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BEARS JUNIORS & CUBS BASEBALL CLUB NEWSLETTER

Final Edition

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Before we get onto the game reports, can I please say a big thank you to all our coaches, parents and committee members who give up their time tirelessly either in coaching, fund raising and organising for our Club. This is a wonderful club to be a part of and we really appreciate all the time you give.

To all our "Bears" players – Thank you for being a part of our Club and we hope to see you again next season. This is the last weekend our players will be "Bears" kids before we begin our new chapter as "Cubs" next year.

Good luck to all our Bears players this weekend in their grand final games. Looking forward to seeing you all at the breakup on Saturday.

All raffle tickets should now have been returned, if not, please hand to your coach on Saturday. Raffle will be drawn at the breakup.

All Bears shirts need to be returned at the breakup on Saturday. Clean or dirty!

Thank you very much
Kendra Fuller
Vice President

GAME REPORTS

02/09/17

ROOKIE BALL:

Well, our Rookie ballers have finished up for the 2017 season.

With both the Dodgers and the Bears not having enough numbers to fill full teams, it was decided that for the last game it would be kids vs coaches and parents!

The rules were that the adult team had to bat 'opposite handed' and could only throw 'under arm'.

Lots of fun was had and a large amount of laughter noise was created. Sorry Little Leaguers, if this noise interrupted your game at all!

No scoring was kept but I am pretty sure the kids took the win...

You have put in a great effort this year Bears Rookies. We have seen each and every one of you improve your skill level tremendously. I hope you have all enjoyed yourselves.

See you all at presentation day on Saturday the 9th!



JUNIOR LEAGUE: Bears v Dodgers

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CUBS SENIORS

A Grade:

Bandits v Cubs Score: 18-3

The final score does not reflect what a great game this was. Unfortunately Bandits got away with a few runs in the first innings but then Cubs dug their heels in and there were a few innings where neither team scored any runs. RBI's were scored by Rory (2) and Jack (1). Great fielding by Dean on 3rd base with great catching by Blake for the whole game. Both Jack and Ducky did well on the mound.

Game time was 2hrs 15 mins!

B Grade:

Bandits forfeited their game!

Masters:

A weekend off for our Cubs Masters. We won't mention those two Cubs Masters who filled in for the Dodgers!!

GRAND FINALS – JUNIORS

09/09/17

Little League	8.30 -10.00	Reds v Bears	Diamond 2
Junior League	10.30 -12.30	Reds v Bears	Diamond 2
Senior League	1.00 --- 3.00	Reds v Bears	Diamond 2

THIS IS CLEARLY A REDS V BEARS GRAND FINAL DAY. EVERYONE PLEASE COME ALONG AND SUPPORT OUR BEARS PLAYERS IN THEIR GRAND FINAL.

THIS WILL BE THE LAST GRAND FINAL FOR OUR JUNIOR PLAYERS TO BE KNOWN AS "BEARS" SINCE THE CLUB'S INCORPORATION 21 YEARS AGO.

GAME TIMES: SENIORS

Friday, 08/09/17

A Grade	7.00pm	Heat A v Cubs A	Diamond 1
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Sunday, 10/09/17

Masters	9.30am	Bandits Masters v Cubs Masters	Diamond 1
B Grade	12.00pm	Cubs v Angels	Diamond 1

NOTE: We are now rostered on 1 more time during the season to sell raffle tickets during the season. Our club receives a 70% share of the raffle so this is a good fund raising opportunity that we need to support. Help from all our players is needed on these days:-

**Rostered:
01/10/17**

CLUB NEWS

CLUB BREAKUP & PRESENTATION (JUNIORS):

We are holding our club breakup/junior presentation on Saturday 9th September 2017 at Brinsmead Bear Park from 4.30 --- 7.00pm (a bit later than usual due to the late grand final at Walker Rd)

Join us for an afternoon of fun activities, free BBQ sausage sizzle and of course the presentation

to club players.

Could you please let us know by wed 6th how many you expect to be coming for catering purposes.

ALSO - - - our monster raffle will be drawn at the breakup so please hand in your ticket books.

ALL Bears junior playing shirts need to be returned back to the Club at the breakup. Dirty or clean!

U16's STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS – WALKER ROAD, EDMONTON (14-17 SEPTEMBER 2017)

Our region is hosting the U16's State Championships at Walker Road, Edmonton this year. This is a great opportunity to showcase what Cairns has to offer by way of great baseball fields and our region as a great place to travel to for tournaments. We have 6 teams from Brisbane and our local NQ Storm team competing in the State Championships. Anyone who has assist during the tournament with either ground crew and/or canteen assistance, please let me know (Kendra – email: kendrafuller@bigpond.com).

CAZALY'S COMMUNITY FUND – Grant \$2,000

We were successful in receiving a cheque for \$2,000 from Cazaly's Community Fund to go towards the cost of new uniforms for next year. Thank you to Cazaly's and to Kerri Adams (Jack's mum) who is our wonderful Grant application writer.

COMMITTEE:

Committee Meeting was held on Tuesday, 18th July 2017 at 5.30pm. The main focus of the meeting was on sponsorship packages and also fundraising for this year.

If anyone has contacts with businesses who are willing to donate a raffle prize, please let the committee know. The more prizes we have the better our raffle will be.

Also, we are moving ahead with our change of name to Cairns Cubs Baseball Club next year. With this change comes a change in uniforms, hats & club signage etc. for our club. We are looking at offering businesses a sponsorship package. If anyone is aware of someone who might be interested in sponsoring either a specific age group/team or more, then please contact our Committee members and we can have a sponsorship letter forwarded to the business. Any business interested in a sponsorship deal will have their business logo printed on the backs of our team shirts – great advertising potential for their business.

RAFFLE

ALL RAFFLE TICKET BOOKS MUST BE RETURNED THIS WEEK.

Thank you to parents and friends of our Club who have kindly donated prizes for our raffle this year. Tickets have been handed out to players now for selling. If you are wanting to sell more than one book, please ask Claudia Rose for more ticket books.

Prizes to date:-

Trip for 2 on a Pak 1 --- **Big Cat Green Island Reef Cruises**

Trip for 2 on Calm Water Cruise or Sunset Cruise --- **Cairns Harbour Cruises**

Trip for 2 to the reef valued at \$470 – **Sunlover Cruises**

Family Pass 2A 2ch --- **Cairns Wake Park**

\$100 Coles/Myer gift voucher --- **Brien Leibinger Lawyers**

\$100 gift voucher --- **Cairns Spring Works (Liz Fresser)**

\$50 BCF gift voucher --- **CJH Yacht Services (Juliet Headley)**

\$50 Movie Pass --- **SMSF Strategic Advisors (Rita Zappulla)**

5kg Wild Caught Green Endeavour Prawns --- **Rose Family**

One Month Membership --- **Womens Fitness For All**

\$50 voucher – **Roo's Bistro, Kangaroo Football Club**

2A & 2ch – Voucher for Mega Wildcard to Hartley Crocodile Adventures, Kuranda Koala Garden & Birdworld Kuranda – **Wildlife Tropical North Queensland**

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2A & 2 ch – 3 x Vouchers for Hartleys Crocodile Adventures --- **Wildlife Tropical North Queensland**

2 x wellness evaluations which includes a body analysis valued at \$79 each – **Dynamic Health & Wealth**

\$50 voucher – **Artistry of Hair, Redlynch Shopping Centre**

\$100 voucher – **Cairns Coconut Holiday Resort**

\$25 voucher – **Orangerie Patisserie, Redlynch**

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Neighbourhood Watch MANUNDA



YOU'RE INVITED...

The next Manunda NHW meeting will be held at Brothers Leagues Club at 6.30pm on Wednesday 6th September 2017.

All Welcome!

Guest Speaker: Oz-Spy Security Solutions

Come along and hear useful information on how to protect your family and property with the latest, most simple to use and reliable electronic security systems and surveillance equipment available today.

Queensland Police will also be attending to answer any questions you may have and to give us some tips on how to stay safe.

Let's work together to stay connected



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