

REYNELLA FOOTBALL CLUB



HOME OF THE WINEFLIES

PLAYER'S HANDBOOK

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The Reynella Football Club was formally established on 18 April 1896 at a meeting at the Crown Hotel making it one of the oldest Football Clubs in Australia. The first playing ground was secured behind the Crown Hotel 'within an hour and a half's drive from the city'.

Reynella Football Club – 1905 (behind the Crown Hotel)

In these early days there was no organised competition with players travelling long distances to battle with other clubs – just for fun. In 1909, Reynella Football Club temporarily joined a competition run by the Marion/Sturt Football Clubs before joining the Mid Southern Competition in 1913 to play against other teams 'down the hill'. In 1913, the club also relocated it's oval from behind the Crown Hotel to it's current position on Oval Road.



In 1928, Reynella Football Club combined with current day arch rivals Morphett Vale and joined the Southern Football Association. They



reformed again in their own right in 1930 and became 'Black and Red' as most players already had their jumpers from their days playing with Morphett Vale. Reynella rejoined the Glenelg-South Adelaide Football Association until 1947 when they finally returned to the Southern Football League for the last time.

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Upon entering the SFL in 1947, the club again changed their colours – this time to Brown & Gold to avoid clashing with Morphett Vale. They played in these colours until 1968 when they changed to Black & White and have remained these colours ever since.



Having contested two losing grand finals in the 1950s the Wineflies finally broke through for a premiership in 1969, beating Christies Beach in the grand final by 16 points, 11.3 (69) to 7.11 (53). The victory might, and perhaps ought to, have been a springboard to even greater things as the side went on to contest seven of the next eight grand finals. However, only twice, in 1975 and 1977, was the premiership attained. In 1975 they defeated McLaren Flat by 20 points 14.15 (99) to 11.13 (79) and in 1977 they defeated Port Noarlunga by 15 points 15.9 (99) to 12.12 (84).

Over the next few years despite the club's growing strength, The Wineflies players and supporters continued to taste heartache by losing another 4 grand finals in the first decade of the 21st century. Despite this lack of success at the most senior level, the club has seen 14 premierships at Reserves Level over its existence.

In 2010, the premiership drought was finally broken after an eternal 33 years. An emphatic victory over Brighton by 30 points 13.11 (89) to 9.5 (59) finally saw reward for years of effort from players and supporters



alike. Many of the clubs long term stewards were moved to tears after so many years between drinks.

In 2013, the return of much loved Winefly product Michael Doughty helped steer the club to a premiership defeating Morphettville Park (12.11 83 v 8.10 58).

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The 2015 season produced the most successful season by the club resulting in 4 premierships – A: 18.7 115 def Brighton 8.8 56, B: 10.5 65 def Brighton 5.5 35, U16 undefeated Sat, and U16 Sun teams.

In 2018, the Reynella Football Club formed our first A-Grade Women's team that played in the SFL competition coached by Brayden Talbot. To date the A-Grade Women's team have played in 3 Grand Final games and have encouraged young girls to join the club. We now have a strong talented all girls junior squad filling in for our U13, U14 & U17 all girls team.



In 2022, we had 11 teams play in a premiership season. 4 senior teams and 7 junior teams. We had 6 teams finishing as 2022 Minor premiers finishing on top of the ladder, A-Grade Men's, A-Grade Women's, B-Grade Men's, U15 SFL Boys, U14 SFL Girls & U14 SANFL Boys and 10 teams played in the final series. 6 teams play in a Grand Final game and our U14 Girls, U14 Boys SANFL and A-Grade Men's won the Flag and became 2022 Premiers. A-Grade Mens defeating our oldest rivalry Morphett Vale (RFC 9.3.57 def MVFC 6.7.43)



The results were due to much hard work by our players, coaching staff and support staff and the club was recognised as the most successful club down South. The club hopes in future years our successful juniors will translate into senior success.

RFC 2023 SENIOR COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Sis Inthavong - Club President

Bill Threadgold - Club Vice President

David Willoughby - Club Treasurer

Tania Inthavong - Club Secretary

Senior Committee Members

Brendan Varnham-Harrison

Jason Brennan

Chris Sanderson

Lorrae Jolly

Daniel Schultz

Sarah Burton

James Nevin

Sarah Lapere

Social committee members

Hayley Humphrey

Janice Ellsworth

Kerry Reid

CODE OF CONDUCT

Full details of Reynella Football Club's code of conduct can be found on our website reynellaafc.com.au

All players and associating parents must read and sign the below code of conduct and policies. Team managers will be collecting signed forms by Round 1.

RFC Player Code of Conduct

**RFC Parent Guardian Spectator
Code of Conduct**

RFC SOCIAL MEDIA POLICY

RFC Drugs and Alcohol Policy

RFC CORE VALUES

**RESPECT TO ALL AND TO BE
RESPECTED**

Integrity

Sportsmanship, honesty, trust, support, commitment

Team Work

There is no "I" in team.

Support & Encourage

Give Positive Feedback

Family Atmosphere

Make a welcoming place!

**TO BE A SUCCESSFUL CLUB
ON & OFF THE FIELD**

WE ARE REYNELLA

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**WE ARE THE TEAM
WE CAN'T BE BEATEN
THAT'S EASILY SEEN
AT THE END OF THE SEASON
YOU'LL KNOW THE REASON
WE ARE THE PREMIER TEAM
WE'RE A MIGHTY BUNCH OF FELLOWS
AND EVERYONE'S A STAR
AND IF WE'RE NOT AT FOOTBALL
YOU'LL FIND US AT THE BAR
SO COME ALONG AND JOIN US
YOU'LL FIND THAT WE'RE ALRIGHT
AND YOU CAN BE A MEMBER OF
THE MIGHTY BLACK AND WHITE**

RFC MOBILE APP

Reynella Football Club's has an official App to communicate to all players and parents.

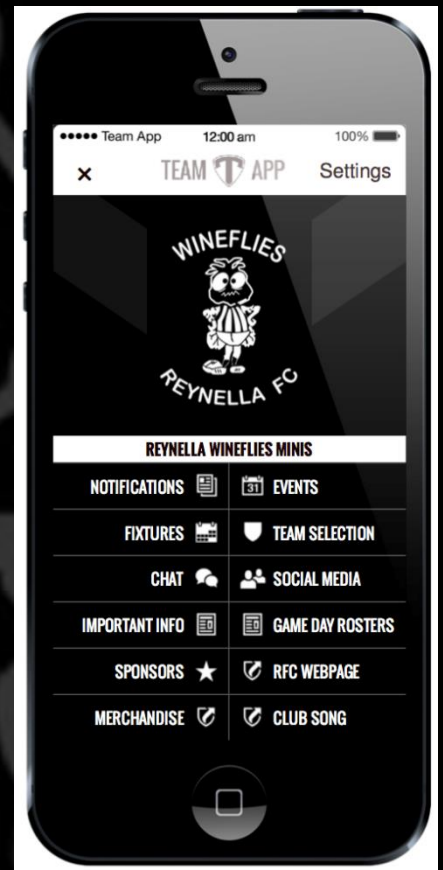
Install the Reynella Football Club App on your smartphone or tablet now!

Follow these steps:

- Download Team App from the Apple or Google Play app store.



- Sign up to Team App. You will be sent an email to confirm your registration.
- Log into the App and search for "Reynella Football Club".
- Choose your applicable access group(s).
- If you don't have a smartphone go to reynellafc.teamapp.com to sign up and view this App online



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Junior Coordinators

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Karina Carlisle – Junior Boys Administrator
Renae Garner – Junior Girls Administrator

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Tania Inthavong – Senior Men's/Women's Administrator

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