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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 too strong for Red Lions



James Stolz takes a strong mark in defence for the Tigers against the UQ Red Lions.

A late change was required with the University of Queensland grounds sensationally ruled out due to an infestation of fire ants meaning that all games had to be rescheduled to the Den. It was a big weekend of football as a result with the Tigers hosting all the UQ Red Lions games across four of their grades.

The match of the day at the Den yesterday was the Division 1 Mens game between the Tigers and the Red Lions starting at an earlier than usual time of 1.00pm.

The Tigers were pumped to be playing their first game on the newly resurfaced Mott Street deck was is in peak

condition and they didn't take long to get on the scoreboard as they got off to a strong start.

While the Tigers had their kicking boots on, the Red Lions could not buy a goal as they succumbed to the defensive pressure applied by the home side to record five straight points for the term. The Tigers however kicked away with four goals led by Zac Quin who was taking off from where he finished last week. Quin went on to kick a five goal bag to equal his haul in Round 1 in a strong display. He also set up several goals for his team mates during the course of the afternoon.

The Red Lions had no answers in the second term as the Tigers went on their merry way kicking a further six goals. The visitors were unable to record a major to the main break as they continued to rush their opportunities. The Tigers defensive pressure was considerable with James Stolz leading the way and ably supported by a composed Jeremy Duck. The Tigers defense and chase in the midfield was a feature all day frustrating the Red Lions into making rushed forward entries while the back six held firm, mopped up and catapulted forward in an impressive effort.

Jamie Ivers was once again a tower of strength in the ruck and around the ground taking marks and setting his followers up with opportunities in a four quarter effort. He went on to kick two goals in an comprehensive all round effort.

### Next Fixtures

Team	Opposition	Where	When	Time
Womens	Moorooka	Moorooka	Sat 20th April 2024	2.00pm
Thirds	Glasshouse	Home	Fri 19th April 2024	7.30pm
Reserves	Caloundra	Home	Sat, 20th April 2024	12.00pm
Seniors	Caloundra	Home	Sat, 20th April 2024	2.00pm

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# GARDNER VAUGHAN GROUP

Gardner Vaughan Group is the MAJOR SPONSOR of the Mayne Tigers in 2023.

We thank Guy Gardner and all the team at Gardner Vaughan Group for their ongoing support and dedication to the Mayne Tigers Football Club.



Dan Saunders looks to evade his UQ opponent at the Den yesterday.

Wangaratta recruit Dan Saunders showed what he is capable of yesterday as he crashed the packs and opened up space for the Tigers to work their way forward while veteran hard man Jack Collings shows no signs of slowing up as he continues to make something out of nothing in the tightest of situations.

Captain Zac McLean showed the way with his clean hands, clear direction and effective disposal. He was a solid performer all day leading his Tigers from the front and finishing off with two important goals.

The Red Lions were working hard in the middle to keep themselves in the game but lacked the composure to finish off when required. They came out after the main break with renewed purpose and



Jack Collings gets his handball away in a tight spot for the Tigers against the UQ Red Lions at the Den yesterday.

were able to finally record a much needed major which they followed up almost immediately. The Tigers had lost two of their key players by half time and with the sweltering conditions they were going to have to work hard to finish the game off. While the Red Lions fought back to record four goals, the Tigers worked very hard to regroup and kick four of their own. Louis Quin was in everything using his strength to advantage while Ben Wilkinson worked hard up the ground and back again to set up numerous link plays and on occasions finish them off himself.



Zac McLean breaks a tackle for the Tigers in their clash with the UQ Red Lions yesterday at the Den.

Ryan Eyles is enjoying his move to the forward line as he accumulated three goals and set up several others with his usual courageous play while Casey Barber's defensive work in the forward line kept the chances coming.

The Tigers finished off the game despite the lack of rotations to win the last quarter and the game in a very good all round performance.

The Tigers will host the Caloundra Panthers next week at the Den in another challenging game against one of last year's finalists in another important must win game.

Scores: Mayne 17.10, 112 d UQ 5.15.45  
Goals: Z Quin 5, R Eyles 3, L Quin, Z McLean, J Ivers 2, C Barber, X Craven, B Wilkinson 1.  
Best: J Stolz, D Saunders, J Collings, Z McLean, J Ivers, B Wilkinson.



Jamie Ivers gets his kick away for the Tigers against the UQ Red Lions yesterday at the Den.

**Students grind down Reserves**

The Reserves game was scheduled for an early start commencing at 11.00am against the UQ Red Lions in sweltering conditions.

The Tigers got off to a sharp start with Max Gillespie marking and kicking a goal in the opening minutes and looked to have the measure of the Red Lions as they went to the first break with a two goal advantage.



Josh Geurts gets his kick away yesterday for the Reserves against the UQ Red Lions at the Den.

Josh Geurts had the Tigers up and going out of the middle while Gus Shaw was having a mighty duel with his taller and stronger ruck opponent.

The Tigers lost their way in the second term as the Red Lions running brigade kicked into action. The Red Lions Siddarth Rajesh seemed to be everywhere as he ran hard to consistently be in repeat contests.



Stew Settle looks to get the Tigers out of trouble in the Reserves clash with the UQ Red Lions yesterday at the Den.



**The Mayne Tigers thanks the Gardner Family for their Sponsorship of Zac Quin in 2024**

The Gardner Family have been associated with the Mayne Tigers for over 25 years. Guy and Sandra brought their sons Beau and Sam to play for the Tigers starting in Auskick and have been extensively involved ever since.

Guy has been a Committee Member of the Juniors and Seniors, the longest serving Treasurer of the Seniors, a Junior Coach, a Junior and Senior Team Manager as well as numerous other roles while Sandra has worked in the canteen for over ten years. Both boys played all the way through juniors with Sam playing seniors.

Guy and Sam are directors of Mayne Major Sponsor Gardner Vaughan Group.

Zac Quin is a former Mayne Junior who has been a revelation at senior level. He was awarded the Keith Beavis Trophy Best and Fairest Trophy in 2021 and was runner up in the QFA Division 1 League Medal in 2023.



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Key Dates	
27/4/2024	Anzac Day Game
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
3/8/2024	Div 1 last Home and Away Game
31/8/2024	QFA Div Grand Final

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Joe McVeigh flies high for the Reserves against the UQ Red Lions yesterday at the Den.

The Tigers defence was under constant pressure with Stew Settle doing his best to stem the tide and lead his troops out of trouble.

The Tigers big men in Joe McVeigh and Ned Altschwager were workin hard to keep the Tigers in the game with some impressive intercept marking all day.

The Tigers looked spent in the third quarter as the conditions and the opposition got the better of them. The Red Lions took a four goal lead into the final quarter after a strong third term and looked full of run.

While the Tigers fought back through two big marks and goals from Joe McVeigh to narrow the lead, it was too little too late to save the game.

The Tigers will need to regroup for next week against the Caloundra Panthers who were big improvers in 2023.



Ned Altschwager takes a strong mark for the Tigers against the UQ Red Lions.

Scores: UQ 9.11.65 d Mayne 5.3.33  
Goals: J McVeigh, M Gillespie 2, Ned Altschwager 1.  
Best: J Geurts, M Gillespie, S Settle, N Altschwager, J McVeigh, D Morison.

### Thirds no match for Red Lions



The Thirds kicked off their 2024 season against the UQ Red Lions at home after the University of Queensland ground was ruled out due to fire ants.

The Tigers are fielding another new look team with a host of new recruits for the season and it is going to take some time to get the new team members to gel. The Red Lions took full advantage in the first term to get away to a three goal lead at the first break while the Tigers struggled to get a forward fifty entry.

Reece Herrick rejoined the team this year and showed he has lost none of his skill. Herrick was a rock in defence and will be a critical player this year.

Big man Joseph Hermann worked hard all night to keep the Tigers in the hunt while Jordan Cabot was his usual busy self.

The Tigers enjoyed a much better second term to match it with the more settled UQ group as Tom Ditchburn was able to record their first goal which was followed up by James Merryfull.

The Tigers battled it out for the remainder of the game but weren't able to narrow the gap as the Red Lions recorded a well deserved win.

The Tigers will take on Glasshouse this Friday at the Den.

Scores: UQ 11.13.79 d Mayne 2.1.13  
Goals: T Ditchburn, J Merryfull 1.  
Best: J Hermann, D O'Brien, M Lane, J Cabot, R Herrick, C Fuller..

### Womens Opening game

The Tiger Women travelled to Hinterland for their much anticipated opening round against the Blues.



Erin Eldon looks to clear a contest with great protection from Dakodah Cott in the Tigers clash with Hinterland at Palmwoods.

## Mayne Past Players and Supporters Group

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

If you would like to join the group and provide hands on experience please contact

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They have a number of new recruits in 2024 so it will take a little while to settle into a routine so it was not unexpected that they might get off to slow start.

The Blues kicked away to a three goal lead by half time without the Tigers able to record a major.

They were however battling hard across the ground to keep in touch with the Blues.



Grace Mahoney looks to evade her Hinterland opponent at Palmwoods yesterday.

Erin Eldon wasted no time in getting her season off to a good start with some quality work around the stoppages. She also kicked the Tigers all important goal.

Rhianna Meehan was strong all day to be in the Tigers best while Dakodah Cott used her run and finish to advantage in another polished performance.

The Tigers battled their game out after a slow start to keep the Hinterland Blues to just four goals and



Keirran Hiscock flies high in the ruck for the Tigers against Hinterland at Palmwoods.

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will look to build on this week's performance when they take on Moorooka next week.

Scores: Hinterland 4.5.29 d Mayne 1.2.8  
Goals: E Eldon 1.  
Best: E Eldon, D Haywood, R Meehan, D Cott, E Baker, E Lehfeldt.

**Debutants for 2024**



Eddie Mallan debuted yesterday in a much anticipated game for the Mayne Tigers. Son of well known Mayne identity Frank, Eddie brings a host of experience and talent to the team in 2024.

A former Mayne Junior who has played over 100 games at Southport, Morningside and Aspley, he will be an important player for the Tigers in 2024.

**Annual Murdoch Campbell Golf Classic**

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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 Classic Hosted by the Mayne Tigers - Sticky Tickets](#)

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

**Thanks to our Volunteers**



The Gardner Canteen Crew were in action yesterday at the Den.

A big thank you to all the wonderful volunteers who sprang into action this weekend after the late change to the venue for the Seniors, Reserves and Thirds playing UQ.

It all started on Thursday with ground preparation by Graeme Wallace and then terrific support from Lindy Merryfull in the canteen. Guy and Sandra Gardner got all the food and drinks ready for the canteen while Meyrick White stocked the bar to be ready for a huge day yesterday. Thanks to Albert and Lyndle Thompson for their support in the canteen across a very busy Saturday.

A big thanks to our new Ground Marshalls Anthony Quin and Mel Wegener who did a great job yesterday to make all the visiting teams welcome.

And of course, great work from our timekeepers and match management crew in Marty and Dan Puncken and Julie Shaw.

The footy department did a great job being ready for home games.

**Centenary Gear at the Tiger Shop**

There is plenty of Centenary Year Merchandise available at the Mayne Tigers Online Shop at [Tiger Shop | Mayne Tigers](#). 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 <https://mayne-tigers-100years.myshopify.com/>



Options of Tees and jumpers available in Kids/ Youth/Mens and Ladies sizing  
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All orders will be pick up from the football club.

**Blasts from the Past**

This week we remember a Tiger great who achieved almost everything possible in footy.

**Brian Warlow** – Born in Rockhampton 'Puddy' arrived at the Den in 1949 playing as a junior.



Throughout his playing days, Brian remained loyal to the club, notching up an impressive five grand final appearances, resulting in three flags in 1961, 62 and 67. Most notably, he was a member of the youngest side to capture an A-grade flag, with an average age of just 21. In

addition to 179 games for the Tigers, Brian was also selected to represent Queensland an impressive 11 times as a classy clever small man. Following his retirement midway through the 1969 season, Warlow turned his attention to coaching, taking the reins at Western Districts and Springwood including a stint as senior coach for Mayne at the end of 1971 and for the 1972 season before returning 'home' permanently in 1982. He also coached juniors for a number of years and acted as chairman of selectors for the seniors. Brian was duly selected in Mayne's Team of the Century as first rover, is in the AFLQ Hall of Fame and is a Tiger Life Member.

**Sponsorship for 2024**

The Mayne Tigers 2024 Sponsorship programme is up and going with a very generous group already having purchased their player.

More Sponsorship opportunities with details of benefits are available at the following link on the club website.

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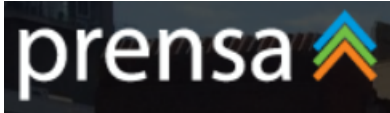
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