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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 are Minor Premiers for 2025



Zac McLean swoops on the footy in the Tigers forward line to create another goal against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.

The Tigers hosted the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den in their third clash for the year during the Home and Away QFA Division 1 Competition.

The Tigers had beaten the Pumas by more than one hundred points on each of the previous occasions, each with very different team selections. The Pumas defeated the UQ Red Lions last week with yet another team selection. The UQ Red Lions had overrun the Tigers two weeks ago to further complicate any consideration of the Pumas performances this season.

Remarkably the Pumas rested thirteen players from the team that beat the UQ Red Lions last week so yesterday's game was very much a dead rubber with little to be taken from the result. This notably included Jai Keneally, Nathan Murcott, Greg Friis, Rowan Page and Brandon Stewart.

Only fifteen of their best players have actually met the Tigers this season, and on different occasions, further making the finals series a very open competition.

The Pumas have finished second on the ladder and not without good reason as they have quietly played their way under the radar to get to the finals ready to go.

The Tigers also rested a few of their stars yesterday but were still very keen to go into the finals series with some momentum especially after the last few weeks where they had been well tested by Caloundra, UQ and the Hinterland Blues.

The Tigers started the game in dynamic fashion with Jamie Ivers and Tex Korewha in dominant form in the ruck with Louis Quin feasting on possession at ground level to have the Tigers racing away to a big first term total.

The Quin brothers usually have an invisible connection but it was very visible yesterday as Louis created numerous opportunities for big brother Zac to score and create havoc as he shared it around the forward line with impunity.

Next Fixtures				
Team	Opposition	Where	When	Time
Womens				
Thirds				
Reserves	Caloundra	TBA	Sat, 30th August 2025	12.00pm
Seniors	Springwood	Home	Sat, 30th August 2025	2.00pm

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Tex Korewha snaps truly for one of his eight goals yesterday against the Pumas at the Den.

Zac McLean was at his creative best kicking three for the first term while setting up others to capitalise on. McLean went on to kick six for day.

The Tigers kicked seven goals while the Pumas were unable to make it past their half forward line at any stage in the term. Tex Korewha was strong while in the middle but excelled when down front as he kicked his first goal in the first term on his way to an impressive eight for the day. He has really hit his straps in recent weeks with some impressive marking and accurate kicking.

The Tigers increased intensity in the second term kicking another eight while the Pumas managed to kick their first for the game as they struggled for any momentum. It was clear that the mix of reserve



Duncan McCabe heads for home against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.

grade players and the overall changes had left them with little cohesion to make an impact. They also lost Dylan Reid early in the game further impacting their ability to hit the scoreboard.

The Tigers midfielders in Duncan McCabe, Zac Puncken, Louis Quin and Casey Barber were dominant all day giving the Tigers plenty of their own momentum to have the game well and truly over by half time.

The Tigers backline was impenetrable with Aidan Williams, James Stolz and Kyle Henry in fine form.

The Tigers pulled back in the second half putting some of their best players on ice for the day while others were experimented in different positions to close out the game.



Louis Quin creates havoc for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas at the Den yesterday.

The Pumas were very well served by Harry King through the middle who got better as the day progressed.

The Tigers will play the Pumas again next week at the Den in the Qualifying Final.

Scores: Mayne 24.11.155 d Springwood 8.8.56 Goals: Tex Korewha 8, Zac McLean 6, Zac Quin 4, Nick Galvin 3, Alex Craigie 2, Danny Athanasellis 1. Best: Zac McLean, Tex Korewha, Zac Quin, Duncan McCabe, Hayden Fry, Aidan Williams.

Ressies



Josh Geurts battles it out in heavy traffic for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.

After securing their spot in the finals last week with a win over the Hinterland Blues the Tigers wanted to make sure they finished as high up the ladder as they could at the end of the home and away season.

They played the Springwood Pumas in the early game who have had the wood on them this year with their much improved depth while the Tigers have found it difficult to field a settled group this year.

The Pumas unusual tactics of resting so many players in their senior team gave the Tigers a very welcome opportunity to challenge them yesterday which the Tigers embraced at every chance.

The Tigers were off to a great start kicking three goals before the Pumas were able to get on the scoreboard in one of their best starts for the season.

Dom Bandara kicked a booming snap over his shoulder to get the Tigers going while Corey

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Zac Quin kicks for goal against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.



Aidan Williams flies high for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.



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Key Dates

30/8/2025 **Finals Commence** 13/9/2025 **Grand Final Day QFA Div 1**

20/9/2025 **Presentation Night**



Chas Van Leeuwin weaves his way through the thick of things for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.

Massingham kicked the first of his three. Chas Van Leeuwen kicked a huge set shot goal from the flank to get his game up and going. Chas was one of the best for the day with the Tigers always looking sharp when he is available.



Max Gillespie gets his kick away with the Springwood Pumas in hot pursuit at the Den yesterday.

The second term was a much tighter affair as the Pumas steadied with each team kicking one major for the period.

Josh Geurts, Sam Craigie and Charlie Sydes were working hard in the middle while a vintage Danny Evans was at his clever best creating opportunities for his outside players at the stoppages.

Max "Dizzy" Gillespie once again shouldered most of the work in the ruck to play an important part in the Tigers positive result.



Sam Craigie takes a strong mark for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.



Charlie Sydes kicks for goal for the Tigers against the Springwood Pumas yesterday at the Den.

The Tigers kicked away to a four goal lead at the last break and looked like they were going to finish strongly.

In an unusual end to the game, one of the Pumas players collapsed dramatically after a minor impact in the early part of the last term. He was unconscious and unable to be moved until an ambulance arrived to take him to hospital. The game was abandoned at this point but the Tigers were awarded the win under the rules as most of the match had been played.

The Tigers will play Caloundra in the first week of the finals with the venue to be announced tomorrow.

Scores: Mayne 6.3.39 d Springwood 3.5.23 Goals: Corey Massingham 4, Dom Bandara, Chas Van Leeuwin 1.

Best: Josh Geurts, Chas Van Leeuwin, Max Gillespie, Sandy Valentine, Sam Craigie, Charlie Sydes.

Thirds

The Thirds played the Aspley Hornets in the elimination final on Friday night at the Den in a replay of their game from two weeks ago which the

The game got off to an unusual start with it having to be transferred to oval 2 with the lights not working properly on oval 1.

It was a very tight start with the Tigers one point away from the Hornets at the first break with each side kicking three goals.

Cooper Westerhuis was terrific once again in the middle with his run and deep delivery into the forward line while James Mulcahy was strong in the

The Tigers were jumped in the second term with the Hornets kicking three goals with the Tigers unable to reply.

The Tigers were able to win the third term to get one goal closer but the second term proved to be the difference as the two teams fought out an even final term.

Daniel Cook and Murray Laing were strong in defence while the experience of Jake Magill around the middle gave the Tigers every chance but it wasn't to be in the end.

Mayne Past Players and Supporters Group

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

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

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The Tigers can be very pleased with their efforts this year making the finals for the first time since 2017 and putting together some great wins throughout the season.



It was also Murray Laing's tenth season as coach of the Thirds. He was the Premiership Coach in 2017. It has been a wonderful family effort for Murray and Dad John steering the ship since the Thirds kicked off in 2015.

Scores: Aspley 11.10.76 d Mayne 7.5.47 Goals: Cooper Westerhuis, Luke O'Shea 2, Jake Magill, Hayden Wilson 1.

Best: Cooper Westerhuis, Daniel Cook, Jake Magill, Murray Laing, James Mulcahy, Luke O'Shea.

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2025 Presentation Night Bookings Open Now



The final and most important function for the Tiger year where the club comes together to recognise and honour our best players of the 2025 season in a gala night.

The club also recognises it's loyal and hard working volunteers as well as reward their milestone players.

Make sure you get in early and book your seat.

When: Saturday, 20th September 2025
Time: 6.00pm for 6.30pm start

Where: Tattersalls, Queen Street, Brisbane.

Cost: \$130 PP includes 2 course meal and

3 hour drinks package

Bookings: https://www.stickytickets.com.au/DGG2K



And the winners of the MPPSG Raffle are ..

The Mayne Past Players and Supporters Raffle wrapped up yesterday at the Den.

The Raffle consisted of 100 tickets up for grabs at \$100 each with the chance to win the following

The Raffle Cash Prizes are 1^{st} \$3 000, 2^{nd} \$1 000, 3^{rd} \$750 and 4^{th} \$250.



Graham McColm and Julie Hunter draw the MPPSG Raffle yesterday at the Den.

Congratulations to the lucky winners as follows.

1st Prize. Guy Gardner No. 97 2nd Prize. Gary Fitzpatrick No. 59 3rd Prize. Tony Beckett No. 51 4th Prize. Jeff Bliss No. 67

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Rod Judd gives a wrap on the Mayne Past Players and Supporters Group activities with all the excitement of the Draw yesterday.

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Volunteer of the Week

It was the final home game for the Tigers yesterday for 2025 in the QFA Division 1 Seniors and Reserves competition and the Den looked fabulous in readiness for the finals coming up next week.

A huge amount of work has gone into this from Life Member Graeme "Wally" Wallace who spends long hours working on ground preparation, mowing and line marking every week.



If you need to find the footy in the creek at the back of the nets at the Den, you only need to ask Wally.

A big thanks also goes to John Laing for his leadership of the Facilities Group which is a joint committee between the Everton Wolves and the Tigers which leads the way for all the improvements at the Den.

The group completed the Match Administration and Medical building as well as two new Coaches Boxes for oval 2. These Coaches boxes also include storage for match day equipment like goal pads, gazebos, goal posts, cones and other important gear.

Great work this week from our Ground Marshalls lan Evans and Mel Wegner with their work on Friday night and Saturday.

This week's Volunteer of the Week goes to Graeme Wallace.

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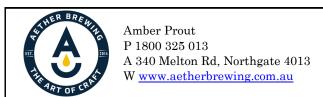
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