

Old Scotch Football Club

CRACKERS CHRONICLES – FAMOUS PLAYING NUMBER 18

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 "**18**" jumper ...

1927	A Law	
1927 – 1930	Arthur Moore	Premiership player 1927
1931	J Blundell	
1932 – 1935	Alex Robinson	Premiership player 1932, 1933 & 1934
1936 – 1938	Max Lamb	
1939	William "Billy" Dick	
1940	Not assigned	
1946 – 1948	Michael Smith	
1949 – 1951	William "Bill" Head	
1952	Darryl Waddell	
1953	Richard "Dick" Hawdon	
1954	Not assigned	
1955 – 1956	Geoff Sinclair	
1957 – 1960	David Kidd	
1961 – 1963	Graeme Heath	Reserves premiership player 1961
1964	John "Alfie" Christensen	
1965	Brian Bult	
1966	Graeme Heath	
1966 – 1968	William "Bill" Motteram	Reserves premiership player 1967
1969 – 1972	Athol Smith	
1972 – 1973	Ian Duffy	
1974	Tom Stokes	
1975	Not assigned	
1976	David Ryan	
1977 – 1978	Peter Wade	
1978	Peter Sherwen	
1979 – 1980	Rod Akam	
1980 – 1982	Peter Sherwen	
1983	Not assigned	
1984 – 1985	Andrew Macmillan	
1986 – 1987	Richard Elvins	
1988	Simon Illingworth	Reserves Best & Fairest 1988
1989 – 1991	Robert Macmillan	
1991	Darren Bingley	
1992	Not assigned	
1993	Andrew Sleeman	

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1994 – 1995	Sam Gross	
1996 – 1997	Adam Nettleton	
1998	Steve Collins	
1999 – 2000	Hugh Thomas	
2001 – 2004	Luke Hawkins	
2005	Not assigned	
2006 – 2010	Will Lewis	Club Best & Fairest 2007
2011 – 2016	Caillin O’Shannessy	
2017 – 2018	Harry Larwill	
2019	Andrew Padbury	Reserves premiership player
2020	Not assigned	Season cancelled
2021	Will Griffin	

Next week we will look at the number “19” jumper ...

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