



CRANBROOK  
SCHOOL

*The Offside Trap Newsletter  
The Cranbrook Football Club*

THURSDAY 28 MAY 2015

TERM 2 WEEK 6



## Supporters of Cranbrook Football

This Saturday 30th of May is Round #5 of the CAS and IPSHA Football Competitions. Congratulations to the 5th XI and the 5A who recorded victories last Saturday.

I wish all players, coaches and managers the very best in their Round #5 fixture.

Win, lose or draw you must finish a game knowing that you contributed 100% effort for your team mates and that you displayed respect for the opposition and officials at all times.

Good luck and enjoy the day!

Team lists have been posted on the sport notice board on Level 2, House areas and emailed to players.

Please visit the Football page on Cranbrook Connect for further information regarding the season

<http://cranbrookconnect.cranbrook.nsw.edu.au/schools/senior-school/sport/football/>

### Changes to training Week 7-9

- Friday 5th June – **Training Cancelled** for 9C, 9B, 9D, 8C, 8D, 8E, 7C, 7D, 7E & Year 7/8/9 Players Club
- **No Training for Year 3-12 in Week 9** (Last Week of Term)

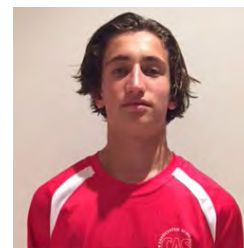
### Save the Date

Cranbrook Football Gala Dinner will be held on Friday night, 14th August 2015 at Doltone House, Pyrmont 6.30pm start.

Please diarise the date. More details will follow later in the season.

Congratulations to Asha Phillips who was called into the CAS Football Squad. He competed at the CIS Championships at FNSW Valentine Park, Parklea on the 25th and 26th May.

*Mr Madigan  
Head of Football*



**1ST XI  
KNOX V CRANBROOK  
FRIDAY 29TH MAY  
KNOX 1  
7.15PM**



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RESULTS – SATURDAY 23 MAY			
TEAM	OPPOSITION	SCORE	GOAL SCORERS
1ST XI	Trinity	0-2	
2ND XI	Trinity	0-1	
3RD XI	Trinity	0-3	
4TH XI	Trinity	1-1	J Rossi
5TH XI	Trinity	5-2	M Ferretti, E Hugh 2, B Stansfield
6TH XI	Trinity	0-2	
10A	Trinity	1-1	S Dimopolous
10B	Trinity		CANCELLED
10C	Trinity		CANCELLED
10D	Trinity		CANCELLED
9A	Trinity	0-1	R Steyn 2
9B	Trinity	1-1	J Davis
9C	Trinity	1-2	J Haifer
9D	Trinity	3-3	K Tavakoli, A Wan, Z Serafim
9E	Trinity	0-5	
8A	Trinity	0-1	
8B	Trinity	0-3	
8C	Trinity	0-2	
8D	Trinity	0-12	
8E	Trinity	0-8	
7A	Trinity		CANCELLED
7B	Trinity		CANCELLED
7C	Trinity		CANCELLED
7D	Trinity		CANCELLED
7E	Trinity		CANCELLED
6A	Mosman Prep		CANCELLED
6B	Mosman Prep		CANCELLED
5A	Redlands	4-2	K Tavakoli, J Wong, J Sohn, G Mitchell
5B	Redlands	2-4	S Wiltshire 2
5C	Redlands	0-1	

CAS THOMAS GRIMSON CUP – 2015									
		POINTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	+/-
1	Trinity Grammar	12	4	4	0	0	12	3	9
2	Knox Grammar	7	4	2	1	1	12	8	4
3	Barker College	7	4	2	1	1	12	11	1
4	Waverley College	5	4	1	2	1	8	7	1
5	Cranbrook School	0	3	0	0	3	2	9	-7
6	St Aloysius' College	0	3	0	0	3	1	9	-8



### 1st XI

Cranbrook went up to Trinity on the weekend hoping to right a few wrongs against a very strong side. Trinity, top of the table contenders were yet to lose a match, and so the boys knew they were facing a serious team. The boys quickly adapted to the huge synthetic pitch and it seemed to somewhat help their style. Obtaining plenty of possession and linking plenty of passes, the team was playing some of the best football they had all season. Trinity were also very strong, and so at half time, the scores were level at 0-0. The contest remained the same for the next 25 minutes, however Trinity were able to put the ball in the back of the net twice within the space of 2 minutes. The contest returned to the strong battle it had been earlier in the match, however Cranbrook were unable to strike back. Special mention to Aksel Soerensen, Simon Rouse and Asha Phillips who had absolute blinders. The boys take on Knox next week under lights on the Friday night.

### 2nd XI

On Saturday, we travelled up to Trinity for what we knew would be a tough game from past years' experience. Playing on their wide synthetic field always presents them with an advantage, however on the day we were able to utilise the space well, preventing them from running around us. As the whistle blew we went in fired up, very eager to prove the quality of the team. The first 20 minutes provided little opportunity for either team with Jordie Island holding his defensive position well to prevent any Trinity breakthrough. The first real chance came from our attack with Oli Adler hitting a halve volley from on the 18 yard box which unfortunately hit the crossbar with Luca Reeve unlucky to not finish with a header into the back of the net. At half time the scores were still drawn at 0-0 with both teams looking as strong as each other. The first 20 minutes of the second half mirrored the first half with the game being kept in the middle of the park with only a few opportunities for each side. Unfortunately, Trinity was able to take the lead after a slight miscommunication between the Goalie and the defence, allowing the Trinity striker to dart through and score. Trinity, showing why they are

on the top of the table, scored another goal off a free kick within the last 10 minutes. Although a 2-0 defeat, the boys put up a great fight especially against as strong as a team as Trinity on their specialised home ground. Hopefully next Friday we will be able to secure a win over Knox!

### 4th XI

The 4ths were looking to get a win at Trinity on the synthetic pitch after the 5ths had won convincingly. The First half

started very well with a few early chances and then a goal from Joe Rossi after some outstanding work from Anthony Notaras at centre-mid. The first half was the best football the boys had played all year and in the second half we were looking to continue. The wind was against us in this half and as we dropped off in the slightest, Trinity made us pay with a runaway goal. Despite a late surge the scores stayed level. Looking forward to getting a result next week.



## SAVE THE DATE CRANBROOK FOOTBALL GALA DINNER 2015

FRIDAY 14 AUGUST  
6.30PM

DOLTONE HOUSE  
PYRMONT

#### The night will include:

A two course dinner and beverages  
Team and Individual trophy presentations  
Celebrity MC, Sydney FC guest players, a silent auction and raffle

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:  
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*Invitation and more details to follow soon*



8As and 8Bs - Trinity V Cranbrook



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## 6th XI

At 12:00 Cranbrook's 6th football team headed onto Trinity Grammar's field from a hard week of training on our back. From the very first whistle the boys from Cranbrook had an exceptional game with standout of Adam De Picot our goalkeeper who hardly let any of them in. All of the boys played extremely well with many opportunities the score was close. At 1-0 down at half time the boys wanted to take it back. Through the second half the boys were outstanding however the final score was not too bad. We finished with a 2-0 loss, however we gained many new skills that we can acquire for our next game against Knox.

## 10A

Cranbrook faced solid opposition in Trinity – a side that was well-drilled in ball movement and aggressive counter-attack. Both sides traded possession in the early part of the first half, with chances at both ends presenting themselves. Probing runs by Beattie and Betar provided great service in attack, while Morris-Mikardo and Sant provided solidity in the defensive line. Trinity took the lead with some great build-up play, only to see Cranbrook equalise minutes later. Great work around the box presented Dimopoulos with a difficult first time chance, but he calmly slotted the ball into the top corner. The 2nd half was a very even affair, with end to end play a feature, however neither team could break the deadlock.

## 9A

After a very hard week of training in cold and wet conditions, the 9A team put in 100% effort this Saturday in their match against the strong and brutal Trinity side. We started off well with the boys pulling off some beautiful plays through the middle with Noah Harris and Sebastian Flohm on the wings, breaking down the defensive structure of Trinity and putting high amounts of pressure on their defence. In spite of a few threatening shots and plays both teams were keeping the ball from the back of their own nets, until the middle of the first half when Trinity broke through our back line with a through ball down the side, executing it perfectly from a cross. The start of the second half was really intense with Cranbrook furiously trying to steal one back from Trinity. In the end we were unable to and despite the immense effort put in by all of the boys, Cranbrook lost 1-0 to Trinity. The Cranbrook 9As have learnt a lot from this match and will work to improve on it at this week's training sessions.

## 9B

Although the 9B team was diminished in numbers they brought a competitive spirit to the match against Trinity Grammar. A series of skilful footballing manoeuvres with controlled passes through the centre of the pitch, allowed the ball to out to Oliver Will, who was able to send a ball through to Joshua Davis. Josh was able to successfully execute a shot on the Trinity goal. Unfortunately in the second half, Trinity was able to breach the Cranbrook

goal, and in a lacklustre second half the B's were unable to consolidate their position. This was a game that could have been won by either team but in the end it was a tense draw.

## 9D

The 9D's put up a great fight on Saturday at Dangar versus Trinity. Andrew Wan scored a quick goal short after kick-off by running around the defence and being 1-on-1 with the goalie. Soon after, Trinity put it in off a corner because we were not organised. Trinity scored another goal by running through our defence but we kept our heads high and Zach Serafim ran past every man on the wing and chipped it up over the goalie from an almost impossible angle. After half time, Trinity put a quick one into the back of the net and we start to be doubtful. We get lucky as we put a cross into the box and a Trinity defender puts his hand up so we get a penalty. Kian Tavakoli, despite the pressure, places the ball into the right hand side with confidence. The final score was 3-3 and man of the match goes to Zach Serafim.

## 9E

The 9E's had another tough game against Trinity this week. Our goalie Callum was unlucky and copped a boot in the face which had him out from 1/2 way through the first half. We are grateful that Archie donned the gloves and to his credit he saved a number of goals yet the opposition had good momentum and we struggled to keep up with their pace. Next week we will focus on our team play and are hopeful to unite



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as a team and continue improving our skills.

### 8A

The 8A's had a good match against Trinity last Saturday. It was a tight and tough game but unfortunately we ended up losing one-nil. The game was played with high intensity throughout the entire match. In the first half we did not create many chances and our defence and goalkeeper played exceptionally well throughout the game. In the second half Trinity dominated us and kept the game in our half and eventually they scored 10 minutes from the end. There were only few minutes from the end when we created a chance to score but we did not seize the opportunity and unfortunately we lost one-nil. Thanks to Max Hannam and Charles Turnbull for stepping up and filling in for injured players.

### 8B

The team started well against a strong Trinity side that had height against us. We managed to keep it to nil all at half time which was a really good effort. Alex Randall took some big hits but was great in defence. Connor Stratis played up and was also really valuable for the team. Max Hannam had another strong game and Carter Nicklin is improving every game as goalie. Unfortunately the second half saw us tire and lose focus which allowed Trinity to score three goals in quick succession. We know we need to keep on working on fitness and putting more pressure on the opposition team when they have the ball.

### 8C

The game against Trinity was like a battle between two armies. Trinity kicked off and straight away they started piercing through our armour. Cranbrook tried their best but they couldn't stop them and Trinity scored almost immediately. Cranbrook had a couple of good shots but the Trinity defence was good. In the second half Cranbrook kicked off and started getting Trinity's half. In the last 10 minutes the Trinity goalie kicked the ball to half way and one of their players got the ball and made a run and scored again. The game finished at 2-0 their way. The great army has been defeated.

### 8D

This was a tough match for the 8Ds. Trinity had scored in the first couple of minutes of the game, and they didn't let up, scoring six in each half. Despite some excellent runs by Jacky and James, Cranbrook couldn't convert any opportunities. Alif was valiant in goals but struggled to defend some of the beautiful chips that soared into the top corners off Trinity boots. Cranbrook defence was again strong but breakaway goals were the problem for us as we just couldn't get back fast enough. There is a lot to learn from this match and the 8Ds will be sure to improve against Knox next week.

### 8E

Cranbrook found it difficult to score against a strong Trinity side. Within 2 minutes they had scored and two more came at 10 and 12 minutes. Despite some great saves by Sam in goals, we were no match for their strong strikers who capitalised on every chance, particularly in breakaways. Things didn't

let up in the second half and the final score was 8-0. Areas of notice were the multiple times Cranbrook pushed up to Trinity's goal but couldn't get the ball in the net. Also noticeable was that one Trinity striker scored six of the eight goals. Cranbrook will definitely have to step up their game for the next match.



FIXTURES – SATURDAY 30 MAY			
TEAM	OPPOSITION	VENUE	TIME
1ST X1	Knox	Knox 1 - Fri 29th	7.15pm
2ND XI	Knox	Knox 1 - Fri 29th	6.00pm
3RD XI	Knox	Curagul 1	12.00pm
4TH XI	Knox	Curagul 1	11.00am
5TH XI	Knox	Curagul 1	10.00am
6TH XI	Knox	Curagul 1	9.00am
10A	Knox	Curagul 1	8.00am
10B	Knox	Curagul 2	9.00am
10C	Knox	Curagul 2	10.00am
10D	Knox	Curagul 2	11.00am
9A	Knox	Dangar 3	8.00am
9B	Knox	Dangar 3	9.00am
9C	Knox	Dangar 3	10.00am
9D	Knox	Dangar 3	11.00am
9E	Knox	Dangar 3	12.00pm
8A	Knox	Dangar 4	3.00pm
8B	Knox	Dangar 4	2.00pm
8C	Knox	Dangar 4	1.00pm
8D	Knox	Dangar 4	12.00pm
8E	Knox	Dangar 4	11.00am
7A	Knox	Curagul 1	3.00pm
7B	Knox	Curagul 1	2.00pm
7C	Knox	Curagul 1	1.00pm
7D	Knox	Samuel King Field	12.00pm
7E	Knox	Samuel King Field	11.00am
PLAYERS CLUB 10/11/12		Dangar Gym	9.00am
PLAYERS CLUB 7/8/9		Dangar Gym	8.00am
6A	Bye		
6B	Central Coast	Dangar 1	10.30am
5A	Bye		
5B	Mosman	Dangar 4	8.45am
5C	Mosman	Dangar 4	8.00am
4A	Scots	Dangar 1	8.45am
4B	Scots	Dangar 1	8.45am
4C	Scots	Dangar 1	8.00am
4D	Scots	Dangar 1	8.00am
3A	Bye		
3B	Bye		
3C	Grammar	QP27	8.00am
3D	Grammar	QP27	8.00am
PLAYERS CLUB 3/4/5/6		Dangar Gym	7.00am



TERMS 2 & 3 TRAINING TIMES					
START-FINISH	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
6.45-7.45AM	1st / 2nd Pilates	4th / 5th / 6th 10A / 10B	9C / 9D / 9E 8C / 8D / 8E 7C / 7D / 7E	4th / 5th / 6th 10C & 10D	9A / 9B 8A / 8B 7A / 7B
1PM-3PM					6A / 6B 5A / 5B / 5C 4A / 4B / 4C / 4D 3A / 3B / 3C / 3D
3PM-4PM	4A / 4B / 4C / 4D 3A / 3B / 3C / 3D				
3.15PM-4.15PM		6A / 6B 5A / 5B / 5C			
3.45PM-5PM		1st / 2nd	9A / 9B 8A / 8B 7A / 7B	1st / 2nd / 3rd 10A / 10B 10/11/12 Players Club	9C / 9D / 9E 8C / 8D / 8E 7C / 7D / 7E
4.15PM-5PM		3rd 10C / 10D 10/11/12 Players Club	7/8/9 Players Club		7/8/9 Players Club







## Code of conduct

### Players

- Play by the rules and in a spirit of good sportsmanship
- Play for the “fun of it” and not just to please parents and coaches.
- Control your temper. Verbal abuse of officials or other players, deliberately fouling or provoking an opponent, and throwing equipment are neither acceptable nor permitted in any sport.
- Work hard both for yourself and your team. Your team’s performance will benefit, so will you.
- Treat all players as you would like to be treated. Do not interfere with, bully or take unfair advantage of another player.
- Co-operate with your coach, team mates and opponents. Without them there would be no game.

In the event of a player, or athlete being sent-off during a CAS fixture, it is the responsibility of that boy’s Headmaster at his discretion to determine the penalty. It is generally understood among Headmasters, however, that the boy will serve at least one week’s suspension from participating in the CAS competition.

### Parents

- Focus upon the boy’s efforts and performance rather than the overall outcome of the game. This assists the boy in setting realistic goals related to his ability by reducing emphasis on winning.
- Teach your son that an honest effort is as important as victory, so that the result of the game is accepted without undue disappointment.
- Encourage your always to play according to the rules of the game.
- Never ridicule or yell at your son or another boy for making a mistake or losing a game.
- Remember boys are involved in organised sports for their benefit and enjoyment, not yours.
- Remember that children learn best from example. Applaud good play by both teams.
- If you disagree with an official, raise the issue through the appropriate channels rather than question the official’s judgement and honesty in public. Remember most officials give their time and effort voluntarily for your son’s benefit.

- Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities.
- Recognise the value and importance of coaches. They give of their time and resources to provide recreational activities for your son and other boys and deserve your support.

### Spectators

- We encourage boys to support their school teams and to be dressed in the school’s uniform while doing so.
- We expect barracking to be enthusiastic but not to be fanatical or designed to heckle or belittle or disturb the opponents. For example, barracking, for or against, during a kick at goal is always bad sportsmanship. Boys should be encouraged to barrack for their school rather than for an individual team member. Booing, whistling, playing or beating musical instruments are in bad taste and wholly unacceptable.
- Vocal support for any team should never encourage violence or rough or illegal play.
- Encroaching onto the field of play, the shouting out of suggestions for players, referees or umpires to hear are not allowed.
- It is never acceptable to express disapproval of a referee’s or umpire’s decision – no matter whether the referee be adult or schoolboy.
- There is a complete ban on all alcoholic drinks at grounds where games between Associated Schools’ teams are being played.
- We expect our players to be modest in success and generous in defeat, not showing in either case undue emotion. Good play, by our own school and by the opposing school, should be applauded willingly and openly.
- At all times spectators should leave the area tidy and free of rubbish when they leave.
- We look to adults (parents, Old Boys and other spectators) to set an example by their self-control at matches.





## Point of Contact

The Team Manager is a Cranbrook teacher and they should always be your first point of contact. Should you require further assistance after speaking with your Team Manager, then you should contact the Head of Football.

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3B	Lloyd Hardes	Lloyd Hardes	
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## CFC Committee Members

### Looking for more parent involvement!!

Each month a group of parents meet to discuss ways in which the Cranbrook Football Supporters Club can assist the school in growing the sport. No need to have any football knowledge or experience, just a love of Cranbrook and a desire to get involved.

Email Michael Swibel at  
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## Training & Fixtures Cancellations

On days where there is poor weather, please call the Senior School wet weather line on 9294 5089.

You will hear a recorded message that will tell you if training or a particular fixture is on or off.

For Saturday sport, the wet weather line is first updated by 7am.

If further fixtures are cancelled then the recorded message is updated at 11am.

For before or after school training the wet weather line will be updated by 6am for morning training sessions and by 2pm for after school training.

All efforts will be made to find alternate arrangements in case of inclement weather.

