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September 2011 Newsletter

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Please remember that all of our staff and Executive are volunteers; treat them with respect.



CHEEEEEEESE!

Team and individual pictures have been scheduled for **Sunday, October 2nd at Killarney Park (8720 – 130A Ave.)** at the following times: Atoms at 10:30 a.m.; Peewees at 11:00 a.m.; and Bantams at 12:00 p.m.

Players are to arrive wearing their *complete* game uniform including all pads and blue jerseys. They do NOT need to bring their helmets. Please have your order form completed in advance and payment ready to provide to your respective Team Managers.

If a player is unable to make the above date/time, a further date of Tuesday, October 4th at 5:30 p.m. at Queen Elizabeth High School (at trees by tennis court) has been scheduled for individual photos.

MELTON (LEATHER) JACKETS

Get yours now! The cost for these amazing jackets is \$210.00 (including GST) and they take approximately 2-3 months to arrive.

Mirella Horner will have sample jackets to try on for sizing at practice on Tuesday, Sept. 20th and on picture day (Oct. 2). Payment must be made at time of ordering and our final order for this season will be placed on October 3rd, 2011.

Please see Mirella Horner with questions/orders.

SALUTE TO AMATEUR FOOTBALL GAME

As was indicated in our last newsletter, our club is taking part in the Salute to Amateur Football Event this year. Tickets have been purchased and will be available to every player and staff member for **Friday's Edmonton Eskimos game against the Montreal Alouettes at Commonwealth Stadium**. All others (i.e. parents, non-team personnel) may purchase tickets through regular outlets.

Staff members please take note of the following:

Ticket pick-up: Our team contacts will pick up the tickets under our team name on game day at Gate 6 (NW) at Commonwealth starting at 5:30 pm. Game time is 7:00 p.m. The team contact will then distribute tickets to our team members to enter Commonwealth. Tickets will not be available for pick up other than on game day. **PLAYERS ARE TO MEET AT GATE 6 NO LATER THAN 6:40 P.M.** wearing Seahawk apparel if possible.

"Tickets are NOT FOR RESALE or to be GIVEN AWAY AT THE GAME. Any person caught selling these tickets or giving them away at the gates will be prosecuted and their program will cease to be involved for next year. Let's keep this program available for everyone. Coach or Team contacts are to give tickets out to only those who are going into the gate from your team/roster."

Have fun and remember that you are representing our club – conduct yourselves accordingly.

Parents, if you are picking up your players after the game, please don't keep our staff members waiting – they need their rest for Saturday's games!

STAFF



ATOM

Head Coach – Darren Marchesi
780-203-5555

Team Managers – Chantal Chinni
780-970-1654 and Melanie
Makowecki 780-633-7780

Coaches

Doug Trendall, Miles Pederson,
Ambrose Cardinal-Dubitski,
Sam Cross, Jordan Empey,
Braiden Hanna

Trainer

Brenda Newman



PEEWEE

Head Coach – Mike Long
780-457-1062

Team Manager – Mirella Horner
780-478-3305

Coaches

Paul Horner, Jay Chaba, Scott
Staples, Norm Neumann, Jordan
Yuskow, Christian Moell

Trainer



BANTAM

Head Coach – Paul Griffiths
780-758-9967

Team Manager – Eddie Yehia
780-233-2549

Coaches

Corey Creese, Dallas Mix, Jeff
Miles, Stefen Anthony, Brent
Melnik, Tony Flath

Trainer

Irene Simpson



MERCHANDISE REP:

Vacant – Please see Mirella Horner

SEAHAWKS MERCHANDISE

Please visit our website (www.edmontonseahawks.com) and click on the “Merchandise” tab for a complete list of merchandise available and cost. Items will continue to be added so check back often!

We have a wide variety of sportswear and accessories bearing the Seahawk logo for sale. Some items are in stock but some must be ordered - this can be done anytime during the season and orders will be placed bi-weekly/monthly, depending on size. Delivery time on ordered items can take up to 3 weeks depending on the availability of the item. Clothing is available in standard sizes in youth or adult. Embroidering is included on most items; additional embroidering is available at an extra cost. Samples of some items are available for viewing at upon request.

Payment must be given at time of ordering; cash or cheque (payable to *North Edmonton Minor Football Association*). Cheques must clear the bank before delivery of merchandise.

Please contact **Mirella Horner (780-478-3305)** for more information.



New Item!

Men’s & Women’s *Stormtech* Bonded Jacket

- Wind & Water Repellent
- Polyester & Spandex Bonded
- Color: Black
- Seahawk logo on left chest
- \$65.00 + GST

WEBSITES TO REMEMBER:

North Edmonton Minor Football Association (NEMFA) – for Board and staff member information, handouts, news, rosters, schedules, scores, Official Rules, Policy and Procedures Manual; and Bylaws: www.edmontonseahawks.com

Capital District Minor Football Association (CDMFA) – for league information and standings, game schedules and changes, game results, fields – maps/directions, etc.: www.cdmfa.com



NEXT HOME GAME:

Montreal Alouettes @ Edmonton
Friday, September 23rd at 7:00 p.m.

GO ESKS GO!

Remember, just show your Edmonton Eskimo game ticket and you’re on Park ‘n Ride, LRT, or regular transit service two hours before and after game time...FREE!

CITY OF EDMONTON FIELD WEATHER STATUS:

Go to the Edmonton Seahawks website:
www.edmontonseahawks.com and click on the
link at the top of the page OR call
780-496-4999 and press “1”



IT'S GETTING COLDER OUT THERE...

As our short-lived summer comes to an end and leaves start to change, so must we; please remember to start dressing your football player for the cooler evening temperatures. How you ask? A long-sleeved shirt will go a long way for the next few weeks, followed by long johns or tights (under their pants!). When the mercury really starts to dip, you may even consider sweats, and a sweat shirt or a *couple* long-sleeved shirts. Packing an extra pair of socks is also a good idea in case feet get wet, as is bringing gloves to keep their hands warm during practices.

Keeping warm does not stop at players however. Unlike our players who keep active during practices and games, parents and spectators are not; sitting and standing for even short periods of time can get pretty chilly. Keep warm using layers, but the most important parts to keep warm are your hands and feet - thermal socks, wool hats, and seat cushions to keep you insulated from the cold and wet bench seats will go a long way. If you can find them, remember the hot packs...they work great in shoes!

So let's keep this game a pleasurable experience for all; parents and spectators please remember to dress yourselves appropriately too!

IS YOUR PLAYER'S NAME SPELLED CORRECTLY?

We would ask that you please check the Team Roster you were provided with for your team. If your player's name is spelled incorrectly on this roster, **please notify your Team Manager immediately with the correction.**

Arrangements are being made for our upcoming year-end Awards Banquet and unless we are notified otherwise, trophies will be produced with names as they appear on the Team Rosters. Thank you!



SPEAKING OF AWARDS...

...this year's **AWARDS BANQUET** will be held on **Saturday, November 19th, at 5:30 p.m.** at Hunter's Green Golf Club. Please mark this date in your calendars and stay tuned for details including dates/times for ticket purchases.

If you would like to be involved in the Banquet Committee, please contact Mirella Horner as soon as possible.

~ Schedule Changes ~

Please remember that due to various reasons (weather, field availability, etc.) schedule changes are inevitable. Staff will continue to endeavor to communicate schedule changes to you in a timely fashion, however, we ask that you continue to check the **CDMFA site** for updates and particularly, as close to game day as possible.

Our club is not notified of changes in advance; staff check the CDMFA site to keep apprised. Many Thanks!

FOOTBALL QUOTE

We are inclined to think that if we watch a football game or a baseball game, we have taken part in it.

John F. Kennedy
35th President of the United States

FUNDRAISING INITIATIVE – REMINDER!

If you have yet to get your **Grey Cup Pool Ticket Book** from Chantal Chinni (Atom Team Manager) please do so immediately at this week's practices. **Each family is required to sell 1 ticket book** (each book consists of 30 tickets at \$2.00 each for a total of \$60.00). These tickets are an easy sell - they are popular and sell fast. **Monies from this fundraiser go directly to fund your player's year-end banquet.**

If you feel you could sell more than 1 book, please let Chantal know and THANK YOU!

Once you sell your tickets, we ask that you turn in the booklet and \$60.00 to Chantal in order that she can keep Alberta Gaming updated as to our progress. **All Ticket Books and monies must be turned in to Chantal no later than October 11, 2011.**

We remind everyone that we are a non-profit organization, which means we rely heavily on fundraising and sponsorships. Money raised through these efforts goes directly into program delivery and accordingly, we encourage all parents to get involved and support our fundraising and sponsorship initiatives.

SPONSORS:



12711 – 97 Street, Edmonton



15802–116 Avenue, Edmonton



10845–195 Avenue, Edmonton



15367 Castledowns Road (Beaumaris)





Bantam - Johnny Bright Division							
Rank	Team	W	L	T	PTS	PF	PA
1	St. Albert Fury	3	0	0	6	134	12
2	Edmonton Seahawks (Blue)	3	0	0	6	88	49
3	Edmonton Chargers	2	0	0	4	99	16
4	Spruce Grove Cougars	1	1	0	2	69	54
5	Sherwood Park Northstars	0	2	0	0	22	84
6	St. Albert 49ers	0	3	0	0	19	99
7	Camrose Buffaloes	0	3	0	0	13	130



"The cast should come off in a few weeks. But I'd advise him not to stick his tongue out at the opposing players in the future."

KIDS CORNER

The football is flying through the air. Draw the football's path through the maze to the player. Starting at 4 and count by 4s up to 400.

256	252	240	236				32	36	
260	248	244	232				24	28	40
264	268	224	228				20	16	44
276	272	220	216	212	208	4	8	12	48
280	284	288	292	296	204	64	60	56	52
340	336	308	304	300	200	68	88	92	96
344	332	312	316	192	196	72	84	104	100
348	328	324	320	188	184	76	80	108	112
352	356	392	396	400	180	176	172	168	116
364	360	388				156	160	164	120
368	380	384				152	140	136	124
372	376					148	144	132	128

Atom - Johnny Bright Division							
Rank	Team	W	L	T	PTS	PF	PA
1	Edmonton Chargers	3	0	0	6	133	6
2	Edmonton Seahawks	3	0	0	6	103	6
3	Sherwood Park Broncos	3	1	0	6	123	46
4	St. Albert Vikings	2	1	0	4	104	14
5	Sherwood Park Warriors	1	2	0	2	28	64
6	Camrose Buffaloes	1	2	0	2	34	80
7	Spruce Grove Cougars	1	2	0	2	20	102
8	St. Albert Buccaneers	1	3	0	2	27	121
9	Wetaskiwin Wolverines	0	4	0	0	18	151

Peewee - Johnny Bright Division							
Rank	Team	W	L	T	PTS	PF	PA
1	St. Albert Riders	3	0	0	6	112	12
2	Sherwood Park Raiders	3	0	0	6	62	20
3	Sherwood Park Bulldogs	2	1	0	4	95	13
4	Edmonton Seahawks (Blue)	2	1	0	4	67	46
5	St. Albert Colts	1	2	0	2	24	51
6	Edmonton Chargers	1	2	0	2	54	57
7	Camrose Buffaloes	0	3	0	0	12	89
8	Spruce Grove Cougars	0	3	0	0	6	144