

JUNIOR BOYS FOOTBALL

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The team displayed their skills and played with great sportsmanship with highlights to Willem Allen who kicked the goal of the day against Irymple and Johnathan Dimasi who contributed five goals for the day showing great speed and agility up forward. In Swan Hill the team took on Echuca, Bendigo, Maryborough and Swan Hill, we went into the competition with confidence taking it up to Echuca (bless you) in the first game and only losing by 7 points despite being a player down in the second half.

The team then played Bendigo (CMC) the team that went on to win through to the next stage, we lost the game through inaccurate kicking in front of goals with the team showing that they had what it takes to compete with Bendigo in future years. After a disappointing start to the day with two losses and our hopes of moving to the next stage of the state completion over the team showed great resolve beating Maryborough comfortably and then finishing the day off in a strong game against the host town.

Highlights for the day, Xavier Littore kicking a goal after three running bounces up the middle of the ground. Ryan Watson was simply everywhere taking intercept marks in defence, winning the ball at the stoppages and setting up goals when moved forward. Brodie Jones, Will Kelly and Kai Andriske all played well showing their athleticism against skilful opposition.

All three of the Year 7 students selected in the team Willem Allen, Jack Ough and John Ienco all played well complimenting their older teammates with great determination and skill around the Football, the future of the Junior boys team looks bright with these three leading the way.

The team also looked great on the day, sporting the classic Red, White and Blue jumpers kindly supplied by the Wentworth District Football Netball Club.

Big thanks to all involved in the organisation of the carnivals.

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