

Old Scotch Football Club

CRACKERS CHRONICLES – FAMOUS PLAYING NUMBER 2

Welcome back to this week’s edition of **“Crackers Chronicles”**.

Each week in this column we will trace some of the history of the *Old Scotch Football Club* by recounting the contributions made by some of our senior players.

The *Old Scotch Collegians Football Club* was founded in 1921, but the earliest record we have of our players wearing playing numbers on the backs of their jumpers is in the *Amateur Footballer* of 1927.

This week we focus on those players who have worn the club number “2” jumper ...

1927	Harold “Snowy” Francis	State player 1925 & 1926
1928 – 1929	Allan “Bun” Staley	State player & State Captain 1925, 1926 & 1927
1930 – 1931	Gordon “Snowy” Law	State player 1927 & 1928, Premiership player 1931
1932 – 1934	Alex Sloan	State player 1931, Premiership player 1932, 1933 & 1934
1935 – 1938	Harry Vickers	
1939	Harry Lawson	
1940	H E R MacDonald	
1946 – 1953	Tom Taylor	Played in our first game after the War
1954 – 1955	Struan Gilfillan	
1956 – 1957	Basil Benjamin	
1958 – 1962	Graham Osborne	
1963 – 1967	Clive Jones	Premiership player 1965
1968	John Birch	
1969 – 1973	Euan Campbell	Reserves Premiership player 1973
1974 – 1985	John Morgan	Premiership player 1977 & 1978, 200 games 1984
1986	Rob Fuller	Returned to club from Richmond and wore his old U19 jumper for one year before moving to number “46”
1987 – 1995	Steve Reddish	Reserves Premiership player 1993
1996 – 1997	Justin Hosking	<i>Club Best & Fairest</i> 1996, State player 1995 & 1996
1998 – 2005	Bruce Phillips	
2006 – 2008	Tim Aurel-Smith	
2009 – 2016	Ash Lim	<i>Under 19 Best & Fairest</i> 2009
2017 – 2019	Tom Kerr	State player 2019
2020	Not assigned	Season cancelled

Next week we will look at the number “3” jumper ...

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