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Bulls Calendar

12/8-9: OL Winter season begins
12/26-29: 10th Annual Pro-Xtreme Camp
12/28: Bulls Alumni game at Waipio Stadium
12/30: Bull awards banquet
12/30: Newsletter deadline for the Jan issue

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Live it, Love it, Breathe it!

November was an action packed month of the beautiful game for the HSC Bulls. Many teams participated in the Mililani Thanksgiving Tournament and did well. Although we had no champions this time around, the coaching staff was very pleased with the spirit of the teams participating and their progress so far. On the other end of the age spectrum of our players, the older players participated in the second annual Futsol Showdown, held the same weekend at King Intermediate Gym. This was a fast paced 5v5 event in which our teams dominated. Mele French and Holden Lau were the female and male MVP's respectively. Congratulations to them and their teams for doing well. According to DOC Neddo, about 200 spectators lined the fields at the finals and the Bulls "made a good showing of themselves."

And, at the same time, the second annual 4v4 Street Soccer event took place at rain soaked Waialae Iki Park. What a spectacle this was, with our new inflatable fields and speed cage quite visible from the highway. One hundred and fifty players enjoyed the fastpaced games in spite of the elements and everyone walked away winners with prizes that included an autographed Seattle Sounders jersey from our own Kenji Treschuk, an Houston Dynamo jersey signed by the whole team thanks to Brian Ching, and a Wii system (not to mention all of the fantastic Adidas gear). These same inflatables will be up and running at the ProXtreme Camp soon, so if you missed seeing them in use they are worth the time to visit.

December will continue the trend of endless soccer. Everyone is looking forward to the 10th Annual ProXtreme Camp from 12/26-29 at Waialae Iki. Our own Brian Ching will once again headline this fun event to bring in the new year. Brian will be joined by Clint Mathis (now of the LA Galaxy and who scored off of an assist by David Beckham this past weekend in New Zealand), Ted Eck (Dallas Burn), Duke Hashimoto (Real Salt Lake) and Kenji Treschuk (Seattle Sounders). DOC Neddo probably has some tricks up his sleeve to get even more professionals here for the event, so stay tuned and hope to see you there. Many have donated food, golf, dinners, spa packages to help offset costs and to help make the pros stay here memorable and the Club thanks you!



The Board of Directors recently signed into an agreement with Sun Noodle to be a sponsor for the Honolulu Bulls Soccer Club. Our new training tops, practice t-shirts and game gear will be adorned with the Sun Noodle logo soon; just as our current training top proudly displays the ProService Hawaii logo. The Club is most grateful to these "benefactors" and hope the relationship is longstanding. Players will have even another reason to be proud of the red and black they wear on the pitch.

Nominations

The Club would like to recognize some of the exceptional individuals who have exemplified all that it means to be a member of the Honolulu Bulls SC, and we need your help. We would like to recognize the **Coach of the Year, Volunteer of the Year, Male Player of the Year, Female Player of the Year** and **Alumnus of the Year**. You know who these fine people are around you based on how often you see them out at the fields, giving up their time for all of the extra events we do, fundraising like mad, promoting the club far and wide, always proudly wearing the red and black, and sometimes even donating financially.

Please submit your nominations by Dec 21 to DOC Neddo via email bulls@hawaii.rr.com

Did You Know?

You can help the Club earn valuable commission points from Eurosport by clicking on the Eurosport web link on the Bulls home page? You still earn your own Goal Club points, too! So the next time you order on-line from Eurosport, go through the Bulls web site (www.hscbulls.com) and click on the Eurosport link on the right side to take you to www.soccer.com. It's a win-win situation!

FUNDRAISERS

Please help the following teams with their fundraisers...

Sunday, December 16th
'96 Boys (U12B)
Don Quixote (Daiei) Pearl City



Can You Feel It?



Can you feel the buzz in the soccer world here in Hawaii? You must have heard by now about the first annual Pan-Pacific Championship coming to Aloha Stadium February 20 and 23. Brian Ching was in town recently to help unveil this new and exciting tournament between East and West (see picture below). Brian, and his dynamic Dynamo's (back-to-back MLS Champions!), will compete against the LA Galaxy (David Beckham, Landon Donovan and Clint Mathis), Gamba Osaka from the J-League and a club to qualify from the Hyundai A-League Final Series. How exciting is this? Tickets will be going on sale this month. The official website is www.PPChampionship.net. It would be great to see red and black throughout the whole stadium at these doubleheaders, wouldn't it?





Trivia Contest Winners

Congratulations to Josh Adachi, Geena Fong and Mike Yoneda for correctly and simultaneously answering the trivia questions.

1. Sheffield FC is the oldest football club recognized by FIFA.

2. The role of the 4th official is complex:

- * Assists with administrative functions before, during and after the match.
- * Assesses players' equipment; Ensures substitutions are conducted in an orderly manner.
- * Notifies teams and spectators of time added on.
- * Acts as contact point between the match officiating crew and non-participants.
- * Maintains decorum in teams' technical areas.
- * Acts as another set of eyes for events away from the ball.
- * Keeps an extra set of records to prevent errors from the Referee in recording offenses.
- * Serves as replacement official if one of the other officials can not continue officiating.

**Help
Wanted**

The Bulls are still looking for a newsletter editor. The content will generally be provided and you will need to format the text into newsletter articles. Computer knowledge of Power Point or Word or Publisher would be helpful. The newsletter is published monthly. Please e-mail Ken Perske, if interested.