



U11 Div 2



Trophy Recipients	
Best & Fairest	Jack Gardiner
Most Improved	Patrick McDonald
Team Player	Jake Mikhail
Leading Goal Kicker	Jake Mikhail (9)

Season Summary

The team enjoyed a great season together. At the beginning of the season, most of the boys had never played together but soon forged a wonderful bond, learning to play as a team whilst having fun at the same time. Their improvement throughout the season was massive, with each player learning new skills and developing the ones they already possessed.

It is a great testament to the culture of the Magpies club that when we were invariably short a player or two, we were always helped out by other teams, seeing 41 players play for us at one stage or another. Special thanks to the players and their parents from the Under 10 boys, Under 11 girls and Under 11 Division 1 team who helped out. Your assistance was greatly appreciated. And a huge thank you to the parents who helped out each weekend and cheered on our players in such a supportive fashion.

It has been a pleasure to see these boys develop as footballers, friends and fine young men.

Manager: Dean McRae

Coach: Peter Blade



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Player Profiles:

Damon Blade: A mighty defender who stopped many an opposition raid before it got to the goal. Was also able to use his size in the midfield to deal with some of the more aggressive opposition.

Sam Coddington: A workhorse in the backs and midfield. Never stopped chasing the ball and more importantly, never stopped smiling.

Jack Gardner: A natural footballer who has all the skills. Equally at home scoring goals in the forwards as he is setting them up from the midfield.

William Heaton: A natural forward. He possessed a lethal left boot that scored him many goals throughout the season including a hat-trick in one match.

Aidan Johnson-MacRae: Loves tackling almost as much as getting in the middle of the ruck to win the ball to set up his taller team mates. A great team player.

Zane MacDonald: Has speed to burn and an insatiable appetite to win the ball. Many an attacking raid was started by his handy work in the mids.

Patrick McDonald: A debutant to AFL this year but you'd never know it. A revelation in the backs where the ball very rarely got past him.

Jake Mikhail: Only knew how to give 100% in a match, constantly putting his body on the line. A ferocious tackler and the team's number 1 goal scorer.

Luca Petrovic: Another one of the team's speed demons with natural football skills. Never shirked from the hard stuff.

Noah Roberts: A total team player. A terrier on the field, always around the ball feeding opportunities to his team mates.

Lachlan Stewart: The team's "Mr Reliable". Began the season in the forwards as a goal scoring wizard but ended up in the mids and backs where he never let the team down.

Lachlan Scott: Many an opposition attacking raid was stopped due to his lightning speed and never say die attitude. Never stopped trying.

Thomas Varga-Strike: Another natural footballer with excellent positional play. Many a goal came from his service on the wing.



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