	12	37
Jake Florenca	21	37	7	22
Kyle Hamersley	2	2	1	1
Andrew Haydon	21	21	9	9
Brock Higgins	20	111	2	16
Dylan Main	21	77	25	57
Jason Maskos	22	102	0	1



NAME	GAMES		GOALS	
	2019	TOTAL	2019	TOTAL
Adam McIntosh	6	116	0	11
Dion Munkara	4	4	7	7
Chad Pearson	22	49	3	6
Marlion Pickett	2	98	0	37
Trent Reed	1	1	0	0
Kyle Russell	18	36	7	8
Haiden Schloithe	21	149	23	170
Mason Shaw	22	89	55	197
Regan Spooner	4	5	0	0
Kade Stewart	22	24	24	24
Noah Strom	22	43	0	1
Zac Strom	21	106	20	51
Nick Suban	21	42	1	6
Zane Sumich	1	1	0	0
Seaton Thompson	8	9	0	0
Brendan Verrier	9	77	6	25
Steve Verrier	21	108	10	36
Matthew Ward	7	7	1	1
Blayne Wilson	21	100	0	0

RESERVES/COLTS RESULTS

Rd	Opponent	RESERVES		COLTS	
		Result	SF Score-Opp Score	Result	SF Score - Opp Score
1	Swan Districts	W34	10.12 (72) - 5.8 (38)	L4	8.11 (59) - 9.9 (63)
2	Perth	W45	14.9 (93) - 7.6 (48)	L21	6.9 (45) - 9.12 (66)
3	West Perth	W34	9.10 (64) - 9.7 (61)	L6	8.7 (55) - 9.7 (61)
4	East Fremantle	L70	3.10 (28) - 15.8 (98)	W25	10.5 (65) - 5.10 (40)
6	Subiaco	L35	8.8 (56) - 14.7 (91)	L12	5.7 (37) - 7.7 (49)
7	East Perth	L11	8.13 (61) - 11.6 (72)	L18	8.9 (57) - 11.9 (75)
8	East Fremantle	L2	10.11 (71) - 11.7 (73)	W17	7.8 (50) - 3.15 (33)
10	Peel Thunder	L65	7.13 (55) - 19.6 (120)	L48	7.8 (50) - 15.8 (98)
11	Subiaco	W10	9.7 (61) - 6.15 (51)	L72	4.5 (29) - 15.11 (101)
13	Claremont	L15	7.7 (49) - 9.10 (64)	L54	5.4 (34) - 13.10 (88)
14	Perth	L58	5.6 (36) - 14.10 (94)	L16	6.10 (46) - 8.14 (62)
16	Swan Districts	D	10.4 (64) - 9.10 (64)	L31	5.11 (41) - 11.6 (72)
17	East Perth	L63	4.8 (32) - 14.11 (95)	L35	6.1 (37) - 10.12 (72)
18	Peel Thunder	W3	8.9 (57) - 8.6 (54)	L71	3.5 (23) - 14.10 (94)
19	Claremont	L50	6.3 (39) - 12.17 (89)	L78	6.6 (42) - 18.12 (120)
20	West Perth	L36	7.3 (45) - 12.9 (81)	L17	9.8 (62) - 12.7 (79)



RESERVES

Team	P	W	L	D	%	PTS
Claremont	16	15	1	0	171.4	60
West Perth	16	10	6	0	117.5	40
Subiaco	16	10	6	0	116.1	40
East Frem	16	9	7	0	110.7	36
East Perth	16	8	8	0	88.7	32
Perth	16	7	9	0	104.3	28
Swan Dist	16	5	10	1	78.6	22
South Frem 16	5	10	1	74.0	22	
Peel Thunder	16	2	14	0	70.2	8

COLTS

Team	P	W	L	D	%	PTS
Peel Thunder	16	14	2	0	164.0	56
Claremont	16	11	5	0	141.9	44
West Perth	16	9	7	0	112.3	36
East Perth	16	9	7	0	102.6	36
Swan Dist	16	8	8	0	108.6	32
Subiaco	16	8	8	0	89.2	32
East Frem	16	6	10	0	89.4	24
Perth	16	5	11	0	68.2	20
South Frem 16	2	14	0	62.4	8	



MINOR GRADE PLAYERS RESERVES

NAME	GAMES	GOALS	NAME	GAMES	GOALS	NAME	GAMES	GOALS
Travis Abbott	16	21	James Dowling	2	1	Toby McQuilkin	2	0
Chris Ah Siu	12	0	Tom Eastaugh	2	1	Luke Moore	1	1
Enrique Aiken-Featherstone	4	1	Lachlan Feeney	9	2	Tyson Pickett	4	6
Guy Barnes	10	7	Sam Fitzgerald	3	0	Brett Pitt	2	0
Tom Blechynden	12	2	Jake Florenca	1	0	Brodie Plunkett	2	0
Riley Burke	8	0	Jonathon Frampton	15	8	Jack Redman	10	5
Glenn Byron	9	0	Josh Grant	5	0	Trent Reed	13	5
Daniel Cabassi	8	5	Jacob Green	1	0	Kyle Russell	4	0
Josh Collard	5	4	Matthew Green	9	2	Zane Sumich	14	1
Michael Coombes	12	2	Kyle Hamersley	14	3	Seaton Thompson	8	1
Andre Coutinho	16	9	Blaine Johnson	1	0	Tom Vandeleur	3	1
Caleb Datson	2	1	Brodee Knight	13	3	Brendan Verrier	1	0
Zac De San Miguel	9	3	Jaxon Litherland	8	5	Steve Verrier	1	1
Blair Della Franca	14	2	Joshua Loo	4	0	Matthew Ward	13	2
Jye Depane	15	2	Deng Maguang	9	0	Jacob Warne	10	10
Cody Ditchburn	9	2	Brayden Mann	6	0	Thomas Weston	6	3
Kyle Donaldson	9	2	Adam McIntosh	2	1			

COLTS

NAME	GAMES	GOALS	NAME	GAMES	GOALS	NAME	GAMES	GOALS
Darryl Anderson	5	6	Jaxsen Goodall	1	0	Liam Park	1	0
Zaine Atwell	1	0	Aiden Hall	5	5	Ben Pears	3	2
Jaxon Bellchambers	15	5	Tyson Headland	10	2	Jermaine Pickett	2	2
Lochlan Bloomer	3	0	Neil Irani	6	0	Brett Pitt	10	0
Dontay Bolton	3	1	Solomon James	11	1	Brodie Plunkett	12	3
Malachi Bolton	3	2	Ira Jetta	9	5	Jacob Plunkett	6	1
Eric Botha	10	4	Lachlan Johnson	9	5	Braiden Quartermaine	3	0
Liam Bradford	14	5	Baxter Jones	8	2	Jarrold Salmeri	16	0
Jonas Brown	15	0	Manfred Kelly	14	2	Jacob Sax	16	2
Ben Cabassi	6	5	Blake Lawton	5	0	Corey Sellars	2	0
Riley Clayton	7	0	Toby McQuilkin	7	5	Nathan Spooner	14	7
Riley Colborne	3	0	Nash Miller	11	4	Corey Stanley	3	0
Adam Correia	9	1	Jesse Motlop	1	0	Malachi Walley	6	6
Aaron Drage	2	1	Jack Musika	13	3	Regan Ward	15	0
Jake Finerty	2	0	Caillem Narkle	3	2	George Wessels	16	1
Jayden Foote	5	0	Shannon Neale	11	7	Robert Woods	14	5

LEAGUE SCOREBOARDS



ROUND 1

Steel Blue Oval

1.2 3.3 6.3 8.5 (53)
1.4 2.5 6.6 7.7 (49)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Donaldson 2; Dragovich, Stewart, Bewick, Shaw, De San Miguel, Collard.

Best: Stewart, Higgins, Maskos, Pearson, Donaldson, Schloithe, Dragovich.

SWAN DISTRICTS – Goals: Payne, Maguire 2; Gault, Turner, W Wilson.

Best: Payne, W Wilson, Glass-McCasker, Turner, Cipro, Howard, Notte.



ROUND 2

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

4.3 5.4 5.7 10.13 (73)
2.2 4.4 9.6 11.10 (76)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Schloithe, Shaw 3; Bewick, Z Strom 2.

Best: Dragovich, Higgins, Wilson, Schloithe, Stewart, Maskos, Z Strom.

PERTH – Goals: Byrne, Bennell 3; Rogers 2; Taylor, Langdon, Garstone.

Best: Colledge, Yeo, Sinclair, Leggett, Byrne, Rogers.



ROUND 3

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

4.0 8.3 11.5 11.12 (78)
4.0 4.2 7.2 10.2 (62)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Munkara 3; Schloithe, Stewart, Main 2; Bewick, Shaw.

Best: Schloithe, Florenca, Higgins, Dragovich, B Verrier, Pearson, Main.

WEST PERTH – Goals: Keitel 4; Chalmers, Knott 2; Manzone, Shannon.

Best: Black, Peirce, Nelson, Munns, Wilhelm, Shannon.



ROUND 4

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

4.4 10.6 14.9 19.12 (126)
0.2 2.3 4.4 5.5 (35)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Shaw 4; S Verrier 3; Schloithe, Bewick, Munkara 2; Dragovich, Stewart, Pearson, Strom, Donaldson, Main.

Best: Dragovich, S Verrier, B Verrier, Higgins, Schloithe, Bewick, Pearson, Wilson.

EAST FREMANTLE – Goals:

Boekhorst, Stokes, Fletcher, Jansen, Monaghan.

Best: Jansen, Murdock, Davies, Bennett, Boekhorst.



ROUND 5

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

4.4 8.7 14.8 20.11 (131)
1.3 5.9 7.11 9.18 (72)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Shaw 6; Donaldson 3; Bewick, Z Strom, Munkara 2, Schloithe, Florenca, Stewart, Verrier, Main.

Best: Dragovich, Shaw, Schloithe, Higgins, Pearson, Suban, Wilson, Bewick.

WEST COAST EAGLES – Goals: Williams, McInnes, Allen, Smith 2; Nelson.

Best: Ah Chee, Nelson, Allen, Ainsworth, Brooksby, Reid, Rotham.



ROUND 6

Leederville Oval

4.3 7.4 10.9 12.11 (83)
2.2 4.4 8.5 9.7 (61)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Russell 3; Donaldson, Shaw 2; Schloithe, Stewart, S Verrier, B Verrier, Main.

Best: Florenca, Higgins, Maskos, Suban, N Strom, Russell, Dragovich, Donaldson.

SUBIACO – Goals: Horsley 2; Waters, Moore, Litherland, Clark, Borchet, Walters, Lawrence.

Best: Horsley, Kitchin, Clark, Delahunty, Lockyer, Miller.



ROUND 7

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

3.2 8.7 13.9 15.13 (103)
6.2 9.2 12.4 16.6 (102)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Shaw 5; Stewart, Z Strom, Haydon 2; Dragovich, Florenca, B Verrier, Main.

Best: Schloithe, Bewick, Higgins, Shaw, Dragovich, Florenca, Z Strom, Suban.

EAST PERTH – Goals: Wellingham,



Magro 3; Samelko, Houghton 2; Hille, Dobson, Ajang, Scott, Young, Arbon.

Best: Kerr, Cahill, McKenzie, Wellingham, Houghton, McGinnity, Ramsay.



ROUND 8

New Choice Homes Park

2.2 6.3 11.4 16.7 (103)

4.4 7.7 10.9 10.11 (71)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Main 4; Shaw 3; Z Strom 2; Dragovich, Florenca, S Verrier, B Verrier, Donaldson, Haydon, Blechynden.

Best: B Verrier, Main, Wilson, Dragovich, Stewart, S Verrier, Dent, Suban.

EAST FREMANTLE – Goals: Monaghan 3; Loersch 2; Ryan, Boekhorst, Eardley, Jansen, Murdock.

Best: Boekhorst, Kommer, Eardley, Jansen, Manning, Monaghan, Jupp.



ROUND 10

David Grays Arena

2.5 5.8 8.10 10.14 (74)

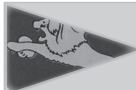
1.0 4.0 9.2 11.5 (71)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Shaw 4; Z Strom 3; Suban, Hamersley, B Verrier.

Best: Suban, Dent, Z Strom, B Verrier, Shaw, Dragovich, Florenca, S Verrier.

PEEL THUNDER – Goals: McCarthy 3; H Bennell, Banfield 2; Morris, Dixon, Bell, Colyer.

Best: Nyhuis, Banfield, Schultz, Watson, Matthews, Colyer.



ROUND 11

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

1.2 2.3 5.4 8.6 (54)

3.3 6.5 12.8 13.9 (87)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Main 2; Schloithe, Stewart, Z Strom, B Verrier, Donaldson, Shaw.

Best: Z Strom, Dragovich, Wilson, B Verrier, Dent, Schloithe, Main.

SUBIACO – Goals: Borchet 3; Beverley 2; Kitchin, Kennedy, Waters, Moore, Delahunty, Wheeler, Walters, Edwards-Baldwin.

Best: Delahunty, Horsley, Walters, Braut, Lockyer, Wheeler, Litherland, Kitchin.



ROUND 12

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

1.1 3.5 5.8 8.9 (57)

3.3 6.8 9.11 11.12 (78)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Schloithe, Shaw 3; Z Strom, Main.

Best: Higgins, Schloithe, S Verrier, Dragovich, Pearson, Main, Z Strom, Wilson.

WEST COAST EAGLES – Goals: Waterman 4; Smith, Reid 2; Vardy, Brayshaw, Williams.

Best: Smith, Mutimer, Rotham, Waterman, Ah Chee, Reid, Cole.



ROUND 13

Revo Fitness Stadium

4.1 7.2 7.5 9.8 (62)

3.1 4.2 8.4 12.6 (78)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Schloithe 2; Dragovich, Russell, Datson, S Verrier, Donaldson, Main, Shaw.

Best: S Verrier, Schloithe, Higgins, Dragovich, N Strom, Stewart, Z Strom.

CLAREMONT – Goals: Lee, Bolton, Palfrey, Hamp 2; Richardson, Lim, Bradshaw, Treacy.

Best: Mitchell, Lim, Martinis, Bolton, Hamp, Busher, Mountford.



ROUND 14

Mineral Resources Park

2.4 5.5 10.10 13.11 (89)

3.2 7.3 10.3 15.5 (95)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Shaw 3; Stewart 2; Schloithe, Dragovich, Verrier, Z Strom, Donaldson, Main, Cabassi, Datson.

Best: Schloithe, Main, Dragovich, Dent, Stewart, Datson, Pearson, Higgins.

PERTH – Goals: Roe 5; Ninnette, Rogers, M Jones 2; Yeo, Leggett, Narrier, Bennell.

Best: Yeo, C Jones, Roe, Taylor, Leggett, Rogers, Colledge.



ROUND 16

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

3.5 11.7 12.14 15.17 (107)

1.0 1.3 1.10 2.10 (22)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Z Strom, Higgins, Shaw 2; Schloithe, Florenca, Stewart, Bewick, Verrier, Pearson, Donaldson, Main, Datson.

Best: Main, Suban, Schloithe, Pearson, Higgins, Dragovich, Florenca, Verrier.

SWAN DISTRICTS – Goals: Bright, Clarke.

Best: Notte, Hampson, Turner, Howard, Howlett, Clarke.



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ROUND 17

Leederville Oval

3.6 5.7 13.13 15.16 (106)

2.0 7.4 7.4 11.7 (73)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Stewart, Haydon 3; Russell, Datson 2; Dragovich, Florenca, Z Strom, Main, Cabassi.

Best: Schloithe, Pearson, Dragovich, Russell, Dent, Higgins, Wilson, Verrier.

EAST PERTH – Goals: Dobson 3; McKenzie 2; Wright, Wellingham, Samelko, Houghton, Simpson, McGuire.

Best: Ramsay, Cahill, Samelko, Dobson, Blee, Willcocks, Wright.



ROUND 18

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

4.2 8.6 11.12 11.16 (82)

0.1 1.1 5.2 6.6 (42)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Shaw 3; Main 2; Florenca, Bewick, Z Strom, Donaldson, Haydon, Datson.

Best: Schloithe, Verrier, Pearson, Dent, Florenca, N Strom, Russell.

PEEL THUNDER – Goals: Ugle 3; Cullen 2; Howlett.

Best: Howlett, Merrett, Lawler, T Bennell, Power, Bewley.



ROUND 19

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

2.2 6.3 12.4 14.7 (91)

0.4 4.7 4.9 8.10 (58)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Schloithe 3; Stewart, Verrier, Main 2; Florenca, Bewick, Shaw, Haydon, Collard.

Best: Schloithe, Main, Florenca, N Strom, Pearson, Ward, Stewart.

CLAREMONT – Goals: Treacy, Lee, Lim, Bradshaw, Beeck, Bolton, Palfrey.

Best: Mitchell, Hardisty, Rogers, Bolton, Busher, Waterman.



ROUND 20

Joondalup Arena

2.6 4.9 9.12 12.12 (84)

3.3 5.5 8.8 12.8 (80)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Shaw 6; Collard 2; Dragovich, Stewart, Main, Haydon.

Best: Dragovich, Shaw, Higgins, Florenca, Main, Verrier, N Strom.

WEST PERTH – Goals: Strijk 4; Chalmers 3; Riddoch 2; Antonio, Lourey, Keitel.

Best: Black, Strijk, Nelson, Keitel, Peirce, Chalmers.



QUALIFYING FINAL

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

5.0 7.1 10.3 11.5 (71)

1.3 2.4 5.8 9.10 (64)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Stewart, Shaw, Collard 2; Schloithe, Bewick, Donaldson, Main, Ward.

Best: Schloithe, Pearson, Main, Ward, Wilson, Verrier, Florenca.

CLAREMONT – Goals: Richardson, Bradshaw 2; Mountford, Ledger, Busher, Palfrey, Hamp.

Best: Mitchell, Bolton, Rogers, Martinis, Ledger, Mountford.



SECOND SEMI-FINAL

Leederville Oval

2.1 4.1 4.3 10.3 (63)

2.1 4.5 10.9 14.13 (97)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Shaw 3; Stewart 2; Dragovich, Bewick, Pearson, Donaldson, Main.

Best: Schloithe, Higgins, Main, Shaw, N Strom, Pearson, Stewart.

SUBIACO – Goals: Waters 4; Sokol, Edwards-Baldwin 3; Moore, Marsh, Newton, Walters.

Best: Newton, Walters, Joyce, Rohde, Kitchin, Horsley, Delahunty, Clark.



PRELIMINARY FINAL

Fremantle Community Bank Oval

3.2 3.3 6.7 9.9 (63)

0.5 3.8 3.8 4.9 (33)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Dragovich 3; Main, Russell, Schloithe, Shaw, Stewart, Strom.

Best: Wilson, Dragovich, Florenca, Schloithe, Higgins, Pearson, Suban, N Strom.

CLAREMONT – Goals: Hamp, Law, Mountford, Waterman.

Best: Rogers, Bolton, Lim, Lewsey, J Hardisty, Waterman.



GRAND FINAL

Optus Stadium

1.1 1.2 2.5 3.6 (24)

4.3 9.7 13.7 18.12 (120)

SOUTH FREMANTLE – Goals: Schloithe, Stewart, Bewick.

Best: Main, Verrier, Florenca, Pearson, Higgins, Suban.

SUBIACO – Goals: Sokol 6; Marsh 3; Delahunty 2; Kitchin, Joyce, Moore, Newton, Wheeler, Horsley, Edwards-Baldwin.

Best: Sokol, Horsley, Delahunty, Braut, Newton, Lockyer, Marsh.



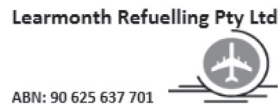
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LEAGUE COACH REPORT

Todd Curley

Football can be a cruel game. In a year where our playing group showed so much fight and grit, on the most important day of the year we came up well short against a very good, fresh and hungry opponent.

Unfortunately, it appeared that after playing nine successive games, that included the final six weeks that saw us play West Perth, Claremont three times and of course Subiaco twice, we simply just didn't have anything left in the tank. It was such a disheartening result for everyone involved, the elation and opportunity felt leading into the Grand Final was quickly replaced when we put up our worst performance of the 2019 season.

After a couple of weeks to reflect and having the opportunity to look back over the entire 2019 season, we should be proud of our year as we have again made great steps forward.

A group of players who had played only a handful of games before 2019 were able to become regular contributors in the senior team with the opportunities presented by the retirements at the end of 2018.

These players in combination with very strong performances throughout 2019 from our core group of senior players saw us jump out to win eight of our first nine matches, before injury and form saw us lose four straight games through the back of June and early July. Our players, as they always do, showed great resilience to work hard to turn the year around and they were rewarded by winning the last five games to head into the finals second on the ladder.

We had a very solid win against Claremont in the qualifying final, took on and held our own against Subiaco in the second semi-final in a very high standard game before letting ourselves down for a 15-minute period which cost us dearly. Our finals campaign was highlighted by a dominant preliminary final

SEASON SNAPSHOT
SECOND POSITION
13 WINS, 5 LOSSES
LOST GRAND FINAL

performance that saw us defeat Claremont and secure our first Grand Final appearance since 2009.

A big thank you to all our players for their hard work, dedication and the sacrifices made throughout the season to be at their best. Our playing group continues to stick together and support each other during the ups and downs encountered throughout the season and should be very proud of their efforts.

Dylan Main and Mason Shaw again did a fantastic job leading our group in 2019, with the retirement of some fantastic contributors to our football club at the end of 2018 they continued to grow as leaders and men. This year they were very well supported by Blayne Wilson, Nick Suban, Haiden Schloithe and Kade Stewart.

A couple of true Bulldogs, Adam McIntosh and Shaun Bewick have decided to retire from WAFL football having made a significant impact on the club both on and off the field.

Fantastic people, footballers and friends who will be missed and we wish them every success in their future endeavors.



The quality of the people is the strength of our football club and I would like to say thank you to the many people who assist in enhancing our football program.

The coaching team, senior Assistant Coaches Brett King, Tony Walters and Paul Litherland, Reserves Coach Michael Hays, his Assistants Ben Haig, Glenn McCallum and Geoff Barry, Chairman of Selectors Geoff Lewis, Runners Adam Crannage and Les Olivieri, thank you again for friendship, support, ideas, expertise and laughs in 2019.

The Strength and Conditioning team led by Ryan Gaias, GPS wiz Chris Wing, Physios Michael Swan and Bronte Gorfin, Doc Tane Eunson, Head Trainer Jasmin and her team thank you, we have the best team in the competition, and it makes my job so much easier when you have total confidence in your team.

Our fantastic group of volunteers, who are the heartbeat of our football club, your smiles and unwavering support of our players and coaches remind us every day why we love being involved in our great game. Special thanks to Tony, Pete, Ross, Steve, Pete, Santo and Jim for your all your work, support and friendship.

Thank you to the Board and administration for their support and hard work to give us the opportunity to remain involved in the competition. Special thanks to Football Manager David Depane for his work the past five years.

Once again to our families, wives, girlfriends, partners and friends, a special thank you for all the time and support you unconditionally give to allow us to pursue our passion.

Finally, thank you to our members and supporters for your support. We unfortunately didn't get the win we all wanted on Grand Final day but hopefully you enjoyed the players' great efforts throughout 2019.

See you in 2020, go Bulldogs!

TODD CURLEY
League Coach



WJ HUGHES MEDAL

Haiden Schloithe took another step towards cementing his legacy as an all-time great of South Fremantle by winning the WJ Hughes Medal as the Bulldogs' fairest and best player for a third time in 2019.

On a season which saw South Fremantle needing to find some fresh talent through the midfield and forward-line, Schloithe once again showed why he is among the very best players in the country not in the AFL system both as an on-baller and when playing in the forward-line.

With the departures of Tim Kelly and Marlion Pickett in recent times on top of Matthew Parker joining St Kilda and then the retirements of Ashton Hams, Ryan Cook, Ben Saunders, Cory Dell'Olio, Shane Hockey and Jarrod Parry, Schloithe had no trouble stepping up further in 2019.

While it will always be hard for Schloithe to top his 2017 season where he won the Sandover Medal to go with a second Hughes Medal, his year in 2019 in many ways might have topped it with the way he led the Bulldogs from the front now as an experienced player nearing life membership.

By the end of the season, not only had Schloithe won the WJ Hughes Medal for a third time, but had played for the WAFL State Team for a third time in a narrow loss to South Australia, was again named to the WAFL Team of the Year and continued to rack up the accolades.

Schloithe got hurt a couple of times through the season including a knee scare on WA Day, but played 17 of the 18 games and was right back to his brilliant best with his prolific ball winning ability while being able to win the ball on the inside and outside.

His kicking skills remain elite and it was every bit the equal of his Sandover Medal season of 2017 ending up averaging 24.6 possessions and kicking 20 goals while named to the Team of the Round 10 times.

By becoming a triple Hughes Medal winner, Schloithe joins Kris Miller, Wally Matera, John Todd, Steve Marsh, Clive Lewington, Frank Jenkins and Rony Edgar as triple winners of the fairest and best award.

Only Steve Marsh (four) and Stephen Michael (five) now sit above Schloithe in the history of the South Fremantle Football Club.

Schloithe wasn't the only standout performer in 2019 with ruckman Brock Higgins having the best season of his career that has now spanned 141 WAFL games with 111 of those with South Fremantle.

Higgins confirmed himself as the best pure ruckmen in the WAFL in 2019 during a season that saw him also named the league's Team of the Year.

Higgins dominated to start the season where his ability to ruck all day and get better the long games went a standout. He finished up averaging 17.0 possessions and 37.6 hit outs while ending up runner-up in fairest and best voting.

Emerging defender Chad Pearson claimed third place. He made his

debut down back for South Fremantle in 2017 and showed good signs for the future.

Pearson booked a permanent spot in the back-line in 2018. And in 2019, confirmed himself as one of the best backmen in the WAFL capable of playing on tall and small opponents, and in producing lockdown and attacking roles.

Jacob Dragovich spent more time as a permanent midfielder and blossomed in 2019 to finish in fourth position while Jake Florenca also benefited from more time on the ball. He was named Player of the Finals.

With the forward-line suddenly minus Saunders, Dell'Olio and Parker, Mason Shaw made himself a tremendous focal point kicking 55 goals to earn the John Gerovich Trophy.

The retiring Adam McIntosh won the Culver Family Award for courage and perseverance while Andrew Haydon was named Best First Year Player and Steve Verrier took the Warren Medal and Best Clubman.

Meanwhile, Tom Blechynden claimed the Roy McGuinness Medal as reserves fairest and best ahead of Blair Della Franca, Jye Depane and Matthew Ward.

Manfred Kelly was named colts fairest and best to claim both the Dave Ingraham Memorial Medal and the City of Fremantle Mayoral Trophy. He won ahead of Ira Jetta and Nash Miller.

And in the senior women's team who reached the WAWFL Reserves Grand Final in 2019, Lauren Vecchio was named fairest and best winner ahead of Eilish Grundon, Chloe Taylor, Tash Vaughn-Taylor and Mel Silcock.

The Youth Girls team also reached the Rogers Cup Grand Final with Cali Hunt named fairest and best from Jenna Bantick, Hannah Corney, Mim Strom and Ebony Clarkson.





WJ HUGHES MEDAL
2019 FAIREST AND BEST
Haiden
SCHLOITHE



Runner-up: Brock Higgins
 Third place: Chad Pearson
 Player of the Finals: Jake Florenca
 Leading Goalkicker: Mason Shaw (55)
 Best First Year Player: Andrew Haydon
 Courage and Perseverance Award: Adam McIntosh
 Best Clubman: Steve Verrier

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PAST FAIREST AND BEST WINNERS

AW WALKER MEDAL

1926 John Campbell
 1927 Franklyn Fuhrmann
 1928 John Rocchi
 1929 John Rocchi (2)
 1930 Rony Edgar
 1931 Cyril Jennings
 1932 Rony Edgar (2)
 1933 Rony Edgar (3)
 1934 Jimmy Ditchburn
 1935 Jimmy Ditchburn (2)
 1936 Neil Lewington
 1937 Frank Jenkins
 1938 Frank Jenkins (2)
 1939 Frank Jenkins (3)
 1940 Clive Lewington
 1941 Albert Higham
 1942 Suspended due to war
 1943 Suspended due to war
 1944 Suspended due to war
 1945 John Reilly
 1946 Clive Lewington (2)
 1947 Clive Lewington (3)
 1948 David Ingraham

1949 Laurence Green
 1950 Steve Marsh
 1951 Steve Marsh (2)
 1952 Steve Marsh (3)
 1953 Bernie Naylor
 1954 Charles Tyson
 1955 John Todd
 1956 Steve Marsh (4)
 1957 Anthony Parentich
 1958 John Todd (2)
 1959 Clifford Hillier
 1960 Jack Sumich
 1961 John Todd (3)
 1962 Glen Bow
 1963 Ross Bowe
 1964 Gary Scott
 1965 Kevin Miller
 1966 Colin Beard
 1967 Norman Cox
 1968 Tom Grljusich
 1969 Hassa Mann
 1970 Daniel Civich
 1971 Rowland Daw
 1972 Tom Grljusich (2)

1973 Fred Seinor
 1974 Bruce Montearth
 1975 Robert Carson
 1976 Joseph McKay
 1977 Stephen Michael
 1978 Stephen Michael (2)
 1979 Stephen Michael (3)
 1980 Noel Carter
 1981 Stephen Michael (4)
 1982 Brad Hardie

WJ HUGHES MEDAL

1983 Stephen Michael (5)
 1984 Noel Carter (2)
 1985 Wally Matera
 1986 Mark Bairstow
 1987 Scott Watters
 1988 Craig Edwards
 1989 Craig Edwards (2)
 1990 Cliff Collard
 1991 Brad Collard
 1992 Wally Matera (2)
 1993 Wally Matera (3)
 1994 Peter Bell

1995 Stephen Pears
 1996 John Porter
 1997 Stephen Pears (2)
 1998 Brad Bootsma
 1999 Brad Bootsma (2)
 2000 Darryn Rennick
 2001 Matt Clucas
 2002 Zane Parsons
 2003 James Byrne
 2004 Toby McGrath
 2005 Clint Jones
 2006 Clint Jones (2)
 2007 Kris Miller
 2008 Toby McGrath (2)
 2009 Kris Miller (2)
 2010 Nathan Phillips
 2011 Ryan Cook
 2012 Kris Miller (3)
 2013 Ryan Cook (2)
 2014 Haiden Schloithe
 2015 Ashton Hams
 2016 Shane Hockey
 2017 Tim Kelly
 2018 Marlion Pickett



CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Dylan Main

Well what a season. If we rewind to November last year and the start of pre-season, I don't think many people would have predicted the season to pan out the way it did for South Fremantle. Fast forward to now and although it was a very disappointing ending, the season has to be seen as a success. We played finals again, which is an achievement in itself, and we finally made it to our first Grand Final in 10 years after falling agonisingly short multiple times the past three seasons.

No one really knew what the 2019 season would bring for the Bulldogs, including myself. After losing some amazing stalwarts at the end of last year we really could have thrown the towel in and entered a 'rebuilding stage.' However, in typical Bulldog spirit we gritted our teeth and moved on quickly, looking at our young emerging players.

The 2019 season provided many highs including debuts for Andrew Haydon, Tom Blechynden, Trent Reed, Matthew Ward, Zane Sumich, Kyle Hamersley, Dion Munkara and Caleb Datson. It was great to see these youngsters and Andrew come into the team at various times throughout the year and played a pivotal role in our 2019 campaign. Most notably Andrew, who received the 'Best First Year Award' at our fairest and best awards night. The fact that we had so many debutants shows the depth in our squad and is a credit to our development programs nurturing our talent.

We started the season relatively strong after a minor hiccup against Perth in Round 2. The boys had put in a lot of hard yards over the pre-season and

it showed with our ability to run out games. Weirdly enough, in the majority of the games this season we were one player short after an influx of injuries week-in-week-out and yet we seemed to run out games better. These injuries were often unavoidable like fingers or concussions so nothing our incredible medical team could do to prevent these.

Things started to look dull come the middle of the season where we lost four games in a row and questions started being asked of us and whether our 'young' legs were exhausted. Personally, I had some doubts as well as I was not in great form and I know what it is like being a younger player in your first year of senior footy.

It was a tough period as we all felt we were there or thereabouts in all four of those losses and on top of this we had a week off next round to dwell on it.

Then we came out and won the next six games which propelled us into a top two finish and a perfect position for the finals. After getting back to the drawing board and really narrowing down on what we see as our strengths and the brand of footy we want to play, it rejuvenated the group and brought a lot of belief back amongst us. There was a lot of energy around the club, something I had never really experienced and something that is very hard to match. Pumping confidence and energy into young men creates a very strong force that is hard to stop.

We finally broke the hoodoo and made it into the big dance at the extraordinary Optus Stadium. The week was pretty full on, but we tried making it as normal as possible whilst still enjoying the moment as they don't come around very often. We were lucky enough to train at Optus on the Friday night just to familiarise ourselves with the colosseum like set-up and feel the grass under the feet.

Heading into the game on the Sunday, I was truly confident we were capable of a big upset.

Then came a disappointing, almost embarrassing result. It was hard to swallow because we had gone away from everything that we built on all season long. Unfortunately, we have to live with it until we can have another crack at it next year.

We could not have made it so far without some major contributors and our forwards were huge this year, being able to share the burden of losing triple Bernie Naylor



Medallist Ben Saunders. We had many players bob up with little bags of goals throughout the year along with midfielders laying a helping hand, although none played a bigger role than our big full forward, Mason Shaw. Very unlucky not to get his hands on his own Bernie Naylor, Mason played a phenomenal role this year bagging out on multiple occasions and taking the best key defender week in week out.

Haiden Schloithe had another tremendous year taking out the WJ Hughes Medal yet again. Whether he is getting 30 touches in the midfield or kicking three goals forward, or both, he is just an outstanding player and asset to the football club. Two younger yet senior players really took their games to another level and were a large influence in our excellent season,

Jacob Dragovich and Jake Florenca. It seems like all they needed was an opportunity and now they have really solidified their positions in the midfield, with Drago being recognised in the state squad.

It's hard to look passed our backline with the majority of them, I'm sure, being the first magnets on the board during selection. Blayne Wilson has had a chance to play more freely now with the likes of Noah Strom and Chad Pearson holding up the two best forwards quite convincingly each week. With our backline being so strong, it allowed us to play a more aggressive brand of football, something we tried to focus on this past season. I do have to say though, defence is a team thing and lots of the work we do up field assists the defenders with their job.

This year was more so about the whole squad of 70 players as our depth was really tested throughout the season. Everyone that came in really stuck to our game plan and played their respective roles whether they were a first-gamer or coming back from injury and it was something myself and the club was really proud to witness. Although it was not quite the fairy tale ending we could have hoped for, I am super proud of what we have achieved this year and I know we will only get better from it. Thanks to everyone for your support this year, from the board to the volunteers and to all our loyal supporters, you have been awesome and we hope to see you back next year!

DYLAN MAIN
Captain

CAPTAINS YEAR BY YEAR

1900	G Wills	1930	J McGuinness	1960	J Colgan	1990	B Collard
1901	G Wills	1931	R Doig	1961	J Todd	1991	B Collard
1902	W Morton	1932	R Doig	1962	J Todd	1992	N Fimmano
1903	G Wills	1933	B Collins	1963	G Scott	1993	W Matera
1904	H Hodge	1934	R Edgar	1964	R Sorrell	1994	W Matera
1905	O Kelly	1935	R Edgar	1965	R Sorrell/G Scott	1995	P Worsfold
1906	A Trim	1936	G White	1966	G Scott	1996	P Worsfold
1907	E Bromley/O Kelly	1937	G White	1967	G Scott	1997	J Dorotich/P Worsfold
1908	B Bryers	1938	B Chandler	1968	F Seinor	1998	P Worsfold/P Sumich
1909	A Banks	1939	B Chandler	1969	H Mann	1999	P Worsfold
1910	G Wyatt	1940	K Shea	1970	H Mann	2000	M Atkins
1911	J Leckie	1941	N Lewington	1971	H Mann	2001	M Atkins
1912	A Banks	1942	J McLinden	1972	G Reilly	2002	M Atkins
1913	C Baker/B Cooper	1943	B Rose	1973	F Seinor	2003	M Atkins
1914	A Banks	1944	K Potter	1974	F Seinor	2004	B Bootsma
1915	B Cooper	1945	N Lewington	1975	B Ciccotosto	2005	D Gault
1916	N McIntosh/F Collins	1946	J Reilly/F Jenkins	1976	B Ciccotosto	2006	D Gault
1917	F Collins	1947	R Hutchinson	1977	B Ciccotosto	2007	D Gault
1918	F Collins	1948	C Lewington	1978	T Morley	2008	T McGrath
1919	F Collins	1949	C Lewington	1979	N Carter	2009	T McGrath
1920	W Gunnyon	1950	C Lewington	1980	N Carter	2010	T McGrath
1921	T Cain	1951	C Lewington	1981	N Carter	2011	J Graham
1922	B McGilvray/H Campbell	1952	H Carbon	1982	N Carter	2012	R Cook
1923	G Tuxford	1953	L Crabbe/S Marsh	1983	S Michael	2013	R Cook
1924	N Giles/P Youlden	1954	F Treasure	1984	B Hardie	2014	R Cook
1925	G Tuxford/D Heinrichs	1955	F Treasure	1985	N Carter/S Michael	2015	R Cook
1926	J Sunderland	1956	S Marsh	1986	M Bairstow	2016	R Cook
1927	J Campbell	1957	J Colgan	1987	B Collard	2017	R Cook
1928	J Sunderland	1958	R Richards	1988	M Rioli	2018	D Main
1929	F Fuhrmann	1959	J Todd	1989	M Rioli	2019	D Main

RESERVES COACH REPORT

Michael Hays

It has been a great year for the future development of our club, 2019 saw us play 51 players in our Reserves team which is only slightly up on previous years however, there are some important stats to consider;

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EIGHTH POSITION
5 WINS, 10 LOSSES, 1 DRAW**

not the end of the world for the club. As the growth and development put into and shown by this group will only reap rewards in years to come as the plans and structures learnt are put into place allowing them to fit into the next level seamlessly.

- 24 players made their senior debut for the club pulling on the Reserves jumper for the first time. This is well up on previous years

- Five players debuted in our league team in Tom Blechynden, Kyle Hamersley, Trent Reed, Zane Sumich and Matt Ward who also played in the Grand Final

- Nine of our second/third year players continued to develop and double their previous years league game count

- Five and seven, five was a common number of changes we had to make each week and seven was the most changes we made in a week

- 20.3 years old made us the youngest team in the competition and allowed us to give our developing players game time and exposure at a high level which can only place the

club in a strong position for the future.

Onfield, we started very well getting the first three games to go our way and put the team in a strong position. Round 4 gave us our first reality check at the hands of East Fremantle who handed us our first loss followed by a succession of narrow, and not so narrow losses against Subiaco (35 points), East Perth (10), East Fremantle (two) and Peel Thunder (65). In Round 11 we again come up against Subiaco, getting the result by 10 points. Unfortunately, the rest of the season was a mirror of the first half with a series of close and honourable losses, missed opportunities against East Fremantle (last minute loss) and Swan Districts (Draw) and a win against Peel to round us out to finish with five wins and a draw. Not ideal from the players perspective whose competitive desire is to win but

Ironically, I felt our best game of the year was not a win but a loss against a very strong, and at that point undefeated Claremont at Claremont Oval. We got an insight into the kind of players we are developing. A young and an inexperienced group bound together only to fail at the last 10 minutes three short on the bench. This game was the best summation of our year as a team we had the true grit, courage and the determination to fly the flag but lacked the experience to maintain the structures and pressures against an opposition that had more mature players and game experience.

As a club, SFFC got better this year with the development of this group for our future which is, in no small part, due to the direction and leadership of our Reserves coaching staff. A group of more dedicated individuals you will battle to find anywhere.



Now for all of the thank you's.

Thank you to my assistants Glenn McCallum, Geoff Barry and Ben Haig for all of your efforts, banter and friendship over the season. It has been appreciated, a big thanks to my runner Les Olivieri and Team Manager Peter Matier who complete the Reserves Coaching Group. This group of people are extraordinarily dedicated to their tasks throughout the year, it is people like this that make our club great.

Thank you to Todd Curley for trusting me to be part of your inner sanctum and allowing me to lead this group this year. It has been a lifelong dream to coach a team at this club, thank you for giving me that opportunity. The League coaching group of Tony Walters, Paul Litherland, Brett King, Steve Wasley, Geoff Lewis, Adam Crannage and Uncle Tony Mollica, thanks for helping throughout the year with advice and leadership.

Thank you to our Medical, Strength and Conditioning teams led by our Head Trainers in Jasmin McLernon

and Tully Jackson, club Doctor Tane Eunson, physios Michael Swan, Bronte Gorfin, Strength and Conditioning guys Ryan Gaias, Chris Wing, Peter Djanis and Alex Newton. Your efforts in ensuring that our playing group was always the best it could be, receiving the best possible advice and guidance from pre-season to the end of season is a credit to the team assembled. Without all of you we couldn't perform as we do and it is a testament to your knowledge and dedication that the players trust you as much as they do.

To the club, past and present, thanks to Dave Depane, Tom Bottrell, Russell Fletcher and the board led by Peter Christie, Gavin Jahn and Bruce Willis, thanks for your support and interaction over the year. Special mention to Ivan and Nelson from Benny's for your support of the players and coaching group through the year, thanks lads.

Finally, to my beautiful wife Nat and to the other long-suffering partners of

my friends the coaches, players and volunteers of this club. A simple thank you isn't enough to express how we all feel about you with what you put up with when we win, lose or draw but unfortunately that is all I can offer a large and sincere THANK YOU.


- THANK YOU for allowing all of us to all do what we are passionate about,
- THANK YOU for allowing us to be away as long as we are, and
- THANK YOU for just being there for us when we are ranting, talking and just generally making noise about a win, loss or draw.

In closing, congratulations to all of the players who pulled on the Red & White this year, your dedication to task and continued desire to learn will place the club in a great position in the future, bring on 2020 and see you next year.

MICHAEL HAYS
Reserves Coach

ROY MCGUINNESS MEDAL

RESERVES FAIREST AND BEST



Tom

BLECHYNDEN

Runner-up: Blair Della Franca
 Third place: Jye Depane
 Fourth place: Matthew Ward
 Leading Goalkicker: Travis Abbott (21)

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COLTS COACH REPORT

Luke Tedesco

There were many experiences to be gained from the 2019 season in what ultimately was a disappointing campaign for the Colts group. After some promising signs in the first half of the season including two victories over East Fremantle, we were unable to add any further wins after the WA Day derby victory.

We played 49 players across 16 games including representation from our country regions in Narrogin (Darryl Anderson, Malachi Bolton) and Boyup Brook (Liam Park). Seven players from our Futures Squad also had exposure in the final rounds which will hold them in good stead as they transition to Colts in 2020. Some of our graduating colts in Toby McQuilkin, Brodie Plunkett and Brett Pitt had a taste of senior footy by playing the last two games of the season in the Reserves.

Despite Jack Musika and Manfred Kelly being selected for the trial game against South Australia in April, we did not have a representative in the 18s Academy Squad. It was a big year for 17-year-old prospect Shannon Neale. He played two games as a top ager

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NINTH POSITION
2 WINS, 14 LOSSES

in the U/16's national championships, competed in the Futures Match at the MCG on AFL Grand Final day and also in the WAFL Futures Exhibition along with Jaxon Bellchambers and Mitch Brown (Futures). Ira Jetta was also selected to play however had to withdraw due to injury.

A big congratulations to Manfred Kelly who was named in the Colts Team of the Year. His work rate, attitude and competitiveness were complemented by his leadership in a difficult year.

The season itself started very positively, although somewhat frustrating as we suffered close losses against Swans (four points) West Perth (six) and Subiaco (12) in contests where we played good footy. The fixtures proved a different challenge to the group with just seven games in 12 weeks before our last block of five games against the top

five teams. Following four heavy consecutive defeats, we pushed preliminary finalists West Perth all the way in our last game of the season, narrowly going down in a very spirited performance.

I would like to thank my Assistant Coaches Mark McGough, Stephen Healy and Luke Hendricks, Specialist Coaches Toby Edwards, Steve Goodall and James Bristow, and our support crew led by Sam O'Neill and Mikayla Lyons for their unconditional support throughout the season. To Jason Pedulla, your passion, enthusiasm and dedication to help these young men develop across the entire talent program is first class. Thank you for all the support you have provided me and the other coaches throughout this season.

For those players graduating to the senior program, I wish you all the best. To the players returning to the Colts program in 2020, I hope you have learned some valuable lessons throughout this year and are prepared to work hard to improve.

LUKE TEDESCO
 Colts Coach



DAVE INGRAHAM MEMORIAL MEDAL COLTS FAIREST AND BEST



Manfred **KELLY**

Runner-up: Ira Jetta

Third place: Nash Miller

Encouragement Award: Jonas Brown

Best Team Man: Jarrod Salmeri

Rising Star Award: Shannon Neale

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**L&F MIHALJEVICH AWARD
(RUNNER UP):**

IRA JETTA

**LIFE MEMBERS AWARD
(THIRD PLACE):**

NASH MILLER



**DAVE INGRAHAM MEMORIAL MEDAL, CITY OF
FREMANTLE MAYORAL TROPHY (FAIREST AND
BEST): MANFRED KELLY**



FOOTBALL MANAGER REPORT

David Depane

It is fair to say we started the season as underdogs but in the end had our best season since 2009. After losing a wealth of experience in terms of players and games played, most pundits expected the club to drop down the ladder. Internally we disagreed with this as we had an intimate knowledge of our playing group and the quality that remained on our list.

Our recruiting was targeted, and we set about filling roles that we felt needed some attention. It was pleasing to lure Kade Stewart back to the club, after he spent the previous season back in Katanning. We were also excited to gain Andrew Haydon, who had played 16 games for Peel during their 2016 premiership season.

For the most part our League side tracked along nicely winning 13 of their 18 qualifying games. The season started strongly before a mid-season period where we lost four games in a row. We managed to refocus and finish the qualifying round strongly to claim some important wins and finish in second spot. It would be fair to say our finals campaign was filled with mixed emotions. We performed well against Claremont in both qualifying and preliminary finals, only to be disappointing against Subiaco in the second semi and the Grand Final. Whilst our Grand Final day did not go to plan, we are



all proud of the team's achievements this season in making it to the big day. As mentioned earlier we were tipped to slide, and we proved the experts wrong by making it to the Grand Final. Our playing group will no doubt be better for the experience and it will drive all involved to take that one more step in 2020.

Mike Hays and his coaching and

support group once again did a great job with our Reserves team. For the most we fielded an inexperienced Reserves team over the course of the season.

Whilst they struggled to win games, the young group have continued to learn the game plans and structures that they require to play senior football. I feel it is important for all to understand that our Reserves are a teaching ground for our players to develop their game and allow them to take it to the next level to challenge for league positions.

Well done Luke Tedesco, his assistant coaches and all the support team of the Colts program. Working with a very young group provided some challenges for Luke and his coaches at times throughout the season, but they stuck to their task and blooded many talented youngsters that over time will develop into very handy footballers for our senior program.

I would like to congratulate all winners presented at the WJ Hughes Awards night. The counts for all three grades were exciting and it was

not until the finals votes were counted that we found our eventual winners. Haiden Schloithe once again capped off a very consistent season and proved a very worthy winner of the WJ Hughes Medal. This is Haiden's third time winning, placing him in the great players of the club's history. It was fantastic to see Brock Higgins reward-



ed for his herculean efforts in leading the ruck by finishing runner up. There is no doubt Brock is one of our most popular players and I am certain that everyone involved with the club would be pleased to see Brock rewarded for his lion-hearted effort he puts in on game day. Well done to Chad Pearson for his third place after a very consistent season. Chad has held down a key position in the backline all season and is rarely beaten by his opponent.

Chad's ability to beat his opponent one on one and his kicking composure may see him heading to the next level.

Congratulations Tom Blechynden on the Roy McGuinness Medal as Reserves Fairest and Best after his first season in the senior squad. He enjoyed a consistent season as a midfielder, which saw him rewarded with some league action mid-season. Blair Della Franca backed up his solid 2018 with another strong showing, finishing runner up. Finishing third was another first year player in Jye Depane. I am looking forward to seeing all three along with a host of young talent pushing hard to play senior football next season.

Well done to Haiden Schloithe for representing the WAFL State Team, and for Brock Higgins, Jacob Dragovich, Chad Pearson and Kade Stewart for making the squad.

Congratulations to several players for their 100-game milestones. Brock Higgins, Steve Verrier, Zac Strom, Jason Maskos and Blayne Wilson all reached their century of games. Well done to all the boys - milestone games are difficult to achieve and take a lot of hard work and effort to reach at any level.

It is with sadness that we farewell a couple of terrific clubmen and people this season. Adam McIntosh and Shaun Bewick have both decided to hang up the boots. Both Adam and Shaun have been terrific stalwarts of the club over many seasons, and whilst their on-field presence will be missed, I personal-

ly think they will be missed around the group for their leadership and positive attitudes that they share with their teammates. Good luck to both in their future endeavors.

A massive thankyou to the wonderful group of support staff who we are so lucky to have at our club. It is impossible for me to name them all in this report and my apologies if I do miss someone:

Strength and Conditioning – Ryan Gaias, Chris Wing, Petar Djanis, Alex Newton

Medical Team – Michael Swan, Bronte Gorfin and Sam O'Neill (Physiotherapists), Dr. Tane Eunson (Club Doctor), Jasmin McLernon and Tully Jackson (Head Trainers) and their fantastic group of trainers.

Property Team – Ross Addison (Manager), Peter Taylor-Thorpe, David Pannell, Jim Maskos and Lorne McGuinness

Team Managers – Tony Mollica and Peter Matier

Stats Team – Alan Powell and Anna Kristancic

Timekeepers – George Cole and Jennifer Nikolich

Past Players & Officials – Ray Van Burgel and his merry men

There is no doubt all these wonderful people make it all happen behind the scenes and we should never underestimate the time and effort they devote to our club.

Finally, to the coaching teams thanks for your support and assistance throughout the season. We have formed and developed a very solid coaching group over the last few years.

There is no doubt you are all driven to see the group reap the rewards of their hard work, and your commitment and devotion to the task at hand highlights this.

League – Todd Curley (Coach), Tony Walters, Paul Litherland, Brett King, Steve Wasley (Assistants), Adam Crannage (Runners), Geoff Lewis (Selection Chairman), Zach Hoyne

(Stats)

Reserves – Mike Hays (Coach), Geoff Barry, Glenn McCallum, Ben Haig (Assistants), Steve Jones (Board/Rotations), Les Olivieri (Runners), Matt Barry (Stats)

A big thanks to Tom Bottrell, Peter Christie and Gavin Jahn for their support and guidance throughout the year with all things football. I must also thank the board for their assistance.

Thanks to the people who work closely with me day to day in Jess, Brooke, Beth and Russell. You are all great to work with, it makes my job much more pleasurable and easier when you know you are coming to a great working environment each day. Also a big thanks to Steve who is always around when needed and ensures the ground and facilities are in tip top condition. I must not forget Ivan, Nelson and the Benny's Bar staff for their continued support and assistance during the year. The food is fantastic and the hospitality that is provided for club members and visitors is second to none.

As always, a big well done to Jason Pedulla in his role as Talent Manager. We are very lucky to have the most organised and professional Talent Manager in the WAFL. This clearly shows when you look at our talent program compared to other clubs.

I am under firm belief that we have taken some big strides over the last few seasons, and once again we have taken that one extra step. I am confident that we have a quality group of young men, along with some astute recruiting as needed that we will challenge at the top end of the table again in 2020, with a view to achieving that "One Day in September".

As I finish every season, I must leave my final thank you to my wife, Tania. Tania is always on hand to support me in this game we all love, no matter when it is.

DAVID DEPANE

Football Operations Manager

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MILESTONES CELEBRATED IN 2019

It turned out to be a season with plenty to celebrate from a team perspective with South Fremantle reaching a first WAFL Grand Final in a decade but there were also significant individual milestones.

Throughout the 2019 season, Blayne Wilson reached both 150 WAFL games in total and 100 goals with South Fremantle while the retiring Shaun Bewick also reached 150 matches overall in the league.

Ruckman Brock Higgins reached his 100-game milestone for the Bulldogs during what was the best season of his career while Steve Verrier had a tremendous season largely in the midfield while also racking up his 100th game.

Important and versatile big man Zac Strom brought up 100 games for South Fremantle as did Jason Maskos as well to continue to big season of milestones.

Wilson made his WAFL debut back in 2009 starting out at Peel Thunder having come through the ranks for the Mandurah-based club.

He ended up being picked up by West Coast and would play nine AFL



matches and would become entrenched at East Perth in the WAFL playing in both Grand Final losses to 2013 and 2014.

After those 29 games with Peel and 36 with East Perth, Wilson reached his 150th WAFL game in Round 6 as South Fremantle upset Subiaco at Leederville Oval. He would also reach his 100th game with South Fremantle in the Grand Final.

Now after five seasons with the

Bulldogs, Wilson feels right at home at South Fremantle and he's sure it's the club that he will have that lifelong connection to.

"Getting delisted from West Coast and leaving East Perth at that time was tough because I wanted to stay there because I had built such good relationships with the people around the footy club," Wilson said.

"I wasn't able to stay there and I decided to come to South where I had that bit of a family connection and some mates down there at the time, and it definitely feels like home for me now. I couldn't have asked for anything different in terms of going to another club.

"I'm really happy with where I went and where I am now, and I couldn't have it any other way. It's definitely where I call home now and hopefully, I can get my name on the locker and be cemented there for the rest of my life."

Higgins also reached 100 games with South Fremantle during the 2019 season having started his career at East Perth and making those initial 30 appearances.

But it's at South Fremantle where Higgins has made his mark since arriving in 2014 and having been such a key part of developing the strong culture, getting to 100 games with the



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club means the world to him.

"The 100 games at South means a lot more than the 100 overall games for sure just because a lot of my mates have got their names on lockers and have since retired, so it will be nice to know that when I leave I've left my mark on the club in some way," Higgins said.

"I'm just happy that I've been able to find a home like I have at South Fremantle, and it's just stuck. I love the place and it's sort of responded in kind back to me. I've met some great people and I'm just happy that it's become like a second home to me."

The Verrier brothers grew up bleeding red-and-white with their father a passionate South Fremantle man his whole life so they grew up watching the Bulldogs play, supporting them and then dreaming of playing with them.

They had their own local hero in South Fremantle games record holder Marty Atkins to look up to as well and then having come through the ranks, they enjoyed great success at colts level sharing the 2011 premiership together with Brendan remaining for the 2012

flag too.

Steve wasn't there for that premiership because he was in the AFL system at Richmond trying to live out his dream as a professional footballer, but when that came to an end he was never going to play anywhere else but back at South Fremantle.

And ever since returning, Verrier has cemented himself as one of the best versatile players in the competition and is now a 100-game player for the Bulldogs.

"My dad was a mad South Fremantle supporter, we grew up watching South Freo and it's something you dream of as a kid to even play one game at South Freo. So to now play 100 games is a massive achievement for me. It's something that I've always wanted to do and now we're here so it's pretty exciting," Verrier said.

"The club is a massive part of my life and my families. It makes it a lot bigger when you have your brother playing with you as well and we also had a lot of success coming through the club in the colts so you always have bonds with the boys you share that with.



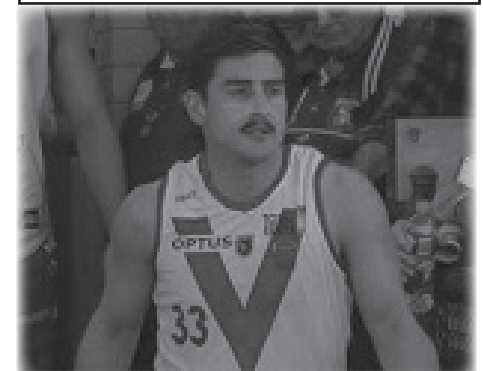
SHAUN BEWICK
150 WAFL GAMES



STEVE VERRIER
100 WAFL GAMES



BROCK HIGGINS
100 SF GAMES



JASON MASKOS
100 WAFL GAMES



“To now have similar success in the league would be absolutely massive for me. It’s a massive part of my life, I’ve been down here for eight years now and I was always pretty happy to come back after my stint in the AFL.

“I was never going anywhere else and I always wanted to come back here. It’s a massive part of my life now and I wouldn’t change a thing.”

Another player to reach the century mark in 2019 who continues to play with his brother at the Bulldogs is Zac Strom.

As his 100-game milestone approached, it was a rightfully proud moment for Strom and he is especially excited to see his name join Cliff Collard on the No. 14 locker at Fremantle Community Bank Oval.

“It means I get my name on the locker which is incredibly important to be up with the other names from the club to have done that even though obviously I’m nowhere near as good as them. But it represents how much effort you’ve put in for the club and how much it means to you so that’s pretty special,” Strom said.

“It’s funny because I used to wear No. 43 and that was Marty Atkins and I always knew I was never going to reach his 266 games but I think Cliffy



BLAYNE WILSON
150 WAFL GAMES /
100 SF GAMES

Collard is the one who stands out to me on the No. 14. He is obviously a great of the club so to have my name under his will be pretty special given how great of a player he was.”

With the superstars the Bulldogs have had over the past four years further up the field, some of whom have now retired and some still firing in 2019, Maskos hasn’t always been the first thought of as being instrumental to South Fremantle’s run of success.

But there’s no question within the inner sanctum of the Bulldogs that he is ranked as highly in terms of importance as anyone and would just about be the first picked every week for the consistently high-standard he sets defensively.

Maskos regularly gets the biggest jobs on the opposition’s best mid-size and small forwards, and rarely will you find him beaten as he continues to prove himself an outstanding one-on-one player while also underrated in terms of setting up playing coming out of defence.

He reached 100 games in the second semi-final and couldn’t have been prouder.

“It’s pretty special to get to 100 games. I’ll be able to come back to the club in years to come and look at that locker and show other people what I was able to achieve. It’s pretty massive and the only other person on the locker is Kyle Hams,” Maskos said.

“And when he came back to the club, I wore No. 29 because I gave him back 33 to wear but when he retired, I went back to it. When I first got given it, I didn’t think much of it but to stick with it is something I’m pretty happy with and now it’s just going to be me and Kyle that have their names on there.”

ZAC STROM
100 WAFL GAMES





COLTS TEAM

BACK ROW: Tyson Headland, Neil Irani, Lochlan Bloomer, Neil Borsi, Jacob Plunkett, Nathan Spooner, Solomon James, Shannon Neale, Lachlan Johnson, Liam Bradford, Riley Colborne, Jacob Sax, Riley Clayton, Aidan Hall

MIDDLE ROW: Ajla Bosnjak, Toby Edwards, Jaxon Goodall, Robert Woods, Brodie Plunkett, Haiden Mead, Jonas Brown, Eric Botha, Toby McQuilkin, Jayden Foote, George Wessels, Baxter Jones, Mark McGough, Peter Taylor-Thorpe, Mikayla Lyons

FRONT ROW: Jess Piper, Steve Healy, Brett Pitt, Manfred Kelly, Ira Jetta, Jarrod Salmeri, Jaxon Bellchambers, Luke Tedesco, Jack Musika, Regan Ward, Corey Stanley, Adam Correia, Ben Cabassi, Steve Goodall



SENIOR SQUAD



BACK ROW: Tyson Pickett, Steve Verrier, Tom Eastaugh, Zane Sumich, Zac De San Miguel, Dylan Main, Matt Green, Jonny Frampton, Blair Della Franca, Noah Strom, Mason Shaw, Blayne Wilson, Chad Pearson, Travis Abbott, David Fiamengo, Jacob Warne, Regan Spooner, Chris Ah Siu, Jake Solomon

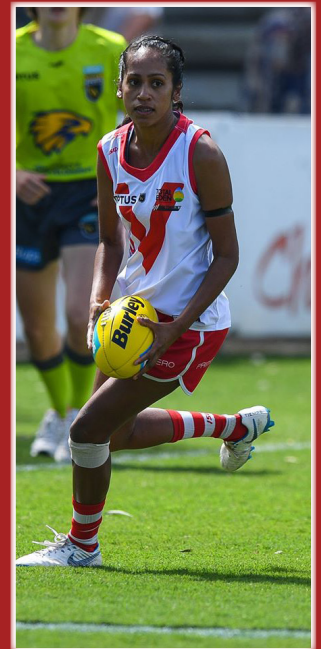
2ND BACK ROW: Brett King, Jaxon Litherland, Lachie Feeney, Tom Blechynden, James Russell, Tom Weston, Caleb Datson, Adam McIntosh, Brendan Verrier, Shaun Bewick, Haiden Schloithe, Jake Florenca, Corey Rogers, Terykk Cox, Matt Ward, Josh Grant, Cody Ditchburn, Kyle Hamersley, Les Olivieri, David Pannell

MIDDLE ROW: Adam Crannage, Ben Haig, Glenn McCallum, Deng Maguang, Zac Dent, Jack Redman, Enrique Aiken-Featherstone, Riley Burke, Nick Suban, Todd Curley, Seaton Thompson, Josh Collard, Kade Stewart, Kyle Russell, Jye Depane, Jason Maskos, Geoff Barry, Geoff Lewis, Mike Hays

2ND FRONT ROW: Peter Taylor-Thorpe, Ross Addison, Tony Mollica, David Depane, Rebecca Staunton, Tane Eunson, Michael Swan, Tully Jackson, Ryan Gaias, Lorne McGuinness

FRONT ROW: Luke Moore, Daniel Cabassi, Alex Cabassi, Michael Coombes, Guy Barnes, Brock Higgins, Andrew Haydon, Eugene Hart, Trent Reed, Brandon Donaldson, Kyle Donaldson, Jacob Dragovich, Brodee Knight, Andre Coutinho

WOMEN'S GRAND FINALS



WAFL GRAND FINAL



SOUTH FREMANTLE FOOTBALL CLUB
WJ HUGHES MEDAL



PHOTOS OF 2019



MAGICAL PICKETT DELIVERS ON BIGGEST STAGE OF ALL

Ten months ago he was again overlooked by every AFL club. Four months ago his WAFL season might have been over let alone any AFL dream. But now Marlion Pickett is not only an AFL premiership player with Richmond but went ever so close to a Norm Smith Medal on debut.

From the moment Pickett arrived at South Fremantle midway through the 2013 season as a 21-year-old and it didn't take long for it to soon become obvious he was a special talent.

He would play just six reserves games before then coach Paul Hasleby couldn't ignore him any further and threw him in for the last two league games of the WAFL season.

He was remarkable on debut with 26 possessions, nine marks and three goals in a win against eventual Grand Finalists East Perth at Fremantle Community Bank Oval and that would become a trend.

The stage might not quite have been the same but Pickett's WAFL debut with South Fremantle was remarkable in 2013 and then with quite the journey in between, he delivered one of the most unbelievable AFL debuts ever on Grand Final day.

Having only been at Richmond for half a season after being picked up in the AFL Mid-Season Rookie Draft, Pickett starred in the previous week's VFL Grand Final triumph for the Tigers and then was a shock inclusion for the AFL Grand Final against the GWS Giants at the MCG.

The 27-year-old would go on to produce a Grand Final performance for the ages. At least according to North Smith Medal voting, he was judged third best on the ground but it wasn't beyond the realms of possibility that some could have seen him as best afield in the 89-point win.

Having started on the bench, Pickett didn't take long to make an immediate impact and the faith that Richmond coach Damien Hardwick had in him was evidenced by him trusting him by

playing on the ball.

What Pickett would go on to show was what he had done in 98 games with South Fremantle in the WAFL and in the previous week's VFL Grand Final.

Pickett showed amazingly clean hands to gather the ground ball and a number of times he would get out quick handballs to set up his teammates. He also showed what he long did with the Bulldogs in the WAFL by running and carrying the ball and driving it into attack to set up goals for teammates.

A centre clearance he won where he did a blind turn to get clear and then drive Richmond inside-50 had to be seen to be believed. He would go on to kick a goal of his own after being set up by Dustin Martin and Pickett would just carry on from there.

He finished the afternoon with 22 possessions, eight inside-50 entries, a remarkable nine score involvements and his own goal in one of the most remarkable AFL debuts of all-time.

The Pickett story from a difficult upbringing, to spending time in jail as a youth and then finding a football home at South Fremantle upon his release and getting his life together as a father of four to now being an AFL premiership star is just incredible.

Words don't do it justice and Pickett himself is a man of few words, but that doesn't defy the self-belief he has in his own football ability.

No challenge in football is ever something Pickett sees as beyond him and that's why he plays with such confidence and why he delivered what



he did on the AFL Grand Final stage.

Afterwards, Pickett was thankful for all the support he received to get to this point from the Richmond and South Fremantle Football Clubs to his family and teammates.

"It's very special. It's something you can't replace and I'm just going to enjoy the moment. Probably as soon as I ran on I felt comfortable out there," Pickett said post-Grand Final.

"I had a lot of support back home from Jane, Jarman, the Walley family, the Pickett family and the support has been something like I've never had before. That's been awesome.

"They probably don't really know what's happening at the moment but they'll learn as the years go on and I'll just enjoy the moment with them. Life has changed a lot for all of us and I'm just doing this for them, and I've done it, and it's been awesome."

Following that stunning debut with South Fremantle late in the 2013 season, Pickett would go on to play in the Bulldogs' reserves premiership of that year coached by Tony Walters.

The 2014 season was more of a consolidating than a standout one for Pickett with South Fremantle. He could never quite find a position that best suited him and he would end up splitting most of his time between the wing and half-forward to various degrees of success.

Todd Curley took over as coach of South Fremantle in 2015 and that's when Pickett's career really took off and it was by settling himself into the back-line with the Bulldogs.

Pickett was able to show off all his remarkable physical abilities in that defensive role where he would prove a great help to his teammates to come and help either get a spoil in from nowhere or take an intercept mark.

Then out of half-back, the sight of Pickett running through the defensive 50 and then through the middle of the ground to drive South Fremantle forward became a trademark of his as he delivered a standout season finishing third in fairest and best voting behind Ashton Hams and Ryan Cook.

Pickett delivered another standout season in 2016 in that role in the back-line where he averaged 18.0 possessions and backed that up in 2017 averaging 17.3 disposals, and it appeared that defensive role was the one he'd continue to thrive in.

However, when teammate Tim Kelly departed to take the AFL storm with Geelong after the 2017 season, South Fremantle needed to find a way to fill his position in the midfield and Curley elected to throw Pickett into that role.

It couldn't have turned out any better with Pickett showing that perhaps he was born to be a midfielder and to be more around the ball.

His ferocious attack on the ball made him a contested ball master while all opponents looked twice when he was around because of the way he would attack the contest and then lay tackles or deliver some fierce bumps.

But then there was what he could do with the ball in hand. Pickett's hands in close were remarkable and then when he got in space he was quick and could get away in a flash while then able to deliver going forward.

His 2018 season was nothing short of brilliant as he averaged 21.8 possessions and kicked 13 goals to go on to win his first WJ Hughes Medal as South Fremantle's fairest and best winner.

It seemed a lock that he would go on to join Kelly and fellow teammate Matthew Parker in the AFL system going into 2019, but it wouldn't happen and then Pickett suffered two hiccups in the first part of the season that might have ended those hopes forever.

Pickett had a delayed start to the season with a broken finger and then in his second WAFL game back with South Fremantle, he again broke his finger just days before the AFL Mid-Season Rookie Draft.

However, Richmond weren't deterred and still selected him despite being no guarantees that he would even be able to play again in 2019.

Not only did Pickett make it back, he led Richmond's VFL team to a



premiership with a best on ground performance and then he was ever so close to being best afield in the Tigers' AFL flag success on Saturday in a fairytale story for the ages.

Back on Thursday when Pickett found out he would be playing in the Grand Final, Pickett couldn't believe that all his dreams were about to come true.

"The emotions were a bit of everything and when I got told I didn't believe it, and I probably still can't believe it really. I immediately just started to look forward to the weekend," Pickett said.

"I am still pinching myself to be here. I didn't think my debut would come around this early but it has. I just want to take it with both hands now.

"They say anything is possible so I didn't give up and the finger healed, and I was playing VFL and enjoying playing with the boys and being at Richmond.

"I did dream of playing in a Grand Final with Richmond, but probably not this soon. I thought it might happen in the next couple of years but for it to come around so quick is awesome."

RETIREMENTS

McIntosh, Bewick with Grand Final farewells

Grand Final day might not have gone to plan for South Fremantle, but getting to play on the big stage for the first time in their careers was a reward for the loyal service provided to the Bulldogs by Shaun Bewick and Adam McIntosh.

The pair had both decided the 2019 season would be their last heading into the Grand Final and having etched their names onto lockers at Fremantle Community Bank Oval by playing more than 100 games, it was fitting they got to play at Optus Stadium before retiring.

Obviously it didn't prove a day to remember overall, but Bewick and McIntosh move into retirement following careers they deserve to be tremendously proud of with the

knowledge of having got the very best out of themselves.

While McIntosh had a horror injury run at times throughout his career, he has always been an outstanding club man and when on the field and fit and healthy, there hasn't been any more reliable, consistent or tough members of the defensive unit.

Whether it was his trademark ferocious attack on the contest with his ability to spoil the ball strongly or his trademark run and carry off half-back where he was always adept at setting up play, McIntosh has been a mainstay at the Bulldogs for much of the last decade.

Even his 2019 season was ravaged by injury when he suffered a shoulder injury in Round 3. Then when he came back, he broke a hand in Round 13 against Claremont. But showing the respect and trust held in him, he was included in the Grand Final team against Subiaco at Optus Stadium in what proved the 116th and final game of his career.

McIntosh made his debut with South Fremantle in 2011 having done a significant apprenticeship to earn that chance under dual premiership coach John Dimmer, but his first stint was short-lived to do a knee injury.

He was back for the start of 2012 and aside from a stint in the reserves in the back half of 2014 and then missing the second half of 2016 with his horrible broken ankle, McIntosh cemented himself as one of the most consistent and reliable defenders despite an injury-interrupted past two years.

It took until the 99th game of his career to first play a finals match and the memory of getting to play in a Grand Final and then finishing the season receiving the Culver Family Award for courage and perseverance was a good reward for what he's given. Bewick played his 154th WAFL game in his first Grand



Final of a career that started back at West Perth where he and twin brother Rohan continued the family history with the Falcons.

But South Fremantle and then coach Paul Hasleby came calling ahead of the 2012 season and saw a role on the wing. While he played virtually every position across 124 games, the move is one that he will forever cherish.

There were challenges along the way including no finals for his first four seasons, and times where Bewick had to dig deep to reinvent himself.

Someone with less character, perseverance and work ethic would have taken the easy option, but that's not in his character.

Now that he has his name etched on the No. 6 locker, it's hard not to be delighted for him to at least experience a Grand Final before retiring.

He was always one of strongest runners, but you only become that through hard work and the fact that he is now among the most versatile players made him invaluable.

What he takes pride in more than anything that over the course of 154 games he proved himself an effective wingman, lockdown defender,



attacking half-back, tagging midfielder, ball winning on-baller, pressure or a goalkicking forward.

“At the start of my career I used to hate when a coach would tell players they needed more than one string to their bow,” Bewick said.

“It’s certainly made me more valuable to the team I think and while I might not have an impact somewhere, I can always go and play somewhere else. And if we get an injury, I like the fact that I can be the first person called on to go plug a hole or I can be used anywhere really the coach needs me.

“It’s been a long journey and something that was frustrating at times, is something that I’m so proud of that now I’m near the end of my career that I can say I’ve played 100 games for South Freo and I have my name on the locker alongside some of my great mates. I’m so pumped that my name will be there forever.”

While Saunders did retire before the 2019 season, it was only after the 2018 Annual Report went to print and tributes were made to Hams, Dell’Olio, Cook, Hockey and Parry so it’s only fitting he gets the recognition here too.

Saunders has been one of the stand-



out players this decade in the WAFL and while he always looked like an exciting talent coming through at Claremont as a teenager having made the move from Mt Barker, it was at South Fremantle he made his mark.

He did manage five games for eight goals in 2011 and 2012, but opportunities were likely to continue to be tough so as difficult as it was, he made the call to join South Fremantle ahead of the 2012 WAFL season and never looked back.

Whether it was taking spectacular marks, kicking mercurial goals or racking up the bags of goals with three career hauls of seven while kicking six on seven occasions, five another five times and then four in 23 games.

Saunders had brilliant seasons in 2012, 2014 and 2016 kicking 66, 59 and 59 goals to win his three Bernie Naylor Medals, he also had injury ravaged seasons in 2013, 2015 and 2018.

What he put together was an outstanding career which saw him book his name on the No. 24 locker by playing 109 games for 287 goals.

Then in playing for Western Australia, Saunders went to another level and in his three games kicked 16 goals, with two bags of six and another of five, while winning the Simpson Medal for his performance in 2017.

With his own work as an electrician, with a pharmacy business he and partner Tessa have bought into, and a desire to have more freedom that football commitments don’t allow for means he feels the time was right to retire.

While the decision to leave Claremont for South Fremantle might have been the most difficult of Saunders’ football life, it proved ultimately to be the best one as well.

“That was a really hard decision and I remember calling everyone close to me,” Saunders said.

“The consensus was that if I thought it was the right decision and it was something I wanted to do, then do it. Paul Hasleby got me across and did all the work, and everything he could



to get me across. and as much as he could once I got to Souths.

“It was a really hard decision but he invested his time and effort into me, and so did Pete Christie, and I always felt like the club would treat me well. They just said that once you make the decision, you have to stick with it and ride it out to the end, and we’ll back you in no matter what happens.

“The club gave me the support I needed in that process and then at the same time Claremont tried everything they could to keep me there with intimidation, scare tactics and all sorts of threats. That freaked me out a bit as an 18-year-old and made me think running back to Mt Barker might be easier, but the club was really good about sticking by me and looking after me.

“Ever since then, I’ve never felt more at home at a footy club from those early training sessions alongside Toby McGrath when Paul Mugambwa would always sit on someone’s head. It felt like a country club in the city which I really enjoyed and it was the best decision I’ve made with my footy. I loved every minute I spent at the club.”

STATE REPRESENTATIVES

Schloithe lone Bulldog for WA

Haide n Schloithe was South Fremantle's lone representative in the WAFL's narrow State Game defeat against the SANFL at Optus Stadium.

**2019 STATE GAME
WAFL v SANFL
OPTUS STADIUM
WA 13.15 (93) LOST TO SOUTH AUSTRALIA 16.4 (100)
SOUTH FREMANTLE REPRESENTATIVES:
HAIDEN SCHLOITHE**

Jacob Dragovich, Chad Pearson and Kade Stewart all deserve to consider themselves unlucky to have not made the final 22 of the KIA WAFL State Team for the clash against South Australia despite having been included in the last squad of 27.

That meant that Schloithe was the lone player from the Bulldogs to play in the 2019 State Game despite South Fremantle's strong start to the WAFL season with a 4-1 record.

Schloithe didn't disappoint either. Spending most of the game across half-forward in his third appearance representing Western Australia, he produced an impressive showing.

He finished the afternoon with 14 possessions, six marks, four tackles, four inside-50 entries and two goals.

It proved a tremendous showcase of State football between the two leading state competitions in the country with South Australia managing to bring an end to Western Australia's

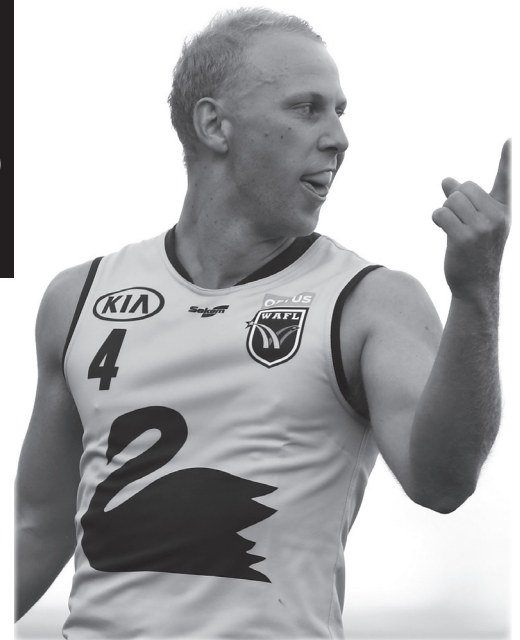
string of winning six consecutive State matches despite being 22 points down in the first half.

On the back of having won the past six State Games it had contested including last year's drought breaking result over the SANFL at Adelaide Oval, the WAFL started strongly on Optus Stadium.

WA kicked the game's first two goals and then with the first three of the second term, were up by 21 points. That grew to 22 points when the dynamic Michael Bennell kicked his third.

The SANFL closed the gap to four points by half-time. After WA again led by 11 points early in the second half, South Australia took control.

The Croweaters kicked four consecutive goals to claim their first lead and were up by as much as 20 points late in the third term. WA did get back within eight late but it wasn't to be with South Australia winning 16.4



(100) to 13.15 (93).

Subiaco's Josh Deluca won the Simpson Medal after 29 possessions, seven tackles and a goal.

Kyal Horsley was unlucky not to back up last year's Simpson Medal with a State Game one having delivered 32 possessions, eight inside-50 entries and two goals as WA captain.

Dual Sandover Medallist Jye Bolton was terrific for WA too with 28 disposals while Shane Nelson had 24 touches, Kane Mitchell 23, Aaron Black 19, Hayden Kennedy 17, Leigh Kitchin 17 and Michael Sinclair 16.



SOUTH FREMANTLE'S WA PLAYERS

PLAYER	WA DEBUT	TOTAL	PLAYER	WA DEBUT	TOTAL	PLAYER	WA DEBUT	TOTAL
W 'Bull' Adams	1922	1	Gordon Fisher	1914	4	Frank Morellini	1996	1
Marty Atkins	1992	6	Charles Fitzgerald	1926	1	Tony Morley	1975	6
Gerry Bahen	1954	3	Darren Gaspar	1997	1	Warren Mosconi	1984	1
Mark Bairstow	1985	10	John Gerovich	1955	20	Ricky Mott	2003	1
Albert Banks	1913	2	Nathaniel Giles	1914	1	Stephen Mount	1988	1
Rod Barrett	1981	5	Ivan Glucina	1967	1	Jack Murray	1947	2
Bill Bateman	1924	1	Ernie Graham	1946	1	Bernie Naylor	1946	16
Eddie Bauskis	1976	1	Laurie Green	1949	1	Hayden North	2005	2
Ray Bauskis	1976	1	Tom Grljusich	1961	3	Tony Parentich	1953	8
Mark Bayliss	1988	1	Wally Gunyon	1921	2	Zane Parsons	1999	2
Colin Beard	1967	2	Ashton Hams	2014	3	Stephen Pears	1996	2
Peter Bell	1997	2	Brad Hardie	1982	8	Marlion Pickett	2015	2
Colin Boot	1953	2	David Hart	1984	5	John Porter	1992	4
Brad Bootsma	1995	5	Adam Hay	2007	1	Frank Price	1949	3
Tom Bottrell	1999	1	Josh Head	2011	1	Ernest Ralston	1911	3
Don Byfield	1955	11	W Heinrichs	1921	2	Graeme Reilly	1970	1
James Byrne	2003	1	Wayne Henwood	1987	4	J 'Corp' Reilly	1939	10
Jack Callow	1923	2	Mark Hepburn	1992	1	John Reilly	1970	3
Basil Campbell	1977	1	Evan Hewitt	2005	2	Arthur Retell	1929	5
H 'Bonny' Campbell	1920	17	Brock Higgins	2018	1	Ray Richards	1955	13
Herbert Campbell	1924	2	Cliff Hillier	1953	12	Arnold Richardson	1935	3
Johnny Campbell	1914	8	William Holt	1927	2	Max Richardson	1977	3
Harry Carbon	1946	9	Sam Hunt	2008	1	Maurice Rioli	1978	13
Robert Carson	1976	1	David Hynes	1991	1	William Robertson	1933	4
Gavin Carter	1984	3	Dave Ingraham	1946	14	Jack Rocchi	1929	4
Noel Carter	1981	2	Dean Irving	1990	4	Willy Roe	1988	1
Robert Cassidy	1959	2	Stevan Jackson	1989	1	Ben Saunders	2014	3
Bert Chandler	1938	5	Allen Jakovich	1990	9	Haiden Schloithe	2014	3
Brian Ciccotosto	1972	5	Glen Jakovich	1990	9	Gary Scott	1963	11
Len Clark	1970	4	F 'Scranno' Jenkins	1938	9	Graham Scott	1967	5
James Clement	1997	3	Cyril Jennings	1927	6	Fred Seinor	1973	3
Matt Clucas	2000	2	Blaine Johnson	2018	1	Andrew Siegert	2007	1
John Colgan	1952	10	Frank Johnson	1962	1	Norm Smith	1952	6
Brad Collard	1990	1	Clint Jones	2005	2	Ray Sorrell	1964	1
Cliff Collard	1990	1	James Joslin	1924	1	Harry Stephens	1948	5
Ryan Cook	2011	6	Des Kelly	1953	4	Don Stewart	1959	1
Len Crabbe	1949	12	Tim Kelly	2016	2	Charles Sullivan	1913	1
Ray Crawford	1955	6	A 'Sol' Lawn	1927	3	Jack Sumich	1959	4
Phil Cronan	1981	8	Clive Lewington	1947	5	Peter Sumich	1988	5
John Crook	1950	5	Neil Lewington	1938	1	Jerry Sunderland	1922	11
Pat Daly	1926	2	Murray Macdonald	1962	2	W Sutherland	1913	2
Pat Daly	1955	7	Stan Magro	1975	7	Albert Tapping	1914	5
Colin Davey	1955	2	Maurice Mahon	1924	3	John Todd	1955	13
Cory Dell'Olio	2011	2	Hassa Mann	1970	2	Frank Treasure	1949	9
Wayne Delmenico	1981	1	Steve Marsh	1946	21	Peter Troode	1973	2
James Ditchburn	1934	10	Peter Matera	1989	5	William Truscott	1938	3
Don Dixon	1950	4	Phil Matera	1995	2	Charlie Tyson	1949	17
Percy Dodd	1937	2	Wally Matera	1992	2	Benny Vigona	1980	4
David Doig	1938	3	James Matison	1950	1	Don Wares	1947	1
Ron Doig	1930	4	Albert Matthews	1936	1	Scott Watters	1988	6
Ron Doig	1963	3	Andrew McCarrey	2010	1	Alby Western	1949	5
Jon Dorotich	1984	6	Toby McGrath	2000	6	Barry White	1953	16
Peter Dougan	1965	1	Norm McIntosh	1914	5	George White	1930	5
F 'Diver' Dunn	1908	4	Joe McKay	1977	11	Blayne Wilson	2015	1
Ron Edgar	1928	4	Stephen Michael	1977	17	Nicky Winmar	1988	8
Craig Edwards	1982	7	James Mills	1936	2	John Worsfold	1988	5
Eric Eriksson	1947	12	Bruce Montearth	1974	10	Peter Worsfold	1994	2

DEBUTANTS



32 **ANDREW HAYDON**
ROUND 1 v SWAN DISTRICTS
STEEL BLUE OVAL



36 **CALEB DATSON**
ROUND 1 v SWAN DISTRICTS
STEEL BLUE OVAL



17 **DION MUNKARA**
ROUND 2 v PERTH
FREMANTLE COMMUNITY BANK OVAL

One of the most exciting aspects of the 2019 season for South Fremantle was the emerging of a whole new generation of players and that included seven players making their league debuts.

For a team to go on to reach the WAFL Grand Final, to have seven debutants is a significant achievement not to mention that Kade Stewart, Zac Dent, Kyle Russell, Noah Strom, Jake Florenca, Daniel Cabassi, Seaton Thompson, Zac De San Miguel and Noah Strom all came into the 2019 season with less than 10 games of league experience.

However, they all became important members of the team and then there were debutants who showed enough to suggest they have big futures too – Andrew Haydon, Caleb Datson, Dion Munkara, Zane Sumich, Kyle Hamersley, Trent Reed and Matthew Ward.

Haydon had no trouble settling into life at South Fremantle with his consistency and versatility becoming one of the great strengths of the team as the season unfolded.

The 26-year-old would go on to play all but one game for the season, averaging 13 possessions and showing great versatility with the roles he could play whether in the midfield, as a wingman or as a small forward who would be dangerous but also apply strong pressure.

Haydon previously played 14 WAFL matches with Peel Thunder including a standout 2016 season before losing his place for the club's history-making first premiership.

He then returned to playing with South Mandurah the past two years but clearly was too good a player to not be in the WAFL system. South Fremantle agreed with this and welcomed down the ball-winner for pre-season training and neither party ever looked back.

With the experience and quality that South Fremantle lost coming into 2019, he proved the perfect recruit and now looks every bit a long-term Bulldogs player moving forward.

Datson is a player who has come right through the ranks at the Bulldogs, patiently waited for his chance to play league football and when that opportunity came in 2019, he grabbed it with both hands.

The now 21-year-old played eight colts matches back in 2015 before playing another 16 in 2016 when he really took the next step with his football while also gaining the experience of playing six reserves matches.

Datson then spent all of the 2017 and 2018 seasons playing reserves football with 18 games apiece as he continued to improve, and develop all the time playing a variety of position.

He continued to bang down the door

over the pre-season coming into 2019 and made an impressive debut in Round 1 against Swan Districts at Steel Blue Oval. He collected 19 possessions but did injure a knee.

He came back with two reserves games but was then back into the league line-up in Round 10 against Peel Thunder. He remained in the side for the next eight games including a best of 20 possessions against Perth in Round 14 while also kicking two goals in Round 17 against East Perth.

However, Datson again went down with another knee injury and his season was over but the signs he had shown during 2019 at league level were tremendous.

Munkara joined South Fremantle from the Northern Territory coming into the 2019 season. Having played with the Tiwi Bombers and given the Bulldogs history with the top end, it seemed a match made in heaven.

The excitement machine made an immediate impact with South Fremantle coming in to make his league debut in Round 2 even without having to come through the reserves.

The forward-line was craving a goal sneak following the departures from the end of last season and he fit the bill perfectly. Munkara didn't quite kick a goal on debut in Round 2 against Perth, but was lively with 13 possessions and four tackles.



He then fully showed just what an addition he could be to this South Fremantle team the next week in the win over West Perth at Fremantle Community Bank Oval kicking three goals to set the Bulldogs fans alight.

He would kick two goals in the ANZAC Derby win the next week as well and kicked another two goals in Round 5 against the West Coast Eagles.

Munkara had seven goals in three weeks and everything was going nicely, but he soon became homesick and returned to the Tiwi Islands.

The Sumich name was back at league level for South Fremantle in Round 7 against East Perth at Fremantle Community Bank Oval when Zane made his debut.

The son of Peter, a West Coast Eagles dual premiership legend and South Fremantle product, premiership player and senior coach, he has long been looked at as a future league player with the Bulldogs and did nothing to change that with his lone appearance in 2019.

Zane first played colts football with two appearances back in 2015 before settling across 2016 and 2017 playing 39 matches and finding his feet as a key defender, the total opposite of his father.

Sumich would graduate to reserves football with a solid season in 2018 and continued to play strong football as a defender during 2019. That was why when Blayne Wilson was unavailable to play against East Perth in Round 7, Sumich was the obvious replacement in the Bulldogs stable defence.

He didn't look out of place either and likely would have played more league football in 2019 had it not been for the standout seasons had by Wilson, Noah Strom and Chad Pearson.

Sumich still ended up with a solid reserves season playing 14 matches and provided he sticks at it, he has a bright future ahead.

Hamersley was a colts player from 2018 who graduated to senior football in 2019 and took to it so quickly that he made his league debut in Round 10 in Mandurah against Peel Thunder on the same day Brock Higgins celebrated his 100th game.

Hamersley had some good moments too with seven possessions and a goal. He remained in the side the next week too against Subiaco and had another seven disposals and four tackles.

While he didn't manage another league appearance the rest of the season, the 19-year-old from Wagin continued to play well in the reserves including averaging over 24 possessions the last three matches.

Reed was in his second season with South Fremantle having made the move west to join the Bulldogs from Cobden in the Hampden Football League.

The prolific ball-winning midfielder had a strong 2018 season winning the Roy McGuinness Medal as reserves fairest and best. He continued on that form in 2019, earning a league debut

in Round 12 against the West Coast Eagles.

Reed had seven possessions that afternoon and while it was his only league appearance, he continued to play well in the midfield for the reserves the rest of 2019.

The last of the debutants for 2019 came in Round 18 against Peel Thunder and he was so impressive he remained in the team the rest of the season, including the Grand Final.

Ward was another colts graduate from 2018 and had to wait until Round 18 for his league chance, but he sure made the most of it. Playing a role as a defensive small forward, he took to that task impressively and remained in the side for the last seven games of the season and looks set to be ready to only continue to grow moving into 2020.



44 **ZANE SUMICH**
ROUND 7 v EAST PERTH
FREMANTLE COMMUNITY BANK OVAL



9 **KYLE HAMERSLEY**
ROUND 10 v PEEL THUNDER
DAVID GRAYS ARENA



38 **TRENT REED**
ROUND 12 v WEST COAST EAGLES
FREMANTLE COMMUNITY BANK OVAL



54 **MATTHEW WARD**
ROUND 18 v PEEL THUNDER
DAVID GRAYS ARENA



HALL OF FAME

LEGENDS

Frank
'Scranno'
Jenkins

Clive
Lewington

Bernie
Naylor

Frank
Treasure

Steve
Marsh

John
Todd

John
Gerovich

Stephen
Michael

PLAYERS

OFFICIALS

CLASS OF 2011

Harry Hodge (1900-09)
Johnny Campbell (1916-29)
Alfred (Sol) Lawn (1925-32)
Jack Rocchi (1926-29)
Ron Doig (1927-32)
Neil Lewington (1936-45)
Frank 'Scranno' Jenkins (1937-49)
Jack 'Corp' Reilly (1937-51)
Clive Lewington (1939-51)
Dave Ingraham (1940-51)
Bernie Naylor (1941-54)
Frank Treasure (1942-57)

Eric Eriksson (1942-54)
Norm Smith (1942-57)
Steve Marsh (1945-56)
Harry Carbon (1945-52)
Len Crabbe (1946-53)
Charlie Tyson (1948-55, 61)
Laurie Green (1948-54)
Des Kelly (1949-54)
John Colgan (1951-61)
Cliff Hillier (1951-60)
Ray Richards (1951-58)
Tony Parentich (1952-61)

Barry White (1952-61)
John Todd (1955-66)
John Gerovich (1955-69)
Gary Scott (1957-69)
Tom Grljusich (1960-76)
Brian Ciccotosto (1967-78)
Joe McKay (1974-82)
Maurice Rioli (1975-81, 88-90)
Stephen Michael (1975-85)
Noel Carter (1978-85)
Brad Hardie (1979-84, 93)

Griff John
Joe Coates
Jack Polinelli
Frank Fuhrmann
Bill Hughes
Bill Collins
Frank Harrison
Tom Bottrell Snr
Ron Greer
Dr Dick Reid

CLASS OF 2015

Norm McIntosh (1910-33)
Frank Collins (1912-19)
Jerry Sunderland (1918-28)
Ron Edgar (1924-36)
Cyril Jennings (1924-37)
George White (1928-39)
Percy Renfrey (1936-48)
Don Wares (1945-51)
Jack Murray (1946-59)

Bob Mason (1947-52)
Alby Western (1947-51)
Don Dixon (1948-57)
Don Byfield (1950-73)
Colin Beard (1959-76)
Fred Seiner (1961-74)
Don Haddow (1969-86)
Stan Magro (1970-89)
Tony Morley (1971-81)

Rod Barrett (1975-84)
Basil Campbell (1975-81)
Benny Vigona (1977-86)
Jon Dorotich (1981-97)
Wally Matera (1982-94)
Brad Collard (1984-2013)
Craig Edwards (1984-92)

Bev Morris
Don Gillan
Claude Law
Tom Goldie
Dr Ernie Hodder
Joe Maffina
Richard Woodgate
Chris Martinovich
Terry Dean
Ron Porter



Reginald Brentnall
Hugh Campbell
Frank Jenkins
Clive Lewington
Bernie Naylor
Steve Marsh
Ross Hutchinson
John Todd
John Gerovich
Ray Sorrell

Maurice Rioli
Stephen Michael
Mal Brown
Brad Hardie
John Worsfold
Peter Sumich
Charlie Tyson
Peter Matera
Dave Ingraham
George Grljusich

Glen Jakovich
Nicky Winmar
Frank Treasure
Mark Bairstow
Barry White
Ray Richards
Peter Bell
Tom Grljusich
Paul Hasleby



AUSTRALIAN FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME

Brad Hardie Inducted

Already acknowledged with inductions into the West Australian Football and South Fremantle Football Club Halls of Fame, Bulldogs champion Brad Hardie cemented his legacy forever by entering the Australian Football Hall of Fame in 2019.

It is the ultimate recognition for one of South Fremantle's favourite sons who burst onto the scene in the Mighty Red V as a teenager and was a premiership player in 1980 as just a 17-year-old where he kicked three goals on the Grand Final win over Swan Districts.

Hardie would go on to win South Fremantle's fairest and best in 1982 and was captain by 1984 while winning the Simpson Medal as WA's best player in the State of Origin clash with Victoria that year.

He would also win the Tassie Medal as the best player of the entire State of Origin series, and he repeated both the Simpson and Tassie Medal wins in 1986.

But by 1985 he had entered the VFL with Footscray and made an immediate impact with a stunning first season as an attacking back pocket.

That 1985 season was a remarkable

one for Hardie where he won the Brownlow Medal and Footscray's best and fairest award.

He had another good season at the Bulldogs in 1986 but a falling out with coach Mick Malthouse led to his departure for the Brisbane Bears for their inaugural season in 1987.

Hardie would be a fine servant for the Bears becoming their first player to reach 100 games and being leading goalkicker in 1989 and 1990.

But at the end of 1991, things were falling apart off the field with the Bears and as part of cost cutting measures, Hardie was traded to Collingwood where he would play two more matches in 1992 before his AFL career came to an end.

Hardie would return to South Fremantle for one final season in 1993 where he would lead the Bulldogs' goalkicking with 52 goals before retiring only aged 31.

Hardie played 140 games for 300 goals in his career that started and finished with South Fremantle. He was a fairest and best winner, leading goalkicker and premiership player.

Meanwhile in the VFL/AFL, Hardie added 47 matches for Footscray, 101 for the Brisbane Bears for 192 goals and then two more with Collingwood on top of his eight appearances representing WA.

Since Hardie has built a radio career commentating games from Melbourne for 882 6PR along with being a contributor to other programs where his opinions have often divided thoughts but created plenty of discussion.



Hardie's playing career has already been honoured by his induction into the West Australian Football Hall of Fame on top of being an inaugural inductee into the South Fremantle Football Club's Hall of Fame.

Now, Hardie was part of the class of 2019 to be inducted into Australian Football's Hall of Fame alongside Mick Malthouse, Ron Evans, Ken Hunter, Trevor Barker and Jim Deane.

Upon receiving the honour of being inducted into the Australian Football Hall of Fame, Hardie didn't hide how proud of the recognition he was.

"It's great to have your career acknowledged by others. You get a bit self-indulgent at times and think that you went alright as a player and that you'd like to be in the Hall of Fame, and then all of a sudden it comes your way," Hardie said.

"It was a great honour and I'm very humbled by it especially when you are in a room with all those luminaries. It's the crowning glory on my career. We all play for premierships and I was lucky enough to do that in my second year as a kid at South Fremantle, and I'm very happy with that.

"Then to pick up those little individual trinkets along the way, it's not too bad. But this is the crowning glory for sure, it's the missing piece."



STEPHEN MICHAEL	PETER BELL
JOHN TODD	RAY SORRELL
STEVE MARSH	MAURICE RIOI
PETER MATERA	BERNIE NAYLOR
GLEN JAKOVICH	BRAD HARDIE

BULLDOGS PRODUCTS CONTINUE TO SHINE

Tim Kelly and Marlion Pickett took the AFL world by storm in 2019 in very different ways but they weren't the only South Fremantle products to shine.

Kelly became one of the most talked about players in the AFL all season as he not only produced a second straight year of brilliant football with Geelong, but as the speculation grew as to where he would play in 2020.

Then there was Pickett who booked his name into AFL folklore with the remarkable feat of not only making his debut in the Grand Final, but being one of the best players on the ground as Richmond romped to the premiership.

They weren't the only Bulldogs products to stand out, though, with Matthew Parker, Shai Bolton, Tim English, Cameron McCarthy and Brandon Matera among those who played some good football in 2019.

After playing 93 games with South Fremantle in the WAFL before even cracking it for an AFL chance, Kelly put together a remarkable season with Geelong becoming one of the best players in the competition.

On the back of a standout rookie campaign, Kelly went up a level again averaging 25.4 possessions across his 25 matches while kicking 24 goals as he became among the AFL's best and most damaging and consistent on-ballers.

By the end of the season, Kelly earned All-Australian honours, finished top five in Brownlow Medal voting and was second in Geelong's best and fairest voting behind Patrick Dangerfield.



However, Kelly's pull with his young family to return to Western Australia remained strong and ultimately after two standout seasons with Geelong, he got his wish to be traded to the West Coast Eagles which is where he will ply his trade in 2020 and beyond.

The Pickett story is one that will be told forever. He was desperately unlucky not to be drafted at the end of 2018 after his WJ Hughes Medal winning season at South Fremantle. Then when he broke his hand twice in the space of three months to start the 2019 season, his AFL dream appeared over.

But Richmond took a punt on him despite the hand injury and it paid off in remarkable fashion. He got back late in the season to play in the VFL and went on to be best on ground in Richmond's premiership win.

The next week, he got a shock call up to debut in the AFL Grand Final and starred in the win over the GWS Giants as one of the best afield. What he has in store now for 2020 is anyone's guess.

Shai Bolton joined him at the Tigers in becoming an AFL premiership player as well on the back of a season that saw him play 19 games and kick 15 goals.

Meanwhile, Brandon Matera likely had the best season of his AFL career in 2019 with Fremantle. In his second season at the Dockers, he settled nicely playing 20 matches and kicking 30 goals, both career-highs.

The 27-year-old has now played 139 games and kicked 167 goals in an AFL career to be proud of.

Sticking with Fremantle, Shane Kersten's AFL career came to an end after 66 matches when he requested a release from his contract late in the 2019 season.

Also at the Dockers, Cam McCarthy played another 12 matches both as a forward and defender in 2019 to take his career tally to 69 matches since



making his debut at the GWS Giants back in 2014.

Brendon Ah Chee only added one more game to take his AFL career to tally to 36 in 2019 with West Coast while younger brother Callum also added just one appearance at the Gold Coast Suns to move to 45 on his career.

Jarrod Garlett and Jarrod Pickett only made two appearances combined at AFL level with Carlton during 2019, with Pickett asking to be released during the season in order to return home.

Billy Frampton added two AFL appearances with Port Adelaide to give him three for his career, but upon the end of the season he was traded to the Adelaide Crows where he has signed a three-year deal.

Tim English took a significant step forward to become the No. 1 ruckman at the Western Bulldogs in 2019. After nine games across his first two seasons, he played 20 matches in 2019 and went on to average 13.2 disposals and 19.1 hit outs.

Then there was Matthew Parker. After two seasons with South Fremantle as an exciting forward, St Kilda took a punt on him and he showed he was cut out for the AFL too going on to play 17 matches and kick 16 goals.

AFL PLAYERS

PLAYER	AFL CLUB	DEBUT	GAMES	PLAYER	AFL CLUB	DEBUT	GAMES
John Worsfold	West Coast	1987	209 [^]	Keren Ugle	Fremantle	2001	4#
Wally Matera	West Coast/Fitzroy	1987	56 [^]	Roger Hayden	Fremantle	2001	128#
Mark Bayliss	Collingwood	1988	4	Josh Head	Fremantle	2002	0#
Stevan Jackson	West Coast	1988	59	Matthew Moody	Brisbane	2003	34
Peter Sumich	West Coast	1988	150	Brent Hall	Collingwood	2003	1
Scott Watters	West Coast/Sydney/Fremantle	1988	109	Daniel Gilmore	Fremantle	2003	43#
Richard Geary	West Coast	1989	20	Toby McGrath	Essendon	2003	0#
Peter Matera	West Coast	1989	253	Jacob Surjan	Port Adelaide	2004	108
Dean Irving	West Coast/Melbourne	1989	66	Paul Duffield	Fremantle	2004	171#
Peter Worsfold	Brisbane	1990	31	Jaymie Graham	West Coast	2004	37#
Mark Collins	Sydney	1990	0	Leroy Jetta	Essendon	2006	93
Willie Rioli	Hawthorn	1990	0	Clayton Collard	Fremantle	2006	1
Glen Jakovich	West Coast	1990	276	Shannon Cox	Collingwood	2006	25#
Bruno Italiano	Collingwood	1991	0	Clint Jones	St Kilda	2007	149#
Greg Turner	Collingwood	1991	0	Josh Head	Fremantle	2008	9
Jason Spinks	Sydney	1992	0	Callum Wilson	West Coast	2008	7#
Wayne Hernaman	Richmond	1992	20	Ben Newton	Port Adelaide/Melbourne	2010	17
Warren Campbell	North Melbourne	1992	19	Brandon Matera	Gold Coast/Fremantle	2010	139*
Michael Dunstan	Fitzroy/West Coast	1992	43	Ashton Hams	West Coast	2010	39#
Russell Williams	Essendon	1992	3	Josh Bootsma	Carlton	2011	14
Brett Spinks	West Coast/Geelong	1992	40	Shane Kersten	Geelong/Fremantle	2011	66*
Damien Gaspar	Melbourne	1992	29	Brendon Ah Chee	Port Adelaide/West Coast	2011	36*
Ivan Bartul	Melbourne	1993	0	Warrick Andreoli	St Kilda	2011	0#
Greg Wootton	St Kilda	1993	0	Mitch Carter	Carlton	2011	0#
Brad Hardie	Sydney	1993	150	Mason Shaw	Port Adelaide	2012	0
Darren Gaspar	Sydney	1993	228	Adam Carter	West Coast	2012	7
Stephen Jurica	Richmond	1993	18	Haiden Schloithe	Fremantle	2012	0
Tom Bottrell	West Coast	1993	0	Cory Dell'Olio	Essendon	2012	16#
Peter Bell	Fremantle/North Melbourne	1994	286 [^]	Steven Verrier	Richmond	2012	0#
Troy Johnson	Brisbane	1995	2	Cameron McCarthy	GWS Giants/Fremantle	2013	69*
Phil Matera	West Coast 1995	179		Dylan Main	West Coast	2013	0
James Clement	Fremantle/Collingwood	1995	230	Tom Vandeleur	Fremantle	2013	0#
Nathan Turvey	Hawthorn	1996	10	Blaine Johnson	Carlton	2013	7#
Clem Michael	Fremantle	1997	43	Jarrod Pickett	GWS Giants/Carlton	2014	17*
Troy Johnson	Fremantle	1997	0	Jarrod Garlett	Gold Coast	2014	17
Dean Rioli	Essendon	1998	100#	Billy Frampton	Port Adelaide	2014	3*
Travis Gaspar	West Coast	1999	28	Callum Ah Chee	Gold Coast	2015	45*
Brad Bootsma	Fremantle	2000	23	Kade Stewart	Hawthorn	2015	7#
Ashley McGrath	Brisbane	2000	214	Cameron Loersch	Gold Coast	2015	0#
Andrew Krakouer	Richmond/Collingwood	2000	137	Tim English	Western Bulldogs	2016	29*
Mark Williams	Hawthorn	2000	115	Shai Bolton	Richmond	2016	28*
Cory McGrath	Essendon/Carlton	2000	78#	Tim Kelly	Geelong	2017	48*
Toby McGrath	West Coast	2000	0#	Jarrod Garlett	Carlton	2017	13*
Ashley Sampi	West Coast	2001	78	Ryan Burrows	West Coast	2017	0#*
Dan Hunt	Sydney	2001	0	Matthew Parker	St Kilda	2018	17*
Ricky Mott	Sydney	2001	19	Marlion Pickett	Richmond	2019	1#*
Marty McGrath	Richmond	2001	4				

Listed in 2019 [^] Inaugural squad member # Rookie-listed

STEPHEN MICHAEL FOUNDATION

CEO Paul Mugambwa Report

Across the past 12 months the Stephen Michael Foundation (SMF) has experienced significant growth which can be attributed to an acquisition of additional funding, extension of our program offerings, an expansion into new targeted areas and an increase in collaboration with partner agencies and service providers.

NEW PARTNERSHIPS & CONTINUED SUPPORT

With the foundation still in its' infancy, support secured from external agencies has proved critical to the expansion and enhancement of the foundations' programs and reach. In the past 12 months the foundation

has established new partnerships with Government agencies and Private Organisations including Sports Australia, Department of Justice, Australian Vanadium, Enermech, Jim Stynes Scholarship, Juice Plus, the WA Football Commission and the Department of Sport, Local Government & Cultural Industries.

The SMF are also extremely grateful for the contribution made to the foundation through our annual Stephen Michael Gala Dinner and the personal donations that have also been humbly received.

On behalf of the SMF I would also like to thank Sandfire Resources NL, and Westgold Resources Ltd for their continued support of the foundation.

COLLABORATION

The SMF acknowledges that no one agency has the capacity to generate long-term positive change in at-risk youth residing in disadvantaged communities without the collaboration of key agencies and local community members. In the past 12 months the SMF has placed great emphasis on identifying and collaborating with key service providers, local schools, government agencies, state sporting associations and local community groups. We are excited by the growth of these relationships and the early wins that we have generated for the youth with so many great organisations.





INCREASED REACH

Following the successful acquisition of additional funding the foundation has expanded to reach more communities across Western Australia including:

- Gascoyne - Carnarvon, Exmouth, Burringurrah, Gascoyne Junction and Shark Bay
- Murchison - Mt Magnet, Wiluna, Cue, Yalgoo and Mullewa
- Upper Great Southern - Narrogin, Katanning, and Wagin
- Lower South West - Collie and Kojonup
- Perth Southern Corridors - Fremantle, Hilton, Rockingham, Kwinana and Armadale

Across the past 12 months the foundations' programs and events

have engaged more than 4,500 youth participants.

PROGRAM EXTENSION

Since our launch in 2017 the program offerings of the foundation to that targeted communities have grown and evolved based on the outcomes of pilot programs and feedback from government agencies, local schools, service providers and local community members.

The Foundation now offers a broad range of programs and events to targeted communities including our Rising Leaders Program (a school-based leadership program) NightFields (an after-hours diversionary program) and our Umpire development program. The programs address key development areas for

youth including education, leadership, resilience, mental health, employment and social inclusion.

The programs are also designed to help reduce youth engaging in anti-social behaviour.

Across 2019 we have also trialed some exciting new programs including an AFL program designed for youth with intellectual disabilities, the development of a Youth Girls AFL Academy in the Upper Great Southern and creation of the inaugural Gascoyne Youth Girls and Boys AFL Academy based in Carnarvon and Exmouth. In 2020 and beyond the foundation will continue to develop these initiatives while also expanding to incorporate additional sports including Basketball, Netball, Cricket and Athletics.

A GROWING TEAM

In the past 12 months the foundation has grown from three permanent staff to a team of 14 plus additional casual staff to support program delivery. The growth in our team highlights the growing demand of SMF programs which can be attributed to the positive impact that we are generating in our targeted communities.

The foundation's board now consists of eight (8) members each with unique personal and professional experience. The foundation also features a Finance and Governance Subcommittee and a Business Development Subcommittee which have been developed to support operations and decision making of the foundation.

A key objective of the foundation is to ensure that our staff and board are reflective of the communities we work with



including cultural background, gender, age and place of residence. We are extremely proud of the diversity of our team and the contribution that they make to the community through our foundation.

I would like to take this opportunity to

thank our board and our staff for the continued support and effort that they have provided to the foundation and to me personally. I would also like to thank our former CEO Tom Bottrell for the pivotal role that he played in the initial development of the foundation.



HOW CAN YOU HELP?

We are still very much in our infancy and continue to seek additional resources to support our rapid expansion. The foundation holds Deductible Gift Registration status so donations and sponsorships can be tax deductible.

To make a donation please visit: www.givenow.com.au/smfoundation

For sponsorships or donations over \$5,000 please contact our Business Development Manager Julie Jackson on 0452 660 712 or via email julie@smfoundation.org.au.

PAUL MUGAMBWA

CEO – Stephen Michael Foundation



RECORDS AT A GLANCE

LEAGUE

Premierships: 13 – 1916, 1917, 1947, 1948, 1950, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1970, 1980, 1997, 2005, 2009

Grand Final Simpson Medallists: Eric Erickson (1947), Dave Ingraham (1948), Clive Lewington (1950), Des Kelly (1952), Steve Marsh (1953), Charlie Tyson (1954), Tony Parentich (1956), Brian Ciccotosto (1970), Maurice Rioli (1980), Maurice Rioli (1981), David Hynes (1997), Toby McGrath (2005), Ashton Hams (2009)

Finals appearances: 72 – 1900, 1901, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1960, 1962, 1967, 1970, 1975, 1976, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1983, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1992, 1993, 1995, 1997, 1999, 2001, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

Sandover Medallists: Jack Rocchi (1928), Frank Jenkins (1937), Clive Lewington (1947), Steve Marsh (1952), John Todd (1955), Stephen Michael (1980), Stephen Michael (1981), Mark Bairstow (1986), Craig Edwards (1989), Toby McGrath (2005), Haiden Schloithe (2017)

Bernie Naylor Medallists (WAFL Leading Goalkicker): Harvey Kelly (50 goals in 1905), George Thomas (31 in 1910), H (Bonny), Campbell (47 in 1922), Sol Lawn (75 in 1928), Sol Lawn (96 in 1929), Bernie Naylor (131 in 1946), Bernie Naylor (108 in 1947), Bernie Naylor (91 in 1948), Bernie Naylor (147 in 1952), Bernie Naylor (167 in 1953), Bernie Naylor (133 in 1954), John Gerovich (74 in 1956), John Gerovich (101 in 1960), John Gerovich (74 in 1961), Ray Bauskis (108 in 1977), Ray Bauskis (82 in 1978), Craig Edwards (54 in 1992), Jon Dorotich (88 in 1996), Jon Dorotich (114 in 1997), Zane Parsons (65 in 2002), Ben Saunders (66 in 2012), Ben Saunders (59 in 2014), Ben Saunders (52 in 2016)

All-Australian Players: Steve Marsh, John Gerovich, Cliff Hillier, John Todd, Brian Ciccotosto, Bruce Monteath, Stephen Michael, Brad Hardie

Brownlow Medallists: Brad Hardie (1985)

Norm Smith Medallists: Maurice Rioli (1981), Peter Matera (1992)

State Game Simpson Medallists: Frank Jenkins (1947), Stan Magro (1975), Maurice Rioli (1983), Stephen Michael (1983), Brad Hardie (1984), Brad Hardie (1986), Marty Atkins (1993), Jon Dorotich (1997), Adam Hay (2006), Ashton Hams (2014), Ben Saunders (2017)

Tassie Medallists: Brad Hardie (1984, 86)

Games Record Holder: Marty Atkins (266)

Most Goals: Bernie Naylor (1023)

Most Goals in a Game: Bernie Naylor (23 v Subiaco 1953)

Most Goals in a Season: Bernie Naylor (167 in 1953)

RESERVES

Premierships: 11 – 1936, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1985, 1988, 1991, 1992, 2004, 2009, 2013, 2015

Prendergast Medallists: John Carr (1949), Bill McGilvray (1953), Jim Adams (1955), Don Stewart (1961), Gus Seebeck (1998), Morgan Cooper (2007)

COLTS

Premierships: 9 – 1970, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 2002, 2003, 2011, 2012

Jack Clarke Medallists (former Medallists Medal): Ivan Glucina (1962), Graham Bancroft (1966), Max Ford (1970), John Rioli (1982), Derek Collard (1983), Stephen Rowe (1984)

CLUB

Rodriguez Shield Winners: 1983, 1984, 1992, 2001, 2004, 2009, 2016

Highest Score: 40.18 (258) v West Perth, Round 21, 1981

Lowest Score: 0.4 (4) v East Fremantle, Round 5, 1904
Greatest Winning Margin: 195 points v Peel Thunder, Round 3, 1999

Greatest Losing Margin: 256 points v East Perth, Round 1, 1944

Longest Winning Streak: 17 games from Round 2-18, 1953

Longest Losing Streak: 18 games from Round 4-21, 1987

Record Home Attendance: 23,109 v East Fremantle, June 4, 1979

Record Finals Attendance: 52,781 v East Fremantle at Subiaco Oval, 1979 Grand Final





SOUTH FREMANTLE FOOTBALL CLUB

TALENT MANAGER REPORT

Thank you to the following staff for dedicating their time and effort in assisting players within the South Fremantle Academy in 2019

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- Luke Tedesco – Head Coach
- Mark McGough – Assistant Coach
- Steve Healy – Assistant Coach
- Luke Hendricks – Assistant Coach
- James Bristow – Ruck Coach
- Steve Goodall – Skills Coach
- Toby Edwards – S&C Coach
- Sam O’Neill – Physiotherapist
- Mikayla Lyons – Head Trainer



FUTURES

- Dom Foster- Head Coach
- Adam Guglielmana – Assistant Coach
- Cory Dell’Olio – Assistant Coach
- Troy Douglas – Assistant Coach
- Matthew Johnston – Assistant Coach
- Luke Du Preez – S&C Coach
- Leon Flanagan – Team Manager
- Jordan Dowie – Head Trainer

15s ACADEMY SQUAD

- Dom Foster- Head Coach
- Adam Guglielmana – Assistant Coach
- Troy Douglas – Assistant Coach





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Brad Karafil – Assistant Coach
Jordan Dowie – Head Trainer

14s ACADEMY SQUAD

Steve Pendleton – Head Coach
Dion Anthony – Assistant Coach
Brett Hill – Assistant Coach
Brodie Bates – Assistant Coach
Regan Spooner – Assistant Coach
Jade Whyllie – Head Trainer / S&C
Dom Driscoll – Team Manager

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS

We would like to acknowledge the following players for their individual achievements in 2019.

W AFL COLTS TEAM OF THE YEAR

Manfred Kelly (Armadale)

DAVE INGRAHAM MEDALLIST

Colts Fairest & Best Winner

Manfred Kelly (Armadale)

WA STATE 16s SQUAD

Jermaine Pickett (Kwinana)
Mitch Brown (Boddington)
Jesse Motlop (South Coogee)
Oscar Armstrong (Margaret

River)

Kai Holmes (Kardinya)

Shannon Neale (Jandakot)

JIM HURST MEDAL

Futures Fairest & Best Winner

Haki Harcourt (Narrogin)

TONY MOLLICA MEDAL

15s Fairest & Best Winner

Chase Bourne (Fremantle City Dockers)

14s CARNIVAL BEST PLAYERS

Braydon Keley (Katanning)

Taj Green (Exmouth)

Toby Verney (Jandakot)

Mitchell Rodriguez (East Fremantle)



LIFE TIME MEMBERS

2003

Gerry Bahen*
 Jimmie Bahen*
 Les Barry
 Elva Calder*
 Arthur Cheek*
 Dave Cole*
 Les Coward*
 John Cranny*
 Bill Dymock*
 Colin Hicks*
 Alex Hindes*
 Claude Holmes*
 Noel Johnson*
 Jimmy Leece*
 Beth Lewington*
 Shirley Maffina*
 Willie Paganoni*
 Bill Peterson*
 Peter Peterson*
 Ray Renfrey
 Norma Snary
 Willam Turnbull*
 Peter Whittington
 Ken Wright

2004

Unis Saint*

2005

Len Mihaljevich
 Marion Renfrey

2006

Bill Anderton*
 Peter Cobby
 Johnny Crook*
 Paddy Daly
 Col Davey*
 Laurie Green
 Des Kelly*
 Bob Mason*
 Des Reed*
 Steve Errington
 Gordon Tuxford

2007

Norm Barrett*
 Roland Glaskin
 Arthur Whelan

2008

Stan Badham*
 John Brindley*
 Bob Cassidy
 Frank Johnson
 Harry Riseborough*
 Bill Elmer
 Kevin Kelly
 John Newton
 Paul Pearce
 Tony Ravlich
 Jim Williams

2009

Ron Bowe
 Bob Bucat
 Allan Burton*
 Jack Sumich
 Ron Doig
 Tony Buselich

Tony Capolingua*
 Jeanette Dymock
 Frank Giaquinta
 Frank Gillham
 Lynn Jeffery
 John F Lange*
 Dawn Lukatelich
 John Sheppard
 Barry Smith
 Peter Vince*

2010

Archie McDonald
 Arthur Lee
 Eugene Lynn*
 Kevin Poller

2011

John Reilly (Jnr)
 Tom Maher

2012

Allen Branch
 Leo Marchenko
 Jan Whelan

2013

Kevin Miller
 Graeme Smith
 Frank Ford
 John Pascoe
 Dom Ricci
 James Wallen

2014

Frank Legena
 Charlie Osmetti
 Kevin Erbe
 Wal Pausin

2015

Rowley Daw
 Graham Scott
 Gordon Crane
 Jack Edwards
 Ian Mackay
 Ian McLean
 John Ravlich
 Kerry Reilly
 Dennis Ryan
 Barry Tilbury

2016

Con Favazzo
 Clement Forbes
 Marin Garbin
 Kenneth Seath

2017

Danny Civich
 Rae Benn
 Peter Hanley
 Joyce Kazakoff*
 Pat Newton
 Jim Williams

2018

Peter Backhouse
 Terry Warnes
 Glenyse Wilkinson

OBITUARIES

It is with sincere and deep regret that since our last Annual General Meeting we record that the following former Players, Life Members, Life Time Members and Supporters are known to have passed away.

William Henry Anderton: Passed Away December 2, 2018 aged 85. Our former player Billy with the nickname of Henry (Cap 762) played 88 games between 1954-59, including a match winning five-goal first quarter haul against East Fremantle in 1958.

Ernest William Godwin: Passed Away December 8, 2018. Our former player Ernie (Cap 893) played nine games between 1965-66 and has been an active member of our Past Players and Officials Association.

Geoff Palm: Passed Away December 7, 2018. Geoff was an active member of our House Committee during the late 70s-mid 80s and a long time servant of South Fremantle.

Donald David Stone: Passed Away January 25, 2019. Don (Cap 809) came to South Fremantle from Cranbrook and played six games in 1959.

Dallas Lewin Fordham: Passed Away January 29, 2019. Dal did a tremendous amount of work coaching our Rockingham Junior Football Club and was a regular participant assisting our Combined District Junior Footballers throughout the 1970s.

Phil Backshall: Passed Away April 4, 2019. Phil was a major sponsor of our club over a very long period and gave many South Fremantle people employment opportunities through his dealership, Backshall Ford.

Paul David Wilson: Passed Away April 17, 2019. Our former player Paul (Cap 1127) played 16 games between 1986-89. Brother of Dean, 38 games between 1985-89, Troy, 54 games 1987-92 and uncle of current player Blayne.

Robert James Lee (Bob) Hawke AC, GCL: Passed Away May 16, 2019. Served as Prime Minister of Australia and Leader of the Australian Labour Party from 1983-91. Mr Hawke was also our No. 1 Ticket Holder from 1984 through to 1990.

Gordon Lindley John Earnshaw: Passed Away May 24, 2019. Our past player Gordon (Cap 738) played 18 games during 1951-52, before transferring to East Perth for greater opportunities.

Michael Zuvich: Passed Away May 27, 2019. Mick was our former bar manager and long time member of our club, and a great friend of our late secretary/manager Joe Maffina.

Kay Brown: Passed Away June 20, 2019. Our club offers its condolences to former coach Malcolm, and family Tim, Pip and Campbell on the sad loss of Kay. The Browns hold a special place with Bulldog supporters.

Barbara Joan Hosking: Passed Away July 9, 2019. Barbara was a long time member of our club and together with husband Reg were regular attendees at the club on Friday evenings and all South Fremantle games.

Colin Beard: Passed Away August 20, 2019. One of the club's greatest servants (Cap 811). Our full-back who won the Walker Medal in 1966, played 168 games between 1959-72 and represented WA twice. Played 33 games for Richmond 1969-71 including VFL premiership in 1969 and reserves premiership in 1971. Coached South Fremantle 1974-76. Coached colts side in 1979-80. Awarded Life Membership of South Fremantle in 1981 and Richmond in 2017. Inducted into the South Fremantle Hall of Fame in 2015 and was a champion, but above all, a champion person.

Pie Martinovich: Wife of Ted, one of South Fremantle's well known members and part of the famous Martinovich family. Sadly, Pie passed away September 14, 2019.

James (Diamond Jim) Hughes: Passed Away in tragic circumstances in September 2019. Jim was a prominent reserves player in the Mid 60s.

Terence Turnbull: Passed Away in mid-September 2019. Terry was an active member and timekeeper with our colts during the past few years.

Christopher Buttery: Son of long-time sponsors Steve and Dorothy Buttery. Sadly passed away at Murdoch Hospice on the October 1, 2019.

Joyce Kazakoff: Passed Away October 11, 2019. Joyce was a Life Time Member (2017) and wife of our former player Les (Cap 741), who played five games in 1951.

Luke Kempton: Passed Away in mid-October 2019. Brother-in-law of No. 1 Ticketholder Eileen Bond. Luke was a great supporter of the club, as is his entire family and sadly passed away in Bunbury.



PAST PLAYERS & OFFICIALS REPORT

Congratulations to Todd Curley and the League side in making the Grand Final against a strong Subiaco. Let's now look forward to rebounding with a strong pre-season and strive to go one better in 2020.

In our support of the Football Department this year please note that our major expenditure projects for the 2019 season included:

1. Installation of new water cooler in the change rooms - \$1195
2. New TV & bracket installation for the coaches box - \$300
3. New BBQ & gas bottle for club & football department usage - \$218
4. Player game day awards totalling \$2000
5. Financial assistance to the State Schoolboy & Schoolgirls jumper presentation & representatives - \$400
6. Colts Encouragement Award via the WAFL Combined PP&O's - \$100

More importantly the PP&O's did provide considerable funds towards the club in updating the TV Antennae

& TV network coverage service with installation costs of \$1975.

As with the membership funds raised over the season and foremost to our finances, I would especially like to thank our valued sponsors in Armando Sports, Jim Kidd Sports along with Peter Dennett & Steve Barrett.

I must mention the increased sponsorship from Phil Skelton at PFD Foods again additional to our existing fundraising.

A special mention must go to Brad, Lisa, Lorne & Pam McGuinness for their efforts in providing the meat and additional food in their annual commitment of the Roy McGuinness Family Day in support of the Reserves team & staff.

Particular thanks go to the Del Borrello girls - Sue, Kristy and Emmie along with Margaret Redpath and Marion Reid for particular assistance on match days.

Special mention to Emmie who again successfully ran the Entertainment Books as an additional fund raiser to the PP&O's income.

I personally would like to thank our patrons for 2019 - Brian Ciccotosto,

Frank Treasure and Peter Thorpe who have continued to embrace and foster the Past Player movement.

Importance must be made to President's Function and half time guests and speakers who ventured into the great man's room to keep the South tradition alive.

Our membership of 147 was very poor this year considering our member base that happens to fluctuate from year to year. However, this was dependant on the WAFL fixtures along with family, travel commitments and in particular health and well-being.

I would like to thank my committee for their support and encouragement over the year as we look forward to our new projects for 2020.

It would be remiss of me if I didn't thank Tom Bottrell, Jessica Nolan and Brooke Lombardo along with Russell Fletcher especially with pre and match day logistics.

Steve McCarthy has assisted us for well over 22 years, sometimes additional to his club role for which we, the PP&O's are especially thankful.

Thanks also to our newcomers in Ivan and Nelson (and bar staff) who have added that youthful exuberance to our functions along with the hectic match day assistance to the SFFC PP&Os.

Sadly during the 2019 season we had the passing of Colin Beard our mid 70s coach, along with Terry Turnbull a long standing timekeeper and both regular members of the PP&O's over many years.

In conclusion again I would call on all of us at the South family to make contact with the club and its PP&O's in order to increase our membership and further grow the return of our past players back to our home games.

Our main endeavour has always been to grow and foster the camaraderie by inviting as many as we can to re-join the club and enjoy South Fremantle and the WAFL competition again.



SOUTH FREMANTLE FOOTBALL CLUB

PREMIERSHIP PLAYERS

NAME	YEARS
H Adams	1916, 17
R Adams	2009
T Adams	2005, 09
W Anderton	1954
M Atkins	1997
G Bahen	1952, 53, 54
R Barrett	1980
B Beard	1947
P Bell	2009
H Black	1997
C Boot	1952, 53, 54
B Bootsma	1997
C Bossong	2009
T Bottrell	1997
R Brentnall	1916, 17
D Byfield	1953, 54
N Calder	1952
B Campbell	1980
H Campbell	1916, 17
W Campbell	1997
H Carbon	1947, 50, 52
N Carter	1980
B Ciccotosto	1970
L Clark	1970
M Clucas	2005
D Civich	1970
P Cobby	1954
D Cole	1947
J Colgan	1953, 54
F Collins	1916, 17
B Comben	1916, 17
K Cornell	1980
M Cornell	2005
L Crabbe	1948, 52
J Crawford	2005
R Crawford	1954
P Cronan	1980
J Crook	1950
P Daly	1954
R Daw	1970
C Dell'Olio	2009
S Delmenico	2009
W Delmenico	1980
N Dennis	1970
D Dixon	1950, 52, 53, 54
J Dorotich	1997
P Dougan	1970
P Duffield	2005
E Erickson	1947, 48, 50, 52, 53
J Farmer	2009
D Gault	1997, 2005
D Gilmore	2005, 09



NAME	YEARS	NAME	YEARS
E Graham	1947, 48	C Jones	2005
J Graham	2005, 09	R Jones	1953
L Green	1948, 50, 53	D Kelly	1950, 52, 53, 54
G Greer	1970	P Kelly	1997
R Griffiths	1917	T Kelly	1980
T Grljusich	1970	M Kenny	1916, 17
H Groom	1916, 17	F Legena	1970
E Grose	1953	C Lewington	1947, 48, 50
D Haddow	1970, 80	J Lockyer	1980
A Hams	2005, 09	H Mann	1970
K Hams	2005, 09	S Marsh	1947, 48, 50, 52, 53, 54
B Hardie	1980	B Mason	1947, 48, 50
D Hart	1997	J Matison	1948, 50
C Hawkins	1948	G Maxwell	1916, 17
A Hay	2005	T McGrath	2005, 09
R Hayden	2005	N McIntosh	1916, 17
L Hayward	1950	J McKay	1980
J Head	2009	L McKenzie	1916, 17
E Hewitt	2005	G McMahon	1916, 17
C Hickman	1952	C Michael	1997
J Hicks	1916, 17	S Michael	1980
C Hillier	1952, 53, 54	Kris Miller	2009
S Hunt	2009	T Morley	1980
S Huscham	1916	P Mugambwa	2009
K Hutcherson	1997	R Murphy	2005
R Hutchinson	1947	J Murray	1947, 48, 52, 53
D Hynes	1997	B Naylor	1947, 48, 50, 52, 53, 54
D Ingraham	1947, 48, 50	H North	2005
F Jenkins	1947, 48	G Nunn	1916
T Johnson	1997	G O'Brien	1980

NAME	YEARS
A Oldenhoff	1970
S Outhwaite	1980
T Parentich	1952, 53, 54
S Pears	1997
J Porter	1997
F Price	1947, 48
D Reed	1952, 53, 54
G Reilly	1970
J Reilly	1947, 48, 50
J Reilly	1970
P Renfrey	1947
D Rennick	1997
R Richards	1952, 54
D Rioli	1997
M Rioli	1980
T Ryan	1970
Graham Scott	1970
F Seinor	1970
D Shaw	1980
A Siegert	2009
J Sinclair	1997
K Smith	1970
N Smith	1950, 52, 53, 54
R Smithers	2005, 09
H Stephens	1947, 48
C Steward	1916, 17
W Stewart	1950
P Sumich	1997
R Sweetman	1980
'Sixer' Sykes	1917
H Tester	1916
S Thornton	2009
S Tipuamantamerri	2005
F Tomka	1970
F Treasure	1947, 48, 50, 52, 53, 54
P Troode	1970
G Tuxford	1916, 17
C Tyson	1948, 50, 52, 53, 54
K Ugle	2005
P Vasoli	1980
B Vigona	1980
D Wares	1947, 48, 50
R Webb	2005
A Western	1948, 50
B White	1952, 53, 54
C White	2005, 09
B Whiteley	1916, 17
G Wilkie	2009
C Wilson	2009
G Wootton	1997
P Worsfold	1997



LIFE MEMBERS

Griff John (1905)*
 Harry Hodge (1906)*
 Paddy McMahon (1907)*
 Harry Hicks (1910)*
 W Franklin (1911)*
 Peter Yeo (1911)*
 John Bitton (1912)*
 WJ Coates (1916)*
 Paddy O'Donnell (1921)*
 Natty Giles (1927)*
 Bert Hyman (1927)*
 Len Hicks (1928)*
 Hon Alex McCallum MLA (1928)*
 Johnny Campbell (1932)*
 Frank Hicks (1932)*
 Noah Hardeman (1933)*
 Bev Morris (1933)*
 Gordon Tuxford (1933)*
 Watty Wayman (1933)*
 Steve Caples (1934)*
 William Power (1934)*
 Ron Edgar (1935)*
 Cyril Jennings (1935)*
 Jim Doig (1936)*
 Harry Fuller (1936)*
 Cleave Doig (1938)*
 Percy Winch (1938)*
 Frank Townsend (1939)*
 William Hughes (1940)*
 Ron Richardson (1940)*
 AW Walker (1940)*
 Percy Dodd (1941)*
 Alf Doust (1941)*
 Jack Polinelli (1941)*
 George White (1941)*
 Claude Law (1943)*
 Frank Harrison (1945)*
 Neill Lewington (1945)*
 Frank Jenkins (1947)*
 Jack (Corp) Reilly (1947)*
 Percy Renfrey (1947)*
 William Collins (1948)*
 Frank Fuhrmann (1948)*
 Percy Youlden (1948)*
 Don Gillan (1949)*
 Clive Lewington (1949)*
 Richard Shanahan (1949)*
 Jack Joyce (1950)*
 William Moore (1950)*
 Arnold Richardson (1950)*
 Dr Ken Aberdeen (1951)*
 William Trehwella (1951)*
 William Holt (1952)*
 Albert Reynolds (1952)*
 Dave Ingraham (1953)*
 Bernie Naylor (1953)*
 Eric Ericksson (1954)*
 Stan Henderson (1954)*
 George Metherell (1954)*
 Frank Treasure Snr (1954)*
 Syd Lancaster (1955)*
 Steve Marsh (1955)

William O'Donnell (1955)*
 Jim Mation (1956)*
 George Warren (1956)*
 Tom Goldie (1957)*
 Jim Gough (1957)*
 Harry Carbon (1958)*
 Jack Grose (1959)*
 Norm Smith (1959)*
 Ern Willis (1959)*
 Ted Clarke (1960)*
 John Colgan (1960)
 Ray Hocking (1960)*
 Vic Jeffrey (1960)*
 Don Byfield (1961)*
 Colin Potts (1961)
 Lou Cockle (1962)*
 Cliff Hillier (1962)*
 Norm Allan (1963)*
 Tony Parentich (1963)
 Kyffin Miller (1964)*
 NT Bottrell Snr (1965)*
 Don Wares (1965)*
 Barry White (1965)
 Frank Hood (1966)*
 Jim Mills (1966)*
 Jack Murray (1966)*
 Charlie Tyson (1966)*
 Chris Carr (1967)*
 John Gerovich (1967)
 Ray Richards (1967)
 Gary Scott (1967)
 Bob Walker (1967)*
 Ron Warren (1967)*
 Eric Wood (1968)*
 Ernie Grose (1969)
 TR McGuinness (1969)*
 Norm Cockle (1970)*
 Len Crabbe (1970)*
 Ron Greer (1971)*
 John Todd (1972)
 Peter Davis (1973)*
 Fred Seinor (1973)*
 Ivan Glucina (1974)
 Tom Grljusich (1974)
 Milly Cockle (1975)*
 Doris Gough (1975)*
 Ida Grose (1975)*
 Claudia Harrison (1975)*
 Kath Ingraham (1975)*
 Nell Lewington (1975)*
 Isobel Murray (1975)*
 Marj Piggott (1975)*
 Ena Price (1975)*
 Arthur Price (1975)*
 Joy Richardson (1975)*
 Don Smith (1975)*
 Margaret Trehwella (1975)*
 George Paul (1976)*
 James Stewart (1976)*
 Brian Ciccotosto (1977)
 Dr Ernie Hodder (1977)*
 Rob Moore (1977)

Ron Hart (1978)
 Norm Craig (1979)*
 Arthur Hankinson (1979)*
 Dr Dick Reid (1979)*
 Norm Seaman (1980)*
 John Skelton (1980)*
 Richard Woodgate (1980)
 Colin Beard (1981)*
 Bob Carson (1981)*
 Gary Greer (1981)
 Don Haddow (1981)
 Norrie MacDonald (1981)*
 Joe McKay (1981)
 Stephen Michael (1981)
 Tony Morley (1981)
 Rod Barrett (1982)
 Mick Heath (1982)*
 John Lambrecht (1982)*
 Stan Ladner (1982)*
 Simon Outhwaite (1982)
 Ruby Wilson (1982)*
 Doug Chatfield (1983)*
 Alec Findlay (1983)*
 Sheila Greer (1983)*
 Chris Martinovich (1983)
 Greg Lorrigan (1984)*
 Noel Carter (1985)
 Ellie Ladner (1985)*
 Kevin Saint (1985)
 Benny Vigona (1985)
 Myrtle Williams (1986)*
 Malcolm Brown (1987)
 Jim Christie (1987)
 Harold Harper (1988)
 Maurice Rioli (1989)*
 Joe Maffina (1990)*
 Stan Magro (1990)
 Peter Thorpe (1990)
 Terry Dean (1991)
 Brad Collard (1992)
 Craig Edwards (1992)
 Bob Bright (1993)
 Cliff Collard (1993)
 Laurie Nevin (1993)
 John Lange (1994)
 Ernie White (1994)*
 Cedric Abbott (1995)*
 Ric Gloede (1995)
 Brad Hardie (1995)
 Jessie Leslie (1995)
 Wally Matera (1995)
 Bruce Monteath (1995)
 Jon Dorotich (1996)
 Santo Pasqua (1996)
 John Rigby (1996)
 Marty Atkins (1997)
 Brian Cant (1997)
 Keith Ferguson (1997)
 John Porter (1997)
 Don Dixon (1998)
 Pam McGuinness (1998)
 Marion Reid (1999)

Peter Worsfold (1999)
 John Bateman (2000)
 Tom Bottrell Jnr (2000)
 Kevin Cornell (2000)
 Sue Gurney (2000)
 Don Pasqua (2001)
 Franz Tomka (2001)
 Doug Weston (2001)
 Laurie Flanders (2002)*
 Murray MacDonald (2002)
 Peter Sumich (2002)
 Salvatore Capolingua (2003)
 Ron Porter (2003)*
 Brad Bootsma (2004)
 Peter Dougan (2004)
 Vida Dunstan (2004)*
 Anna Riddell (2004)*
 David Gault (2005)
 Jim Hurst (2005)
 Lorne McGuinness (2005)
 Tony Ryan (2005)
 Andrew Stone (2005)
 Gerry Bahen (2007)*
 George Grljusich (2007)*
 Merv Lockhart (2007)
 Toby McGrath (2008)
 Ross Sweetman (2008)
 Keren Ugle (2008)
 Paul Vasoli (2008)
 Sandy Cuccovia (2009)
 Joe De Petra (2009)*
 Alan Powell (2009)
 Ray Smithers (2009)
 Joan Jones (2010)*
 Greg Wootton (2010)
 Wayne Delmenico (2011)
 Laurie Green (2011)
 Des Kelly (2011)*
 Haydn Raitt (2011)
 Carl Micale (2012)*
 Hayden North (2012)
 Margaret Redpath (2012)
 Bertha Scobie (2012)
 Ron Johnston (2013)
 John Jones (2013)*
 Tony Mollica (2013)
 Craig White (2013)
 Kris Miller (2014)
 Peter Christie (2014)
 Arthur Maskos (2014)
 John Dimmer (2015)
 Ashton Hams (2015)
 Bob Mason (2015)*
 Basil Campbell (2015)
 Tony Walters (2016)
 Jennifer Nikolich (2016)
 Paul Mugambwa (2017)
 Ryan Cook (2018)
 Peter Johnson (2018)
 Harold 'Hassa' Mann (2018)
 Peter Taylor-Thorpe (2018)
 *Denotes Deceased

SOUTH FREMANTLE'S 100-GAME PLAYERS

PLAYER	DEBUT	GAMES	PLAYER	DEBUT	GAMES	PLAYER	DEBUT	GAMES	PLAYER	DEBUT	GAMES
Marty Atkins	1989	266	Hayden North	2002	155	Bruce Monteath	1972	117	Steven Verrier	2011	108
Tom Grljusich	1960	258	Bob Carson	1966	154	Ryan Murphy	2004	117	Joe Callow	1917	107
Gary Scott	1957	255	Natty Giles	1914	153	Percy Dodd	1934	116	Don Wares	1945	107
Frank Treasure	1942	254	Charlie Tyson	1948	152	Paul Mountain	1977	116	Zac Strom	2013	106
Stephen Michael	1975	243	Jon Dorotich	1981	151	Adam McIntosh	2011	116	Albert Matthews	1934	105
Don Byfield	1950	239	Hector Groom	1908	150	Ernie Graham	1940	115	Albert Higham	1937	105
Toby McGrath	1998	234	Frank Jenkins	1937	150	Frank Collins	1912	114	Stan Magro	1970	105
Steve Marsh	1945	226	Kris Miller	2007	150	Jim Doig	1927	114	Jaymie Graham	2002	105
John Gerovich	1955	221	Haiden Schloithe	2011	149	Andrew Siegert	2001	114	Sonny Bates	1901	104
John Colgan	1951	220	Albert Banks	1907	148	Gordon Tuxford	1915	113	Wally Smith	1930	103
Fred Seinor	1961	219	Ray Richards	1951	148	Percy Staton	1921	113	Bill Bateman	1919	102
Brian Ciccotosto	1967	211	Paul Mugambwa	2005	143	Frank Fuhrmann	1924	113	Alby Western	1947	102
David Gault	1996	211	Wally Matera	1982	142	Peter Sumich	1986	112	Des Kelly	1949	102
Eric Eriksson	1942	210	Harry Carbon	1945	141	Adam Hay	2002	112	Kevin Miller	1963	102
Ashton Hams	2004	205	Neil Lewington	1936	140	Brock Higgins	2014	111	Basil Campbell	1975	102
Jack Reilly	1937	204	Len Crabbe	1946	140	Don Stewart	1955	110	Daniel Gilmore	2002	102
Brad Collard	1984	202	Brad Hardie	1979	140	Murray Macdonald	1959	110	Jason Maskos	2012	102
Tony Morley	1971	200	Jerry Sunderland	1918	139	Toby Bairstow	2008	110	Peter Dougan	1964	101
Tom Bottrell	1992	200	Stan Badham	1957	136	Barry Cooper	1972	109	Peter Lauritsen	1973	101
Rod Barrett	1975	195	Dave Ingraham	1940	135	Greg Wootton	1991	109	Harry Hodge	1900	100
Bernie Naylor	1941	194	Don Dixon	1948	134	Kingsley Hutcherson	1996	109	Bill Holt	1927	100
Craig White	2004	192	Bob Cassidy	1956	133	Theo Adams	2003	109	Laurie Green	1948	100
John Porter	1990	191	John Todd	1955	132	Ben Saunders	2012	109	Eddie Bauskis	1973	100
George White	1928	182	Graeme Reilly	1965	132	Cory Dell'Olio	2008	109	Phil Cronan	1979	100
Clive Lewington	1939	182	Norm McIntosh	1910	130				Blayne Wilson	2015	100
Cyril Jennings	1924	177	Kevin Cornell	1976	130						
Keren Ugle	2000	176	Norm Smith	1942	129						
Ron Edgar	1924	172	Alan Rose	1969	128						
Cliff Collard	1986	172	Wayne Delmenico	1976	128						
Gary Greer	1963	169	Kyle Hams	2005	126						
Joe McKay	1974	169	Percy Renfrey	1936	125						
Johnny Campbell	1916	168	Ernie Grose	1952	125						
Colin Beard	1959	168	Adam Guglielmana	2008	125						
Don Haddow	1969	168	Pat Daly	1953	124						
Maurice Rioli	1975	168	Paul Vasoli	1979	124						
Benny Vigona	1977	165	Shaun Bewick	2012	124						
Brad Bootsma	1994	165	A (Sol) Lawn	1925	123						
Craig Edwards	1984	163	Darryn Rennick	1994	123						
Tony Parentich	1952	162	Bob Mason	1947	121						
Cliff Hillier	1951	160	Josh Head	2002	121						
Barry White	1952	160	Ray Bauskis	1972	120						
Ryan Cook	2011	158	Franz Tomka	1964	119						
Simon Outhwaite	1973	158	Matt Clucas	1999	118						
Ray Smithers	1999	157	John Brindley	1957	117						
Peter Worsfold	1987	156	Ron Doig	1959	117						
Noel Carter	1978	155	Graham Scott	1966	117						



CLUB HISTORY

YEAR	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY/CEO	COACH	YEAR	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY/CEO	COACH
1900	E Solomon	G John	-	1960	W J Hughes Snr	F W Harrison	M J McDonnell
1901	T O'Beirne	G John	-	1961	W J Hughes Snr	F W Harrison	M J McDonnell
1902	T O'Beirne	G John	-	1962	W J Collins	J Maffina	M J McDonnell
1903	T O'Beirne	G Matthews	-	1963	W J Collins	J Maffina	M J McDonnell
1904	T O'Beirne	A Barlow	-	1964	W J Collins	J Maffina	R Sorrell
1905	W Mills	G John	-	1965	W J Collins	J Maffina	R Sorrell
1906	W Mills	H Callaghan	-	1966	W J Collins	J Maffina	J Todd
1907	W M Owston	P Yeo	-	1967	F W Harrison	H Hanrahan	J Todd
1908	W M Owston	P Yeo	-	1968	F W Harrison	H Hanrahan	J Todd
1909	W M Owston	P Yeo	-	1969	F W Harrison	D W Bower	H Mann
1910	T Box	P Yeo	-	1970	W J Hughes Snr	K R Smith	H Mann
1911	M F Plaisted	P Russell	J Leckie	1971	W J Hughes Snr	K R Smith	H Mann
1912	H E Bolton	R Tapping	J Leckie	1972	R Hart	K R Smith	M Atwell
1913	A S Putland	R Tapping	W J Coates	1973	R Hart	K R Smith	M Atwell
1914	A S Putland	R Tapping	W J Coates	1974	R Hart	K R Smith	C Beard
1915	A S Putland	R Tapping	W J Coates	1975	R Hart	B V Thirley	C Beard
1916	A S Putland	W J Coates	W J Coates	1976	R Hart	B V Thirley	C Beard
1917	A S Putland	W J Coates	W J Coates	1977	R Hart	R May	P Johnson
1918	A S Putland	W J Coates	W J Coates	1978	D N MacDonald	R May	M Brown
1919	P G McMahan	W J Coates	W J Coates	1979	D N MacDonald	R May	M Brown
1920	R McCrutcheon	R M Fulton	W J Coates	1980	D N MacDonald	R May	M Brown
1921	J Strong	R M Fulton	T Cain	1981	D N MacDonald	H R Harper	M Brown
1922	G E Stevens	R M Fulton	W Craig	1982	A R Annear	H R Harper	M Brown
1923	G E Stevens	R M Fulton	W McGilvray	1983	A R Annear	H R Harper	M Brown
1924	G E Stevens	R M Fulton	P Youlden/T Bell	1984	A R Annear	H R Harper	M Brown
1925	G E Stevens	B Morris	D Heinrichs/T Sullivan	1985	W Ryder	H R Harper	D Haddow
1926	G E Stevens	B Morris	C J Sutherland	1986	W Ryder	H R Harper	D Haddow
1927	W Mulligan	B Morris	T Cain	1987	W Ryder	H R Harper	S Magro
1928	P J Barry	E Willis	C J Sutherland	1988	W Ryder	H R Harper	S Magro
1929	P J Barry	E Willis	N McIntosh	1989	W Ryder	H R Harper	S Magro
1930	P J Barry	P Winch	W Hebbard	1990	W Ryder	B Ciccotosto	S Magro
1931	P J Barry	P Winch	W Hebbard	1991	W J Hughes Jnr	B Ciccotosto	S Hargrave
1932	W L Morgan	P Winch	R Doig	1992	W J Hughes Jnr	B Ciccotosto	M Brown
1933	C W Doig	P Winch	N McIntosh	1993	R Gloede	B Ciccotosto	M Watson
1934	C W Doig	P Winch	A W Edgar	1994	R Gloede	B Ciccotosto	M Watson
1935	C W Doig	P Winch	A W Edgar	1995	R Gloede	B Ciccotosto	J Todd
1936	C W Doig	P Winch	J Jones	1996	R Gloede	B Ciccotosto	J Todd
1937	C W Doig	P Winch	J Jones	1997	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	J Todd
1938	C W Doig	P Winch	B Chandler	1998	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	J Todd
1939	F Sumpton	W J Truscott	B Chandler	1999	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	A Micale
1940	J A Polinelli	F W Harrison	K Shea	2000	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	P Sumich
1941	J A Polinelli	F W Harrison	J Bowe	2001	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	P Sumich
1942	J A Polinelli	B Morris	R Poole	2002	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	J Northey
1943	J A Polinelli	C Law	D Smith	2003	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	J Northey
1944	J A Polinelli	C Law	A Davies	2004	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	J Dimmer
1945	J A Polinelli	F W Harrison	N Lewington	2005	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	J Dimmer
1946	J A Polinelli	F W Harrison	N Lewington/J Ditchburn	2006	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	J Dimmer
1947	J A Polinelli	F W Harrison	R Hutchinson	2007	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	J Dimmer
1948	J A Polinelli	F W Harrison	R Hutchinson	2008	T Dean	B Ciccotosto	J Dimmer
1949	J A Polinelli	F W Harrison	R Hutchinson	2009	H Raitt	B Ciccotosto	J Dimmer
1950	J A Polinelli	F W Harrison	C Lewington	2010	H Raitt	B Ciccotosto	J Dimmer
1951	W J Hughes	F W Harrison	C Lewington	2011	H Raitt	B Ciccotosto	J Dimmer
1952	W J Hughes	F W Harrison	C Lewington	2012	H Raitt	B Ciccotosto	P Hasleby
1953	F C Fuhrmann	F W Harrison	C Lewington	2013	H Raitt	S Kemp	P Hasleby
1954	F C Fuhrmann	F W Harrison	C Lewington	2014	H Raitt	S Kemp	P Hasleby
1955	F C Fuhrmann	F W Harrison	C Lewington	2015	H Raitt	S Kemp	T Curley
1956	F C Fuhrmann	F W Harrison	C Lewington	2016	H Raitt	S Kemp	T Curley
1957	F C Fuhrmann	F W Harrison	C Lewington	2017	H Raitt	T Bottrell	T Curley
1958	F C Fuhrmann	F W Harrison	C Lewington	2018	H Raitt	T Bottrell	T Curley
1959	F C Fuhrmann	F W Harrison	J Todd	2019	P Christie	T Bottrell	T Curley

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YOUTUBE SERIES NOT TO MISS

The South Fremantle Football Club is always looking for new ways to embrace technology and also honour past, which is where the 'South Fremantle Forevermore' projects takes care of both missions.

Having already created YouTube video content in recent years started by 'Whitey's Whispers' hosted by Craig White which formed into 'Higgo's Heroes' with Brock Higgins along with the post-match interview with coach Todd Curley, this is the latest initiative undertaken by the Bulldogs.

The 'South Fremantle Forevermore' project aims to capture the voices and the stories of our club champions to ensure their stories are preserved, so that they can forever contribute to the future of our great club, and generations of Bulldogs to come.

Each month we'll bring you a new episode with Stephen Michael, Tom Grljusich, Hassa Mann, Laurie

Green, Tony Parentich, John Todd, Marty Atkins, Brian Ciccotosto, Toby McGrath, and more, to come.

Thank you to our mighty players, past and present.

Thank you to our loyal and dedicated members, staff and volunteers.

Thank you to Jane Grljusich and

Andi Ionita for their work in directing, producing and creating the South Fremantle Forevermore Project, and to our Patron and Number 1 Ticket Holder Eileen Bond for making this project possible.

Just go to the South Fremantle Football Club's YouTube page to watch all the videos.



WOMEN'S CAPTAIN REPORT

Lauren Vecchio

The 2019 season was upon us and it was the season of new beginnings.

There was plenty to be excited about, including the official merger of the women's club into the South Fremantle Football Club. This is such an honourable opportunity to become one club, underneath the 100+ years of South Fremantle history.

The year also saw a revamped coaching staff - the club appointed Jason Elliott, a new face down at the club to take on the role as Head Coach and Mark Murphy and Craig Turley as assistant coaches. It didn't take long for Jason to settle in and jump straight into pre-season training.

We were off to an unstoppable start to the home and away season going into Round 8 undefeated and just percentage behind Claremont at the top of the ladder.

This included our first derby hit-out of the season in Round 3 with a close win over East Fremantle.

We later met again in Round 8 at Fremantle Oval, which resulted in our first loss of the season.

We encountered two losses in a row, but we were determined to get back on the winners table.

Round 10 was a Saturday night blockbuster against Subiaco at Fremantle Oval.

It would be Jessica Nannup's last game as she was off to join partner Marlion Pickett in Melbourne who was drafted to Richmond.

With strong winds and torrential rain, we held on for a nail biting two point win - an unforgettable send off for Jess.

In Round 12 we

experienced a big loss to Claremont. This was a big eye opener for our playing group, as it pushed us further down the ladder. We hit the training track the following week and were determined to come back bigger and stronger for the last half of the season in order to make finals.

The next three fixtures saw our biggest wins for the season defeating Perth Angels, East Perth and Swan Districts. This bought optimism to the group going into the last three rounds, with finals our goal.

We travelled to Rushton Park to take on Peel Thunder in a must win game. It was a close contest over the four quarters and our girls came out on top with a strong win to secure a spot in finals. It was also young gun Milla Bickmore's 50th game for the club which made the celebration just that little more special.

On a high after the win over Peel Thunder, we were eager to take on the undefeated Tigers, and what a

game it was. It came down to a kick on goal, on the siren. Our girls secured a well-deserved win by two points.

It was now the final round of the home and away season and a chance to finish second on the ladder.

It was also a very special day for Vice Captain Jenelle Heard who played her 150th game for the club, with a roaring crowd present. In style, she kicked four goals in our win over West Perth - a massive achievement for any player in football. Jenelle has been an asset to our club throughout the years, showing great leadership and being a key player in the playing group.

Finishing the second half of the season with six straight wins and 2nd on the ladder, we were through to the First Semi Final, played out at Steel Blue Oval against Claremont. Congratulations to Olivia Hunt on her 50 games for the club. In a mighty team effort defeating Claremont in this game put us straight through to our first Grand Final in eight years - a first for many of our playing squad.

A lot of excitement and nerves around on Grand Final Day. We had another milestone on our hands with Hannah Barkell celebrating her 100th game for the club. Unfortunately, Claremont were too strong on the day, and we didn't come away with the win.

With plenty of positives coming out of our 2019 season, we are excited to tackle pre-season and come back stronger in 2020 and show more improvement to earn our spot in the League in 2021.

LAUREN VECCHIO

Captain



SENIOR WOMEN'S COACH REPORT

Jason Elliott

What an amazing way for our girls in both grades to finish the season. Unfortunately, both sides were unable to achieve ultimate success on Grand Final day but both teams should be exceptionally proud of the way that they have played out the season - when taking into account that approximately 70 per cent of this season's senior players are in only their first or second season ever of playing Aussie Rules Football.

When we started this season, the coaching group was given goals that we needed to achieve for the season - finish in finals if possible, player development, player retention and transitioning the club from a local club mentality through to a state level program. We managed to achieve all of these targets for the season which is a great effort. The opportunity to have a League team in 2020 was a major incentive for the girls and although we missed out on the 2020 League Licence, our efforts this season both

SEASON SNAPSHOT
SECOND POSITION
13 WINS, 3 LOSSES
LOST GRAND FINAL

on and off the field has provided the club with a confirmed place in the 2021 WAFLW Season. Congratulations to all involved.

Throughout this season we as a group have had to deal with plenty of sacrifice in order to achieve what we needed to achieve, so we would once again like to thank all those girls who continued training and supporting the club even when there was no spot for you in the side or at Cockburn Lakes. We all want to be playing football and this season was tough with the one side and at times we had 12-18 players missing out on playing a game of football. It is testament to the culture that we were aiming to create

that most of the girls stuck it out and supported our team mates while also gaining experience.

A couple of special mentions for the season goes out to Lauren Vecchio who won the Reserves Grade League medal. Lauren was captain of the team this season and led from the front all year - her support of other players and coaching staff was sensational. Eilish Grundon and Milla Bickmore were both selected and played in the State Carnival game earlier in the year against the U18's rep side and contributed to the team performance.

While this year has been an enormous step forward for the club, we aim to be pushing even harder in 2020. To give ourselves a chance of redemption on the big day and build the strongest and most competitive side possible to take into the League competition in 2021.

JASON ELLIOTT
Senior Women's Coach



WOMEN'S PLAYERS 2019

SENIORS (RESERVES)

NAME	GAMES	GOALS	NAME	GAMES	GOALS	NAME	GAMES	GOALS
Tanika Adams	14	1	Aimee Harris	14	0	Rachael Saffioti	3	0
Hannah Barkell	10	5	Jenelle Heard	17	11	Chae-Lee Salbie	15	0
Kaitlin Barnes	5	7	Olivia Hunt	9	2	Elle Sanders	16	5
Naomi Barrett	16	3	Jaymii Karapetkov	6	2	Louise Satterthwaite	3	0
Milla Bickmore	17	2	Belinda Martella	3	1	Susannah Shields	2	1
Caitlin Booth	5	1	Tasha Mcalpine	13	2	Melissa Silcock	17	2
Shannon Bradshaw	9	0	Talia Mckay	15	1	Breanne Spencer	10	0
Deni Broadhurst	17	0	Ariel Mroz	6	0	Chloe Taylor	15	0
Makayla Cocking	10	0	Jessica Nannup	8	2	Tash Vaughn-Taylor	16	0
Jesinta Craig	15	10	Leona O'Kane	3	4	Lauren Vecchio	17	5
Sharna Freeman	3	0	Laura Pintaudi	8	2	Tina Waddell	17	0
Eilish Grundon	16	6	Mel Porter	3	0	Chelsea Waideman	5	0

YOUTH GIRLS

NAME	GAMES	GOALS	NAME	GAMES	GOALS	NAME	GAMES	GOALS
Zoe Artemis	16	0	Manaia Duff-Grosvenor	10	0	Shakeeda Pickett	15	10
Jenna Bantick	14	6	Tara Garlett	8	3	Shakira Pickett	13	6
Michelle Campbell	4	0	Zoe Grice	17	3	Ashleigh Reidy	13	3
Gabrielle Canicosa	14	0	Nikita-Rose Hart	4	0	Rachael Saffioti	2	0
Ebony Clarkson	17	0	Ella Higgins	14	1	Emma Steinemann	15	5
Darcy Clements	12	3	Cali Hunt	15	1	Mim Strom	8	6
Keira Clements	8	1	Millie Jones	14	7	Kara Turley	9	0
Hannah Corney	11	16	Taite Lantzke	16	25	Jessi Waldron	11	0
Cairo Coventry	16	1	Keisha Miller	13	0	Ella Ward	18	4
Madeleine Culver	5	0	Liliana Jaques Mitchell	2	0	Tayla-Rose Whincup	15	15
Shanay Del Borrello	14	2	Ava Naylor	2	0	Aniqah Zakaria	1	0
Chloe Dowbnia	16	0	Cian Parsons	2	0			
Eva Drage	1	1	Jorja Payne	12	4			

YOUTH GIRLS COACH REPORT

Adrian Ivancich

What an amazing season and who can believe both teams made it through to Grand Finals. Even though we didn't walk away with premierships, both teams showed outstanding development throughout the season and all goes well for a very strong and competitive 2020.

The Youth Girls had 16 new players join the club this year and we played all 39 girls on our list by Round 6. Our focus all season was on development and for every player to show the coaches what they had to offer on the field. Amazingly with so many changes each week we were still able to win games and finished the season three games clear on top.

After a win over Peel in the second semi-final, we fell short on Grand Final day and Peel went back to back. Whilst having an empty feeling for days after the Grand Final, upon reflection we realised how successful our season really was. The development across the whole group, not just with playing the game but also the mental side, was evident in games late in the season when we were behind and the girls rallied and were able to win late in the games.

Some individual achievements need to be acknowledged and they were:

Mim Strom - All Australian U18 Selection and playing WAFLW for Swan Districts

Shakira Pickett - State 18s Selection National Carnival

Millie Jones - School Sport U15s All Australian Selection



I personally would like to thank our Captain Cali Hunt (Lilo or Skip) for her leadership and inspiration throughout the season - Cali really is a born leader. To our awesome assistant coaches Tina Waddell, Casey Byrne and Greg Dowbnia for all your hard work and commitment during the season. Lauren Corney, our Team Manager, who looked after all off-field issues and put in countless hours. Jenny Hunt for the stats and all my spreadsheets each week - I really appreciate all your support as do the players.

To Lisa Clements and Gail Bantick for all your help during the season on game day, and Rebecca John and Rachael Tynan for your professionalism and commitment shown to the players and coaches - we couldn't have achieved what we did without you.

I personally would like to thank the SFFC and the committee, especially Bruce Willis for making the female teams feel so welcome and being part of this great club. To Tom Bottrell and David Depane, thanks for all your support and good luck in your future roles.

I would like to thank

Graeme Pratt (Female Operations Manager) for your support and guidance throughout the season and keeping all players and parents informed throughout the year.

To Paul and Liam from the Stephen Michael Foundation, we look forward to building on one player experiencing Youths football this season and look forward to growing the relationship in 2020.

Good luck to the girls who had season ending injuries and operations through the later part of the season - we hope to see you back and around your team mates when you are up and running again.

I would like to close by saying to all the players, keep your heads up high. Some of you have played in two Grand Finals and a preliminary final in the past three years which is an amazing run of finals football - so learn by the experiences, stick together and hit pre-season with that burning desire to go one better in 2020.

Nothing is a given in sport or life and only hard work will get us there again in 2020. Thanks for the ride and

“DREAM IT POSSIBLE”

ADRIAN IVANCICH

Youth Girls Coach

SEASON SNAPSHOT
FIRST POSITION
15 WINS, 1 LOSSES
LOST GRAND FINAL





FEMALE FOOTBALL
YOUTH GIRLS FAIREST AND BEST

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Cali
HUNT

Runner-up: Jenna Bartick
Third place: Hannah Corney
Rising Star: Ella Ward
Player of the Finals: Hannah Corney
Player's Player: Cali Hunt

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FEMALE FOOTBALL
RESERVES FAIREST AND BEST

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Lauren
VECCHIO

Runner-up: Eilish Grandon
Third place: Chloe Taylor
Players' Player Award: Lauren Vecchio
Player of the Finals: Chloe Taylor
Best Club Person: Rebecca John

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WOMEN'S RESULTS

RESERVES					YOUTH GIRLS	
Rd	Opponent	Venue	Result	SF Score-Opp Score	Result	SF Score - Opp Score
1	Perth Angels	Home	W32	8.10 (58) - 4.2 (26)	W136	21.11 (137) - 0.1 (1)
2	West Perth	Home	W3	5.6 (36) - 5.3 (33)	W62	12.9 (81) - 3.1 (19)
3	East Fremantle	Home	W10	4.0 (24) - 1.8 (14)	L5	3.1 (19) - 3.6 (24)
5	Swan Districts	Away	W45	8.10 (58) - 2.1 (13)	W4	5.5 (35) - 5.1 (31)
6	Subiaco	Away	W4	3.6 (24) - 3.2 (20)	W17	5.7 (37) - 2.8 (20)
7	East Perth	Home	W26	3.8 (26) - 0.0 (0)	W60	8.12 (60) - 0.0 (0)
8	East Fremantle	Home	L16	1.7 (13) - 4.5 (29)	W75	12.10 (82) - 1.1 (7)
9	Peel Thunder	Away	L11	1.1 (7) - 2.6 (18)	W6	6.3 (39) - 5.3 (33)
10	Subiaco	Home	W2	1.5 (11) - 1.3 (9)	W27	6.5 (41) - 2.2 (14)
12	Claremont	Home	L42	0.3 (3) - 7.3 (45)	W89	13.12 (90) - 0.1 (1)
13	Perth Angels	Away	W46	6.11 (47) - 0.1 (1)	W62	9.15 (69) - 1.1 (7)
14	Swan Districts	Away	L34	5.11 (41) - 1.1 (7)	W29	7.6 (48) - 3.1 (19)
15	East Perth	Home	W70	10.10 (70) - 0.0 (0)	W4	4.6 (30) - 4.2 (26)
16	Peel Thunder	Away	L8	5.7 (37) - 4.5 (29)	W6	3.9 (27) - 3.3 (21)
17	Claremont	Away	W2	3.6 (24) - 3.4 (22)	W45	8.6 (54) - 1.3 (9)
18	West Perth	Home	W32	9.5 (59) - 4.3 (27)	W13	7.4 (46) - 5.3 (33)
SF	Claremont/Peel	Away	W7	4.3 (27) - 3.2 (20)	W17	5.4 (34) - 2.5 (17)
GF	Claremont/Peel	Away	L35	2.0 (12) - 7.5 (47)	L13	5.1 (31) - 6.8 (44)

RESERVES

Team	P	W	L	D	%	PTS
Claremont	16	14	2	0	304.9	56
South Frem 16	13	3	0	0	183.6	52
East Frem	16	12	3	1	247.4	50
Peel Thunder	16	10	6	0	225.2	40
Subiaco	16	6	8	2	95.5	28
West Perth	16	5	9	2	93.8	24
Perth Angels	16	6	10	0	57.9	24
Swan Dist	16	3	12	1	52.9	14
East Perth	16	0	16	0	7.4	0

YOUTH GIRLS

Team	P	W	L	D	%	PTS
South Frem 16	15	1	0	0	337.7	60
Peel Thunder	16	12	4	0	279.9	48
Subiaco	16	11	4	1	161.3	46
East Frem	16	9	7	0	154.2	36
Swan Dist	16	8	7	1	168.6	34
East Perth	16	7	8	1	113.0	30
West Perth	16	6	9	1	104.4	26
Claremont	16	2	14	0	43.8	8
Perth Angels	16	0	16	0	4.1	0



WOMEN'S SENIOR TEAM



BACK ROW: Tasha McAlpine, Tanika Adams, Jesinta Craig, Olivia Hunt, Deni Broadhurst, Talia McKay, Tina Waddell, Chloe Taylor, Tash Vaughn-Taylor

MIDDLE ROW: Hannah Barkell, Shannon Bradshaw, Makayla Cocking, Naomi Barrett, Elle Sanders, Jaymii Karapetkov, Ariel Mroz, Milla Bickmore, Caitlin Booth, Craig Turley

FRONT ROW: Rebecca John, Bree Spencer, Chelsea Waidemann, Jenelle Heard, Jason Elliott, Lauren Vecchio, Laura Pintaudi, Belinda Martella, Rachael Tynan

YOUTH GIRLS ROGERS CUP TEAM



BACK ROW: Taite Lantzke, Keira Clements, Millie Jones, Hannah Corney, Tayla-Rose Whincup, Ella Ward, Ava Naylor, Darcy Clements, Maddi Culver, Emma Steineman

MIDDLE ROW: Laura Corney, Cairo Coventry, Ella Higgins, Kara Turley, Michelle Campbell, Jenna Bantick, Aisling Hall, Zoe Grice, Rachael Tynan, Rebecca John

FRONT ROW: Tina Waddell, Shanay Del Borrello, Jessi Waldron, Zoe Artemis, Adrian Ivancich, Cali Hunt, Jorja Payne, Shakira Pickett, Mitchell Corver



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