



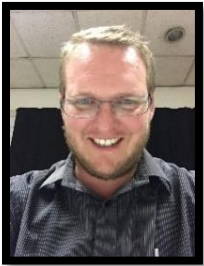
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From the Desk of the Vice Chair

By Tyron Sykes



Hello dear members of B74 AFC.

I am relatively new to the Bonaero family, so for my first official statement to the members I'd like to share my reason for standing and accepting this position.

I grew up belonging to a football club in Natal. From a very young age I spent most of my time at Escombe FC in Queensburgh. A club that my grandfather, George Beecroft was a legend, to this day they have a yearly tournament in his name and the field itself was re-named George Beecroft Park.

My grandfather was also an executive committee member for the "Durban Cubs Football Association" for many years. His goal was always to focus on the juniors, and to provide them with a safe and healthy environment where they could learn some fundamentals in life whilst playing football.



After the mass resignations of committee members shared on our social platforms I immediately wanted to get involved and offer any assistance I could possibly provide. At the young age of 24 I was invited to join the committee that my grandfather was once at the helm of QSA (Queensburgh Sports Association) which was responsible for EFC (Escombe football club) and many other divisions from darts, running and lawn bowls etc. I enjoyed being a part of this committee until my relocation to JHB in 2005.

For my son Thomas's 7th birthday, and with the influence from my wife and the Aldridge family we decided to register Tom into Bonaero U8s squad as his birthday present. After watching the first few games and befriending so many of the parents, the nostalgia of my childhood memories and being involved at EFC as an adult brought me to standing at the meeting where this all started for me. I was truly surprised when the nominations for Vice were announced and I had several nominations, but more importantly I was honoured.

We now have a new committee, and I must say that so far, the milestones achieved are impressive. In saying this, the challenges ahead are immense and it's going to take a team effort to achieve

the goals ahead. It's going to be impossible without the support of the members! So please get involved and reach out to the new committee, attend our functions, and support us to generate the funds we need to make this club awesome!

Note: all financials will be transparent and made public for all members under the new committee.

Rest well over the festive season and be safe!

Looking forward to a great 2023 season ahead!



A Coach's View

By Darron Hendrickse



Good day Bonaero 74 family,

Most you know me as I have been an active member of B74AFC for more than 9 years as a father watching and supporting my son, a coach to so many amazing kids over the years and a player in our Vets team. And now, as nominated by you, the new Junior Coordinator (responsible for age groups 6 - 17 years old). I am excited for this opportunity and the prospects that lie ahead.

I thank you for trusting me (and the rest of the new committee) with taking this club forward & making it the go to club for any football player on the East Rand.

As the junior coordinator I would like to start with introducing a philosophy at our club.

I believe our basic youth philosophy should be based on:

FUNDamentals (ball skills) & Decision-making (tactics)

FUNDamentals phase will focus on the individual and their skill. This can be maximized by using as many activities (group or individual) as possible with each player working with a ball.

Decision-making phase will focus on using their skill within the team. This is maximized by using as many activities as possible, employing small groups like playing small sided games which puts the whole game together and is fun. All players will be expected to learn all skills and all positions.

The objectives of this philosophy are to have players learn football skills and tactics and have fun (short-term) and learn all aspects of football to play at the highest possible level (long-term).



Winning games must not be the main objective or focus, instead, winning must be considered to be the result of the application of good ball skills and good tactics.



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New addition to the Committee



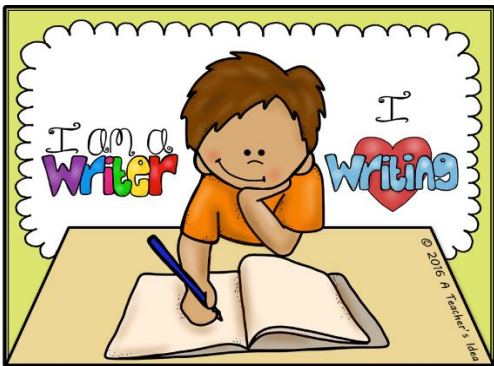
We would like to extend a warm welcome to Chantellé Falconer (aka Channa) who is not new to most of us here at B74, who has put her hand up and has been elected to the committee as our Registrar. 060 666 1343



We missed his face in the last newsletter, so just in case you don't know what he looks like - who doesn't know Scott though right 😊 here is your Senior Rep, Scott Coupland. 082 770 625

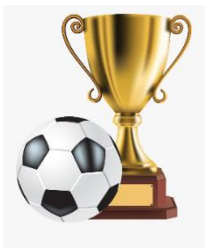
Write an article

A Calling to all writers and news sharers



Do you have a story or just have some news you would like to share about yourself, your team, your club?

We would like to encourage everyone, young and old to submit their articles (with a picture if you have one) to the B74AFC Social Rep for publication in the B74AFC News.



Returns Reminder

Whilst we know it is cool to have them, may we ask that all the floating trophies and kit please be returned to the club at your earliest convenience.



By Anina Hendrickse



YOUR name or your company name could be here, on our Social Media Platforms or on display at our soccer grounds.

An official B74AFC Sponsor!!!

As an NPO, we are not subsidized so anything we need, we need to raise ourselves. We rely on our community and members to see us through, but this is not enough.

We need important partners like **YOU** to help us grow and provide the amazing kids (and adults) that trust us with their football development, with a safe environment and access to trained coaches, kit and equipment.

Would you/your company be interested in serving as an official sponsor?

B74AFC would be happy to start a partnership at any level!

If you/your company are excited by this opportunity and to find out how you can help, please contact our Social Rep - Anina Hendrickse (0824078220)

We eagerly await your response.



Do you have any fundraising suggestions?

Well, don't keep them all to yourself 😊

Contact any of your committee members or WhatsApp Anina on 0824078220 with your ideas.

Donations



How about you donate your 'pre-loved' boots to the less fortunate? Bring your 'cleaned' old boots to the club and hand them in at the Bar.

Go Vets!!!!



17 Nov - What a beautiful sight! Our Vets team played a great game against Impala FC winning by 4 goals to 2! Go Vets!!! 🏆👏

Appreciation to our Referees



On the 18 Nov, B74AFC honoured our referees.

Our sincerest appreciation to them for a job well done. For keeping our players safe, enforcing the rules of the game, and allowing the players to have fun in a competitive game environment .. and most of all sticking it out through all the abuse 😊

We commend you!! See you in 2023 🏆

Bonaero Ladies!!!!



18 Nov - B74 Ladies vs Old Bens .. 3-4 loss. So close, leading 3-1 and then defeated. So bittersweet. But what a fantastic game! 🌟

25 Nov - Our ladies came back with a vengeance beating Alberton 3-0! 🌟



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CLASSIFIEDS

Are you a Plumber, Electrician or Carpenter? We need your services!

Please contact our chairman - Paulo Coimbra on 082 565 2348

Do you want to be a Referee?

B74AFC would like to hear from you. Watch this space for news of our upcoming courses and enrolment procedures

Do you have a business and would like to place an advert in our Newsletter?

Cost is R50 to run for 2 weeks. Newsletter will be shared on the Telegram Channel as well as the Club Facebook.

Please contact Anina on 0824078220

Footsies Tuck-Shop & Takeaway



Meet the team at Footsies who is there to serve you and see to your catering needs at the club or private functions.

Contact: Gale: 079 723-9929 or

Dinanne: 072 783-1676

Football Humour! 😊



UPCOMING EVENTS

3 December: U11 Soccer Tournament



16 Dec: B74AFC Golf Day!



Contact Scott on 0827706257 if you would like to participate or sponsor a hole. Don't delay, book your spot today.

We are also reaching out to anyone who can donate prizes towards our event.

If you are already on holiday but would like to contribute you can sponsor a hole or any prizes (golf balls, jackets, t-shirt, caps, alcohol towards a hamper, etc.)

All/any contributions will be greatly appreciated.

Please contact Jacqui on 0721886923

13-18 Dec: Soccer World Cup!



FIFA WORLD CUP Qatar 2022

Save the date and come and join us at the club for the semi finals and finals. Bring your friends and family.

All games start at 9pm. Be there from 8pm and join in the festivities.

Footsies will be serving awesome munchie baskets 😊

Fixtures:

Tues	13 Dec	1 st Semi Final
Wed	14 Dec	2 nd Semi Final
Sat	17 Dec	3 rd Place Playoff
Sun	18 Dec	FINAL

WIN!! Your chance to win. Running competitions during the screening - but you need to be there 😊

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