

FINAL HOME GAME MATCH PROGRAMME



12:30PM

CAP1 ON KP3



3:00PM



Mike Hornsby, Chairman

Greetings to KP for the final home fixtures for season 2021. Welcome to Lower Hutt and Kapiti teams and staff for what will be a couple of hard-fought games I'm sure

For me this season (whilst not over yet) feels like it's gone quickly and I still have energy in the tank. My thanks to our volunteers - the players and coaches who I'm privileged to be amongst every week and our wider community and sponsors. We are a club in the heart of our community that honours our 127-year history and delivers enjoyment from first kicks to masters and also compete at the elite level. We are a true community club and proud of it! My thanks to my exec committee who have driven us forward and work tirelessly - as well as the junior committee and coordinators and managers. Our coaching team is in harmony with our strategy and our culture is special. In short, I'm very proud of how the club has come together and the quality of football and programs being put on the pitch. Well done to everyone who plays a part in that.

Our W-League side won last week - finishing the season 3rd - a great effort from the team after a challenging start to the season. Honestly, the build up to one of the goals last week would have made any coach proud. Kaley had her shoulder smashed in a challenge - got up and went on to score 2 goals. That's Wharf heart in action who Karori girls are inspired by and flocking to try out football in our girls' only program. The women's side coached by Sam & Nigel with physio Matt are an absolute credit who will have our full backing to go next level 2022.

This is my 9th season with the men's 1st team and reserves. This year's group of coaches (led by the two Sam's) have been the best I've seen on and off the pitch and we're blessed to have a coaching group the players learn from and enjoy their football. The Reserves under Curtis have been outstanding in the 2nd half - playing with heart and for the badge. The 1st team is a great group of lads and pleasure to be amongst. I know the lads will leave nothing behind today as they play for special reasons which will remain in house and I look forward to some quality football today.

As last comments at home for 2021 - thankyou to our loyal supporters who travel with us. Our key sponsor (IntegrationWorks) and all our partners who make the Wharf special. Enjoy



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Sam Smith

Central League Head Coach

Hello all & welcome to the Phoenix Academy and Kapiti Coast United for today's matches, which are our last home games for the season here at Karori Park. We are expecting 2 tough encounters!

The reserves close out their season today off the back of a 7-match unbeaten streak. A big congratulations to them for a massive turnaround after a disappointing start. If there were a few more games in the season I'd be confident the team would be challenging for the league! A win today, with results going our way, could give the team a 4th place finish. A big focus this year was bringing the reserve and first teams closer together, and it has been great to work closely with these boys at training. Curtis Jones deserves congratulations for the work he has done with the team, as does Gavin Kelner for his work with the goalkeepers. Curtis being a Kapiti old boy adds some extra flavour to the game today!

For the first team, today is a chance for us to pile pressure on the teams in front of us. We have had two positive home performances in the last 2 rounds, and I would love for us to put together a third one today. However, we have our work cut out against a good group of Phoenix Academy players who have matched it at the top of the league this year. Our previous match away ended in a 4-2 loss but playing at home with a mathematical chance of making the national league (top 4) is good motivation!

I would like to say a big thank you to all my fellow coaches and support staff this year. Without you, the teams wouldn't have performed or functioned as well as they have. We have experienced the highs and lows this season together, and I'm looking forward to our last home match today.

Enjoy the game.



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2021 SEASON SCHEDULE



27 MAR
2-1L



2 APR
2-1W



10 APR
2-3W



17 APR
2-2D



24 APR
3-1L



1 MAY
2-4L



9 MAY
0-0D



22 MAY
1-0W



29 MAY
4-2L



5 JUN
1-3W



12 JUN
1-4L



3 JUL
1-1D



17 JUL
6-0L



24 JUL
0-3L



31 JUL
4-0W



7 AUG
3-2W



14 AUG
3:00PM



28 AUG
2:30PM

KEY: HOME AWAY x2 DOUBLE HEADER



SCHEDULE MAY CHANGE THROUGHOUT THE SEASON



CENTRAL LEAGUE TABLE

	PLAYED	GD	POINTS
Wellington Olympic	16	34	41
Miramar Rangers AFC	16	46	39
Lower Hutt City AFC	16	41	37
Western Suburbs	16	13	25
Wairarapa Utd	16	-4	23
Waterside Karori	16	-9	21
Napier City Rovers AFC	16	-6	17
North Wellington FC	15	-7	15
Petone FC	16	-45	6
Wainuiomata AFC	15	-63	1

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MEI BURDEN

100 CAPS - 22/5/21

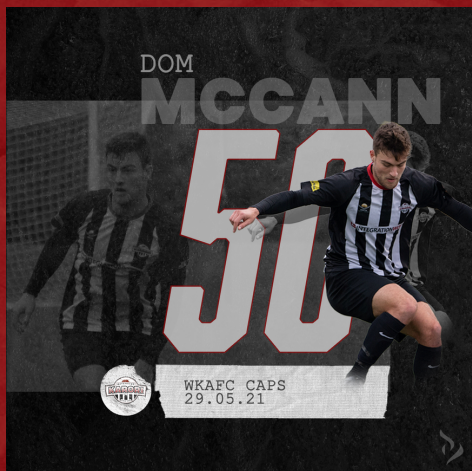
"Til now I couldn't have asked for a better club to play for, it's been a lot of fun over the years and I've been fortunate enough to have the best teammates. Shout out to everyone involved in my time here, and to the current squad - looking forward to racking up another quality season. Love this club. Up the Wharf!"



JARROD STANT

50 CAPS - 22/5/21

"It's good to make my 50th league appearance for the Wharf. The teams changed a lot since I came here but we've definitely solidified our spot in the Central League. We've got a good group of lads this year with a lot of depth so I'll be looking to make an impact in the game."



DOM MCCANN

50 CAPS - 29/5/21

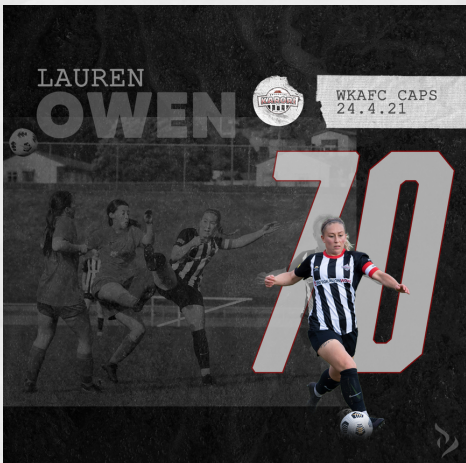
"It's been cool to be part of this team from the under 17s, to the Cap Prem, and now being an established Central League team. We've got a really talented squad and can keep improving over the coming seasons and I'm really excited about the future."



MAGGIE BLACKBURN

80 CAPS - 8.5.21

"I've loved my time at the club, particularly all the friends I've made throughout my time here. It's been great to see this team go from strength to strength and I'm looking forward to the rest of the season! Up the Wharf!"



LAUREN OWEN

70 CAPS - 24.4.21

"I'd like to thank everyone at the club for inviting me in 6 years ago and making me feel right at home from day one. The team has changed a lot over the years, but we've come so far - getting promoted and now being an established W-league side. It's a real honour to captain the side this year and I'm really looking forward to the future of this team - it's a really exciting time to be a part of the Wharf!"



2021 SEASON RESULTS



10 APR

2 - 1 L



24 APR

8 - 0 L



8 MAY

3 - 2 L



22 MAY

0 - 4 W



29 MAY

5 - 0 W



12 JUN

3 - 1 W



19 JUN

2 - 0 W



26 JUN

3 - 1 W



17 JUL

2 - 1 L



24 JUL

2 - 2 D



31 JUL

0 - 5 W



7 AUG

5 - 3 W

KEY:  HOME  AWAY  DOUBLE HEADER





SQUAD



Sam Smith



Sam Morrissey



Andy Vines



Curtis Jones



Gary "Gazza" Fisher



Mike Hornsby



Raphael Villareal



Gavin Kelner



Henry Gray



Gabe Cooper



Jake Fawcett



Tom Kirkland



Conor Butler



Josh Murphy



Lewis Miller



Stefan Cordwell



Ben Lack



Merlin Luke-Miny



Jarrod Stant



Jack Parker



Jack Carter



Andrew Riley



Luke Agalawatta



Christian Johnson



Dom McCann



Blake Driehuis



Harry Fautley (C)



Cai McLean

#19



James Knott

#21



Cameron Healy

#22



Jack Orchard

#23



Matt Peden

#24



Joel Restieaux

#25



Oliver Fletcher

#26



Jayden Gordon

#27



Konan Hey

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