

**YEAR****MAJOR EVENTS AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

- 1957** April - Ku-ring-gai & District Soccer Association (KDSA) formed.
- \* Foundation clubs are Kissing Point, Wahroonga, West Pymble, North Turramurra and Lindfield
  - \* Don Allen becomes first President of KDSA and Pat Leydon first Secretary.
  - \* Eric Hayes is the first Treasurer.
  - \* First and only competition played is Under 12. There are 7 teams competing, including Beecroft, a team from Epping-Hornsby Association. East Gordon join later in season.
  - \* Wahroonga are the first premiers of the Under 12 competition.
- 1958** St Ives, Mt Colah and Tartan Tigers join.
- \* The Under 12 competition expands to 10 teams.
  - \* An Under 10 competition of 10 teams is formed. Lindfield are the inaugural champions.
  - \* A six team Under 14 competition is formed.
  - \* First Gala Day held at Bannockburn Oval
- 1959** Asquith Church Of Christ and Bradfield join. Bradfield is made up of migrants from the hostel in Lindfield.
- \* A 4 team Under 16 competition is formed and Under 12 expands to 2nd division.
  - \* Eric Hayes takes on Secretary role along with Treasurer.
- 1960** Brooklyn, Cowan and Hornsby RSL Youth join. Tartan Tigers change name to Berowra.
- 1961** UNS Police Boys join. Lane Cove enter a team in the new Under 9 competition.
- \* An under 9 competition (3 divisions) is formed.
  - \* The All Age competition begins with 8 teams. The competition is won by Bradfield Britannia who repeat this success in 1962.
- 1962** Bannockburn Rovers, Hornsby Heights join. Ettalong also join but withdraw before end of season.
- \* The P.D. & D.C. is formed with Col Scott- Kemmis as chairman.
  - \* G. Preston appointed first Recorder and Registrar.
  - \* Jim Thompson elected first Life Member.
  - \* KDSA passes the 100 team mark.
- 1963** Artarmon join.
- \* East Gordon change name to Gordon.
  - \* An Under 8 competition is formed.
  - \* Lew Thomas becomes first Assistant Secretary.
- 1964** CBC Bank and Mt Kuring-gai join competition. CBC Bank win the All Age competition.
- \* Asquith Churches enter All Age competition.
  - \* Under 11 competition formed.
  - \* R. Blyton becomes first elected Publicity Officer.
  - \* John Turner selected for State Representative honours.
  - \* Soccer News (Green Sheet) is published for the first time.
- 1965** Prouille College and St Andrews join. Prouille are the first club connected to a private school to join. St Andrews are from Gladesville competition.
- \* Greenwich, Homenetmen, Rangers & Willoughby Methodists play in All Age competition.
  - \* UNS Police Boys become Hornsby-Ku-ring-gai Police Boys
  - \* Peter Verrills selected for State Representative honours.
- 1966** KDSA celebrates 10th anniversary.
- \* Pymble rejoin, and 3 more private school teams join. They are Corpus Christi, Sacred Heart and St Leo's College. St Andrews leave. Asquith Churches leave All Age competition.
  - \* Teams from the Northern Suburbs Association join KDSA competitions.
  - \* A North Of The Harbour Under 18 competition is formed with Northern Suburbs, Gladesville and Manly associations.
  - \* The number of teams in KDSA reaches 200.
  - \* David Brown and David Emburey selected for State Representative honours
- 1967** Grace Bros join, entering two teams in All Age competition. Their "A" team were premiers.
- \* Brooklyn drop out for the season.
  - \* Greenwich, Homenetmen, Rangers & Willoughby Methodists leave All Age competition.
  - \* The Ku-ring-gai/Hornsby Soccer Referees League is formed.

- \* An Under 7 competition is formed.
  - \* John Flower selected for State Representative honours.
- 1968** Roseville and Hornsby United join. Brooklyn rejoin. Grace Bros leave.
- \* Some local private schools begin playing soccer. Games played against association teams.
  - \* Rod Woods joins Committee as Registrar/Recorder. He is joined by 2 other future Life Members as first time Committee members: Austin Sheath and Walter de Ste. Croix
  - \* Eric Hayes, Cliff Parsons, Col Scott-Kemmis and Lew Thomas elected as Life Members.
  - \* The NSW Soccer Association Champion Of Champions competition begins.
  - \* The inaugural KDSA Cup competition for All Age teams is won by Wahroonga, who are also All Age Premiers. They repeat the feat in 1969 and 1977.
  - \* West Pymble win all 3 Under 8 competitions.
- 1969** Asquith and Turramurra Methodist join. Grace Bros rejoin.
- \* Murray Barnes selected for State Representative honours.
- 1970** Hornsby RSL All Age Soccer Club joins.
- \* Barker College, Cranbrook College and Knox Grammar join. Sacred Heart change name to Mt St Bernard's.
  - \* Ku-ring-gai Soccer Club Ltd formed and DA approval is granted for Licensed premises in Merriwa St. Gordon.
  - \* Ku-ring-gai Soccer Club Ltd joins with Artarmon Soccer Club to enter the NSW Soccer Federation comp.
  - \* Ku-ring-gai Under 8 Representative team under the coaching of Max Wharton wins State Championship, the first such success for KDSA.
  - \* The number of teams passes 300.
  - \* Peter McCann, former VP of KDSA is elected President of NSWASF.
- 1971** No new clubs affiliated. GHDSA clubs Epping RSL, North Epping and St Andrew's enter teams in Under 16 & Under 18 competitions. Turramurra Methodist change name to Turramurra United.
- \* Future President and Life Member Jim Flint becomes first elected Grounds controller. Other future Life Members to join MC were Max Wharton and Bill MacKay.
  - \* Wahroonga win their fourth successive All Age Division One premiership.
  - \* KDSA Annual Report presented in booklet form for the first time.
- 1972** Hornsby FC, an All Age breakaway from HK Police Boys join.
- \* Barker College withdraw.
  - \* Greenwich, North Ryde and Lane Cove from NSSA enter teams.
  - \* NSWASF grant approval for merger of KDSA and NSSA in 1973.
  - \* West Pymble Under 21's win KDSA's first Champion of Champions title.
  - \* Mark Wharton, Robert Wheatley, Gary Frost and David Walker selected for State Representative honours.
  - \* Berowra All Age split from juniors.
  - \* Artarmon Ku-ring-gai change name to Ku-ring-gai SC.
- 1973** The following clubs joined from NSSA: Cremorne, Duffield, Greenwich, Hunters Hill, Lane Cove United, Northbridge, North Ryde, NSW Institute of Technology, Rangers, Roseville Rangers, St Michael's, West Cove, William Balmain College and Willoughby.
- \* Gordon United, an All Age breakaway from Gordon join.
  - \* Berowra RSL join.
  - \* Beecroft and Normanhurst from GHDSA enter teams in Under 18 competition.
  - \* Total number of teams passes 400.
  - \* Gala Day cancelled due to weather for first time in KDSA history.
  - \* Due to inclusion of NSSA teams number of teams passes 400.
  - \* Don Allen and Austin Sheath elected as Life Members.
  - \* Hornsby FC win AA Division One/KDSA Cup double. They repeat the feat in 1975 & 1976.
- 1974** Former NSSA clubs Chatswood United, Collegians & Neutral Bay join. Also St Aloysius and Milson Island Wanderers, a team made up of orderlies from the Milson Island Mental Hospital join.
- \* The first potential home ground site is identified - West Pymble Quarry.
  - \* Reserve grade introduced to All Age Division One. Hornsby FC were the premiers, a feat they repeated in 1975 & 1976.
  - \* West Cove change their name to Lane Cove West
  - \* Kissing Point win their 5th consecutive Under 10 Division One title, an association record.
  - \* Tom Nossal and Walter de Ste. Croix elected Life Members
  - \* The Ku-ring-gai/Hornsby Referees League and The Northern Suburbs Referees Association merge to form

- The Ku-ring-gai District Soccer Referees Association (KDSRA)
- \* The KDWSA is formed. Lindfield win the first competition. There is no trophy.
- 1975** Ku-ring-gai High School and Pymble United join. Gordon United fold.
- \* William Balmain Technological College becomes the Ku-ring-gai College of Advanced Education (KCAE)
  - \* The Under 13 rep team wins the Mini Ampol Cup, coached by Irwin Gillies. The Under 13's and the Ku-ring-gai senior team play in curtain-raisers at SCG before Australia v Glasgow Rangers.
  - \* The senior team reach Round 7 of the Rothman's Cup, the first 3rd Division team to progress beyond the 3rd round.
  - \* North Ryde wins Under 17 Champion of Champions final.
  - \* Hills (GHDSA) and Killarney (MWSFA) join Women's competition.
  - \* Life Member Col Scott-Kemmis donates the first trophy for Women's soccer in KDSA.
- 1976** Artarmon-North Sydney and Turramurra Old Boys join, each fielding single teams. Gordon United rejoin.
- \* Chatswood United and Roseville Rangers merge and become Chatswood/Roseville Rangers
  - \* Hornsby RSL and Hornsby RSL AA reunite.
  - \* KDSA celebrates 20th anniversary.
  - \* Hornsby FC win their 4th successive All Age Division One title, equalling Wahroonga's record. They also win their 3rd reserve grade premiership and 3rd KDSA Cup/preiership double in 4 years.
  - \* Kissing Point win their 7th consecutive Under 10 Division One title, sharing with Lane Cove. This is still a KDSA record for most consecutive wins in the same competition.
  - \* David Lee is appointed as the first KDSA Coaching Director.
  - \* David Curtis, Gary May, Lorne Fleming, Phillip Frost and Trevor Jesse selected for State representative honours.
  - \* Anthea Gregory and Leigh Wardell selected for NSW Women's State team.
  - \* Elected Recorder Sid Graves passes away in office.
  - \* Referee Harry Calf dies during a game.
  - \* Ku-ring-gai SC Ltd promoted back to Division Two.
  - \* Rod Woods elected Life Member.
- 1977** Albion, Hunters Hill and North Shore Azzuri join, each with single teams.
- \* Artarmon-North Sydney become Artarmon-Willoughby
  - \* Hornsby FC leave for GHDSA.
  - \* Knox Prep School withdraw.
  - \* Number of registered players passes 6000.
  - \* Under 7 competition abolished. Non comp mini soccer replaces it.
  - \* Wahroonga win All Age Premiership and KDSA Cup double.
  - \* John Martin, Ian Tyerman, David Curtis, Neal Hunter, Gary May, Lorne Fleming, Craig Barratt and Peter Duncan selected for State representative honours.
- 1978** Holy Family, Naremburn and St Pius join. Homenetmen & Cowan rejoin.
- \* Hornsby RSL All Age change name to Hornsby RSL.
  - \* Rod Woods elected to Secretary, a position he held for 12 years.
  - \* Under 8 competition abolished. Non comp mini soccer replaces it.
  - \* KDSA Cup is taken off Gala Day. A President's Shield is instigated to take its place. The final is contested between the Gala Day finalists and is won by Hornsby RSL.
  - \* St Ives win the Under 17 Champion of Champions.
  - \* The number of teams passes 500.
  - \* Aaron Ferguson, Frank Newman, Peter Duncan, Chris Mackay, Peter Duke, David Curtis and Neale Hunter selected for State representative honours.
  - \* Ray Clemence, goalkeeper of Liverpool FC and England, conducts goalkeeping demonstration at Acron Oval
  - \* Ku-ring-gai SC promoted to NSW Federation First Division.
  - \* Collette Fitzpatrick, Leigh Wardell and Toni McMahon selected for NSW Women's State team.
  - \* Max Wharton elected Life Member
- 1979** Salisbury Bobcats join. Brooklyn rejoin.
- \* Under 9 competition abolished. Non comp mini soccer replaces it.
  - \* President's Shield becomes a knockout competition like the KDSA Cup.
  - \* Craig Duncan, Brian Ellem, Robert Hooker, Graeme Wright, Greg Fisher, Alex Peluso and Peter Duke selected for State representative honours.
  - \* Former Irish international Billy Bingham brought out by Ku-ring-gai SC Ltd for coaching clinics in KDSA.
  - \* Colette Fitzpatrick and Leigh Wardell selected for NSW Women's State team. Leigh Wardell was then selected to play for Australia.

- 1980** A.C.Y.A.,C.F.S.,Clarke Road and Vikings join.
- \* Reserve grade competition added to All Age Division Two.
  - \* Foundation President Don Allen stands down after 24 years.Jim Flint becomes just the 2nd President in KDSA history.
  - \* Under 13 Repls win Metropolitan and State Championships.
  - \* Under 16 repls win Youth League knockout (Polonia Cup)
  - \* Number of teams passes 600.
  - \* Greg Fisher,Duncan Worthington,Graham Wright,Brian Ellem,Robert Hooker,Sean Foley and Steve Holland selected for State representative honours.
  - \* Mt Colah Under 13's win Champion of Champions.
  - \* Kissing Point win All Age Division One/KDSA Cup double.
  - \* Treasurer's Shield (Under 14) and Secretary's Shield (Under 16) begin.
  - \* Col May and Ken Tallis elected Life Members
- 1981** North Shore Hellas,North Shore Maccabi and North Sydney Amateurs join.Balmain Police Boys Club enter one team in Under 19 and are ejected after assaulting referee and opposition manager.
- \* KDSA celebrates 25th season.
  - \* Number of registered players passes 7000.
  - \* Bill Bazeley,Jim Flint,Bruce Waterhouse and Col Wright elected Life Members
  - \* Wahroonga win Robertson Cup and Champion of Champions for Under 21's.
  - \* Former KDSA Junior Murray Barnes selected as Australian captain.Another former junior Robert Wheatley selected for Australian Youth team
  - \* Approval granted for development of Kookaburra Road ground as KDSA home ground.
  - \* David Rees,Murray Gale,David Kennedy,Greg Fisher,Robert Hooker,Duncan Worthington and Brian Ellem selected for NSW State representative honours.
  - \* Reserve grade added to All Age Division Three.
  - \* All Age Divisions 1 & 2 revert to 10 team comps after 3 seasons of 12 teams.
  - \* World Youth Championships held in Sydney.KDSA officials used as security at Sydney Sports Ground.
  - \* KDSA hold a "Miss Ku-ring-gai" contest,won by Miss Jodie Siddle
- 1982** Ararat and Hornsby Baptist join.C.F.S. change name to C.F.C.Ku-ring-gai High School changes name to Chase United.
- \* Turramurra United leave.
  - \* Youth Shield Finals played on KDSA Cup Day for the first time.
  - \* David Kennedy,Murray Gale,Robert Hooker,Greg Fisher and Duncan Worthington selected for State representative honours.
  - \* Plan to develop a licensed premises in Hornsby is abandoned.
  - \* A Silver Jubilee Dinner Dance is held.
  - \* Under 14 representative side draws the NSWASF Youth League Under 14 final.
  - \* Ku-ring-gai SC Inc win all three grades of NSW Soccer Federation 1st division and are promoted to State League.
  - \* All Age Divisions 1,2 & 3 renamed Premier League 1,2 & 3 respectively.Divisions 4,5 & 6 renamed All Age Divisions 1,2 & 3.
  - \* Wahroonga win KDSA Cup for record 5th time.
- 1983** Artarmon-Willoughby change name to Artarmon.
- \* The Under 7 "Mini Soccer" Scheme,developed by KDSA,is adopted by the NSWASF.
  - \* Kookaburra Road Development approved by Hornsby Council.
  - \* Warren Partridge,Sean Smith,Murray Gale,Duncan Worthington and Greg Fisher selected for State representative honours.Murray Gale is captain of the Under 15's.Scott Taylor selected for NSWPFSSA team.
  - \* A Premier League 4 is introduced.
  - \* Jim Flint stands down as President.
  - \* Mrs.Barbara Tallis,Mrs. Judy Woods and John Glasby are elected Life Members.
- 1984** Chatswood join.North Sydney Amateurs change name to North Sydney.North Shore Maccabi change name to Maccabi.
- \* Berowra RSL taken over by Berowra.North Ryde move to GHDSA.
  - \* Bob Davis elected President.
  - \* John Hargreaves and Anthony Stephens elected Life Members.
  - \* Number of registered players falls to Under 7000.
  - \* Sean Smith selected for State representative honours.

- 1985** Association Secretary Rod Woods is appointed as Manager of Australian Under 16 team in World Tournament in China.
- \* Under 16 & Under 18 competitions merge to form the Youth League.
  - \* Youth Football Convenor and All Age Football Convenor abolished and replaced by the Afternoon Football Convenor
  - \* Number of teams falls below 600.
  - \* Brett Hughes selected for State representative honours.
  - \* Fred Mason & Bill McKay elected Life Members.
- 1986** Killara join.
- \* KDSA celebrates 30 years of competition.
  - \* Phil Rees elected President, only the 4th President in 30 years.
  - \* KDSA withdraws from Kookaburra Road Oval project due to high costs.
  - \* Bob Davis elected Life Member
  - \* Kissing Point win the KDSA Premiership/Cup Double for the second time.
  - \* Youth League played at 12.00 before All Age games.
  - \* An All Age Over 30 competition begins. Greenwich B are the inaugural winners.
- 1987** Hornsby Hawkes join. Artarmon leave to join NSWFSF competition.
- \* Mimosa Oval joins the list of potential Home Grounds.
  - \* Office premises at James St Waitara are leased.
  - \* Kissing Point win 2nd consecutive KDSA Cup
  - \* Derek Poimer selected for State representative honours.
- 1988** AEIS, Chatswood West and Dalmacija join. Masis enter a team but do not affiliate.
- \* NSWIT changes name to University of Technology Sydney (UTS)
  - \* KDSA incorporates.
  - \* Phil Rees elected Life Member.
  - \* Youth League reverts to Morning Football Committee
  - \* Number of teams again passes 600.
  - \* Premier League champions Bannockburn play a match against GHDSA champions. Two combined teams also play matches against MWDSA combined teams.
- 1989** Hornsby RSL split into Hornsby RSL Youth and Hornsby RSL. North Sydney change to North Sydney Artarmon.
- \* Rod Woods steps down as Secretary after 12 years, the longest serving Secretary in KDSA history. In total Rod spent 22 years on KDSA MC.
  - \* Heavy rain reduces AA Premier League competitions to 13 rounds. There is no promotion or relegation.
  - \* Most other competitions reduced to 9-11 matches.
  - \* Number of teams falls below 600
  - \* Ku-ring-gai SC Inc merge with North Sydney/Artarmon federation team to form North Shore United.
  - \* Derek Poimer selected for State representative honours.
  - \* Derek Harwin elected Life Member.
- 1990** North Ryde rejoin.
- \* AEIS, ACYA and Chatswood leave.
  - \* Ku-ring-gai Wet Weather Policy implemented, giving KDSA some control over Ku-ring-gai grounds.
  - \* Mt Colah win Under 14 Champion of Champions
  - \* Number of players falls below 6000
  - \* Life Member Tom Nossal dies.
- 1991** Barker Old Boys join.
- \* St Leos College withdraw.
  - \* Kissing Point win Under 21 Champion of Champions. North Shore Hellas win Under 16 Champion of Champions
  - \* In total 4 teams made the finals of Champion of Champions.
- 1992** Maccabi change name to Northside Monash. North Shore Hellas change name to Willoughby City.
- \* North Sydney Artarmon All Age breakaway to form North Sydney AA club.
  - \* Ararat and Chatswood West leave.
  - \* KDSA Secretary and Life Member John Hargreaves dies after long battle with cancer.
  - \* Life Member Ken Tallis dies.
  - \* Under 11 rep team won A.S. Tanner Cup

- \* A major revision of KDSA By-Laws and Constitution is conducted.
- 1993** Collegians change name to Mosman Marist. Dalmacija change name to Dalleys. Homenetmen change name to High.
- \* Number of registered players rises to over 6000.
  - \* Hornsby Heights win the Under 16 State Cup and Champion of Champions
  - \* Hornsby Heights win the Under 13 Champion of Champions and Mt Colah win the Under 17 Champion of Champions.
  - \* Lionel Morris elected Life Member
  - \* Tim Turton selected for State representative honours.
- 1994** High changed name to Willoughby HFC.
- \* North Ryde leave.
  - \* Assistant Secretary position abolished.
  - \* The Over 30 competition is abolished and is replaced by an Over 35 competition.
  - \* West Pymble win Under 21 Robertson Cup and Champion of Champions
  - \* Northside Monash win Under 10 Champion of Champions
  - \* Vic Poimer elected Life Member
- 1995** Knox Old Boys join.
- \* Under 11 reps win Northern Conference and attend State titles.
  - \* 6 Girls and Women's teams were formed and competed in GHDSA competitions.
  - \* Cheryl Thew appointed as first woman to coach a KDSA rep team.
  - \* Garry O'Neill elected Life Member
- 1996** Rangers change name to Chatswood Rangers
- \* KDSA celebrates 40th year of competition.
  - \* Under 12 reps win Northern Conference and Sydney branch competition.
  - \* The number of female teams rose to 13.
  - \* Life Member John Glasby dies.
- 1997** North Sydney Bears join.
- \* North Sydney Artarmon leave.
  - \* Willoughby HFC change name to Willoughby United
  - \* Phil Rees stands down after 12 years as President. Garry O'Neill stands down after 5 years as Secretary.
  - \* 19 teams competed in GHDSA Women's competitions, with some matches played in KDSA. Kissing Point
  - \* Under 16's win the GHDSA First Division competition.
  - \* The number of teams passes 600.
  - \* The number of registered players passes 7000.
  - \* A full-time Secretary/Office Administrator is appointed.
  - \* Life Member Col Scott-Kemmis dies
- 1998** Tuggerah Rustic Rangers join.
- \* Morning Football and Afternoon Football revert back to Junior Football and All Age Football
  - \* Women's competitions begin.
  - \* Iain Booth elected President.
  - \* The new positions of Women's Chairman and Women's Registrar are created.
  - \* Summer 6-a-side competition begins
  - \* Berowra Under 18's and Clarke Road Under 15's win Champion of Champions
  - \* The number of teams passes 700.
  - \* The number of registered players passes 8000.
  - \* A new National League team is formed on the North Shore. Northern Spirit played their games at North Sydney Oval.
  - \* North Sydney Bears, from Division 4, win the KDSA Cup.
- 1999** Bradypus (Sloths) and Loreto Kirribilli join. MSC United enter a team but are not affiliated.
- \* Mt Kuring-gai fold after 37 years in KDSA.
  - \* Under 13 Youth League won the Grand Final.
  - \* Hornsby Heights Under 15's won the Metropolitan Cup
  - \* Chatswood Rangers win Premier League/KDSA Cup double.
  - \* DA lodged for North Turramurra Recreation Area for home ground facility.
  - \* Kissing Point win their 6th successive Over 35 competition. They are the only club to ever win it.
  - \* The number of players passes 9000.

- 2000** Abbotsleigh and Bradypus (Sloths) join. Bradypus are made up of St Aloysius Old Boys.
- \* Mosman Marist change name to Sacred Heart Mosman
  - \* Hornsby Heights win Premier League/KDSA Cup double.
  - \* The number of teams passes 800.
  - \* The number of players passes 10000.
  - \* The Over 35 Cup was inaugurated. West Pymble became the first Champions.
  - \* Over 35 Division One Reserve Grade introduced.
  - \* Under 11 rep team wins the State Championship.
  - \* KDSA fields two Girl's rep teams (Under14 & 16) for the first time.
  - \* Wahroonga Under 11's win the Champion of Champions.
- 2001** C.F.C. fold and Tuggerah Rustic Rangers leave.
- \* Knox Old Boys change name to Knox United.
  - \* KDSA withdraws contribution to North Turramurra Recreation Area.
  - \* West Pymble wins 5th KDSA Cup Final, equalling the record held by Wahroonga
  - \* Foundation President and Life Member Don Allen passes away.
  - \* Iain Booth elected Life Member
  - \* KDSA enter an Under 18 and an All Age team in the NSWASF State Premier League. The Under 18's win the Grand Final.
- 2002** Iain Booth resigns as President. Chris Rayner is elected to fill the vacancy by MC.
- \* Michael Vandervelde resigns as Secretary/Office Administrator.
  - \* Gary Foster appointed to the position of General Manager.
  - \* Mills Park is identified as a possible home ground.
  - \* KDSA purchases a licence to compete in the NSWASF First Division, with Senior, Under 21 & Under 19 teams
  - \* The Under 21's win the Grand Final. The team is called Northern Tigers.
  - \* Northbridge wins Under 11 Champion of Champions and Lane Cove wins Under 12 Champion of Champions
  - \* The number of teams passes 900
  - \* The number of players passes 11000
  - \* West Pymble win their third successive Over 35 Cup and are presented with permanent possession of the trophy.
  - \* Under 12 Girl's rep team introduced.
  - \* Life Member Col Parsons dies.
- 2003** Abbotsleigh withdraw.
- \* Hornsby Council approve the redevelopment of Mills Park as a home ground facility.
  - \* Northern Tigers win the NSWASF First Division title and are promoted to Winter Super League.
  - \* For the first time some matches are played on Sundays on a rotating basis.
  - \* Regular night football is played on Fridays at Ku-ring-gai HS.
  - \* "Fair Play" trophies introduced for Premier League and All Age Division Two.
  - \* KDSA rep teams other than Under 11 & 12, who compete in the association based Metropolitan League, change their name to Northern Tigers.
  - \* The number of teams passes 1000
  - \* The number of players passes 13000
- 2004** Bradypus (Sloths) withdraw.
- \* Chris Rayner stands down as President. Ian Giblett elected by MC to fill casual vacancy.
  - \* Rod Woods, Life Member and longest serving Secretary in KDSA history, dies.
  - \* Long time Greenwich President (35 years) and KDSRA Life Member Bob Campbell dies.
  - \* Chatswood Rangers win Under 15 Champion of Champions final.
  - \* KDSA sign 20 year lease for Mills Park.
  - \* Northern Tigers Under 15 reps win Premiership and Grand Final.
  - \* St Ives club, with assistance from KDSA, instigate the Social Needs Pilot Program for children aged 6-9 who exhibit Down Syndrome and Autism.
  - \* A Girl's Gala Day is conducted for the first time.
  - \* The number of teams passes 1100.
- 2005** Work commences on Mills Park.
- \* Kissing Point win the Amateur Cup, the first win in this competition by a KDSA club.
  - \* Blaise Fagan is appointed as Director of Coaching. It is the first time since 1992 that the position has been filled.
  - \* A combined Under15/16 side represents Northern Tigers at Arsenal Invitational tournament, losing narrow-

ly in the semi-final.

- \* Northern Tigers enter Women's All Age and Under 21 teams in NSWFSF Women's Super League.
- \* The number of players passes 14000.
- \* Chatswood Rangers win Under 16 Champion of Champions.
- \* Over 35 Cup renamed the "Rick Close Over 35 Cup".
- \* KDSA takes over the running of FUTSAL competitions at North Sydney Anzac Club.
- \* Under 16 reps repeat their wins of 2004.
- \* North Sydney win their 3rd successive KDSA Cup,an association record.

**2006** KDSA celebrates 50th anniversary.

- \* Holy Family change name to Highfield Family.Mt St Bernard's change name to Sacred Heart Pymble.
- \* KDSA signs agreement with Arsenal Soccer Schools.KDSA are the only organisation licenced to conduct coaching in NSW for Arsenal Soccer Schools.
- \* An Under 13 & Under 17 team compete in the Arsenal Invitational Tournament in London.Both teams are beaten in the semi-finals.
- \* The Under 13's play the Arsenal Academy Under 12 team.
- \* KDSA only association in Australia invited to the Gothia Cup Under 16 tournament in Sweden in 2007.
- \* Mills Park,KDSA's first ever home ground facility,opens.
- \* KMC and HSC celebrate 100 years each as local councils by playing in 2 series of matches.Ku-ring-gai narrowly win the trophy.
- \* Asquith win 5th consecutive Premier League trophy,an association record.
- \* Kissing Point win their 6th KDSA Cup,a new association record for the KDSA.
- \* Chatswood Rangers win Under 18 State Cup.
- \* Chatswood Rangers win Under 17 Champion of Champions,their third successive win.
- \* Northern Tigers finish fourth in Winter Super League and lose in preliminary final.
- \* Local junior Paul Davies wins the "Silver Medal" as best player in the Winter Super League competition.
- \* KDSA terminates agreement with Soccer NSW to run FUTSAL at North Sydney Anzac Club.
- \* The number of players passes 15000.
- \* The number of teams passes 1200.

**2007** KDSA terminates agreement with Arsenal Soccer Schools

- \* Small Sided Games introduced for Under 6 and Under 7
- \* KDSA sign partnership agreement with Central Coast Mariners.
- \* Mark Rushton elected as a Life Member.
- \* North Sydney win Premier League for first time in their history. 5-time champion Asquith are 3rd.
- \* West Pymble win their 6th KDSA Cup Final, equalling Kissing Point.
- \* Northern Tigers win the Super League title and are invited to join the NSW Premier League. The Under 20's are defeated in Preliminary Final. First Grade lose in Grand Final. The Senior team wins the Super League Fair Play award. Hugh McCrory named Coach Of The Year.
- \* Northern Tigers Under 18 Boys win Championship series and Under 12 Girls win Premiership and Championship
- \* Gordon win President's Shield, the first junior Shield victory in the club's history.
- \* West Pymble won the U10 Champion of Champions and Lindfield won the U12's.This was the first state title for Lindfield. Chatswood Rangers in U21 and Wahroonga in Girls U18 were defeated finalists.
- \* Kissing Point win the Robertson Cup for Under 21's. Chatswood Rangers win the Under 18 State Cup. NS Bears Under 16 are beaten in the Grand Final.
- \* The number of players passes 16000.

**2008** Bannockburn Rovers and Clarke Road to form a new club called Bannockburn-Clarke Road

- \* Referees association change name from KDSRA to KDFRA.
- \* Small Sided games expanded to U8, U9 and U10. KDSA used as test case for FFA
- \* KDSA hold SSH Day in May to raise money for the Shepherd Centre. KDSA and KDFRA raise >\$16000
- \* Northern Tigers Super League team play trial match against A-League club Central Coast Mariners at Mills Park. Estimated crowd of about 1500 attend the night game. CCM won 3-0.
- \* KDSA sign partnership agreement with Sydney FC.
- \* Lindfield win Premier League for first time in their 51 year history. North Sydney win their 3rd successive Premier League Reserve grade title.
- \* North Sydney AA win their 4th KDSA Cup Final
- \* Golden Boot trophy resurrected for Premier League and "Player Of The Year" trophy initiated. The Golden Boot was won by Radu Elgharbie of Lindfield and the "Player Of The Year" was awarded to Greg Fuchs of West Pymble
- \* West Pymble U11's are defeated in Sydney (nee Metropolitan) Cup final.
- \* Northside Monash win their 3rd U18 Division 1 title in 4 years.



- \* Northern Tigers win U20 Premiership and Championship, U18 Championship, U14 Girl's Premiership and U11 Metropolitan League (North) Premierships. Finished 2nd in Super Youth League Club Championship, 3rd in Super League Club Championship and 4th in Girl's Super League Club Championship.
- \* Stuart Page won Silver Medal for "Player Of The Year" in the FNSW Super League Competition. Team mate Daniel Nash was equal second.
- \* Gary McGinnis appointed Director of Coaching. Danny Hurwitz appointed Director of U11-U12 Development.

**2009** Small Sided Games expanded to U11's. U8's double size of field.

- \* Six new Life Members elected: Roy Ashpole, Phil Bradfield, Damian Miles, Chris Rayner, Peter Reeves & Brian Troy.
- \* Michael Webber elected President but is required to step down when elected to the board of Football NSW. He is the first KDSA representative to do so. Dougie Hendry returns as President.
- \* Life Member and former President (1984-85) Robert (Bob) Davis dies.
- \* Life Member and foundation Treasurer and later also Secretary Eric Hayes dies.
- \* Northern Tigers Super League team play trial match against A-League club Sydney FC at Mills Park. Crowd estimated similar to last year's game against CCM. Sydney won 3-0.
- \* North Sydney finish on top of both Premier League First Grade and Reserve Grade but are found to have played an ineligible player in several games. All such games are awarded as forfeits and as a result Asquith are declared First Grade winners and Lindfield declared Reserve Grade winners.
- \* North Sydney win their 5th KDSA Cup title, defeating Lindfield.
- \* Tim Lloyd from Kissing Point wins the Premier League Golden Boot and North Sydney captain Allan McGregor is named Premier League Player of the Year.
- \* Northbridge win the club's first ever senior Men's title when they win the Over 35 Division One First Grade title by defeating fellow challengers West Pymble in final game.
- \* Northern Tigers win U20 Premiership and Championship for 2nd successive year. The U14 Super Youth League win Premiership and the U11 team win the Metropolitan League (North) Premiership. The U12 team win the Metropolitan League Premiership and Championship and the Metropolitan League (North) Premiership.
- \* Nathan Millgate wins U20's Super League Player of the Year.
- \* Lindfield GU12's are beaten in Champion of Champions Final at ANZ (Sydney Olympic) Stadium.
- \* Mongo Football Coaching Programme begins.

**2010**

- \* Knox United and Chase United merge as Knox United. A new playing strip is adopted. Chase United first joined KDSA in 1975 as Ku-ring-gai HS but changed their name to Chase United in 1982.
- \* Life Members Fred Mason, Austin Sheath and Max Wharton die.
- \* North Sydney win their 2nd Premier League title. The club created history by also winning Premier League reserve grade and Men's All Age Two first and reserve grade. With two other titles their 6 Men's wins was also an association record.
- \* Second division team Berowra wins the KDSA Cup, defeating North Sydney.
- \* West Pymble win the inaugural U21 Challenge Cup.
- \* Timm Briggs of Dalleys wins the Premier League Golden Boot and Daniel Watts from Hornsby Heights is named as the Premier League Player of the Year.
- \* Northern Tigers Super League team play trial match against CC Mariners. The game ends in a 0-0 draw.
- \* Northern Tigers Senior Men's team win Super League First Grade Championship 4-0 over St George in Grand Final and finish second in Premiership. The U20's win Premiership for 3rd successive year.
- \* First grade coach Jason Eagar named Coach Of The Year and club wins Fair Play Trophy.
- \* Lindfield U14 Girls and Northbridge O35 Men win respective State Cups. Lindfield are the first KDSA club to win a State level competition in Girl's or Women's football. Northbridge are the first KDSA club to win a Men's O35 State level competition. This was also the first win of any age in the State Cup for both clubs.
- \* North Sydney Bears win the U14 Champion of Champions trophy; the first win for KDSA in that age group. It is also the first win for the club.
- \* North Sydney win the Men's All Age Champion of Champions trophy; also the first win in that age group. It is the first win for North Sydney club.

**2011**

- \* President Dougie Hendry steps down.
- \* North Sydney Bears and North Sydney AA merge as North Sydney United FC. The strip used is a combination of both club strips.
- \* Mongo FC enter
- \* Chatswood Rangers revert back to original name of Rangers
- \* Northern Tigers win GU16 Premiership and GU12 & GU14 Championships
- \* North Sydney United win Premier League First Grade and Reserve Grade double, the 11th club to do so.
- \* North Sydney score record 67 goals in winning PL 1st grade.

- \* North Sydney United win KDSA Cup becoming the 11th club to do the Cup/PL 1st grade double. They are just the 4th club to win the treble;KDSA Cup,PL 1st & Reserve grade.
- \* John Donaghey of North Sydney United wins Premier League "Golden Boot" while Andrew Zoratto of Rangers wins the "Player of the Year" trophy.
- \* Mt Colah win their 100th Junior Mixed premiership,joining KissingPoint,Lindfield and Hornsby Heights
- \* Lindfield G12 and West Pymble M35 win respective State Cups.

## 2012

- \* Ku-ring-gai & District Soccer Association changes its name to Northern Suburbs Football Association.
- \* Dalleys changes its name to Willoughby Dalleys.Northside Monash changes its name to Maccabi Northside.
- \* New constitution adopted abolishing the Management Committee and replacing with a Board of Directors.
- \* Alan Barwick elected the 10th President of KDSA in 56 years.
- \* FNSW restructure representative competitions.
- \* Northern Tigers First Grade squad wins Super League Premiership and Championship gaining the right to seek promotion to the new Elite 1 competition.They also won the Fair Play trophy and Jason Eagar was Coach of the Year for the second time.Stuart Page was voted Goalkeeper of the Year.
- \* Northern Tigers Women win Super League Club Championship gaining the right to seek promotion to the Premier League competition.First and Reserve grade make the finals for the first time.Under 12's won the Premiership and Championship,Under 14's won the Premiership and Under 16's won the Championship.
- \* Northbridge win M35 Champion of Champions,first KDSA team to do so.
- \* Lindfield Under 21 wins the Robertson Cup and Northbridge Over 35'S won the State Cup for the second time in 3 years.
- \* North Sydney United win Premier League First Grade and Reserve Grade double for the 2nd successive year,just the second club to achieve this.They also won Division 2 First and Reserve,Division 3 Reserve and Division 4 First and Reserve(with different squads) for a record 7 All Age titles.
- \* Lindfield won their fourth KDSA Cup defeating North Sydney United B
- \* Jason Lal of Willoughby Dalleys wins Premier League "Golden Boot" and Ryan Smithies of Berowra wins "Player of the Year"
- \* For the first time in the 14 year history of the Rick Close Cup West Pymble do not make the final.North Sydney United won their first title by defeating Wahroonga.
- \* Lindfield won the President's Shield and the Treasurer's Shield while Mt Colah B won the Vice President's Shield.
- \* Lindfield wins their fourth successive Women's All Age Division 1 title.
- \* Gladesville Ravens and Flying Bats from GHDFa play in the Womens' Over 35 competition with Ravens winning the title.

















