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Become a part of football history



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## more than a football club.

Become a part of Football history by joining the Old Melburnians Football Club for season 2007. The club shares the proudest history in Australian Rules Football dating back to the origin of the game.

By joining the Old Melburnians you are joining more than just a football club. It is a community that is built on strong values, courage, teamwork and mateship. Benefits of membership include:

### Facilities - The Junction Oval

The Old Melburnians Football Club has the honour of utilising one of Melbourne finest sporting grounds as both our home ground and training facilities - The Junction Oval.

### Coaching & Support Staff

The Old Melburnians Football Club employs the best coaching and support staff available to ensure you get the most out of your football.

### Networking

The Old Melburnians has a world-wide following of past students and players who always keep a close eye on the progress of the club. Being part of the Old Melburnians Football Club gains you access to a vast array of social and business networking opportunities.

### Social

The Old Melburnians is primarily about enjoying your football both on and off the field. All teams all together without the social clicks. Throughout the year there are numerous social functions which bring the entire community together.

**BE A PART OF THE OLD MELBURNIANS IN 2007.**

### WHAT TO EXPECT FROM THE COACHES.

- Professionalism
- Will Incorporate fun and social aspects for the group
- Demand a high level of commitment and effort
- This will result in a high standard on the field
- Open and transparent communication at all times
- Maintain team unity and respect
- Ensure a happy workplace

### CONTACTING THE CLUB.

For a confidential discussion about joining the OMFC please contact one of the following people or simply email [info@omfc.com.au](mailto:info@omfc.com.au)

### PRESIDENT

Andrew Ristrom 0417 361 996

### COACHES

Russell Morris 0417 379 543

Simon Beaumont 0403 481 514

### FOOTBALL CLUB

Mark Hawkins 0439 611 879

Edward Selby 0416 625 288

### CAREER

James Nixon 03 9225 6408

Simon Theodore 0405 151 320

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## coaching staff.

### SENIOR COACH - Russell Morris

- Hawthorn Premiership Player
- 159 Senior AFL/VFL matches
- Coached by the greatest coach of all time – Alan Jeans
- Knows the formula for on field success
- Head of Sales & Marketing at St Kilda Football Club
- Knows the formula for off field success
- Understands networks and supporters around football clubs and can activate them
- Coaching experience at U16 & U17 level
- Strengths: tactical acumen, teaching, management, communication

### SENIOR ASSISTANT - Simon Beaumont

- 180 Senior AFL/VFL matches
- Coached by one of the greats – David Parkin
- Was a hard and tough player
- Expect to see some Simon Beaumont in the way the OMFC play in 2007 – literally...
- As a player never cut corners - neither will OMFC in 2007
- Has great rapport with the players
- Approachable and good communicator

### RESERVE COACHES - Mick Carty & Mick Lovejoy

- Love the club
- Very Experienced with Amateur football
- Great knowledge of opposition
- Loved by the players



R. MORRIS



S. BEAUMONT



M. CARTY



M. LOVEJOY

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## your football & your career.

### OM'S NETWORK

Access to one of Melbourne most extensive business networks with over 1000 former Melbourne Grammar old boys and referrals. As a player you will have the right to access this network and explore many different business to business opportunities. Take advantage of this wonderful resource which is second to none in the Amateurs.

Whether it be getting advice on setting up a business, new business leads, employment or simple business contacts – the OM's network will be able to satisfy your requirements – across a plethora of industries.

### LAW INDUSTRY

- Access to partners at top tier, mid tier and small firms for career advice and designated mentoring (i.e, Allens Arthur Robinson, Deacons, Gadens, Madgwicks, Tony Hargreaves & Partners)
- Access to members of the Victorian Bar for career advice and designated mentoring (for example, Simon Wilson QC (Carlton FC board member), Ian Hill QC, Tim North SC, James Nixon, Hamish Austin etc.)
- Enhanced prospects in obtaining seasonal clerkships and articulated clerkships at top tier, mid tier and small firms. Also opportunity to undertake work experience placements/clerkships at these firms prior to graduating
- Introducing you to one of the most established and expansive legal networks in the state and the country providing you with opportunities both within the law and beyond the law.

### OMFC PATHWAY TO AFL PROGRAM.

- OMFC coach Russell Morris has direct line of contact with John Beveridge – St Kilda Football Club Recruiting Manager. John will welcome any feedback supplied by Russell.
- OMFC will put any prospects on the all new “OMFC AFL Plan” this involves a series of measurements that AFL recruiters look at when considering new recruits

### WHAT'S INVOLVED.

- “OMFC AFL Plan” consists of 3km run, series of 20 metre sprints, beep test and video of the player in action
- OMFC to film players “doing their stuff” and send it on to John Beveridge for his consideration with full player bio, measurements, achievements etc.



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