Parent Support Club

Wednesday the 18th March saw the launch of the Inaugural Parent Support Club. The meeting was held in the school library and we had a very good turn up by parents who were very keen to get involved, help and support the programme.

There were some special speakers and guests who came to the meeting to support the Institute of Soccer at Morley SHS. The first guest was Mr Jon Vines from the City of Bayswater. Mr Vines offered his support for community involvement between the school, parents and the local Football (Soccer) clubs. The second guest was Mr Frank Femia who is the president of Noranda Soccer Club and proudly an ex-Morley SHS student. Frank was the DUX winner in 1985 and currently is a successful accountant and he is coaching the Noranda Soccer Club U 14 team in the premier division. The third guest was Perth’s Favourite Football “son” Bobby Despotovski. Bobby is the best West Australian striker with a very impressive career for Perth Glory. Bobby offered a range of football equipment including Football specific uniforms for the students to wear in training and games. These uniforms include shorts, shirts, socks, tracksuit and rain jackets.

The next meeting is going to be held on Monday the 11th May 2009, at 6.00pm. Any interested parents who would like to attend please RVSP to Jo Stevens on the following contact numbers:
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YEAR 7 TRIALS

Throughout June/ July the Institute of Soccer will be conducting trials to select the Year 8s for 2010. We had a wonderful number of interested parents and students on the open night asking about the Soccer programme. Morley SHS Institute of Soccer is proud to announce that we are going to offer Elite and Development programmes for both girls and boys in Year 8 in 2010. Thank you to all the front office staff, teachers, students, staff and parents that assisted throughout the open night in helping answering the many questions about the soccer programme. The endless hours spent supporting the Institute of Soccer are greatly appreciated by the coaching staff, especially the effort of the front office staff.

Champion Schools Competition

Morley SHS Institute of Soccer entered 5 teams (3 boys’ and 2 girls’ teams) into the Champion School Soccer Competition in four different divisions. Mrs Hosking, Mr Jones and Dr Ma’ayah will be coaching and offering students the opportunity to improve and enjoy the positive team atmospheres created. This year playing for the school teams is subject to the new Code of Conduct which was implemented this term. Please refer to the special section on the Players’ Code of Conduct.

Throughout Term 2 these teams will compete in the knock-out phase. The competition rules state that if a team wins, they move on to the next round of finals. The competition will conclude with a Northern and Southern Final. Then the last two teams left in the competition will fight it out in the Grand Final on late September 2009. Parents need to be aware that Morley SHS will be playing in the Specialist Soccer schools’ pool in the Round Robin for Term 1. That will require further travel and more competitive games. The games will normally start around 4:00 pm and finish around 5:30 pm. We ask parents to be patient and supportive especially when picking up students after games. We wish all the players and team the best of luck.
Dear Parent/Guardian and Student,

Successful selection in the Morley SHS Institute of Soccer should be viewed as a privilege.

It is expected that students will display a willingness to improve their football skills in all areas of the game. You will maintain satisfactory academic progress and you will display socially acceptable behaviour at all times.

As a member of this programme you will be a role model for your peers and an ambassador for the school. As such, your conduct must remain exemplary.

Therefore you are required to adhere to the following:

1. Wear correct school attire at all times.
2. Attend and be punctual to all classes.
3. Maintain Good Standing at all times.
4. Strive to achieve to the best of your ability in all classes.
5. Follow all school rules.
6. Display consideration and respect towards all staff and fellow students.
7. Demonstrate qualities of co-operation, team-work and honesty. Support your team mates and coach and work together to achieve the Institute of Soccer goals.
8. Participate with intensity in all training sessions.
9. Conduct yourself in a sportslike manner whenever you play football. Physical and verbal abuse will not be tolerated whatever the provocation.
10. Maintain academic standards and acceptable behaviour in all classes.
11. Attend all compulsory football events (eg End of Year Celebration, Games and other events).

Please note that all school reports and the BMIS system will be monitored to track academic progress, behaviour and organisation. To retain your position in the Institute of Soccer you must maintain a satisfactory standard or higher.