



Chandler Park Reserve

Chandler Road, Boronia, VIC, 3155

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Welcome to Boronia Auskick for 2009

Season 2009 is well underway now, hello to those who have joined us this year and welcome back to those who are returning for another season.

We are a new committee this year and are endeavouring to make Saturday morning Auskick something the kids (and parents) can look forward to. This will be within the AFL objective of Auskick providing a friendly environment for primary school girls & boys to learn the basics of Australian Rules Football. There are a number of special clinic & outside activities planned for 2009 including AFL & Boronia Hawks gridgames, a Friday fireworks night, an Olympics theme day and several others special clinics.

Our committee & grade coaches will all wear red Auskick labelled shirts or windcheaters during each clinic. If there are any questions or issues, please speak with one of us.

We want to continue the high level of parental involvement Boronia Auskick has always enjoyed. All the grade coaches need several helpers each session, we also need assistance in running the canteen.

A special thanks to Jim Fleming of Eastern Business Equipment who generously provided the sausage sizzle on registration day.

Philip Crosbie, Boronia Auskick Coordinator

<u>Boronia Auskick Committee 2009</u>		
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Boronia Auskick Clinic Timetable 2009

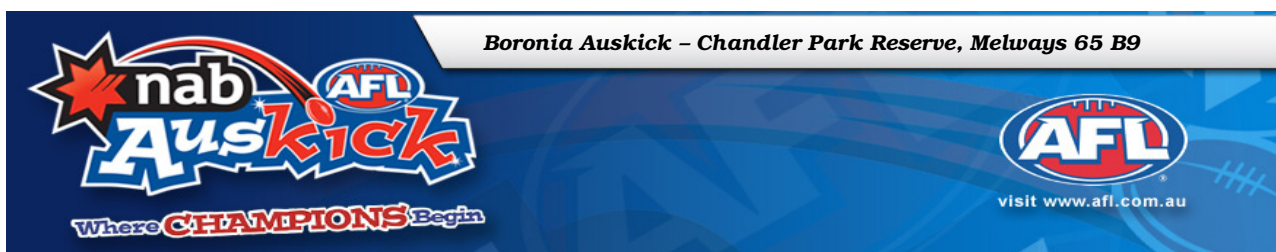
Month	Date	Clinic #	Special Event
March	28 th	Registrations	
April	4 th	Clinic 1	
	11 th	No Clinic	Easter Saturday
	18 th	Clinic 2	
	25 th	No Clinic	Anzac Day
May	2 nd	Clinic 3	Bring A Mate Day (with \$1 donation)
	9 th	Clinic 4	Mother's Day (includes Photographer)
	15 th	Clinic 5	Fireworks & Pie Night (Friday 15 th)
	23 rd	Clinic 6	
	30 th	Clinic 7	Mini Olympics Day
June	6 th	No Clinic	Queen's Birthday
	13 th	Clinic 8	
	20 th	Clinic 9	Grandparent's Day
	27 th	No Clinic	School Holidays
July	4 th	No Clinic	School Holidays
	11 th	Clinic 10	School Holidays
	18 th	Clinic 11	
	25 th	Clinic 12	Crazy Hair & Face Painting Day
August	1 st	Clinic 13	Skills Day
	8 th	Clinic 14	
	15 th	Awards Day	

Boronia Auskick Website

Boronia Auskick now has a website. This will publicise our events, acknowledge sponsors and show photos of the weekly action. It can be accessed via the Auskick website at <http://www2.aflauskick.com.au/> (you will need to then type in postcode 3155 for Boronia) or you access our homepage via www.sportingpulse.com/assoc_page.cgi?c=1-6952-0-0-0

Bring A Mate Day (May 2th, 2009)

Bring A Mate Day is meant to introduce new kids to Auskick - we hope to have a well packed oval ! Remember there is a \$1 donation for each visiting Mate who will also need to register for the day before starting. \$1 for two hours - that's less than 0.8 cents per minute !





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Mother's Day (May 9th, 2009)

To celebrate Mother's Day, we'll run several raffles with some great prizes for Mum. There will also be a photographer for group & individual photos. These can be purchased the week after. Of course, the lower years levels (and maybe the higher ones too) will have a "Kids vs Mums" match at the end of their clinics. Remember that all kids will be expected to provide flowers and breakfast in bed in the morning before Auskick!

Hawthorn Players Visit (May 9th, 2009)

We have requested a visit from Hawthorn players on May 9th and are awaiting confirmation. Once we have these details, we'll pass them on. Too bad we're not in Collingwood's zone.

Friday Night Fireworks (May 15th, 2009)

Ever wanted to play real Auskick football under lights? The Boronia Auskick Friday Night Fireworks tradition continues with a short football clinic, followed by an awesome fireworks display. Traditional footy type food (pies, sausages rolls & pasties), together with drinks and glow sticks, will be available for purchase on the night. Remember this event is held at Miller Park, Mountain Hwy, Boronia (Melways 65 E5), not at Chandler Park. We'll confirm starting times and other details closer to the day. Remember to invite your friends as well.

Football Boots & Jumpers

If you have football boots that are now too small, please consider donating them to Auskick. These will be sold back to others in our group \$5-\$10 (depending on condition). Christine at the canteen is looking after this.

We are also fundraising by making available a number of our spare seniors Auskick red & blue sleeveless tops for \$5 each. These all feature a former Auskick sponsor (Simpson) motif and can be also be purchased from Christine at the canteen.

Wearing Mouthguards at Auskick

There have been questions over using mouthguards during Auskick matches. At about \$25 for a mouthguard, it makes sense and all children past Prep are encouraged to wear them.

Boronia Auskick Coaches for 2009

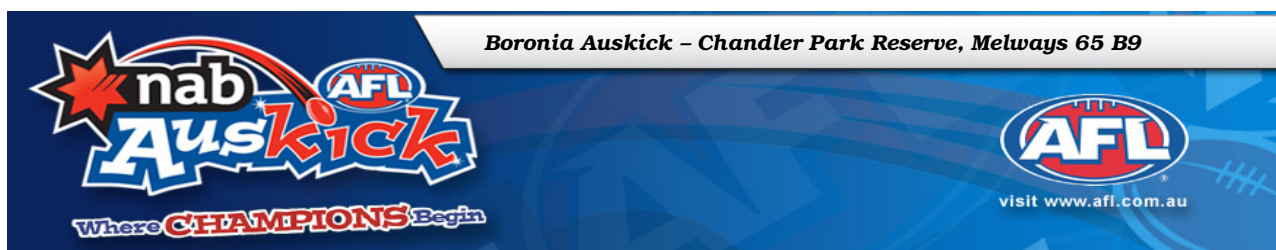
We are extremely fortunate to have had four dads volunteer to take on a coaching role and take charge of our Auskick grade sessions. Please be prepared to pitch in and help them out where possible with marking positions, leading a group of children or helping keep young footballer in line! As a former Auskick coach, I know how much easier it is to manage and keep interested 25 kids when the load is shared around. Remember absolutely no football knowledge is needed!

<u>Boronia Auskick Coaches for 2009</u>	
Level	Coach
Prep	John Guinan (+ 2-3 Helpers)
Grade 1	Adrian Stubna (+ 2-3 Helpers)
Grade 2/3	Peter Jacobs (+ 2-3 Helpers)
Grade 4/5/6	Corey Roberts (+ 1-2 Helpers)

Boronia Hawks Gridgames 2009

We want to return to our once strong relationship with Boronia Football Club. It has been arranged that we can participate in six Boronia seniors half time gridgames for 2009. These games are all at Tormore Rd (Melways 64 J9). For those who have not been involved before, the format is identical to the gridgames at AFL matches. As the senior's first half ends, we quickly arrange goalposts and play a 15 minute match. Afterwards the kids form a guard of honour for the senior players, then have a sausage & drink courtesy of Boronia Football Club. We will need a minimum of 10 children for each game.

<u>Boronia Hawks Gridgames for 2009</u>			
Month	Date	Clinic #	Auskick Grades Playing
May	2 nd	Clinic 3	Grade 1 & Grade 2/3
May	16 th	Clinic 5	Grade 4/5/6
May	30 th	Clinic 7	Prep & Grade 1
June	27 th	No Clinic	Grade 1 & Grade 2/3
July	18 th	Clinic 11	Grade 4/5/6
August	1 st	Clinic 13	Prep & Grade 1





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Canteen Helpers & Roster 2009

Most people should have received their invitation from Christine & Alem to participate in the canteen roster by now. Please make every effort to keep to your allocated day, the canteen is a major source of Boronia Auskick income and one that benefits us all. All profits are returned to our clinic through the purchase and upgrading of equipment and facilities.

AFL Gridgames 2009

We have an AFL outer gridgame allocated for early July this year (mainly for grades 2/3/4) at the Etihad Stadium Western Bulldogs vs Hawthorn match. Work continues with the AFL and other local Auskick groups to look for matches for our senior players as well. We were given the chance to fill in for The Basin Auskick on 5th April, and took twelve grade 2/3/4 players to Etihad Stadium. A great afternoon was had by all (full details of the match are on our website).



Essendon vs Fremantle 5th April, 2009

The Boronia Auskick gridgame had everything - long kicking, spectacular marking, lightening handballs, quick running out of defence, snapshot goals, great umpiring and high scoring. It was even more exciting than Essendon vs Fremantle !



Boronia Auskick - Chandler Park Reserve, Melways 65 B9





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Boronia Auskick Sponsors 2009

We have some new sponsors for 2009 who will assist with weekly and special event prizes. This page & our website will be used to acknowledge our sponsors. Does anyone within our group feel they could provide sponsorship? Please contact Ilona Griffiths or Joanne Crosbie if you do.



McDonalds Ferntree Gully (740 Burwood Hwy, Ferntree Gully, VIC, 3156, ph: 9758 6657) provide our weekly prizes for the four grade levels. Many thanks guys.



Melbourne Signs (5 Ramona Crt, Boronia, VIC, 3155, ph: 1300 79 6002) look after our signage needs & run the canteen. Many thanks!



Metro Cinema Boronia (216 Dorset Rd, Boronia, VIC, 3155, ph: 9762 8744) are helping with prizes for special events. Many thanks.

Knox Tavern (Knox Ozone, 1 Capital Blvd, Wantirna South, VIC, 3152, ph: 9800 3011) is helping out with prizes for special events.

Eastern Business Equipment (12 Parkhurst Dve, Knoxfield, VIC, 3180, ph: 9800 3022). Jim Fleming provided and cooked the sausages at Registration Day. Thanks Jim.



Hogs Breath Cafe (Shop 2209, Knox Ozone Shopping Centre, Wantirna South, VIC, 3152, ph: 9887 4555) are helping with prizes for special events. Many thanks.

Nikos Tavern (190 Mount Dandenong Rd, Ringwood, VIC, 3135, ph: 9870 0554) is helping out with prizes for special events.

Tupperware Australia Pty Ltd (21 Brenock Park Dve, Ferntree Gully, VIC, 3156, ph: 9758 1111) is helping out with prizes for special events.

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