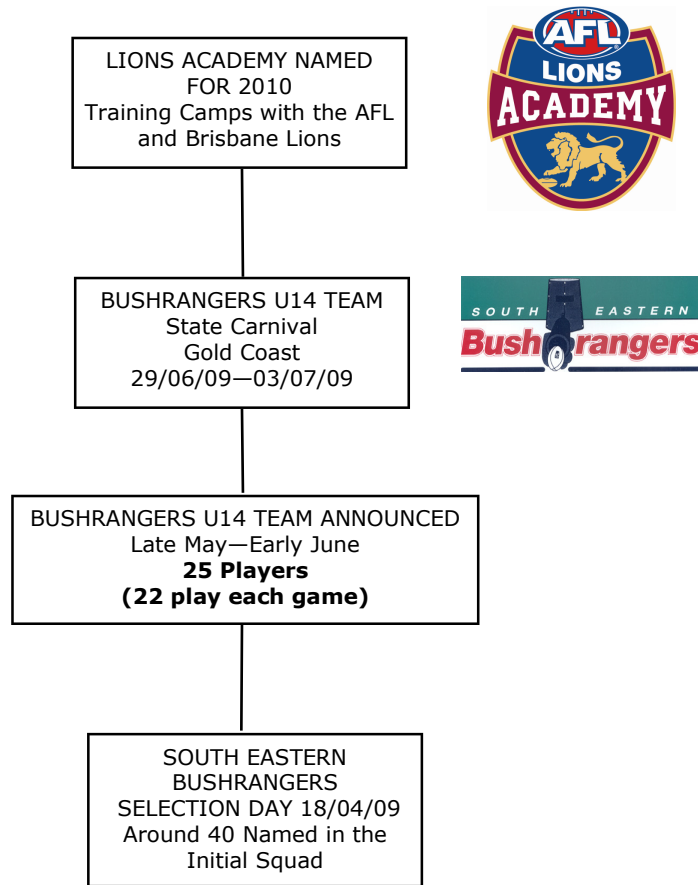


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# South Eastern Bushrangers Under 14 Squad Selection Day

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**Mt Gravatt AFC  
Saturday 18 April, 2009**

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On behalf of AFL Queensland and the South Eastern Bushrangers, I would like to take this opportunity to welcome all players, coaches, parents and supporters to the annual Under 14 Squad Selection Day.

The rationale for today's activities are as follows:

- To give invited players a taste of what being involved in the Talented Player Pathway is about.
- To introduce each player to a series of skill and fitness testing procedures that will be used each year until they leave the Talented Player Pathway at 18 years of age.
- Provide an opportunity for the South Eastern Bushrangers Under 14 Squad selectors to view all invited players from the region in a series of games and activities and to formulate an initial list of players to invite to join a train on squad.

Today's activities will consist of skill activities and fitness tests, as set by the AFL Queensland Talented Player Program, and play AFL games against each other.

Whilst we will only select around 40 players from the day we would hope that every player that attends learns something about how to improve their football and takes it back to their club to help themselves and their team mates.

A great number of players at u14 level have missed selection in the Bushrangers team and gone on to represent at u16 or u18 level. We see today as giving players the opportunity to see where they are at with their football and building from there.

I hope that everyone involved finds today's activities both enjoyable and worthwhile. Good luck for today and the season ahead.

Bill Renner  
Development Manager  
South Eastern Bushrangers



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## Under 14 Bushrangers Selection Day

	Team 1 Bushies Green	Team 2 Bushies Yellow	Team 3 Future Stars Purple	Team 4 Future Stars Green
12.30pm	Registration			
12.45pm	Divided into teams, 20min warm up, 10 min hand skills, 10 min foot skills			
1.30pm	Prepare for Games			
1.50pm	Game	Game	Height/Weight/20m Sprint	Running Vertical Jump Test
2.40pm	Running Vertical Jump Test	Height/Weight/20m Sprint	Game	Game
3.50pm	Height/Weight/20m Sprint	Game	Running Vertical Jump Test	Game
4.40pm	Game	Running Vertical Jump Test	Game	Height/Weight/20m Sprint
5.30 - 6.00pm	Day concludes			

### STAFFING FOR 2008

Coach: Jarrod Pleass  
 Assistant Coach: Marc Seen  
 Runners: Josh Pini & Ryan Pyke

Team Manager: Julie Perovic  
 Assistant Coach: Grant Pyke  
 Sports Trainer: Sarah Hopkins

### EVENTS ON THE DAY

The Selection Day sees invitees participate some fitness testing as well as some skill activities. Each player will play in 2 shortened practice games to see them perform under match conditions.

### CANTEEN

The Mt Gravatt AFC will have the canteen open all day.

### FIRST AID

AFL Queensland will supply a Sports Trainer for the day. If you require strapping it is advised to have this done prior to arriving as it will be a very busy day with 80 players in attendance.

### ATTIRE

Players are asked to wear white football shorts and their club socks or white sports socks.

All players will receive on loan, a football jumper to wear for the day.

### NAMING THE SQUAD

A squad of around 40 will be named on the Bushies website [www.bushies.org](http://www.bushies.org) on Sunday 19 April (after 3.00pm). We do not select a set number of players, if we believe a player has something to offer the program he will be selected. If a player is not selected from the day he may still be added to the squad from performances for his club during the season.

Selected players are required to attend the first training session on Monday 20 April, 5.30pm, Coorparoo J AFC, Birubi Street, Coorparoo.

Whilst the players are training a Parent Orientation session will be held at 6.15pm. At least one parent from each family is required to attend this session.

During April and May training will be Monday nights, during June training will be Monday and Wednesday nights. Training will be 5.30—7.30pm at Coorparoo J AFC.