

AGM 2025 Vice President's Report on Junior Football

Kellyville Kolts Soccer Club

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Dear Kolts Community,

It is my pleasure to present the Vice President's Report on Junior Football for the Kellyville Kolts Soccer Club for the 2025 season. This year has been another exciting chapter in our club's journey, with continued growth, outstanding community engagement, and solid strides in junior player development.

1. Participation and Growth

The Kellyville Kolts proudly remains one of the largest and most vibrant grassroots football clubs in the region, with close to 1300 registered players in our mixed junior teams from the ages of 3 to 15.

In season 2025, we have seen a 4% growth in members when compared to the prior season.

Our junior program continues to thrive, with our in-house Micro-Minis, Mini's, & U7-U8 teams. Our junior teams competing in the Hills Football Association across (U8-U11) and Junior Competitive (U12-U16).

We welcomed many new families this year, while also seeing the return of a large number of retained players — a sign of the positive football experience that the Kolts offer.

2. Player Development

Development continues to be a core pillar of our junior program. A key initiative continuing on from season 2024 is the U8's In-House Developmental Program. A big thank you to our Kolts TD - Alex Tobin for overseeing this initiative with the primary focus on skill & talent growth, ensuring participants develop into the next stage their football journey.

3. Coaching & Volunteer Support

I wish to express the club's appreciation for those who have stepped up in 2025 to assist with Team Coaching & Management duties, plus also those who have assisted by joining our committee to help out with general club duties.

4. Mixed Junior - Age Coordinators

On behalf of the Club, I would like to thank our new Junior Age Coordinators who have stepped up & completed their first year with us.

Your efforts have been crucial to the success of the Kellyville Kolts in 2025.

Given your eagerness could in some ways be taken as overbearing, overall, it came from good intentions.

We hope you will continue with us for many more years to come.

5. Mixed Junior Team Achievements

- 5x Minor Premiers. Teams: 16/1, 15/1 Red, 14/2 Blue, 13/4 Red & 12/1 Red

- 2x Grand Final Winners. Teams: 16/1 & 13/3

6. 2025 Club Sponsorship

In 2025 we were supported by the following club sponsors with overall contributions exceeding \$140K

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7. Junior Div1 Trials

It was a pleasure to see the numbers of players interested in joining our 2026 Div 1 teams.

With 2-weekends concluded, I would like to express my appreciation for the time & effort that our A/C's and football sub-committee have put in ensuring we have competitive teams of talented players ready for the upcoming season.

7. Looking Ahead – 2026 Priorities

Key goals for 2026 include:

- Expanding junior development pathways.
- Increasing coach education opportunities.
- Enhancing communication tools.
- Exploring structured pre-season programs for Div1 teams.

In closing, I want to thank our club committee, our coaches, managers, and most importantly, our junior players and their families.

Your support, passion, and dedication make the Kellyville Kolts not just a club, but a community. Together, we continue to build strong foundations for future success.

It truly is amazing to see what our team can accomplish when we all work together.

Finally, I would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas & a Happy New Year

Looking forward to seeing you down at Bernie Mullane in 2026.

Yours in Football,

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