



2018 OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

Men's Central League

Stop Out vs Wellington Olympic

2:30PM HUTT PARK, Saturday 21st JULY 2018

FOOTBALL FOR ALL



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Stop Out Sports Club



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It's been a tough couple of weeks for the first team with a series of defeats.

And sadly it's been a consistent theme since our return to Central league in 2015.

Each of the last four years we've hit the tough winter months and had a real struggle with getting some consistency around our training. When the training pitch invariably cuts up, resorting to scraps of available facilities with late night sessions at turfs and gyms is not conducive to the quality we aspire to.

And of all the club's in the Wellington region we are the only Central League club without either artificial or sand based facilities. And that's without including the bulk of Capital Premier clubs who also have access to home ground artificial turf training facilities. Being the top ranked Hutt Valley ranked Central League team

for the last 4 years doesn't seem to come in to it either.

And this isn't just a first team issue, this a club wide issue that impacts on all players, junior and senior within the club.

There has also been coverage in the press around Delaney Park, Richard Prouse Park and Naenae Park so it's a common theme in the Lower Hutt region. However we are lobbying the powers that be for a better solution. And there should be progress on this issue in the not too distant future.

Welcome to Hutt Park and welcome to our Stop Out hospitality.



Saturday will see the clash of the Easthope's.

Brother Scott and Shaun face off in the dugouts as coaches.

Last time this happened, Shaun was dressed appropriately at the after match speeches.

MEN'S CENTRAL LEAGUE 2018		P	W	L	D	F	A	GD	T
1	Napier City Rovers Association Football Club	14	11	1	2	48	23	25	34
2	Advance Electrical Western Suburbs	14	9	4	1	42	10	32	31
3	Stop Out Sports Club	14	8	2	4	30	21	9	26
4	Wellington Olympic	14	7	0	7	29	35	-6	21
5	Wellington United	14	6	1	7	37	33	4	19
6	Lower Hutt City Association Football Club	14	5	3	6	28	31	-3	18
7	Wairarapa United	14	5	2	7	33	42	-9	17
8	Miramar Rangers	14	5	1	8	26	33	-7	16
9	Integration Works Waterside Karori	14	4	0	10	26	37	-11	12
10	Building King Havelock North Wanderers	14	3	0	11	20	54	-34	9

SEASON FIXTURE: STOP OUT (MEN'S CENTRAL LEAGUE 2018)

Round 1	02/4/2018	1:00pm	Hutt Park	Stop Out Sports Club	2	vs	Havelock North Wanderers	0
Round 2	07/4/2018	3:30pm	Fraser Park Turf	Stop Out Sports Club	2	vs	Lower Hutt City	1
Round 3	14/4/2018	2:30pm	Hutt Park	Stop Out Sports Club	0	vs	Wairarapa United	2
Round 4	21/4/2018	2:30pm	Karori Park	Stop Out Sports Club	2	vs	Waterside Karori	1
Round 5	25/4/2018	2:30pm	Hutt Park	Stop Out Sports Club	1	vs	Napier City Rovers	2
Round 6	28/4/2018	5:45pm	Wakefield Park 2	Stop Out Sports Club	7	vs	Wellington Olympic	2
Round 7	05/5/2018	2:30pm	Hutt Park	Stop Out Sports Club	0	vs	Western Suburbs	0
Round 8	19/5/2018	2:30pm	Hutt Park	Stop Out Sports Club	5	vs	Miramar Rangers	2
Round 9	26/5/2018	2:30pm	Newtown Park 1	Stop Out Sports Club	3	vs	Wellington United	1
Round 10	02/6/2018	1:00pm	Guthrie Park	Stop Out Sports Club	2	vs	Havelock North Wanderers	1
Round 11	09/6/2018	2:30pm	Hutt Park	Stop Out Sports Club	2	vs	Lower Hutt City	1
Round 12	16/6/2018	3:30pm	Masterton Memorial Turf	Stop Out Sports Club	2	vs	Wairarapa United	2
Round 13	30/6/2018	2:30pm	Hutt Park	Stop Out Sports Club	1	vs	Waterside Karori	3
Round 14	08/7/2018	2:00pm	Park Island	Stop Out Sports Club	1	vs	Napier City Rovers	3
Round 15	21/7/2018	2:30pm	Hutt Park	Stop Out Sports Club		vs	Wellington Olympic	
Round 16	29/7/2018	2:30pm	Endeavour	Stop Out Sports Club		vs	Western Suburbs	
Round 17	4/8/2018	2:30pm	Dave Farrington	Stop Out Sports Club		vs	Miramar Rangers	
Round 18	11/8/2018	2:30pm	Hutt Park	Stop Out Sports Club		vs	Wellington United	

2018	HNW	LHC	MR	NCR	SO	WaiU	WK	WO	WelU	WS
Havelock North Wanderers		1-2	0-2	1-6	1-2	6-2	22/7	5/8	4-2	0-9
Lower Hutt City	5-2		1-1	4/8	1-2	21/7	1-0	11/8	0-2	1-3
Miramar Rangers	7-0	0-1		1-4	4/8	28/7	2-1	1-3	5-2	1-0
Napier City Rovers	29/7	5-2	3-1		3-1	12/8	7-3	2-1	3-0	1-2
Stop Out	2-0	2-1	5-2	1-2		0-2	1-3	21/7	11/8	0-0
Wairarapa United	2-0	2-5	4-1	5-7	2-2		4/8	2-4	3-2	1-1
Waterside Karori	4-1	28/7	11/8	3-1	1-2	2-1		2-3	1-2	1-5
Wellington Olympic	1-2	6-3	3-1	1-3	2-7	2-1	2-1		28/7	0-3
Wellington United	6-0	3-3	6-1	21/7	1-3	2-3	5-3	4-1		4/8
Western Suburbs	12/8	2-2	22/7	1-1	29/7	6-1	4-1	3-0	3-0	

FIXTURES - 21ST AND 22ND JULY 2018

CAPITAL 1

Stop Out vs Stokes Valley - Saturday 21ST 12:30PM - HUTT PARK 2

CAPITAL 4

Stop Out vs University - Saturday 21ST 12:30PM - KELBURN PARK

CAPITAL 6

Stop Out vs Naenae Soccer Club - Saturday 21ST 2:30PM - NAENAE 1

MASTERS 3

Stop Out Reds vs Upper Hutt City Rjs - Saturday 21ST 2:30PM - HUTT PARK 3

MASTERS 5

Stop Out Blacks vs Marist Skavs - Saturday 21ST 2:30PM - HUTT PARK 4

MASTERS OVER 42

Stop Out McCreadies vs Brooklyn Nthn United Pacemakers - Sat 21ST 12:30PM - HUTT PARK 3

U17A

Stop Out vs Upper Hutt U17A - Sunday 22ND 11:00AM - HUTT PARK 2

U17C

Stop Out vs KCU U17B - Sunday 22ND 11:00AM - HUTT PARK 3

WOMEN'S PREMIER

Stop Out vs Victoria University - Sunday 22ND 1:00PM - BOYD WILSON PARK

WOMEN'S 1

Stop Out vs Wellington United Emeralds - Sunday 22ND 1:00PM - BOYD WILSON PARK

WOMEN'S 1

Stop Out Legends vs North Wellington k - Sunday 22ND 1:00PM - HUTT PARK 4

CHATHAM CUP - ROUND 04

Stop Out vs Wairarapa - WAIRARAPA

There was no denying that a Chatham Cup quarter final was what awaited the winner of today's game between us and Wairarapa United. Instead it was a big part of what had driven us at training this week. It was also no secret that we had not enjoyed our last visit to Wairarapa with a few issues that were outside of Wairarapa's control and some that weren't.

Peter Linney was in the middle for this game and as he blew his whistle to start the game it was glaringly obvious that both sides were right up for it. A furious pace and good accuracy from both sides made for a cracking start to this game. Both sides were working extremely hard to keep the other team at bay. Our play out from the back was extremely good early and was some of the best play with the ball that we had put together all season. Luis Corrales was a constant danger early but Wairarapa's defenders were doing well to break up any opportunities he was looking to create. We managed to get a bit of set piece early in the game as a result but we could not convert any.

Luke Grindley was also lively up top and took a ball down beautifully over his shoulder and away from his marker to create a shooting opportunity. Unfortunately his shot was saved well by the Wairarapa keeper to keep the game locked at 0-0.

Wairarapa always hold their own attacking threat through an extremely difficult Hamish Watson who had worked his own opportunity that James McPeake had to tip round the post. Moments later Watson flashed a ball across the box that thankfully didn't find a Wairarapa player.

The tense encounter continued and a series of half chances. One of them was a ball played in behind to a blatantly inside Grindley, through on goal he was being fouled by a Wairarapa defender before the linesman finally decided that Grindley had been originally off side. Baffling to say the least.

It was Wairarapa who broke forward and as Hamish Watson attracted a lot of attention from our defenders, he clipped a ball across the box to a player who finished well and we were down 1-0. This would be the score at the half time break.

We came out for the second half still sure we would get opportunities to score enough goals to win this game. We had asked for a few tweaks to keep help keep Wairarapa off the sheet in the second half. Early in the second half we were back to playing out quickly and effectively, the return of a lively Justin Gulley was having a good impact on our team in possession. A goal did not come until 20 minutes to go in the game where a Wairarapa defender handled the ball in the box and a penalty was given. Luis Corrales stepped up and slotted the ball home to deservedly bring us back level 1-1 with 20 to go.

The spicy encounter with plenty on the line continued to bring good play out of both sides.



We turned to our bench and introduced an in form Jared Mitchell and the pacey veteran striker Jerram Tuck who replaced two players who had put in fantastic shifts in Lewis Jackson and Luke Grindley. These two players had a good impact on the game and as we made our last change of bringing on Jordan Martens, we had switched up our system a little bit to go for it, but the 90 minutes still ended with game tied 1-1.

A break for extra time gave us an opportunity to further emphasize the changes we had made to our system and the problems we were causing Wairarapa as a result. We were going well and we could feel a positive result on the back of this performance and the way the game was shaping.

Disappointingly for us, just as we threatened to gain ascendancy in the game, Hamish Watson was again on the ball in our penalty area. Again he attracted plenty of attention from us defensively and unfortunately we managed to bring him down and a penalty was awarded. He did what he does well and scored the penalty and again somehow we found ourselves behind 2-1.

To our players credit, they absolutely threw everything at Wairarapa in a bid to find an

equalizer. The Wairarapa keeper was outstanding as he produced to very good saves, most notably one from a Jordan Martens strike that was powering in before he managed to get a hand to it and parry it past the post.

Huge disappointment as the final whistle blew and we had not been able to find another goal. Even more disappointing was the lack of respect shown by Phil Keinzley as he refused to shake my hand after the game due to an email complaint I had sent following our last visit to Wairarapa. What's worse was the horrendous words he chose to use towards not only myself but Sambo as well. All things considered, this was a fantastic game of football and one in which both teams had a great part to play in. Again we had not been on the right side of a close and important game but not through a lack of trying. Huge performances from our entire squad in this game and a massively impressive improvement with the ball from the group. Man of the match was too difficult to select after this game.

We will be back.

Scott.

Final Score: **Stop Out 1 vs Wairarapa 2**



MEN'S CENTRAL LEAGUE



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STOP OUT SPORTS CLUB

GK 1	James McPEAKE
2	Jono STEELE
3	James SHARP
4	James SUTCLIFFE
5	Kade SCHRIJVERS
6	Jherson HEREDIA
7	Luis CORRALES
8	Justin GULLEY
9	Jerram TUCK
10	Micky MALIVUK
12	Lewis JACKSON
13	Brayan HEREDIA
14	Luke GRINDLAY
15	Jared MITCHELL
16	Sam PICKERING
17	Steve GULEY
18	Cherbel KHOUCHABA
19	Jordan MARTENS
20	Ami LAL

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WELLINGTON OLYMPIC

1	Scott BASALAJ
4	Jacob MASSEURS
5	Blake WESTON
7	Leonardo VILLA
8	Alexander PALEZEVIC
9	Gianni BOUZOUKIS
10	Jimmy HAIDAKIS
11	Apostolis APOSTOLOPOULOS
12	Henry FA'ARODO
14	Gavin HOY
17	Ahmed OTHMAN
18	Luke AGALAWATTA
19	Cristian BAZ
20	Mario Alberto BARCIA
21	Toby HUNT
23	Daniel MULHOLLAND



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MEN'S CENTRAL LEAGUE

Stop Out vs Napier City Rovers - NAPIER

Today presented us an opportunity to close the gap on the leaders Napier and ensure that the race is well and truly on through to the end of the season.

Tactically today we were prepared to do things a little bit different in a further bid to turn around our first round defeat at home against Napier in a tough encounter. Napier have some good talent littered throughout their line up and are set up and organised well to catch teams out, encourage teams to make mistakes and punish them when they do.

The first 15 minutes of the game saw our boys feeling there way around the changes to our set up. As we got to grips with what Napier would do against the strategy we were employing, we started to gain the upper hand in the game. We picked off passes from Napier well and were creating opportunities to score through the dangers of our attacking talent. Napier's keeper made a fantastic save at the feet of Luke Grindley and tipped a Luis Corrales shot over the bar to keep us at bay. Again rather frustratingly we struggled to turn our periods of dominance in games into an advantage on the score line. Our goal keeper James McPeake was also called into action to keep Napier scoreless in the first half with a shot that he had to tip over.

Despite the chances created, halftime did arrive with scores still locked at 0-0. The feeling in our changing rooms was one of optimism as we felt that we were on the right track to get a result and all 3 points should we be able to continue the pressure from the first half on.

Unfortunately straight after halftime we conceded a penalty when Kade Shrijvers bought down a Napier midfielder who drove into the box. The penalty was converted by Napier's Canadian import and somehow we found ourselves 1-0 down in the game.

We enthusiastically got the ball quickly back up to half way and got straight back into working for an equalizer. Unfortunately the Napier keeper again made a fantastic save on the back of a counter attack from us to keep their 1 goal advantage. As can happen in football, Napier went down the other end with a long ball forward, pounced on a mistake at the back and rolled the ball under an advancing James McPeake to get themselves out to a 2-0 lead.



Impressively our boys again got the ball back up to half way and got straight back into getting themselves back in the game. We worked our way into a good period of sustained pressure and on the back of that put together a fantastic piece of play. We worked the ball up to Luis who dropped the ball off to Cherbel out wide. Cherbel played a wall pass past his defender with Micky and then drove a ball across the box for Lewis Jackson who arrived nicely at the back post to finish into an open net. 2-1 and game back on!

Our energy levels rose again and the game became a little end to end as we searched for an equalizer and Napier sought a goal to kill the game off. Unfortunately it was Napier who caught us out on a fast break. Their Canadian import was at it again, he flew down the line and got a ball across the box that somehow made it all the way through to a late arriving striker who bundled it across the line. 3-1 and a deflating blow landed.

That would be the way the game finished and we were left with a feeling of disbelief in how we had managed to not get something from this game. It wasn't to be and you have to hand it to Napier, they are a good side who take their opportunities consistently and that is why they are top of this league.

A lot of top efforts from the group and some uncharacteristic mistakes as well. After a few good saves to keep us within striking distance it was James McPeake who would earn man of the match today.

We will be disappointed today and move on by Tuesday to prepare for the cup challenge ahead.

Scott

Final Score: **Stop Out 1 vs Napier City Rovers 3**
Man of the Match: **James McPeake**



Stop Out Reserves vs Wainuiomata 1st Team - HUTT PARK

We headed into our local derby well aware of the challenge ahead. This Wainui side had run our First Team close in the Chatham Cup weeks earlier; we had the luxury of playing on a slightly better Hutt Park surface!

Wainui came into the game well in the hunt for the promotion places. This showed in the opening stages of the game, as they harassed and pressured us into uncharacteristic mistakes. Their good start was rewarded with a header off a corner, as we struggled to get into the rhythm of the game on a bumpy surface.

At the break, we discussed the importance of remaining calm and getting into the swing of things early. We certainly did that, as we put in our best second half performance of the season. We were utterly dominant, moving the ball well and not giving our opponents anything. Wainui were restricted to the odd counter attack which was dealt with well by Kelvin 'It's Coming Home'

Bennett and Sharpie. Chances fell our way, as the midfield duo of Cam and Jherson once again showed their class at this level. Our patience and dominance eventually paid off, as Jared Mitchell took on four defenders in quick succession before tucking away brilliantly. We went close to snatching a deserved winner, but ultimately had to settle for a point.

On balance, a fair result based on the way the game panned out. We were left to consider what might of been had we started the game better, but took great encouragement from our second half response. Another point in the right direction as we continue our good run of form.

Final Score: **Stop Out Reserves 1 vs Wainuiomata 1st Team 1**
Man of the Match: **Jared Mitchell**



Stop Out Reserves vs Naenae Soccer Club - HUTT PARK

Well, where to start?! We went into this crucial game with Naenae Soccer/Football Club well aware of the potential ramifications. Victory would see us leapfrog our opponents and open up a gap on the teams below, while defeat would make things all the more tougher for our run in.

We weren't helped by the state of the grounds at Naenae Park. It certainly highlighted the fact that a lot of clubs in the region are having difficulties with the Council around the maintenance of the pitches. A cricket pitch in one corner, coupled with a steep hilly incline in the other, made for a farcical state of affairs. This is a wide ranging issue, and certainly does not have one clear remedy. A 12:30pm game on the same pitch before us wasn't the best preparation for the ground either!

We knew adapting to the conditions would be key here. We started well, weathering the early storm typical of some the sides in this league. We soon settled, moving the ball smartly and surprising well. We kept finding the gaps in behind the fullbacks, where the front three of Paora, Jared and Wilso were causing havoc. Chances were falling our way in the driving rain, but went begging. Paora struck the post from 25 yards, while the hybrid Australian/Southerner Keegan Taig went agonisingly close to his first Stop Out goal. A sweetly struck free kick from Jared saw us go into the break 1-0 up, when we could have been up 5 or 6.

The second half became more of a scrap, as the

fastly deteriorating pitch saw the quality drop. This was when our immense character was on full display. Every crunching tackle, every 50/50 was backed up by vociferous encouragement from all the boys. Despite the mudbath in the middle of the pitch, Jherson and Cam somehow still managed to dictate play and move the ball well. Not to be outdone, the younger Heredia was performing excellently in an unfamiliar left back role. Chances again fell our way, with a combination of poor decision making and the conditions making things tough. Jared put the icing on the cake in the 86th minute with a deft chip from outside the box, after a back pass held up in the mud! A comfortable and well deserved 2-0 win.

An immensely satisfying result. The conditions were tough, but our boys stood up to the challenge and showed their character. Jack Wilson earned the Man of the Match honours after an energetic, committed display that has come from several weeks of hard work from the youngster. An U17 graduate who has shown the pathways we have in place for our players. We go into another break in good spirits and high in confidence.

Final Score: **Stop Out Reserves 2 vs Naenae Soccer Club 0**

Man of the Match: **Jack Wilson**



KEITH BARTON IN FULL FLIGHT

BACK IN THE DAY, IT WAS "PLAY ON!"
TODAY? PROBABLY 6 WEEKS.



OVER-RATED



MIKE BARTON

Over the last few weeks as the Fifa World Cup® has gone on the term 'over-rated' has been thrown about. Usually I ignore the term but when I overheard some 'young fellas' talking about Men's Central League I heard then describe two players of prominence as 'over-rated'. They must be prominent as they do not play for Stop Out yet I have heard of them. Not able to help myself I asked then 'who over-rates them?'

Honestly, they then stared at me as if I was odd. I thought it a fair question and deserving of a fair answer. No answer was forthcoming. In fact they rather rudely, I thought, indicated I should 'go away'.

The following morning whilst watching a FIFA World Cup® match I again heard the term over-rated being used. The same thought to came to mind. Over-rated by whom or what exactly? The television agria must have got the rating from somewhere. (Agria? Wait for it. An agria is a common potato. A common tater if you like. Geddit?) Immediately I got home I did a series of searches on the Internet. I finally found some ratings agencies. Without hesitation I called one of them. On my call being answered I simply asked for the ratings desk and was put through. This was a mistake. It seems that Standard & Poor's rate banks, financial institutions and financial instruments...and not footballers. The helpful but slightly dismissive voice at the other end of the call suggested that Football's governing body, FIFA, might be better positioned to deal with my call.

Everyone knows that FIFA do 'rankings' and not 'ratings' but I called in any case. The reply was go tour website. I did and was disappointed. The site, as I knew, ranks not rates and it's national teams only. "The basic logic of these calculations is simple: any team that does well in world football wins points which enable it to climb the world ranking. A team's total number of points over a four-year period is determined by adding the average number of points gained from matches during

the past 12 months and the average number of points gained from matches older than 12 months (depreciates yearly) ".

This left me at square one. How can we know if a team or a player is over-rated if there is no ratings system in place? It seems that the answer is that there is no formal rating system in place. I was pointed to the Urban Dictionary where I read this clunky definition "A term used to describe something, or someone, that gets more hype and credit than actually worth. It is due to personal opinion and anyone who hates anything that's well known, No matter how brilliant something is, if it gets a lot of media attention then there's always someone who will think it's overrated." More fool me. In short, it seems that ANY player can be over-rated if someone simply says they are.



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