

Dragon Tales



Albany Creek In-Line Hockey League News

Welcome Back

Welcome to a new decade of hockey. This year we have made a few changes to our in-house program which we hope will make it more fun for all of you.

Many thanks to our 2009 outgoing committee members for all their hard work and efforts to keep our club running effectively.

We would also like to thank our continuing executive committee members for their ceaseless efforts on behalf of the club and the sport.

Finally, thank you to all those new committee members who have stepped up to the plate to help ensure the continuation of our club.

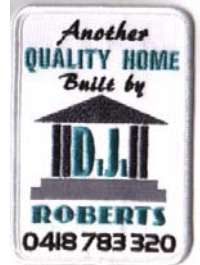
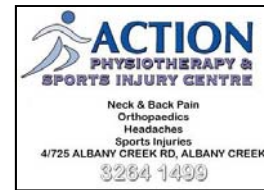
New Sponsors

The club would like to welcome and thank all of our new sponsors. Without the support of our sponsors, our club would not be what it is today. Particular thanks to Don Carbone our newly appointed Fundraising Co-ordinator for recruiting new sponsorships.

In addition, many thanks to our continuing sponsors who have been supporting the club for years.

Please make a special effort to support all our sponsors and make sure that they know that

we appreciate their support. All funds raised from sponsorship are used to replace equipment for the in-house hockey league, new banners, signs and defraying playing costs.



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Information & Communication

Just a quick reminder that club communication is predominantly via email. It is therefore very important that you keep the club informed of any changes to your email address. Send any updated email addresses to prdragons@hotmail.com. Important notices are also placed on the notice board at Skateaway.

Also, you can check out the newly redesigned Pine Rivers In-Line Hockey Club "hot" website www.pineriversdragons.com.

The in-house schedule and weekly results are available on the web-site.

You can also subscribe to news updates via the RSS feed on the right. The new look site was designed by <http://theohdesign.com/>. Tell us what you think and what information you would like to see for 2010. Coming soon will be more inline hockey photos and mini videos.

In-house Training

This year, the club will be continuing to offer training to all in-house age divisions.

We will be running the Mighty Pucks Program during the Junior session from 5pm to 6pm on 8th and 15th February, 15th March and 10th May.

For the Junior players, the training is instead of their games and the cost of it is included in their in-house fees.

However, the Mighty Pucks Training is also open to Intermediate and Senior players who wish to attend. But, because this is in addition to their normal weekly games, the training will cost \$5 per session for all intermediate and senior in-house players who choose to attend.

In-house Fees

Unfortunately, due to increases in rink hire fees, the club has had to increase the weekly in-house fees from \$10 per week to \$12 per week. However, this year, the club is again offering a discount on in-house fees, for all those who choose to prepay their in-house fees. During season 1 there will be 15 matches and training (including semi finals and finals). We have set our prepay fees at \$135, which represents a saving of \$45. In order to take advantage of the pre-pay dis-

counts, all pre-paid fees must be paid on or by 22nd February 2010.

We would also like to remind all members that for logistical reasons, pre-payment is compulsory for all senior in-house players.

Fundraising Success!!

Early January saw the club's first effort at fundraising by having a "Sausage Sizzle" at Bunnings Carseldine. Many thanks to Bunnings for allowing us this opportunity. Club Treasurer Kerry Scanlan reports a profit of \$2054.55! She wrote "Not bad for a hard days work. I can not thank all the helpers enough."



New King of the Court/Rink Format For In-house

This year in our intermediate and senior in-house leagues, every 4th week will be a King of the Court/Rink format instead of the normal league matches. For the uninitiated, King of the Court/Rink is a 3 on 3 competition which is fast paced and each game runs for 8 to 10 minutes. Each team will play 3 games on the night in a round robin format. Rules of the game will be explained to all teams before the games.

This format should make an exciting change and encourage players to be more adaptable and flexible as it will give them the opportunity to play with and against different teams all in one night.

South East Queensland Junior League— Dragons

Welcome

Welcome back to our returning Dragons players and welcome to any new players who wish to try out for Dragons Teams. Dragons' Tryouts will begin on Thursday 4th February at 5.00pm for 10 years and under, 6pm for 12 years and under

and 7pm for 14 years and under and 17 years and under. The cost of attending the tryouts sessions is \$20.00 per player. With King of the Rink/Court happening on 5th-7th March, training and team allocation is imperative. The South East Queensland Junior League will kick off soon after King of the Rink/Court.

South East Queensland Senior League

2010 Summer Season

The summer season is already well upon us. The club has a team nominated in the B Grade competition being played at Digi Skate Rink at Hillcrest. Those players nominated for AA Grade have been drafted into different teams. Unfortunately, due to a lack of interest, the club has not been able to field a team in the A division. If

however, there are any players out there who are interested in playing A division, please let us know at prdragons@hotmail.com

If any senior players are interested in playing King of the Rink/Court please let us know as soon as possible so we can organise teams or put your name forward: prdragons@hotmail.com.

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King Of The Court/Rink

This year the West Logan Hockey Club will be hosting the 3rd annual King of the Court/Rink Tournament for junior and senior players at the Digi Skating Rink at 44 Johnson's Road, Hillcrest on 5th, 6th and 7th March 2010.

State Titles


This year the South East Queensland In Line Hockey State Finals will be held at Digi Roller Skating Rink at 44 Johnson's Road, Hillcrest from 3rd to 12th July 2010.

Thank you to our Club Sponsors

Welcome to our new sponsors for 2010

This newsletter is distributed to over 120 members and their families, and read all over Australia via our club's website. As a non-profit organisation we are grateful to you and your organisation

for your support to help us promote this sport and encourage more young people to get involved. We are especially grateful to long standing sponsors - **Skateaway, DJ Roberts, Action Physiotherapy and Consulting Solutions**




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