



# South Mornington JFC

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## Round 9 Wrap Up

Round 9 was a huge day for the club, with footy starting on Friday night as our U10 Girls headed to Dromana and had a great game. A couple of our U8 teams were also away from home, before Sunday brought a massive 14 home games at Citation Reserve.

The round was proudly supported by Community Bank Mt Martha, and we thank Gary for coming down in the morning, as well as Community Bank Mt Martha for their ongoing support of our club. Their contribution over many years has helped deliver some big improvements for SMJFC, including our digital scoreboards and Roary, our club mascot.

Sunday morning certainly gave everyone something to talk about, with thick fog rolling across Citation and making the early games hard to see from almost anywhere around the ground. Our players braved the cold and the soup-thick fog, while parents, coaches, team managers, trainers, ground marshals, canteen helpers and volunteers all turned up and played their part.

Days like that are a big reminder of just how many people it takes to run a junior footy club. To host 14 games at home in one day is a massive effort, and we are incredibly grateful to everyone who helped with set up, pack up, canteen, BBQ, game day roles and everything in between.

A highlight of the day was seeing Roary make an appearance and get involved with our U9 teams, helping sing the song and even getting the parents involved. It was a great bit of fun and another reminder of the energy and community spirit around the club.





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## Tiger Den Reminder

A reminder to all families to make the most of our Tiger Den, available through the club website. The Tiger Den features businesses who actively support our club, and we would love for it to be your first point of call when looking for services or goods.

Whether it's a small job or something bigger, supporting these businesses is a great way to give back to those who give so much to our club.



## SPONSOR SPOTLIGHT

This week's sponsor spotlight is shared between Aspect Roof Plumbing and Conic Electrical.

We are very grateful to have both businesses supporting South Mornington JFC and helping us continue to provide a great environment for our players and families. Local sponsors are such an important part of our club, and their support makes a real difference across the season.

As always, we encourage our club community to support the businesses that support us. If you are looking for roofing, plumbing or electrical support, please keep Aspect Roof Plumbing and Conic Electrical in mind.



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## Toyota Good for Footy Raffle

The club has signed up again for the Toyota Good for Footy Raffle, and we would love our families and supporters to get behind it.

Tickets are just \$5, and every ticket sold through our club link goes straight back to SMJFC. It is an easy way to support the club, with some great prizes up for grabs. You can buy tickets

here: <https://toyotagoodforfooty.raffletix.com.au/southmorningtonjfc>

If you can, please grab a ticket or share the link with family and friends. Every ticket helps.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to our milestone players this week. Whether it is 50, 100 or 150 games, each one represents years of training nights, early starts, game days and memories made in the Tigers jumper. Well done to all involved.

Hudson Smith - U11 Black - 50 Games

Zephyr Gray - U11 Black - 50 Games

Jimmy Bailey - U12 Black - 50 Games



## WINEY COW VOLUNTEER OF THE WEEK

This week's Winey Cow Volunteer of the Week is Abby Woodruff.

Abby's team has found itself with the early Sunday morning slot a few times this year, which also means an early canteen shift to kick off the day. Abby has jumped in to help in the canteen on a number of occasions, and we really appreciate the support she continues to give the club.

Those early starts and quiet jobs make a big difference to how smoothly game day runs. Thanks Abby, your help is very much appreciated.





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## Community Bank Mt Martha Thanks

A special thank you to Community Bank Mt Martha for supporting Round 9 and for their continued support of South Mornington JFC.

Community Bank Mt Martha has been a long-time supporter of our club and the broader local community. Their backing has helped deliver some of the major projects around SMJFC, including both of our digital scoreboards and our mascot Roary. We are incredibly grateful for their ongoing commitment and were pleased to have Gary along on Sunday morning as part of a huge day at Citation.

Check out some of the pics from the day below!





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## ROUND 9 RESULTS

U17.5 (37) def by Mornington (132) – The U17.5s came up against a very strong Mornington side and kept working through a tough contest. The group will regroup, keep turning up and look to bounce back next week.

U16 (97) def Bonbeach (38) – A terrific performance from the U16s, who played strong team footy and came away with a convincing win over Bonbeach. A great result and plenty to like across the ground.

U15 (89) def Carrum Patterson Lakes (28) – The U15s put together another strong performance, controlling the game and getting a great reward for their effort. A really pleasing team result.

U14 (48) def by Lyndhurst (51) – A heartbreaking finish for the U14s, going down after the siren in a game they were right in until the very end. As tough as that one is to take, the boys should remember they can absolutely compete with these teams. Keep turning up, keep working and the results will come.

U14 Girls (49) def Crib Point (22) – A fantastic win for the U14 Girls, who played confident, team-focused footy and were rewarded with a strong result over Crib Point. A great effort from the group.

U13 (33) def by Berwick (39) – A tough finish for the U13s, who went down after the siren in a really close contest. It hurts to lose that way, but the group should take a lot from the fact they matched it with a strong Berwick side. Keep believing and keep showing up.

U12 Yellow (52) def Rye (31) – A great result for U12 Yellow, who put together a strong performance and came away with a well-earned win over Rye. The team continues to build nicely.

U12 Black (27) def Rosebud (26) – A cracking one-point win for U12 Black, who held on in a tight contest against Rosebud. A great show of composure and effort right to the final siren.

U12 Girls (13) def by Western Port Pumas (14) – The U12 Girls were involved in a nail-biter, going down by just one point to Western Port Pumas. A tough result, but a really competitive effort and plenty to be proud of.

U11 Tigers (82) def Somerville (28) – A big performance from the U11 Tigers, who played with great energy and teamwork to secure a strong win over Somerville. A fantastic result for the group.

U11 Black (55) def Tyabb (19) – A really strong performance from U11 Black, who worked well together and came away with a great win over Tyabb. Plenty of positive signs from the whole team.

U8s, U9s, U10s and U10 Girls – A great weekend for our younger Tigers, starting with the U10 Girls under lights at Dromana on Friday night and continuing across the weekend. It was fantastic to see the players building their skills, working together and enjoying their footy, even through some cold and foggy conditions.



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## ROUND 9 SNAPS





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