

Famous East Rand team of yesterday: Greens Football Club of 1951

AS usual, LENASIA TIMES has again dug into the Gems Archives for another look at the famous East Rand team of yesterday — the Greens Football Club of 1951.

The success of this team, which annexed the coveted K Naransamy Memorial Trophy of the East Rand Indian Football Association, resulted in many calls to LENASIA TIMES asking for a look at the officials and councillors of Greens.

In a previous issue we gave you the team that won that honour.

Next month we hope to dig into Gopal Naransamy's Gems Archives for a photograph of a team from the Pretoria and Districts Indian Football Association, followed by the imitable Vredons Football Club of Fietas fame.



PICTURE above shows: Back Row: S Govender (Happy Hearts), E Hoozen (Hon. Secretary), A Singh (Royal Hearts), D Hoozen (Arsenal), M R Padayachae (Old Boys). Middle Row: W Nedas (United), A Chudeyan (Vice-President), I N Gowrie (Royal Hearts), R Chumlat (Arsenal), R Singh (Royal Hearts), K Chudeyan (United), T N Gowrie (Old Boys), S N Gowrie (Vice-President). Front Row: G N Govender (Vice-President), S Collekoppen (Treasurer), C M Moodley (H.L.V.P.), H W Naidoo (President), S Singh (Vice-President), K M Naicker (Manager), C S Govender (Vice-President).

Picture on the right shows GERMISTON GREENS F.C. 1956. Back Row: C S Govender (Manager), M Moodley, B Singh, A Moodley, S Govender, N Govender, N Moodley. Front Row: R Moodley, Kattie Govender, V Singh and T Govender. (Green Blazers / Green & White Ties) Acknowledgement Ratha Govender.



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