



BRINGING SPORT TO COMMUNITIES

SPORTSUNITED
X
AD WEST
QUIZ NIGHT



TICKETS  

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 17 | DOORS OPEN
 AT 6:00PM, QUIZ STARTS AT 6:30PM



SportsUnited

Sports Quiz Night!

FRIDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER
Fullarton Park Community Centre

Doors open 7pm
 Quiz Starts 7:30pm



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EVENTS

EXECUTIVE OFFICER >

EMMA MILANESE

We have 1 and a half weeks remaining until quiz night and we are almost all sold out! So get in quick, because tables are pretty much flying out the door! So many raffle prizes, brilliant table prize and amazing silent auction items up for grabs! Quiz night is on the **17th of September!** Read more in the next column.

Sporting Memories is in full swing with more clubs starting, it feels like we have new clubs starting every week. Which is brilliant, but we are looking for some volunteers that we can train up to then lead our Sporting Memories clubs. If you know anyone who may be interested please let Robert know (contact details on page 4).

Please also spread the word about the Sporting Memories quiz night! I can't believe the guest speakers that will be there, I might just need my autograph book! More details on page 3.

As always, thank you so much for your ongoing support. We appreciate you!



EMMA MILANESE >

SPORTSUNITED QUIZ NIGHT

Are you normally the smartest in the room? Come test your knowledge at our SportsUnited X AD West Quiz night! In collaboration with Adelaide West Special Education Centre, we are running our first-ever quiz night! Gather a table of 8, bring your own food and drink and get on down to the **Adelaide West Special Education Centre Hall (12 Moldavia Walk, Taperoo, 5017)** on the **17th of September from 6:30pm** for a night of fun, laughter, and general knowledge. If you're okay with us randomly assigning you a table, individual tickets

A NIGHT OF FUN, LAUGHTER AND GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

FANCY DRESS! COME DRESSED IN YOUR BEST SPORTING ATTIRE

GATHER THE GANG AND GET COMPETITIVE! TABLES OF 8!

SPORTSUNITED X AD WEST QUIZ NIGHT

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are \$12.00. Otherwise, make a table of 8 and purchase the full table for \$65.00. Use the QR code in the image to grab your tickets or click [here](#).

Whilst it is BYO food and drinks, we will have soft drinks and water available for purchase on the night, as well as SportsUnited merchandise. To top it all off, we have some brilliant raffle items and silent auction items up for grabs! To name a few, we have:

- Signed Port Adelaide Football Club Merch
- Signed Adelaide Strikers Merch
- Bunnings Gift Vouchers
- Local goods from Charlesworth Nuts
- Paintball tickets
- Adelaide Zoo Vouchers
- Treeclimb vouchers and many many more!

This event is so important to us. Running this event will enable us to raise funds for our Supporting Success program that we run at Adelaide West Special Education Centre every Thursday and Friday throughout the school year. This program has brought so much magic, opportunity and fun to all students involved, and the success that the students have shown has been absolutely inspiring. We want to make sure we can continue to run this fantastic program, creating opportunities for future students to be involved.



We greatly appreciate your ongoing support and hope to see you there on the night!

We would like to say a massive thank you to those who have donated!

PROGRAM & COMMUNITY

ROBERT LAIDLAW >

SPORTING MEMORIES

What a thrill for the Sporting Memories Program to have a special guest out at a recent session at Unley Park, for 'Buddies for Breakfast'. Sonny Morey came out to chat about his incredible life. An Indigenous man from Yambah Station, near Alice Springs, Sonny is part of the Stolen Generation and has had an amazing journey in life. In league football, Sonny played with Central District, was a member of the Bulldogs first ever team in 1964, and recorded the first kick for the club in the first game – against West Torrens at Thebarton Oval. He was a best and fairest winner, played state footy, was runner-up to Malcolm Blight for the 1972 Magarey Medal, and was the first Central player to reach the 200-game milestone. In 1985 he coached the Bulldogs under 17s to the premiership!

Sonny talked of his memories as a seven-year-old child when he was 'abducted', the time he spent at St Marys at Alice Springs, his transfer to Adelaide and time at St Francis, being fostered out in Gawler and his working life. After 30 years in the PMG (Telstra and Australia Post), Sonny worked 14 years with the Police Services and gave a couple of interesting snippets from his career there. One story was about the time he went to a huge brawl of 20-plus Indigenous men, whom all stopped to get his autograph when they saw who he was! Sporting Memories has a variety of aspects to its program, with guest speakers, sporting tours, quizzes, memorabilia show and tell, and, best of all, participants sharing their experiences.



RICHARD MCGRATH >

RADIO PROGRAM

Our Sporting Memories Australia radio program on BBBfm 89.1 on Saturday mornings from 9-11am over the past two weeks has focused on sporting trophies & footy marks.

During the footy marks program our very own Robert Laidlaw chatted with Emma & I about another one of his passions and talents - sport photography.

Robert recalled taking a photograph of Kenyan-born Central Districts player Leek Aler in a game against Sturt. Robert pointed out that there is a lot of luck involved when taking football photos but that knowledge of the game and anticipation are the keys to success.

This week's program will continue a focus on footy with a look back on those players who scored more than 100 goals in a season (Emma mentioned this wasn't her in her footy days!). If you'd like to share some of your sporting stories on a Saturday morning, then give us a call on 8563 3788 anytime between 9-11am. You can also listen to the program each Saturday morning by visiting the BBBfm website.



RICHARD MCGRATH >

SPORTING MEMORIES QUIZ NIGHT

To recognise International Day of Older People (as well as have fun), the Sporting Memories Australia program team will be hosting their inaugural Sporting Memories Quiz night! It will be held on Friday 30th September at the Fullarton Park Community Centre. While we will be having all the fun and games of a normal quiz night, we will also be having a few special guest sports stars attending. We can't tell you who they are now but on the night you'll have a chance to guess who they are and then have them join your team table. Our MC for the night will be Ben Hook (Sunday Mail Sports Columnist).

Come dressed in your favourite sports team's colours. Get a team together of family and/or friends to join us for this very special night. Get your tickets [here](#) or scan the QR code. A table of 10 is \$150 or individual tickets are \$15 (and we'll randomly allocate you a team table). The event is BYO food and drink but there will be soft drinks/water & snacks for purchase on the night. We'll also have a SportsUnited merchandise table for those who want to order some of our great polo shirts and jumpers. This event will enable us to raise funds for our Sporting Memories program as well as celebrate International Day of Older People. Help us to continue to deliver Sporting Memories sessions across Adelaide by coming along to our very first Quiz night!

SPORTING MEMORIES FOUNDATION

QUIZ NIGHT FEATURING SA SPORTS STARS

Friday, September 30th
7:00pm to 10:30pm
\$15 Per Person
\$150 Per Table of 10

FULLARTON PARK COMMUNITY CENTRE
MC BEN HOOK (SPORTS COLUMNIST)

COME DRESSED IN YOUR FAVOURITE TEAM COLOURS

ALL FUNDS RAISED USED TO SUPPORT THE SPORTING MEMORIES PROGRAM

HOW CAN YOU GET INVOLVED?

SEEKING VOLUNTEERS

SportsUnited is currently seeking volunteers for our Supporting Success program at Adelaide West Special Education Centre and Sporting Memories clubs across various Adelaide metropolitan locations.

We are looking for people who can:

- Actively participate in weekly sessions
- Engage and communicate sensitively with our members (some of whom may have difficulties communicating), with their partners or carers, with fellow volunteers, and with SportsUnited staff.
- Enjoy working as part of a team and taking responsibility for guiding fellow volunteers during sessions.
- Understand the value of companionship, have a great sense of humour, and are able to connect with people of all ages and from all backgrounds

SportsUnited volunteers have the opportunity to:

- Experience a range of new opportunities and a sense of fulfillment.
- Use their skills, knowledge, life experiences, and an interest in sport to help tackle social isolation within the local community.
- Have insight into and experience working with an innovative and experienced not-for-profit charity.
- Experience in working as part of and leading a team of volunteers. As well as being part of the wider SportsUnited team.

SportsUnited volunteers are provided with full induction and training, ongoing support, and access to training resources. If you are interested in becoming a

SportsUnited volunteer or have any questions, email:
Supporting Success: Katerina Mattock (Project Officer)

katmattock.sportsunited@gmail.com

Sporting Memories: Robert Laidlaw (Project Officer)

robertlaidlaw.sports.united@gmail.com

or via the SportsUnited website Contact Us page

<https://sportsunited.org.au/contact>

SPORTING PINK PACKS

In response to the Covid-19 global pandemic, SportsUnited has developed a digital publication called Sporting Pink Australia Packs available for anyone (free) to use at home.

Each weekly pack contains a sporting reminiscence story (these can be about sporting players or events), a sporting quiz, and Name the Player as well as a Word Search.

The packs are a great way to get the conversation flowing, to remember those sporting moments, and to talk about sport!

If you, or anybody you know, would like to receive a free copy of the Sporting Pink Australia pack, please complete our registration form on the SportsUnited website: <https://sports-united-web-c262e9.netlify.app/forms/sporting-memories-online-register/>

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