

2008 - B Grade

Competing in the South Australian Amateur Football League in Division 2 Reserves.

Coach - John Tomaselli
 Runner - Steve Ferguson
 Team Manager - Graham Lawrence
 Captain - Cambell Murdoch
 Vice Captain - Nathan Adey

Round 1 12 April *Athelstone* 7.4 9.12 11.14 16.18 (108)
 Torrens Valley Payneham NU 2.0 2.1 6.3 6.6 (42)

Best - S.Constable, B.Waechter, T.Ruch, K.Griffin, C.Murdoch
 Goals - M.Constable, S.Sullivan 3, M.Centofanti, M.Newell 2, S.Constable, C.McPeake, T.Ruch, D.Whittenbury, S.Williams, S.Willment
 Great first quarter that had PNU wondering how long their day was going to be. We went a bit quiet in the 2nd and 3rd but finished off strongly. This side will be one to reckon with this year.

Round 2 19 April *Athelstone* 7.2 7.5 10.11 15.18 (108)
 Scotch College *Scotch OC* 1.3 3.5 6.7 8.10 (58)
 Oval

Best - L.Stewart, B.Waechter, R.Castellano, M.Centofanti, K.Griffin
 Goals - M.Centofanti 6, C.McPeake, D.Whittenbury, M.Newell 2, R.Castellano, S.Williams, J.Chigwidden
 Great first quarter once again with Cenna bagging 5 of those. Scotch got their act together after that for a pretty even last 3 quarters. A good win nonetheless.

Round 3 26 April *Athelstone* 4.4 6.5 9.5 11.9 (75)
 Camden Oval *PHOS Camden* 3.1 6.3 9.4 10.7 (67)

Best - T.McPeake, L.Stewart, M.Newell, K.Griffin, J.Pike
 Goals - M.Newell 5, C.McPeake 2, T.McPeake, T.Ruch, L.Stewart, M.Centofanti

Photos

Round 4 3 May *Athelstone* 3.2 4.4 8.5 11.8 (74)
 Torrens Valley Modbury 3.3 6.6 7.8 10.8 (68)

A gutsy win against some quality opposition. Stuck it for 4 quarters and reaped the rewards.

Best - D.Whittenbury, J.Pike, M.Centofanti, T.McPeake, C.Murdoch
 Goals - M.Centofanti 4, M.Constable, S.Williams 2, S.Constable, J.Chigwidden, T.McPeake
 It was a hard fought win against a determined opposition. They were good early but we fought our way back to stay undefeated.

Round 5 10 May *Adelaide Uni* 3.3 7.5 12.7 15.11 (101)
 University Oval *Athelstone* 0.3 2.4 4.7 5.12 (42)

Best - T.McPeake, S.Williams, B.Harkin, D.Sullivan, B.Waechter
 Goals - A.Norsworthy, S.Williams, R.Roberts, J.Kelly, T.Woolford
 Injuries were only part of the story here, we put in a shocker.

Round 6 17 May *Athelstone* 0.3 2.6 5.13 6.16 (52)
 Torrens Valley *Pembroke OS* 1.2 2.4 2.4 6.8 (44)

Best - A.Norsworthy, L.Harrington, S.Constable, T.Woolford, L.Stewart
 Goals - M.Centofanti 3, A.Norsworthy 2, C.Murdoch
 The early part of the day was wet, and we adapted well. Got way out in front but they finished well. They were never going to catch us though.
 Achievements - Nathan Adey 100th game

Round 7 24 May *SMOSH West Lakes* 4.1 5.4 7.4 10.7 (67)
 West Lakes Shore *Athelstone* 2.1 4.2 8.7 9.10 (64)
 Oval

Best - M.Fenton, J.La Bella, S.Williams, T.Allen, C.Murdoch
 Goals - M.Piro 3, S.Constable, B.Chislett, S.Sullivan, T.Allen, S.Sullivan, M.Newell
 We lost it, they didn't win it. We led all day, missed some easy shots at goal and they stole it with the last kick of the day.
 Achievements - Daniel Sullivan 50th game

Round 8 31 May *Sacred Heart OC* 3.4 5.9 8.13 13.16 (94)
 Torrens Valley *Athelstone* 3.1 5.3 5.5 6.7 (43)

Best - T.Allen, S.Williams, C.Murdoch, J.La Bella
 Goals - S.Williams 2, T.Allen, T.Woolford, S.Sullivan, B.Waechter
 We were right in it at half time but after that it was disappointing.
 Achievements - John La Bella 150th game

Round 9 14 June *Edwardstown* 6.0 8.1 11.1 17.4 (106)
 Edwardstown *Athelstone* 1.3 4.5 7.9 10.11 (71)
 Recreation
 Reserve

Best - R.Roberts, M.Schibani, J.Chigwidden, S.Sullivan
 Goals - M.Newell 3, J.Farnan, S.Sullivan 2, T.Ruch, J.Chigwidden, C.McPeake
 Their accuracy, and to an extent our inaccuracy, told the story of the day. Must work our way out of the slump this week.

Round 10	21 June Payneham Oval	Athelstone <i>Payneham NU</i>	5.1 1.2	7.1 3.2	9.6 6.2	13.7 9.3	(85) (57)
		Best - J.Farnan, S.Sullivan, M.Newell, T.Allen, M.Fenton Goals - B.Miller, P.Jarmyn, C.Murdoch, T.Allen 2, S.Constable, L.Stewart, C.McPeake, A.Norsworthy, M.Centofanti Back in the winners circle. Not the most convincing win but it was a win we had to have. Keeps us in touch with the top 5.					
Round 11	28 June Torrens Valley	<i>Athelstone</i> Scotch OC	2.4 1.2	4.9 1.3	7.16 2.3	10.22 4.4	(82) (28)
		Best - M.Fenton, S.Constable, C.McPeake, J.Chigwidden, A.Ruggiero Goals - S.Constable, C.McPeake, M.Newell, A.Norsworthy 2, M.Centofanti, J.Chigwidden The boys are getting the wins at the moment but doing it tough. As the score line suggests, we were wayward in front of goal, lucky for Scotch. Achievements - Mark Centofanti 250 games					
Round 12	5 July Torrens Valley	PHOS Camden <i>Athelstone</i>	1.2 3.2	3.4 5.4	8.4 8.4	11.5 10.4	(71) (64)
		Best - C.Murdoch, L.Harrington, B.Miller, T.Allen, M.Fenton Goals - C.McPeake 4, M.Centofanti, A.Norsworthy 2, R.Roberts, L.Stewart Really took it up to PHOS but a couple of loose disposals cost us a much needed win against a top 5 side. Will go into this weeks game against Modbury with high hopes.					
Round 13	12 July Modbury Oval	<i>Athelstone</i> <i>Modbury</i>	2.3 5.1	7.5 7.2	9.7 9.5	12.9 9.7	(81) (61)
		Best - T.Woolford, J.Kelly, R.Willshire, C.McPeake, T.Ruch Goals - L.Grivell, M.Centofanti 3, J.Farnan 2, T.Woolford, J.La Bella, C.Murdoch, R.Roberts A good win against another side challenging for a top 5 spot. The win puts us back in the 5. The game was won in the third quarter against a strong breeze when we matched them on the scoreboard.					
Round 14	19 July Torrens Valley	<i>Athelstone</i> Adelaide Uni	3.3 2.1	5.9 4.2	8.14 5.3	11.16 11.8	(82) (74)
		Best - D.Sullivan, T.Woolford, R.Roberts, J.Kelly, T.Ruch Goals - M.Centofanti, C.McPeake, R.Roberts 2, S.Constable, M.Fenton, L.Grivell, L.Stewart, T.Woolford Another good win against a top 5 contender. If not for poor kicking for goal we could've really put them away. Reverses an embarrassing loss the last time we played them.					
Round 15	26 July Pembroke College	<i>Athelstone</i> <i>Pembroke OS</i>	3.4 1.3	7.6 2.3	8.9 2.4	12.12 4.5	(84) (29)
		Best - J.La Bella, T.Ruch, N.Adey, D.Sullivan, A.Ruggiero Goals - C.McPeake 3, J.Farnan, M.Centofanti 2, R.Castellano, A.Ruggiero, M.Newell, L.Grivell, S.Willment We were in control all day and ran out comfortable winners.					
Round 16	2 August Torrens Valley	<i>Athelstone</i> SMOSH West Lakes	2.0 1.2	3.0 4.5	4.6 4.6	6.8 6.8	(44) (44)
		Best - T.Ruch, J.La Bella, L.Harrington, S.Williams, N.Adey Goals - B.Miller 2, M.Centofanti, J.Farnan, L.Grivell, A.Ruggiero A draw was disappointing after getting ahead of them a little in the last. Missed some shots at goal but the conditions were a bit slippery. Keeps us in the hunt for a top three finish but need to win one more to cement a top 5 spot.					
Round 17	9 August Brighton Oval	<i>Sacred Heart OC</i> <i>Athelstone</i>	1.2 0.2	3.3 1.2	4.4 2.4	4.5 2.4	(29) (16)
		Best - N.Adey, C.McPeake, A.Ruggiero, S.Constable, M.Centofanti Goals - M.Centofanti 2 In atrocious conditions, there was rain and hail, it was a bit of a lottery and almost impossible to score. Achievements - Scott Constable 50th game					
Round 18	16 August Torrens Valley	<i>Athelstone</i> Edwardstown	1.0 1.2	4.1 5.4	5.2 5.7	7.3 6.8	(45) (44)
		Best - S.Constable, J.La Bella, A.Ruggiero, N.Adey, R.Willshire Goals - T.Allen, R.Castellano, M.Caudle, M.Centofanti, C.McPeake, T.Ruch, R.Willshire The conditions were poor and we trailed all day. Kicked the last 2 goals of the game late in the last to snatch a thrilling win. That win kept us in the 5 and dropped Townies to 6th.					

Premiership Table

	W	L	D	F	A	Pts	%
PHOS Camden	14	3	1	1508	1018	29	59.7
SMOSH West Lakes	14	3	1	1269	970	29	56.7
Sacred Heart OC	13	5	0	1400	933	26	60.0
Athelstone	11	6	1	1217	1084	23	52.9
Modbury	10	7	1	1294	1311	21	53.4
Edwardstown	10	8	0	1403	935	20	60.0
Adelaide Uni	9	9	0	1324	1411	18	53.7
Scotch OC	3	15	0	861	1349	6	39.0
Payneham NU	3	15	0	845	1796	6	32.0

Qualifying Final Sacred Heart OC 10.5 (65) d SMOSH West Lakes 5.10 (40)

23rd August

St Marys Park

Elimination Final

Modbury	4.1	7.1	9.5	11.6	(72)
Athelstone	2.0	5.1	6.4	8.7	(55)

23rd August

Thebarton Oval

Best - N.Adey, D.Sullivan, A.Ruggiero, M.Caudle, L.Harrington

Goals - M.Caudle 3, M.Centofanti, T.Allen, A.Ruggiero, M.Newell, L.Grivell

Photos

Just didn't click on the day, got behind early and whilst we threatened at times we just couldn't bridge the gap.
Sacred Heart OC 13.8 (86) d PHOS Camden 7.14 (56)

2nd Semi Final

30th August

St Marys Park

1st Semi Final

SMOSH West Lakes 9.3 (57) d Modbury 5.8 (38)

30th August

Modbury Sports Reserve

Preliminary Final

PHOS Camden 9.12 (66) d SMOSH West Lakes 4.6 (30)

6th September

St Marys Park

Grand Final

PHOS Camden 9.7 (61) d Sacred Heart OC 3.7 (25)

13th September

Thebarton Oval

Goalkickers

M.Centofanti	33
C.McPeake	19
M.Newell	17
S.Sullivan	8
A.Norsworthy	8
S.Williams	7
M.Constable	7
J.Farnan	7
L.Grivell	7
R.Roberts	5
T.Allen	6
S.Constable	5
J.Chigwidden	4
C.Murdoch	4
L.Stewart	4
T.Woolford	4
T.Ruch	4
M.Caudle	4
B.Miller	4
D.Whittenbury	3
A.Ruggiero	3
M.Piro	3
R.Castellano	3
T.McPeake	2
P.Jarmyn	2
S.Willment	2
J.Kelly	1
B.Chislett	1
B.Waechter	1
J.La Bella	1
M.Fenton	1
R.Willshire	1

Club Best and Fairest Votes

S.Constable	56	S.Sullivan	21
J.La Bella	56	A.Norsworthy	20
C.Murdoch	55	N.Adey	19
B.Waechter	42	J.Kelly	15
R.Roberts	39	J.Pike	15
L.Harrington	36	M.Newell	14
M.Fenton	35	K.Griffin	12
S.Williams	35	R.Willshire	10
T.Ruch	34	M.Centofanti	9
T.Allen	32	B.Miller	8
T.Woolford	31	R.Castellano	7
D.Sullivan	30	D.Whittenbury	6
L.Stewart	29	S.Willment	6
T.McPeake	28	P.Jarmyn	5
C.McPeake	26	T.Waldon	4
A.Ruggiero	26	B.Harkin	3
J.Farnan	22	M.Schibani	2
J.Chigwidden	21	A.Waldon	1

Trophy Winners

Best and Fairest	Scott Constable
Best and Fairest	John La Bella
Most Consistent	Cambell Murdoch
Most Improved	Todd McPeake
Best First Year Player	Ryan Roberts



Scott Constable and John La Bella



Cambell Murdoch, Ryan Roberts, Scott Constable, John La Bella, Danny Sullivan

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Tot
Scott Constable	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	7
Mark Fenton	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6
Justin Kelly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	3	6
Sean Williams	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	5
Chase McPeake	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Jason Chigwidden	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Antony Ruggiero	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	4
Damien Whittenbury	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Cambell Murdoch	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Ben Waechter	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Micheal Newell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3

Ryan Castellano	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
John La Bella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
Steve Willment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Adam Waldon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Mark Centofanti	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Todd Ruch	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1