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Beau Harris racks up another possession for the Tigers against the Coorparoo Kings at the Den yesterday.

The Mayne and Coorparoo Football Clubs came together yesterday to continue their historic rivalry in the Annual Anzac Day Clash at the Den.

This has become one of the most important and celebrated games in both clubs calendar with the rivalry being reinvigorated in 2018 in a salute to the epic encounters of times past but not forgotten.

After a moving Anzac Day ceremony which included the Pipes and Drums National Servicemen's Memorial Band the game was underway in perfect conditions for football.

It was also a great day for the Tigers with much loved club

man Jordan Morrison running out for his 100th senior game for the club.

The Tigers burst out of the blocks with a three goal blitz with Zac Quin, Zac McLean and Jamie Ivers into the action straight away to shock the Kings who took half a quarter to find their feet and get on the board.

The Tigers finished with four goals for the quarter to hold a three goal advantage over the 2023 grand finalists in an impressive start.

It was a different story in the second term with the game opening up as both sides adopted an attacking strategy playing on at all costs. The ball was in constant motion as it went from end to end in frenetic fashion. It was also a goal for goal shootout with both sides hitting the scoreboard. While Zac Quin was once again in dynamic form as he went on to record seven goals, Kings spearhead Jack Gilhooley was able to kick five goals at the other end. Quin now has twenty five goals from four games in a great start to his season.

The Tigers held on to the two goal lead at the main break with the game well in the balance for an exciting second half to come.

The Tigers Beau Harris has been a revelation this year as one of the midfield prime movers. He has pace to burn and with his closing speed and effective tackling there is rarely

Next Fixtures					
Team	Opposition	Where	When	Time	
Womens	Jindalee	Jindalee	Sat 11th May 2024	4.45pm	
Thirds	Ferny Grove	Ferny Grove	Fri 10th May 2024	7.30pm	
Reserves	Springwood	Springwood	Sat, 4th May 2024	12.00pm	
Seniors	Springwood	Springwood	Sat, 4th May 2024	2.00pm	



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Zac McLean wins the ruck for the Tigers yesterday against the Coorparoo Kings at the Den in the Anzac Day clash.

an opposition player he can't surprise. Jack Coghlan was controlling one of the wings playing tall and small, leaping for marks, bobbing and weaving as he led the Tigers numerous raids into their forward fifty.

Club Captain Zac McLean was called upon to lead the Tigers rucking department yesterday in a role he willingly assumed adding another chapter in his already impressive story for the Tigers.

The third term saw the Tigers widen the gap again to three goals but the Kings firepower could not be ignored with the home team knowing they had to finish their game off effectively if they were going to win.

It was toe to toe but the Tigers were able to extend their lead early to leave the Kings having to kick



Zac Quin was at his elusive best at the Den yesterday against the Coorparoo Kings.

five goals to win which seemed unlikely at the 20 minute mark of the game.

The Kings were far from done as kicked three goals in quick succession to have everyone on the edge of the seats but the Tigers were able to hold on in a very climactic finish. Eight goals kicked for the quarter with the Kings kicking five left not just the players exhausted by the time the siren sounded.



Eddie Mallan looks to drive the Tigers forward against the Coorparoo Kings yesterday at the Den.

Beau Harris was awarded the Wayne Stewart Medal for Best on Ground. The Medal was selected jointly by each team's coaches and presented by Richard Mannix, a former team mate and lifelong friend of Wayne. Wayne's widow Maxine and son Ben were on hand to watch the game along with several of his friends.

The game was also attended by Legacy who were able to raise much needed funds for this important cause.

The Tigers will play Springwood at Springwood next week in another top of the table clash.

Scores: Mayne 12.9.81 d Coorparoo 11.8.74 Goals: Z Quin 7, J Ivers, Z McLean 2, Xavier Craven 1.

Best: B Harris, Z McLean, Z Quin, E Mallan, J Collings, J Coghlan.

#### Anzac Day draw for Reserves

The Reserves fought out an enthralling grand final replay with the Coorparoo Kings at the Den in the



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Marcus Dyson kicks the Tigers forward in the Reserves clash with the Coorparoo Kings at the Den yesterday.

early game with the Kings taking a one goal lead by quarter time in a seesawing term.

While both sides midfield had their fair share of the footy taking their respective sides forward, it was as it has often been, a game of effective defence. The Tigers Tim Lyons, Stew Settle and Andy Tydink were terrific in the back half while Sandy Valentine was impressive as well.



Zac Puncken gets clear of his Kings opponent to drive the Tigers forward at the Den yesterday.

The second term was more of the same with just a goal apiece and plenty of action in the middle of the ground with the Tigers led by Marcus Dyson, Zac Puncken and Josh Geurts.

The youngest Tiger in Alex Craigie has been a revelation this year as he grows in confidence every week. He kicked two goals from the wing with the second one off a very impressive mark in the goal square against a much bigger opponent.

The Tigers extended their lead to fifteen points at



Tim Lyons assesses the situation in the Tigers clash with the Coorparoo Kings yesterday at the Den.

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Key Dates	
5/5/2024	Cash Draw
24/5/2024	Reunion Weekend and
	100 Year Celebration
24/5/2024	Hall of Fame Night
25/5/2024	2014 Premiers Get together
26/5/2024	Mick Nolan Day
	10 Year Reunion 2014 Premiers
21/6/2024	Murdoch Campbell Golf Classic
20/7/2024	Black and Gold Ball
3/8/2024	Div 1 last Home and Away Game
31/8/2024	QFA Div Grand Final

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Noah Breen flies high for the Tigers in their clash with the Kings yesterday at the Den.

the final break and looked to be able to hang on to that advantage as the final minutes ticked down in the last term but as has been the case so often with the Kings they can never be counted out.

The Kings kicked a goal with two minutes on the clock to be just a kick away. The Tigers looked to have it in the bag with ten seconds to go and the ball almost out on the wing. Miraculously, the Kings kept the ball alive to kick long into the forward fifty and then run on to the ball to kick a goal.

An Anzac Day draw was the result in another incredible game between these two teams who have fought out so many of these games in the last six years including three grand finals.

The Tigers Ryan Barber continued his good form this season to be in the Tigers best while Danny Athanasellis has returned to the Tigers this year to be as dangerous as ever.

The Tigers take on Springwood at Springwood next week.

Scores: Mayne 5.10.40 drew Coorparoo 6.4.40 Goals: A Craigie 2, J Geurts, Z Puncken, M Gillespie 1. Best: M Dyson, Z Puncken, T Lyons, D Athanasellis, R Barber, J Geurts.

#### Thirds come up short after strong finish

The Thirds travelled to Hinterland on Friday night in a big road trip in the afternoon traffic. It was the third weekend that a Tiger team has travelled to the Palmwoods venue.

The Tigers continue to improve week to week with their large but relatively inexperienced playing group.

The Tigers started well to take an early lead at the first break and seemed to have the Blues measure.



Sam O'Neill gave the Tigers plenty of zip in the front half as he found the goals in another impressive game while Harrison Crockett and Sam Cox were also very good goal side.

The Blues came out firing in the second term to sneak slightly ahead at half time setting the game up for an exciting second half.

Jordan Cabot was once again very good for the Tigers driving them forward while Jimmy Merryfull was strong in defence.

The Tigers seemed to go to sleep in the third term to let the Blues take the biggest lead of the game and all seemed lost. However the Tigers regained their spark in the final term kicking four goals while holding the home team goalless. While they might have been able to pinch the game with the impressive way they were finishing, the clock ran out leaving the Tigers three points adrift at the final siren.

Bailey Smith also had a very good game for the Tigers.

Scores: Hinterland 7.12.54 d Mayne 8.3.51 Goals: S O'Neill 3, H Crockett 2, B Lewis, T Stevens, S Cox 1. Best: S O'Neill, J Cabot, J Merryfull, S Cox, H Crockett, B Smith.

#### Cats too strong for Tigers in the Womens

A welcome return to the Den for the women's team first home game of the season.

It was a big challenge this weekend against the strong, running Gympie Cats. Dakodah Cott embraced a new on-field role in a Best on Ground performance and continues to add to her tackle count.

New recruit, Amber Prout, settled in and contributed from her first touch of the day. Alisha Fagg ran hard and provided good options



Lizzie Delaney tries to break a tackle in the Tigers Anzac Day game against the Gympie Cats yesterday at the Den.

## Mayne Past Players and Supporters Group

Details of the Mayne Past Players and Supporters Club are published on the Mayne website at <u>http://mayne.aflq.com.au</u>.

If you would like to join the group and provide hands on experience please contact Dick Fell on 0402 052 337, email fellrichard@bigpond.com Graham McColm on 0400 897 898 or email mccolm11@tpg.com.au Rod Judd on 0438 560 179 or email rju12799@bigpond.net.au

#### throughout the game.

Our inspirational leadership trio: Molly Nelson, Erin Eldon and Amelia Weddell, again demonstrated their hard working, never give up attitudes with amazing energy and perseverance throughout the game.

A welcome cameo, but sad farewell to our inaugural Women's Captain, Paige Weddell. Paige



is heading south to family and new career opportunities. Paige has toiled hard for the Tiger women, on and off the field, since day one. You'll leave a big #21 hole in our hearts Paige. We all wish you well in your new adventures.

The Women's team have a bye next weekend, then hit the road again out to Jindalee.



Amelia Weddell and Jodie Rees make a strong contest for the Tigers against the Gympie Cats last night at the Den.

Scores: Gympie 3.5.23 d Mayne 1.1.7 Goals: M Smith 1. Best: Dakodah Cott, Alisha Fagg, erin eldon, Molly Nelson, Amber Prout, Melanie Smith

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Wayne Stewart Medal 2024



Mayne Tiger Beau Harris was awarded the Wayne Stewart Medal yesterday for his Best on Ground performance in the Annual Anzac Day Clash with Coorparoo. Beau was presented the Medal by Richard Mannix, a former team mate of the late Wayne Stewart. Richard gave a passionate account of his friend Wayne Stewart.

Stewart was a Champion of the Mayne and Coorparoo Football clubs as well as a State Player, AFLQ Hall of Fame Member and AFLQ Team of the Century.

The Medal commenced in 2018 with previous winners being;

2018 Clint Brunnenmeyer (Mayne) 2019 Brandon Stewart (Coorparoo) 2020 Not awarded due to Covid 2021 Mitch Enwright (Coorparoo) 2022 Dean Gavin (Coorparoo) 2023 James London (Coorparoo)

#### Cash Draw

The Annual Cash Draw is on next Sunday at the Grange Thistle Bowls Club commencing at 12pm.

#### \$2,000 Cash Draw

When: Sunday 5th May 2024

Where: Grange Thistle Bowls Club, 79 Sellheim Street, Grange Qld 4051

Time: Draw & Bare Foot Bowls start from 12 pm

#### Cash Draw Prizes

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Tickets can be purchased by clicking on the following link.

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#### Jordan Morrison—the ultimate clubman



It was a very special weekend in Tigerland with one of the nicest young men in football, Jordan Morrison, playing his 100<sup>th</sup> game yesterday in the Anzac Day Clash with traditional rivals Coorparoo at the Den.

Read his full story on the Tigers website at Jordan Morrison – the ultimate clubman (maynetigers.com.au)

#### Annual Murdoch Campbell Golf Classic



It's on again for 2024. The Annual Murdoch Campbell Golf Classic is in it's 10th year and promises to be bigger and better than ever as the club celebrates 100 years.

 Where:
 Virginia Golf Club

 When:
 Friday 21st June 2024

 Time:
 11am

 Cost:
 \$125.00 pp

 Tickets:
 10th Annual Murdoch Campbell Golf

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Don't miss this great opportunity to support the Mayne Tigers and have a great time while you do.

#### Anzac Day Commemoration at the Den

The Mayne Tigers hosted the annual Anzac Day Clash with the Coorparoo Kings.

It has been a great tradition now with the Tigers pleased to be able to conduct a respectful ceremony including the attendance of the Pipes



and Drums National Servicemen's Memorial Band in attendance.

#### Blasts from the Past

As we get closer to the Hall of Fame night we remember some greats of the club. This week we remember a great Mayne Tiger of the 1980's in Tony Beckett. (TB).

**Tony Beckett** – An Everton junior who went on to become a club great and the first Queenslander to play with the Brisbane Bears in 1987, despite having a dodgy knee.



A dual best and fairest he was a hard running, quick, brave, left footed wingman, and a real handful for opposition teams. TB was a regular Queensland state team player, playing 17 times, and was also a member of the 1982 premiership team. AFL Queensland Hall of Fame

member.

Was named on a wing in the Tiger Team of the Century. A genuine star!

#### Centenary Gear at the Tiger Shop

There is plenty of Centenary Year Merchandise available at the Mayne Tigers Online Shop at <u>Tiger</u> <u>Shop | Mayne Tigers</u>. This includes centenary polos, caps and beanies as well as stubby coolers and other apparel.

Other exciting apparel for this centenary year only is also available through club sponsor and supplier LRF Sport at <u>https://mayne-tigers-</u> 100years.myshopify.com/

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