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**THIS NEWSLETTER
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Hi Everyone,

Welcome to our regular newsletters for 2025 - We hope the information we bring you fortnightly on this newsletter helps you remain engaged and well informed about the club. If you need more instant information we recommend you follow us on social media - our pages are listed at the bottom of this newsletter.

Just as a reminder in our previous newsletter we covered the following topics:

1. Lotto Pop Up Winter Shop
2. AIMS Games fundraiser
3. Sunday Roast for a Local Legend
4. No Pay, No Play
5. Friday Night Skills
6. Ellerslie noticeboard
7. Member Offers
8. Shoutouts

If you wanted to find out more about any topics we covered in previous newsletters (including 2024 newsletters) you can click [here](#) and looking at our newsletter archive.

For today's Newsletter we have a few topics to cover:

1. Anchor and Hungerball Promotion
2. Parking at and around Michaels Ave

3. Member Survey coming soon....
4. Winners of the Roast for a Volunteer
5. Member Offers
6. Shoutouts

Thanks for reading our newsletter, we appreciate your support!

Cheers
Tim Adams

Executive Board Member - Operations - Ellerslie AFC



This Saturday from 8:30am to midday **\$1 Milk and Cookies** are coming to Junior Football thanks to Anchor NZ and Northern Region Football. Did you know milk is the best fuel for kids to drink after playing football? It's full of protein for muscle recovery and helps them rehydrate. Look out for our U19 teams who will be roaming the fields selling the \$1 Milk and Cookies combo or head over to the Anchor caravan which will be located next to the artificial turf.

Anchor NZ's inflatable Hungerball arena will also be set up next to the artificial turf as well so take the kids along for a FREE play before heading home.

All sales go to our U19 teams who are fundraising for the Napier U19 Nationals over Labour Weekend.

Parking at Michaels Ave

Saturdays at Michaels Ave are busy - there is not enough car parks but we ask all members and visitors to please make sure you don't park on yellow lines in the Reserve and more importantly please don't park in neighbours driveways, across driveways on berms or it should be pretty obvious not partially into an intersection.

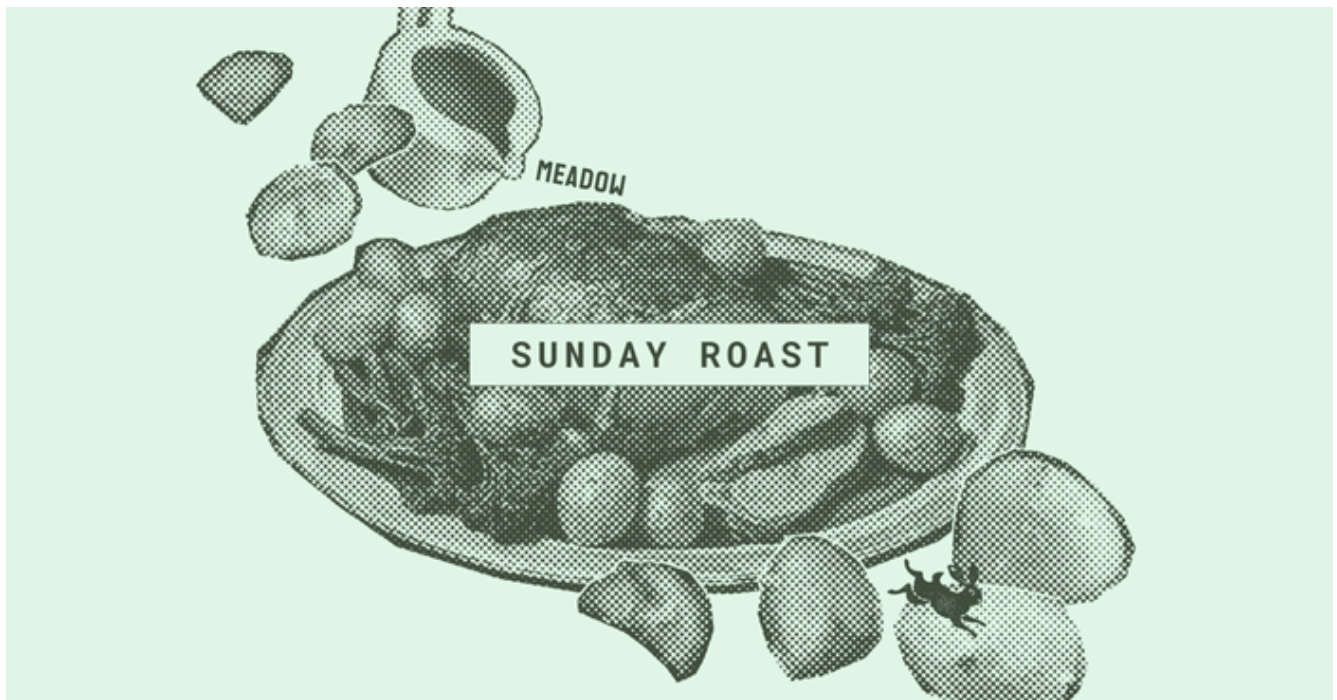
Pro Tip: Liston Park has lots of open space parking for members to use and walk through to Michaels Ave (it's only a 5 min walk).



MEMBER SURVEY



COMING SOON....



CHEERS TO THE FOLLOWING VOLUNTEERS

Emily Parsons (winner of the Meadow Sunday Roast Voucher)
Norman Tam (winner of a MACC Voucher)
Shane Thomas (winner of a MACC Voucher)
Kevin Richards (winner of a MACC Voucher)
Renee Vincent (winner of a MACC Voucher)
Haley Gleeson (winner of a MACC Voucher)

Thanks to the above and to all our amazing volunteers - great work and a massive thank you to Gina at Meadow for her support!

MEMBER OFFERS



Join the Friends of Ellerslie Partnership today!

Ellerslie AFC and Ellerslie YMCA have been busy over Christmas and the New Year period sorting out this amazing deal for Ellerslie AFC members - this deal which has a significant discount (30% off) for a 3 month membership which enables users to access both YMCA Ellerslie and the YMCA Lagoon facilities.

The deal also includes a payback model to the club, for every membership sold the club will collect a small payback which will be used in our player development space to keep the amazing services we offer at the lowest available price point.

If you are looking for a quick blast in the gym to get ready for the middle of winter then please check out this amazing offer by clicking on the image above or scanning the QR code - full deal details below:

Special Membership Price: Access a special rate of \$220 for 3 months, a significant saving from the regular price of \$312. Thats a massive 30% discount!

Full Facility Access: Enjoy full access to The Y Ellerslie's welcoming fitness centre, including top-notch gym equipment, group fitness classes, and qualified staff.

Pool and gym access included: Your membership also includes access to The Y Lagoon Pool Facilities, featuring another gym, swimming pools, and aquatic fitness classes.

Community Connection: Be part of a supportive and motivating Ellerslie community that encourages a healthy and active lifestyle.

We're giving back to your club: Each membership earns rewards for your organisation, club or business which can be used to benefit your club!

INTRODUCTION TO JASON @ SPINEWORKS

New local Chiropractic practice now located at Michaels Ave Leisure Centre next to the YMCA reception.

Local Chiropractic Jason Payne has now opened a small practice serving the local community conveniently based next to Ellerslie FC. Offering holistic family-based care with a background in high performance coaching and athlete development. Chiropractic can help with corrective care, postural alterations, injury rehab, back and neck issues, headaches, general wellness, and sports performance.

Jason hopes to work closely with Ellerslie AFC and the supporting community looking to get themselves back track and running at their best in the off-season and preseason. Discounts for members on initial consultations and ongoing care, free advise anytime. Feel free to book in online for a **free spinal assessment** on the on the website below, mention you are a member of EAFC in the notes, or just call into the practice for a chat to learn more about the benefits of care or advise on any existing injuries.

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Jason Payne, Doctor of Chiropractic

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SHOUTOUTS



TOURNAMENT SHOUTOUT | U12 BLACK

Congrats to U12 Black who over the weekend played in a tournament at Rosedale Park and come in 3rd - Great result and lots of fun for the team.

Also Tanush Kumar was awarded as the MVP - congrats Tanush.

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PLAYER MILESTONE | HOLLIE LEONA

Hollie has been on an incredible journey through the grades to become one of the first names on Ryan's team list each weekend, a star from the set piece and a key part of our leadership team - not to mention as part of the club's coaching department she is a star coach, lollie jar guardian and an almost pro level futsal player.

Congrats on the milestone Hollie, and here is to 100 more!

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PLAYER DEBUT | YOUNGEST GOAL SCORER?

Adam Bolland made his First Team debut on Saturday at the age of 15 and in only 12 minutes on the pitch he scored a goal and had a massively positive impact on the team. The records team are still looking but at 15 years, 5 month and 24 days we think Adam is the youngest scorer in the Men's First Team since we started recording stats (in 2009, one year before he was born).

You can click on the photo's to see more pictures from this game, courtesy of Cowan Photograf

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