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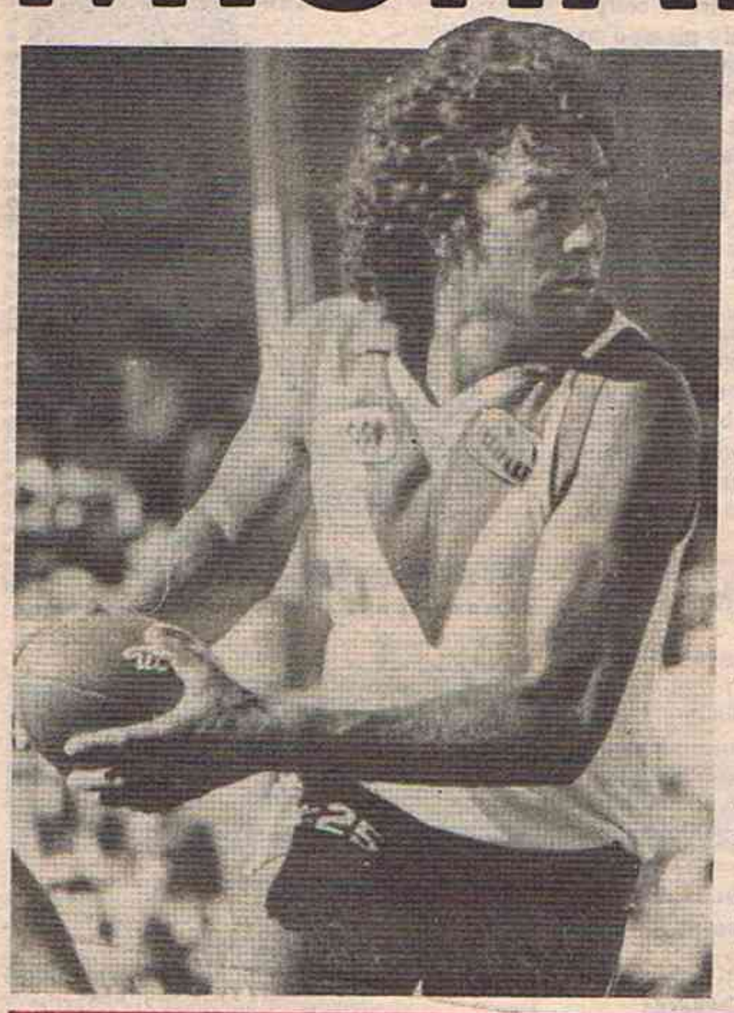

South Fremantle super-star Stephen Michael must stop running into packs and flattening opposition players or he will become the target himself for direct retaliation.

So far this season Michael has flattened Peter Thorne (East Perth), Keith Narkle (Swan Districts), Paul Harding (East Fremantle) and his latest victims last Saturday were Glynn Williams and David Morgan (East Perth).

In all cases, Michael has acted within the rules of the game. But that is little consolation to the players who have been knocked out and carried off the field.

It matters little that Stephen Michael is this State's best footballer.

It matters even less that he has twice won the award for the best and fairest footballer in Western Australia.

What matters is that he has directly caused top players from opposition teams to be removed from the ground at a time when the winning of the game has been at stake.

Stephen Michael and the South Fremantle Football Club — and, for that matter, our umpires — cannot expect that incidents of this nature, will be tolerated by the opposing clubs.

Rival clubs will not stand around and see their champions knocked to the grond and, in some cases knocked unconscious by Michael or by anyone.

The finals are with us now and there is enormous prize money up for the grabs.

. . . Says BOB CRIBB in the aftermath of last weekend's hectic match at Perth Oval.

Teams like Swan Districts and Claremont have every right to defend their star players against being injured while hunting for the ball in a pack.

South Fremantle should realise that those clubs have the strength and the ability to take players out of the game too.

It concerns me that unless something is done to prevent Michael from tearing into a pack and flattening the nearest opponent, we could have a full scale riot on our hands during this year's finals.

Ron Boucher, of Swan Districts for one, will not stand around and watch his team-mates knocked out.

Claremont's Barry Beecroft and Baden Harper will also act to protect their team-mates and if necessary retaliate in a desperate final.

It has happened before in a hectic final and then the game was reduced to a brawl.

Three seasons ago I saw an East Fremantle footballer king hit behind the play in a grand final. He finished with a fractured jaw and celebrated his team's premiership win in hospital. That is a sickening thought when you are talking about sport.

However, it will happen again this year unless the guidelines are sorted out now before the finals.

South Fremantle and Stephen Michael, in particular, must get their priorities in order first.

SOUTH WEST TOPS AGAIN

ANOTHER championship win to South West — that's the jubilant feeling expressed by captain Dave Roberts.

He is pictured holding the Wesfarmers Shield with Wesfarmers executive Colin Delmenico.

South West clinched their sixth consecutive championship when they beat Great Northern in last Sunday's final.

After the finals, the country championship organisers announced the Wesfarmers All-Stars side that will go to Adelaide next year for a clash with the South Australian country side.

That match will be the curtain-raiser for the interstate game between WA and South Australia — the inaugural match this year saw WA snatch a narrow victory.

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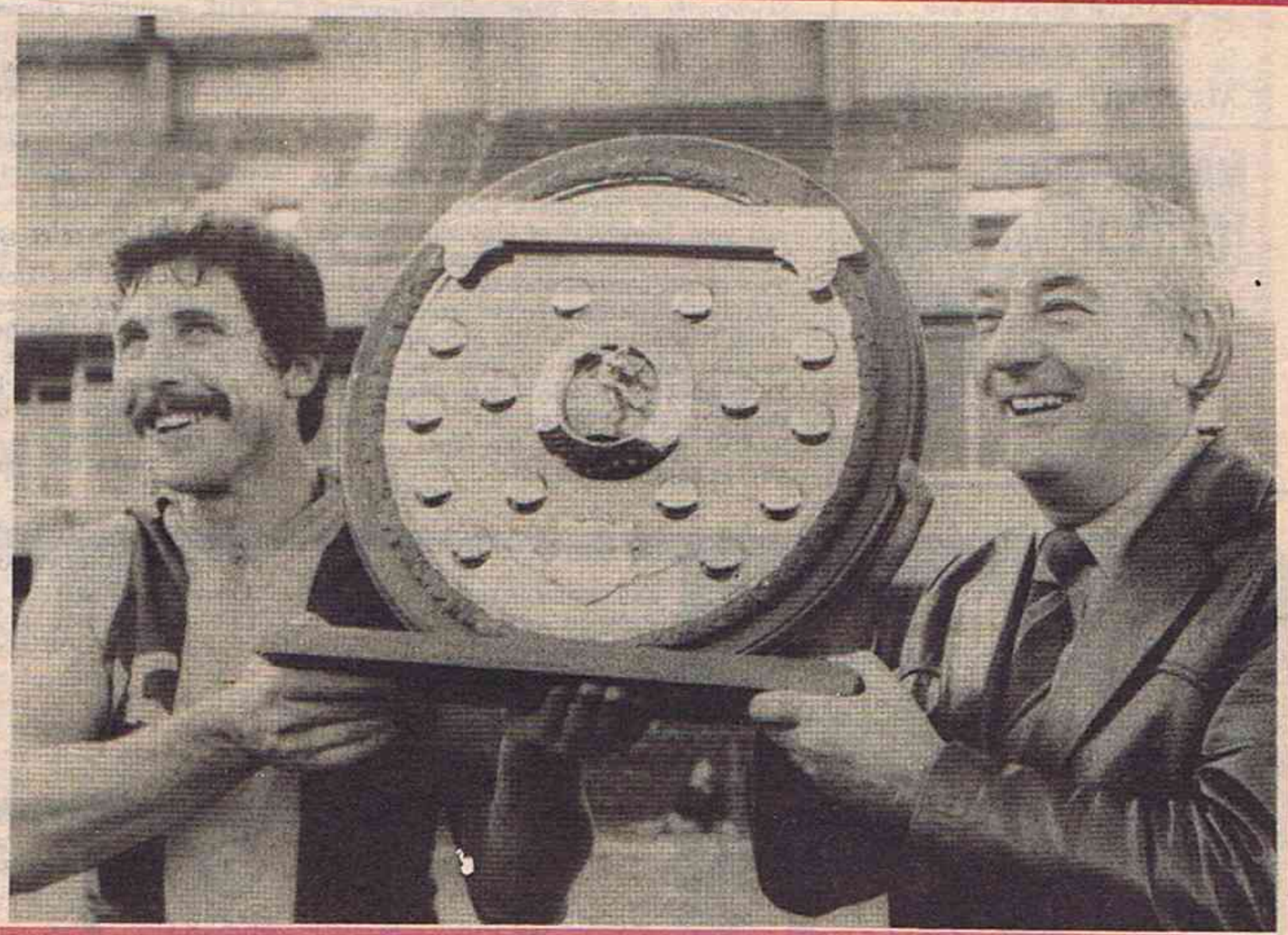

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ROD LESTER-SMITH (EF) 94

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PAUL MOUNTAIN (WP) 148*
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BRIAN ADAMSON (WP) 146*
RUSSELL ELLEN (WP) 144*

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OVER THE FENCE

COMETTI AGAIN

THE decision by West Perth coach Dennis Cometti to stay in the job for 1984 is a courageous one. He was certainly earmarked by the ABC to go to Los Angeles for the 1984 Olympic Games, but it seems as though the ultimate decision about his coaching career was left to him. Cometti obviously felt some sort of deep commitment to West Perth after such a promising year last season turned into a disappointing year in 1983. As he said on Channel 7's World of Sport last week: "We have made mistakes, but at least we have recognised them and owned up to them." It seems fairly certain that we'll see another West Perth player re-organisation for 1984.

OUT OF ACTION

THERE was a spate of last-minute withdrawals from league teams last Saturday. At Claremont Oval West Perth skipper Les Fong pulled out with a virus and Claremont's medical man, Michael Aitken was a withdrawal when he had to work; and up at Bassendean rookie Stewart Barker (about to make his debut) was a late cancellation after a training injury.

Spare a thought

SWAN Districts president Bill Walker sounded out a strong reminder to members last Saturday after his side's thrashing of down-and-out Subiaco. Mr Walker said. "While it is good to be winner and be a strong club, spare a thought for Subiaco. It's not all that long ago that we were in the same position of not being able to win a game in any grade on a Saturday afternoon. The lesson that comes out of today is to ensure that we never go back to that situation."

PLAYER DEPTH

SANDOVER medallist Phil Narkle must have thought that all his birthdays had come at once with his opponenets last Saturday. After Narkle had outplayed 18-year-old Greg Stewart, he found himself opposed to another youngster in Todd Breman. Narkle gave both players a lesson in football before the Lions settled for Paul Wilson as his opponent. The exercise — and the failure to come up with a centre-liner with more experience than a handful of league games — gives further evidence to the lack of player-depth the Lions face.

TODD'S APOLOGY

SWANS coach John Todd apologised to members for the absence of senior players at their trophy presentation last Saturday. He said that they were taking no chances with injuries and State men Murray Rance, Tony Solin and Ron Boucher and followers Brad Shine and Bill Skwirowski had all been sent to various places for medical attention after the game agasint Subiaco.

BEARDLESS WONDERS

IN case you have been wondering whether your eyesight is playing tricks or just your knowledge of footballers not up to scratch, then don't worry anymore. Two of our bearded players HAVE shaved off their whiskers in recent weeks just to make it confusing for the opposition . . . and the media. Clinton Browning (East Fremantle) and Gavin Carter (South Fremantle) have adopted the clean-shaven look as we head into the finals . . . so photograhpers, please note!

Back again

IT was great to see last year's Prendergast Medallist, Andrew Partington, back in action in the reserves last week. The young Tiger, who won the fairest and best award in this competition before breaking a leg in the second semi final, has had a tough road back and he was obviously pleased to have been able to play a game this year. The break was so severe that there was some doubt as to whether he would play again. But he was always determined and is now aiming at playing in another finals series.

One ump

COLIN Shawcross was forced to umpire the majority of Saturday's reserves game between West Perth and Claremont on his own. Early in the contest, his off-sider, David Johnson broke down with ligament problems in an ankle and Shawcross did an exceptional job when he was left on his own.

Tiger Marsh

AUSTRALIAN wicket-keeper Rod Marsh put all the worrying times of the recent Prudential World Cup one day knock-out competition behind him when he travelled to Claremont last week to watch the Tigers beat West Perth. Perhaps he would have been best served by watching Swan Districts beat Subiaco. The cricket score recorded by Swans might have made him feel like he was right at home.

Jumper auctioned

THE traditional after-match auction of a Swan Districts players' guernsey last Saturday saw Phil Narkle's No. 36 fetch $540. Keen bidding around the room resulted in the high-priced guernsey going to a member who could have bought a normal jumper for $20 in any sports store.

Stasa's stab

ONE of the best kicks of the day at Perth Oval last week came from Chris Stasinowsky . . .but no-one chased it! Stasa went for a shot at goal, found the kick smothered . . . but his left boot took off and landed 25 metres away. An East Perth trainer was quickly out to get it to make sure none of his men stood on it!

Birthday greetings

IS your favourite footballer about to celebrate a birthday?

Glen MacDermid (P)
22 on 16th.

Warren Mosconi
(SF)
20 on 17th.

Leon Baker
(SD)
27 on 17th.

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23 on 18th.

Ray Reeves
(S)
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Neville Williams (SD)
20 on 20th.

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SUBIACO	W W L L L L L L L L L L W W L L L L L	v. East Perth at Perth
CLAREMONT	W W W W W W W W L W L W W L L W W W W	v. Perth at Lathlain
PERTH	L L L L L L L L W L L L L L L W L W L	v. Claremont at Lathlain
EAST PERTH	L L L W L W W W L W W L L W W L L L L	v. Subiaco at Perth
SOUTH FREMANTLE	W W W W W W L W W W W W L W W W W W W	v. Swans at Fremantle
WEST PERTH	W L W W L L W L L L W L L L L L W L L	v. East Fremantle at Leederville
SWAN DISTRICTS	L W W L W L W L W L W W W W W W W W W	v. South Fremantle at Fremantle

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FOOTBALLER OF THE YEAR
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S. Malaxos (C)	21
S. Michael (SF)	15
P. Spencer (EP)	15
D. Langsford (SD)	14

Voting now in Camera.

GOALKICKER OF THE YEAR

W.Ralph (C)	111
J. Scott (EP)	62
C. Brown (S)	55
C. Stasinowsky (SF)	55
C. Waterson (EF)	48
C. Edwards (EP)	47
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Fair go for the wheelchair jockeys

I WAS one of the 44,000 or so who clamoured for viewing space at Subiaco Oval to watch W.A. and Victoria do battle in the recent interstate match.

But unlike many of those who paid $8 for a seat in the stand, I paid $8 for the right to spend the greater part of the afternoon staring at the back of the head of people sitting in front of me.

Being a wheelchair jockey, I planned my way along the usual channels — into the ground through the rear of the grandstand, up the lift and around the back of the walkway to whatever viewing spot might be available.

In your average crowd it is possible to gain a vantage point. However, State game Tuesdays are toe-to-toe stuff and room is at a premium.

The WAFL had also made a change or two; gaining entry was almost a major victory in itself.

When I wheeled into the stand to gain access to the lift, a rather genial young man informed me that he wasn't allowed to take money and if I wanted a ticket I would have to go down the road to the turnstiles.

ANNOYING

This was annoying because when you get used to one pattern, to have it suddenly changed when you are in a hurry is aggravating.

I worked my way through about four queues of people and after countless "excuse me's", "oops sorries" and "thanks for your help mates" I finally gained access to a set of rails that acted as a race along which we sheep approached a ticket window.

The distance between each was just sufficient for the chair to pass on its way to the window where I paid up and received my ticket.

With some embarrassment I then found that there was insufficient room to turn around and follow the prescribed exit, so I had to back up. This necessitated a few more "pardon me's" as the line shufled backward to let me out.

I again worked my way back through the ticket lines and eventually up to the second level of the grandstand.

Having paid the same amount of money as the people seated in front of me, you would expect that I'd be entitled to the same unrestricted view.

I believe that a given area should be set aside for the disabled and that the row of seats above the walk-way should be removed to make way for wheelchairs.

It might be said that many disabled people, particularly children, are admitted for little, or no cost and that the League is already making some kind of charitable gesture. I would point out that most of us aren't asking for some kind of hand-out or patronisation, just a fair go.

Paying for entry isn't the point. What is relevant is the deal once we gain entry to the stands.

Most of us expect to pay for the same privilege as the person standing next to us or seated in front.

LIVE TV

I HAVE often wondered why it cannot be arranged so that, once the crowd at the four league games reaches the "average attendance level" the TV stations don't do a direct telecast.

Dennis Cometti tells me that pre-programming would have a lot to do with it and also the fact that ground attendance figures are not usually known for some time after the games have started.

In spite of this, the idea is worth looking into. I think that there is a possibility of it being the answer to the direct telecast problem.

BILL MATHER-BROWN *wheelchair sportsman extraordinaire . . .*

is this week's *Guest Columnist*

presented by McInerney Ford

GREAT CONCEPT

I'VE been an advocate of schools instead of club competition for some time and my faith in the concept received a big boost when I watched Belmont High School beat Balcatta High as a prelude to the recent W.A. - Victoria game.

The standard was high and both teams played a stylish brand of football.

In fact, the skills and teamwork were so exemplary it makes me wonder why there is not a more concerted drive to establish a competitive league among the high schools and colleges.

Having had 13 or so years coaching under-16 and under-18 football clubs, I believe there is a lot more to be gained if the football was played through the schools.

In the first place, primary schools feed into the high schools and the number of children who pass through the secondary education system would guarantee that no team was ever lacking in numbers.

The same cannot be said for the many clubs who often battle to field a team.

I also believe that many people would love to take a coaching position with a school team, particularly as the following from within the school, parent interest and inter-school rivalry, would generate great enthusiasm.

Just recently I did a survey of the number of high schools that might form a competition in the Wanneroo area alone. I came up with the conclusion that about 22,000 people would be directly or indirectly involved.

The type of football presented by the two teams at the recent inter-stater would be common-place, but well worth the viewing.

In my opinion, if we are going to turn out professional people in any walk of life through our school system, then we should also do the same for those aspiring to success in the sporting world.

Let's give the kids the best medical attention, the best coaching and the opportunity to excel should they desire to do so.

SHARK? Who's a Shark?

ONE thing that has disgusted me over the years is the way local clubs don't want to be themselves.

When I was a kid South Fremantle were the Southerners, Perth the Redlegs, Subiaco the Maroons, Claremont the Tigers, Swans the Swans, West Perth the famous Cardinals, East Perth the Royals, the Eagles and back to the Royals again and my mob, East Fremantle were, by tradition and performance Old Easts, the winners of more premierships than any other club.

Somewhere along the line the mullock hit the fan. Some marketing genius says it would be better if clubs changed their unofficial names to something with a bit more class and image.

Away they went, with the result that most of our league clubs lost their traditional identities.

Let's look at them.

Perth were the Redlegs, but so are Norwood in South Australia, so they changed to the Demons, a title carried by the Melbourne club for years. Perth should have kept their own identity.

South Fremantle dropped the Southerners to liken their image to Footscray, the traditional Bulldogs of the V.F.L. They could have tried harder in the imagination department, also.

Subiaco never did a lot when they were the Maroons, but changing the name doesn't change the horse, because they haven't done much since becoming the Lions.

East Perth showed some originality staking claim to the Royals.

The name shifted to the Eagles for a time when football commentator Frank Sparrow was playing for them. But it swung back after some wag pointed out on a disastrous day that the team comprised one Sparrow and 17 galahs.

The crown, as football's royalty, has some originality and sets East Perth as a distinctly West Australian club.

West Perth – what a sad day for a proud club when they turned their backs on the famous Cardinals.

They would have been the only club in Australia to have that unusual, but easily identifiable, name. By comparison, the Falcons is pretty commonplace and you wouldn't have to go to far to find another.

West Perth had something in the Cardies that they lost when they became Falcons.

I always took pride in being a follower of Old Easts.

In the football world it stood for something to be with the blue and whites, either as a member or follower. But they've sure hit the bottom of the barrel with this Sharks bit.

I mean, who the hell wants to be called a shark? Collins English Dictionary describes it as "a large voracious sea fish: grasping person, sharper, swindler, extortioner."

How any of the East Fremantle brains trust ever deduced that a team of young fellows would take pride in themselves or their performance under the banner of a pack of sharks leaves me doubting their sincerity.

If you think I'm kidding then, call one of your mates a shark. Do it with a straight face and see what sort of reaction you get!

Don't tell me – some rugby club in the East has it as an emblem. That's not an excuse, East Fremantle, Let's put our heads together and come up with something unique and original.

SUNDAY FOOTY

WHEN you are an ardent fan of something, you make sure that the occasion is something special.

This, I believe, applies to your average football fanatic, who devotes most of every winter Saturday getting to the ground, finding a favourtie viewing point, watching the reserves match, the league game and then wending his weary way back home.

It is then his, or her, lot to relax in front of a winters' fire (or radiator) in the pleasant knowledge that Sunday is for family, friends or weeds.

The same thing applies to players who are under pressure for the season and who, in the main, strive to find time in which to take things a bit easy.

Football is entertainment and therefore relies on the public to make it what it is, the top winter sport.

Football administration should endeavour to stay in line with what the average man in the street wants.

I sometimes think that avarice gets the better of good judgment.

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Paul Harding . . . a young ruckman giving the Sharks a lot of drive.

AS a youngster Paul Harding gave himself little chance of fulfilling his life-long ambition of playing league football.

He wasn't an outstanding player in juniors and even after making his league debut in 1981, few people would have envisaged the effect he would have on East Fremantle and State football in the ensuing two years.

He was one of the stars of the interstate matches against South Australia and Victoria this year and he celebrated his initial appearance in State football on his 19th birthday.

Harding is looming as one of the most exciting young players on the WA scene and he should play a leading role in the re-emergence of East Fremantle as a force in the competition.

He is extremely skilful for a man of his size and WA fans have not yet seen the best of the talented teenager.

It is refreshing to see a young player palm the ball as well as he does, particularly as in this day and age, winning the ball out of the centre is important.

There is no point winning the knock if it is not picked up by a team mate.

Harding works on the same philosophy and already his ability in this department has seen East Fremantle become a more competitive team.

Westside Football's GARY STOCKS spoke to the top young ruckman and found out more about his rise to the top.

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Name: Paul Harding
Height: 6.4 (193cm)
Weight: 13.5 (85kg)
Born: England, 4.6.64
Married: No
Girlfriend's name: Leisa
Lives at: Lynwood
Football likes: Winning
Football dislikes: Pre-season training
Occupation: Dental Technician
Ambitions: To play in a premiership side.
Football idols: None
What car do you drive: A Commodore
Favourite music: Dire Straits
Favourite movie: The Flying High movies.
Favourite actors: Benny Hill and other comedians.
Do you read at all: Only magazines
Hobbies and relaxation: Golf and going to the beach.
Hard things in football: Maintaining concentration for four quarters.
Favourite food: Chinese
Favourite drink: Beer
League debut: 1981
Games: 33
Nickname: Amego
Guernsey number: 21

Q. You say you were born in England, when did you come out to Australia?

A. I came across when I was two. I don't like to be classed as a pom.

Q. Where did your football start?

A. It started with the Riverton junior football club when I was about eight. When I was 17 I came down and played colts with East Fremantle and then I worked my way up.

Q. How hard was it to get to league – even at colts level there are about 60 young guys hoping to get a start and some of those never get the chance?

A. I was lucky because East Fremantle saw me play when I was in 17s and midway through the season the colts coach asked me if I would like to come down and have a go. By that time a lot of players had left and it made my task easier.

Q. Are any of the players you played colts with now playing league?

A. Yes. There are quite a few. Peter Wilson, Gavin Wake, who played one game a few weeks ago and Ray Sterrett all played colts at the same time.

Q. Did you play Teal Cup at all?

A. Yes, I was in the Teal Cup side in 1981 when the carnival was played in Melbourne. Ray Sterrett also played Teal Cup, but that was a year after me. I played at full forward and from a half back flank in that side.

Q. It would be hard to imagine you playing on a half-back-flank, but you are fairly agile for a big man?

A. I was always heavily involved with athletics during the summer and I held a couple of State titles over 400 and 800 metres. I suppose that's why I'm pretty agile. I also did reasonably well at the high jump. I like running, except in pre-season.

Q. Last year when you were playing no-one took a lot of notice of you, but this year you seem to be doing everything right and have really arrived as a class player – is there any reason for that?

A. I think it has been a matter of opportunity. Last year I was the number three ruckman, behind Andrew Purser and Ron Alexander and with Andrew going to Melbourne I had to accept greater responsibility.

Q. It has been a big jump from number three ruckman at your club to State football – is that something you aimed for at the start of the season?

A. At the start of the year it was, but my form in the first round wasn't too good and I had almost given up hope. I was really surprised when I was picked in the squad for the South Australian game. It was agreat feeling to play for your State.

Q. How was the feeling against Victoria?

A. It was great to be a member of a West Austalian team that became the Australain Football Champions. I spent most of my time in a back pocket against the Victorians, apart from a short stint on the ball and a 20-minute spell on the bench, I was there all day. I played on Simon Madden and Mark Lee. They were both hard to beat because they were so agile for big men and took strong marks.

Q. You seem to palm the ball exceptionally well, has Ron Alexander had anything to do with that?

A. He took me aside a couple of times and told me where I should position myself under certain circumstances around the ground. I took it from there. I have never been one who would go for the big punch. I can't see any value in that. I think my job is to win the knock and send it straight to one of my rovers. That is particularly vital at centre bounce downs. The hardest bloke to beat is John Ironmonger at the centre bounces because his arms are so long.

Q. How do you go in the physical clashes?

A. I do all right. It doesn't bother me that some blokes rely on their strength. I always seem to go alright against Ron Boucher. We get along okay and I would like to keep it that way.

Q. Had it always been a burning ambition of yours to play league football?

A. Yes. I had always wanted to do it, but I was never very good in juniors. I used to get a game and I used to go alright, but I was never outstanding. My brother Mark was always better than me, but he couldn't get a game because of his size and now he is playing with Applecross in the WAFA. He has had a great season there and East Fremantle might ask him to come back next year. He has been playing as a rover or centreman in that competition. I didn't start to do any good until I was 15.

Q. What about the future at East Fremantle, there are a lot of young players about your age and everything looks bright?

A. I think it is looking good at the moment. We started the season badly because we lost so many players at the start of the year, but once we won a couple of games we grew in confidence. Since then we have been playing fairly consistently and I think the future looks pretty good for us.

Q. And what of your own future?

A. I think my future lies with East Fremantle at the moment. I have no thoughts of going anywhere at this stage.

Medibank Private

PREVIEW

A look at the weekend's WAFL league fixtures

OUR EXPERTS SELECT:

	Tally	Claremont v Perth	E. Perth v Subiaco	S. Frem. v Swans	W. Perth v E. Frem.
GARY STOCKS	59	Claremont	East Perth	South Fremantle	West Perth
ALAN EAST	58	Claremont	East Perth	South Fremantle	East Fremantle
PETER POAT	59	Claremont	East Perth	South Fremantle	East Fremantle
BOB CRIBB	61	Claremont	East Perth	Swans	East Fremantle
MOTHER BROWN	61	Claremont	East Perth	South Fremantle	West Perth
GRANT DORRINGTON	63	Claremont	East Perth	Swans	East Fremantle
ROBERT BENNETT	63	Claremont	East Perth	South Fremantle	West Perth
IAN MILLER	52	Perth	East Perth	South Fremantle	East Fremantle
GARY CARVOLTH	60	Claremont	East Perth	South Fremantle	East Fremantle
DAVE CLEMENT	62	Claremont	East Perth	South Fremantle	West Perth
MOST FAVOURED	65	Claremont	East Perth	South Fremantle	East Fremantle

Falcons can shape the four

WEST Perth could sew up fourth position on the premiership table on Saturday — but it will not be for themselves.

By GARY STOCKS

If they can beat East Fremantle at Leederville Oval this week they can put paid to the Sharks aspirations of playing in the finals for the first time since 1979.

The Falcons have had a lean run this season, but in the last fortnight they have shown some endeavour and they could beat East Fremantle, particularly on their home turf.

East Fremantle were convincing against Perth last week, However, West Perth will be desperate to salvage something out of 1983 season and now their aim is to have some bearing on the composure of the final four.

They are likely to bring young full forward Peter Avery back into the side after a 12-goal haul against Claremont in the reserves last week and he also will have something to prove.

For the last four seasons he has been able to kick goals in the reserves. But when given his opportunity at West Perth this year, he has failed to take full advantage of the situation.

Mario Turco and Kevin Taylor appear to be East Fremantle's trump cards and West Perth will need Les Fong to return to the side and give them the drive on the ball required to beat the Sharks.

Ron Alexander.

CLAREMONT TO CONTINUE

CLAREMONT should continue their winning run when they come up against Perth at Lathlain Park this week.

However, the Tigers, who have been in scintillating form in the last fortnight, cannot afford to take the Demons lightly.

They would have been disappointed with their effort against East Fremantle following a good win over East Perth and they will be looking to push Claremont all the way.

However, the Tigers centreline has been in outstanding touch in the last couple of weeks and with Darrell Panizza, Stephen Malaxos and Peter Davidson all playing well, the Demons have the job infront of them.

This trio continually send the Tigers into attack and present many scoring opportunities for players like Warren Ralph, Brett Farmer and Allen Daniels.

They appear to have too much class for Perth and they should take the four points to remain in the fight for a second semi final berth.

IMPORTANT CLASH AT FREMANTLE

ANOTHER important clash will be seen at Fremantle Oval when Swan Districts meet South Fremantle.

Swans have hit their peak at the right time of the year and South are also playing an impressive brand of football. The reward for victory could well be a place in the second semi final.

While South appear certain of a double chance, a loss on Saturday could put added pressure on Mal Brown and his Bulldogs. Brown will not forget the drubbing they received at the hands of Swans when they travelled to Bassedean to celebrate Stephen Michael's 200th league match.

John Todd used that milestone to his advantage when South supporters and players arrived by train — Todd certainly won't send his players to Fremantle courtesy of Westrail this week.

With Brad Hardie, Michael, Stephen Mount and Michael Cockie all in blistering form, South should be able to reverse the previous result.

Michael has used his weight with damaging effect this year and Swans will not forget the incident involving Keith Narkle up at Bassendean.

It will be interesting to see whether he and Ron Boucher engage in the physical clashes.

South are playing well enough to win this contest and they will be extremely hard to beat at Fremantle Oval.

No worries for Royals

EAST Perth are the other contender for the remaining place in the final four and they should notch up another four points this week.

They will play Subiaco at Perth Oval

The Lions have been thrashed by Claremont and Swan Distircts in the last two weeks and they desperately need captain Neil Taylor back.

But the Lions have sunk to an all-time low in the last fortnight and not even the presence of their captain could have saved them from those humilating defeats.

East Perth showed enough against South Femantle to suggest they are on the improve and they will be out to make it three massive losses for the Lions.

It is imperative for East Perth that Peter Spencer and Peter Thorne continue their outstanding form and they will be looking for other player to come back to form, particularly if East Fremantle beat West Perth.

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Prize recruits

I mentioned previously some of this season's best first year performers, but there is a smaller list of players who swapped clubs for various reasons and have been real value in their new homes this season. The best of these have been Phil Cronan (West Perth), Stan Magro (East Perth), John Hayes (South Fremantle), Mick Johns and Barry Kimberley (Swans) and Ross Fitzgerald and Kevin Worthington (Perth). All these players have been consistent and prominent performers and many others have remained in league football by shifting clubs, which has been good for the game. I am sure there will be more moves next season. We will certainly be keeping an eye open.

FINISHED?

RUMOURS are rife in Melbourne town that the end of the current draft system is not far away. We will soon be back to the old form four except that each VFL club will be allowed only one form per year to select players from around Australia. Certainly the players will appreciate a choice and maybe the Vics will have to part with more dollars. Only time will tell.

INCENTIVE

I BELIEVED Perth had just as much incentive as East Fremantle to win last week's game – the opportunity to move off the bottom of the ladder, to win two games in succession and to win more games than last year – but the Sharks incentive to earn fourth spot and a place in the finals won out. At least the Perth players did learn a football lesson, you can accept praise after a good win, but the next week it is a differ ent ball game and it starts from scratch. Too many players rested on their laurels and failed to work hard. Consequently they were second to the ball. It was disappointing, but I know the players will bounce back against Claremont and Swans.

STEPHEN MICHAEL

LIKE everyone else I saw Stephen Michael give out two solid hip and shoulders against East Perth on the television replay and saw nothing wrong with them. Football is a tough, physical and competitive game and Michael plays it that way, within the rules, and he is a champion. Too often physical contact is umpired out of the game and when strong, physical clashes occur everyone over-reacts, because it happens too infrequently.

PLAYER'S REVIEW

LAST Saturday night the Perth players held their players review which was a great success. There were many great performances, but I thought Oral McGuire (alias Michael Jackson) gave a tremendous rendition of the negro singer's latest hit Beat It. The ladies loved the skin tight leather pants.

EAST Fremantle is the only club which does not provide an elevated coaches box for the opposition and the ground level position is hopeless, especially with the "hump" in the middle of the oval. When I looked across the far wing, Ian Newman looked about 5.10 – I could only see him from the knees up. Let's hope the problem is remedied next year.

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Massive tribute to Richmond champion

FOOTBALL fans love a champion . . . and never has there been so much proof of this as there was at the MCG last Saturday when Kevin (Hungry) Bartlett played his 400th league game.

It is a feat that had never been achieved before and one that most critics agree will never be passed.

A massive 81,966 people turned out for the game giving the VFL a bonanza gate takings of $270,000.

Supplies of the Football Budget ran out an hour before the game, pies, pasties, chips and other foodstuffs ran out and thousands of posters of the little champ were sold.

Everyone from the Prime Minister, Bob Hawke, to little old ladies from the back streets of Richmond were there. An incredible testimonial to the popularity of little "KB" as he is affectionately known.

It is even more amazing when it is considered that Richmond are currently second last on the VFL ladder and they played Collingwood, another side out of the top five.

The VFL expected the match to attract about 20,000 more people than what normally could be expected to see the game . . . somewhere in the vicinity of 50,000.

Among the hundreds of tributes paid to Bartlett, controversial Melbourne football commentator, Harry Bietzel, went as far as suggesting that the VFL should present him with a cheque for $100,000 in recognition of his services to the game and for the bonus gate takings he attracted.

WA PLAYER ROUND-UP

Twenty four former West Australian footballers played VFL football last weekend. Here is a breakdown of their statistical performances.

	Kicks	Marks	H/Balls
RICHMOND			
David Palm	11	8	9
Maurice Rioli	14	4	6
Robert Wiley	14	2	6
Tim Gepp	5	2	10
Dan Foley	8	3	5
COLLINGWOOD			
John Annear	15	7	9
Mike Richardson	19	9	12
FOOTSCRAY			
Jim Sewell	3	-	3
Andrew Purser	4	7	7
Simon Beasley	7	4	4
CARLTON			
Peter Bosustow	10	4	6
Mike Fitzpatrick	5	7	9
Alan Montgomery	10	2	4
ESSENDON			
Tony Buhagiar	10	–	12
Bill Duckworth	8	4	6
GEELONG			
Gary Malarkey	8	1	4
Brian Peake	18	10	9
NORTH MELBOURNE			
Ross Glendinning	12	7	11
Stephen McCann	9	3	1
Phil Krakouer	12	9	14
Jim Krakouer	19	4	7
HAWTHORN			
Gary Buckenara	9	4	3
MELBOURNE			
Alan Johnson	15	2	5
ST KILDA			
Allan Sidebottom	4	–	7

TAYLOR'S MOVE?

Footscray are claiming to have won a "promise" from East Fremantle rover Kevin Taylor to join them next season.

Several other VFL clubs are believed to have been after the former Sydney Swans player to have another crack at VFL football.

The Bulldogs, who have always enjoyed success with interstate recruiting, are also believed to have some other top names on the shopping list.

Woods on the march

COLLINGWOOD maintained their hopes of squeezing into the 1983 finals with a bold win over Richmond last Saturday.

Before a crowd of 81,966 — most of them to see Kevin Bartlett play his 400th game — the Magpies played some of their best football for the season with former Swan Districts star Mike Richardson among the best players on the ground.

Collingwood are sitting in sixth spot on the premiership ladder, one game and percentage behind Carlton. This weekend they meet Sydney Swans while Carlton play St Kilda.

Sydney match

LAST Friday night's VFL match under lights at the Sydney Cricket Ground failed to attract as large a crowd as anticipated.

The experimental match between home side Sydney Swans and Geelong drew only 12,732 people.

The VFL had hoped for a greater public response, so that regular night games could be scheduled next season and be shown live on Melbourne television.

Blues tip

VFL legend and triple Brownlow medallist Ian Stewart this week made a prediction about this year's VFL finals — and for Carlton fans the news is all good.

Stewart feels that Carlton will meet Hawthorn in the grand final and that the Blues would win the pennant to achieve a premiership hat-trick.

AXE FOR BULLDOG COACH?

Speculation about the future of coaches which has taken a temporary spell from the headlines in Melbourne recently, has reared its head again this week with talk that Footscray coach Bleuy Hampshire could get the chop.

Following the club's seventh consecutive loss last Saturday, Hampshire refused to speak to his players or the press and left the ground shortly after the match.

After such a promising start to the season, the Bulldogs have taken a dramatic dive. Match committee members met for about an hour after their dismal defeat at the hands of North Melbourne.

Footscray general manager Shane O'Sullivan described Hampshire as a very disappointed coach, but believes the club's young players have benefited greatly from their experience this season.

Clarke retires

FORMER Carlton and Geelong star David Clarke has retired from league football after a 216-game career.

His retirement followed advice from a surgeon after several operations on his knees.

Cable's problem

BARRY Cable has got a problem. He has an over-supply of in-form footballers which is creating an embarrassment.

When two of the club's brightest young players, half-forwards Don McDonald and Anthony Fury, were unavailable last weekend one may have thought Cable had worries.

However, veteran Xavier Tanner came, as did John Collins, and they kicked nine goals between them for the match. Tanner, who was playing his first game for the season, scored five. Apart from these two, Cable has to consider the re-inclusion of players such as Phil Kelly, Peter Jonas and a long list of in-form reserves players.

Rene roaring

RENE Kink re-emerged as a league footballer last weekend with a brilliant display for Essendon at Windy Hill.

The fiery-looking former Collingwood utility player kicked six goals for the Bombers in their crucial win over Hawthorn. He was judged best man afield by most critics and now looks fitter than he has at any time during his 12 seasons of league football.

His mental attitude has changed and he is two stone lighter than when he was 'sold-off' by the Magpies.

One of the best

"BERNIE Quinlan is one of the two best VFL players ever . . . he's up there with the great John Nicholls" — so says Fitzroy coach Robert Walls.

The coaches' assessment came after Quinlan played his 300th league game last Saturday.

"I rate the two as the best players I have ever seen, and I don't say that lightly" he said.

The 32-year-old Quinlan, now with 95 goals to his credit, seems certain to be Fitzroy's first 100 goal player. Against Melbourne last Saturday he booted 5.8 and had he been a little more accurate he would have been able to enjoy a double celebration.

Norwood look good

REIGNING premiers Norwood are again strong finals chances after beating Sturt by 17 points last Saturday.

The Redlegs are approaching top form after a disappointing season and a struggle to make the top five.

They won a great contest highlighted by some aggressive tackling and high marking.

Centreman Michael Aish was best on ground for Norwood for the fifth successive week and is a hot favourite to win his second Magarey Medal.

He collected 30 kicks, 10 marks and 19 handballs in a brilliant performance and repeatedly forced his side into attack.

In the only other match of the split round last weekend, top team West Adelaide beat Central District by 56 points.

The Bulldogs' loss virtually ended their hopes of making the finals and the future

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of coach Daryl Hicks is even more uncertain.

The split round will end this weekend when South play North (Football Park) and Glenelg meet Port Adelaide (Glenelg) on Saturday, while bottom teams West Torrens and Woodville clash at Thebarton on Sunday.

New team

WHILE many football officials in South Australia are pressing for a reduction in the size of the 10-team competition and others for entry into the VFL, there is now a new push to allow entry of a team from Canberra to the Adelaide competition.

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MICHAEL COULD BE THE LOSER

STEPHEN Michael could be the biggest loser from last Saturday's tough encounter between South Fremantle and East Perth.

All the huffing and puffing — and that's all it is — that has been going on in the media since Michael ironed out two East Perth players could rob him of this year's Sandover Medal.

It is to be hoped that umpires don't over-react to the incident.

Michael should not be tagged an unfair player because he executed two of the best bumps you could hope to see in league football.

The bump that put young David Morgan down was a classic shepherd.

Glyn Williams was unfortunate to leave himself wide open when he looked to deliver the ball.

I believe umpires reacted against Michael in 1979 when it was claimed he had been the centre of a huge betting plunge for the Sandover Medal.

There was obviously a leak of Sandover Medal votes. Michael was said to have 21 votes when the money went on.

He finished with a few more than that, but had exactly seven first votes, which of course added up to 21.

Phil Kelly was awarded top votes in the last three games to edge Michael out for the Medal. I saw two of those three games and Kelly did not dominate to the extent that the votes indicated.

While I don't condone what South coach Mal Brown did to stir up East Perth supporters I wonder if he did it deliberately to deflect attention away from Michael, who was given a hard time by Royals' supporters after the two incidents.

It is unfortunate that the Brown incident overshadowed what was a memorable achievement by Michael. To play 206 successive games to set an Australian record is an outstanding performance.

All the more when you realise it was by a player who is in the centre of the action all the time and as a ruckman is more susceptible to physical clashes and injuries than most.

AND NOT ONCE WAS HE SUSPENDED IN THAT TIME.

MICHAEL

It is strange that East Perth president Mal Atwell should be so vocal in his criticism of Mal Brown. I wonder how much of it is cosmetic.

He was hardly an angel when compared with Brown's football exploits.

Brown and Atwell have been business partners and Brown has appeared on television, advertising an Atwell enterprise.

Atwell was a lot tougher and far more brutal in his approach to football than Michael is ever likely to be.

If any action is to be taken against Brown then it should be left in the hands of the WAFL. East Perth should let the incident die.

As a player, Michael has a very big influence on South Fremantle.

That was reflected last year when he had a mediocre season and South tumbled from the four after three successive grand final appearances.

This year he is back to his best form and it is a major reason why South are at the top of the premiership ladder.

Michael has to be right up with the leaders in the Sandover Medal voting.

He should not be penalised by umpires in the remaining two weeks because of his tough approach to the game last week.

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Quiet coach

THE media saw another side of Royals coach Greg Brehaut last Saturday. The East Perth mentor elected to observe the first quarter of the game against South Fremantle from the press box at the rear of the grandstand. He abandoned his normal coach's box above the club's VIP lounge for the higher-elevated grandstand . . . and media people discovered that Brehaut can be a very quiet person in the course of a game. He seldom used his two-way radio and only showed signs of anguish when youngster David Morgan was knocked out of the game in that classic hip-and-shoulder from Stephen Michael. However, Brehaut didn't return to the press box after quarter-time. . . . he decided to stay in his own coach's box. Wonder whether Souths' eight-goal first quarter had anything to do with that?

Delayed debut

FOOTBALL supporters generally . . and Subiaco fans in particular . . . must have been surprised when the name Stewart Barker was included in the league list for the game against Swan Districts. The Mandurah youngster had not even played a game of reserves football with the club, being selected in league ranks on the basis of his reputation. However, his surprise debut was not to be. Barker broke down at training with Subiaco on the eve of the match and had to withdraw. One wonders how some of the colts and reserves players at the club feel about the selection decision.

Troubled Taylor

EAST Fremantle's dashing rover Kevin Taylor stirred a hornet's nest when he admitted that he was keen to head back to Victoria next year. The record-breaking goalkicking rover is probably a little ambitious wanting to return east so soon after his unsuccessful stint with South Melbourne. The long-striding Taylor had trouble adapting to the tight VFL conditions and maybe he would be better served by seeing out the last year of his contract and then reconsidering his future.

Disgusted

I WAS disgusted to hear that the Perth players had to put up with cold showers at the end of their game against East Fremantle. Just because the Sharks may not enjoy hot water, the Demons thrive on it and something should be done to ensure that visiting teams are comfortable at East Fremantle. I believe it is not the first time a visiting club has not been able to have hot showers after a game at the Port ground.

Tough Miller

My spies down at Lathlain tell me that the players' revue at the Demons headquarters last Saturday night had a telling effect on one of the players. Despite the effort they put in on the night they were told they were still expected at Sunday training at 8 a.m. sharp and anyone who was late would be fined $200. Darryl Freame slept in and failed to make the session at all so he is now an additional $50 poorer.

SA job

Two fromer East Perth players are being linked with the Central District coaching position in South Australia. Phil Haughan, a former player and director with the Royals, who also starred in the South Australian competition for several years, is listed as the man most likely to get the job — if he wants it. Haughan was runner-up to a Magarey Medal when playing there and he is held in high esteem by Central. Grant Dorrington has also been discussed as a possible replacement for present coach Darryl Hicks, whose contract expires at the end of the year.

When things are going wrong everything seems to happen at the same time. Poor East Perth president Mal Atwell tried desperately to say a few words at Perth Oval on Saturday, but he could not get his microphone to work, try as he might.

Otway home?

WAYNE Otway will certainly be back at East Perth next year. The Royals have made a substantial offer to their former No. 1 rover and he is expected to come home. However, there is some bad news for Royals supporters — Peter Spencer or Peter Thorne could be involved in a swap deal with Essendon. Spencer is believed to be particularly keen to return to Victoria and prove to North Melbourne and Barry Cable that he is still capable of playing football at the highest level.

Swans' venture

SWAN Districts are believed to be the latest club to become involved in a business venture. Swans are understood to have bought the Karrinyup Newsagency and they will take it over in September. That follows South Fremantle's decision to buy Chesson and the Phoenix Hotel at the start of the season. The Bulldogs also tried to become involved in Doogues — the most successful lottery newsagents in Perth.

Budgie's plight

IF East Fremantle want Tony Buhagiar to return to WA and resume his playing career with them they should move quickly. The Budgie is disillusioned with Old Easts at present and while he has indicated that he is keen to return to WA at the end of the season the Sharks have not come forward with an offer. Several other WAFL clubs are interested in Buhagiar's talents and that is understandable.

Dorro's future

GRANT Dorrington was put on the spot on the ABC TV show on Saturday night when hit with a question about Subiaco's coaching job next year. Dorrington replied quickly with the line: "Well, I am a coach without a job, but I'll see what happens." Of course, the former Royals coach does have something of a reputation to live up to. He started his media career this season by being the back page columnist for Westside Football. . . and he would obviously like to follow in the footsteps of our previous two backpage men, both of whom have gone on to coaching jobs the next year. . . .Ian Miller in 1981 and Graham Campbell in 1982.

Big one, Brian

The reports at Subiaco Oval are that care-taker coach Brian Fairclough has been offered about $100,000 to continue in his capacity for three years.

"I'm not taking any chances!!!"

By 6PR personality GARY CARVOLTH

GARY'S GOSSIP

BIG MAL

I AM sick to death of the way Malcolm Brown is being exploited and held to ransom by the media. Alright, he is volatile, tempestuous and at times "agro" — but he is the best box office draw that this State has ever encountered in the history of the game.

I have a lot of time for all football clubs — Subiaco and East Perth in particular — but I refuse to remain silent about the current situation regarding Mal, South Fremantle and East Perth.

Admittedly, Brown is a long time friend of mine, however, I would like to state quite categorically that anyone reading this column would, at times, have liked to have had the front, guts, courage or conviction, call it what you will, to face the triumphs and tragedies that the big fellow has had to endure over the years.

Just imagine the enormous pressure that Mal is under week after week — eg. from his club and every other club that South Fremantle meets, mainly from a small irresponsible group of so-called football supporters. Yahoos would be a better description.

PS: How many of you Yahoos would be game enough to stand up to him face to face?

Blackwell off

WELL you can say goodbye to that fine Claremont all-rounder Wayne Blackwell at the end of the 1983 season. Take it from me (have I ever let you down?) Wayne will be lining up with Carlton in 1984. Wayne, I wish you luck, but you will be missed at Tigerland.

Todd off too

TALKING about farewell's — It could be arriverderci to John Todd at the end of the season too. My informants tell me that Toddy has had a most attractive offer from Central District in South Australia. I also believe that at least one VFL club is keen to appoint Todd as coach in 1984. Who can blame them, he is one of the best? However, I know that Swans will make it difficult for him to leave.

PS: I don't think Toddy wants to leave Bassendean either.

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SOUTH BREAK LONG DROUGHT

Last Saturday's game at Perth Oval was a memorable one, no, not for its shirtfronts and spitting incidents, but it is only the second time in league history that South Fremantle have won two games in a year at that ground.

The only other year they had a double header at Perth Oval was in 1929. Their coach 54 years ago was Norm McIntosh and their captain was Frank Fuhrman.

The Royals set up home at Perth Oval (or Loton's Park as it was initially known) in 1910 and of the 100-odd games played there between these two sides, I think it is 101, South Fremantle have won only 30. And only seven of these have been in the last 20 years.

That is not a very imposing record for a club that, in its golden years between 1947 and 1954, produced one of the best club sides in the nation.

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Swans record

Poor old Subiaco copped it sweet last Saturday when Swan Districts recorded their biggest winning margin ever against the Lions. The 140 point difference between the two sides was nine points higher than Swans previous best performance against Subiaco. In addition the Lions score of 5.8 (38) was their lowest score ever at Bassendean. Their previous lowest was 6.8 (44) in 1965. The black and whites are sitting on a winning sequence of 17 against Subiaco.

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Little league

Ever wonder how many of those R. and I Little League players make in the big time?

I was browsing through a 1971 Football Budget and dug up one which featured a final in the junior competition. Some of the names that rang a bell in the Subiaco – Perth game were Greg Wilkinson, Paul Clune, Clinton Brown, Laurie Keene and Peter Thomas for Subi and Michael O'Connell for Perth.

Other 400 gamers

Kevin Bartlett's 400 games with Richmond is sure to stand in the record books for a very long time. Two other footballers, Kevin Murray and Barry Cable, have passed the 400 games mark, but they had to call on extras to get there.

Cable's tally of 403 includes 225 games with Perth, 116 at North Melbourne, 41 at East Perth, 20 for WA and one for Victoria.

Murray played 333 games with Fitzroy, plus 17 night games, 44 at East Perth, 24 for Victoria, plus six for WA which gives him a total of 424.

Second to Barlett on games played with one club would have to be West Perth's Mel Whinnen with 371 games and third on the list would be South Australian Paul Bagshaw who played 360 games with Sturt.

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That record

Last week I mentioned how Claremont kicked a combined total of 85 goals for the three grades and as a comparison I used a report of Richard Camm saying that Perth could manage only 26 goals in four grades against Swan District in 1973. Well Camm, the Demons statistician 'el supremo,' as Peter van Helden would say, was on the spot to put me right. That 26 goals was the combined total of the Perth and Swans sides in four grades.

On July 14, 1973 Perth won the league game at Bassendean 5.11 to 3.12, lost the reserves 3.12 to 4.9, won the colts 2.5 to 1.7 and lost the under-19 game (at Lathlain Park) 4.5 to 4.7.

Panizza's feat

My telephone worked over-time this week. No I can't beat Darrell Panizza's seven goal effort for a wingman, so he takes the title in WA, for a player in his position.

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Well done, South West

CONGRATULATIONS to the South West on winning their sixth successive Wesfarmers country football carnival. They have dominated country football for a long time now and they really had a talented side on display last week. Once again the carnival was a tremendous success and no doubt many of the league clubs had their spies at the various games selecting players they believe could make the grade in Perth. Over 70 of our current league players began their football in the country and many more in the future will also be discovered in the Wesfarmers championships.

RE-APPOINTMENTS

WHILE handing out the accolades, Perth, East Fremantle and West Perth must be congratulated on their foresight in re-appointing Ian Miller, Ron Alexander and Dennis Cometti as their respective coaches for the 1984 season. It is difficult to hold a job when a club isn't successful, but I believe coach continuity is a must. You only have to look at the top clubs this year — Claremont, Swan Districts and South Fremantle — to see just how effective a long term coach can be. After the announcement of Miller's re-appointment Perth beat East Perth and then East Fremantle beat Perth last Saturday, the day the players were told that Big Ron would be back at the helm next year.

CHILDREN'S CONDUCT

I CANNOT believe how some parents allow their children to conduct themselves at the football. I was disgusted to hear some of the language and downright rudeness of some of the young people whose parents were right by their side. What has happened to old fashioned good manners. With children acting in that fashion it does not hold much hope for the future of our great Australian game.

PERTH OVAL INCIDENTS

WITHOUT becoming too involved in the controversies at Perth Oval last Saturday I believe commentators should keep their opinions to themselves until they know they are right. On ABC radio Eric Sarich criticised Stephen Michael for going outside the laws of the game to hand hip and shoulder out to two young East Perth players, and on Channel 7 John Rogers also believed Michael had acted unfairly. However, Sarich (on Channel 2 on Saturday night) and Rogers (Channel 7 Sunday morning) both retracted their comments after having seen a replay of the incidents.

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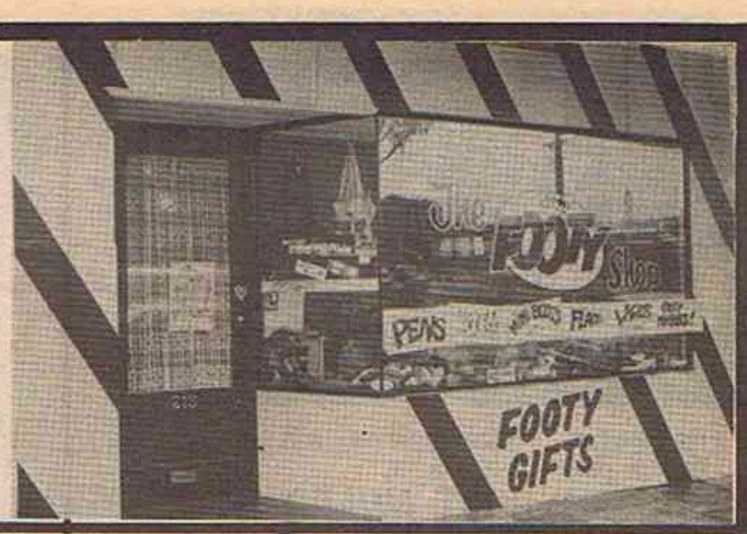

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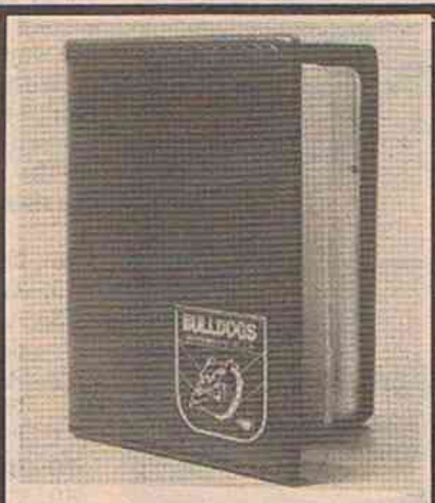

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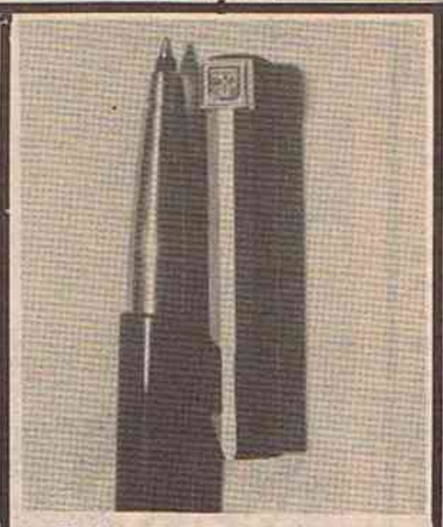

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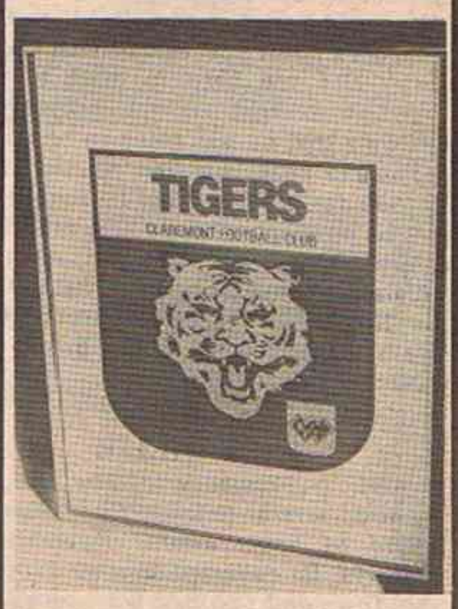

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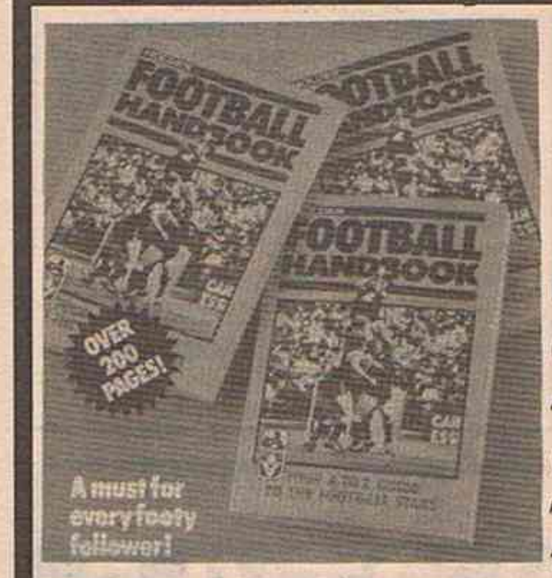

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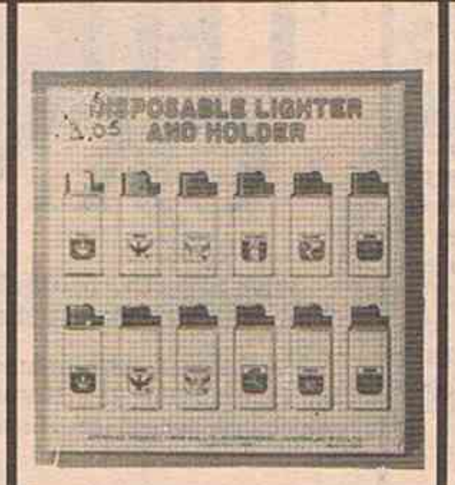

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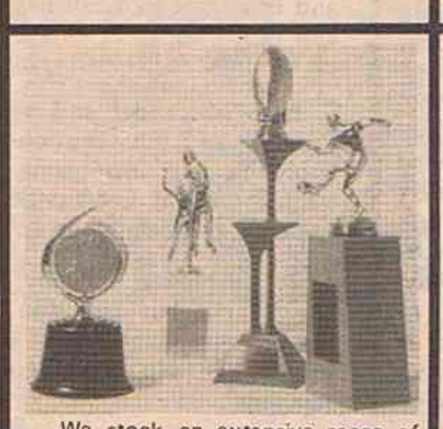

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Clever Carter

SOUTH Fremantle rover Noel Carter is certainly one of the most unselfish and courageous players in league football — as he confirmed with his part in his team's ninth goal against East Perth. Carter had run hard to mark a Paul Vasoli kick right on the point line. Knowing that he was going to be on an impossible angle, his first reaction was to look for a lead — and he found the elusive Brad Hardie waiting out near centre-half-forward for just such a situation. A smart chip shot that caught the Royals defenders by surprise and South had an easy goal, thanks to Carter's quick thinking.

WILY WILLIE

SOUTH Fremantle's Willie Roe has featured several times in the Channel 7 World of Sport awards segments on Sundays. He collected another $100 for the Town and Country WA goal-of-the-day last week with his team's 16th major against East Perth. Roe took possession wide out on the half-forward flank, shrugged off a tackle from Dean Turner and then lobbed a beautiful 50-metre kick right through the centre.

SPEEDY SKIPPER

DEMONS captain Bryan Cousins has been a hard-working leader this year, turning in some top games as a rover. But last Saturday against East Fremantle he looked as though he had grown an extra leg. The pace he showed off the mark was blistering and it seems as though Cousins might have been labouring for a few weeks with a leg or groin ailment that he has not divulged the the public. His speed across the first 10 metres produced two of his four goals. In both cases he ran hard to make position for the ball and then slipped into top gear to shoot for goal.

CONFUSING GOAL

JUST who did kick East Fremantle's first goal last Saturday? There was plenty of confusion around the ground when rover Mario Turco fired in a great running shot from the boundary line, well out towards the half-forward line. The kick landed right on the white line in the goal square and the ball bounced back into play as the Perth defenders went the wrong way. East Fremantle ruckman Paul Harding, who was right there waiting for the outcome; grabbed the ball and popped it through just to make sure. Most people agreed that it was Turco's major, but Harding's quick thinking was certainly worthy of at least three points!

HARD WORKER

EAST Perth rookie Peter Dawson showed the benefit of hard running when he brought up his team's 14th major against South. Dawson did all the hard work to get the ball out of a centre scrum and when he ran past Craig Earnshaw to take a handpass he suddenly found the goals in his sights. He broke into the clear and goaled on the run for a much deserved major.

Marlboro's Top Ten

Warren Ralph (Claremont)	111.58
John Scott (East Perth)	61.31
Chris Stasinowsky (South Frem)	55.33
Clinton Brown (Subiaco)	55.36
Colin Waterson (East Frem)	48.33
Paul Arnold (South Frem)	47.30
Craig Edwards (East Perth)	47.27
Mick Rea (Perth)	47.24
Peter Spencer (East Perth)	44.24
Allen Daniels (Claremont)	44.29

YOUNG East Perth player David Morgan certainly deserves the Hard Yakka award for this week.

It was Morgan's first league game – and it came on the day that he celebrated his 19th birthday. His game looked as though it was over at the 20 minute mark of the first term when he was flattened by a Stephen Michael hip-and-shoulder and was carried off. However, he came back in the second half to be a good player for the Royals. Here Morgan is under pressure from Souths defender Warren Mosconi. Morgan's effort earns him a pair of Rigs trousers or Brut jeans from Yakka.

THE FALCONS CAN RUIN IT

By BOB CRIBB

WEST Perth, football's biggest flop in 1983, can ruin everything if they find form and defeat the Sharks at Leederville this week.

The Falcons, who promised everything and gave nothing this season, will end all conjecture about the final four if they win this game.

A West Perth victory would mean that East Perth will stay in fourth spot and next week's clash between East Perth and East Fremantle would have no bearing on the fight for fourth spot.

Ron Alexander and his young Sharks should be ultra-cautious about their approach to this game because their track record at Leederville Oval in recent years has not been good anyway.

It will be a tragedy not only for the Sharks but also for the WAFL and league attendances if West Perth do get up and win their second last game of the year.

The league has been counting on a "fifth final" situation in the last week of qualifying games.

APPETITE

That situation would provide an ideal lead-up to the semi-finals and would whet the public's appetite for the football that counts.

I am confident that the Sharks will respond to the challenge and will defeat West Perth.

I also believe they will then defeat East Perth and make a last minute entry into the finals.

I also think they could cause a giant upset by defeating whoever they meet in the first semi-final.

However, all of those victories hinge on the fitness of their brilliant goal kicking rover Kevin Taylor.

Taylor is playing on one leg at the moment and East Fremantle cannot afford to give him a week off because every game is a final for them.

Last Saturday Taylor was pulled off the ground when the game was won and hopefully he will be in better shape for the game at Leederville.

Media's top tipsters

SOME of WA's football media men are being put to shame — by their newspaper photographers!

The John Buzza Menswear media tipsters poll sees two photographers setting the pace.

Richie Hann (Westside Football) won the first round of tipping and Todge Campbell (West Australian) took the honours in the second round — and they continue to lead the way.

With just two qualifying games to go, Campbell and Hann are the leaders, closely pressed by a host of media men.

The John Buzza tipsters' poll at present has these men up near the lead:

76: Richie Hann (Westside Football).
75: Todge Campbell (West Australian).
73: Arthur Hughes (Sunday Independent), Lew Nathan (Sunday Times).
72: Rob Bennett (Sunday Times-Westside Football).
71: Peter Phillips (Channel 7).
70: Barry Daniels (Channel 7).
69: Gary Stocks: (Westside Football), Geoff Worner (Sunday Times).

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THERE'S just two WAFL qualifying games remaining . . . and either one of these two footballers will be off to New Zealand depending on how they play in those games.

Peter Spencer (right) and Steve Malaxos are fighting out the Sheraton-Perth Hotel footballer-of-the-year award run by the Football Budget . . . with a trip for two to New Zealand and fabulous accommodation at the Auckland Sheraton as the major prize.

The voting is judged on the best-player lists in The West Australian each Monday morning – so there will be plenty of tension in those two remaining games.

Incidentally, the two champion centreman are pictured here enjoying each other's company at the Sheraton's Clinker Grill, with a little bit of help from Shelley Weir (left) and Sue Carswell.

DOCTOR FOOTBALL

The Dislocated Shoulder

THERE is a lot of confusion about what is a dislocated shoulder and what is not.

This is because there are actually two joints involved in the shoulder.

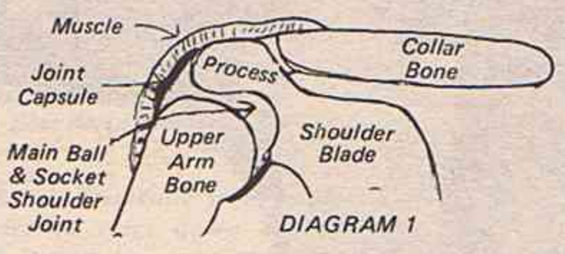
Firstly, there is the real shoulder joint made up where the arm bone and its round head fits into a very shallow cavity, provided by the shoulder blade. This is a very shallow ball and socket type of joint.

The stability to the joint is provided not only by the capsule which surrounds the joint, but also the surrounding muscles.

Above this joint forming the tip of the shoulder is what is referred to as the acromio-clavicular joint (see Diagram 1). This is a smaller and less important joint. It is, nevertheless, a frequently injured joint.

When this joint is injured, the end of the collarbone and the process of the shoulder blade which form the joint lose their alignment (see Diagram 2).

Players and supporters think that the player has a disclocated shoulder when this less important joint is disrupted. However, a dislocation of the real shoulder, is when the ball socket joint is involved.



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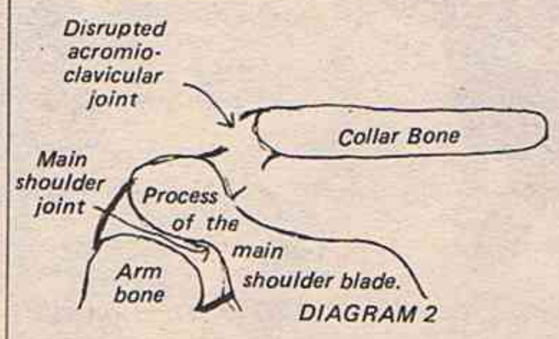
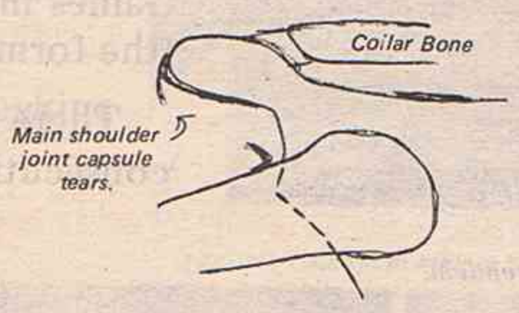


DIAGRAM 2

Injury to the smaller and less important acromio clavicular joint on the tip of the shoulder is caused by heavy bumps, or by landing heavily onto the shoulder tip.

There is a disruption of the ligaments holding the bones in place and the end of the collar bone dislocates up. It is a very common injury in football. A player can be out of the game between one week to a month depending on the severity of the dislocation.



Now, when dealing with a real shoulder joint dislocation, the head of the arm bone comes out of the socket, as shown in the above diagram.

This is a very dramatic injury, and the player is very distressed. If expert help is available, it is best to try and reduce the dislocation quickly before swelling and muscle spasm becomes evident, otherwise it becomes difficult and the reduction of this dislocation has to be achieved under a general anaesthetic in hospital. Usually the player is slightly shocked and in severe pain and pain killing injections may have to be provided.

Once the joint is reduced, the arm is worn in a sling for eight weeks and then gradual rehabilitation is commenced to strengthen the muscles that give the shoulder joint stability. Thus, unlike the one to four weeks with the smaller acromio clavicular joint, three months is often missed. If it is dislocated under the age of 22, there is a 90% chance that the dislocation will recur. It is therefore advisable in the under-age group to have operations performed in the off-season to prevent a recurrence.

There are two operations fashionable.

One is called the Bankart operation, where the ligaments that are damaged with the initial dislocation are tightened and repaired to prevent re-dislocation.

A second and more simple operation is called the Putti plat operation, where the tendon of a muscle called the subscapularis (which sits beneath the shoulder blade) is re-attached to a diferent part of the arm bone. This change of muscle action prevents the head of the arm bone from externally rotating outwards and dislocating.

The test doctors use to see if the shoulder has healed after a dislocation and rehabilitation, is for the player to put his hands on his head and the elbow is pushed back. This is called the apprehension test.

If this does not inconvenience the player, then often this means the tissues have healed and the shoulder is stable enough to resume sport.

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Stephen Michael runs through his milestone banner . . . and stands over David Morgan after their hectic collision.

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ACTION P PERTH

IT was a hectic day at Perth Oval last Saturda

It was a battle royal between the two keen East Perth players Mal Brown (coach), John Ha ing to Perth Oval in red-and-white colours.

And East Perth, turning on a big day for grou Games mascot Willy the Koala and Australia's (the former Shirley Strickland), were in a detern

There was plenty of action surrounding Ste consecutive game . . . as our photographer RICH

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BELOW: East Perth trainers attend to Glyn Williams . . . and carry David Morgan off the ground.

SPOTLIGHT

DAY AT OVAL

turday — in more ways than one.

keen rivals — South Fremantle, with former
n Hayes, Paul Arnold and Willie Roe return-

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lia's champion athlete Shirley de la Hunty
etermined mood.

g Stephen Michael's 206th record-breaking
RICHIE HANN has captured.

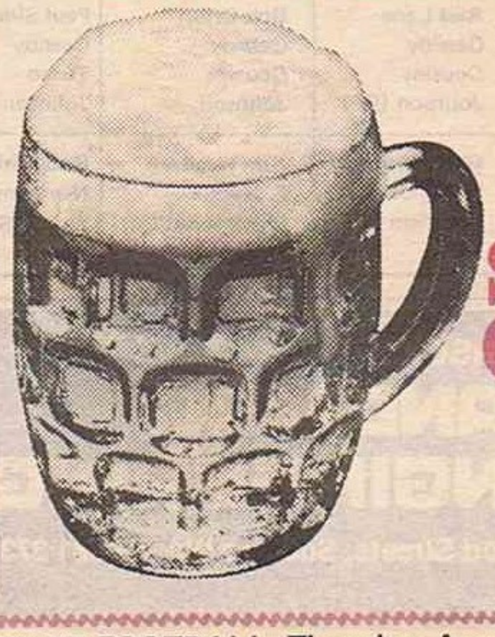
ABOVE: Champion athlete Shirley de la Hunty gets a cuddle from Willy the Koala, the Olympic Games mascot.

ABOVE: Mal Brown has his own special message for the jeering East Perth fans.

BELOW: South Fremantle vice-president Clive Lewington tries to calm down a Royals supporter – and Brown (on the right) has his say.

ABOVE: The volatile Royals fans have a few words to the departing South Fremantle players.

"You've earned it"



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The following lists show the statistical progress of the top 20 players in each category in the WAFL.

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This week's winner is Claremont centreman Stephen Malaxos.

KICKS

PLAYER	CLUB	TOTAL
Don Langsford	Swan Districts	434
Cam Shepherd	Perth	417
Peter Spencer	East Perth	397
Stephen Malaxos	Claremont	382
Phil Lamb	Subiaco	365
Bryan Cousins	Perth	364
Leon Baker	Swan Districts	358
Darrell Panizza	Claremont	354
Neil Taylor	Subiaco	347
Allen Daniels	Claremont	343
Noel Carter	South Fremantle	341
Les Fong	West Perth	340
Brad Hardie	South Fremantle	336
Steven Goulding	Claremont	328
Ross Gibbs	West Perth	320
Paul Vasoli	South Fremantle	310
Wayne Blackwell	Claremont	309
Peter Thorne	East Perth	308
Phil Cronan	West Perth	301
Brad Shine	Swan Districts	299

HIT OUTS

PLAYER	CLUB	TOTAL
John Ironmonger	East Perth	519
Paul Harding	East Fremantle	344
Ron Boucher	Swan Districts	341
Laurie Keene	Subiaco	329
Stephen Michael	South Fremantle	280
Steve Turner	Perth	244
Craig Nelson	West Perth	220
Barry Beecroft	Claremont	191
Ben Jager	West Perth	190
David Rawlinson	South Fremantle	189
Phil Scott	Subiaco	182
Mick Johns	Swan Districts	176
Graham Moss	Claremont	166
Rhett Baynes	Perth	134
Ron Alexander	East Fremantle	133
Craig Edwards	East Perth	132
Peter Sartori	Swan Districts	107
Barrie Quick	South Fremantle	75
Wayne Duke	Claremont	65
Alan Sidebottom	Swan Districts	63
Baden Harper	Claremont	58

MARKS

PLAYER	CLUB	TOTAL
Warren Ralph	Claremont	142
Craig Edwards	East Perth	133
Peter Thorne	East Perth	132
Rod Alderton	West Perth	129
Wayne Blackwell	Claremont	127
Leon Baker	Swan Districts	125
Peter Spencer	East Perth	122
Ross Fitzgerald	Perth	120
Don Langsford	Swan Districts	118
Clinton Browning	East Fremantle	113
Steve Turner	Perth	110
Bruce Monteath	South Fremantle	109
Graham Moss	Claremont	108
Stephen Michael	South Fremantle	106
Paul Harding	East Fremantle	105
John Ironmonger	East Perth	105
Brad Hardie	South Fremantle	104
Ross Gibbs	West Perth	101
Barry Beecroft	Claremont	100
Brad Shine	Swan Districts	100

HANDBALLS

PLAYER	CLUB	TOTAL
Peter Spencer	East Perth	234
Mark Watson	Claremont	189
Murray Wrensted	East Fremantle	183
Stephen Malaxos	Claremont	179
Wayne Blackwell	Claremont	178
Paul Vasoli	South Fremantle	170
Peter Thorne	East Perth	166
Stephen Michael	South Fremantle	160
Don Langsford	Swan Districts	159
Dwayne Lamb	Subiaco	157
Shane Ellis	East Fremantle	144
Bryan Cousins	Perth	142
Neil Taylor	Subiaco	142
Wally Matera	South Fremantle	141
Graham Moss	Claremont	140
Greg Walsh	East Perth	139
Peter O'Connell	Perth	136
Les Fong	West Perth	135
Clinton Roberts	Perth	132
Brad Shine	Swan Districts	127

DISPOSALS

PLAYER	CLUB	TOTAL
Peter Spencer	East Perth	631
Don Langsford	Swan Districts	593
Stephen Malaxos	Claremont	561
Cam Shepherd	Perth	521
Bryan Cousins	Perth	506
Neil Taylor	Subiaco	489
Wayne Blackwell	Claremont	487
Paul Vasoli	South Fremantle	480
Phil Lamb	Subiaco	476
Les Fong	West Perth	475
Peter Thorne	East Perth	474
Darrell Panizza	Claremont	463
Noel Carter	South Fremantle	448
Leon Baker	Swan Districts	446
Allen Daniels	Claremont	442
Brad Hardie	South Fremantle	433
Brad Shine	Swan Districts	426
Steven Goulding	Claremont	424
Phil Cronan	West Perth	413

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National TOP TEN

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WAFL

PLAYER	CLUB	KICKS	MARKS	H/BALLS	TOTAL
Peter Spencer	East Perth	397	122	234	1231
Don Langsford	Swan Dist.	434	118	159	1106
Wayne Blackwell	Claremont	309	127	178	1046
Peter Thorne	East Perth	308	132	166	1036
Stephen Malaxos	Claremont	382	90	179	1010
Leon Baker	Swan Dist.	358	125	88	909
Paul Vasoli	Sth Frem.	310	85	170	905
Cam Shepherd	Perth	417	91	104	898
Phil Lamb	Subiaco	365	100	111	887
Darrell Panizza	Claremont	354	97	109	863

VFL

PLAYER	CLUB	KICKS	MARKS	H/BALLS	TOTAL
Ross Glendinning	Nth Melb.	279	135	141	966
Brian Wilson	Melb.	244	116	146	884
Geoff Cunningham	St Kilda	205	99	189	880
Terry Wallace	Hawthorn	453	61	120	876
Tony Shaw	Collingwood	263	78	186	869
Steven Wallis	Footscray	237	81	190	860
Mike Richardson	Collingwood	258	103	145	857
Steven Icke	Melbourne	201	88	188	841
Terry Daniher	Essendon	267	120	106	839
Tim Watson	Essendon	331	93	113	836

SANFL

Because of the split round in Adelaide which started last weekend, and will be completed this weekend, no figures are available for this competition. Full details will appear next week.

LAST WEEKEND'S TOP PERFORMER

Claremont's dynamic centreman Stephen Malaxos was the most effective player in West Australian football last weekend.

The talented Tiger, who has made the transition from a permanent forward spot to the more free-flowing role of centreman or ruck rover, was one of the major contributors in Claremont's impressive win over West Perth. At the same time he revealed the traits which make him a hot Sandover Medal prospect.

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August 6	West Australian	Sunday Times	Sunday Independent	Weekend News	Channel 7	6PR	6KY	6IX	6WF	ABC TV	Umpires
East Perth v S. Frem.	Geoff Christian Hardie (SF) Roe (SF) Magro (EP)	Colin Hopkins Hardie Roe Magro	Peter Poat Hardie Cockie (SF) Thorne (EP)	Mike Thomson Hardie Turner (EP) Roe	IN CAMERA	Alan East Hardie Cockie Thorne	Colin Hopkins Hardie Roe Magro	IN CAMERA	Ian Brayshaw Hardie Magro Roe	Eric Sarich Hardie Thorne Spencer	Phillips/ O'Reilly
Claremont v W. Perth	Steve Wright Panizza (C) Malaxos (C) Blackwell (C)	Ray Wilson Malaxos Panizza Blackwell	Gary Stocks Panizza Malaxos Blackwell	Robbie Burns Malaxos Panizza Panizza		Bob Hicks Panizza Malaxos Blackwell	Joe Fanchi Panizza Malaxos Menaglio (WP)		Ray Lawrence Panizza Malaxos Blackwell	Grant Dorrington Malaxos Panizza Blackwell	Morris/ Rowe
E. Frem. v Perth	Ken Casellas Turco (EF) Cousins (P) Cassidy (EF)	Rod Lane Cassidy Cousins Johnson (EF)	Bob Cribb Cassidy Cousins Johnson	Paul Simpson Cassidy Turco Johnson		Peter Van Helden Wrensted Cousins Cassidy	Ken Inman Cassidy Cousins S. Green (EF)		Tony Parentich Cassidy Cousins Wrensted	Keith Slater Wrensted Turco Cassidy	Appleby/ Gillies
S. Dist. v Subiaco	Doug Young Neesham (SD) P. Narkle (SD) Ware (SD)	Geoff Worner P. Narkle Neesham Ware	Kim Hagdorn P. Narkle Skwirowski (SD) Ware	Rod White Neesham Smith (SD) Ware		Oscar Howard P. Narkle Ware Langsford (SD)	Les Mumme P. Narkle Shine Smith		John Vukman P. Narkle Neesham Shine	John Vukman P. Narkle Neesham Shine	Ball/ Buckey

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ANOTHER BIG MILESTONE FOR MOSS

GRAHAM Moss has always put the team before the individual — and nothing will change this week when he makes his 250th league appearance for Claremont.

The Tigers' captain-coach says that the club milestone really does not mean a great deal to him. He is not being disrespectful to Claremont — simply, he would rather see the Tigers score another impressive victory.

Moss has every reason to concentrate his attention on the team.

In the last fortnight Claremont have produced two powerhouse performances and they are gradually building up to the form which saw them reign as the undisputed kings of WA football after the first series of seven matches.

In the last match of that series, South Fremantle met the Tigers at Claremont Oval to decide who would remain the only undefeated side in the competition — and Claremont won handsomely.

They are now playing with that same confidence — vigour, feeling and discipline . . . and that is an ominous sign for the Bulldogs and Swans as the finals draw near.

However, it would be remiss not to give Moss special mention for his milestone this Saturday.

Only one other player in the history of Claremont has reached the goal — Ken Caporn holds the record for games played with the Tigers with 273 matches.

Moss has achieved a great deal in his 14 years of senior football, including the sole Brownlow Medal ever won by a West Australian, State captaincy, Victorian representation and being a successful coach.

His next aim is to take Claremont to their second flag in three seasons — and then he might consider pulling his boots on again next year to break Caporn's long-standing record.

Little League too

Every year when the country leagues converge on Perth to play in the Wesfarmers championships Little League teams also come to the city and they have their own competition.

Upper Great Southern won the right to play Eastern Districts in the grand final of this event when they beat Avon in their qualifying match.

However, Eastern Districts proved too strong in the final and won 5.2 to 0.1.

Goals came from Joe Alvaro, Sean Scadding, Ryan Noble, Jason Bowe and Steven Hens, while their best players were Steven Hills, Roger Taylor and Robert Clayton.

Best for Upper Great Southern were Wayne Hernaman, James Scallan and Tim Lewis.

JUNIOR QUIZ

The answer to last week's junior quiz was Mick Malone and the lucky winner is Adam Hollingsworth of Kingsley.

THOMAS HARDY present . . .

FLYNN'S FOLLY

This week's bottle of Hardy's Grand Reserve Brut champagne goes to East Perth president Mal Atwell who shocked the football world by getting upset at the on-field antics of Stephen Michael and the off-field behaviour of Malcolm Brown. After all, Atwell was one of the toughest players we've ever seen (ask Mark O'Donoghue) and I'm sure he wouldn't want to see the game get tame.

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BAD LUCK

SPARE a thought for field umpire David Johnson this season!

After breaking into League ranks last year and notching 14 games, his 1983 future looked bright — but how things do change.

He had an indifferent start to the season, but earned four senior games and was showing some form. However, it didn't last and he was dropped back to the reserves.

Johnson then earned re-selection in the senior panel in mid-June and started to umpire really well . . . so much so that he would have been under consideration for a finals job.

Then he injured his eye in an accident at work and had to spend time in hospital. It was a couple of weeks before he decided to have another go at umpiring and he regained form and fitness to win back a place in reserves.

Then, in his first game back in reserves, he snapped ligaments in an ankle when he went over on the uneven ground at Claremont Oval . . . and now he is out of action for the rest of the season.

As he said, lamenting on the bench after his injury, "It hasn't been a good season."

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TON UP

WELL done Graham Daniels, who notched his 100th senior game recently as a boundary umpire.

It was a long time coming, as Graham had been sitting on 99 games for more than a season as injury and loss of form made it hard for him to regain a top spot.

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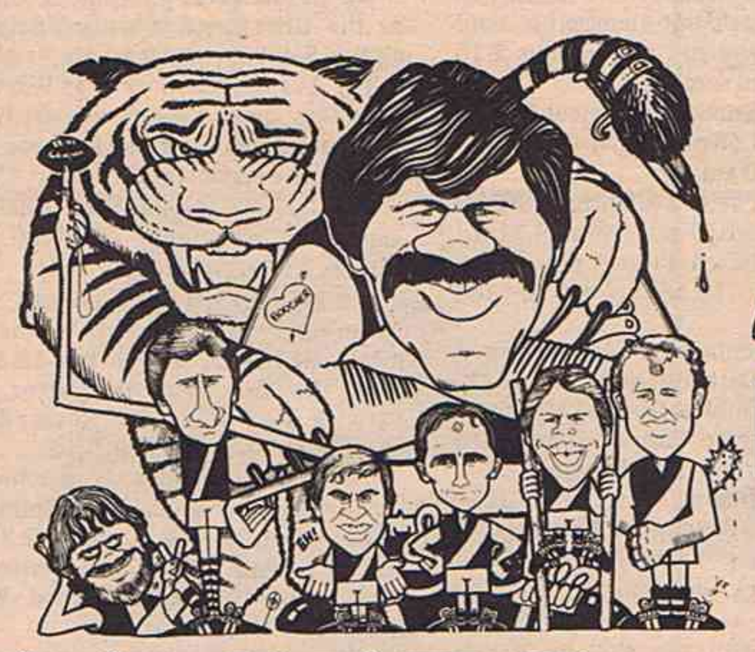

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JUNIOR PAGE

Grand finals start on Sunday

THE Hills Association will be the first to complete their season with their grand finals this Sunday at Pickering Brook Oval — and the Darlington club have two chances of winning grade titles.

The 12s bring together Mundaring and Mt Helena at 10.30 am followed by an exhibition 9s game between Pickering Brook and Mundaring at 11.45 am.

Darlington will then do battle against Parkerville in the 14s at 12.30 pm and the 16s premiership play-off sees Mazenod face Darlington at 2pm.

Last weekend's preliminary finals saw three comfortable victories with Mt Helena 7.10 defeating Wooroloo 3.1 in the 12s; Parkerville 8.12 being too strong for Mt Helena 7.3 in the 14s and the 16s, Darlington destroyed Pickering Brook's 1983 chances with a 13.12 to 7.7 win.

SWAN DISTRICTS

THE 11s qualifying final replay held last Saturday in the Swan Districts zone almost ended in another drawn game.

Ashfield and Midvale, who had drawn their final the weekend before,fought out a tough game before Ashfield won by the barest of margins, one point victors 4.2 to 3.7.

These two sides met again the following day to contest their semi-finals and now face each other yet again to decide who will go into the grand final.

In the first semi, Midvale 5.5 beat Maida Vale 1.2 and Belmont 5.4 accounted for Ashfield 2.3 in the second semi.

The 12s saw an even first semi with Cloverdale running out winners 5.8 to 5.1 against Guildford Grammar, while the second semi went to Bassendean who overpowered Swan View to win 7.2 to 1.2.

Swan View now meet Cloverdale in this week's final.

In the 13s, top side Belmont must be causing some concern with their second consecutive loss, their only blemishes for the season.

They went down to Mazenod White 3.5 to 2.4 in the second semi while Redcliffe 11.3 eliminated Cloverdale 7.9 in the first semi.

As in the 15s grade, Belmont now face Redcliffe in Sunday's preliminary final.

The 15s saw Bassendean lose their second final in a row by less than a kick when they were beaten 7.7 to 7.6 by Belmont in the first semi.

Swan View trounced Redcliffe in the second semi 15.14 to 2.6. Bassendean were easy victors over Cloverdale in the 16s first semi winning 27.10 to 13.10 and Swan View progressed to the grand final after defeating Redcliffe 15.14 to 8.10 in the second semi.

Bassendean and Redcliffe now meet this Sunday.

Because of a re-shuffle in the finals programme, the venues and starting times were unable to be submitted at the deadline, but followers can contact Registrar Gary Hywood on 294 2883 for complete details.

WEST PERTH

THE most significant result last weekend in the West Perth Junior Council was a tied game between Osborne Park and North Dianella in the 13s elimination final.

Osborne Park booted 5.8 to their opponents' 3.14; but out-scored them in the extra-time play-off, 1.2 to two points.

They now meet Balga Orange, who lost their qualifying final 6.4 to 2.2 against CBC, this Saturday at 10.30 am at Keemore Park (Balga).

In the second semi, Marist play CBC at Dianella 1, also at 10.30 am.

The 11s saw a great struggle in the first semi, Balga eventually pipping Osborne Park 4.6 to 4.5.

The second semi saw North beat Marist 8.5 to 2.10. Marist and Balga meet Sunday at Leederville Oval starting at 9.10 am.

The 12s elimination final went to North Innaloo 7.10 over Osborne Park White 2.5, and CBC 7.6 won the qualifying final against Cardinals 3.3.

The first semi brings Cardinals and North Innaloo together at Dianella 1 and Westminster Balga will meet CBC at Newman 1 (Churchlands Senior High School) — both semis are on Saturday at 9.10 am.

Osborne Park 10.6 won the 14s first semi versus Servite 3.5 and the second semi is being conducted this Saturday between Marist and Balga at Robinson Reserve (Tuart Hill) at 10.30 am.

In the 15s elmination final Marist 11.7 outscored Balga 6.5 and Nollamara did better than Mirrabooka to win their qualifying final clash 12.10 to 10.4.

This Sunday at 10.30 am Mirrabooka and Marist meet in the first semi at Lilleymans Reserve (Mt Hawthorn), while Osborne Park and Nollamara play each other in the second semi at Newman 1.

Balga play Servite this Sunday in the 17s Division One first semi at Robinson Reserve, while Mirrabooka play North Innaloo Red in the second semi at Dianella 1 — both games at 10.30 am.

The 17s Division Two first semi saw North Innaloo White defeat CBC 11.8 to 7.7 and Nollamara kicked 6.20 in the second semi to win against Marist Black 5.4.

The latter now front North Innaloo White this Sunday at Leederville Oval at 10.30 am.

CLAREMONT

CARINE won Claremont Junior Council's 11s first semi with a 4.9 to 3.3 victory over North Beach, while Karrinyup kicked poorly at goals but managed to hold out Scarborough and run out winners 2.10 to 3.0 in the second semi.

This Sunday Scarborough meet Carine at Teakwood Oval (Woodlands) in the preliminary final at 10 am.

In the 12s first semi Dalkeith/Nedlands trounced Woodlands/Doubleview 8.11 to 1.10, while City Beach/Floreat accountered for Karrinyup 10.16 to 3.5 in the second semi.

Sunday's preliminary final between Karrinyup and Dalkeith/Nedlands is at Luketina Oval (Wembley Downs) at 10 am.

Claremont defeated Carine 6.3 to 3.6 in the 13s first semi and Woodlands/Doubleview beat Churchlands/Wembley 8.5 to 1.10 in the second semi — Churchlands/Wembley now face Claremont at Allen Park (Swanbourne) this Sunday at 11.30 am.

The 14s first semi was won by Woodlands/Doubleview 7.17 over Scarborough 6.2 and Dalkeith/Nedlands booked a grand final berth when they downed Carine 11.3 to 7.11 in the second semi clash.

Carine and Woodlands/Doubleview play the preliminary final this Sunday at College Park (Claremont) at 11.30 am.

Woodlands/Doubleview also won the 15s first semi when they fronted Claremont, the final scores being 16.7 to 8.15.

They now meet North Beach, who lost their second semi battle 16.9 to 7.3 against Swanbourne, in Sunday's prelimianry final at Millington Reserve (Karrinyup) at 1.15 pm.

AROUND THE CLUBS

By Gary Bartholomeusz

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SUBIACO'S WANNEROO

SUBIACO'S Wanneroo Junior Football League conducted their semi-finals last weekend, and although scores aren't available, the winners and preliminary final fixtures are provided.

In their 11s Gold sector, Northern Districts White beat Whitford Bulldogs and Warwick White defeated Warwick Black in the first and second semis respectively.

Saturday's preliminary final between Warwick Black and Northern Districts White is being played at 9 am at Robin Reserve (Marmion).

Wanneroo beat Whitford Tigers while Warwick Red downed Ocean Ridge in the 11s Maroon semis — Blackall Oval (Greenwood) is the venue and 9 am is the start time for the Ocean Ridge/Wanneroo clash this Saturday.

The 12s preliminary final between Warwick Black and Sorrento/Duncraig Blue is to be played at Hudson Oval (Girrawheen) at 10.30 am this Saturday.

Sorrento/Duncraig Blue made the final by defeating Warwick White in the first semi while Warwick black lost their encounter against Kingsley.

Whitford Tigers won the first semi in the 14s Maroon division, they accounted for Northern Districts Blue, while Warwick Red downed Whitford Bulldogs in the second semi.

The Bulldogs and Tigers now meet this Saturday at Hainsworth Park (Girrawheen) in the preliminary final at 10.30 am.

The Gold grade of the 13s saw Whitford Saints beat Ocean Ridge in the first semi and Warwick Black were too good for Girrawheen in the second semi.

Wanneroo Showgrounds is the setting for the Girrawheen/Whitford Saints meeting this Saturday at 10.30 am.

The 14s first semi went to Warwick Red when they came through against Wanneroo and Koondoola were best versus Warwick Black in the second semi.

This grade's prelimianry final will be conducted on Sunday at 10.30 am at a proposed changed venue.

Warwick Black will contest the 15s preliminary final against Wanneroo this Sunday at Hainsworth Park at 12.30 pm.

In the first semi the latter defeated Warwick Red while the former lost their second semi game to Whitfords.

The 17s sees Whitfords matched against Girrawheen in Sunday's preliminary final at Wanneroo Showgrounds at 2.30 pm. In the first semi Girrawheen ousted Koondoola while Warwick downed Whitfords in the second semi.

EAST FREMANTLE

THE East Fremantle Junior Council start their finals programme this weekend:

SATURDAY: 12s Blue: First semi — Willetton v Melville at Karoonda 1, 9 am. Second semi — East Fremantle v Thornlie at Marmion Oval (Melville) 9 am.

12s White: First semi — Attadale v Willetton at Marmion Oval 10.30 am. Second semi — Lynwood v Riverton at Karoonda 1, 10.30 am.

13s: First semi — Rossmoyne v East Fremantle at Ferndale 1, 9 am. Second semi — Karoonda v Thornlie at Riverton 9 am.

14s: First semi — Thornlie v Lynwood at Riverton 10.30 am. Second semi — Mt Pleasant v Rossmoyne at Ferndale 1, 10.30 am.

SUNDAY: 11s Blue: First semi — Karoonda v Willetton at Riverton 9 am. Second semi — East Fremantle v Thornlie at Karoonda 2, 9 am.

11s White: First semi — Riverton v Applecross at Karoonda 2, 10.30 am. Second semi — Willetton v Rossmoyne at Riverton 10.30 am.

15s: First semi — Thornlie v Willetton at Ferndale 1, 1 pm. Second semi — Karoonda v Rossmoyne at Riverton 1pm.

16s: First semi — Melville v Palmyra at Riverton 2.45 pm. Second semi — Lynwood v Attadale at Karoonda at 12.45

17s: First semi — Riverton v Lynwood at Karoonda 1, 2.45 pm. Second semi — Melville v East Fremantle at Ferndale 1, 2.45 pm.

SOUTH FREMANTLE

THE programme for the South Fremantle Junior Council semi-finals are:

All first semis are at Gil Frazer Oval, North Fremantle and second semis at Fremantle Oval.

All games will be on Sunday and starting times are 12s White 9 am, 12s Red 10.25 am, 14s White 11.50 am, 14s Red 1.25 pm and 16s 3 pm.

First semis — South Fremantle v South Coogee (12s White), Kardinya v Coolbellup (12s Red), CBC v Cockburn (14s White), Kwinana v Willagee (14s Red) and Coolbellup v Rockingham (16s).

Second semis — Hilton v Cockburn (12s White), Cockburn v Kwinana (12s Red), South Coogee v Hilton (14s White), Cockburn v CBC (14s Red) and Cockburn v Willagee (16s).

EAST PERTH

THE East Perth Junior Council also move into their semi-finals this weekend.

SATURDAY: 11s: First Semi — Bayswater v Coolbinia-Yokine at Wordsworth Reserve (Inglewood) 9 am. Second semi — Mt Lawley v St Marks at Wordsworth 10.30 am.

12s: First semi — Morley Police Boys v Dianella at Coolbinia 9 am. Second semi — St Marks v Bayswater at Coolbinia 10.30

13s: First semi — Noranda v St Marks at De Lacy Reserve (Maylands) 9 am. Second semi — Morley Police Boys v Bayswater Green at De Lacy Reserve 10.30 am.

14s: First semi — Noranda v Swanleigh Gold at Houghton Reserve (Bayswater) 10.20 am. Second semi — St Marks v Bayswater at Cook Reserve (Morley) 10.20 am.

SUNDAY: 15s: First semi — St Marks v Morley Police Boys at Coolbinia 9 am. Second semi — Bayswater v East Perth/Highgate at Wordsworth Reserve 9am.

17s: First semi — Bayswater v Dianella at Cook Reserve 10 am. Second semi — Maylands v St Marks at Houghton Reserve 10 am.

R & I Little League

TOP club East Fremantle went on a goal-kicking spree in their R and I Little League match against Perth on Saturday.

The young Sharks kicked a mammoth 7.6 while Perth were held scoreless.

Jarren Craven and Paul Tierney (two goals each), Troy Simmonds, Mark Spencer and Paul Major (one goal apiece) did well for East while Mark Dellabona, Neville Bowey and Brendon Mott were triers for Perth.

At the other end of the scale East Perth and South Fremantle drew in an exciting clash with scores of 2.0 each.

Jason Radetic, Peter Cotton (one goal) and Ray Tassone (one goal) did well for East Perth while Paul Mullings, Don Dougan (one goal each) and Peter Nicholas played strongly for the Bulldogs.

Swan Districts (3.1) outclassed Subiaco (1.2). Warren Hunter, Callam Winn (two goals) and Chadd Innes (one goal) starred for Swans while Subiaco had good players in Ramond Raynor, Anthony Applebee and Rick Fennell.

Claremont proved too strong for West Perth and won 2.4 to no score.

Lee Sounness kicked both goals and other good players were Maurice O'Neill and Paul Morton. West Perth's best were Guy Williams, George Boulezeris and Duncan Gary.

This week South will be represented by Safety Bay, Swans (Swan View), Perth (Goomalling), Claremont (Woodlands), West Perth (Marist), East Fremantle (Huntingdale), East Perth (St Marks) and Subiaco (Ocean Reef).

TOWN & COUNTRY WA BUILDING SOCIETY

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ATWELL PLAYED HIS ROLE AT PERTH

WHEN Ern Henfry ended his second stint as coach of Perth, the Demons decided that the man to lift them out of a rut was East Perth's rugged defender Mal Atwell.

Henfry had first coached Perth from 1953 to 1959 and started his second session in 1962.

During that time he had built up a team capable of going a long way in the world of football, although he was unfortunate in just winning one premiership.

In his last two seasons as coach, the Demons had always looked dangerous. But they just failed to cap it off when the finals were there to be won.

Atwell had stamped himself as one of football's ironmen during his career at East Perth and Perth thought that the hard disciplinarian would be the answer to their problems.

Since Henfry had won a flag with them in 1955, they had faltered and they were desperate for success.

And Atwell proved to be the ideal replacement for Henfry.

TOUGHNESS

He was not only tough on himself, but tough on his players and it was obvious from early in the season that Atwell could do much to improve the Demons' record in finals.

In his first game as captain coach of Perth he led them to a memorable 143 point victory. Perth at last appeared to have that killer instinct required to reach the top.

They always had ability, but Atwell was the icing on the cake and now they were ruthless. No longer content merely to play in the finals.

They were desperate for success.

In the 1966 qualifying matches they set a club record by winning 11 matches in succession to enable them to finish at the head of the premiership table.

Atwell's old club, East Perth, finished second on the ladder and appeared to be the only team capable of beating the Demons.

When the second semi final arrived feeling was high in both camps. Atwell was determined to succeed against the Royals and East Perth were just as keen to prove to Atwell that he should have stayed with them.

CAPTAINS

They led their teams to a premiership

Mal Atwell . . . one of the real tough men of the game.

It was a bruising encounter and when the final siren sounded, Perth had earned a berth in the grand final by the narrow margin of five points.

East Perth beat West Perth comfortably in the prelininary final to again challenge the Demons and Atwell for the crown.

It was another tough and bruising affair and Perth again took the honours; this time winning by 16 points and presenting Atwell with one of the finest moments in his football career.

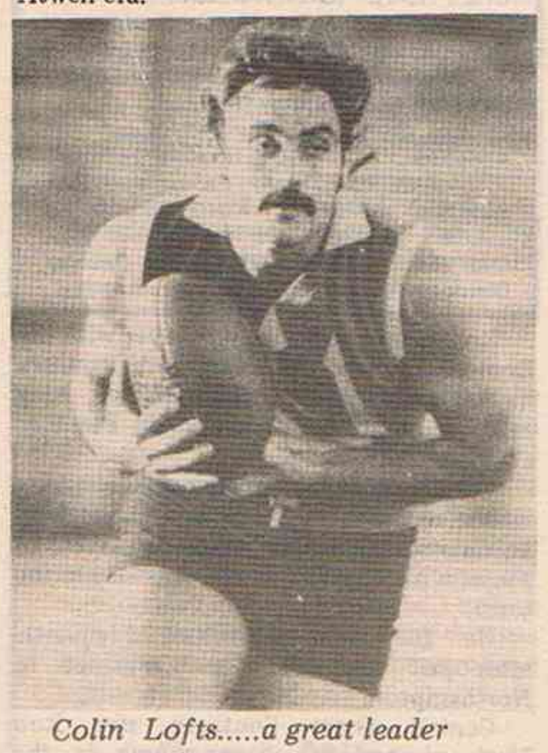
In 1967 it was again East Perth and Perth who dominated the competition with the Demons on top at the end of the qualifying matches.

As the finals drew near it was obvious that it would be a Perth-East Perth grand final.

Atwell pulled off one of his best tactical manouevres when he played himself at full forward in the grand final and kicked six goals in a temendous individual effort to also be his side's best player.

The Demons won the premiership and it was another bitter blow for East Perth, as they went down by just 18 points.

In 1976 Perth again rose to power, exactly 10 years after the start of the Atwell era.



Colin Lofts.....a great leader

GRAND FINAL 1966 30th SEPTEMBER

	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Tot pts
Perth	6:7	8:10	9:22	11:25	91
East Perth	2:1	8:10	8:11	10:15	75

Goals — (P) Cable 6, Jenzen 2, Ramshaw 1, Astone 1, Pyke 1. (EP) Brown 2, Tierney 2, Jackson 2, Haughan 1, Doncon 1, Bandy 1, Jennings 1.
Best — (P) Cable, Krepp, Lawrence, Astone, Jenzen, Pyke. (EP) Smith, Doncon, Gillespie, MacGregor, Brown, Jackson.
Played at Subiaco Oval. Umpire R. Montgomery.
Free kicks P 5, 8, 5, 7, — 25. EP 9, 7, 3, 4, — 23.
Attendance 46,763.
Perth won toss and kicked with breeze.
Simpson Medalist: B. Cable (P)

GRAND FINAL 1967 30th SEPTEMBER

	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Tot pts
Perth	3:5	9:9	12:9	18:12	120
East Perth	4:2	7:4	13:7	15:12	102

Goals — (P) Atwell 6, Isegar 4, Dalton 3, Astone 2, Jenzen 2, Bennett 1. (EP) Tierney 4, Verstegen 3, Doncon 2, Pitter 1, Garnaut 1, Jackson 1, Brown 1, Kennedy 1, Evans 1.
Best — (P) Atwell, Cable, Astone, Dalton, Ramshaw, Isegar. (EP) Doncon, Gillespie, Chadwick, Pitter, Smith, Tierney.
Played at Subiaco Oval. Umpire R. Scott.
Free kicks P 8, 2, 7, 8, — 25. EP 12, 8, 11, 6, — 37.
Attendance 42,625.
Simpson Medalist: B. Cable (P)

GRAND FINAL 1968 28th SEPTEMBER

	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Tot pts
Perth	1:2	9:8	11:11	16:14	110
East Perth	2:3	4:4	10:6	13:8	86

Goals — (P) Isegar 3, Bennett 3, Astone 3, Miller 3, Jenzen 1, Cable 1, Dalton 1, King 1. (EP) Tierney 4, Bygraves 3, McCarthy 2, Haughan 2, Pitter 1, Gillespie 1.
Best — (P) Cable, Astone, Dalton, Bennett, Millson, Rothnie. (EP) Brown, McAuliay, O'Donoghue, Haines, Smith, Graham.
Played at Subiaco Oval. Umpire R. Scott.
Free kicks P 9, 6, 4, 2, — 21. EP 8, 5, 6, 3, — 22.
Attendance 40,315.
Simpson Medalist: B. Cable (P)

Coach Ken Armstrong had developed a successful pattern of play at Lathlain Park and they had risen from football obscurity in 1975, when they finished sixth, to be a real force in the competition.

But they made their way through to the grand final the hard way.

They won the first semi final against West Perth easily and then beat South Fremantle by 10 goals in the preliminary final.

The players had followed the final on-field example set by one of the club's greatest captains, Colin Lofts. And it was Lofts who gave the side the direction needed to win the grand final.

Once again it was East Perth who were to lose the title match at the hands of Perth.

Perth were in front all day and never looked like being headed by the Royals and the never-say-die attitude of Lofts had spurred them on to great things.

The Demons had again arrived as a formidable combination in the WAFL.

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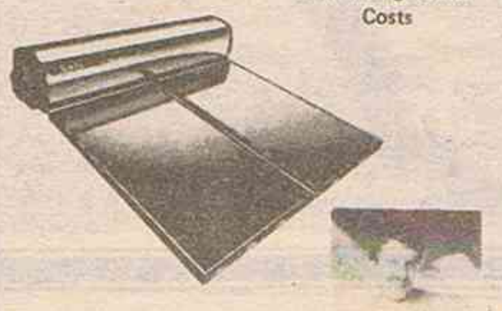

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COUNTRY ROUNDUP

Country football clubs, associations and leagues are invited to submit news items and photographs for inclusion on this page.

Jubilant South West players hold the Wesfarmers Shield aloft after their sixth consecutive carnival win.

LE CRAS WINS NEW ACCLAIM

When Peter Le Cras was forced out of league football by a series of long term injuries his career looked doomed.

Although the talented East Fremantle half back had shown signs of rising to great heights, back trouble and ensuing hamstring problems forced him into retirement.

However, after the Wesfarmers Country Football Championships last week he was given the opportunity to record the finest moment in his career.

After leaving East Fremantle he returned to country football and is now playing in the Central Midlands league.

He was so impressive during the three-day carnival that he was named captain of the WA country team.

Le Cras played in the historic match at Subiaco Oval earlier this year when the first WA State country team played, and beat, a team from South Australia.

And now he is set to lead the WA team in a re-match at Adelaide's Football Park. It is fitting that a player of Le Cras character should be chosen to captain the side when they defend their title.

The selectors have chosen a star studded line-up with many former league players included.

Former Perth players Mick Morris, Kim Rogers and Murray King have also been chosen in the side.

Morris, a talented utility player won the reserves fairest and best award at Lathlain Park last year before returning to his home town and he is now playing in the Avon Football Association.

Rob Marinoni (Central Great Southern) marks strongly in front of his Mortlock opponent.

AWARDS

Fairest and best A-section Grand final: GLEN HOULT (Great Northern).

Fairest and best B-section Grand Final ROD ZILM (Central Great Southern).

Fairest and Best C-section Grand Final: MIKE LE ROY (Murray Districts).

Jock Coleman Trophy Fairest and Best A-section: PAUL COOK (Eastern Districts).

Bud Byfield Trophy Fairest and Best B-section: MURRAY KING (Mortlock).

John Lussick Medal Fairest and Best C-section: DAVID O'BYRNE (Murray Districts).

Rogers was also a utility player with the Demons and since returning to the country he has again acquitted himself well. King made a name for himself with Perth as a half-back flanker.

Former East Fremantle player Glenn Hoult, regarded by many as a player with an outstanding future when he played 10 games with the club in 1979, is also in the team.

He fell out with East Fremantle after just one season and returned to Northampton.

Central Great Southern star Rob Marinoni has also been chosen in the country all-stars team.

Ross Tyson, now one of the stars for the South West, also played solidly at league level in the city.

The announcement of the team came after another successful carnival with the South West winning their sixth consecutive A-section title.

They easily beat Great Northern in the grand final.

Central Great Southern were impressive right throughout the carnival and it came as no surprise when they won the B-section final against Mortlock.

Honours in the C-section went to a professional Murray Districts combination which easily beat Ongerup in the final.

The highlights of the carnival were the return to prominenece of the Central Great Southern and Murray Districts leagues and the closeness of the scores in the A-Section.

However, there were also some disappointments, particularly the performances of B-Section teams Southern Districts and Lower South West, A-Section team Upper Great Southern and South East, who played in the C-Section.

The WA country All-Stars team is: Peter Le Cras (Central Midlands, Capt.), Dave Roberts (South West, V-capt.), Neil Earl, Ross Tyson, Leigh Wright, Graham Jeffrey, Peter Quartermaine (South West), Glenn Hoult, Scott Rowlands, Barry Evans (Great Northern), Dave Clarke, Kim Rogers, Merv Davis, Mick Morris (Avon), Derek Doyle, Paul Cook, Rex Growden (Eastern Districts), John Ditchburn, Rob Marinoni (Central Great Southern), Murray King (Mortlock), Ricky West (North Midlands). Coach: Peter Betti (South West).

Ashley Brown (Murray Districts) is upended by Ongerup's Wayne Wood in the C-grade final.

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WESTSIDE RATINGS

DARWIN BOUND!

SWAN Districts ruck rover Don Langsford is off to Darwin. The talented ruck rover, with 136 points, looks the logical winner of the Westside Football-Crestwood Inntown Perth Hotel player ratings.

He is now nine votes clear of East Perth utility player Peter Spencer and a further vote in front of Perth skipper Bryan Cousins.

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AMATEUR NEWS

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FINALS FIGHT STILL ALIVE

The fight for a finals appearance is still very much alive with even seventh-placed Wembley still in with a chance.

With Old Scotch playing University there is every possibility that Old Wesley or Trinity-Aquinas could grab third spot.

However, if either side loses, they could drop out of the five.

North Beach kicked themselves out of contention, nearly doubling the points over goals against a hard running side in University.

Despite having no effect it is assured that their last appearance will be with the object of displacing Old Wesley from the five.

But at Claremont Oval, with the open spaces and the consistent Dixon and Poole showing dash Old Wesley should win.

Maylands could give a bold showing against league leaders Mt. Lawley as the Rams have displayed over the past few weeks that they do have football ability and can push higher sides.

A pleasing feature of Maylands is the improvement of their younger players.

Trinity-Aquinas should defeat a hot and cold Collegians, but firstly must contain big guns, Craig, Malcolm and Hambley, and have control in the bouncedowns through Jeremy McGrade.

The Boomers could possibly take third spot if they can win by a big margin.

Consequently this should be an excellent guide to their finals chances

The clash of last year's grand finallists, University and Old Scotch, should be a thrilling exhibition of football skills from the two favourites for the flag this year.

The difference between these sides could be the in-form Mike Salmon on a half forward flank, David Steinepries Rakich and Annear all playing well for University.

The game of the day status should be given to the all important game between Nollamara and Wembley, with both sides having a last ditch effort to gain entry to the final five.

Coach Colin Northcott is in sparkling form and will be hard to hold as will dual league medal winner Neale Fong.

Wembley will be looking to big game players Wayne Howes, in possibly his last game before retiring, Bill Payne and Kim Kosovich.

C GRADE

Unless Osborne Park (9th) can cause a major upset by toppling fifth placed Forrestfield, then the final five is established.

Hellenic cling to a slight hope of a finals place by beating fourth team Mt Lawley No. 2 by a big margin. Hellenics have found the going tough with 11 of last year's 'D' premiership team unavailable and hit by serious injuries in recent starts.

Innaloo have missed a finals place, the first time for several seasons while it appears Hamersley, Osborne Park and Wembley No. 3 will be enjoying their football in 'D' next season.

'D': Either Nollamara No. 2, Brentwood or North Beach No. 2 can claim third spot for the double chance.

The final five teams are home with Old Wesley No. 2 dropping a vital game and National Bank have improved in recent weeks.

Both Swanbourne (two wins) and Carlisle No. 2 (one win) have a chance to add to their total when they meet at Allan Park. Dianella look premiership favourites, slightly ahead of Bassendean.

'E': R and I, now fifth, could see themselves watching the finals from the boundary if they fail to account for Lynwood-Ferndale. Sixth placed St Norberts, with superior percentage, meet Maylands No. 2 (seventh).

'F': Floreat-Marist No. 2, Coolbellup and North Fremantle No. 2 are vying for fifth spot. Floreat-Marist No. 2 can put the issue beyond doubt by defeating Coolbellup. The Cooby Cats have a superior percentage and could enter the finals with a good performance. Muresk have disappointed recently by not fielding a team.

'G': Club secretaries of Edgewater and University have failed to phone in scores.

Thanks to M.H.W.P. and Melville Secretaries.

'H': Forrestfield No. 2 (9th) caused an upset by downing fourth placed WAIT No. 2. Old Scotch No. 2 could still scrape into the finals if Mt Lawley No. 3 (top) down WAIT No. 2.

RADIO SHOW

Every Thursday afternoon the W.A.A.F.L. has a segment on Amateur Football on Radio 6PR. It is heard on John Hunt's Sportstalk programme. The amateur round-up has been successful and is generally put to air around 3.15 p.m.

Other Grades

'I': No matter what this week's results are there will be no positional changes. Both No. 2 teams from A.I.C.A. and Scarborough are equal premiership favourites.

'J': Bullcreek No. 2 (8th) showed improved form by downing Alan Richardson's North No. 4 (4th) team. Girrawheen had to pull out all stops to hold out Collegians No. 3. Brian Morris (C.H.B.), wingman Shane Moore, 'Honest' John Elefsen (back-pocket) and ruckman Ray Averail. A.N.Z. and Coolbinia-Yokine No. 2 booked massive scorers last week despite the slippery conditions.

'K': Swanbourne No. 2 look capable of making a last minute dash for fifth. Lynwood-Ferndale No. 2 proved that their young club has depth by establishing itself at the top.

COLTS

'A" University had a training run against the young inexperienced North Beach combination, who have won a creditable six games. Club officials from three teams failed to phone the scores in making it difficult to give comment.

'B': City Beach lifted themselves off the bottom by surprisingly downing M.H.W.P. Bayswater also created a complete reversal of form by defeating fourth placed Uni No. 2.

Morley could slip out of the final five if they fail against Scarborough and Bayswater account for M.H.W.P.

'C': Division 1: Osborne Park played top football to defeat leaders Whitfords. Little separates fifth and eight team. Division 2: The final four has been established, although Old Wesley No. 2 have improved in recent games.

SUNDAY DIVISION: Upsets galore a week ago with East Fremantle downing Fire Brigades and Graylands breaking through to down leaders Swan Athletic. The finals will be wide open.

MEDAL COUNT

AUGUST 24 at Wembley Lodge will see the counting of the league fairest and best voting in one of possibly the most open counts ever.

Nollamara's Neale Fong could be the only player to win the medal three years running. But he should have some strong opposition from Mike Salmon (University) Jeremy McGrade (Trinity-Aquinas) and Dixon (Old Wesley).

CLUB SECRETARIES NOTE

Club secretaries please note that the WINNING team during finals must phone the scores to W.A.A.F.L. secretary Bruce Wainwright (447 3502) before 6.30 pm on Saturday.

Clubs wishing to publish in Westside Football the quarter-by-quarter scores, best players and goalkickers during the finals should phone Trevor Schorer ('A' and 'B' teams) 272 4910 and John Davies (all other grades) 447 3774 on Sunday morning.

LIQUOR AT GROUNDS

Clubs are being continually warned that it is an offence to consume alcohol at grounds.

Despite many warnings, the management have decided to take stronger measures and have requested the Police to take the necessary actions to prevent drinking during the finals.

MILESTONES

150 GAMES: GRAYDEN CLACK (Innaloo). Ruckman, wingman, commenced in 1973. Won the club fairest and best 'G' and member of grand final team in 1980. Club secretary 1979, treasurer 1981-82. Vice-president 1983.

150 GAMES: NEVILLE REEVES (Maylands). Sta Started 1973. Plays centre-half-back or ruck and was a member of the 1977 'B' premiership team. WAAFL State squad member, 'A' vice captain since 1981 and committeeman for the past six years. Club vice president in 1983.

150 GAMES: WAYNE KOCH (Commonwealth Bank). Commenced in 1975, plays backline or ruck-rover. Current club president and selector and has been on the committee since 1975. Awarded best clubman in 1977.

100 GAMES: RAY SEMEN (Trinity-Aquinas) centreman. Start in 1975 in 'C' grade. Club fairest and best in 1976-77 and 79. State amateur representative and WAAFL fairest and best 'C' grade 1977. A former committeeman, he has been awarded club life membership. Played for South Hedland in 1980-82, winning club fairest and best in those three years and was also Association fairest and best in 1981.

100 GAMES: RON MARCHANT (Scarborough). Started in 1976. Current captain coach of 'E'. Plays full-forward and was leading club goal kicker in 'F' in 1980.

100 GAMES: DON CAMPOREALE (E. Fremantle) centreline player. Former State school boy who won his club's fairest and best in 1980.

B GRADE

SCARBOROUGH IN FORM

Scarborough served warning that they are back into form with a crushing victory over Floreat-Marist.

With players Somers, Curtis and Miller all playing superb football, Scarborough go into the finals as favourites.

CBC, with the Cronan brothers running hot, will be right on their tail for favouritism.

City Beach and Bayswater, after good wins last week, will have to improve to be a real threat in the finals.

GARY MARTIN. His second season as Hellenics coach. Won the 'D' premiership 1982. A former versatile league player with over 110 games with East Perth and Swan Districts. He was a member of East Perth's 1972 premiership team and WAFL State squad member in 1973-1974. A former junior coaching co-ordinator at East Perth. Gary is an above average 'A' grade cricketer. Played one season with Gosnells, winning the S.S.M.N.F.L. fairest and best medal in 1981.

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Nollamara 15.14 d Collegians 14.13; Wembley 16.13 d Maylands 13.11; Mt Lawley 17.18 d Old Wesley 12.8; University 17.18 d Old Wesley 12.8; University 17.18 d North Beach 13.22; Old Scotch d Trinity-Aquinas.

THIS SATURDAY

'A' GRADE & COLTS

Old Wesley v North Beach at Claremont Oval; Maylands v Mt Lawley at Bassendean Oval; Nollamara v Wembley at Nollamara Oval No. 1; Trinity-Aquinas v Collegians at Earnest Johnson Oval; University v Old Scotch at East Fremantle Oval.

Premiership tables

Subject to official conformation.

'A' GRADE: University 60 Mt Lawley 56; Old Scotch 40; Trinity 32 Old Wesley 36; Nollamara 36; Wembley 32; North Beach 28; Collegians 12; Maylands 8.

'B' GRADE: CBC 54; Scarborough 52; City Beach 48; Bayswater 42; North Fremantle 36; Floreat 28; University 24; MHWP 24; Wembley 16; Morley 16.

'C'GRADE: Carlisle 68; WAIT 60; Whitford 44; Mt Lawley 42; Forrestfield 36; Hellenic 36; Innaloo 30; Hamersley 8; Osborne Park 8; Wembley 8.

'D' GRADE: Dianella 64; Bassendean 56; North Beach 40; Nollamara 40; Brentwood 40; Old Wesley 32; National Bank 32; Commonwealth Bank 24; Swanbourne 8; Carlisle 4.

'E' GRADE: University 52; Lynwood 48; Bayswater 44; Collegians 44; R & I Bank 36; St Norberts 32; Maylands 28; Trinity 12; Claremont CAE 8.

'F GRADE: Churchlands 56; Koondoola 48; Coolbinia 40; Scarborough 32; Floreat 24; Coolbellup 20; North Fremantle 20; C.B.C. 16; Muresk 12.

'G' GRADE: Not available due to scores not being phone in from two teams.

'H' GRADE: Mt Lawley 50; Whitford 48; North Beach 44; Wembley 40; WAIT 40; Dianella 38; Old Scotch 36; Nollamara 16; Forrestfield 16; Old Wesley 12.

'I' GRADE: AICA 60; Scarborough 60; City of Perth 48; City Beach 44; Bassendean 40; Mt Lawley 28; RAAF 20; Murdoch 16; Hellenic 12; Bayswater 12.

'J' GRADE: Girrawheen 60; A.N.Z. Bank 56; Collegians 48; Coolbinia 40; North Beach 40; Carlisle 28; Whitford 28; Bullcreek 24; Osborne Park 8; MHWP 4.

'K' GRADE: Lynwood 60; Brentwood 56; Dianella 56; Applecross 48; Hamersley 44; Swanbourne 40; WAIT 28; Girrawheen 16; Coolbellup 14; Edgewater 14; Coolbellup 14; Whitford 12.

'A' COLTS: Mt Lawley 60; Wembley 60; University 56; Nollamara 44; Old Wesley 36; Collegians 28; North Beach 24; Old Scotch 16; Maylands 4; Trinity 4.

'B' COLTS: Scarborough 64; CBC 54; Floreat 42; University 40; Morley 36; Bayswater 32; Nth Fremantle 28; MHWP 20; Wembley 12; City Beach 12.

'C' COLTS: Division 1: Whitford 56; WAIT 52; Osborne Park 52; Hellenic 48; Innaloo 44; Coolbinia 40; Carlisle 36; Dianella 36. Division 2: Bassendean 40; Forrestfield 36; Hamersley 20; Mt Lawley 20; Collegians 8; Old Wesley 0.

SUNDAY (As at 1st August)

Swan Athletic 48; AICA 48; Fire Brigade 32; Graylands 28; East Fremantle 8; Stirling Districts 4.

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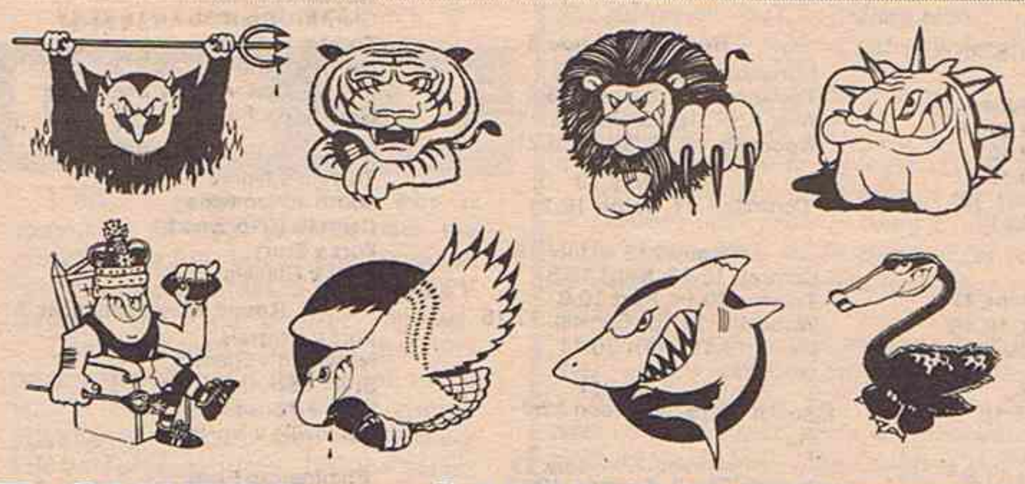

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WAFA REPORT

KIM HAGDORN'S weekly report on the West Australian Football Association competition.

TOP FOUR SUPREME

WANNEROO, Osborne Park, Applecross and South Perth — who have already qualified for the finals — went through the motions last Sunday to record effortless wins, emphasising the gap between them and the bottom clubs.

The smallest margin of the day was 43 points in the Wanneroo-Southern Port match, with the Roos never fully extended to remain at the top of the premiership table.

Full forward Steve Finch gave a superb display of goal-front football to kick 11 goals, taking his tally to 113.

Finch was an avenue into attack all day, receiving tremendous support from dominanat mid-fielders Robbie Saylor, Greg Rich, and coach Stuart Hillier.

The Port side have a reputation of being hard competitors, especially at their home ground, Bruce Lee Oval.

Martin Rodriguez continued his fine form in the Port forward line with six goals from a half forward flank, with other good displays coming from ever-green Sam Maskos, Kevin Pausin and Vince Locantro.

Against Osborne Park last week, Mosman Park were within striking distance at the final change, but managed only three behinds for the term, allowing the Saints to kick 7-2 to coast to a 65-point win.

Former State and Claremont full forward Norm Uncle provided the highlight for the day with a magnificent display of strong marking, leading and kicking to register 14 goals. Uncle brought up his 100th major for the year with his eighth for the day and has now kicked a total of 106.

Like Finch at Wanneroo, Uncle is well fed by running mid-fielders with sound ball disposal and he can thank Wayne Loxley, Kim Dellacqua, Kim Rich and coach Gerard McNeill for his opportunities.

Mosman Park were well served by coach Ian Crawford, but apart from Dave Holmes, John Hall and Peter Giltay, they did not have enough four-quarter contributors.

Mick Jez continues to be a strong contributor for the Applecross Hawks and his efforts are paying off as they are worthy first semi-finalists.

Other good players in their polished showing last week were follower Neil Pinner, Jammie Simmons, Vic Turco and the ever-reliant big man, Steve Carey.

Carey has had a consistently good season and his form in the finals will have a big influence on the Hawks' chances of winning the flag that has eluded them for so long.

Good players for the Bombers were Norm Towers, Alan Power and Peter Pisserie.

South Perth, spurred on by a five-goal second half from Jamie Watterson, cruised to their 60-point win over bottom side Melville.

Melville had shown a spirited desire for the ball throughout the first half, but the more experienced Tigers led by effervescent Tony Capriotti, the talented Dave Nelson and young half backs Peter Kiely and Clayton Whittle proved too strong for them.

Melville gained great value for effort from defenders Steve Vinci and Karlos Palinkas, centre-liners Andy Burn and Tony Brennana and on the ball from Paul Carter and Harry Leigh.

One highlight of the Tigers' game Sunday was the first-up effort from former East Perth tough man Ron Webster.

Webster spent much of his time in a forward pocket with a heavily strapped right knee, but showed enough from to suggest that he will be a vital cog in the Tigers line-up in the final round.

GAME OF THE DAY

GAME of the day billing this Sunday goes to Applecross and Osborne Park.

The encounter shapes as a major test for the Hawks in their preparation for this year's final round and a win would further strengthen their premiership potential.

Rival coaches Mick Jez and Gerard McNeill are well aware of the consequences of the outcome and will do everything possible, both as players and leaders, to gain the four points.

The Hawks have yet to beat either of the top two sides, though they have had their chances.

They are sure to get their share of opportunity at Shirley Strickland Oval on Sunday and, on form, look favourites to win the game.

South Perth play host to Southern Port-Hamilton at Perth Oval and look certain to continue their build up to the finals with a win, though Port have extended the Tigers in their two previous encounters this year.

Mosman Park travel to Kingsway for what appears a percentage booster for the Roos and Melville are at home to Belmont.

On recent form, Melville may well pick up their second lot of premiership points for the year.

Player of the week

MOSMAN Park have no chance of qualifying for this year's finals, but that hasn't deterred the spirit of some of their senior players.

Mosman rely on the on-field leadership of their experienced band of hard workers and former Claremont follower Jeff Hall is probably the most influencial of that group.

The 30-year-old Hall has been a model of consistency for Mosman for a number of years now and last Sunday, in the face of defeat, showed tremendous spirit and determination in an effort to avoid defeat at the hands of premiership contenders Osborne Park.

His top effort has earned him the honour of Westside Football's Player of the Week.

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National Fixtures and Results

West Australian Football League

Home side named first
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Round 1 — March 26
Swans 20.8; Claremont 26.12
East Frem. 15.13; Subiaco 22.16
Perth 12.11; Sth. Frem. 19.22
March 27
West Perth 18.26; East Perth 17.13

Round 2 — April 2
Subiaco 20.8; Perth 11.14
Sth Frem 18.11; West Perth 16.8
April 4
East Perth 22.9; Swans 23.20
Claremont 27.15; East Frem 13.5

Round 3 — April 9
East Frem. 9.9, Swans 18.24
E. Perth 14.8, Cl'mont 23.22
W. Perth 22.24, Perth 14.10
Subiaco 9.19, South Frem. 27.22

Round 4 — April 16
Swans 10.13, W. Perth 20.18 *
Cl'mont 17.15, Subiaco 15.10
Perth 13.15, E. Perth 18.19
April 17
S. Frem. 24.16, E. Frem. 14.9

Round 5 — April 23
Swans 21.18; Subiaco 17.8
Cl'mont 22.15; W. Perth 11.8
East Frem. 19.22; Perth 10.11
E. Perth 19.14; Sth. Frem. 28.14

Round 6 — April 30
Sth Frem 24.22, Swans 13.18
Perth 15.14, Claremont 17.18
W. Perth 19.15, East Frem 19.19
Subiaco 12.17, E. Perth 19.13

Round 7 — May 7
Swans 17.25, Perth 15.13
Cl'mont 17.10, S. Frem. 15.16
E. Frem. 18.12, E. Perth 31.18**
W. Perth 17.18, Subiaco 9.19

May 14/15 — Weekend Carnival
Won by East Fremantle

Round 8 — May 21
East Perth 19.18, West Perth 10.9
Subiaco 18.10, E. Frem. 19.18
S. Frem. 26.18, Perth 12.18

May 22
Claremont 24.17, Swans 18.19

Round 9 — May 28
E. Frem. 24.18, C'mont 19.15
Swans 26.20, E. Perth 19.16
W. Perth 16.16, S. Frem. 22.16 **
Perth 29.15, Subiaco 19.7

June 4 WA 20.14, SA 16.14

Round 10 — June 6
W. Perth 15.21, Swans 16.18
S. Frem. 18.20, E. Fem. 19.13
E. Perth 22.21, Perth 10.12
Subiaco 14.15, C'Mont 24.10

Round 11 — June 11
Swans 30.15, East Frem. 15.11
Perth 21.14, W. Perth 27.11
S. Frem. 26.29, Subiaco 9.4
C'mont 13.9, E. Perth 18.16

Round 12 — June 18
Subiaco 12.9, Swans 13.25
Perth 18.16, East Frem. 18.23
West Perth 9.14, Cl'mont 18.16
June 19
South Frem. 16.23, East Perth 11.14

Round 13 — June 25
Swans 18.10, S. Frem 10.15
E. Frem. 16.8, West Perth 15.11
Claremont 22.16, Perth 15.10
Subiaco 20.7, East Perth 15.11

Round 14 — July 2
Perth 17.14, Swans 23.15
Sth Frem. 17.12, Claremont 16.13
E. Perth 17.16, E. Frem. 15.20
Subiaco 17.10, W. Perth 15.18

Round 15 — July 9
Swans 14.10, Claremont 8.16
E. Frem 19.26, Subiaco 8.11
Perth 12.12, S. Frem 12.16
West Perth 6.12, East Perth 17.12

July 12 WA 16.22, VFL 16.19

Round 16 — July 16
Claremont 26.22, E. Frem 12.9
E. Perth 14.15, Swans 20.26
Subiaco 13.10, Perth 19.20
July 17
S. Frem 16.17, W. Perth 13.13

Round 17 — July 23
E. Frem. 8.8, Swans 13.22
E. Perth 8.7, Claremont 20.19
W. Perth 12.14, Perth 11.17
Subiaco 14.15, S. Frem. 27.18

Round 18 — July 30
C'mont 37.19, Subiaco 11.9
S. Frem 21.22, E. Frem. 11.10
Perth 21.16, E. Perth 17.9
July 31
Swans 18.19, W. Perth 15.14

Round 19 — August 6
Swan 26.22, Subiaco 5.8
C'mont 26.13, W. Perth 16.13
E. Frem. 21.20, Perth 15.21
E. Perth 15.11, S. Frem. 24.11

Round 20 — August 13
Sth Frem v Swans
Perth v Claremont
West Perth v East Frem
East Perth v Subiaco

Round 21 — August 20
Swans v Perth
Claremont v Sth Frem
East Frem v East Perth
Subiaco v West Perth

Finals
August 27 — 1st Semi-Final
September 3 — 2nd Semi-Final
September 10 —Premliminary Fina
September 17 — Grand Final

Victorian Football League

Round 1 March 26
Geelong 15.16; Footscray 11.9
Carlton 20.16; Richmond 11.10
Fitzroy 16.15; Hawthorn 20.11
Melbourne 19.11; C'wood 20.15
Nth. Melbourne 14.16; St Kilda 12.15
March 27
Swans 17.9; Essendon 15.20

Part Round 2 — April 2
Collingwood 14.12 Geelong 15.11
Footscray 14.15; Carlton 12.10
Richmond 15.10; Melbourne 18.11
Part Round 2 — April 4
Nth Melbourne 6.7; Fitzroy (p) 12.16
Essendon 20.11; St. Kilda 10.10
Hawthorn 9.16; Swans 5.15

Round 3 — April 9
Carlton 13.19, Col'wood (P) 11.21
Fitzroy 14.13, Essendon 7.14
Footscray 16.15, Melbourne 11.13
Geelong 13.16, Richmond 6.10
St Kilda 6.6, Hawthorn 26.15
April 10
Swans 5.15, Nth Melbourne 27.23

Round 4 — April 16
St Kilda 11.13, Geelong 13.12 (P)
Ess'don 20.21, Col'wood 17.15
Fitzroy 17.23, Swans 6.16
Hawthorn 12.25, Footscray 17.16
Melb. 13.12, Carlton 14.15
Nth. Melb. 18.19, Richmond 14.19

Part Round 5 — April 23
Carlton 9.11; Fitzroy 18.17
Col'wood 9.19; Hawthorn 14.11

April 24
Swans 24.16; St. Kilda 21.11

Part Round 5 — April 25, Anzac Day
Richmond 17.12; Footscray 18.8
Nth. Melbourne 17.21; Essendon 20.8
Geelong 16.14; Melbourne 18.13

Round 6 — April 30
Hawthorn 12.16, Richmond 15.16 (P)
Carlton 12.13, Geelong 14.11
Collingwood 19.16, Nth Melb 15.18
Essendon 27.19, Footscray 7.7
Melbourne 18.18, Swans 12.21
St Kilda 15.12, Fitzroy 22.11

Round 7 — May 7
St. Kilda 11.9, Melb. 16.12
Fitzroy 11.10, Geelong 9.13
Footscray 11.16, Coll'wood 14.4
Hawthorn 13.13, N. Melb. 21.16
Richmond 16.16, Essendon 21.11

May 8
Swans 18.10, Carlton 22.17

Round 8 — May 14
Coll'wood 16.11, Richmond 8.11 (P)
Geelong 11.18, Swans 16.14
Hawthorn 20.17, Ess'don 14.11
Melb. 12.15, Fitzroy 18.17
St. Kilda 12.17, Carlton 22.13
Nth. Melb. 29.15, Footscray 11.8

May 16
S.A. 26.16, Vic. 17.14

Round 9 — May 21
Fitzroy 13.21, Footscray 22.13 (P)
Carlton 15.14, Hawthorn 14.12
Essendon 22.17, Melbourne 17.13
Geelong 12.12, Nth. Melb. 18.16
St Kilda 16.12, Richmond 13.15

May 22
Swans 18.13, Collingwood 14.15

Round 10 — May 28
Melbourne 16.13, Hawthorn 27.9
Coll'wood 10.17, Fitzroy 13.15
Essendon 15.19, Geelong 15.7
Footscray 17.26, St. Kilda 11.16
Nth. Melb. 29.19, Carlton 11.16
Richmond 16.10, Swans 14.10

Round 11 — June 4
Carlton 15.11, Ess'don 19.12
Fitzroy 20.16, Richmond 16.18
Hawthron 12.16, Geelong 14.11
Melbourne 18.17, Nth. Melb. 20.19
St. Kilda 21.18, Coll'wood 24.16

June 5
Swans 17.19, Footscray 15.12

Part Round 12 — June 11
Ess'don 23.18, Swans 13.5
Hawthorn 25.17, Fitzroy 21.8
St. Kilda 15.14, N. Melb. 20.15

Part Round 12 — June 13
Coll'wood 12.15, Melb. 10.8
Footscray 15.12, Geelong 14.7
Richmond 21.15, Carlton 13.13

Round 13 — June 20
St Kilda 13.13, Essendon 21.12
Carlton 26.15, Footscray 12.10
Fitzroy 34.26, N. Melb. 10.10
Geelong 15.11, C'wood 13.7
Melb. 18.15, Richmond 15.19
June 21
Swans 11.12, Hawthorn 15.20

Round 14 — June 27
Richmond 11.4, Geelong 10.9
Collingwood 15.10, Carlton 6.9
Essendon 8.10, Fitzroy 9.11
Hawthorn 21.17, St Kilda 9.20
Melbourne 14.15, Footscray 12.13
Nth Melb. 11.16, Swans 7.8

Round 15 — July 2
Footscray 9.6, Hawthorn 13.11 (P)
Carlton 9.13, Melbourne 15.16
Coll'wood 16.8, Essendon 13.9
Geelong 9.14, St. Kilda 18.12
Richmond 16.18, Nth Melb. 21.12
July 3
Swans 23.9, Fitzroy 17.15 (S)

Part Round 16 — July 9
Fitzroy 13.11, Carlton 18.16 (P)
Footscray 12.12, Richmond 15.14
Nth Melb. 19.14, Essendon 16.11

Part Round 16 — July 16
Hawthorn 19.23, Coll'wood 14.16
Melbourne 10.19, Geelong 10.13
St Kilda 20.9, Swans 14.16

Round 17 — July 23
Nth Melb. 24.8, Coll'wood 14.14
Footscray 16.11, Essendon 18.17
Fitzroy 20.18, St. Kilda 22.17
Richmond 11.16, Hawthorn 22.14
Geelong 11.17, Carlton 15.18
July 24
Swans 18.17 Melb. 16.16

Round 18 —July 30
Geelong 7.7, Fitzroy 16.15
Carlton 17.17, Swans 11.9
Coll'wood 12.10, Footscray 9.19
Essendon 6.14, Richmond 19.10
N. Melb. 12.18, Hawthorn 15.7
St. Kilda 11.15, Melbourne 14.14

Round 19 — August 6
Footscray 10.11, N. Melb. 25.14
Carlton 25.18, St. Kilda 8.13
Essendon 23.18, Hawthorn 10.14
Fitzroy 22.29, Melbourne 11.9
Richmond 11.13, Collingwood 13.11
August 7
Swans 10.15, Geelong 20.21

Round 20 — August 13
Richmond v St. Kilda (P)
Collingwood v Swans
Footscray v Fitzroy
Hawthorn v Carlton
Melbourne v Essendon
Nth Melbourne v Geelong

Round 21 — August 20
Hawthorn v Melbourne (P)
Carlton v Nth Melbourne
Fitzroy v collingwood
Geelong v Essendon
St. Kilda v Footscray
August 21
Swans v Richmond (S)

Round 22 — August 27
Essendon v Carlton (P)
Collingwood v St. Kilda
Footscray v Swans
Geelong v Hawthorn
Nth Melbourne v Melbourne
Richmond v Fitzroy

September 3
Qualifying Final
Elimination Final
September 10
1st Semi Final
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September 17
Preliminary Final
September 24
Grand Final

South Australian National Football League

Matches to be played on ground of first mentioned club except first listed game each week to be played at Football Park.

Round 1 — April 2
Port 19.9; Glenelg 17.16
West 23.22; Centrals 8.10
Woodville 13.24; Torrens 18.19
North 14.9; South 7.18
April 4
Sturt 12.14; Norwood 11.7

Round 2 — April 9
Central 20.23, Nth. Adel. 8.12
Sth. Adel 17.12, W. Torrens 9.12
Port 15.11, Norwood 17.16
Sturt 22.8, Glenelg 12.11
West Adel. 21.22, W'ville 15.7

Round 3 — April 16
W. Adel. 29.13, Glenelg 23.11
N'wood 17.12, Centrals 14.14
W'ville 6.7, Sth. Adel 19.21
N. Adel. 14.17, W. Torrens 15.15
April 17
Port 18.23, Sturt 15.11

Round 4 — April 23
Port 16.8; Central 12.10
W'ville 10.13; North 15.15
W. Torrens 14.10; W. Adelaide 18.17

April 25
Sth. Adel, 13,17, Sturt 15.15
Norwood 29.14, Glenelg 12.12

Round 5 — April 30
South 13.13, Port 15.11
Centrals 16.17, Woodville 11.10
Glenelg 12.14, North 14.17
Torrens 15.17, Sturt 20.17
May 1
West 14.16, Norwood 16.6

Round 6 — May 7
Glenelg 15.16, Torrens 23.11
South 19.16, Centrals 12.6
Port 16.17, West 22.16
Sturt 24.19, Woodville 16.9
North 29.15, Norwood 13.10

Round 7 — May 14
Port 15.16, Torrens 10.15
West 15.16, North 12.12
Glenelg 7.12, Woodville 16.3
Norwood 13.10, South 10.5
Sturt 12.10, Central 13.11
May 16
S.A. 26.16, Vic. 17.14

Round 8 — May 21
West 17.14, Sturt 29.16
South 20.13, Glenelg 7.15
Centrals 25.13, Torrens 16.14
Woodville 14.10, Norwood 26.6
North 19.11, Port 21.7

Round 9 — May 28
Glenelg 15.12, C. District 7.10
Sturt 23.25, North 10.14
Torrens 14.7, Norwood 13.10
W. Adel. 13.17, S. Adel. 6.8

May 29
Port 11.16, Woodville 15.11

Round 10 — June 4
Torrens 22.15, W'Ville 23.18
South 19.13, North 12.15
Central 13.13, West 20.13
Norwood 20.11, Sturt 21.12
Port 14.12, Glenelg 15.11
WA 20.14, SA 16.14

Round 11 — June 11
Centrals 16.8, N. Adel. 18.16
Woodville 13.7, W. Adel. 29.18

June 12
Sturt 17.12, Glenelg 15.18

June 13
S. Adel. 20.22, Torrens 11.8
Port 14.11, Norwood 14.9

Round 12 — June 18
Centrals 14.15, Norwood 16.7
South 26.22, Woodville 17.6
Glenelg 19.20, W. Adel. 19.8
Sturt 28.26, P. Adel. 12.8
Torrens 14.10, N. Adel. 28.19

Round 13 — June 25
Sturt 12.12, South 14.13
Glenelg 12.16, Norwood 10.15
Port 13.7, Centrals 16.12
North 20.15, Woodville 17.11
June 26
West Adel 29.16, Torrens 13.9

Round 14 — July 2
C. District 22.11, Woodville 7.11
Norwood 15.8, W. Adelaide 21.14
Port 23.7, S. Adelaide 10.9
Sturt 30.25, Torrens 10.12
North 14.14, Glenelg 16.14

Round 15 — July 9
Norwood 18.9, North 7.8
Torrens 18.14, Glenelg 16.9
West Adel. 15.15, Port 15.14
Woodville 11.15, Sturt 29.21
July 10
Centrals 4.11, South 18.14

Round 16 — July 16
Centrals 15.16, Sturt 19.8
Torrens 20.14, Port 16.9
Woodville 15.15, Glenelg, 17.18
North 18.16, West 30.11
July 17
South 16.15, Norwood 12.7

Round 17 — July 23
Centrals 21.17, Torrens 10.13
Glenelg 12.13, S. Adel. 17.14
Norwood 32.19, Woodville 11.12
Port 15.9, North Adel 22.15
Sturt 16.23, West Adel. 21.17

Round 18 — July 30
Sturt 19.14, North 15.12
South 16.8, West 20.11
Norwood 20.7, Torresn 11.13
Woodville 10.10, Port 13.15
July 31
Centrals 13.13, Glenelg 17.17

Round 19 — August 6
Centrals 14.8, W. Adelaide 22.16
Sturt 19.9, Norwood 22.8

August 13
South v North
Glenelg v Port
August 14
Torrens v Woodville

Round 20 — August 20
Woodville v West
Glenelg v Sturt
Torrens v South
North v Centrals
August 21
Norwood v Port

Round 21 — August 27
Torrens v North
South v Woodville
Centrals v Norwood
Port v Sturt
West v Glenelg

Round 22 — September 3*
Port v Centrals
Norwood v Glenelg
Sturt v South
West v Torrens
Woodville v North

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SWAN DISTRICTS	6.5	14.11	19.13	26.22	178
SUBIACO	1.2	1.4	2.7	5.8	38

SCORERS: SWAN DISTRICTS: P. Narkle 5.3; Holmes 4.1; Floyd 3.2; Baker 3.1; Langsford 2.2; Kenny 2.1; Shine 1.2; Johns, Sartori, Smith, Werner 1.1; Kimberley, Rance 1.0; Neesham 0.1; forced 0.5. SUBIACO: R. Brown 2.1; Dawson 1.2; Zanotti 1.1; P. Wilson 1.0; Mort 0.2; C. Brown, Perry 0.1.

UMPIRES: M. Ball, R. Buckey. Swan Districts won the toss and kicked to western end. Free-kicks: SWAN DISTRICTS: 5, 11, 7, 12 — 35; out-of-bounds 1; 15m 3. SUBIACO: 8, 8, 12, 5 —33; out-of-bounds 2; 25m 4. Played at Bassendean Oval, attendance

CLAREMONT	6.5	14.7	19.9	26.13	169
WEST PERTH	5.3	6.10	10.13	16.13	109

SCORERS: CLAREMONT: Panizza 7.2; Ralph 5.3; Malaxos 3.2; Daniels 2.2; B. Farmer, Blackwell 2.0; Goulding 1.2; Kickett, Mitchell, Moss, Beecroft 1.0; Davidson, D. Farmer 0.1. WEST PERTH: Comerford 4.1; Mountain 3.2; Menaglio 2.2; Fitzsimmons 2.0; Alderton 1.1; Nelson, Hendriks, Gibbs, Mugavin 1.0; Dayman 0.2; D. Simms 0.1; forced 0.4.

UMPIRES: J. Morris, D. Rowe. West Perth won toss and kicked to northern end. Free-kicks: CLAREMONT: 9, 5, 3, 9 — 26; out-of-bounds 6; 15m 7. WEST PERTH: 8, 5, 12, 6 — 31; out-of-bounds 6; 15m 1. Played at Claremont Oval, attendance

EAST FREMANTLE	5.5	12.8	19.12	21.20	146
PERTH	4.9	7.12	12.20	15.21	111

SCORERS: EAST FREMANTLE: Cassidy 7.7; Turco 3.3; Browning 2.3; Nolan 2.1; S. Green, Johnson 2.0; Fields 1.1; Taylor, Wrensted 1.0; Bradley 0.2; Cormack, Harding, Waterson 0.1. PERTH: Cousins 4.5; Shepherd, Spalding 2.2; Moir 2.1; Garbin 1.2; P. O'Connell 1.1; Collie, Hooker, Mumford 1.0; Rea 0.3; Campbell, Freame, Roberts 0.1; forced 0.2.

UMPIRES: B. Appleby, D. Gilles. East Fremantle won toss and kicked with breeze to southern end. Free-kicks: EAST FREMANTLE: 9, 3, 5, 6 — 23; out-of-bounds 3; 15m 4. PERTH: 7, 5, 6, 6 — 24; out-of-bounds 0; 15m 2. Played at East Fremantle Oval, attendance

SOUTH FREMANTLE	8.1	9.6	16.10	24.11	155
EAST PERTH	2.1	6.5	14.8	15.11	101

SCORERS: SOUTH FREMANTLE: Winmar, Arnold 4.0; Monteath, Roe 3.1; Matera, Hayes 2.1; Stasinowsky 2.0; Mount 1.3; Hardie 1.1; Cockie, Vasoli 1.0; Michael 0.2; forced 0.1. EAST PERTH: Thorne 2.2; Morgan 2.1; Dawson, Spencer, Earnshaw 2.0; Turner, Allen, Kelly 1.1; Magro, Ironmonger 1.0; Ishchenko 0.2; Williams, Dimmer, Edwards 0.1.

UMPIRES: R. Phillips, P. O'Reilly. East Perth won toss and kicked to southern end. Free-kicks: SOUTH FREMANTLE: 10, 7, 5, 6 — 28; out-of-bounds 3; 15m 3. EAST PERTH: 8, 10, 10, 7 — 35; out-of-bounds 7; 15 metres 2. Played at Perth Oval, attendance

MARLBORO CUP

Progressie points: Swan Districts 24; Claremont 24; South Fremantle 23; East Fremantle 15; East Perth 12; Perth 11; West Perth 8; Subiaco 3.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 1983

GEELONG	4.5	8.7	12.12	20.21	141
SYDNEY SWANS	5.5	6.8	7.12	10.15	75

SCORERS: GEELONG: Johnston, Bright 4; Mossop 3; Bews, Nicholls 2; Reed, Peake, Witcombe, Bruns, Kol 1. SWANS: Smith 3; Kruse 2; Browning, Evans, Reid, Hounsell, Taubert 1.

BEST: GEELONG: Bourke, B. Nankervis, Bruns, Johnston, Mossop. SYDNEY SWANS: Carroll, Roberts, Browning, Braddy, Morwood. Played at Sydney Cricket Ground, attendance 12,732.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 1983

FITZROY	6.8	12.16	21.22	22.29	161
MELBOURNE	2.2	5.6	5.6	11.9	75

SCORERS: FITZROY: Quinlan, Roos 5; Gotch, Carlson, Lokan, Scott 2; Francis, Clayton, Irwin, Wilson 1. MELBOURNE: Healy 3; Reynolds, Fidge, Ellingworth 2; Johnson, Icke 1.

BEST: FITZROY: Roos, Nettlefold, Serafini, Wilson, Parish, Lawrie, Quinlan, Francis. MELBOURNE: Dickson, Wright, Icke, Johnson. Played at Junction Oval, attendance 13,870.

ESSENDON	10.4	13.6	19.12	23.18	156
HAWTHORN	3.1	8.7	10.10	16.14	110

SCORERS: ESSENDON: Daniher 7; King 6; Foulds, Madden 2; Dunnell, Clarke, Buhagiar, Watson, Waterson, Ezerd 1. HAWTHORN: Knights 4; Matthews, Buckenara 3; Shields 2; Dipierdomenico, Paton, Brereton, Schwab 1.

BEST: ESSENDON: Kink, Daniher, Watson, Madden, Bradbury, Clayton, Duckworth, Williams. HAWTHORN: Robertson, Knights, Wallace, Paton, Greene, Ayres. Played at Windy Hill, attendance 19,315.

COLLINGWOOD	5.0	7.2	9.5	13.11	89
RICHMOND	4.4	7.7	9.12	11.13	79

SCORERS: COLLINGWOOD: Walsh 3; Annear, Richardson, Williams 2; Banks, Fellows, Allan, Taylor 1. RICHMOND: Weightman, Roach 4; Rowlings 2; Egan 1.

BEST: COLLINGWOOD: Walsh, Richardson, Picken, Stewart, Taylor, Daicos, Williams, Annear. RICHMOND: Jess, Lee, Roach, Weightman, Palm, Rowlings. Played at the MCG, attendance 81, 9666.

CARLTON	6.6	9.11	18.13	25.18	168
ST KILDA	3.2	5.6	7.10	8.13	61

SCORERS: CARLTON: Ashman, Kourkoumelis 3; Fitzpatrick, Bosustow, J. Buckley, Burke, Marchesani, Maclure, Williams, Madden 2; M. Buckley, Glascott, Marcou 1. ST KILDA: Cross 3; Chiron, Temay, Crow, Dunne, Morwood 1.

BEST: CARLTON: Kourkoumelis (best on ground), Doull, Glascott, Ashman, J. Buckley, Madden, Williams, M. Buckley (until injured). ST KILDA: Crow, Elphinstone, Mace, Temay, Cross. Played at Princes Park, attendance 19,203.

NORTH MELBOURNE	6.3	16.7	19.9	25.14	164
FOOTSCRAY	4.1	5.4	9.8	10.11	71

SCORERS: NORTH MELBOURNE: Tanner 5; J. Krakouer, Schimmelbusch, Collins 4; Briedis, McCann, P. Krakouer 2; Glendenning, Hodgeman. FOOTSCRAY: Beasley 4; Edmond 3; Egan, Wallis, Ford.

BEST: NORTH MELBOURNE: Schimmelbusch, J. Krakouer, Hodgeman, Abernethy, Dempsey, P. Krakouer, Tanner. FOOTSCRAY: Hawkins, Hansen, Egan, McLean, Purser. Played at VFL Park, attendance 12,028.

TOP VFL GOALKICKERS

95 — B. Quinlan (Fitzroy), 57 — S. Beasley (Footscray), 56 — L. Matthews (Hawthorn), 44 — C. Braddy (Sydney Swans), 43 — M. Conlan (Fitzroy),

SANFL

WEST ADELAIDE	2.6	8.8	15.12	22.16	148
CENTRAL DISTRICTS	2.3	7.5	9.7	14.8	92

SCORERS: WEST ADELAIDE: Morris, R. Winter 5; Conlen 4; Lindner, Borchard 2; Smith, Grosser, Luders, Hamilton 1. CENTRAL DISTRICTS: Platten 4; Fraser, Beythien 2; Robertson, Connelly, Krieg, Wilson, Van Dommele, Norsworthy 1.

BEST: WEST ADELAIDE: Morris, R. Winter, Conlen, Hamilton, Borchard, Lindner. CENTRAL DISTRICTS: Trigg, Krieg, Robertson, Wilson. Played at Football Park.

NORWOOD	8.2	13.4	18.5	22.8	140
STURT	4.1	10.4	14.7	19.9	123

SCORERS: NORWOOD: Roberts 7; Button, Thomas, Winter 3; Neagle 2; Jenkins, Nicholson, McIntosh, A. Aish. STURT: Davies 7; Paynter 6; Heinrich 3; Derrington 2; Paech 1.

BEST: NORWOOD: M. Aish, Thomas, Gallagher, Roberts, Schmall, Thiel. STURT: Paynter, Spiel, Davies, Downes, Derrington, Craig. Played at Unley Oval.

WESFARMERS CARNIVAL

A SECTION GRAND FINAL

SOUTH WEST	3.1	9.2	14.4	20.7	127
GREAT NORTHERN	0.3	4.5	6.8	13.9	87

SCORERS: SOUTH WEST: L. Wright, D. Gaunt 4; G. Jeffrey, N. Earl 3; GREAT NORTHERN: B. Mazzachelli 3; B. Evans, K. Mitchell, R. Rowlands 2.

BEST: SOUTH WEST: G. Jeffrey, D. Roberts, P. Rowe, N. Earl. GREAT NORTHERN: G. Hoult, D. Stokes, J. Moore, B. Evans. Played at Subiaco Oval.

B SECTION GRAND FINAL

CENTRAL GREAT SOUTHERN	3.3	7.4	10.8	16.9	105
MORTLOCK	0.8	4.14	6.14	11.15	81

SCORERS: CENTRAL GREAT SOUTHERN: R. Bigwood 5; R. Marinoni, R Trevaskis 3. MORTLOCK: Laidlaw, Melvin, Sinc'air, K. Jones 2.

BEST: CENTRAL GREAT SOUTHERN: R. Marinoni, R. Bigwood, R. Zilm, M. Batchelor. MORTLOCK: M. King, S. King, B. Sinclair, C. Lee. Played at Subiaco Oval.

C SECTION GRAND FINAL

MURRAY DISTRICTS	5.3	8.7	15.12	19.19	133
ONGERUP	2.0	3.4	3.5	3.5	23

SCORERS: MURRAY DISTRICTS: W. Doy 4; G. Coffee 3; P. Hughes, K. Young, B. Cooper, G. Dellasantina 2. ONGERUP: P. Keating, S. Cuff, M. Gray 1.

BEST: MURRAY DISTRICTS: J. Rognetta, M. LeRoy, W. Doy, T. Cruickshank. ONGERUP: B. Bungey, B. Deering. Played at Subiaco Oval.

PREMIERSHIP tables

WAFL

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
SOUTH FREMANTLE	19	17	2	2681	1834	146.18	68
CLAREMONT	19	15	4	2704	1889	143.14	60
SWAN DISTRICTS	19	15	4	2489	2025	122.91	60
EAST PERTH	19	8	11	2246	2326	96.56	32
East Fremantle	19	8	11	2097	2530	82.88	32
West Perth	19	6	13	2035	2234	91.09	24
Subiaco	19	4	15	1806	2721	66.37	16
Perth	19	3	16	2013	2512	80.13	12

WAFL Reserves

	P	W	L	D	For	Agst	%	Pts
SWAN DISTRICTS	19	12	7	–	2578	2233	115.45	48
EAST PERTH	19	12	7	–	2165	1952	110.91	48
WEST PERTH	19	12	7	–	2380	2216	107.40	48
CLAREMONT	19	11	8	–	2443	1961	124.57	44
South Fremantle	19	10	9	–	2365	2006	117.89	40
Perth	19	9	9	1	2105	2272	92.64	38
East Fremantle	19	8	11	–	2173	2435	89.24	32
Subiaco	19	1	17	1	1894	3028	62.54	6

WAFL Colts

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
EAST PERTH	19	14	5	1743	1139	154.02	56
SOUTH FREMANTLE	19	13	6	1868	1299	143.80	52
CLAREMONT	19	12	7	1808	1273	142.02	48
SWAN DISTRICTS	19	12	7	1690	1263	133.80	48
East Fremantle	19	9	10	1436	1653	86.87	36
Subiaco	19	8	11	1310	1744	75.11	32
West Perth	19	7	12	1374	1675	82.02	28
Perth	19	1	18	924	2107	43.85	4

VFL

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
NORTH MELBOURNE	19	14	5	2432	1898	128.1	56
FITZROY	19	13	6	2255	1778	126.8	52
HAWTHORN	19	13	6	2234	1815	123.1	52
ESSENDON	19	12	7	2240	1941	115.4	48
CARLTON	19	11	8	2038	1921	106.1	44
Collingwood	19	10	9	1915	1908	100.4	40
Melbourne	19	9	10	1964	2096	93.7	36
Geelong	19	8	11	1688	1759	96.0	32
Footscray	19	7	12	1763	2163	81.5	28
Swans	19	7	12	1803	2260	79.8	28
Richmond	19	6	13	1852	2052	90.3	24
St Kilda	19	4	15	1824	2417	75.5	16

SANFL

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
WEST ADELAIDE	19	16	3	2680	1969	57.6	32
STURT	19	14	5	2589	1933	57.2	28
NORWOOD	19	11	8	2185	1855	54.0	22
SOUTH ADELAIDE	18	11	7	1933	1554	55.4	22
PORT ADELAIDE	18	9	9	1907	1970	49.1	18
North Adelaide	18	8	10	1992	2045	49.3	16
Central District	19	7	12	1888	2021	48.3	14
Glenelg	18	7	11	1814	2126	46.2	14
West Torrens	18	6	12	1806	2397	42.9	12
Woodville	18	3	15	1640	2564	39.0	6

Other competitions

W.A.F.L. RESERVES

EAST PERTH	5.5	10.8	12.13	15.16	106
STH FREM.	1.6	4.9	9.11	15.14	104

SCORERS: EAST PERTH: COUTTS 5; Darui, Blakely 2; Smith, Carpenter, Hawkins, Wrensted, Bewick, Hamilton 1. SOUTH FREMANTLE: Little, Borthwick 3; Townsend 2; Vigona, Delmenico, Quick, Amaroso, Beard, Begg, O'Brien 1. BEST: EAST PERTH: Darui, Carpenter, Hawkins, Coutts, Blakely, Smith. SOUTH FREMANTLE: Townsend, Begg, Little, O'Brien, Randall, Quick.

SWAN DIST.	8.5	15.11	24.13	35.17	227
SUBIACO	4.3	6.6	9.10	11.18	84

SCORERS: SWAN DISTRICTS: Hodyl 7; Outridge 6; Pike, Nulch 5; Montgomerie, Williams 4; Burgess 2; Platts, Malden. SUBIACO: Taylor 3; McFaull, Kelly 2; Metcalf, Staples, Mowat, McNish 1. BEST: SWAN DISTRICTS: Hodyl, Outridge, Nulch, Montgomerie, Stone, Smith. SUBIACO: Taylor, D. Wilson, Mowat, Ironmonger, Kelly, Stokes.

PERTH	6.6	10.9	15.10	19.12	126
EAST FREM.	4.3	6.7	10.14	14.18	102

SCORERS: PERTH: James, Simms 4; Wilkins, Valenta, Carter 2; Bell, Dawson, Marshall, Cousins, O. McGuire 1. EAST FREMANTLE: Needle 5; Buckley 3; Valli 2; Forman, Christie, Kerr, Hetherington 1. BEST: PERTH: O. McGuire, J. McGuire, Simms, Hargrave, James, Valenta. EAST FREMANTLE: Needle, Keays, Pittorini, Wake, Patterson, Buckley.

WEST PERTH	7.4	13.7	19.11	24.14	158
CLAREMONT	4.6	8.7	10.8	11.11	77

SCORERS: WEST PERTH: Avery 12; Gastevich 4; Davies, Davis 2; Watling, Mifka, Pola 1. CLAREMONT: D. Klemm 3; Rowe, Winning 2; Papalia, Watson, Hann, Walker 1. BEST: WEST PERTH: Avery, Fotheringhame, Bradmore, Gastevich, Davies, Mifka. CLAREMONT: Poepjes, Papalia, D. Klemm, Lill, Hann.

W.A.F.L. COLTS

S. DIST. 18.16 (124) d SUBIACO 9.10 (64)

SCORERS: SWAN DISTRICTS: Hampson, Tigchelaar, Cooper, Douglas 3; Kiernan, Walley 2; Sparkes, Jackson 1. SUBIACO: Campbell, Cook, Young 2; Batka, Perry, Farac 1. BEST: SWAN DISTRICTS: Hooper, Sibson, Walley. SUBIACO: Young, Greaves, Cook.

S. FREM. 12.8 (80) d EAST PERTH 5.13 (43)

SCORERS: SOUTH FREMANTLE: McGuinness, Brown 4; Morgan, Maskos, C. Collard, D. Collard 1. EAST PERTH: Bell 2; Higgins, McKinlay, Cook. BEST: SOUTH FREMANTLE: Rioli, McGuinness, Beattie. EAST PERTH: Maughan, Hill, Bell.

CL'MONT 18.12 (120) d W. PERTH 6.4 (40)

SCORERS: CLAREMONT: Elson, Zambogna, Williamson, Cox 3; Irvine 2; McManus, Habel, Froby, Neilson 1. WEST PERTH: King 2; Binder, Collinge, Darby, Calfano 1. BEST: CLAREMONT: Froby, Toy, McManus. WEST PERTH: Ruggiero, Craigie, P. Brown.

E. FREM. 21.9 (135) d PERTH 6.12 (48)

SCORERS: EAST FREMANTLE: Patton 5; M. Regan, Murdock, Grosse, S. Regan 3; Tincombe 2; Jenkins, Bayliss 1. PERTH: Cairns 2; Vitlich, Aminde, Demellio, Nizich 1. BEST: EAST FREMANTLE: Bayliss, Ensor, Wilson. PERTH: Vitich, Ashbolt, Cooper.

TASMANIA

NTFA

Longford 16.6 (102) d Scottsdale 12.18 (90), Launceston 11.13 (79) d North Launceston 9.19 (73), East Launceston 18.12 (12) d City-South 17.13 (115). TABLE: Scottsdale 64, Longford 46, North 36, Launceston 28, East 26, City 16.

NWFU

Penguin 19.17 (131) d Devonport 14.13 (97), East Devonport 15.18 (108 d Burnie 13.15 (93); Cooee 17.13 (115) d Wynyard 14.18 (102), Smithton 27.17 (179) d Latrobe 6.13 (49). TABLE: Smithton 48, Penguin, Cooee 44, Devonport 40, Ulverstone 32, Wynyard 28, Burnie 16, East 12, Latrobe 8.

TANFL

Glenorchy 18.13 (121) d New Norfolk 14.16 (100), North Hobart 16.27 (123) d Clarence 12.17 (89), Sandy Bay 16.11 (107) d Hobart 10.14 (74). TABLE: Glenorchy 64, New Norfolk 44, Sandy Bay 40, Clarence 36, Hobart, North 16.

V.F.L. RESERVES

Essendon 20.22 (142) d Hawthorn 9.17 (71), Fitzroy 19.17 (131) d Melbourne 9.11 (65), Richmond 20.9 (129) d Collingwood 18.18 (126), Footscray 15.17 (107) d North Melbourne 16.6 (102), Carlton 13.18 (96) d St Kilda 10.16 (75), Swans 16.12 (108) d Geelong 15.12 (96). TABLE: Collingwood 52, Fitzroy 52, Essendon 48, North Melbourne 48, Geelong 40, Carlton 40, St Kilda 40, Hawthorn 36, Richmond 36, Footscray 32, Melbourne 20, Swans 12.

BRISBANE

Windsor-Zillmere 23.13 (151) d Morningsdle 12.12 (97), Wilston-Grange 18.19 (127) d Sandgate 13.9 (87), Southport 23.16 (154) d Cooparoo 14.10 (94), Mayne 20.14 (134) d Sherwood 18.11 (119), Kedron 17.14 (116) d Western Districts 14.19 (103).

CANBERRA

Eastlake 21.14 (140) d Manuka 19.15 (129), Belconnen 33.17 (215) d West Canberra 10.7 (67), Queanbeyan 18.12 (120) d Tuggeranong 14.15 (99).

V.F.A.

Prahran 25.29 (179) d Waverley 15.5 (95), Sandringham 22.18 (150) d Werribee 17.18 (120), Preston 14.18 (102) d Geelong West 14.16 (100), Frankston 28.22 (190) d Dandenong 15.14 (104), Camberwell 16.16 (112) d Williamstown 14.9 (93), Coburg 17.12 (114) d Port Melbourne 10.16 (76). TABLE: Preston 56, Geelong West 48, Port Melbourne 46, Sandringham 44, Coburg 42, Frankston 38, Werribee 28, Prahran 26, Dandenong 24, Camberwell 20, Williamstown 12, Waverley 0.

WESTSIDE WINNERS

West Perth v E. Fremantle

Dennis Cometti and the Falcons are football's biggest flops and there is no way they can halt East Fremantle's inevitable march into the finals.

BOB CRIBB
Westside Football

East Perth v Subiaco

Subiaco saw that cricket score kicked against themselves last week and on Saturday they will need to pack their bats, balls and stumps to prevent East Perth from repeating the dose.

KEN McAULLAY
Channel 7

Perth v Claremont

It's simple. Claremont are a class above Perth and the Demons will become the latest victims of the Terrific Tigers.

FRED WOODS
Westside Football

S. Fremantle v Swans

Swan Districts will be spitting more than chips by the time the Bulldogs have taken a bite out of them this week.

ALAN EAST
Western Mail

Cable is still the king

THERE'S an old saying that you can't keep a good man down — and that certainly applies to one of the greatest players of all time, Barry Cable.

During a recent visit to Melbourne, I had the pleasure of renewing our close relationship — and Cable hasn't changed one bit.

In fact, he's as confident as ever!

Despite the legacies of his near-fatal tractor accident, which has left him with a limp, he still has magnificent ball skills.

And he is prepared to challenge any player in Australia to beat him in an accurate kicking competition over 30 or 40 metres.

Now, I don't think he was joking . . . and even though I'm not a betting man, I would put my money on him.

Cabes lives, eats, sleeps and breathes football and even though he has North Melbourne sitting on top of the VFL premiership table, he is not satisfied.

I'm sure that his wife Helen was relieved when I left because it was a non-stop football two-man panel show covering every aspect of our great game in WA and Victoria.

The talk didn't stop when we went out the front of his magnificent Melbourne home to have a kick. The former champion slammed 30-metre stab kicks into my chest with monotonous regularity . . .

Cable's two boys are now growing into young men with plenty of potential.

The eldest, Barry junior, is a member of North Melbourne's special skills squads and both boys are playing with Essendon Grammar.

The Cable household is truly a football environment and there is no escaping the topic of our great game.

DORRO'S DIARY

by GRANT DORRINGTON

Royal reunions

MY trip to the Eastern States last week was with Education Department commitments, but it did give me the chance to have a couple of Royal reunions.

In Adelaide, I met up with Royals 1972 premiership wingman Carl Fragomeni who has had a very successful football and business life in that State.

Then I had dinner with Steven Curtis and his family.

'Curty', as he is known to West Australian football fans, has had a magnificent season with Port Adelaide.

He has missed the last three games with a torn hamstring, but was favourite for the Magarey Medal till injured.

He has played as a half-forward or ruck rover and has received great accolades from the Adelaide football world.

He made the All-Australian team this season and looks like winning the Port Adelaide fairest and best, proving beyond doubt that he still is one of the best players the Royals have produced.

In Melbourne, the list grows even longer.

Kevin Bryant, who has a knee injury; Phil Kelly, who has a torn calf muscle and Wayne Otway were all keen to renew "old times" over lengthy chats.

It is good to see these men of great ability and character playing in the best competition our game can offer — and succeeding at their clubs.

Dinner for two

LAST Saturday I watched a totally team-disciplined side in Claremont. They displayed all the attributes that coaches endeavour to inject into their teams — self discipline, backing up, knocking on and a great concern for doing the right thing by their team-mates.

The credit for this must go to their coach, Graham Moss. Not only has he been a champion player, but now he displays the qualities of a top coach!

Graham receives the magnificent dinner for two at the Vegas Hotel.

True champ

WATCHING Kevin Bartlett train last week, before his 400th game, dispelled that age-old coaching theory that you play as you train.

Kevin never gets out of a canter at training and rarely completes all the exercise requirements.

But before any readers want to scrap that statement on training, this remarkable sportsman is superbly fit.

He never drinks or smokes and is such a professional that I'm sure there are many hours of preparation between games.

Whatever your feelings are about the VFL, Kevin Bartlett's achievement on playing 400 games with the one club is a monumental honour.

Sports lovers from all codes throughout Australia must salute him.

Congratulations

LAST week saw the re-appointment of league coaches Ian Miller, Dennis Cometti and Ron Alexander for next season.

My personal congratualtions go to them; but the real congratulations must surely go to the respective presidents of those clubs.

George Spalding, Harry Morgan and Rod Brown have shown great character in supporting these men, even though their win-loss records have not been as successful as each club predicted at the start of this season.

Coaches need time to establish and develop patterns of play and — more importantly — players with the skill and character to combine into a successful team.

Presidents have to appease critical members and can easily succumb to the pressures to sack coaches.

But these men may have set new guidelines for giving 'the coach time' I am sure Ron, Dennis and Ian appreciate the confidence shown in them.

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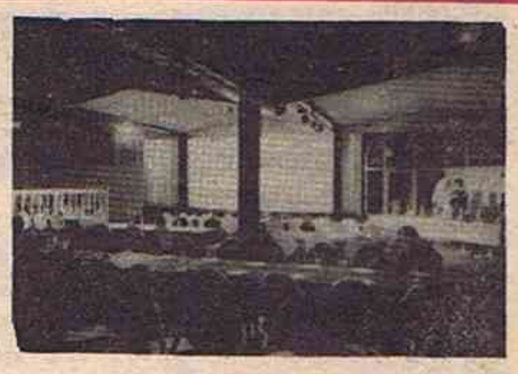

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