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Glenfield Cobwebs

At a time when many of you were not even born or perhaps just entering intermediate, back when the Clubroom was only one story high and we shared the car park building with the North Shore Rock Hounds Club, an over 30's team was formed by Paul "Chopper" O'Malley which, despite the Club's best efforts, has remained a Glenfield team.

The founder members have all aged disgracefully over the last 30 years, players have come and gone and came back again – can't get rid of them.

The team has changed, got older, introduced younger players who should have more sense, had different names and finally ended up as the "Well over 35's" Cobwebs.

Given that the defence a few seasons ago was known as Grey Power on Parade, boasting between them 250 years' experience, 5 good knees, 6 good ankles, 7 good eyes and a collective IQ which would make a radish look like a contender for Mastermind, the team embarked on a youth policy by recruiting sons, son in laws, nephews and anyone else they could threaten, coerce and blackmail into joining.

The idea is that the old guard will drift off into the sunset for warm milk and cocoa and the juniors will take over and run the team.

This attempt to bring the average age of the team down to something approaching the national debt has worked, and the average age now over the whole team has been reduced by one year.

Unfortunately, the average IQ now over the whole team has been reduced by 26 to an all-time low of 19.5.

The current manager, Frank "Krynen the Barbarian", so often lambasted for getting injured in strenuous activity such as getting out of his car or peeling an orange, has everything planned and everything has gone to plan - except that the Olds refuse to budge. Their argument being that they have played football for the best part of 60 years and are not going out losers.

The younger generation quite rightly point out that the chances of winning anything with the Olds in the team resembles the same odds as finding intelligent life in Newcastle. The Olds however, want to win something and go out on a high, which shouldn't be difficult given the incredible noxious eye watering aroma in the changing room before the game with these Olds applying copious amounts of horse liniment and deep heat to various parts of their anatomy.

However when all is said and done - I blame the midfield myself !! Doesn't everyone?

This impasse has resulted in a current squad which is now a mixture of the old faces, the very old faces, the new team members with old faces and the downright decrepit.

Fortunately, we have enlisted a Goalkeeper Extraordinary. Well he would have to be with this defence in front of him. Some call him the Cat but we know him as Puss 'n Boots. We have also recruited midfielders who can run marginally faster than a sloth and some Saviours of the Defence, who have had inspired games and can only get better once they learn not to rely on anyone, do everything themselves and never, ever, under any circumstances, listen to the Olds who are desperate to win the much coveted Most Own Goals Award.

In compiling the statistics for this review one factor has clearly emerged amidst all the clutter of facts and figures - This team is sick.

Any team boasting Dougie "Toot, Toot I'm a Tug Boat" Coombes, well known for his kind disposition, gentle demeanour and reserved personality who has elevated the skill of pre-emptive retaliation to an art form, Peter Bloom - a parapsychologist who tells us where we are **going** to go wrong, Trevvvor the QE2, similar turning circle and top speed of 2.3 knots wind assisted, has got to have its share of disturbed people and split personalities – DedlegsEdwards and Biodegradable Bill Jnr. so called because he's full of bulls***, to mention just three.

Throw in Ryan - much better now that he has had the medication adjusted. Ben - energetic and enthusiastic. Unfortunately, just not at the same time and Paddy - IQ on a par with a mollusc, and there you have it – Psycho City.

Certainly, it has not been a difficult task to report on the more bizarre aspects of the team – there is no end to that – but rather the most difficult part has been in reducing the information down to manageable levels.

A final and very special thanks must go to the WAGS, supporters, children and grandchildren who, week in week out, support the team and try very hard not to laugh.

Sideline Sam












Results 13th/14th July 2019

Home	Score	Away
Glenfield Re-United M1	2 : 0	Kerikeri Bay Builders NMP
Glenfield Muppets M2	2 : 0	Hibiscus Kiwa M2
Air Force Base Auckland FC	1 : 1	Glenfield Pre-Finished Surfaces M4
Birkenhead Muzza M5	1 : 1	Glenfield Billy Mavs W 5-4 pen
Oratia Bushmen M7	2 : 2	Glenfield Revolution W 5 – 3 pens
Glenfield Mavericks M6	1 : 4	Greenhithe Catimba M5
Glenfield Bazza Juniors 35C	2 : 4	Takapuna Boca Seniors 35C
Norwest United M35/1	2 : 1	Glenfield Granite M35/2
Glenfield Spider Pigs M35/2	3 : 1	Glenfield Roosters M35/2
ECB Silver Foxes M35/1	4 : 0	Glenfield Redmen M35/2
Forrest Hill Spartans M35/2	3 : 0	Glenfield Bazzas M35/2
Birkenhead Boca John Bull M35/2	2 : 3	Glenfield Mutineers M35/3
Greenhithe Roaring 40s M35/4	4 : 5	Glenfield Cobwebs M35/4
Glenfield Internationals M35/4	1 : 4	Takapuna Cavaliers M45/1
Glenfield Rovers Relics M45/1	3 : 0	North Shore Jesters Pies O45
ECB Madsen W2	0 : 2	Glenfield Rovers GG's W2









Leading Goalscorers

Open Men		Open Women		Masters	
Jon Allison – ReUnited	17	Stacey O'Connor – GG's	19	Andrew Parsonage – Redmen	19
Jason Watts – Mavericks	8	Claire Kearney – GG's	9	Eduardo Marsell – Spider Pigs	14
Alex Daniels – ReUnited	8	Anja Boyens – GG's	7	Chris Coombes – Cobwebs	11
Hayden Patton - Mavericks	8	Karen McKinlay – GG's	6	Gan Elphick-Moon – Roosters	10
Robbie Stuart – ReUnited	7	Elise – Chaos	5	Carl Harris – Spider Pigs	10
Chris Collins – Revolution	6	Taelah Leat – GG's	5	Colin Parmenter – Bazzas	9
Tom Oosterhof – Prefinished Surfaces	6	Paula Gilliver – Chaos	3	Paul Field – Bazzas	9
Joe Bresnahan – Mavericks	6	Olivia Svensdon – GG's	4	Jamie Adkins - Roosters	8
Ash Parker – Prefinished Surfaces	5	Skye – Chaos	2	Denis Kuzmenko – Relics	8
David Mount – Prefinished Surfaces	5	Own Goal – GG's	2	Steve Marlow – Redmen	8
Kenneth Woodall – Billy Mavs	5			Tony Church – Redmen	7
Own Goal – Mavericks	5			Jonny Smith – Mutineers	7
Justin Byrne – Mavericks	5			John Strudwick – Internationals	7
Doug Wylde – ReUnited	6			Phil Wright – Bazzas	6
Kevin Tiedeman – ReUnited	4			Luke Dodson – Bazzas	6
Jay Farrer – ReUnited	4			Liam Doar – Bazzas	6
Justin de Lille – Mavericks	4			Stefano Contini – Spider Pigs	6
Arran Rainbow – Revolution	4			Pete Young – Relics	6
				Peter Fox – Bazzas	6
				Greg McMichael – Cobwebs	5
				Ollie Routledge – Roosters	5











NFF Senior Men - Division 4

	Played	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Against	Goal Difference	Total
 Birkenhead Barons M4	11	11	0	0	62	13	49	33
 Waitakere Matrix M4	11	8	1	2	51	22	29	25
 Forrest Hill Muff M4	12	7	0	5	43	33	10	21
 Albany Raw M4	11	6	1	4	43	25	18	19
 Air Force Base Auckland FC M4	11	5	3	3	16	20	-4	18
 Glenfield Pre-Finished Surfaces M4	12	5	1	6	34	28	6	16
 Hibiscus Thirst M4	12	4	2	6	17	40	-23	14
 North Shore 95's M4	12	4	1	7	29	50	-21	13
 ECB Fuze M4	12	3	1	8	30	51	-21	10
 Puhoi RDS Pandas M4	12	0	0	12	16	59	-43	0











NFF Senior Men - Division 5

	Played	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Against	Goal Difference	Total
 Greenhithe Hardheads M5	12	9	1	2	38	18	20	28
 ECB Roach M5	12	8	1	3	61	25	36	25
 Greenhithe Catimba M5	12	7	3	2	56	25	31	24
 Birkenhead Muzza M5	12	6	4	2	45	19	26	22
 Puhoi RDS Cubs M5	12	4	4	4	24	34	-10	16
 Forrest Hill Youths M5	12	4	2	6	34	30	4	14
 Forrest Hill Milford Just Prestige M5	12	0	3	9	14	48	-34	3
 Glenfield Billy Mavs M5	12	1	0	11	15	88	-73	3









NFF Senior Men - Division 6

	Played	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Against	Goal Difference	Total
 Glenfield Mavericks M6	12	8	2	2	41	25	16	26
 North Shore Devo Beach	12	7	2	3	45	27	18	23
 Te Atatu Birthday Boys M6	12	6	3	3	27	16	11	21
 Puhoi RDS Dragons M6	12	7	0	5	27	29	-2	21
 Norwest United M6	12	5	4	3	25	21	4	19
 Waitemata Kingfishers M6	11	5	2	4	26	25	1	17
 Albany United Anonymous M6	11	3	5	3	25	23	2	14
 West Auckland Originals M6	12	3	3	6	21	27	-6	12
 Albany Watsons Heroes M6	12	3	1	8	17	27	-10	10
 Glenfield Revolution M6	12	1	0	11	18	52	-34	3










NFF Senior Women - Division 2

	Played	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Against	Goal Difference	Total
 Birkenhead Socials W2	12	10	1	1	57	12	45	31
 Glenfield Rovers GG's W2	11	10	0	1	58	11	47	30
 Forrest Hill Swannies W2	12	8	1	3	33	19	14	25
 ECB Madsen W2	12	7	2	3	35	32	3	23
 Takapuna W2	11	7	0	4	25	17	8	21
 Ranui Swanson W2	11	5	2	4	34	20	14	17
 Warkworth W2	11	2	2	7	18	34	-16	8
 Glenfield Rovers Chaos W3	12	2	0	10	12	51	-39	6
 Greenhithe Catimba Mozamba W2	12	1	2	9	20	50	-30	5
 Te Atatu Moselle W2	12	1	0	11	8	54	-46	3











AFF/NFF Senior Men – Over 35's Conference

	Played	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Against	Goal Difference	Total
 Glenfield Bazza Juniors 35C	11	7	1	3	31	17	14	22
 Coasters Utd M35C	11	6	3	2	25	18	7	21
 Takapuna Boca Seniors 35C	11	7	0	4	29	22	7	21
 Western Springs Go Feet M35C	10	6	1	3	20	10	10	19
 Western Springs Revolution M35C	11	6	1	4	24	18	6	19
 Bay Olympic Clowns M35 Conference	10	5	0	5	18	25	-7	15
 Birkenhead Beer Spot 35C	11	3	1	7	20	26	-6	10
 Lynn-Avon Utd AFC M35C	11	3	1	7	12	19	-7	10















NFF – Over 35's Division 1

	Played	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Against	Goal Difference	Total
 Greenhithe Catimba XP M35/1	11	8	0	3	52	15	37	24
 ECB Cosmos M35/1	11	8	0	3	49	14	35	24
 West Auckland BNT M35/2	11	7	1	3	36	29	7	22
 Takapuna Brasilia M35/1	9	7	0	2	33	12	21	21
 Norwest United M35/1	10	5	1	4	26	27	-1	16
 Hibiscus Invaders M35/1	10	4	0	6	22	32	-10	12
 Birkenhead Cavheads M35/1	11	3	1	7	17	37	-20	10
 Glenfield Granite M35/2	10	3	0	7	17	40	-23	9
 ECB All Sorts M35/1	11	0	1	10	8	54	-46	1













NFF – Over 35's Division 2

	Played	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Against	Goal Difference	Total
 Forrest Hill Spartans M35/2	12	11	0	1	65	21	44	33
 Glenfield Bazzas M35/2	12	10	1	1	53	21	32	31
 Birkenhead Toffee Lad M35/1	12	5	4	3	23	15	8	19
 Glenfield Redmen M35/2	11	5	3	3	39	23	16	18
 Te Atatu Footy Westerlies M35/2	11	4	1	6	32	29	3	13
 Birkenhead United Wolfpack M35/2	12	4	1	7	20	32	-12	13
 Glenfield Roosters M35/2	11	4	1	6	24	36	-12	13
 ECB Silver Foxes M35/1	9	4	0	5	11	27	-16	12
 Albany Undertakers M35/2	11	2	1	8	12	40	-28	7
 Birkenhead Boca John Bull M35/2	11	1	0	10	13	48	-35	3









NFF – Over 35's Division 3

	Played	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Against	Goal Difference	Total
 Glen Eden Blue M35/3	11	9	1	1	31	14	17	28
 Glenfield Spider Pigs M35/2	12	8	1	3	44	15	29	25
 Glenfield Mutineers M35/3	11	7	3	1	32	17	15	24
 Albany Devilsrock M35/3	12	7	1	4	41	22	19	22
 Waitemata M35/3	11	7	1	3	33	15	18	22
 Hibiscus Predators M35/3	12	5	2	5	29	23	6	17
 West Auckland Old Farts M35/4	12	5	2	5	29	25	4	17
 Waitakere Auckland Carpets Ltd M35/4	12	5	2	5	21	19	2	17
 North Shore Hobbs O35/4	12	4	4	4	32	21	11	16
 Hibiscus Heroes M35/3	12	4	4	4	34	33	1	16
 Greenhithe Rebels M35/4	12	5	0	7	23	43	-20	15
 Oratia Baby Blues M35/3	11	2	1	8	20	37	-17	7
 Greenhithe Roaring 40s M35/4	12	2	0	10	15	58	-43	6
 Ranui Swanson M35/3	12	1	0	11	16	58	-42	3

NFF – Over 35's Division 4

	Played	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Against	Goal Difference	Total
 Takapuna Allgood FC M35/4	12	9	2	1	48	19	29	29
 Birkenhead United Buckaroos M35/4	12	8	1	3	38	25	13	25
 Waitakere Rebels M35/4	12	7	2	3	27	23	4	23
 Te Atatu Blue M35/4	12	6	2	4	39	27	12	20
 Albany Nortons M35/4	12	6	1	5	36	27	9	19
 Norwest United O35/4	12	6	1	5	29	23	6	19
 Glenfield Cobwebs M35/4	12	6	1	5	25	21	4	19
 Forrest Hill Titans M35/4	12	5	2	5	34	33	1	17
 Albany Originals M35/4	12	4	2	6	36	38	-2	14
 Hibiscus Nemesis M35/4	12	3	1	8	27	42	-15	10
 Glenfield Internationals M35/4	12	2	1	9	13	39	-26	7
 Oratia Westies M35/4	12	1	2	9	13	48	-35	5

NFF – Over 45's Division 1

	Played	Win	Draw	Loss	For	Against	Goal Difference	Total
 North Shore Jesters Pies O45	11	8	2	1	52	17	35	26
 ECB M40C	12	8	2	2	51	20	31	26
 Hibiscus Rovers M45/1	11	8	1	2	33	13	20	25
 Glenfield Rovers Relics M45/1	12	7	1	4	26	20	6	22
 Takapuna Cavaliers M45/1	12	5	2	5	32	21	11	17
 Oratia Rovers M45/1	12	4	2	6	21	34	-13	14
 ECB Foreign Legion M45/1	12	1	1	10	25	45	-20	4
 Glen Eden Black M45/1	12	0	1	11	9	79	-70	1

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