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Marist is on Instagram as well as Facebook.

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Club Photos

Team photos are being taken on the following weekends:

Sunday 16th August
Sunday 23rd August
Sunday 30th August

Team managers will be in touch regarding your team's time slot.

NSA Treasurer

The Newman Sports Association is looking for a new treasurer.

It involves about one hours work a month plus attending a meeting every second month.

If you're interested contact John Lucas on John.Lucas@cewa.edu.au

Parking

Visitors are reminded to park in designated car bays at the club and around the school. Please stay off verges of nearby residents.

There is plenty of parking at the school carparks off Empire road.



Johan Schmidt Photography

Marist is back for 2020

The season is now well underway with Marist teams happy to be back playing at the club's home ground.

Marist has registered nine youth teams (Y7-12) this year and have had a mixed start to the season. After two rounds most teams have managed at least one win - except for the Year 10s who are two from two. Great Job Coach Tom Gurner!

Win, lose or draw Marist is looking forward to an exciting season.

Win a car in the Toyota 'Good for Footy' Raffle



**Go into the draw to win a
2019 RAV4 valued at \$37,309.**



Tickets are \$5 each and all money raised goes to Marist FC. The raffle will be drawn 12pm AWST, 27th August. Purchase tickets online [here](#)

Marist Girls get a helping hand from AFLW team

Despite a cold start to the season all of the teams have been excited to finally get games underway.

Training sessions have been well attended with all teams showing major improvements in their skills and confidence. A major focus has been to nurture the culture and comradery amongst the teams whilst keeping a fun and friendly environment for them to enjoy their footy. The Year 5/6s are enjoying the prestigious post game "Curly Wurly" award for Most inspirational efforts!

The Marist Girls teams are lucky enough to be sharing the Newman training facilities with the West Coast Eagles Women's AFL team, who have kindly made available players to assist training the Girls teams.

Senior coach Adam Selwood has offered the senior Marist girls the opportunity to go behind the scenes and experience what it's like to be in the Women's AFL team by allowing the girls to sit in on team meetings, and view game preparation at the highest level.



The West Coast Eagles Women's AFL team

Mal Green Medal Night

This year's Sponsors and Life Members night will be held at the Club on Friday 14 August from 6pm. There will be two games on the night involving Marist and North Beach.

The Club was endeavouring to get as many Past Players back to the Club as possible but these plans have been halted due to COVID 19 and number restrictions.

Mal Green and his family have had a long history with Marist. The evening has been named in honour of Mal's contribution to the club.



Great news for coffee lovers

Newman College has set up an online ordering system for parents needing their caffeine hit on Sunday mornings.

Coffees from the onsite coffee van can be ordered here:

newmancafe.com.au

Auskickers excited to kick off season



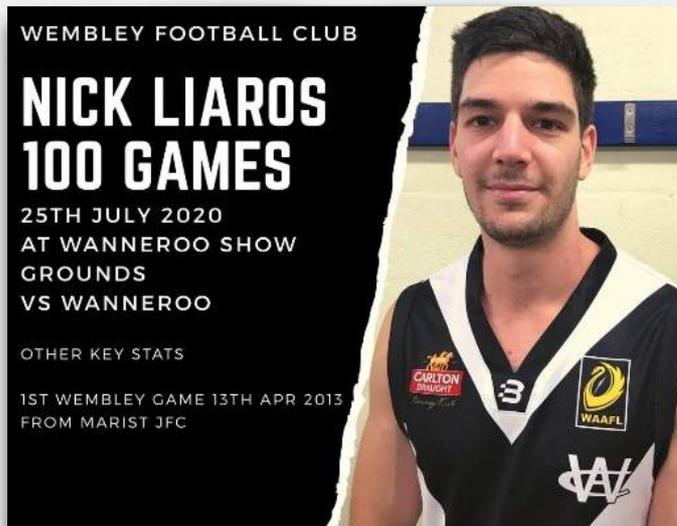
We have been blessed with a great start to Auskick – with enthusiastic kids and parents turning up and enjoying Perth winter sport.

A special thanks to the volunteers who help each week - either cooking the sausages or helping on the field - community sport cannot run without parent involvement and we do it well at Marist.

The sausage sizzle stall has been run off its feet and this week our main goal is not to sell out before the Auskick session finishes – so don't forget to come along and grab a snag before you leave.



Congratulations to former Marist player on 100 games for Wembley FC



Well done to Nick Liaros on this great achievement.

Nick and his family have a strong connection with Marist FC. They own Brumby's in Doubleview and are still proud sponsors of the club.

Golden Ravioli Pasta Drive

A big thank you to the 100 families who placed an order with the Club's Pasta Drive.

All up we took \$7,000 in sales and made \$1,500 profit. Great effort Marist!



The club's lucky duck



An eventful Sunday for footballers and spectators.

A mother duck and her 7 ducklings were found stranded on a roof next to the Marist Clubrooms.

Thanks to local firefighters they were all rescued and brought to safety.



Junior footy commences on a positive note

It's been extremely rewarding to witness all the players back out enjoying the game with their mates after such a long wait - and all the hard work by the many volunteers to get the club and the season underway.

We have had a positive return of players in the juniors years 3-6 this season, especially when you consider all the disruptions and conflicting sports that also needed to make changes to fixtures and training times with the delays in commencing. The hard work that the NSA and Newman did to get the grounds back ready for us to use at Marist was also appreciated; not an easy feat with state government and WAFC compliance conditions needing to be met. We are nearly out of the woods with restrictions and hopefully it will be business as usual in the not too distant future!

If anyone has any queries on registration or about the modified rules for Junior football, please email David Bornmann – Marist FC Junior VP on junioryvp@maristfc.com.au



A word from the President



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We're back!

After 2 rounds of footy it feels like life is back to normal! Whilst we are all doing our bit to ensure we all stay safe, it is so good to see the kids enjoying our great game.

This year has brought many changes to life as we know it, but seeing our 5/6 Girls run out to start the season at home was a welcome relief, which was clear to see by the smile on coach Glen McCallum's face.

I would like to congratulate all teams on the smooth start to the season, every club and team is only as good as it's many volunteers and we are very lucky to have everyone pitch in.

Thank you to our Umpires

Congratulations to all teams on their exceptional game day behaviour, it is something we pride ourselves on at Marist and we are once again setting the standard.

The support of our junior umpires is first class, we all know they are learning as are our players. Our parent and spectator behaviour has been as always, very supportive.

As a small token of our support we want to remind all umpires that we are continuing to provide a free drink at our canteen for all umpires after their games.

West Coast Eagles women

We are very fortunate to have the West Coast Eagles AFLW team training at our home ground on Mondays and Thursdays so please encourage our girls and boys to stay after training to watch and pick up a few tricks.

We are planning some coach education sessions with the WCE coaches and will communicate to all coaches about dates and times.

Thank you to our Volunteers

Thank you to all volunteers who help share the load and support our managers and coaches by volunteering a small amount of their time on Fridays and Sundays.

There is always a lot to do and it is the work of countless parents who pitch in to make sure a club as large as ours runs so smoothly.

Footy Champs

Our very successful long running program for kids of all abilities kicked off this week with plenty of fun had by all. A huge thank you to Nicole Milne for all her work with this group as team Manager.

I want to thank former President Jack Penniment for his many years of support as coach to this group.

Please contact me if anyone would like to volunteer some time working with this great bunch of kids.

