

-Editors note-

We are back into the swing of it after a short break and we are riding a high on the back of a super successful 2008 season!
I hope everyone is healthy and feeling revitalised after the festive season.

Our AGM last year saw the introduction of a team of new volunteers as well as the majority of our previous volunteers who seemed to somehow survive the 2008 season wanting more! (Thanks!) We are always looking for new helpers so if you would like to help out in a big (or small) way, or have a particular skill or talent (coaching, managing) that you'd like to share with your daughters/partners & RLWSC then give Jodie Wilson a call.

Leah ☺

REGO days

We are running two rego days this year – One for returning players and the other for new players. **Returning players** do not need to fill in a registration form prior to registration day as we will have one for you to check and sign on the day (this will make process quicker and easier for returning players). **New players** will continue to fill in a registration form available at www.rlwsc.com.au and bring along to the registration day.

Sunday Feb 1st - 9am – 2pm (Returning Players)

Returning players please attend this day as it will be much quicker to register with pre-printed registration details from 2008.

Sunday Feb 8th - 9am – 2pm (New Players)

Please encourage new players to register on this day. If returning players decide to attend this date then expect a slightly longer wait while we enter new players into MYOB!

I'm absolutely committed
to getting the right result!



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Russell Lea is proud to announce...

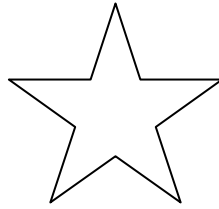
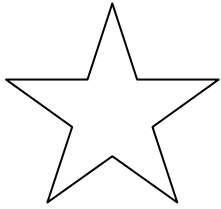
At the 2008 Canterbury District Soccer Federation annual general meeting Russell Lea Women's Soccer Club was awarded the

Bert Harvey Memorial Trophy for Club Sportsmanship.

Congratulations to all players, coaches, managers and spectators. With the same positive attitude let's make the 2009 season just as successful as 2008!

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Star Spot



I recently got in touch with Leena Khamis from Sydney FC W-League. I asked her if she wouldn't mind answering a few questions for our very first STAR SPOT!

My full name is **Leena Khamis**

My teammates call me **Leenz**

I play for **Sydney FC in the Women's League**

I started playing soccer when I was **13 years old** at **Macarthur Rams**

I love to eat **lasagne**

My favourite training drill is **shooting!**

My favourite A-League team/player is **Alex Brosque** at **Sydney FC**

The highlight of my career has been **making my Matildas debut and scoring my first goal for the Matildas vs New Zealand**

If I could give the girls at Russell Lea one tip for the 2009 season it would be **follow your dreams and don't let anyone tell you any different.**

Stay tuned for more star profiles!!!!

CONGRATULATIONS

Well done and good luck to the RLWSC girls that made rep sides for the 2009 season!

Boot Bin

On our rego days and the first few weekends of the season, feel free to drop in pairs of unwanted boots or shin pads and see if you can find some to fit you! Your old ones might come in handy to someone who has outgrown their 2008 pair!



Soccer

NEXT CLUB MEETING

The next club meeting will be held on **Monday 9th of Feb, 2009**

Queen Elizabeth Park Pavilion
7.30pm

ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND!

2009 FEES

Registration fees for 2009 are as follows:

U6 \$120	U8 \$130
U9 \$130	U10 \$160
U11 \$160	U12 \$160
U13 \$160	U14 \$160
U15 \$160	U16 \$170
U17 \$170	
U18/19 (S)* \$180	U18/19 (E)* \$230
U21-AA(S) \$210	U21-AA (E)* \$260

Please ensure you have the correct money or a cheque ready for payment of fees.

Families with 3 or more family members registered at RLWSC will receive a 10% discount of all registrations and uniforms purchased from the club on registration day!

FIRST TRAINING SESSIONS!

Seniors

Tuesday 10th Feb, 2009

Queen Elizabeth Park,
Concord

Juniors

Wednesday 11th Feb, 2009

Queen Elizabeth Park,
Concord

REFEREE'S COURSE

We would like to host a senior referee course before the start of the season. The course will be run over one day for over 18 year olds. If you are interested in getting your senior referees licence then send me, (Leah Wilson) an email.

We are also interested in running a course for junior referees but the association is more in need of senior refs for the start of the season.

If you have anything you would like to add to the next newsletter then email me (Leah) at leahwil88@yahoo.com.au