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Mayne Tigers Monthly Meeting

Our regular monthly meeting is held on the second Wednesday of the Month. All Members are welcome to attend.

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Tigers strong winners over Pumas at the Den



Beau Harris looks to the goals for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.

The Tigers faced the Springwood Pumas for the third time in the Hart Sport QFA Division 1 competition this year at the Den yesterday in another much anticipated game which would determine placings at the top of the ladder as we near the end of the home and away fixtures.

After two games at Lowe Oval where the Tigers and Pumas shared the spoils, this was a clear decider despite both sides not being entirely at full strength.

While the Pumas drew first blood with a goal from small forward Ryan Colclough after a lengthy period where both sides went end to end, it was the Tigers who took

advantage of the cool and very blustery south easterly conditions. The Tigers had first use of the prevailing wind and could have really taken the game away however the conditions were hard to judge and their best goal kickers missed a couple of normally routine set shots.

It was the Tigers reliable goal kickers in Ryan Doolan and Zac McLean who opened their accounts for the day to give the Tigers the start they needed. While Doolan was on the end of some terrific delivery kicking two for the term, it was McLean who ignited the crowd with a kick from the scoreboard pocket judging the wind to perfection in red time giving the Tigers a two goal margin.

It was a good start for the Tigers but they would need to defend their lead strongly with the Pumas able to take their turn with the strong wind advantage and it looked like that was exactly what they were going to do. The reliable big left boot of Brandon Stewart came into play with two long goals on the run to get them up and about and back in the game.

The Tigers have been reliable all season with their ability to arrest momentum and they set about getting the game back on their terms with the midfield taking control again on the back of Jamie Ivers excellent work in the ruck and in the air around the ground. Beau Harris and Eddie Mallan were at their bullocking best around Ivers feet while veteran Jack Collings was effective as usual as was the

Next Fixtures

Team	Opposition	Where	When	Time
Womens	Moorooka	Home	Sat 13th July 2024	4.45pm
Thirds	UQ Red Lions	UQ	Fri 12th July 2024	7.30pm
Reserves	UQ Red Lions	UQ	Sat 13th July 2024	12.00pm
Seniors	UQ Red Lions	UQ	Sat 13th July 2024	2.00pm

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Jamie Ivers flies high to take a strong mark for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas at the Den yesterday.

other Tiger warhorse Sam Paterson.

The Tigers closed out the second term with the forward line feasting on the effective entries again with Zac Quin kicking three on the trot to close out the term and increase their margin to four goals. The Tigers could have increased their lead more but for the swirling conditions that they were kicking into throughout the quarter accumulating another five minor scores.

The Tigers backline has been very effective all season as they continue to grow in confidence with James Stolz proving to be a strong leader while Kyle Henry is taking scalps every week with his pace, strength and aerial work a feature. Once again the quiet achievers down back in Mitch Bruce and Digby Morison blanketed their opponents to



Kyle Henry takes one of many strong marks in defence for the Tigers yesterday against the Springwood Panthers at the Den.

keep the Pumas scoring to a minimum.

The Tigers continued on in the same fashion in the second half to take the honours for the game with a six goal margin in a very good result. Zac Quin returned to the team after a few weeks layoff to finish with five goals getting on the end of some



James Stolz runs the ball out of defence for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas at the Den yesterday.

very good work down field as the Tigers returned to the winners list after their loss to Coorparoo last week.

Both sides struggled with the wind kicking their fair share of points but ultimately it was once again a very entertaining game between these two teams who know each others players and games very well.

In the biggest upset of the round Caloundra overcame Coorparoo which meant the Tigers returned to top spot on the ladder by the slimmest of percentage points keeping the competition on the boil as we head into the finals.

The Tigers play danger side UQ Red Lions next week at University and will be keen to keep their wining form on track in what shapes as another exciting contest.

Scores: Mayne 11.15.81 d Springwood 6.10.46
Goals: Z Quin 5, R Doolan 2, J Collings, Z McLean, S Paterson, Z Puncken 1.
Best: B Harris, J Ivers, K Henry, J Stolz, Z Quin, Z McLean.



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Reserves pay for slow start against Pumas



Gus Shaw gets plenty of air in the ruck for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas in the Reserves game at the Den yesterday.

The Reserves have been up and down this season with the playing list changing quite dramatically week to week but once again they fielded a strong



Tim Lyons gets a cente clearance for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den in the Reserves game.



The Mayne Tigers thanks the Ditchburn Family for their Sponsorship of Jack Coghlan and Xavier Craven in 2024

Jack Coghlan is a 2016 Senior Premiership Player having also played at NEAFL level and is a very important player for the Tigers tilt at the 2024 Premiership race. He is fast winger who has silky skills providing accurate delivery to his team mates up forward.

Xavier Craven is 2021 and 2023 Reserve Grade Premiership Player who is a regular senior player as well. He was the winner of the Best on Ground in the 2021 Premiership team and is an important player for the Tigers once again in 2024.




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Key Dates

20/7/2024 Tiger Ball
 3/8/2024 Div 1 last Home and Away Game
 31/8/2024 QFA Div Grand Final

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Noah Breen spoils effectively for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.

team to take on the Springwood Pumas for the third time this season.

The Pumas have been one of the big improvers of the competition with their list looking younger and younger and more dynamic so it was a much bigger challenge for the Tigers than they had faced from them for quite a while.

The Tigers had the benefit of the strong south easter to start the game but were far from switched on as they struggled to take advantage of the considerable possession they enjoyed. They found themselves lost in the dead pocket and could not get to the right positions despite getting plenty of opportunities. At the other end the Pumas took full advantage of their limited chances to score effectively kicking two goals while holding the Tigers goalless for the term.

The Tigers midfield were working overtime to



Jono Skippen gets the Tigers out of trouble against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.

create chances with Gus Shaw strong in the ruck and around the ground while Tim Lyons was effective in the middle and after pushing forward. Lyons took a strong overhead mark in the goal square in the early part of the second term finishing it off with a goal to finally get the Tigers rolling and the game was an arm wrestle from that point.

Pat Glass was doing a mountain of work for the Tigers across the half forward particularly from quarter time as he created plenty of scoring opportunities with strong leading and marking while

Ben Wilkinson was dangerous whenever he had ball in hand.

Jon Skippen was very good down back as usual repelling the Pumas attack as were the usual firm of Stew Settle and Andy Tydink.

Ossy Brennan and Noah Breen were very busy in the middle as they tried to will the Tigers over the line but in the end it wasn't enough.

The Tigers took a one point advantage into the final term on the back of a lot of hard work but after a final quarter of nip and tuck and few scores the Pumas won by three points with the game alight for the final few minutes. The Pumas win over the Tigers was the first in five seasons so they celebrated grandly on the occasion.

The Tigers will need to beat a dangerous UQ next week to keep their status near the top of the table in another big game.

Scores: Springwood 5.8.38 d Mayne 5.5.35
 Goals: B Wilkinson, O Brennan, T Lyons, P Glass, D Evans 1.

Best: Gus Shaw, Tim Lyons, Pat Glass, Noah Breen, Jono Skippen, Ossy Brennan.

Thirds punished by Falcons for poor discipline

The Thirds travelled to Ferny Grove for their return match in what was hoped to be a chance for redemption after the close loss on Reunion Day however things didn't go to plan with the Falcons taking full advantage of some questionable umpiring.

It was a very miserable night at the top of the mountain with the scoring reflecting the challenging conditions as both sides struggled to kick truly.

Unfortunately the Tigers were rattled by the events as they responded with some uncustomary actions which led to more action from the umpires.

While the game was very winnable for the Tigers, the Falcons seemed to have sufficient answers to kick away to a solid win on their home turf.

Scores: Ferny Grove 5.13.43 d Mayne 1.5.11

Goals: Tristan Lynch 1

Best: N/A

QFAW Mayne Tigers hold on for third win

The Tigers burst out of the blocks last night with a blistering start to kick two early goals thanks to Mel Smith and Dakodah Cott and looked for all money to be off and away for a big night.

However the Redcliffe Tigers had other ideas and weren't going to let the game get away from them that easily.

The Tigers held on to their two goal lead at the first break and with almost no scores for the second term the game was very much a battle in the middle of the ground with Molly Nelson hitting the contest with all her might driving the Tigers forward with her booming kick while Erin Eldon was as usual cool under pressure taking plenty of critical marks.

The third term has been the Tigers nemesis this year despite significant improvement and it proved to be once again as the Redcliffe Tigers fought

Mayne Past Players and Supporters Group

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The Tigers winning team last night at the Den over the Redcliffe Tigers.

back with two goals of their own to come within a point at the final break.

The contest was very willing with some big hits from both sides taking their toll at times. Grace Mahoney was felled in the third term by a solid hit but bravely returned to the field to go on to be one of the Tigers best fighting to hold out the opposition in their solid defence.

It was now a game of inches for the last term as the home Tigers fought grimly to hold their slender lead. Dakodah Cott was terrific in the air and in the ruck while Lizzie Delaney was nipping at the heels of every contest to get the Tigers going forward.

In a great team effort the Mayne Tigers held their composure and the lead to record another great win as they continue to build confidence and form.

Score: Mayne 2.3.15 d Redcliffe 2.1.13

Goals: Mel Smith, Dakodah Cott 1

Best: Erin Eldon, Molly Nelson, Rhi Meehan, Lizzie Delaney, Grace Mahoney, Dakodah Cott

Annual Pie Night

The Tigers annual pie night was held on Thursday night 4th July 2024 at the Den after training thanks to Club Patron Graham Walters and his wife Dawn generously donating the very delicious Big Dad's pies.

As always the players were very pleased to enjoy the generosity provided by Graham and Dawn and duly thanked them.

Club President Cam Shaw gave a presentation to the group highlighting Graham's long service to the club across so many facets over his more than fifty years.

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The Annual Pie Night is always a great night thank to Graham and Dawn Walters.

Graham is a Premiership Player, former President, a Life Member, Committee Member, current Club Patron and this year a Hall of Fame Member.

Ladies Day and Bar Bingo



The Tigers annual Ladies Day was a well attended big success yesterday with lots of fun and games held during the afternoon thanks to organisers Madz Morris and Lily Ovenden.

The ladies enjoyed Slushies and lots of nice food and participated in lots of fun activities building new bonds. The Best Dressed was won by Julie Shaw and Karen Schmidt in their Ski Apr theme.

The day finished with the boys joining in for the Bar Bingo event after all the footy. This was hosted by the Tigers Womens team.



Grace Mahoney— Our first 50 game female player!



What a day for Tiger history yesterday! We celebrated our first-ever 50th game in the women's team, and who better to hit this milestone than Grace Mahoney?

Grace has been a powerhouse for the Tigers since our women's team kicked off in 2021. Before that, she was tearing it up with the Everton Wolves.

Grace's passion, dedication, and infectious energy has kept the team motivated. She is always game-ready, regardless of the weather, injuries, or sickness.

She's a backline beast and stops at nothing to get that ball forward, which helped us get a win yesterday! A true asset to the women's team. Here's to you, Grace! Happy 50th game!

Tiger Ball Coming up



The Tiger Ball is nearly here and promises to be another big occasion for the club to get together to celebrate 100 years of Tiger action.

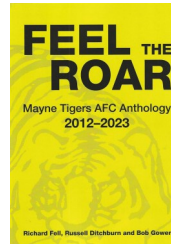
When: Saturday 20th July 2014
 Where: Cloudland, Ann Street, Fortitude Valley
 Time: 6pm
 Cost: \$100
 Dress: Cocktail
 Tickets: <https://www.stickytickets.com.au/DTHCW>.

This is a once in a lifetime event to be able to say you were at the Mayne Tigers Ball in their 100th year so book your ticket now.

Feel the Roar

The Tigers latest history book "Feel the Roar" by

Richard Fell, Russell Ditchburn and Bob Gower has just been released as a Centenary Year project.



This is a companion book to "From Glory to Heartbreak" which covered the years 1924 to 2011. This new book chronicles the Mayne Tigers in the modern era from 2012 - 2023. Containing a Summary of each season, featuring Milestones, Life Members,

Honour tables and **Team Photos of every team!** This book details the achievements of the club over the past decade including ten premierships and all the highlights of another golden era for the Mayne Tigers.

A book for all Tiger faithful however if you play or played for the Tigers in the last ten years, this book is a must have as a keepsake of memories for your family for now and forever!

Feel the Roar can be purchased on line at the Tiger Shop on the Mayne Tiger website for \$50 at [FEEL THE ROAR Mayne Tigers Anthology 2012-2023 | Mayne Tigers](https://www.mayneafc.com.au/feel-the-roar)

Volunteers in Action



Well done to Senior player Sandy Valentine helping out this weekend while injured.

Sandy helped out at the Breakfast Creek Hotel Raffles selling tickets on Friday night and followed it up yesterday running water for the Reserves and Seniors in a big weekend of volunteering.

It was another big day at the Den with a big crowd in attendance for the three games. Thanks to everyone that did a job yesterday to get the Tigers on the park and all the home game chores.

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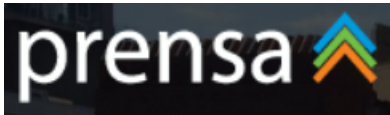
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