

Hi all

Hopefully, everybody enjoyed the last weekend of practice matches prior to season 2021. This week we have training for all umpires at Altona Beach pier on Monday, meeting opposite Bent Street at 6pm. Wednesday we are back at Hanmer at 5.45pm, field and boundary umpires, remember your whistle and goal umpires start at 5.30pm.

After Easter we move to Tuesday and Thursday night training with a whole group coaching session, launching the 2021 season, on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> April commencing at 6.45pm.

The WRFLUA's executive this year will be launching a Thursday night dinner as from 8<sup>th</sup> April. This will be served at 7.30 pm as a sit-down meal comprising – schnitzel or fish, both served with chips, salad and bread. The cost will be \$10 and must be booked on the Tuesday prior or by emailing [wrf lua.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:wrf lua.secretary@gmail.com) . It is also intended to have a guest speaker. This is a chance for all to sit down, get to know your fellow umpire and socialise in a friendly atmosphere.

The first orders should be made by Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> April. It is important you order if intending to be involved so as our caterer can order in supplies. We just need your name and which preference schnitzel or fish.

Any experienced field umpire who wants to mentor first or second year field umpires in the U12's, please email Bob Taylor [wrf juniorcoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:wrf juniorcoordinator@gmail.com) .

-You will be required to either umpire with one umpire, you receive the match payment and a further \$10 for the report, details around the report will follow.

-If you wish to mentor on the ground with 2 umpires, you need to wear your uniform and you will receive \$20 plus \$10 for each report.

-If you wish to observe the umpires from the boundary, you will only be able to observe 2<sup>nd</sup> year umpires, as they have some experience and again, you will receive \$20 plus \$10 for each report.

Week Commencing Monday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Weekend
29 March	Training- Altona Beach All umpires 6pm		Training Hanmer		Easter
5 April	School holidays	Training Hanmer		Training Hanmer Whole Group Coaching 6.45pm WRFLUA Dinner 7.30pm	Div. 1 & 2 Juniors Rd 1.
12 April	School holidays	Training		Training	Div. 3 & Women Rd 1.

See you on the track

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