



westernDEMONS

(WA based supporter group of the Melbourne Football Club)



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NEWSLETTER – JANUARY 2008

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO EVERYONE and welcome to our first Newsletter for 2008.

Let's all hope it will be a good year for our Melbourne boys. Western Demons in conjunction with Melbourne Football Club have some exciting things planned for the coming year which is the 150th Birthday of the OLDEST and GREATEST football club in the world.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

At our Annual General Meeting held on Sunday 20th January 2008 the following members were elected to the Committee for 2008 –

President Roger Wingate
Vice President Ian Mills
Secretary Joan Lawson
Treasurer David vonStieglitz
Committee: Ivy Wilson, Alison Metcalf, Amy Fisher, Annabel Fisher Richard McLachlan and Adam Woodacre.
Patron: Trevor Johnson, OAM

We are delighted to have Trevor Johnson, OAM, on board again as our Patron for 2008. Trevor wore No. 14 Guernsey for Melbourne during the famous 50's. Thank you Trevor.

150 CLUB To date we have received \$4,370.00.

We sincerely thank those members who donated to the 150 Club in 2007. We are still a long way short of our target of \$12,384.00. We ask all members to please consider donating to this great cause – the **HOME OF THE DEMONS** – as mentioned previously if each member donated \$40.00 then we would reach our target. If you need information or need a form please give me a call on 9447 7739 or visit our web site www.westerndemons.com where you will find a form. Cheques to be made payable to Australian Sports Federation. Completed form together with payment to be forwarded firstly to Joan Lawson, 118 Doveridge Drive Duncraig, WA 6023 where I will process it and then forward it on to MFC. REMEMBER - Donations over \$2.00 are tax deductible.

MFC MEMBERSHIP FOR 2008

Renewal information from MFC was different in as much as the Club sent out your Membership Ticket with the renewal details and this ticket now remains with you year after year.

Have **YOU** renewed your membership for 2008? If not, please do so in the next couple of weeks. We ask that you **please include your email address** on your Renewal Form to MFC – I use this information as a speedy means of sending Newsletters, etc.

MONTHLY NEWSLETTERS

Monthly Newsletters, and any other material, will be sent via email. We can reach more members this way.

I realise that some members do not have email facilities – if this is the case, and you wish to receive Newsletters, please call me on 9447 7739 and I will include you on our mailing list.

PRE SEASON GAMES - NAB CUP – Demons v Geelong – Saturday 16th February

Western Demons will be holding a function at The Irish Club, Townshend Road, Subiaco from 1.00 pm (Live coverage of the game from 1.40 pm Perth time). **Please check our Info Line 9487 0928 just in case there is a change by Foxtel.**

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Come along and support our team with other Demon supporters. Entry is free – children welcome.

NOTE: If Demons win this game, they go to Canberra for 2nd game on Saturday 23rd February. Please check the Info Line for information on function, etc. for this game (9487 0928).

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY WEEKEND IN MELBOURNE, ROUND 11 – DEMONS v MAGPIES

Still room available – if you wish to attend please contact Roger ASAP on 0407 429 325. For full trip details please see website for further information.

FOOTY TIPPING

On again in 2008 – Forms will be emailed out shortly. \$10.00 per entry this year.

ANNUAL RAFFLE

We have decided to run a raffle this year on the same lines as last year with the 1st Prize being a trip for 2 to the AFL Grand Final. More details later.

GAME IN PERTH 2008

Only one game in Perth this year – Round 16 – Sunday 20th July. Pre Match Function will be on Friday 18th July.

Game tickets for this game will be issued through Western Demons.

JOAN LAWSON - SECRETARY