



Bendigo FNL Seniors Football Records

Year	Best & Fairest	Goal Kicking	Premiers	Runners Up	Nalder Medal (Est 1983)	Notes
1882			No Competition Matches			
1883			Eaglehawk			
1884			Sandhurst			
1885			Sandhurst			
1886			Eaglehawk			
1887			Eaglehawk			
1888			Bendigo			
1889			Eaglehawk			
1890			Sandhurst			
1891			Sandhurst			
1892			Bendigo			
1893			Sandhurst			
1894			Eaglehawk			
1895			Eaglehawk			
1896			Eaglehawk			
1897			Eaglehawk			
1898			Eaglehawk			
1899			South Bendigo			
1900			South Bendigo			



Bendigo FNL Seniors Football Records

Year	Best & Fairest	Goal Kicking	Premiers	Runners Up	Nalder Medal (Est 1983)	Notes
1901			Eaglehawk			
1902			South Bendigo			
1903			Eaglehawk			
1904			South Bendigo			
1905			South Bendigo			
1906			Long Gully (BNDFA)			
			Eaglehawk (BDFA)			
1907			Long Gully			
1908			Eaglehawk			
1909			South Bendigo			
1910			South Bendigo			
1911			South Bendigo			
1912			South Bendigo			
1913			Bendigo City			
1914			South Bendigo			
1915			Abandoned			
1916	World					
1917	War					
1918	One					



Bendigo FNL Seniors Football Records

Year	Best & Fairest	Goal Kicking	Premiers	Runners Up	Nalder Medal (Est 1983)	Notes
1919	Not Awarded		South Bendigo			
1920	Not Awarded		Sandhurst			
1921	Not Awarded		South Bendigo			
1922	Not Awarded		Eaglehawk			
1923	Not Awarded		Sandhurst			
1924	Not Awarded	R Scott (SB) 78	Eaglehawk	Rochester		
1925	Not Awarded	Charlie Nicholls (Cas) 58	South Bendigo	Castlemaine		
1926	Not Awarded	Percy Forbes (Sh) 70	Castlemaine	Sandhurst		
1927	Not Awarded	Ern Smedley (Cas) 79	Sandhurst	Castlemaine		
1928	Not Awarded	John Cook (SB) 84	Echuca	Castlemaine		
1929	Not Awarded	Frank Ford (Sh) 62	Sandhurst	South Bendigo		
1930	Bill Callaghan (Cas) Creswell Crisp (Sh) Bruce Jones (SB) Norm LeBrun (Sh) Len Major (Ro)	Frank Crapper (Eh) 95	Sandhurst	Eaglehawk		*Fred Wood Medal (B&F)
1931	Alf Firmer (Ro)	Roy Moore (Sh) 78	Sandhurst	South Bendigo		
1932	Stan Nicoll (Ma)	Frank Crapper (Eh) 129	Sandhurst	Eaglehawk		
1933	Jim Davidson (Cas)	Frank Crapper (Eh) 154	Sandhurst	Maryborough		



Bendigo FNL Seniors Football Records

Year	Best & Fairest	Goal Kicking	Premiers	Runners Up	Nalder Medal (Est 1983)	Notes
1934	Dave Fraser (Ro)	Roy Moore (Sh) 90	Sandhurst	Castlemaine		
1935	Ern Major (Ro)	Mancel Davies (Eh) 82	Eaglehawk	Sandhurst		
1936	Bill Spurling (Kyn)	Mancel Davies (Eh) 88	Kyneton	Sandhurst		
1937	George Mumford (GS)	Stan Sinclair (Ro) 82	Sandhurst	South Bendigo		
1938	Frank Halloran (Kyn)	Mancel Davies (Eh) 86	Golden Square	Eaglehawk		
1939	Elder Anderson (Kyn)		Golden Square	Maryborough		
1940	Not Awarded		Sandhurst	South Bendigo		
1941	Not Awarded		Eaglehawk	South Bendigo		
1942						
1943						
1944						
1945	Not Awarded		Golden Square	Eaglehawk		
1946	Bob Dawson (EI)		Eaglehawk	Golden Square		*Arthur Cook Medal (B&F)
1947	Herb Zegelin (Ro)	Vin Kelly (Ro) 49	Sandhurst	Golden Square		*T.R. Davies Medal (B&F)
	Doug Wilson (GS)					
1947	Ron McHardy (GS)					
	Bill White (Sh)					
1948	Heinz Tonn (GS)	Harry Morgan (Eh) 66	Sandhurst	Eaglehawk		
1949	Heinz Tonn (Cas)	Ken Connaughton (SB)	Sandhurst	South Bendigo		



Bendigo FNL Seniors Football Records

Year	Best & Fairest	Goal Kicking	Premiers	Runners Up	Nalder Medal (Est 1983)	Notes
1950	Herb Zegelin (Ro)	Frank Scholes (Sh) 63	South Bendigo	Echuca		
1951	Jim Wilson (GS)	Harry Morgan (Eh) 78	South Bendigo	Eaglehawk		*B.F.L. Medal (B&F)
1952	Kevin Curran (Sh)	Harry Morgan (Eh) 66	Castlemaine	Sandhurst		*Michelsen Medal (B&F)
1953	Noel Evans (Sh)	Harry Morgan (Eh) 107	Eaglehawk	Sandhurst		
1954	Eddie Jackson (Ech)	Keith Elliott (GS) 76	South Bendigo	Sandhurst		
1955	Jim Byrne (Sh)	Ern Parker (Ech) 86	South Bendigo	Sandhurst		
1956	Frank Fitzpatrick (Ro)	Ray McHugh (Sh) 71	South Bendigo	Eaglehawk		
1957	Frank Fitzpatrick (Ro)	John Waddington (SB) 72	Eaglehawk	Kyneton		
1958	Cliff Deacon (Kyn)	Ray Poulter (Cas) 81	Rochester	Castlemaine		
1959	Clive Philp (Kyn)	Ron Ford (Sh) 62	Rochester	Kyneton		
1960	Kevin Parks (Kyn)	Clive Philp (Kyn) 75	Kyneton	Rochester		
1961	Frank Maxwell (Ro)	Merv Hicks (Eh) 64	Kyneton	Rochester		
1962	Ray Willet (Ro)	Ray Willet (Ro) 67	Rochester	Golden Square		
1963	Bob Vagg (Ech)	Ray Willet (Ro) 53	Rochester	Kyneton		
1964	Ian Burt (Kyn)	Terry Nolen (Sh) 87	Golden Square	Rochester		
1965	Kevin Delmenico (Ca)	Kevin Shearn (GS) 76	Golden Square	Rochester		
	William Serong (Ech)					
1966	Derek Cowen (Ca)	Les Kaine (Kyn) 84	Kyneton	Golden Square		
1967	Derek Cowen (Ca)	Brian Jones (Ro) 68	Echuca	South Bendigo		



Bendigo FNL Seniors Football Records

Year	Best & Fairest	Goal Kicking	Premiers	Runners Up	Nalder Medal (Est 1983)	Notes
1968	Colin Rice (SB)	Bob Morton (SB) 108	Eaglehawk	South Bendigo		
1969	Brian Walsh (Sh)	Ron Best (GS) 137	South Bendigo	Eaglehawk		
1970	Kevin Shinnars (Ro)	Ron Best (GS) 107	Echuca	Sandhurst		
1971	Greg Kennedy (Eh)	Greg Kennedy (Eh) 139	Eaglehawk	Golden Square		
1972	Tony Southcombe (GS)	Keith Raynor (Eh) 69 Peter Hutcheson (SB) 69	Golden Square	South Bendigo		
1973	Bernie McCarthy (SB)	Ron Best (Sh) 108	Sandhurst	Golden Square		
1974	Allan Williams (Eh)	Ron Best (Sh) 135	South Bendigo	Sandhurst		
1975	Tony Southcombe (GS)	Ron Best (Sh) 145	Golden Square	Sandhurst		
1976	Bruce Reid (Sh)	Ron Best (Sh) 108	Golden Square	Kyneton		
1977	Graham Clark (Kyn)	Peter Woodford (Cas) 76	Sandhurst	Golden Square		
1978	Des English (Eh)	Ron Best (GS) 124	Sandhurst	Golden Square		
1979	Gary Cowling (SB)* Eric Pascoe (GS) Peter Tyack (SH)	Ron Best (GS) 137	Golden Square	Sandhurst		*Awarded in 2020 by Board
1980	John Watts (Kyn)	Ron Best (GS) 145	Eaglehawk	Golden Square		
1981	Mick Lenaghan (Sh)	Wayne Crosbie (Cas) 112	Sandhurst	Castlemaine		
1982	Greg Williams (GS)	Daryl Gilmore (Eh) 113	Eaglehawk	Golden Square		
1983	Greg Williams (GS)	Ron Best (NU) 124	Sandhurst	Golden Square	Bill Nalder (Sh)	



Bendigo FNL Seniors Football Records

Year	Best & Fairest	Goal Kicking	Premiers	Runners Up	Nalder Medal (Est 1983)	Notes
1984	Gary Mountjoy (GS) Marty Graham (SB)	Daryl Gilmore (Eh) 120	Northern United	Eaglehawk	Ron Best (NU)	
1985	Shane Muir (Kyn)	David Collins (Sh) 84	Northern United	Sandhurst	Garry Mountjoy (NU)	
1986	Colin Dowsett (GS)	Gavin Exell (NU) 87	Northern United	Eaglehawk	Tony Barnes (NU)	
1987	Brendan Hartney (Sh)	John Jefferies (Cas) 73	Northern United	Eaglehawk	Eddie Shiels (NU)	
1988	Rod Southon (Ken)	Danny Ellis (Sh) 78	Golden Square	Northern United	Dean Strauch (GS)	
1989	Brendan Hartney (Sh)	Leigh Williams (GS) 102	Golden Square	South Bendigo	Wayne Campbell (GS)	
1990	Damien Saunders (KF)	Shawn McCormick (NU) 79	South Bendigo	Golden Square	Dean Strauch (GS)	
1991	Derrick Filo (Cas)	Daryl Gilmore (Eh) 82	South Bendigo	Castlemaine	David Griffen (SB)	
1992	Simon McLean (Sh)	Steven Oliver (Cas) 136	Castlemaine	Golden Square	Simon Jorgenson (Cas)	
1993	Ron Wicks (KF)	Andrew McClellan (NB) 112	South Bendigo	Sandhurst	Francis Burke (SB)	
1994	Derek Percival (GS)	Shane McCluskey (Ma) 100	South Bendigo	Golden Square	Robin Keck (SB)	
1995	Frank Coghlan (Sh)	David Lancaster (KF) 105	Kyneton	South Bendigo	Shane Muir (Kyn)	
1996	Jamie Bond (Ma)	Steven Oliver (Cas) 84	Kangaroo Flat	Kyneton	Simon Jorgenson (KF)	
1997	Chris Giri (KF) Robin Keck (SB)	David Lancaster (KF) 76	Kyneton	Golden Square	David Nolte (Kyn)	
1998	Paul Frew (GS)	Steven Reaper (Kyn) 107	Maryborough	Sandhurst	Brendon Tranter (Ma)	
1999	Luke Adams (Cas)	Steven Reaper (Kyn) 100	Maryborough	Castlemaine	Brendon Tranter (Ma)	
2000	Reece Langan (Eh)	Steven Oliver (Cas) 132	Castlemaine	Kangaroo Flat	David Cox (Ca)	



Bendigo FNL Seniors Football Records

Year	Best & Fairest	Goal Kicking	Premiers	Runners Up	Nalder Medal (Est 1983)	Notes
2001	Paul Eyles (Cas) Lucas Matthews (Eh)	Phil Hetherington (SB) 72	Golden Square	Sandhurst		
2002	Matt Aston (Ma)	Steven Reaper (Gis) 70	Gisborne	Golden Square	Mark O'Sullivan (Gis)	
2003	Matt Fitzgerald (Gis)	Steven Reaper (Gis) 86	Gisborne	Eaglehawk	Matt Fitzgerald (Gis)	
2004	Simon Elsum (Gis)	Steven Reaper (Gis) 75	Sandhurst	Gisborne	Leigh Gathercole (Sh)	
2005	Luke Saunders (Gis)	Steven Oliver (Cas) 77	Gisborne	Eaglehawk	Ty Elliott (Gis)	
2006	Kain Robins (Eh)	Matt O'Toole (GS) 82	Gisborne	Golden Square	Ryan Webster (GS)	
2007	Matt Fitzgerald (Gis)	Damien Brown (Eh) 59	Eaglehawk	Gisborne	Rhys Healey (Eh)	
2008	Shannon Milward (Eh)	Jordan Barham (Gis) 75	Eaglehawk	Golden Square	Damien Lock (Eh)	
2009	Lee Coghlan (Sh)	Justin Maddern (KF) 81	Golden Square	South Bendigo	David McMeekin (GS)	
2010	Josh Bowe (Eh)	Grant Weeks (GS) 145	Golden Square	South Bendigo	Jack Geary (GS)	
2011	Wayne Schultz (CM)	Grant Weeks (GS) 125	Golden Square	Eaglehawk	Mark Lloyd (GS)	
2012	Scott Walsh (Gis)	Grant Weeks (GS) 148	Golden Square	Gisborne	Simon Rosa (GS)	
2013	Tim Martin (Sh)	Justin Maddern (SB) 67	Golden Square	Strathfieldsaye	Jack Geary (GS)	
2014	Tim Martin (Sh)	Stephen Milne (Str) 89	Strathfieldsaye	Sandhurst	Shaun Everington (Str)	
2015	Brodie Filo (Eh)	Matt Gretgrix (Eh) 82	Strathfieldsaye	Sandhurst	Matt Smith (Str)	
2016	Kristan Height (Sh)	Matt Gretrix (Eh) 90	Sandhurst	Golden Square	Kristan Height (Sh)	
2017	Lachlan Sharp (Str)	Lachlan Sharp (Str) 142	Strathfieldsaye	Eaglehawk	Kallen Geary (Str)	
2018	Jack Geary (GS)	Kaiden Anotowicz (SB) 76	Eaglehawk	Strathfieldsaye	Jonty Neaves (Eh)	



Bendigo FNL Seniors Football Records

Year	Best & Fairest	Goal Kicking	Premiers	Runners Up	Nalder Medal (Est 1983)	Notes
2019	Adam Baird (GS)	Lachlan Sharp (Str) 129	Strathfieldsaye	Eaglehawk	Bryce Curnow (Str)	
2020	*Season abandoned due to COVID-19 pandemic					
2021	*Season abandoned after 12 games due to COVID-19 pandemic					
2022	Jake Moorhead (Str)	Joel Brett (GS) 92	Gisborne	Strathfieldsaye	Braidon Blake (Gis)	
2023	Noah Wheeler (Eh)	Lachlan Sharp (Str) 93	Golden Square	Sandhurst	Jack Geary (GS)	