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CHATHAM CUP

ROUND 2 vs RANUI SWANSON

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NORTHERN REGION

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SOUTHERN REGION

NUMBER OF ENTRIES

59 TEAMS

30 TEAMS

37 TEAMS

PRELIMINARY ROUND

Round of 126 Teams

Northern

Central

Capital

Nelson Marl.

Canterbury

Football South



ROUND 1

Round of 103 Teams

Northern

Central

Capital

Nelson Marl.

Canterbury

Football South



ROUND 2

Round of 64 Teams

Northern

Central Region

Nelson Marl.

Canterbury

Football South



ROUND 3

Round of 32 Teams

Northern

16

Central Region

8

Mainland

4

Football South

4



ROUND 4

Round of 16 Teams

Northern

8

Central Region

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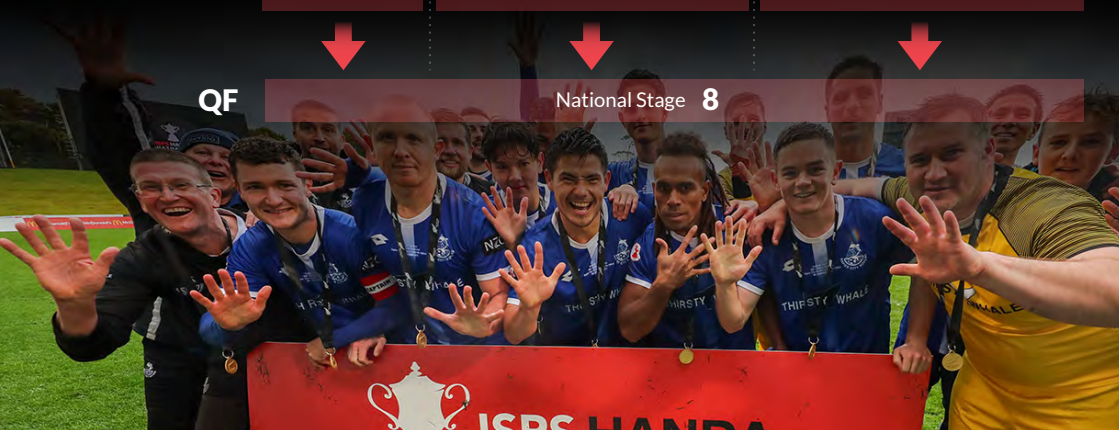
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Message from the President

Passion, pride and a cold beer – the lure of the cup



Today we welcome Ranui Swanson to Allen Hill for what will undoubtedly be a highly competitive Chatham Cup tie. Our visitors have already accounted for First Division Bucklands Beach in the last round and as I write this, sit 4th and unbeaten after six games in the NRF Senior Men's Championship. Neither side will know much about the other, but both will give it everything, and if I may say so, isn't that the attraction of cup football? The fact that teams several divisions apart are paired against each other makes for high levels of excitement and anticipation amongst players, officials, and supporters alike – something ignored by the creators of the almost instantly defunct European Super League concept.

Shore has a proud history of cup glory but all that will count for nothing as the referee blows his whistle to start today's game when it will be nil-nil and all on!

Regular supporters will note that we have a run of home games through June and July, caused by reseeding work done at Allen Hill before the start of the season. Delays in accessing the ground forced us (and other Shore based

teams) to play our first three games away from home. Now we're back and although results have not gone our way as we would have liked, we can count a notable 3-2 victory with 10 men over Auckland City as a major highlight.

First Kicks, junior and youth football are all now well underway and our adult social teams are rumbling into action, so it is important for me to mention the network of volunteers that keep these sections of the club operating. We have a great bunch of helpers but can always use more assistance. If you want to help, contact our Volunteer Controller, Sean Jones:

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Another reason for today's excitement is the fact that last year the Chatham Cup was cancelled due to the lockdowns and restrictions the country endured. So today is all about the lure of the cup; about the pride and passion that we feel for our local clubs; about 'what might happen' more than 'what will'... The hopes and dreams of everyone connected to all the clubs still alive in this year's competition will be focused on success. Let's hope there's a cold beer for everyone at the end of the afternoon!

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Auckland United		11	7	2	2	9	23
Hamilton Wanderers		11	5	2	4	5	17
Bay Olympic		10	5	2	3	-4	17
Birkenhead United		11	5	1	5	5	16
Eastern Suburbs		10	5	1	4	4	16
Western Springs		11	5	1	5	2	16
Melville United		11	4	2	5	-9	14
North Shore United		10	3	3	4	0	12
Manukau United		11	2	3	6	-7	9
Northern Rovers		11	2	3	6	-9	9
West Coast Rangers		11	1	2	8	-22	5



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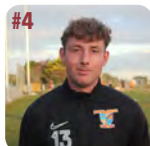
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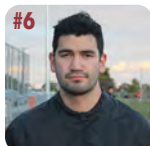
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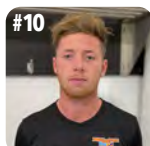
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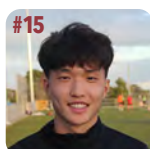
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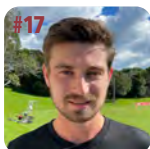
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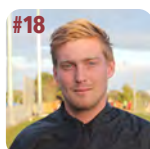
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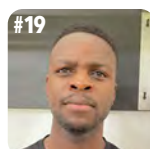
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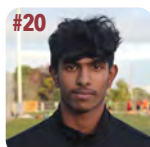
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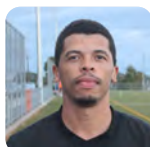
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Message from NSU Youth Convenor NSU Youth 2021

After such a disrupted 2020 season, during which some teams played as few as five games, the anticipation for 2021 was very high and we all have our fingers crossed that we can complete a full and uninterrupted season.

Excitement levels were certainly high when the players first assembled for trials and pre-season training back in March. It was pleasing to see that player registrations are consistent with previous seasons showing that Covid-19 didn't sour any appetite for the beautiful game.

There have been a couple of notable differences this season. The first was the new season dates, with community football now fully aligning with school Terms 2 and 3. In previous years, when the season started in early April, the first few weeks were often stop/start with Easter and School holidays. Frustrated players needed a bit more patience before the season could kick-off but I believe the undisrupted beginning to the season has been a success.

The second change was the introduction of the Y league and the renaming of Metro/Conference to Championship and Championship Division one. In 2021 NSU is fielding six youth teams in the Mixed/Boys grades with a team in the Championship Division at U13, U14, U15 and U17 plus two further teams at U13.

North Shore United has a close working relationship with Takapuna Grammar School, with both programmes being overseen by NSU FDM Ryan Ward. Many players represent both NSU and TGS and the close relationship benefits these players through consistent coaching and management of game time and training loads. Continuing and strengthening this relationship will be a focus for future years.

Our youth teams are grateful to the talented and dedicated coaches that work with them during the week and on game days. Furthermore, none of the teams could compete without the support of parents helping out with managing teams and refereeing games. As a club we are lucky to have such great parents and volunteers and we are working hard to support them through the provision of youth level coaching and community referee courses.

Best of luck to all the youth team players for the rest of the season and hopefully we will see some of you representing the First Team in a few years' time.

**Scott Read
Youth Convenor**







2021 Results

2021 Lotto NRFL Premier Division

Date	Opposition Team	H / A	Premier Division	Reserves/ U23
27 March	Hamilton Wanderers	Away	2 – 1 W	1 – 3 L
02 April	West Coast Rangers	Away	2 – 0 W	1 – 5 L
05 April	Western Springs	Away	2 – 3 L	0 – 5 L
10 April	Eastern Suburbs	Away	Postponed	1 – 3 L
17 April	Birkenhead United	Home	2 – 3 L	5 – 7 L
24 April	Melville United	Away	0 – 1 L	0 – 7 L
01 May	Auckland City	Home	3 – 2 W	1 – 3 L
08 May	Auckland United	Away	1 – 1 D	3 – 0 W
15 May	Bay Olympic	Home	1 – 2 L	3 – 1 W
22 May	Manukau United	Away	1 – 1 D	1 – 5 L
29 May	Northern Rovers	Home	2 – 2 D	1 – 1 D
12 June	Hamilton Wanderers	Home		
26 June	West Coast Rangers	Home		
3 July	Western Springs	Home		
17 July	Eastern Suburbs	Home		
24 July	Birkenhead United	Away		
31 July	Melville United	Home		
7 August	Auckland City	Away		
14 August	Auckland United	Home		
21 August	Bay Olympic	Away		
28 August	Manukau United	Home		
4 September	Northern Rovers	Away		

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