



**Soccer talent Kim McCartney has secured a spot in the State team for the second time.**

# Demons break hoodoo

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WAROONA Demons no longer fear Falcon Oval as a "hoodoo" ground after an emphatic 16.13 (109) to 2.6 (18) win over South Mandurah Falcons last Sunday.

Last year's grand finalists and formerly a powerhouse of the competition, Souths have fallen away since the start of the year with injuries and a lack of depth.

Waroona had too much run and stun and their defensive back six were simply outstanding.

Waroona was wasteful early and put under pressure by South Mandurah until Mitch Dawson goaled which was quickly followed by another from captain Adam Clancy for the Demons.

Falcons captain Rod Tregenza made his presence felt on the ball and the home team steadied the ship with a goal.

The Falcon forwards were starved of opportunities by Ryan McKinley who marked everything in sight at fullback well supported by back pockets Rhys Bloxsidge and Craig Callaghan.

Matt Thomas took a screamer in the goal square and his unselfish handball to Coxon allowed Waroona to work their way to a 15-point lead at the first break.

Waroona broke the game open in the second and third quarters with five goals in each while restricting South Mandurah to a solitary goal which was created by defenders Malcolm Yarran and Sol Dawe with full forward Reece Scarlett the beneficiary.

Rover Joel Catalano came into the game with his dash and new player Jimmy Newland contributed with a great running goal.

Matt Thomas remained danger-

ous with another couple of goals and other good players were Ben Mathews Herald as a running marking forward and ruckman Andrew LeRoy was showing plenty of vigour after returning from a pre season injury with a broken hand.

With a dominant centreline of Dean Taylor, Ben Wright and veteran Jason Hysen on a wing Waroona were continuously in attack.

A 50-metre penalty allowed Matt Atcheson to goal and the Demons were well on the way to record their biggest victory over South Mandurah in more than a decade.

Best: Waroona - R. McKinley, B. Mathews-Herald, A. Leroy, D. Taylor, B. Wright, J. Catalano, J. Hysen, R. Bloxsidge, M. Dawson. South Mandurah - M. Yarran, S. Dawe, D. Westcott, R. Tregenza, R. Quartermain, J. Sumpton.