

FOOTBALL CLUB NELSON

NEWSLETTER - JUNE 2019



One Club - One Passion



FC NELSON YOUTH



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Welcome FC Nelson club members,

We are proud to share with you all the newest edition to the FC Nelson football family - our very own in house **FC Nelson Newsletter**.

Our newsletter will come out twice a month providing information around FC Nelson day to day stories, events and programmes.

We will share pictures, introduce teams, the coaches and some of the fantastic people behind the scenes who do so much for the club.

We are wanting to hear more about your experience with the club.

Your FC Nelson story.

Please contact admin@fcnelson.co.nz if you have any ideas, stories and pictures to share.

We hope you enjoy reading a bit more about this fantastic club!

Have a great season with FC - See you on the sidelines.

Your

FC Nelson Committee



FC NELSON YOUTH



WHAT'S HAPPENED?

Oh... what did we wait patiently.
But **HERE THEY ARE** - our
brand new FC Nelson First Kicks
& Fun Football jerseys!

How flash do our little First Kicks
and Fun Football **all stars** look? :)

We love 'em.





INTRODUCING THIS WEEK TWO OF OUR 10TH GRADE TEAMS FC NELSON LIGHTNING & FC NELSON FALCONS.



FC Nelson Lightning

Rugby's loss is FC Nelson's **gain** as a number of **fast and furious** former rugby players have switched codes to join a great group of seasoned young footballers and some boys completely new to team sports, to make up the 10th Grade Lightning team. The boys are **loving every minute** of every game together. There are plenty of high fives and pats on the back - and not only when there are goals scored! It is a **joy**.



A youth & senior **member** of FC Nelson from 2011 to 2015.

Kris Main recently returned for a gap year from his studies at the University of Otago. He was quickly entranced into a coaching role by Tj Hansen. Taking on the tenth grade Lightning. Kris enjoys the **challenges** of dealing with a diverse range of kids and **watching** **them all improve** in their individual games.

Phoebe Gerry is one of our **new FC Nelson coaches** this season. She joined the FC Nelson 1st Division Women team in pre season and was keen to get involved with one of the junior teams as well. Phoebe is an **excellent footballer** (playing in the NBF reps for years), a **team player** and a **great person**. Her main goal this season: "As the coach my main goal is for the boys to **enjoy** football as much as I did at that age and in doing that they will continue to **improve and develop** their footballing skills."



FC Nelson Falcons

The FC Falcons are a team full of boys who come from **various backgrounds**, all with different skill levels, and **no two personalities** the same but the one thing they do have in common is their **love for football**. Although we haven't won all of our games every week the boys are getting better and better as individuals and as a team.





WHAT'S ON?

FC Nelson **Skill Centre**
(Term 2)

With George and Jamane.

Wednesdays

For **everyone** age 5 - 13

4 - 5 pm

@ Neale Park (near Skate
Park)

\$45 per term

All information here

[www.fcnelson.co.nz/football/
skill-centre](http://www.fcnelson.co.nz/football/skill-centre)

WHAT'S COMING?

FC Nelson

July Holiday Programme

Monday July 8th

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Thursday July 11th

For **everyone** age 5 - 13

9am - noon

@ Neale Park

2 groups

5 - 8 yrs (\$20 per day)

9 - 13 yrs (\$25 per day)

All information here

[http://www.fcnelson.co.nz/
football/school-holiday-
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WHY. WE. PLAY.



FC NELSON





WHAT'S UP?

We will **feature** all of our senior teams here throughout the season.

Our **2nd Division teams** will be in our next newsletter edition.



Leagues & draws here
www.nelsonbaysfootball.co.nz

Keen for some **football golf??**

FootballGolf

Nelson Tasman

FootballGolf Competition

Sunday 16th June 2019

- Four person Team event
- 18 Hole Competition
- Open to everyone – Pick your own teams
- Entry fee \$10 per person
 - Loads of prizes
- Limited entries – Be in quick
- Entries Close Monday 10th June

Entries(with team name) to:
nelson@golf.co.nz

FootballGolf.nz

We are at Nelson Golf Club

38 Bolt Road, Tahunanui

Bookings +64 3 548 5028

BYO Footballs (1 each) or hire from us



WHAT'S HAPPENED?



FC Nelson **celebrated** a "Pot Luck" dinner with different specialties presented by our FC Nelson players, coming from **all over the world**. A great little event with fantastic food :)

Next club house event coming soon! Watch our FB page or homepage for all updates!!!



INTRODUCING THIS WEEK OUR FC NELSON 1ST DIVISION TEAM



FC Nelson 1st Division 2019

The competition is not resting however so the 1st team has to keep the foot on the gas if they want to secure the league title this season.

The goal for the team is of course to keep the top of the table spot until the end of the season. Winning the local 1st division would potential open other doors to bigger competitions. Time will tell... So far the season has been great fun and the team is looking forward to competitive matches coming up!

FC Nelson 1st XI

The FC Nelson 1st XI this year is a mixture of last years team - with the experience local veteran footballers Captain Nick Crosswell and GK Dean Hill - who are playing alongside some new faces who joined the team in pre season. It took a few weeks for the team to mend and find their feet but once the season kicked off the team presented themselves as a strong unit.

Brydie's lot worked hard during training hours and kept performing on game days. To date the first team has not lost a game in the local league competition, leading the table only dropping 2 points (draw with College 1st XI) after now 6 matches played and displaying quality at both end of the field with a goal difference of 25:3.

Head Coach - Paul Brydon



Paul Brydon is a well known face in the local Nelson football scene. Playing and coaching in the area for years he's become one of the most qualified coaches around. The

former All White (Yes, Brydie did play for NZ) is determine to share some of his great football knowledge with the Senior footballers at FC Nelson. The quality left footer was a hard worker on the pitch, so he expects nothing less of his players. Paul has won the 1st Division two years ago with FC Nelson and he is wanting to do it again this season. He is keen to get FC Nelson into



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