



# WESTSIDE Football

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*TWO of the State League's most uncompromising players — East Perth's George Giannakis (left) and South Fremantle's Peter Worsfold — both emerged with reputations intact after some bone-crunching encounters at Perth Oval last Saturday. Neither player gave an inch in what was a fierce encounter. The Royals centremen has clearly been East Perth's best performer this season, gathering more than 25 possessions per week, while the rugged Bulldog has been shifted out of his customary half-back position and given a more attacking role.*



Picture: Julian Cowan

## STOP THE DANGER!

**STATE League coaches don't believe that the security measures introduced by the West Australian Football Commission to reduce crowd interference at Pepsi Cup matches has gone far enough.**

Complaints have rocked the State League this season about the dangers of fans being allowed full run on the grounds — and the lack of security and privacy for coaches.

The Commission amended its policy last week to curb the troublesome spectator participation, preventing fans from entering the arena at quarter-time and restricting their access to players at three-quarter time.

Consistent criticism from league coaches and officials and continual media barbs about the disgraceful spectacle has failed to jolt the Commission.

By George Temple

Matches have been continually delayed at the start of each quarter — including the beginning of games — because of spectators strolling around the arena.

Coaches have been restricted in what they could say to players, with bystanders gathered around and fears were expressed for the safety of young children as players did their pre-match warm-up.

State coach Ron Alexander said this was a major worry.

"All kids want to have a kick and my young bloke's the same," he says.

"But something must be done soon or a youngster is going to get bowled over or hit with a football," Alexander said.

Subiaco coach Haydn Bunton is quite blunt about it.

"Sporting arenas are for sportsmen and officials only," Bunton said.

"Spectators should not be allowed on the oval at all. You don't see people wandering onto a race track during a meeting."

East Perth coach Ian McCulloch, who contravened the rules by taking his players into the changeroom for a three-quarter time tongue-lashing against Swan Districts a fortnight ago, says he will continue this practice if necessary.

"It's okay if you're winning, but it's different if you're losing," McCulloch said.

Swan Districts coach John Todd, who wasn't troubled by spectators around his team during the last break against Claremont on Saturday, said it was a big improvement on other weeks when the throng had been up to eight people deep around the huddle.

"It gave the players some breathing space," Todd said.

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# Eagles pay for Bennett folly

by  
**Robert Bennett**  
of the Sunday Times



**THE West Coast Eagles are grizzling about the poor deal they have received in the national league draft — yet they have given away some top players to other AFL clubs.**

**Last Friday they were given a graphic reminder of this folly.**

It's a fair dinkum joke that Darren Bennett was discarded.

This season he has become one of the AFL's top goal-kickers, averaging just over five a game for top side Melbourne. His six goals against the Eagles last Friday had a decisive influence on the game.

## KNEE INJURY

Bennett should not have been evicted out the door so quickly when he suffered his serious knee injury at the end of the Eagles initial season, 1987.

He had shown in that one season he was a full-forward above the ordinary. He should have been put on ice, as a few other players have been.

The obvious question is that if the Eagles had Bennett, what would happen to Peter Sumich?

In my opinion, too much responsibility has been thrust upon Sumich.

He is still a novice by AFL standards and while he has outstanding potential and can become one of the

great players of national football, he should have been nursed along a bit.

Anyway, isn't it better to have two strings to your goalkicking bow?

With Bennett in the side, Sumich would have put pressure on the selection for the full-forward spot. And both could play at centre-half-forward, which has been a trouble spot for the Eagles.

Derek Kickett is another player of exceptional skills who was allowed to slip through the Eagles net.

This Sunday, there will be further reminders of players the Eagles let go when they play the Brisbane Bears.

## RECRUITING

Sure, the Eagles couldn't recruit everyone. But there must be some queries over past recruiting decisions.

The Eagles have struggled on the ball because they have not had a true rover.

Wally Matera was erratic with the Eagles, but he was a genuine rover and when he fired, he was influential. Fitzroy have found that out.

Brad Rowe should have been the Eagles No. 1 draft choice this season. He is a true rover.

The Eagles have too many ruck-rover types in the team.

Coach Mick Malthouse has a valid argument when

he says that unlike other Victorian-based clubs, the Eagles don't have a nursery such as the under-19s to nurture players.

Last Friday's loss to Melbourne may have been something of a blessing — it might take the heat out of Victorian concerns that the Eagles will dominate the competition too quickly.

It's interesting to note that Captain Blood, the legendary Jack Dyer, made the statement in a newspaper last week that no Victorian-based team would play in the AFL grand final after 1993.

## PREDICTION

Some would see that as an outrageous prediction. But it's the kind of mentality that is currently playing on some minds in Victoria.

The Eagles are already a good side, but it will take a while yet before the Vics have to hit the panic button.

In the meantime, if Victorians want a true national competition, then the Eagles should not be treated like second-class citizens simply because there is a belief that they will become too strong too quickly.

The Eagles should be given the same consideration as Victorian-based clubs when it comes to the selection of players.

Malthouse can't be blamed for what has happened in the past, but for the Eagles' sake, let's hope he uses more nous in assessing players than some of his predecessors....

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## Footy Rumours

## GOSSIP FROM AROUND THE CLUBS

### FULL-TIME UMPIRE LIKELY

WESTERN Australia could have its own full-time director of umpiring next season, according to national umpires coach Bill Dellar. The Victorian umpiring guru has had talks with the WA Football Commission regarding funding for such a position, which he says is vitally important for the development of the game. "The man appointed would be involved with more than just the league umpires," Dellar said. "His role would cover the development of umpires at all levels across the State."



Brendon Retzlaff...making the most of his reprieve

### RETZLAFF BOUNCES BACK

SOMETIMES players need a kick up the pants to get motivated...just ask Swan Districts defender Brendon Retzlaff. After playing in the opening five games, the skillful half-back was 23rd man to play East Perth in round six. But five injuries at the Friday night training session gave him a last-minute recall to the league side, where he was among Swans best players in their 100-point demolition of the Royals. And last Saturday, against reigning premiers Claremont, Retzlaff was a quiet achiever. He went about his defensive duties efficiently and often rebounded his side into attack.

### SEND-OFF RULE IS COMING

NATIONAL umpires coach Bill Dellar favours the send-off rule in football. Speaking on ABC Radio last Saturday, Dellar said the law has been used effectively by the Victorian Football Association for a couple of seasons. "It's not a direct send-off," Dellar said. "For a minor reportable offence a player just gets his name taken, but for a second offence in the same game, he gets ordered off the ground. However, if the first offence is a serious one like eye gouging, he is sent off directly. Reported players in the VFA also have the option of receiving a one or two week automatic suspension or fronting the tribunal to defend their case." Dellar said that since 1987, the number of VFA hearings had dropped from 87 to 39 last season.

### EAGLES MEN IN JEOPARDY

THE situation regarding Eagles players being relegated back to their WA State League Clubs is often a worry for local coaches. Claremont coach Gerard Neesham must be frustrated at having to keep some out-of-form players in his league side, while his Royals counterpart in Ian McCulloch was relieved that Peter Melesso played well last week. Melesso's form had been such that McCulloch was keen to drop him, but his good form against the Bulldogs has helped save his neck. Players like Peter Higgins and John Annear are so out of touch for the Tigers that they would normally be facing an early start on Saturdays if it wasn't for the Eagles insistence that all their players be kept in league ranks.

### BOMBER ON TARGET

ESSENDON coach Kevin Sheedy has a great rapport with players, particularly newcomers who have had a history of not always seeing eye-to-eye with previous coaches. In recent weeks Sheedy has taken former WA star Derek Kickett under his friendly wing and the high-flying dasher has produced some outstanding games. "He's only been around a few weeks and he's still learning," said Sheedy, who was pictured enjoying a heart-to-heart with the former Claremont star. "It's pretty hard to get to know all your new team-mates and to understand the training drills in just a few weeks."

### BASSENDAN BEER BRIBERY

SWAN Districts forward Shaun Davey is on a promise from his coach John Todd. The triple-premiership boss, who thinks the strong-marking Davey needs to improve his kicking, will give him a keg of beer if he can kick four goals in one quarter. It's not such a bad bet from Todd's point of view — Swans are sponsored by Emu Export, so he's probably got some inside help, anyway!



Ross Glendinning...back in Royals territory

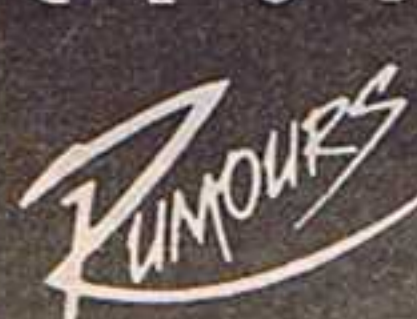
### ROSCOE REVEALS ALL

FORMER West Coast Eagles skipper and champion WA footballer Ross Glendinning was back in familiar territory last Saturday as a special guest of East Perth, his original club before his 231 games in the VFL. In an entertaining and polished speech to guests at the special President's luncheon, he revealed that it had been a hard decision to leave the Royals after just 56 games, but the money situation compensated somewhat. In that mid-1970s era, Glendinning jumped from a \$2000 WAFL player to 10 times that amount with North Melbourne.

### JACKO LOSES HIS COOL

SOUTH Fremantle fans obviously felt some sympathy for their teenage star Glen Jakovich when he became frustrated in the losing effort against East Perth on Saturday. Jakovich, still only 17, tried to do too much in a flagging Bulldogs side and he found himself losing his cool a little. There were frequent grappling matches and at one stage he was lucky to be undetected in some unfair play involving Royals star Craig McGrath, with two Bulldogs players holding the big man down well away from the play.

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# HE'S NO LIGHTWEIGHT

**MAKING** the top 12 in the Brownlow Medal count is quite an achievement for any footballer, let alone a first-year player who had been axed from a national league club before playing even one game.

The gutsy efforts of East Perth's David Bain with his adopted AFL club, the Brisbane Bears, has won the respect of Eastern States judges. In his first year after winning the 1988 Sandover Medal, Bain figured in the top six in his club's best and fairest and was equal 12th in the Brownlow, behind only one other team-mate, the club's 1990 skipper, Roger Merrett.

Bain has carried his good form into the new season, despite a closer watch on his running skills.

He had 15 possessions in a losing side against power club Hawthorn in shocking conditions and followed up with another creative display in last week's win over the Sydney Swans.

## MENTAL ATTITUDE

"Despite the big margin in our Hawthorn loss, there's a fine line between the top dozen or so teams in the AFL," says Bain. "It boils down to mental attitude."

Bain has been sharing the roving duties with fellow West Australian Brad Rowe...and both players are receiving a lot of attention.

"People have become more aware of my style and that makes it a little more difficult," says the former Royals kick-getter.

"If you're playing well, the opposition tend to watch you a little bit more."

Bain says his first-year success in the VFL was very satisfying after he had been unloaded by the Eagles without playing even one game.

"Every good footballer believes in himself and I believed I could handle the rise in tempo," said the wiry Bain.

"I'm pretty happy the way it is working out. But we all have a lot of work to do. The players have to lift that little bit more."

From

**KEN PIESSE**

in Melbourne



Bain, who was the last player dropped off the initial Eagles squad before the start of the 1987 season, believes that his short pre-season time with the West Coasters under inaugural coach Ron Alexander was "a learning experience."

"They thought I was a little bit light," he says.

When signed by the Eagles after 31 club games with East Perth, the 177cm rover was just 64kg (10st 1lb). However, he's added strength and weight to his frame without losing any of his exuberant running skills.

"After my good year in WA (where he won the Sandover), I thought if I ever got the chance to play in the VFL it would be 1988, so I was grateful when I got drafted by the Bears."

Bain, who has just turned 24, was the Bears first choice in the 1988 draft — something of a surprise because of his light frame. But he has more than rewarded them with his courageous style of play.

"It's an unknown thing going over and seeing how you go," he says. "I was reasonably happy the way I fitted in."

"I quite enjoy living in Queensland, but all my family and friends are in Perth and I miss them a little. WA is certainly a pleasant place; it has good weather and isn't flooding like Queensland!"

"Unfortunately, I don't get much of an opportunity to go home other than at Christmas."

## GOLD COAST HOME

Bain lives on the Gold Coast, at Highland Park, the next suburb up from Carrara, the Bears home base.

He's in between jobs at the moment, devoting all his time to improving his football.

"With the way the game is played at this level, if you don't keep improving, you tend to go off the boil a bit," he said.



David Bain...he's all smiles in his Gold Coast role



Eagles physio Brian Edwards works on Karl Langdon's legs

## WELCOME HOME TO AN EAGLES HIGH-FLIER

THE West Coast Eagles regained the services of one of their workers last Sunday morning when solo Tiger Moth pilot Brian Edwards touched down on Perth soil after his epic flight from England.

And don't be surprised if Eagles coach Mick Malthouse uses Edwards' historic flight as an example of determination and mind-over-matter for his players, who are on the rebound from a morale-shattering loss to Melbourne.

Edwards, a physiotherapist, is an Eagles trainer and his battle against the odds during his seven-week adventure at the controls of Matilda will surely inspire the players when they take on the Brisbane Bears at Subiaco Oval.

The 49-year-old adventurer made the tough trip in honour of his father Clifford, who died on a World War II bombing raid and his efforts raised \$50,000 for Legacy.

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# FALCONS PLAN TO END SHARKS RUN

WEST Perth go into the first match in the second series of fixtures hungry to atone for their 86-point thrashing at the hands of East Fremantle on the opening day of this season.

Two wins on the trot have changed the Falcons from easy-beats to a team of winners and they must be taken seriously by the other seven State League sides.

West Perth coach George Michalczyk says his players are eager to begin climbing up the league ladder and the Sharks are next on their hit-list.

"We've developed a solid game plan and if we stick to it, we can win," Michalczyk said.

"Julian Urquhart's a chance to make his first appearance since joining us from Claremont and Brad Gwilliam will come back into our defence after a week out with injury."

East Fremantle have developed a slick running game with West Coast Eagle squad member Clinton Browning and rookie Gary Smallridge leading the way.

Likewise, midfielders Darren Hammond and Rob Weber and rover Billy Krakouer have been in top form, which should install the Sharks as favourites to win this clash, despite having to travel to Leederville Oval — the scene of many disappointing East Fremantle performances.

## REPLAY IN BALANCE

THE second 1989 grand final replay between Claremont and South Fremantle could go either way.

The Tigers drew first blood at Claremont Oval in round one, but both sides have displayed indifferent form in recent weeks and neither can lay claims to being a clear-cut favourite.

Claremont utility John Hutton, forward Todd Ridley and rover Tony Evans pose the greatest threat around the goal, while Cam Lewis, Peter Owens and Brian Beresford should keep the defence tight.

The Tigers will also welcome back key-position players Peter Mann and Tony Beers, whose absence severely restricted their chances of beating league leaders Swan Districts last Saturday.

The Bulldogs will surely improve on their poor showing against East Perth last week, when only Peter Worsfold and Cliff Collard emerged with their reputations intact.

There's no doubt South Fremantle are a better side than they have shown in recent outings and could easily rebound to beat the Tigers.

## TOUGH BATTLE

SUBIACO and East Perth are both fighting to earn respect for some consistent form, which means that the fans can expect an intense struggle at Subiaco Oval.

The Lions have Garry Kemp in superb form. Mick Lee is equally effective around the packs, skipper Brian Taylor is leading by example and Andrew Macnish is wreaking havoc around the goalsquare, while defenders Clinton Brown and David Snow are restricting opposing forwards.

But East Perth's midfield is equally impressive.

No-one has worked harder for the Royals this year than centreman George Giannakis as he consistently features in their best players and he has good support in wingmen Butch Baroni and Eric Maroni; defenders Dean Bertram, Matt Clape, Peter Melesso and Ken Seymour and versatile West Coast Eagle Craig McGrath — providing he doesn't make an overdue debut for the AFL side.

## SWANS TO DOMINATE

TABLE-TOPPERS Swan Districts should easily account for bottom-placed Perth at Bassendean Oval.

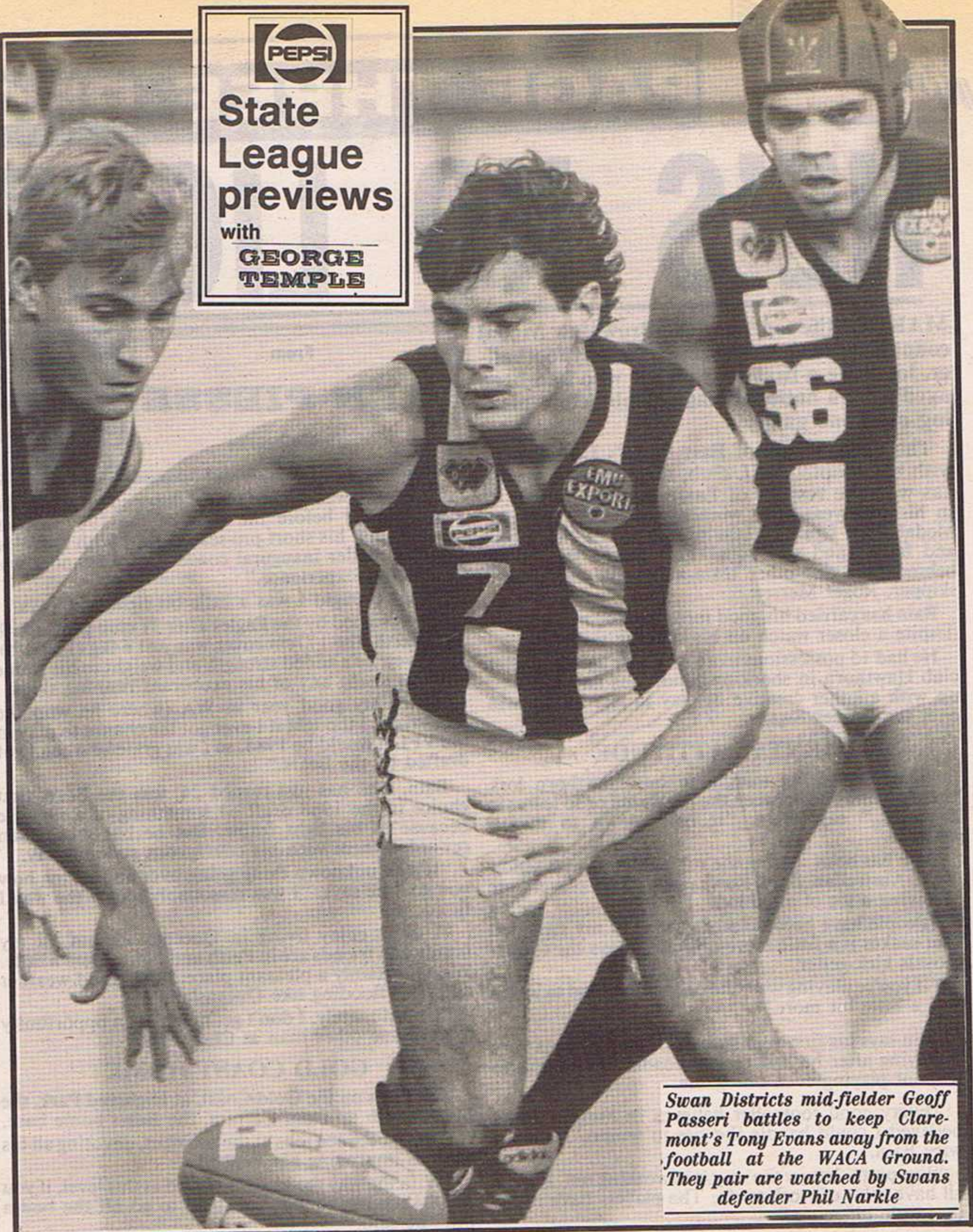
The Demons have managed just one win to date, while Swans have emerged as a powerful combination.

Perth coach Tom Mullooly will hope for improved performances from Joe Santostefano and ruckman Ian Newman, while ruckman John Gavranich, rover Merv Kelly and defender John Zaikos must be constructive if they hope to perform better.

Well-balanced Swans have match-winners in full-forward Shane Stempel, centreman/ruck-rover Len Gandini, wingmen Steve Bazzo and Phil Narkle, half-back Brendon Retzlaff and centre-half-back Paul Gow.



State League previews with **GEORGE TEMPLE**



Swan Districts mid-fielder Geoff Passeri battles to keep Claremont's Tony Evans away from the football at the WACA Ground. They pair are watched by Swans defender Phil Narkle

## STATE LEAGUE FORM GUIDE

Figures in brackets are winning (W) or losing (L) margins.

EAST FREMANTLE W(86), L(23), L(21), W(20), W(11), W(27), W(68)	CLAREMONT W(7), W(57), L(15), W(159), W(97), L(27), L(15)
WEST PERTH L(86), L(24), L(66), L(159), L(65), W(16), W(4)	SOUTH FREMANTLE L(7), W(52), W(21), L(32), W(65), W(5), L(51)
SWAN DISTRICTS W(3), W(23), W(66), W(32), L(15), W(100), W(15)	SUBIACO W(105), L(57), W(50), L(20), W(15), L(5), L(4)
PERTH L(3), L(52), L(50), W(30), L(97), L(16), L(68)	EAST PERTH L(105), W(24), W(15), L(30), L(11), L(100), W(51)

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*Tally does not include AFL tips	Tally	S. Frem v Claremont	W. Perth v E. Frem	Subiaco v E. Perth	S. Dist v Perth	Eagles v Brisbane Bears
RON ALEXANDER	16	Claremont	East Fremantle	Subiaco	Swan Districts	Eagles
ROB BENNETT	14	South Fremantle	East Fremantle	Subiaco	Swan Districts	Eagles
PETER BOSUSTOW	15	Claremont	East Fremantle	Subiaco	Swan Districts	Eagles
TANIA ARMSTRONG	13	Claremont	East Fremantle	Subiaco	Swan Districts	Eagles
ALAN EAST	18	South Fremantle	West Perth	East Perth	Swan Districts	Eagles
IAN MILLER	14	Claremont	East Fremantle	Subiaco	Swan Districts	Eagles
BILL MATHER-BROWN	16	Claremont	East Fremantle	Subiaco	Swan Districts	Eagles
GARY STOCKS	16	Claremont	East Fremantle	Subiaco	Swan Districts	Eagles
GEORGE TEMPLE	15	Claremont	East Fremantle	East Perth	Swan Districts	Eagles
GRANT DORRINGTON	14	Claremont	East Fremantle	East Perth	Swan Districts	Eagles
MOST FAVOURED	15	Claremont	East Fremantle	Subiaco	Swan Districts	Eagles

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# EAGLES CAN STILL MAKE IT

**Bears have a point to prove**

**IS IT the Brisbane Bears or the Perth Bears?**

These days it's hard to tell.

There's every likelihood that half of Norm Dare's starting line-up at Subiaco Oval this Sunday could be West Australians.

Dare has former Eagles in Alex Ishchenko, John Gastev, Kevin Caton and Mark Zanotti, in addition to Mike Richardson, David Bain, Brad Rowe, Brad Hardie, Brad Edwards, Peter Davidson and Rod Lester-Smith in his squad.

The first nine players could all play and have two big reasons for producing their best form:

1. They are vying for spots in the State-of-Origin side and will want to play well in front of the State selectors and their families.

2. The former Eagles all have points to prove to a number of people.

The best displays should come from Gastev, who the Eagles should never have lost, Hardie, who is carrying an injury, and ruckman Ishchenko, who will relish his role in the big-man battles.

THE West Coast Eagles will still make the AFL finals despite their loss to top side Melbourne last Friday night.

The Eagles can still win enough games at home to make the final-five and a look ahead at the fixtures supports that viewpoint.

Of the eight remaining home games, only three should be considered "problem matches" for Mick Malthouse's men — Hawthorn (June 15) and St Kilda (July 13) at the WACA Ground and Melbourne (August 19) at Subiaco Oval.

## CERTAINTIES

The Eagles should be a certainty to beat the Brisbane Bears this weekend:



Shane Stempel...good use of the body

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In addition, they must be a fair bet to take the four premiership points from Hawthorn, St Kilda and Melbourne when they host them in Perth.

The Eagles haven't had a tooth-and-nail battle in their home town yet and these three matches should attract sell-out crowds.

## Viewpoint



with State Coach

**RON ALEXANDER**

## Swans trio impress

SWAN Districts are certainly an impressive unit.

Their encounter with Claremont last Saturday was a sometimes scrappy, but enthralling affair and three Swans players — Shane Stempel, Travis Edmonds and Paul Gow — came under notice.

They are a trio of very mobile, young big men who are tailor-made for the modern game.

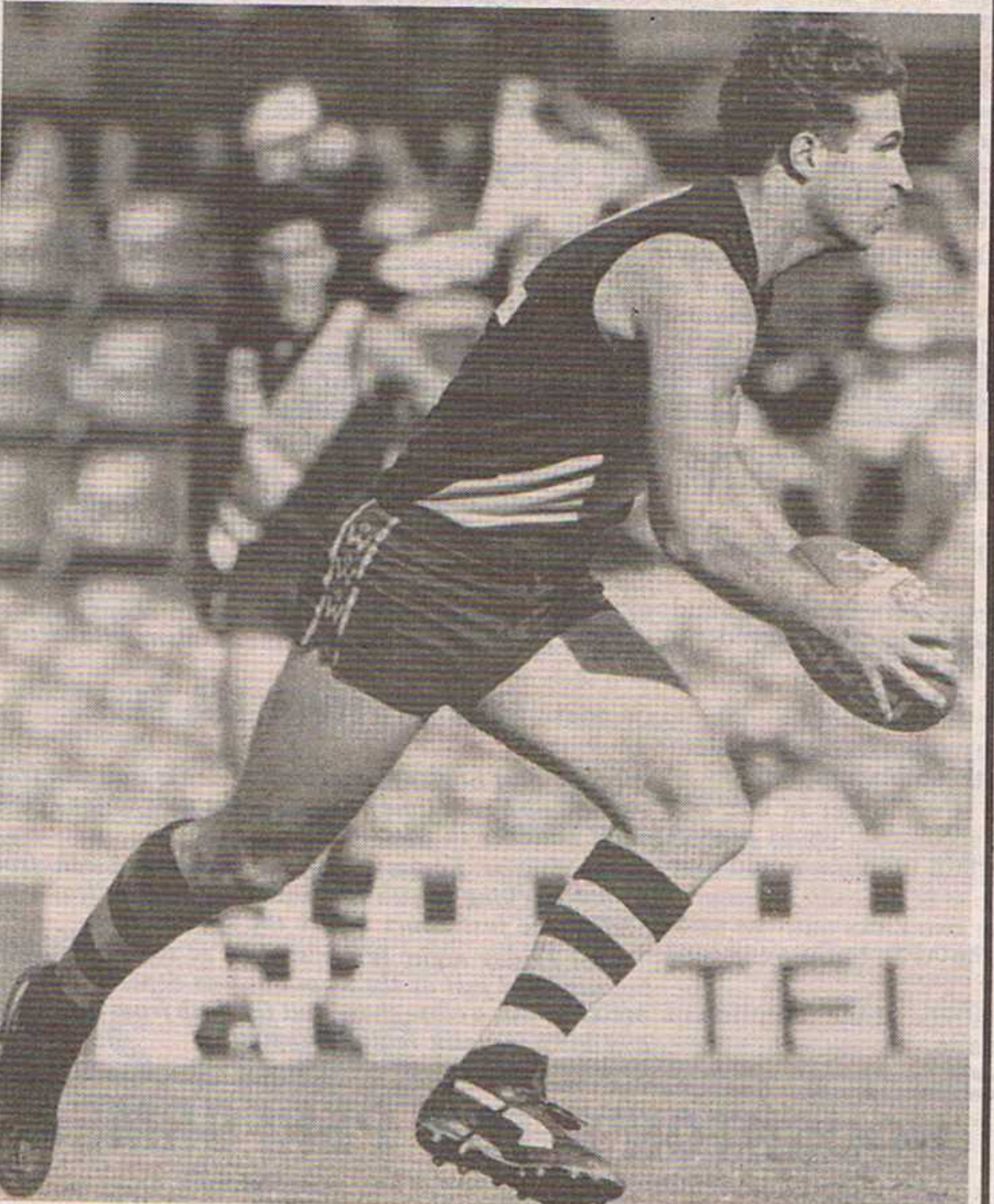
Gow, at centre-half-back and full-back, was as accomplished as any defender in the State League. He attacked the ball vigorously and always backed his judgement.

At the other end of the ground, Stempel totally outplayed his opponent John Scott, contesting every ball that went into the forward area and using his body brilliantly to prevent any Tiger from getting an easy touch.

Stempel's fast-leading and strong hands make him one of the best full-forward prospects in the league.

Edmonds job in the ruck was exemplary for such a young player with limited experience. It will be interesting watching him develop.

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Claremont defender Tony Begovich came close to making his debut for the West Coast Eagles last Friday night when he was chosen as an emergency for the Melbourne-Eagles clash and he will come under consideration as a replacement for the injured Dean Laidley.

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## Interstate Update

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# Lockett is on target again

ST KILDA giant Tony Lockett appears set to record his 50th goal for the season in round eight for the second consecutive year. With 47 goals after seven matches, Lockett is just two behind his tally for the same stage of 1989.

Hawthorn's Jason Dunstall, with a 1990 tally of 37 goals, is one goal behind his 1989 performance, while at the same time in 1988 he had kicked 41 goals.

Dunstall's performance in reaching a half-century of goals in nine matches in 1988 was bettered by Lockett last year.

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**FOOTSCRAY'S** fighting two-point win over North Melbourne at the MCG on Saturday gave the Bulldogs their third consecutive victory — a feat they last achieved in rounds 18 to 20 of 1988.

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BRISBANE'S win over Sydney brought the Bears equal-second longest losing sequence to an end! The Bears had lost five games on end — one game less than their longest losing sequence, which was recorded twice in 1987, their initial season of competition.

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FOR the second time this year, the group of teams in the top five remained unchanged after last weekend's round of fixtures. So far during 1990, nine teams have spent at least one week in the top five, with four of those teams spending time in top spot. Only Melbourne have been able to remain in top position on the AFL ladder for more than one week.

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RICHMOND'S 14-point victory over Geelong at Kardinia Park was the Tigers first win away from the MCG since round 16 of 1988, when they beat St Kilda by 17 points at VFL Park. The Tigers last victory on opposition soil was in round 14 of 1988, when they were 35-point victors over the Sydney Swans at the Sydney Cricket Ground. Sunday's victory was Richmond's first over Geelong since their 32-point at Kardinia Park in round 21 of 1985.

### How WA players performed in AFL

Team	Kicks	Marks	H/balls	Players Score
<b>BRISBANE BEARS</b>				
David Bain	11	3	4	1.0
Brad Hardie	14	2	1	0.1
John Gastev	20	5	10	0.2
Brad Rowe	11	3	—	2.1
Alex Ishchenko	9	8	5	—
Mike Richardson	10	1	5	—
Mark Zanotti	21	6	5	0.1
<b>CARLTON</b>				
Svea Da Rui	8	—	7	—
Peter Sartori	5	5	6	0.2
<b>COLLINGWOOD</b>				
Michael Christian	12	6	1	0.4
Craig Starcevich	10	8	3	1.0
<b>ESSENDON</b>				
Darren Bewick	16	1	3	4.2
Peter Cransberg	18	5	4	—
Derek Kickett	11	2	2	—
<b>GEELONG</b>				
Ray Sterrett	12	3	7	0.2
<b>FITZROY</b>				
Dale Kickett	7	2	4	3.1
John Ironmonger	10	5	9	—
Wally Matera	11	3	4	3.1
<b>HAWTHORN</b>				
Ben Allen	6	2	1	0.1
<b>MELBOURNE</b>				
Darren Bennett	12	6	—	6.1
Earl Spalding	6	3	5	—
<b>NTH MELBOURNE</b>				
Mark Hepburn	7	6	6	0.1
Andrew Krakouer	4	1	5	—
<b>RICHMOND</b>				
Michael Mitchell	12	8	6	1.2
<b>ST KILDA</b>				
Paul Harding	17	3	9	0.1
Nicky Winmar	10	4	5	2.2
<b>SYDNEY SWANS</b>				
Brad Tunbridge	3	1	3	1.1

HIT OUTS: Alex Ishchenko (Brisbane Bears) 19; John Ironmonger (Fitzroy) 14; Mark Hepburn (North Melbourne) 13; Brad Tunbridge (Sydney Swans) 4; Craig Starcevich (Collingwood) 3; Peter Sartori (Carlton) 1.

# Ruck duel will be highlight

OLD friendships will be thrown to the wind at Subiaco Oval this Sunday when the West Coast Eagles take on a West Australian-flavoured Brisbane Bears side — and the first sign of friendly rivalries will be at the centre bouncedown.

The game will get under way with Eagles ruckman Phil Scott crashing head-on into his former teammate, Alex Ishchenko, in what should be the clash-of-the-day.

Both ruckmen were foundation members of the initial 1987 Eagles squad until Ishchenko defected to the Gold Coast after two seasons.

### DEVELOPED

Scott, at 29 years of age, has developed into one of the most valuable big men in the AFL after playing second-fiddle to Ishchenko in the Eagles early days when the "Russian" and Laurie Keene shouldered the ruck duties.

Scott, who played only nine games in the Eagles inaugural season, is relatively short for an AFL ruckman at 193cm and he gives away seven centimetres and 10kg to the former East Perth big man.

"Alex is big and strong and he takes a good mark," Scott said.

"And even though we only played a handful of games together, he knows the way I play and I know how he plays.

"I look forward to every game and I'm looking forward to this one."

Scott exerts his authority all over the ground with his good use of the body and a strong pair of hands, but he admits that Ishchenko's around-the-ground work can have a big bearing on a game.

"He can be very dangerous when he feeds out a handball to the smaller players around him," says Scott.

## Computer joins Eagles

FOOTBALL is joining other elite sports in the computer age.

American-born Eagles fanatic Jesse James Sanchez, of Computer Options, together with Norm Bernard, of Ipex Computers, has designed some computer packages specifically for football.

Eagles coach Mick Malthouse has at his disposal a programme to assist him during the AFL drafts, another that gives him a run-down on all the Eagles opponents and one that can even predict where and when a free kick will be given against West Coast.

Malthouse can use the draft programme to virtually select players for him.

Sanchez claims that if all the potential draft players were entered into the programme, detailing particulars like height, weight, position and ability-rating, Malthouse could simply punch a few buttons to get a list of choices.

"That beats rifling through heaps of paper," Sanchez said. "But it's up to Mick if he uses it. He may not want to trust a machine."

One programme Malthouse is keen on using is called Tracker.

After each game, the Eagles coach enters notes and details about opponents, including who played on them and how they performed.

### REFERENCE SYSTEM

This provides him with the perfect reference system when the Eagles encounter those players again.

The free-kick programme is no longer in use, but Sanchez said that it was so accurate it could predict the number of free-kicks certain umpires would give against the Eagles.

"It was usually only one or two kicks out," he said. "We sent the results off to the AFL, but never heard anything more."

Sanchez, who came to Australia at the inception of the Eagles, is a football fanatic.

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## In the Eagles Nest

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Phil Scott...playing his 50th game for the Eagles against the Brisbane Bears at Subiaco Oval on Sunday

He plays K-grade with Riverton in the WA Amateur Football League and has also served as one of West Coast's water boys.

Along the way he has sold computers to Murray Rance, skipper Steve Malaxos, football legend Barry Cable and former Eagles chief executive Bill Kerr.

## RESISTING TEMPTATION

EAGLES players have to avoid temptation when it comes to socialising — and selector Trevor Sprigg has mixed some of his business activities into his role to keep an eye on them.

Sprigg, the promotions manager for Swan Brewery, arranged for a number of clients to accompany the Eagles to Melbourne last weekend — and woe betide any player who takes advantage of the new contacts they may have made.

The consequences for any Eagles players could be dire if they are caught drinking at Richard Moody's Rottnest Hotel; in one of Chris Allen's Austotel's chain; consuming the proceeds of a visit to one of Ken Demmer's McHenry Dunstan and Hurley bottle shops or even being a customer of Rob Matthews' Boozie Bandits.

## RUNNING LATE

WEST Coast Eagles runner Rob Wiley is well and truly warmed up by the time he takes to the ground for Friday night matches in Melbourne.

The former Eagles player is taking a break from school teaching to run a newsagency and he leaves for Melbourne just hours before the bouncedown.

Last Friday night Wiley arrived at the Eagles Melbourne hotel just as the team bus was departing for the MCG. It was a close shave, but the dash from the airport had his adrenalin really pumping.

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# Eagles face danger game



WHEN does Subiaco Oval not become a home ground advantage for the West Coast Eagles?

When they play the Brisbane Bears.

And that will be the scenario when a West Australian-stacked Bears combination comes to Perth to meet the Eagles this Sunday in what is an important clash for the local club.

The Eagles, after being thumped by Melbourne last Friday night at the MCG, need to get back on course and those plans include a victory against a Bears side that caused one of five AFL upsets last weekend.

It's amazing how much one match can swing the opinions — and fortunes — of AFL teams.

On the eve of the clash with Melbourne, critics looking ahead considered that the Brisbane clash would be a comfortable home-town victory. It was just a matter of turning up and collecting the four premiership points.

## RE-ASSESSMENT

But after the Eagles caved in to the Demons and the Bears bruised the ego of the Sunday Swans, it's time for a re-assessment, particularly with many of the Bears players feeling at home on Subiaco Oval.

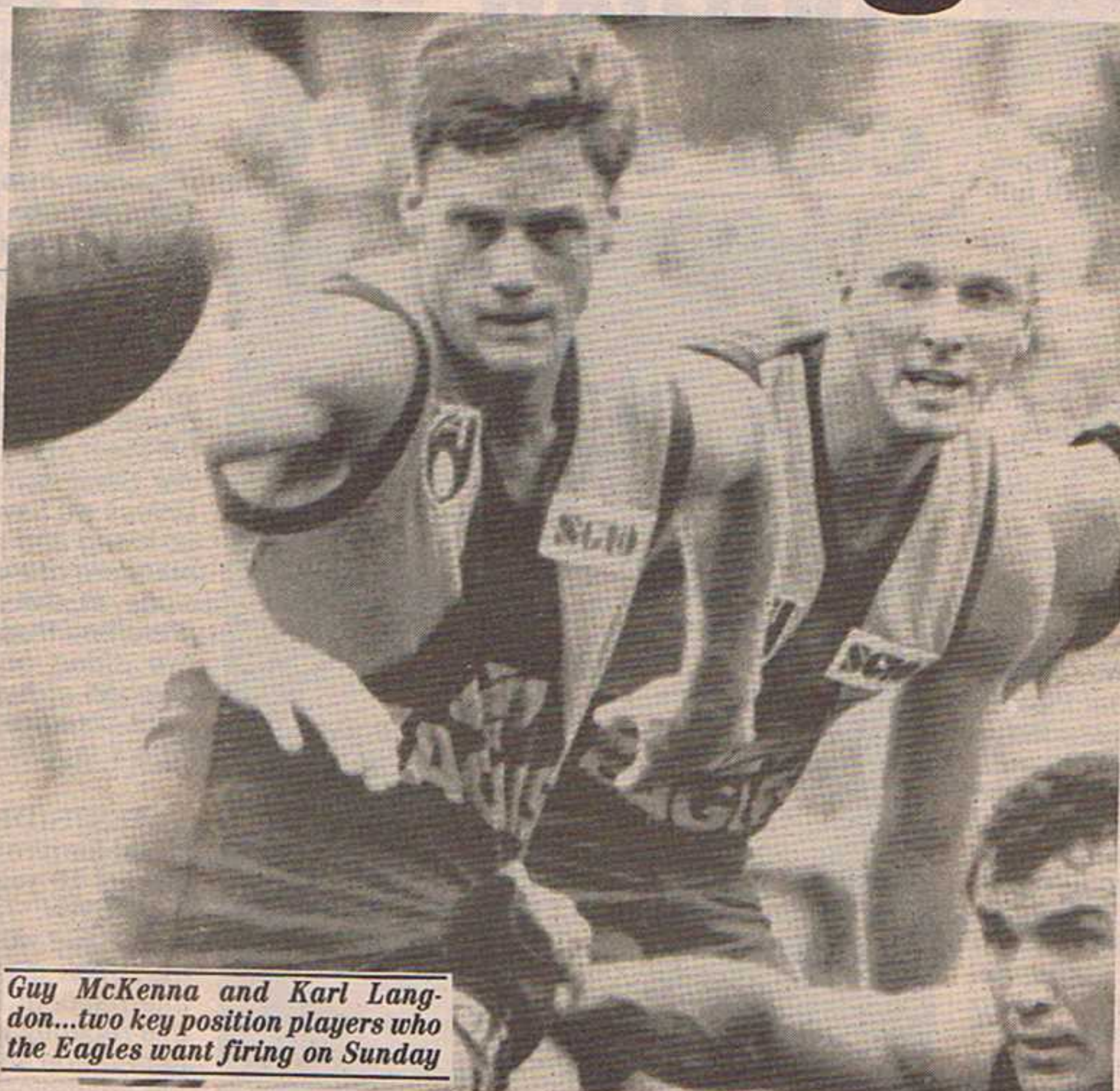
Former Eagles Alex Ishchenko, Mark Zanotti, John Gastev and Kevin Caton should all be in the line-up, while David Bain (who was briefly an Eagles squad member in 1987), Mike Richardson, Brad Hardie and Brad Rowe all enjoy the open spaces of Subiaco Oval.

All those players are equipped with plenty of knowledge, both in relation to Sunday's opponents and the ground conditions and they will undoubtedly feed some important data to Bears coach Norm Dare.

## COMPETITIVE

But the Eagles have lost only twice in seven matches and they have the personnel to rebound — though the match will be much closer than many people expect.

The loss of tough defender Dean Laidley is a savage blow, both for the



Guy McKenna and Karl Langdon...two key position players who the Eagles want firing on Sunday

individual and for the club and they will sadly miss his competitive fighting spirit in defence.

But Geoff Miles should be better for his first AFL outing this season, Tony Begovich has strong claims for inclusion and Chris Mainwaring must come under strong consideration for a recall — moves which would add pace to the Eagles line-up.

Though the centre-half-forward position remains a problem spot, Karl Langdon deserves high commendation for the way he has battled against the odds so far this season and the Eagles need him to continue his hard work in attack.

But Stevan Jackson and Peter Sumich must improve their conversion rate. It's no good working hard to get the ball to the forwards if they cannot convert the effort into goals.

## PROBLEMS

The Bears are rarely brushed aside easily and with full-forward Cameron O'Brien, centre-half-forward Roger Merrett and centre-half-back Martin Leslie in good touch, they can offer some problems down the middle.


As well, Scott McIvor is moving into top form and Mark Withers, the club's 1988 fairest and best player, is approaching his best.

Ishchenko, the Eagles No. 1 ruckman in 1987, will meet Phil Scott in what promises to be an engrossing head-to-head battle.

It will be interesting to see what sort of formula coach Mick Malthouse and his selectors come up with to counter the Bears strengths, but there's a strong chance that big man Craig McGrath and tough defender Begovich will debut for the club.

## AFL RATINGS WEST COAST EAGLES

Player	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	Mel	TOT
	Col	SK	FT	Carl	SS	R			
ANNEAR, John	6	4r	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
BREMAN, Todd	-	-	5	6	5	6	4	26	
BRENNAN, Michael	8	4	-	6	6	6	5	35	
GWILLIAM, Brad	5	4	5	-	-	-	-	14	
HART, David	-	-	7	4r	-	-	-	11	
IRVING, Dean	5	4	3r	-	-	-	-	12	
HEADY, Brett	-	-	-	6	6	6	6	24	
JACKSON, Stevan	-	-	5	5	5	7	6	28	
KEMP, Dean	7	6	7	8	7	6	5	36	
LAIDLEY, Dean	5	6	7	7	6	7	4i	42	
LAMB, Dwayne	6	5	7	6	6	7	7	44	
LANGDON, Karl	7	5	8	6	5	7	6	44	
LEWIS, Chris	-	3r	-	-	-	5	5	13	
LOCKYER, Andrew	4	3	-	-	-	5	5	17	
MAINWARING, Chris	6	6	-	-	4	5	-	21	
MALAXOS, Steve	-	-	6	6	7	6	7	32	
MATERA, Peter	5	-	-	-	-	-	5	10	
MILES, Geoff	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	
McKENNA, Guy	5	6	6	6	6	7	4	40	
O'CONNELL, David	-	-	-	4r	3	-	-	7	
PEOS, Paul	6	5	3i	-	-	-	-	14	
PYKE, Don	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	9	
RANCE, Murray	6	6	6	8	6	6	5	43	
SCOTT, Phil	6	4	6	7	7	8	5	43	
SUMICH, Peter	6	4	6	6	7	6	5	40	
TURLEY, Craig	-	-	7	6	6	6	4	29	
UGLE, Troy	7	6	7	5	5	5	-	35	
WATTERS, Scott	-	-	6	5	5	-	-	16	
WILSON, Peter	6	6	8	7	6	6	5	44	
WORSFOLD, John	6	6	7	6	6	6	8	45	

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**Gary Stocks**  
of The West Australian

### AFL GOALKICKERS

	Gls Yr	Pts Yr
LOCKETT, Tony (St Kilda)	47	20
DUNSTALL, Jason (Hawthorn)	37	19
BENNETT, Darren (Melbourne)	36	17
LONGMIRE, John (N. Melbourne)	32	22
SUMICH, Peter (West Coast Eagles)	30	20
ABLETT, Gary (Geelong)	24	16
GRANT, Chris (Footscray)	24	16
BRERETON, Dermott (Hawthorn)	23	10
DAICOS, Peter (Collingwood)	22	10
GERMAN, Peter (North Melbourne)	19	9
WERNER, Michael (Essendon)	16	8
BEWICK, Darren (Essendon)	15	9
BARWICK, Doug (Collingwood)	15	9
KERNAHAN, Stephen (Carlton)	14	10
LANGDON, Karl (West Coast Eagles)	14	7

### EAGLES FACT FILE

Name	1990 Ks	1990 Mk	1990 H/B	Gls	Pts
ANNEAR, John	18	2	10	1	4
BREMAN, Todd	60	14	26	4	1
BRENNAN, Michael	38	13	19	2	0
GWILLIAM, Brad	12	4	5	0	0
HART, David	15	4	6	3	2
HEADY, Brett	50	15	22	4	2
IRVING, Dean	8	8	9	0	0
JACKSON, Stevan	52	25	25	7	7
KEMP, Dean	66	19	60	3	2
LAIDLEY, Dean	93	23	45	1	0
LAMB, Dwayne	110	18	50	3	2
LANGDON, Karl	71	33	40	14	7
LEWIS, Chris	24	5	11	1	0
LOCKYER, Andrew	17	6	12	0	1
MAINWARING, Chris	55	18	21	3	3
MALAXOS, Steve	62	22	60	0	0
MATERA, Peter	18	7	3	2	1
McKENNA, Guy	68	34	65	0	1
O'CONNELL, David	11	8	7	1	0
PEOS, Paul	29	6	18	1	0
PYKE, Don	22	0	7	1	0
RANCE, Murray	56	23	44	1	0
SCOTT, Phil	59	24	24	0	0
SUMICH, Peter	73	49	13	30	20
TURLEY, Craig	54	17	34	8	5
UGLE, Troy	55	28	43	7	7
WATTERS, Scott	32	12	23	1	1
WILSON, Peter	103	35	47	6	4
WORSFOLD, John	84	26	45	0	0

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# ON TARGET

**MALCOLM** Gregory Brown is one of Australian football's real characters; a man who has never been backward in coming forward and a person with plenty of thoughts on the game and where it's going. Westside Football's **GEORGE TEMPLE** quizzed Brown on football's future and, as expected, the former player, coach and administrator didn't pull any punches.

## Brown says football can survive



Malcolm Brown...says national football is here to stay

**WESTSIDE FOOTBALL:** Are the halcyon days of local football gone? Do we have to live with the volunteer system now, with some clubs having up to 10 full-time staff in the past?

**MAL BROWN:** The standard of the WASFL, as it's now called, is obviously a lot lower than it used to be, but the good part is that we are back to the volunteer system. You've only got to put an advert in the paper announcing the start of training and players turn up, rather than having to be chased and contracted through their managers. You're going to get people who want to play now and people who want to put something into the club on a volunteer basis. But one frightening factor is that the people going to the games are mostly former players with their families, players' parents or the old, staunch supporters. The young kids are being brought up with the West Coast Eagles and the AFL.

**WESTSIDE:** What's the future of the WA-game?

**BROWN:** No matter what we say, national football is here to stay and a second side will be started in Fremantle, with the transfer preferably of an AFL team rather than issuing a new license. I don't believe the AFL should expand to 16 teams because the standard is the lowest it's ever been in my lifetime. There are players getting a game now who wouldn't have looked like getting one 10 years ago. The inclusion of the Eagles and Brisbane Bears has drawn an extra 60 or 70 players into action, which has weakened the depth in other clubs. WA must have two clubs; there's no characters in the stands at WA matches anymore, no rivalry, no people betting raffle tickets and no atmosphere. We need all of that and two teams would create the necessary rivalry.

**WESTSIDE:** Don't you think a relocated Victorian team would be poorly received in WA?

**BROWN:** I don't think Mick Malthouse was too well received and that's why we didn't appoint a VFL coach in the first place. The fact is, WA cannot afford to pay four million dollars for another license and there's already too many teams in Melbourne — it's uneconomic. A side like Footscray could become the Fremantle Bulldogs and we'd have four sides feeding into each team, creating good rivalry between Perth and Fremantle. It would also be good for the press. Over the past three years, the standard of the press has been very ordinary and stories have been poor because the Eagles players have been barred from speaking to the scribes. But if you had two sides, you'd be able to have more press.

**WESTSIDE:** Are there too many administrators at present?

**BROWN:** No, you've only got three administrators on the WA Football Commission, which isn't enough. My main complaint — and I was glad that Dennis Lillee came and out and said the same thing recently — is that governments shouldn't involve themselves in the running of sport. They can have input and help with loan funds and restructuring finances, but they shouldn't be involved in the running of the game. As far as administrators are concerned, there's only the Eagles board and the club boards and they should all be expanded. The problem South Fremantle had was that there were too few people making decisions and now they've gone back to having social committees, football committees and more work done by volunteers.

**WESTSIDE:** Do you think South Fremantle can escape from their financial problems?

**BROWN:** There's no doubt they will.

**WESTSIDE:** How would a businessman such as yourself restructure football?

**BROWN:** I don't think I'd make many changes. Most of the money reportedly owed by football was owed by the Eagles and this was one way everyone was getting hoodwinked. There should be more money going into the grass-roots of football, encouraging participation as well as developing and promoting the elite in our AFL side. The Commission needs a few more people on it or you'll burn out the existing three. It's a big workload and if they all leave at the same time, you've got a vacuum which happened when the original commission was formed. They brought in new people, but none had a grass-roots understanding of football and consequently they mucked up the entry of the Eagles into the VFL. The obvious things they didn't do were to have a longer-term plan, to recruit players earlier and appoint a coach six-to-eight months beforehand so he could develop a liaison with the players. The major restructuring must be with the Football Development Trust so it doesn't get too strong and become a bureaucracy. Clubs must not lose total responsibility for the overall development of their players.



**WESTSIDE:** Should the club zone structure be scrapped in favour of a State-wide draft?

**BROWN:** Yes. The geniuses who wanted to stop players moving between clubs mucked things up. Their mistake was letting every uncontracted player be automatically cleared at the end of the year once a transfer fee had been negotiated. That meant if a coach disciplined a player and dropped him to the reserves four or five weeks before the end of the season, he could pick up his bags and leave once his contract ran out. The rulemakers wanted to put the pressure on the players, but what they did was take it off them and put it back on the clubs. The only way our State competition can survive is to even it out. Unless we have close games, people are not going to go along and watch. To do this, you've got to lift the standard of the bottom sides. Maybe the bottom two clubs at the end of the season should get three preferential draft choices, with two picks for the next two sides before the draft proper starts. I was laughed at two years ago when I said some clubs were disadvantaged by the present zoning system. Who's laughing now.

**WESTSIDE:** Do you feel the game got too professional for its own good and did the high salaries paid to players 10 years ago undermine the game?

**BROWN:** There's no doubt we paid players too much. But we have that tendency in all sport and we must ask if we're paying too much to support our international teams and elite individuals. I debated this recently with Tom Hoar (president of the Sports Federation and a great Olympian) and asked whether the champions of yesterday would have still made it today? When considering the likes of Dawn Fraser and Dennis Lillee, the answer is yes. Those good enough and dedicated enough will merge with the others who come through the present system. The answer is supporting participation in sport so that the bulk of the nation is involved, rather than an elitist group. That will work because you still have young people aspiring to be a Debbie Flintoff-King or a Dermott Brereton. To answer the question — we did fall for higher payments. We also got caught up in the spiralling clearance fees, but we're now getting to the stage where there are no transfer fees and that's probably even better.

**WESTSIDE:** Is the live telecast of a State League game a good idea?

**BROWN:** In one way it is. I'm worried though that we are catering completely for television. The live telecast of the Eagles Saturday away games keeps people at home between noon and 3pm. The telecasts of games on Sundays takes up three or four hours, when parents should be out kicking a footy with their kids. If I was rugby, I'd put a national side in Perth and every time the Eagles played away, I'd play a home game here. The same with the basketball. This would undermine the money available for people to go and watch top-flight football. But back to the point. In eight-to-10 years time there will be a shortage of quality players because everyone's been watching, rather than playing. This is despite the great work the FDT has done through the schools.

**WESTSIDE:** Your name has been linked with buying a football club. Why would you want to own one?

**BROWN:** That was when I was with South Fremantle. We were looking at buying the club facilities and the team. The supporters would have become shareholders so they could vote for the directors, enabling them to choose who ran their investment. The shares would have been kept within the reach of the ordinary person, which was the mistake the Eagles made. At South Fremantle, we got to the first stage and then never took it any further. Everything runs in trends and while our timing was right, the attitude of the people in the game was wrong. You may have noticed in the last three months, the topic of owning football clubs has become fashionable again. Had South Fremantle taken it on, they would not have been in the state they are now in.

**WESTSIDE:** Was the inception of the West Coast Eagles to the detriment of the game?

**BROWN:** It was for three years. I would have preferred to see the Eagles owned by the WAFL from day one, so it was all part of the one machine. It was inevitable that we joined a national competition, but being idealistic, we were better off before with our eight-team competition and no Eagles. Now we have to grow up and produce the standard required by the spectators and compete with other sports. We were losing our players anyway, so we may as well have a team in the national league.



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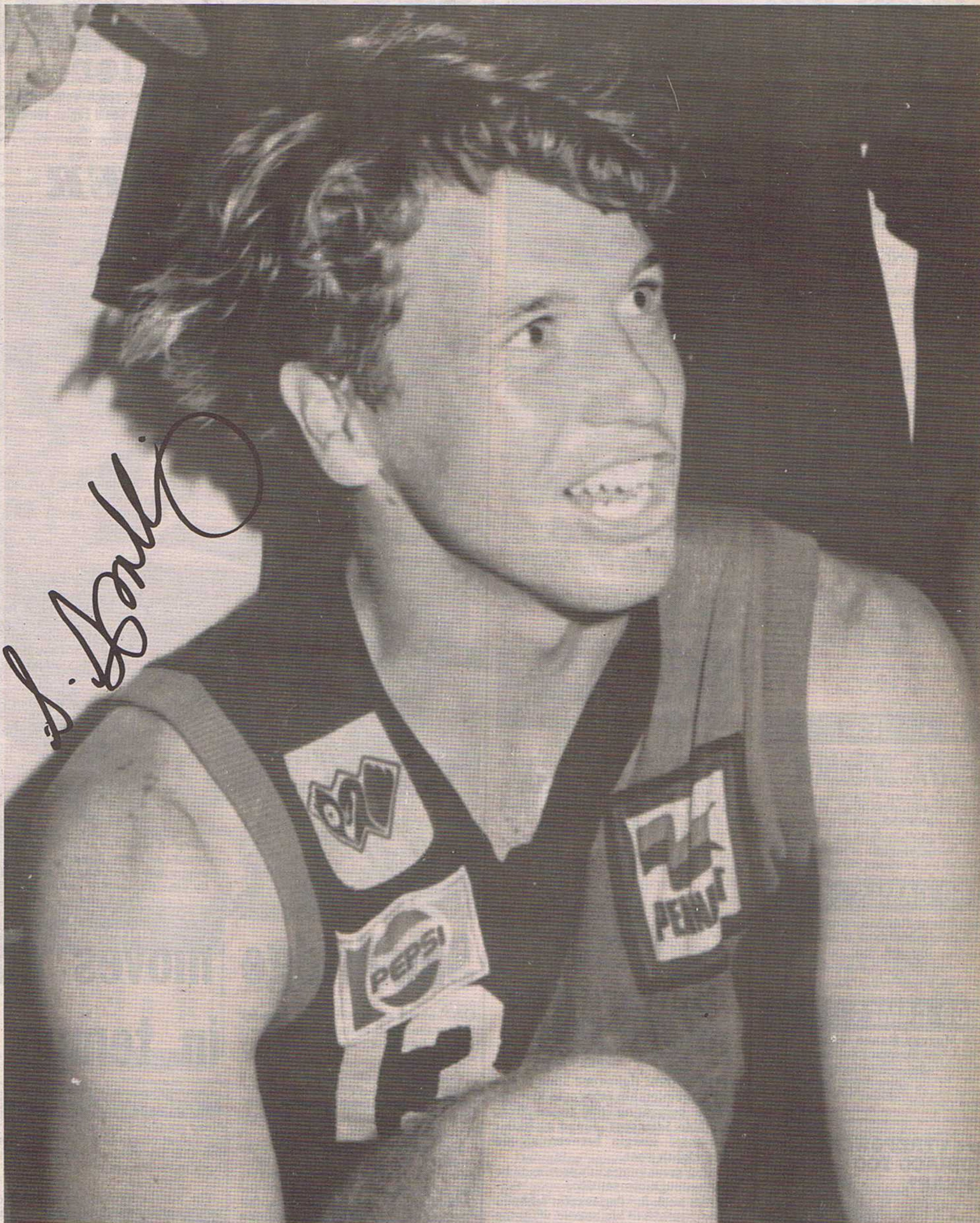
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# DEAN'S LAID OUT...

YOU couldn't help but share the pain that West Coast Eagles dasher Dean Laidley was experiencing last Friday night as he lay writhing on the trainers bench at half-time at the Melbourne Cricket Ground.

There were no words to comfort one of the game's most courageous, but also unlucky, players.

His worst fears have been confirmed — cruciate medial ligament damage means a total knee reconstruction, which puts the tough defender on the sidelines for 12 months.

## UNSUNG HERO

Laidley is one of those unsung heroes, a quality footballer whose physical appearance belies his ability and grit.

His form this year has been outstanding and he has certainly been a major contributor to the Eagles solid defensive unit.

It's not much consolation for Laidley, but the players will respond this week against the Brisbane Bears, not wanting to lose two in a row and to put in an extra effort for their injured teammate.

## MCG turf is under fire

**THERE is plenty of talk in Melbourne in regard to the poor surface of the hallowed arena at the Melbourne Cricket Ground.**

*There is a real prospect of further serious injuries to players due to the soft and shifting nature of the surface.*

*Just walking on the ground last week confirmed how soft the grass was, with shallow roots that come away easily.*

*It's a real puzzle as to why night games, which start at 7.30pm, have an under-19s match beforehand, tearing up the ground for the main attraction.*

*The MCG is a magnificent stadium and when the \$140 million southern stand is completed, with a capacity of 47,000 fans, it will be even better.*

*But maybe a few more dollars should be spent on the playing surface or the stands might just be empty!*

## ...but the Eagles support is great

*ONE of the most pleasing aspects of last Friday's Melbourne-Eagles game at the MCG — in front of an impressive 32,000 patrons, the second-largest crowd for the round — was the amount of blue and gold colours around the ground, especially in the outer.*

*In the Eagles past two games in Melbourne, 49,000 people have watched the West Coasters play, which is terrific.*

*It also means a few more dollars back in the coffers for the Eagles from the gate, something that has been lacking in the past in our Melbourne matches.*

## Beware the angry Bears

**THE current tight-rope state of the AFL premiership table sees just one game separating the teams from ninth to 14th spot — and a similar one-game margin between second and eighth spot.**

After seven games, it's proving to be a very tough competition.

This week the Eagles must rebound after their loss to Melbourne, while the Brisbane Bears, fresh from a win over the Sydney Swans, will be a difficult challenge.

The Bears will have eight or nine former West Aussies in their line-up and they are a hard-running side with a big centre-half-forward in Roger Merrett to lead them and an in-form full-forward in Cameron O'Brien.

Certainly Subiaco Oval will hold no fears for the Brisbane side and the challenge should be a good test for the Eagles, who will be out to maintain third spot on a table that represents something like the old snakes and ladders game.

**But you can bet Laidley will fight back**

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## HE'S A GOER



*Gary Smallridge... Sunday League's 1990 Bowden Medal winner who is exerting his authority in the centre with East Fremantle*

## Smallridge moves up in tempo

**ONE of the outstanding rookies for this season in the State League must surely be East Fremantle's Gary Smallridge.**

Coming out of Sunday Football League ranks, where he obviously matured into a confident player, Smallridge has graduated quickly to the higher tempo of football.

He looks a much better player in the midfield, at centre or as a ruck-rover, rather than on the half-back flank. He has great aggression in going for the football and he works hard for the full duration of the game, prepared to bring his team-mates into the play and he uses the ball well.

The Sharks looked good, with Eagle squad member Clinton Browning playing well at centre-half-forward, a position that has been a trouble spot for them in recent years.

The Sharks have a strong band of running players with plenty of skill in Billy Krakouer, Glen Moir and John Lawrence.

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- 48 Chris Mainwaring (East Frem)
- 47 Derek Collard (South Frem)
- 47 Cam Shepherd (Claremont)
- 47 Ned Fimmano (South Frem)

\*Denotes that the tally includes games with more than current club as follows: Guy Baxter — 6 Subiaco, 34 East Fremantle, 9 Perth; Ken Seymour — 42 East Perth, 6 East Fremantle.

### 100 GAMES

- 99 Andrew Macnish (Eagles)\*
- 98 Steve Turner (Perth)
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- 95 Rod Willet (Subiaco)
- 95 David O'Connell (Claremont)

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### 150 GAMES

- 149 David Rankin (East Frem)\*
- 145 Steve Malaxos (Claremont)

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### 200 GAMES

- 198 Murray Rance (Eagles)\*
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# No more sleepless nights

SMILING Swan Districts coach John Todd was pleased to have forward Mick Hastie back in the league side to help them topple reigning premiers Claremont by 15 points at the WACA Ground last Saturday.

Todd said the 20-year-old had problems with his nerves, but now appears to be over them.

"Mick was one of those blokes who worried a lot about the game during the

## for Hastie

week and had sleepless nights," said Todd.

"But we've helped him change his lifestyle a bit and things are looking up."

### BRILLIANT GOAL

Hastie showed no signs of nerves when he kicked what must rate as one of the goals-of-the-year midway through the third quarter.

With the ball heading for a point, the fast-running Hastie caught it on the line and kept it in play by passing it from one hand to the other around the point post.

Hastie then dropped the ball onto his right boot and hooked it over his shoulder for a major.

State coach Ron Alexander, who has seen plenty of football across Australia, remarked: "I've never seen anything like that before."

Hastie, overjoyed at being back in the league side, said his handiwork was the only option at the time.

"It seemed like the obvious thing to do," Hastie said.

"It helped my game too. Up until then my brain had been working too fast for my body to keep up and that goal helped settle me down."



NO MORE NERVES...Swans star Mick Hastie

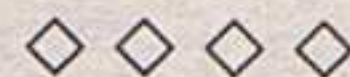
## Fun in the Sharks den

FOR a wacky night of fun, get down to East Fremantle Oval on Sunday, May 27.

The Sharks are staging one of their highly successful players' revues where they take the micky out of anything and/or anybody.

The compere will again be league goalsneak (and team funnyman) Neil Lester-Smith and tickets are just \$6 a head.

The merriment begins at 5.30pm and is non-stop for five hours. Doors open at 4pm, but for a good seat, book a table on 339 3533.



## Royals lunch will be hot

THE Royals will be roasted (and maybe toasted) this Friday.

Not by any rival teams, but by football commentator and sports administrator, Wally Foreman and former East Perth star and football funnyman John K. Watts at a special luncheon at the Carlisle Hotel.

Tickets are \$30 each, which includes big screen entertainment and a chance to win one of many prizes.

The lunch starts at 12.30pm so be there for an afternoon of fun. Bookings can be made on 328 7900.

## Todd's warning to his players

SWAN Districts coach John Todd wasted no time in handing out a stern warning to his players after their top-of-the-table win over Claremont last Saturday.

"It was a good win, but from here on, we've got to keep working at it," Todd said.

"Look at East Perth, they were an ordinary side when you beat them last week, but they got up to beat South Fremantle.

"Remember, you're on a mission and you may only get one shot at the premiership.

"You've got to be consistent, train hard and look after yourself."

## WESTSIDE WINNERS

LAST week's Westside Football \$10,000 Footy Bonanza was held at Perth Oval with six lucky winners taking home some magnificent prizes.

Gwen Patterson will be dining out after winning the dinner for two at Oz Outback Theatre Restaurant and Mrs L. Renton, of Balcatta, collects a carton of Pepsi-Cola and Fred Haskett, of Dinalla, becomes an official East Perth member.

A pack of Angove's quality wines went to Ron Johnston, of Hilton; Gordon Lane, of Morley, won a East Perth club jumper and two double Friday and Saturday night passes to Club Rumours went to Des Bovell, of Innaloo.

Winners who didn't claim their prizes on Saturday can collect them from the club office.

Mrs Lil Renton, of Balcatta, has been a stalwart Royals supporter for years, providing special cakes for East Perth players who reach milestones...and last week she was a winner herself, taking out a prize in the Westside Footy Bonanza competition at Perth Oval.



## Maroni is all smiles

EAST Perth dasher Eric Maroni was in an excitable mood after the team's big win over South Fremantle on Saturday.

"That was fantastic, I can't believe it," said the 20-year-old bank officer.

"I've certainly never played that well and it's just a great feeling to be part of a team that fires like we did today."

Maroni, who made his league debut in 1988 after graduating from local school St Marks, had managed 29 games in the previous two seasons, mainly as a half-back, but was struggling a little this season — before Saturday, that is.

He had initially been used as a wingman, but found himself in East Perth's defence more often than not. But last Saturday coach Ian McCulloch gambled by putting the tall Maroni back onto the wing and it was a match-winning move.

Maroni teamed up with tough centreman George Giannakis and Lucio

(Butch) Baroni on the other wing to give the Royals midfield ascendancy.

Some of his dashes into defence carved the Souths backline into pieces and as a consequence, his confidence blossomed.

## Sharks raffle is different

FOOTBALL fans with a passion for fishing should make sure they buy a ticket in the special gate raffle at East Fremantle Oval this Saturday.

The raffle has prizes valued at \$1000, with first prize being a week's accommodation at the Pot Shot Hotel Resort in Exmouth.

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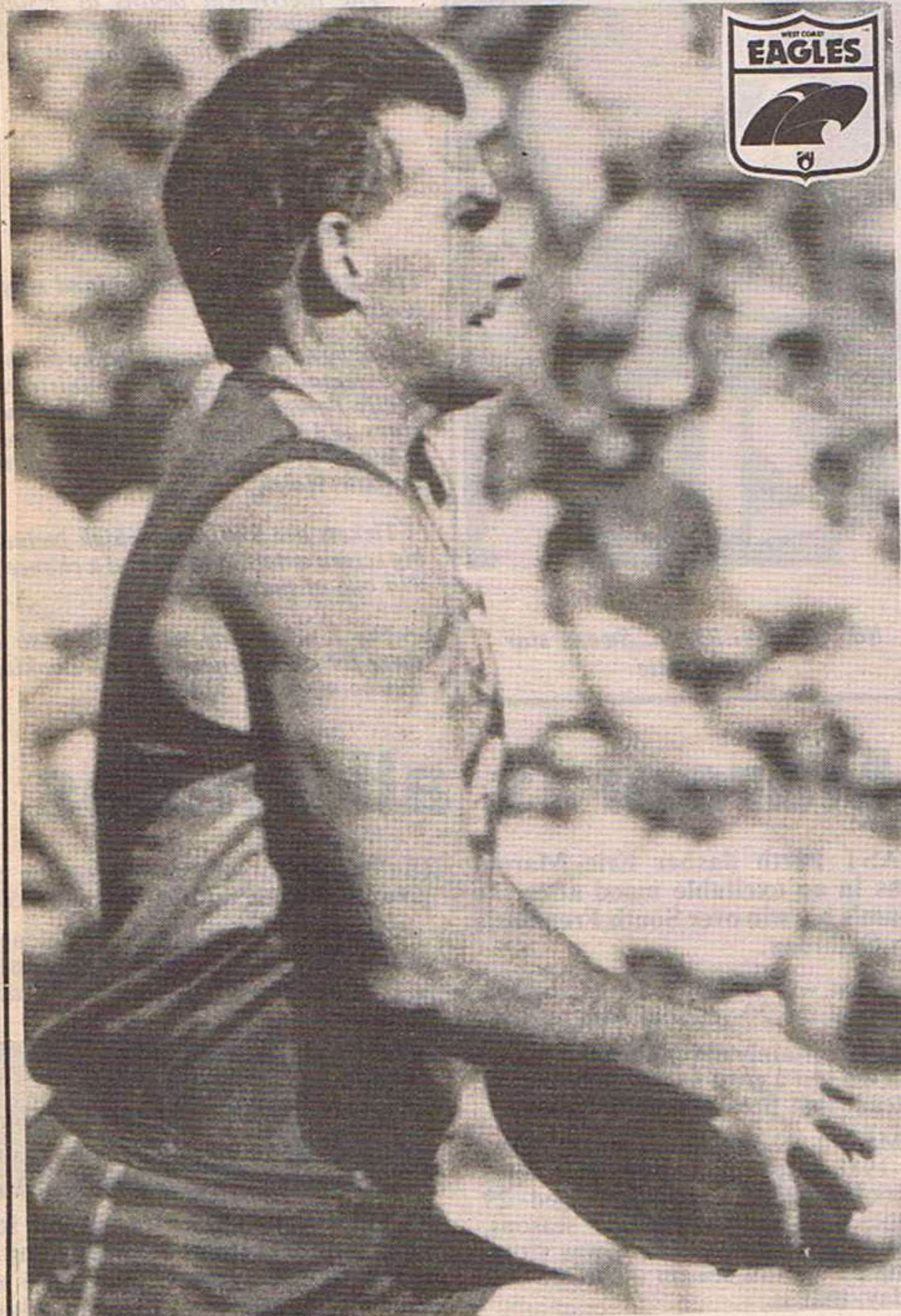


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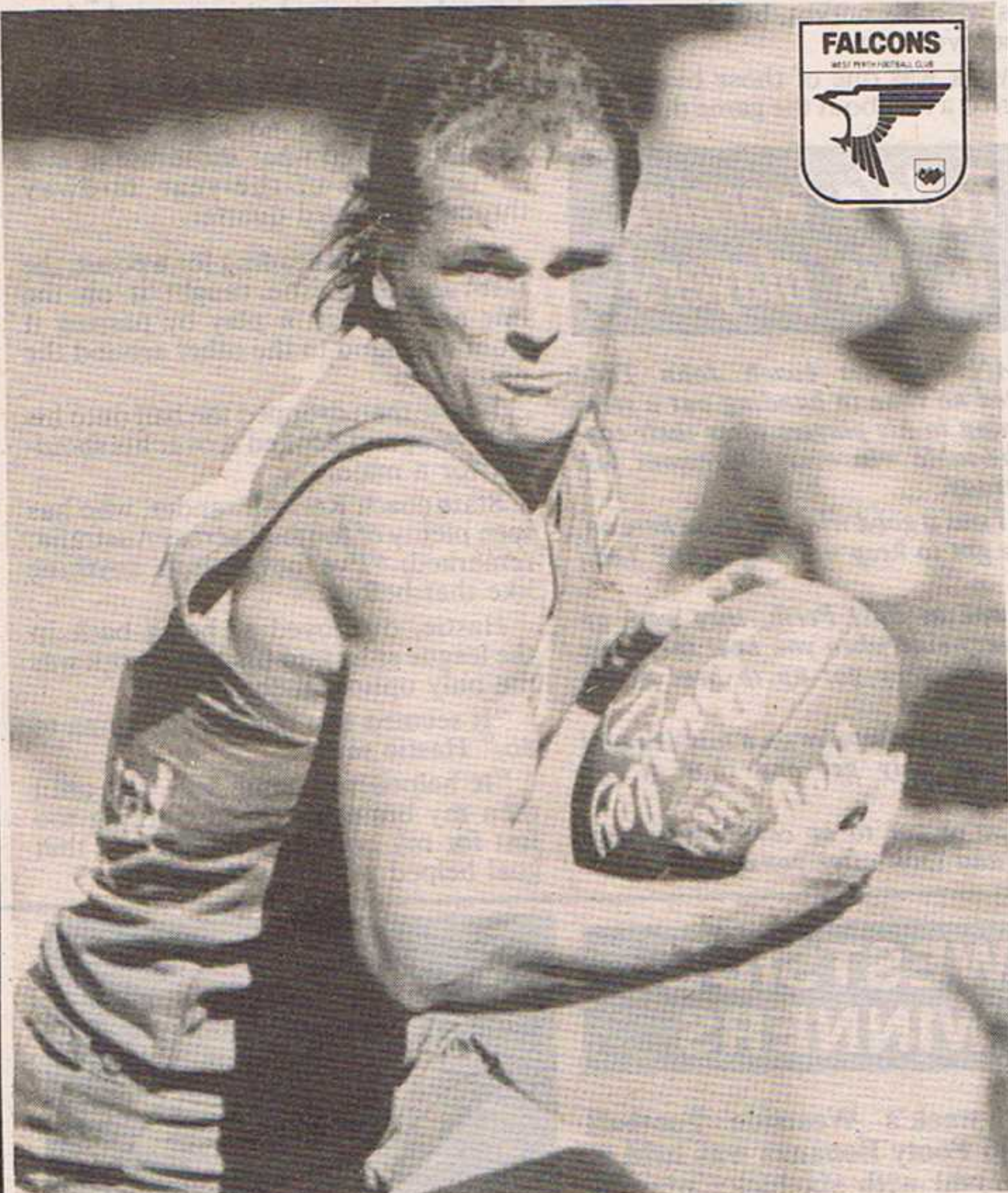
### Peter Wilson



**NICK NAME:** Wilbur, Willo  
**FAVOURITE POSITION:** Ruck-rover  
**CURRENT POSITION:** Ruck-rover  
**NUMBER:** 9  
**DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH:** 15.11.63  
Perth  
**RECRUITED FROM:** Richmond, East  
Fremantle  
**HEIGHT:** 183cms **WEIGHT:** 90kgs  
**FIRST SENIOR GAME:** 1982 East Fremantle  
vs Swan Districts, 1987 Richmond vs West  
Coast Eagles  
**GAMES PLAYED:** 7 Eagles, 54 Richmond, 94  
East Fremantle, 4 WA  
**FOOTBALL HONOURS:** All-Australian  
selection 1986, State selection 1986-89  
**MARRIED:** To Kerry  
**OCCUPATION:** Business Development  
Officer  
**SCHOOL'S ATTENDED:** Lynwood SHS  
**CAR:** Ford Telstar  
**FAVOURITE PASTIMES/HOBBIES:**  
Surfing  
**FAVOURITE FOOD:** Salad with Paul  
Newman dressing

**FAVOURITE DRINK:** Bundy and Coke  
**FAVOURITE SPORT (OTHER SPORTS):**  
Surfing  
**FAVOURITE SINGER/GROUP:** Simply Red  
**FAVOURITE TV SHOW:** Tour of Duty  
**FAVOURITE MOVIE:** Anything longer than  
two hours  
**BIGGEST INFLUENCE ON CAREER:** Ron  
Alexander, mum  
**MOST ADMIRED FOOTBALLER:** Dwayne  
Lamb  
**OPPONENTS YOU ADMIRE:** —  
**MATCH DAY ROUTINE:** Relax and watch  
music videos  
**BIGGEST DISAPPOINTMENT:** Losing 1986  
WAFL grand final  
**FOOTBALL INJURIES:** None  
**BIGGEST THRILL:** Winning 1985 WAFL  
grand final  
**MOST MEMORABLE MATCH:** 1985 grand  
final  
**FOOTBALL AMBITION:** To play in a  
premiership side with the Eagles

### Wayne Dayman



**Nickname:** Terror  
**Date of Birth:** 10.7.61 **Place of Birth:** Merredin  
**Height:** 172cms **Weight:** 76kgs  
**Age started playing:** 13  
**Previous club/s:** Nungarin, Northam Railways Junior club:  
Northam Senior High School  
**Marital status:** Married to Melanie  
**Children:** Tim (4), Joshua (2)  
**Residence:** North Beach  
**Occupation:** Electrician **Place of Work:** Construction sites  
**Other sporting interests:** Golf  
**Favourite position:** Back-pocket **First position:** Rover  
**League debut:** 1981 West Perth **Versus:** East Fremantle  
**FAVOURITES:**

**Actor:** Charles Bronson  
**Drink:** Beer  
**TV show:** Tour of Duty **Food:** Pasta  
**Movie:** — **Music:** INXS  
**Book:** —  
**Holiday resort:** Dunsborough  
**Ground:** Leederville Oval  
**Your Car:** Mitsubishi ute, Pulsar  
**Favourite car:** Pulsar  
**Career Highlights:** First league game, reserves fairest-and-  
best 1983  
**Worst moment in Football:** Injuries  
**Hard things in Football:** Pre-season training  
**Football idols:** Maurice Rioli, Tim Watson  
**Toughest opponent:** Brad Collard  
**Most respected opponent:** —  
**Most respected umpire:** —  
**Most memorable game:** First game in a back-pocket against  
Subiaco in 1983  
**Ambitions:** To keep playing  
**What do you like about football:** Team atmosphere,  
camaraderie  
**How do you mentally prepare for a game:** Keep to myself  
**Who influenced your career:** Bruno Maroni  
**Guernsey number:** 10  
**Superstitions:** Always roll my own bandages before a game  
**Worst injury:** Hamstring  
**Luckiest break:** First league game

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# THE KIDDY INVASION SHOULD STOP NOW

**To the editor**  
**Bad taste**

I write in reference to comments made by the ground announcer during the league match between Subiaco and Swan Districts on Saturday, April 28. While I congratulate the Subiaco Football Club on the concept of promoting the game by announcing goal-kickers during the match, I was most annoyed and disappointed to hear the ground announcer credit one of Swan Districts' goals to "the umpire, Grant Vernon."

This comment followed a 50-metre penalty awarded by the umpire after a Subiaco player infringed over the mark on an earlier free kick. Whether the decision was correct or warranted is not the point in question.

Through his comment, clearly audible to all 4,000 spectators, the announcer not only brought the game into disrepute, he also blatantly encouraged the unhealthy attitude among supporters of not respecting the umpire's decision.

In recent years, the Football Development Trust has worked tirelessly to educate coaches, players and supporters in regard to appreciating our much maligned men in white.

While I'm the first to agree that mistakes are often made by the umpires, it serves no purpose to publicly ridicule them and to demonstrate to younger members of our society that it is an acceptable practice to critically focus on this aspect of the game.

It is little wonder that the WAFC has difficulty attracting quality umpires when they are subject to this type of abuse.

It must have been easy for the ground announcer to hide under his "hood" of anonymity when making his comments about a man who had the guts to perform in front of an already critical audience. One would hope that the person concerned has the decency to publicly apologise to the umpire concerned.

Jim Watterston,  
Kojonup

THE policy of allowing youngsters to flock onto our football ovals when there's a break in the action doesn't add to our national game — it detracts from it as a spectacle.

While fully appreciating the reasons behind the move, it detracts from football for a number of reasons.

Firstly, there is the important safety factor.

There's no protection for the smaller fans from the exuberance of teenage youths and sooner or later, some-one will be hurt. Fit teenagers tearing around after a ball don't pay a lot of heed as to who is under their feet.

It is particularly risky when you appreciate that many people like to sit right on the fence. The first two rows of seats are vulnerable if a group behind them suddenly rush onto the arena. They won't be looking for a gate, they will stampede straight over the top of the people sitting along the fence.

## REST PERIOD

Then there is the matter of the teams trying to make the most of the rest periods.

The players are giving their all in an effort to win and, along with the physical stress of the game, there is the emotional strain that comes with the bone-jarring, physical clashes.

Players are often pretty tensed up as

they head for the resting place and they don't want spectators crowding them; it's unfair to expect players and coaches to be tolerant of inquisitive fans.

Once the players have settled down to take a breather, it becomes difficult if people are crowding in on top of them, blocking much of the air and space that should be available.

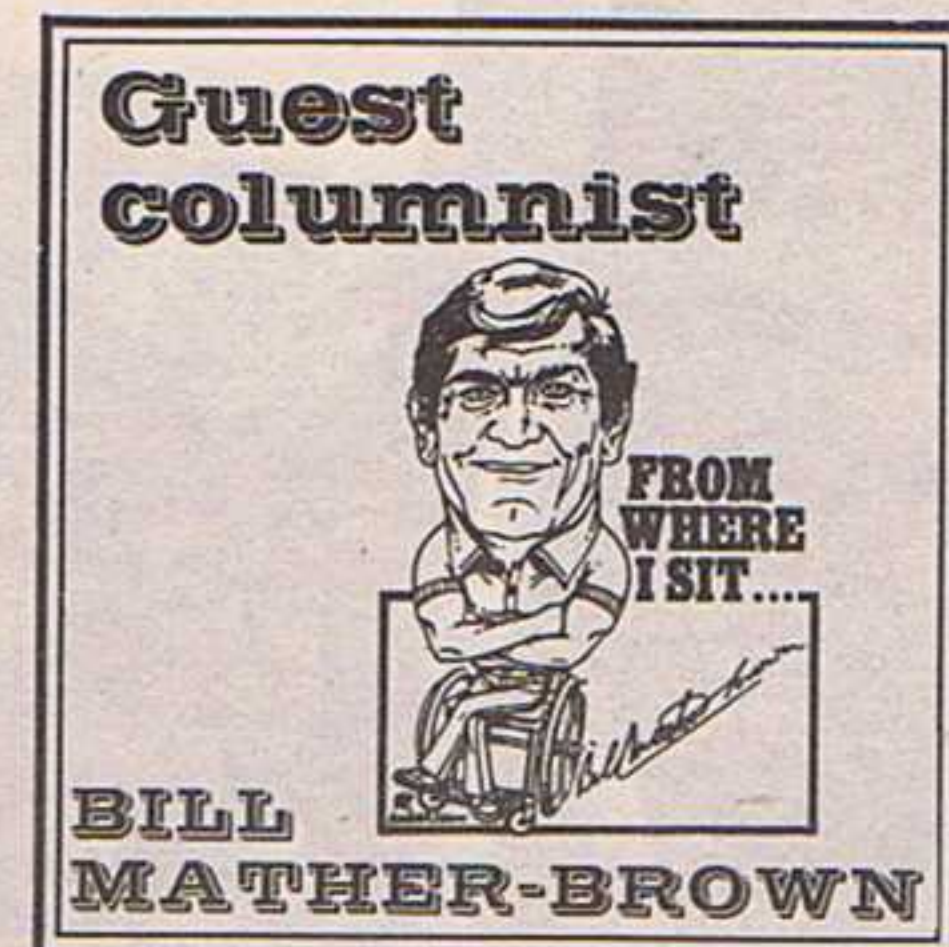
Coaches are restricted as they generally like to keep things within the team and much of what might be said is restricted because of the people listening. This is particularly true of the coach who might, through force of habit, use a few expletives that listeners might be offended by — especially if they are directed at a favourite player!

## ENTHUSIASM

To have crowds running onto the oval at half-time detracts from the Little League game and spoils the occasion for the junior players, who place great importance on the event. It is a game that many youngsters look forward to with enthusiasm, representing their senior club.

If the Little League concept is to be retained it shouldn't be downgraded to the extent it is today.

Then we have the umpires' security. Three-quarter time would be as appropriate as any for the yahoo element to make their unwelcome intentions evident. The day will come when an un-



happy fan journeys to the centre circle as the umpires also take a breather.

Like the players, the men controlling the game should be given plenty of room to rest and we shouldn't need the law on hand to provide a shield.

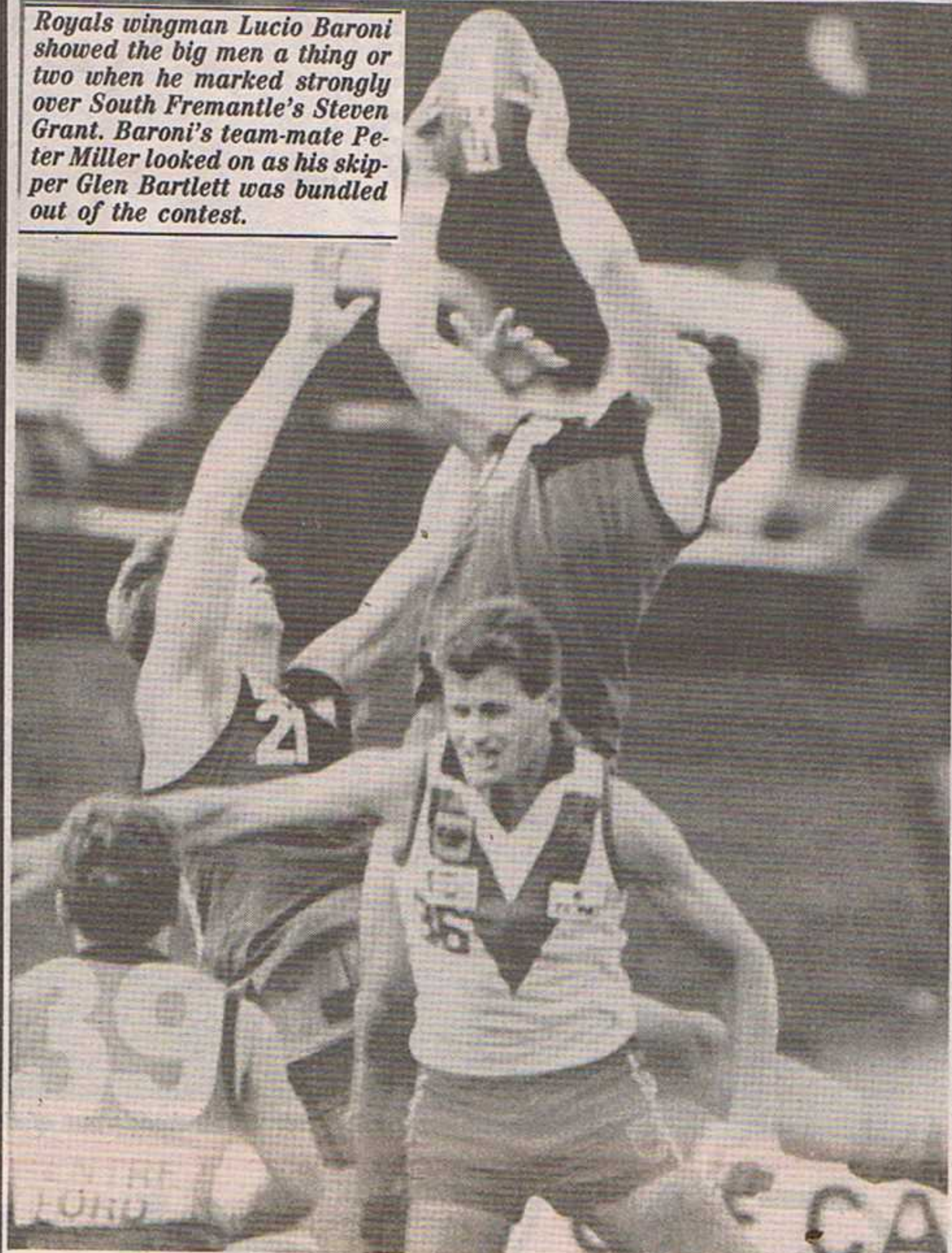
Television has its part to play in football nowadays and spectators should be kept out the way to give the cameras the chance to do the job unhindered. TV cameras like to take their close-ups of the teams and they should be given an open go.

Television audiences are far bigger than the spectator numbers and the majority should rule for the benefit of the game.

Crowds swarming onto the playing area after a game add to the winning atmosphere; but it's more professional if the ovals are kept clear while the afternoon's entertainment is in progress.

## MILLER'S MARK

Royals wingman Lucio Baroni showed the big men a thing or two when he marked strongly over South Fremantle's Steven Grant. Baroni's team-mate Peter Miller looked on as his skipper Glen Bartlett was bundled out of the contest.



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**EAST** Perth continued their topsy-turvy season over last year's grand finalists, South Fremantle, on Saturday, after being thrashed by Swan Districts. The Royals were out to avenge their massive defeat to Swans and they surprised everyone (in the process) with the style of their demolition of the opposition. Westside Football photographer JULIAN COOPER caught the football action and the celebrations in the changerooms.

**ABOVE LEFT:** East Perth youngster Jeremy Silcock in action. **ABOVE RIGHT:** Royals ruckman Peter Melesso and rover Peter Miller relax after the win. **BELOW:** The men in charge...coach Ian McCulloch (left) and skipper Glen Bartlett haven't had much to smile about in past seasons, but they were obviously pleased with Saturday's performance.



**ABOVE:** Peter Miller heads out of defence in front of the opposition.

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...y-turvy season when they walked all  
s, South Fremantle, at Perth Oval on  
d by Swan Districts the week before.  
their massive round six 100-point loss  
everyone (including coach Ian McCul-  
emolition of Stan Magro's Bulldogs.  
r JULIAN COWAN was at Perth Oval to  
nd the celebrations in the Royals



ABOVE LEFT: Ken Seymour autographs a football for a fan. ABOVE RIGHT: Winning smile...Eric Maroni enjoys a drink. BELOW: (L-R) Triumphant trio...George Giannakis, Eric Maroni and Matt Clape.



...e in front of team-mate Dean Turner.



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# Magro's policy has its reward

**Know your club**  
by George Temple



STAN Magro's hard-tackling South Fremantle side has won the respect of all their State League opponents — but, like most of today's league coaches, he has to solve the problem of inconsistency.

The Bulldogs are rated as premiership material after making last year's grand final and their fierce brand of football has spurred them to a 21-9 win/loss ratio since the start of last season.

Magro, a tough, no-nonsense player with the Bulldogs, East Perth and Collingwood, has worked hard to mould South into a similar style, but his players can produce their share of heartache for the coach.

His 1987 league coaching debut was the roughest introduction any coach could possibly have, with 18 straight losses after an impressive opening of three wins in a row. Despite the horrendous injury toll at the Port — 27 in all

— Magro stuck with his rookies and rebuilt confidence in the next two seasons.

That policy paid dividends with the likes of John MacDonald, Ned Fimmano, Cliff Collard, Arthur Maskos and even Craig Edwards — the 1989 Sandover Medallist — developing into key league players, surviving the adversity.

### NEW PLAYERS

"The injuries were not just the niggling type, they were long-term ones," recalls Magro. "We also lost David Hart, Wally Matera and John Worsfold to the Eagles, so we had to virtually write the year off and keep bleeding new players as others were injured."

"But in the long run it paid off. I left players in their positions almost regardless of the consequences and they gradually learnt their craft."

Magro says the memories of those days still linger in the minds of the players and now, when the going gets rough for the club, on or off the field, they all pitch in to help.

"The players are always down at the club doing something," Magro said.

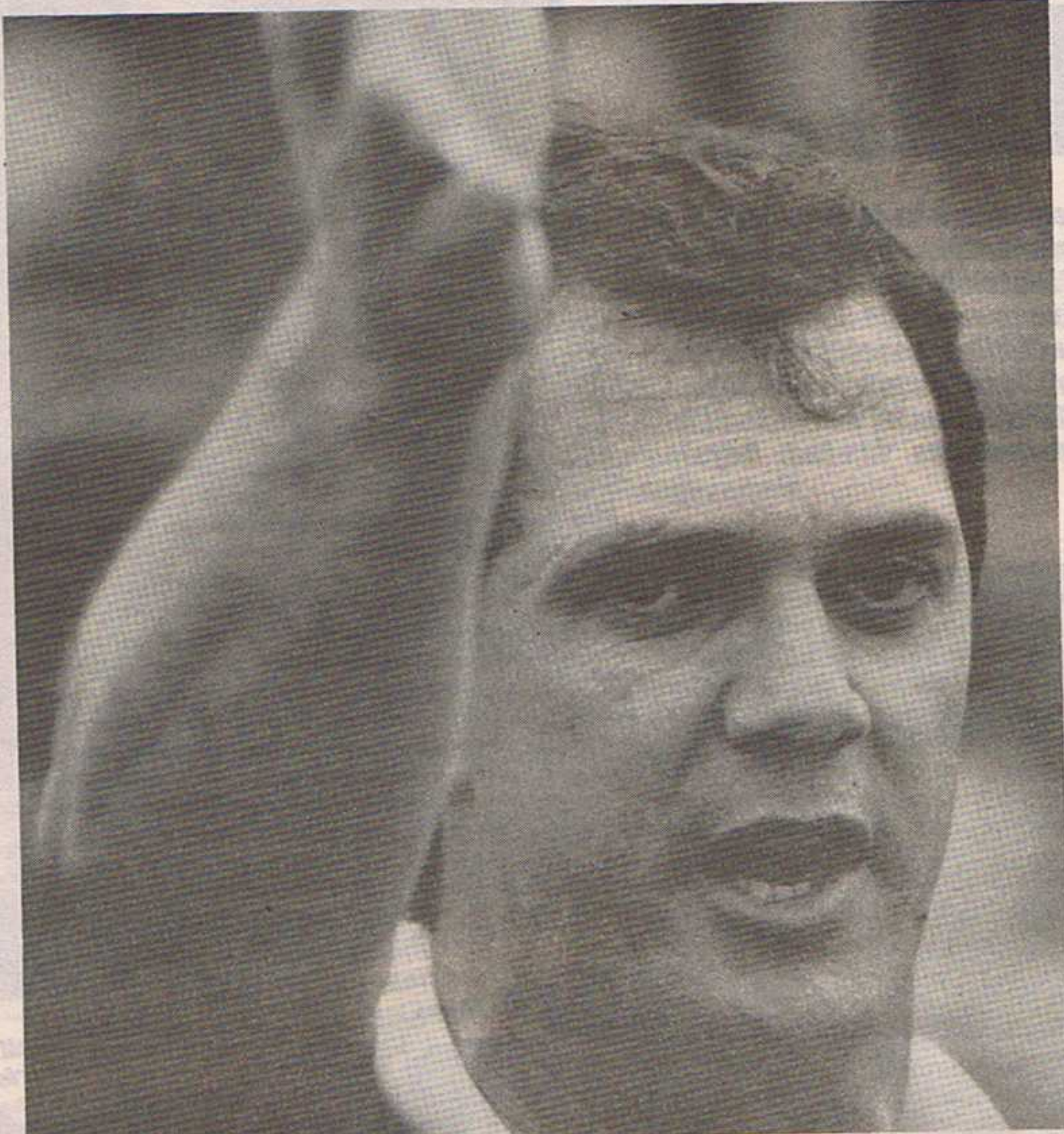
"One night our training session involved cleaning up the surrounds of the oval."

### EAGLES BONUS

The Bulldogs boss often has a host of Eagles players to merge into his young team, but he sees them as a bonus to the side.

"We never expected to get Peter Matera, David Hart, Dean Irving or Scott Watters for the number of games that we have," Magro said.

"When you get players back from the Eagles, it's often because they are down



Stan Magro...memories of a nightmare 1987 season still linger in his mind

on form; but all of ours have been firing. It's been good."

After putting his playing boots away in 1984, Magro tackled coaching at Wagin in 1985; grabbing a premiership in his first season. He then returned to Fremantle Oval as reserves coach to Don Haddow and another premiership in 1986 was his reward.

### ASSISTANTS

Like Magro, the reserves and under-19s coaches in Tony Micale and Kevin Cornell are both former Bulldogs players.

Micale made 20 appearances before playing another 80 for Port neighbours East Fremantle, where he featured in their 1974 premiership, while Cornell played 132 games from 1976 to '84, helping the Bulldogs to the 1980 flag.

"My role is to educate blokes so when they get into the league side, they know what will confront them and how to deal with certain situations," Micale said.

"At South, we try to leave guys in positions where we think they will play league football in the hope that when a vacancy becomes available in the top team, we have someone ready to slip straight in."

Cornell predicts that South will be a big force in the 1990s, with a lot of players with excellent potential in the club.

"There are a lot of talented juniors coming through the ranks and about 60 per cent of the under-19s squad of 40 players will play league football," Cornell said.

"The club has spent a lot of time developing the juniors — you have to when you haven't got any money to buy players — and that will pay off handsomely."

"Coaching was always something I wanted to have a go at and I jumped at the chance of assisting Alan Watters with the under-19s in 1988."



Tony Micale...long association with Fremantle



Kevin Cornell...in charge of the under-19s



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# EMU EXPORT LAGER

## Neesham loves that September feeling

Know your club  
by Tania Armstrong



PLAYING on that big day in September is every footballer's dream and the fact that Gerard Neesham has been on the field for every WAFL grand final since 1983 is nothing short of remarkable.

The 1980s have been kind to the man they call the General and his feat of seven consecutive grand final appearances, including five premierships, will take a lot of beating.

Neesham (35) was a member of the Swan Districts premiership teams of 1983 and '84; he switched back home to East Fremantle to be part of their win the following year and then he became playing coach of Claremont, succeeding in 1987 and '89.

Those wins have been interrupted by grand final losses with East Fremantle in 1986 and Claremont in 1988 — and Neesham holds the victories in high esteem.

"The finals are a great part of the season to be involved with," Neesham said.

"The 1983 win was very exciting because it was my first premiership and 1987, when I was captain-coach of Claremont, was just as good, if not better.

"Last year's win was also very enjoyable, as we did it with a completely new group of guys."

Neesham hung up his much-travelled football boots after playing 227 games in all — 97 with Swans (1979-81, '83-84), 79 with East Fremantle (1975-78, 85-86), 39 for Claremont (1987-89), nine for the Sydney Swans in 1982 and three for WA.

### STAR-STUDDED

He had a dream start to his coaching career when he took a star-studded Tigers line-up to the premiership in 1987, finished second to Subiaco in 1988 and brushed South Fremantle aside for another flag last season.

"This season's side is a little similar to 1988 when we had a big influx of new players," Neesham said.

"We're not having the same consistency, mainly because half of the players are in their first or second full season and it's a big learning experience."

Neesham, a former Australian water polo player, says he has learned a lot about football coaching from his broth-



Gerard Neesham (left) and his team runner Peter Jamieson...Neesham is looking for his first back-to-back premierships as a coach

er David, who coached him (and Australia) in that sport from 1969 to the mid-1980s, as well as legendary Australian coach Tom Hoad.

"I coach to my own style," Neesham says. "I have learned off everyone who has coached me; people like Ron Alexander and John Todd. But the end result is I'm still going to be me."

### ASSISTANT

John Dimmer, who is in his fourth year as assistant coach, says that he, Neesham and Larry Kickett are a close-knit trio who all work within a couple of booming drop punts from each other and have fairly constant communication. Dimmer works with Kickett at the Department for Sport and Recreation at Perry Lakes, while Neesham's Water Polo Association office (he's the State development officer) is just down the road at the Mt Claremont Superdrome.

"My reserves side is rapidly improving," Dimmer said. "We lost the first two games, but we have won four out of the last five."

In the last two games his young Tigers have beaten the top two sides, East Fremantle, who were then sitting on top, while Swan Districts were their victims on Saturday.



John Dimmer...in his fourth year

1987 and after losing the grand final in his first year, his side made amends when they took off the flag in 1988. His premiership side included current league players Todd Ridley, Peter Mann and Jeremy Guard.

He retired from playing after Claremont's first semi-final loss to Perth in 1986 after 13 years of league football experience, with 227 league games to his credit — 158 with East Perth (1974-82) and 69 with Claremont (1983-86).

"I have enjoyed the transition from playing to coaching," Kickett said. "As a coach you see a different side of football to when you are a player."

"You don't just roll up for training — you have control of 35 players who you have to organise and discipline."

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# TIGERS ON MARCH

THE Claremont reserves side has turned into a team of giant-killers over the last two weeks.

The Tigers have recovered from a disastrous start which saw them lose the first two games and they have beaten top sides East Fremantle and Swan Districts in successive weeks.

South Fremantle are next on the Tigers hit-list when they travel to the Port to challenge them for second position on the Pepsi reserves ladder.

Saturday's 33-point win over Swans topped the Bassendean boys from top spot, as well as elevating the Tigers into the four and coach John Dimmer says his side is starting to adjust to the level of competition.

"The guys had a real never-say-die attitude against Swans," Dimmer said.

"We were four goals down in the first quarter, but they kept plugging away and fought their way back."

## LALLY BACK

Lively Perth rover Steve Lally made a welcome return to football action when he played his first game in a month against East Fremantle at East Fremantle Oval.

## PEPSI RESERVES

Lally, one of the Demons best players until a strained thigh muscle sidelined him three games into the season, performed strongly and he should be back in league action this week.

The star-studded Sharks line-up had little trouble accounting for the Demons and league players Michael Broadbridge, Gavin Wake and Craig MacLean were too experienced for the young Perth side.

## NEW RECRUIT

Former East Perth ruckman Steven Wasley wasted no time in slipping into his West Perth guernsey when his clearance was finally signed, sealed and delivered to Leederville Oval on Saturday morning.

Wasley, who played five games for East Perth after making his league debut last season, rucked well in a losing Falcons reserves side.

He worked hard around the ground, chipping in with two valuable goals in a miserable West Perth scoreline of 8.18.



By TANIA ARMSTRONG

Wasley was forced to watch the opening six games of the season when a clearance wrangle developed between the two clubs and at 20 years of age and 196cm tall, he will be a valuable support for rookie ruckman Basil Zempilas.

## NOSE-DIVE

After looking like the side to beat at the start of the season, the form of the East Perth reserves side has nose-dived to leave them with only three wins from the first round.

The Royals only lost one game in the first month of football, but were beaten for the third time in a row when South Fremantle turned on the power in the second half at Perth Oval.

East Perth's last three games have been against top-four sides East Fremantle, Swan Districts and Souths and Royals coach Barrie Quick has the chance to turn the tables when his side meets Subiaco at Subiaco Oval on Saturday.

# Bulldogs surge to the top

By GAVIN EBBS

SOUTH Fremantle moved to the top of the Pepsi under-19s premiership table last Saturday with a strong win over East Perth, 14.14 (98) to 7.6 (48).

The Bulldogs overcame the odds at Perth Oval to control the game from the outset to emerge 50-point winners.

With Saturday's victory, the Port side became the fourth team to hold top position in the under-19s, but they now have four other teams in Claremont, Subiaco, Swan Districts and East Perth breathing down their necks, with the other three sides close behind.

Craig Paul put in an admirable performance for the Bulldogs, with Darrell Hagan, Adam Bassett-Scarffe and Dean Rimmer helping their side coast to an inspiring win.

The promising Claremont side notched their fourth successive victory at the WACA Ground, beating Swan Districts by 62 points, 17.19 (121) to 7.17 (59).

Larry Kickett's side powered their way to victory, largely due to solid all-round efforts, especially from Shane Bolton, Justin Pass and Chris Gerreyn, while Paul McCleod, Michael Sidebottom and Jason Ball were best for Swans.

East Fremantle Oval was the scene for the Sharks 117-point massacre of bottom-side Perth, 20.21 (141) to 3.6 (24).

## PEPSI UNDER 19s

East Fremantle rebounded from their recent loss and scored goals at will, highlighted by 12 different goalscorers.

In the closest match of last week's round, West Perth narrowly defeated Subiaco by seven points, 7.13 (55) to 7.6 (48).

It was an encouraging win for Jim Di Carlo and his team, especially as it was at the expense of reigning premiers, Subiaco.

Todd Curley and Chad Innes led the Falcons by example, while Subiaco had some excellent contributors in Michael Dohler, Leigh Dunn and Simon Chaplin.

# Remember — it's called football

THERE was more than a touch of de ja vu in the whole affair! There I was glued to the television set watching my old team — the Sydney Swans — commit the football equivalent of hari kari against a spirited St Kilda.

It was de ja vu simply because it was a familiar scene.

In earlier days, as general manager of the old South Melbourne Football Club, us supporters would sit in the grandstand at the Lake Oval and literally plead with the players to kick the ball and kick it long.

Now, almost two decades later, we are pleading with the players to do the same thing — kick it!

The present crop of Swans players are duplicating the game-style that former players unsuccessfully employed those many years ago!

Did they heed our anguished pleas? Not on your Nellie! They handballed and handballed and handballed! That was the problem in virtually every game they lost — which was most of the time.

Now the pleas of supporters to kick the ball has been supported by the obviously-frustrated commentators, who have claimed that the Swans handball was "unbelievable" — in the context of being "unbelievably bad"

One wonders where teams can actually settle into a special style and, having done so, cannot (or will not) change.

## EXCESSIVE

Surely, however, the excessive use of handball must tell coaches a message when they get beaten...and badly. In the Swans-St Kilda game, the Swans had 30 more handballs than the Saints, but lost by the proverbial street!

Handball to excess can only be justified if the possessions add to the eventual chances of scoring.

Four or five successive handballs within a 10-metre radius — some backwards, some "widow makers" — followed a lost possession or a relatively ineffective kick is surely a poor option in comparison to a reasonable kick straight down the ground.

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# The national view



Why is Jim Stynes (Melbourne) the most accomplished ruckman in Australia? Because his coach, John Northey, lets him kick the ball.

Given this freedom, Stynes has refined his skills to the extent that he can not only kick "ball busters" — he can also chip and pass the ball with aplomb.

Northey also selects two ruckmen and even allows them on the field together.

Glory be! And the Demons head the AFL ladder.

What do most of the other ruckmen do? They take good marks by virtue of their size, but then (because they are probably instructed) handball backwards to a teammate who kicks from a position behind where the mark was taken.

Those so-called back-up running players often kick the ball less distance than the ruckman could have in the first place! There are plenty of examples where the ruckman's handball has led the receiver into big trouble.

The game is football. Let's keep kicking the ball as the first, not second, option. Someone is going to eventually suggest that a goal can be handballed and that's when I commit suicide!

## COUNTRY PREMIERSHIP TABLES

### South West League

	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
Harvey Bruns	6	0	857	338	253.5	24
Collie	5	1	627	305	205.5	20
Aug Marg Riv	5	1	476	496	95.9	20
Bunbury	3	3	536	513	104.4	12
Carey Park	3	3	576	674	85.4	12
Mines Rovers	2	4	547	539	101.4	8
Donnybrook	2	4	529	569	92.9	8
Busselton	2	4	454	630	72.0	8
Boy Capel	2	4	418	756	55.2	8
Sth Bunbury	0	6	490	690	71.0	0

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	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
Quairading	5	5	0	798	231	345.45	20
Federals	5	4	1	668	411	162.53	16
Cunderdin	5	3	2	415	545	76.14	12
Tammin	4	2	2	371	387	95.86	8
Kellerberrin	4	2	2	320	390	82.05	8
Railways	5	2	3	414	537	77.09	8
Beverley	4	1	3	374	393	95.16	4
York	4	1	3	281	346	81.21	4
Brookton	4	0	4	211	612	34.47	0

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### Central Midlands

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
Dalwallinu	4	4	0	527	135	390	16
Rovers	4	4	0	562	194	289	16
Dandaragan	4	1	3	277	388	71	4
Warriors	4	1	3	235	408	57	4
Bindi Milling	4	1	3	234	429	54	4
Watheroo	4	1	3	188	630	29	4

### TIWEST JOINT VENTURE

### RAVENSTHORPE

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
Ravens Tigers	2	2	-	227	110	206.36	8
Munglinup	2	1	1	260	148	175.67	4
Lakes	2	1	1	170	101	168.31	4
Southerners	2	-	2	22	320	6.87	-

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### Upper Great Southern League

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
Wickepin	4	4	0	495	271	182.7	16
Boddington	3	3	0	483	262	184.4	12
Lake Grace	4	3	1	424	348	121.8	12
Towns	4	2	2	535	395	135.4	8
Williams	3	2	1	289	316	91.5	8
Pingelly	3	1	2	324	255	127.1	4
Railways	4	1	3	415	530	78.3	4
Wagin	4	0	4	285	508	56.1	0
West Arthur	4	0	4	159	532	29.9	0

### Southern Districts League

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
Royals	5	5	0	704	276	255.07	20
North Albany	5	4	1	701	436	160.77	16
Sth Mt Barker	5	3	2	466	491	94.90	12
Railways	5	2	3	487	394	123.60	8
Nth Mt Barker	5	1	4	515	445	115.73	4
Denmark	5	0	5	138	965	14.01	0

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### North Pilbara League

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
Karratha Kats	3	3	0	372	185	201.08	12
Wickham	3	2	1	346	296	116.89	8
Sth Hedland	3	2	1	279	281	99.29	8
Karratha Falcons	3	1	2	288	353	81.59	4
Rovers	3	1	2	271	364	74.45	4
Dampier	3	0	3	205	282	72.70	0

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	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
Beacon	4	4	-	700	272	257.3	16
Southern Cross	4	3	1	747	250	298.8	12
Koorda	4	3	1	605	222	272.5	12
Bencubbin	4	3	1	594	235	254.12	12
Mukinbudin	4	2	2	286	438	68.12	8
Kalannie	4	1	3	266	473	58.2	4
Towns	4	-	4	150	668	22.4	-
Nungarin	4	-	4	81	996	8.13	-

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# Accuracy puts Carey Park into top five

ACCURATE kicking helped Carey Park replace Mines Rovers in fifth position on the South West league table when they beat the Miners by 23 points at Kelly Park on Sunday.

Carey Park won 18.4 (112) to 13.11 (89), with young forwards Ian Testrow and Jason Mortimore kicking four goals each, while Murray Collard got three after coming off the bench in the second half.

Peter Rowe was best for Mines with another classy performance in defence, while Bradley Barrett and Jason Marley provided plenty of drive across the centre.

Collie survived appalling conditions, with rain, thunder and lightning to hold off a determined Bunbury to win a low-scoring affair by six points.

Collie held a one-goal advantage at quarter-time and again at half-time, but the Bulldogs fought back to even the scores at the final change.

Coach Peter Slater played a leading role in his side's win with a strong game at centre-half-back in the absence of star defender Jeff Davidson. He was well supported by Allen Daniels, who played the loose man in defence role to perfection.

Bunbury's Russell Sparks revelled in the wet conditions and was well-supported by Kim Gibbs, centreman Shane Taylor and ruck-rover Angelo Conti.

## Quairading dominant

QUAIRADING'S great start to the season continued last weekend when they recorded their fifth straight win in the Avon Association, beating Railways by 78 points, 20.18 (138) to 9.6 (60).

Federals kept within one game of Quairading when a 10-goal last half assured them of a 46-point victory over Tammin, 22.19 (151) to 14.21 (105) and a six-goal last quarter from Cunderdin over Beverley saw them run out winners 16.15 (111) to 11.16 (82).

York won their first match of the season when they kicked eight goals in the second term against Brookton to run out winners, 14.8 (92) to 5.8 (38).

### Ongerup

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts
Newdegate	2	2	0	337	96	351.04	8
Kent	2	2	0	254	107	237.38	8
Jerramungup	2	2	0	230	121	190.08	8
Gnowangerup	2	1	1	150	169	88.75	4
Borden	2	1	1	141	293	48.12	4
Ongerup	2	0	2	142	217	65.43	0
Pingrup	2	0	2	124	227	54.62	0
Boxwood Hill	2	0	2	116	264	43.93	0

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### NORTH MIDLANDS

	P	W	L	Ats	P
Three Springs	2	2	0	170.59	8
Dongara	2	2	0	142.94	8
Coorow/Lthm	3	2	1	102.39	8
Morawa	3	1	2	111.36	4
Carnamah	3	1	2	101.94	4
Mingenew	3	1	2	72.19	4
Perenjori	2	0	2	63.00	0

### MORAWA SANDBLASTING

Boyanup-Capel-Dardanup provided the upset of the round when they overcame a 30-point deficit midway through the third term to beat Donnybrook by seven points.

The previous week Boyanup were walloped by 158 points, while Donnybrook had beaten reigning premiers South Bunbury by 70 points.

Captain Darren Best maintained his outstanding form with a best-on-ground performance in the ruck, just shading courageous centreman John Western. They were the catalysts behind the Cardies' fightback.

Donnybrook's best were Shane Atherton, who was a prolific kickgetter on the ball, rovers Nigel Tuia and Andrew Frontino and full-forward Alan Stobaus, who bagged five goals.

South Bunbury missed the opportunity to win their first game for the season when they led Augusta-Margaret River at every change. But the Hawks' overwhelmed them in the last quarter to win by 15 points.

Former Subiaco player Alex Rattray was the hero for the Hawks with a scintillating performance in the centre. Justin Cook put in his best performance this season, while Robbie Thompson, John Dingey and Brad Ke-vill were stout defenders.

### PERCENTAGE

Harvey-Brunswick-Leschenault boosted their percentage with a thumping 190-point humiliation of Busselton, 33.18 (216) to 3.8 (26).

Rovers Dom Crognale and Tony Strano kicked seven goals each, while former Subiaco ruckman Graeme Garnaut kicked six.

## Dongara atone for last year

DONGARA atoned for last year's grand final loss in the North Midlands League when they beat Mingenev by 29 points last Sunday.

The Dongara Eagles started slowly and trailed at half-time, but then overran the Bulldogs to win 18.10 to 13.11.

### TOUGH DERBY

The local derby saw Coorow/Latham snatch a four-point win over Carnamah in a typical tough encounter.

The third quarter was the turning point when the Magpies kicked seven goals to negate the early lead that the Kangaroos had opened up and they won 14.9 to 13.11.

Wes Morcombe and Jamie Bean were good players for the winners, while Steve Davis and Steve Hartzler did well for Carnamah.

Three Springs were able to overcome a slow first quarter to beat Morawa, 11.9 to 10.7.

The Bombers kicked only two points in the first quarter, but a seven-goal second term enabled them to overhaul the Tigers and hold on in a close last half to win by eight points.



## Eye-catcher

Rovers are challenging for top spot on the Great Northern League's premiership table and one of the reasons is the form of wingman Jamie Joseph. His dashing play has already captured the attention of talent scouts from East Fremantle, who have produced a steady stream of Geraldton recruits for the State League.

## Three-way battle for top spot

A THREE way battle for top position on the Ongerup Football Association premiership table has developed between Newdegate, Kent and Jerramungup after two rounds of football.

All three sides have two wins and Jerramungup meet Kent in the match-of-the-day this Sunday.

Borden and Ongerup, both desperate for their first win of the season, fought out a six-point thriller last weekend with Borden sneaking home, 13.12 (90) to 13.6 (84).

## Dalwallinu in goals orgy

DALWALLINU annihilated Watheroo in last week's Central Midlands League, going on a goal-scoring spree to win by 45 goals.

Dalwallinu moved to the top of the table with their 44.20 (284) to 2.1 (13). Best players for the winners were Mike Dodd, D. Piggot and P. Leeson, while N. Bean, R. Morton and G. McLean battled hard for Watheroo.

## Sth Barker post upset

THE Southern Districts League was given new enthusiasm when South Mt Barker scored a convincing win over Railways in the final match of the first round of fixtures last Sunday.

### THRASHING

At Centennial Oval, Royals handed out yet another thrashing to the luckless Magpies — 34.28 to 2.1.

At Collingwood Park, North Albany stormed away from the Demons in the last quarter after three close terms in which the Kangas always appeared to have an edge.

## Falcons win first game

THE Karratha Falcons won their first game of the North Pilbara football season when they beat South Hedland by 32 points last Sunday, 22.13 (145) to 18.5 (113).

The win lifted the Falcons from bottom position and South Hedland will have a tough time rebounding against the undefeated Karratha Kats this Sunday.

Wickham won their second game in succession when they were 29-point winners over Rovers, 22.11 (143) to 15.24 (114) and Karratha Kats easily accounted for Dampier, 18.10 (118) to 9.11 (65).

## Towns back in winning style

TOWNS returned to the Upper Great Southern Football League's winning list with a vengeance last Sunday when they inflicted a 28-goal hiding on the hapless West Arthur, 37.17 (239) to 11.5 (71).

Forwards Jim Adamson and Brendan Lynch enjoyed the countless opportunities provided by mid-fielders Bruce Turner, Mal Bennett and Alan Trinder and they finished with eight and seven goals respectively.

Boddington burst the Lake Grace bubble when a seven-goal second term laid the foundation for a 70-point victory, 19.15 (129) to 7.17 (59).

Glen Wilson and Brett Sherry, who appears to have slipped through the fingers of South Fremantle, were best for the victors, while forwards Ian Coleman and Craig Sherry both bagged five majors.

Top side Wickepin maintained their unbeaten record by comfortably outpointing Wagin, 20.17 (137) to 8.10 (58).

Williams accounted for Railways 18.16 (124) to 15.11 (101) after a five-goal opening burst put the game out of reach.

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The inter-district divisional competition will be launched by the Town and Country Football Development Trust within the metropolitan area. All matches will be held in primary schools throughout the 14 education district zones.

Piloting the program is Allenswood Primary School teacher Chris Reed,

### He's a Milo achiever

COUNTRY youngster Andrew Hathaway is this week's Milo Milestone achiever.

Andrew played his 50th game with the Pingelly junior football club last Sunday in the ruck. He is a keen East Fremantle supporter who started playing in 1986.

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### CO-ORDINATORS

Each zone nominated a co-ordinator to control the teams, draw up fixtures and provide information to the Football Development Trust.

Sponsored by Tip Top, each zone winner will receive one of 14 cups and a sporting equipment voucher, plus a certificate known as the Tip Top Award of Excellence which will be pre-

sented by the FDT's mascot, Oscar Aussie.

Also incorporated in the cup competition is a Tip Top bread logo competition where children have to collect as many Eagles or WASFL logos from 690gram bread products.

The school that collects the most — or a prescribed number of logos — will qualify to win a handball machine, while the top individual collector will receive a football and Eagles or WASFL match passes.

All prizes will be presented to the school by a Tip Top representative and Oscar Aussie.

The next round of the Tip Top Cup will be on Friday, May 25 with the following fixtures:

Allenswood vs Greenwood, at Allenswood; West Greenwood vs Davalia, at West Greenwood; Liwara vs Goollelal, at Liwara primary school.



Juniors get into the action during the Town and Country Little League clash between Swans and Claremont at the WACA Ground.

## Town and Country Little League

THE Town and Country Little League fixtures saw home sides win three of the four matches last Saturday.

West Perth's Rodney Pash, Ben Staples and Shaun Russell helped the Falcons beat Subiaco at Leederville Oval, with Anthony Henwood, Benjamin Hicks and Steven Hills doing well for the Lions.

Swan Districts beat Claremont at the WACA Ground. Best for Swans were Chris Thackary, Evan Rei and Dean

### Curtain-raiser

A CIG Shield match will be staged as the curtain-raiser before this Sunday's West Coast Eagles clash with the Brisbane Bears at Subiaco Oval.

East Fremantle-Perth division sides St Norbert's College and Maddington will meet, with the bouncedown at 10.50am.

Smith, while Zac Gillam, Craig Moonan and Zavier Teague led the way for the Tigers.

Rennie Pike, Renden McGee and Geoffrey Bolten were best for East Fremantle when they overcame Perth, who had Michael Robinson, Ben Currie and Robert Winchester doing well at East Fremantle Oval.

East Perth outlasted South Fremantle at Perth Oval with good performances from Chris Kettell, Paul Hyden and Andrew Gullotti, while Craig Sildon, Syden Mair and Brett Lange did best for the Bulldogs.

Round eight will see the following clubs represent their respective zones:

Subiaco — Whitford Lions; East Perth — Bayswater; Claremont — Carine Cougars; Swan Districts — Bunbury; Perth — Maddington; South Fremantle — Rockingham; West Perth — Ballajura; East Fremantle — Thornlie.

## TOYOTA CUP

### BOMBERS WIN IN MILESTONE GAME

EAST/WEST Toyota Cup side Bombers celebrated skipper Leon O'Farrell's 150th game for the club in fine style when they won their first game of the season last Sunday.

Bombers, who had lost the opening four games all by narrow margins, lifted for the occasion and ran out 10-point winners over Noranda, 8.6 (54) to 6.8 (44) and coach Charles Musca found it hard to contain his excitement.

"It was a great result — the whole side lifted and the boys just got tired of losing games by such narrow margins," Musca said.

"And we won in the last quarter when we only had 17 players left on the ground."

First-year player Damien Leigh gave a good roving performance to be Bombers best and Byron Davy, in the ruck and Spiro Mallis were also strong contributors.

It seems that the influx of Northern Territory players into East Perth territory is continuing right through to the juniors as Bombers were bolstered by the inclusion of a newcomer from Darwin, Ian Kerin, who starred at centre-half-forward.

### RESULTS

Last Sunday's Toyota Cup results were:

Tigers Cup — Marist 14.11 d Hamersley/Carine 8.8; West Coast 30.14 d Karrinyup 0.4; North Beach 25.13 d Hawks 4.3.

Fremantle Districts — Riverton 18.13 (Stripp, Hayward) d Rossmoyne 7.6 (Antaniw, Witherow); Willetton 18.7 (McManus, Yorke) d Bullcreek 11.10 (Krimmer, Shae); Cockburn 16.18 (Larsone, Vanderweilen) d Melville 5.4 (Croft, Blair); Applecross 11.14 (Ahern, Steinfeld) d Coolbellup 6.12 (Barron, Holland).

South Suburban/Perth — Kelmscott 13.15 (Fitzpatrick, Chishan, Stephenson) d Maddington 4.6 (Green, Taylor, Ellison); Gosnells 7.14 (Herreen, Tegler, Couper) d Thornlie 7.10 (Stubberfield, Ferguson, Eddy); Armadale 22.26 (Gray, Collard, Miller) d Roleystone 6.4 (Hannah, Wickhams, Rubery); Forrestfield 9.14 (Distefano, Woods, Guleu) d East Victoria Park 5.7 (O'Dea, Smith, Hackett).

East/West Perth — Bombers 8.6 (Leigh, Kerin, Mollis) d Noranda 6.8 (Zigeletti, Taylor); Osborne Park 17.11 (Kuse, Keen) d Cougars 4.9 (Robinson, Farrell); Swanleigh 12.9 (Topper) d Bayswater 10.5 (Collins, Innaloo) 19.17 (Stilling, Steal) d Balga 9.7 (Fisher, Donnelly); Morley 33.17 (Fewda, Hearn, Casella) d Mt Lawley 1.0 (Ball).

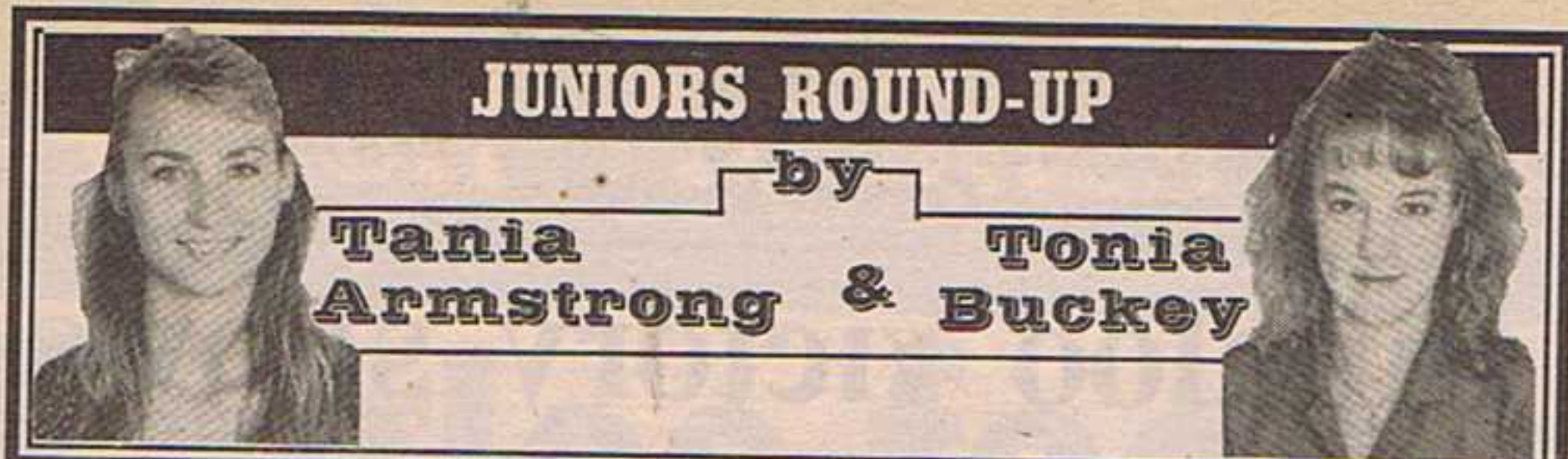
Subiaco — Warwick 27.26 d Girrawheen 6.9 (Collie, Burn, Evans); Northern Districts 16.22 d Whitfords 3.2 (Suchetti, Sutcliffe, Beaton).

Toyota Cup premierships tables:

	P	W	L	Pts
Tigers Cup	4	4	-	16
WEST COAST	4	3	1	12
MARIST	4	2	2	8
HAM/CARINE	4	2	2	8
Nth BEACH	4	1	3	4
HAWKS	4	-	4	-
KARRINYUP	4	-	4	-
South Suburban/Perth	W	%	Pts	
GOSNELLS	3	427.53	12	
THORNIE	3	245.92	12	
KENWICK	3	175.16	12	
KELMSCOTT	2	196.60	8	
ARMADALE	2	191.80	8	
F'FIELD	2	89.68	8	
MADDINGTON	1	43	4	
EVP	-	52.44	-	
ROLEYSTONE	-	27.18	-	

### Early start

THE under 19s and reserves matches between South Fremantle and Claremont at Fremantle Oval on May 15 will start 15 minutes earlier than normal to allow for a juniors day parade before the league match. The under 19s will start at 9am and the reserves at 11.20am.



# Modern notch a surprise win

SUBIACO'S Perth Modern School are not renowned for their football prowess, but that didn't stop them from winning their first Quit Cup game of the season when they downed Servite College at Henderson Park, Wembley, in round four.

Perth Modern ran out 14-point winners over Servite, 10.4 (64) to 7.8 (50) in the North West Graham Farmer Division after a five-goal burst in the first term put them into a winning position.

Servite fought back late in the quarter, but they had no answer to the ruck dominance of Michael Farmer, the roving of Dane Edwards, who was moved out of his customary back-pocket position for the first time this season and skilful centre work from Brendon De Gois.

Perth Modern didn't field a team in the Quit Cup competition last year due to a lack of players and most of the current side is made of year 10 or 11 students.

"I think we will have quite a good side next year, when the majority of our players will be upper school students," Perth Modern coach Lloyd Christopher said.

Kelmscott Senior High School and Lumen Christi College, from Gosnells, also won their first Quit Cup game of the year in round four.

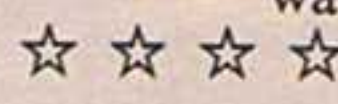
Kelmscott were winners over Thornlie in the South East Barry Cable Division and Lumen Christi were big winners over Rehoboth in the Graham Farmer Division.

Round four Quit Cup results were:  
 North West — Barry Cable Division: Carine 11.7 d Newman 7.7; Warwick 13.12 d Craigie 2.6; Aranmore 7.4 d Ocean Reef 6.5. Graham Farmer (Blue): Greenwood 15.6 d Prendiville 2.3; Sacred Heart 12.7 d Padbury 2.2. Graham Farmer (Black): Balcatta 7.6 d John XXIII 5.6; Perth Modern School 10.4 d Servite 7.8.

North East — Barry Cable: Girrawheen 12.4 d Eastern Hills 2.8; Governor Stirling 7.10 d Chisholm 6.5; Guildford Grammar 22.15 d Hampton 1.0. Graham Farmer: La Salle 10.13 d Cyril Jackson 7.2; Morley 5.6 d Swan Christian 0.6.

South West — Barry Cable: Hamilton d Applecross; CBC 15.8 d Rossmoyne 2.3. Graham Farmer (Black): South Fremantle 8.6 d Saftey Bay 4.5.

South East — Barry Cable: Kelmscott d Thornlie, Wesley 9.8 d Lynwood 5.5, Mazenod 10.5 d Lynwood 5.7. Graham Farmer (Blue): Clontarf 6.11 d Kewdale 2.2, Mazenod 6.10 d St Norberts 5.4. Graham Farmer (Black): Forresterfield 10.10 d Maddington 0.2, Lumen Christi 17.6 d Rehoboth 1.3.



# Teal Cup squad trimmed to 35

TEAL Cup selectors Greg Hyde, Ian McRae, Mick Moylan and coach Eddie Pitter had the difficult task of trimming a squad of 60 players down to a metropolitan list of 35 last Tuesday after two trial matches.

The squad played a practice match at Leederville Oval last Sunday and players the selectors had not seen a lot of were given a good run.

The selection panel has been viewing possible players for the national 17s carnival in Brisbane in July since WASFL practice matches began back in March.

Stars like South Fremantle key position player Glen Jakovich are obvious choices for the championships and they were omitted to allow other players to show their skills in the trials.

The metropolitan squad will take a back seat to the country players this weekend when the PIBA country 17s carnival is played in Perth, after which a country all-stars squad will be chosen.

The country all-stars will take on the city all-stars the following weekend and a final squad of around 30 will be selected to build up for the national championships.

# Umpires strive for higher standards

THE revamped Australian Football League has established an Umpiring Council to operate in 1990.

The role of the council is to manage the umpiring of Australian Football and maintain a commitment to achieve excellence in all aspects of umpiring.

The Umpiring Council wants to develop a national accreditation scheme to meet the education and training needs of people involved in umpiring. The WA division of the Umpiring Council plans to hold eight accreditation courses in 1990.

The programme involves four levels of accreditation:  
 LEVEL 1: An introduction to basic skills.  
 LEVEL 2: An introduction to advanced skills.  
 LEVEL 3: Advanced skills in action.  
 LEVEL 4: A commitment to excellence.

Level 1 is to introduce field umpires to the basic skills of umpiring through individual coaching and observation under match conditions.

Level 2 is for accredited Level 1 umpires, introducing them to advanced skills.

Level 3 is for accredited Level 2 umpires appointed to AFL Development Squads, involving further development of advanced skills.

Level 4 is for all accredited Level 3 umpires appointed to the AFL senior squads. This includes a commitment to a level of excellence in all advanced skills consistently under match conditions.

Successful completion of each level will be recognised by an accreditation certificate and badge.

The next Level-one umpires accreditation course will be on April 24 in Port Hedland.

For further information on accreditation courses contact Umpires Development Officer Kevin Castensen on 381 5599.

# Country stars are on display

THE cream of country youth football will be on display this weekend when the PIBA country 17s carnival comes to Perth.

The championships also double as preliminary country Teal Cup trials and the most talented juniors over the weekend will be selected in the PIBA country all-stars side to meet the city all-stars the following weekend. The Teal Cup training squad will be announced following this match.

The Primary Industry Bank of Australia are again sponsoring the championships, won by South Fremantle's country zone in an upset last year. The sponsors provide footballs and trophies as well as assistance with travel and umpire expenses.

## PIBA CUP

Opening games between Swan Districts, Subiaco, South Fremantle and Claremont will be played at Claremont Oval on Saturday, starting at 9am, while East Perth, Perth, West Perth and East Fremantle will fight it out at Perth Oval.

All teams will play at East Fremantle Oval on Sunday and the two leading sides from Saturday's games will vie for the PIBA Cup at noon.

The carnival promises to be a great weekend of high-quality junior football and all country and junior football followers are invited to show their support.

And you can bet that the league's talent scouts — not forgetting the AFL "spies" in the West — will be watching.

# HUNGRY JACK'S THE HUNGRY JACK'S WHOPPER CLUB



## By Guy McKenna Sharks to hold junior clinics

THE East Fremantle Football Club will kick-off their 1990 Hungry Jack's Super Clinic program this week.

Young league player Steve Bilcich will travel around the club's metropolitan zone demonstrating the finer points of Aussie Footy skills.

The Super Clinics will be held at the following primary schools:

Thursday, May 17: Thornlie, Sacred Heart, Queen of Apostles, Riverton.  
 Friday, May 18: Palmyra, Richmond, East Fremantle, Our Lady of Fatima.  
 Monday, May 21: Brookman, Langford, Kinlock, St Judes.  
 Wednesday, May 23: Applecross, Mt Pleasant, Ardross, Attadale.  
 Friday, May 25: Melville, Booragoon, Brentwood, and St Benedicts.

Perth will also hold Super Clinics as follows:

Monday, May 21: East Kenwick 9.30am, Wesley 11am, St Columbia 1pm.

Special Whopper clinics will be held by East Fremantle next week on — Thursday, May 17: Palmyra, Coolbellup; Monday, May 21: South Thornlie, Sacred Heart, 12.30pm-2.50pm.



## This week's coaching hint

### CHEST MARKING

THE chest mark is the safest form of claiming the football.

It's important that you get your body right behind the ball as it comes towards you. Let it come into your arms and then cuddle your arms around the ball and hug it tightly. Don't be embarrassed!

Keep your elbows tucked into your stomach, with the fingers and hands extended out, with the palms facing up.

When you take a chest mark, bring one of your knees up underneath the ball to help prevent it from spilling out through your chest.

Don't be afraid to run towards the ball and jump up off the ground to claim the ball on your chest — and make it hard for your opponent to punch it away.

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## Mighty Milo says...



The spoiling tactics: DON'T try to be a super-star and take 'specky' marks when you are not in the best position. You should always spoil from behind unless you are absolutely certain you can mark over your opponent's head.

Footy is a game where you have to do the best for your team and very few marks are taken from behind...unless, of course, you are a lot taller than your opponent.

Don't let your opponent take easy marks in the front position. You should try to get your body in front, but if you can't, then rely on punching it away from his hands.

Remember, if you are in front, go for the mark. If not, play safe and punch it away.

And here's this week's brain teaser on the rules of football:

If the full-back runs out of the square to kick after a point, what happens?

The umpire bounces the ball on the centre of the kick-off line.



# Upsets leave openings in top four

THE battle for top places on the A-grade amateurs table changed complexion last Saturday when two sides — Wesley/Curtin and Trinity/Aquinas — produced upset victories.

Just as the top three seemed to be settling down, Wembley and University suffered surprise losses to Wesley/Curtin and Trinity/Aquinas respectively.

This has given sides like West Coast, Nollamara, Scarborough and Wesley/Curtin the chance to snap up one of the top spots.

The return to football by Trinity's coach Les Fong was the catalyst needed to spark his young side to a comfortable 38-point win over University.

The Old Boys were well served in the following division by ruckman Lyndsay McDonald and ruck-rover Phil Green, while centreman Phil Bardon gave solid support.

University's Bill Fry, Jeremy Pell and Ian McCarrie all tried hard, but lacked the back-up in the following division.

## INSPIRATION

Former Swan Districts big man Rex Carlshausen led Wesley/Curtin to victory over Wembley with an inspirational performance; his third in as many weeks.

Veteran Bryne Chute and Craig Dew were busy, while Keran Hobbs was effective up forward.

Wembley had ruck-rover Glen O'Donnell, coach Gavin Biffin and Grant Morgan trying everything to get their side going, but it was to no avail.

West Coast, with an eight-goal to nil first quarter, had Mt Lawley playing catch-up football all day, but had to fight hard to run out seven-point winners.

## EXPERIENCED

It was the Coast's experienced players in Kevin Osborne, Mark Taylor and Steve Leishman who provided that little bit extra at the crucial time to hold the eager young Hawks out.

Mt Lawley failed to get numbers to the ball in the late stages of the game when they were in with a chance, but they improved in a lot of other facets of their play.

Good performers for them were Darryl Cox, Phil Warren, Geff Hortin and John Pinneri.

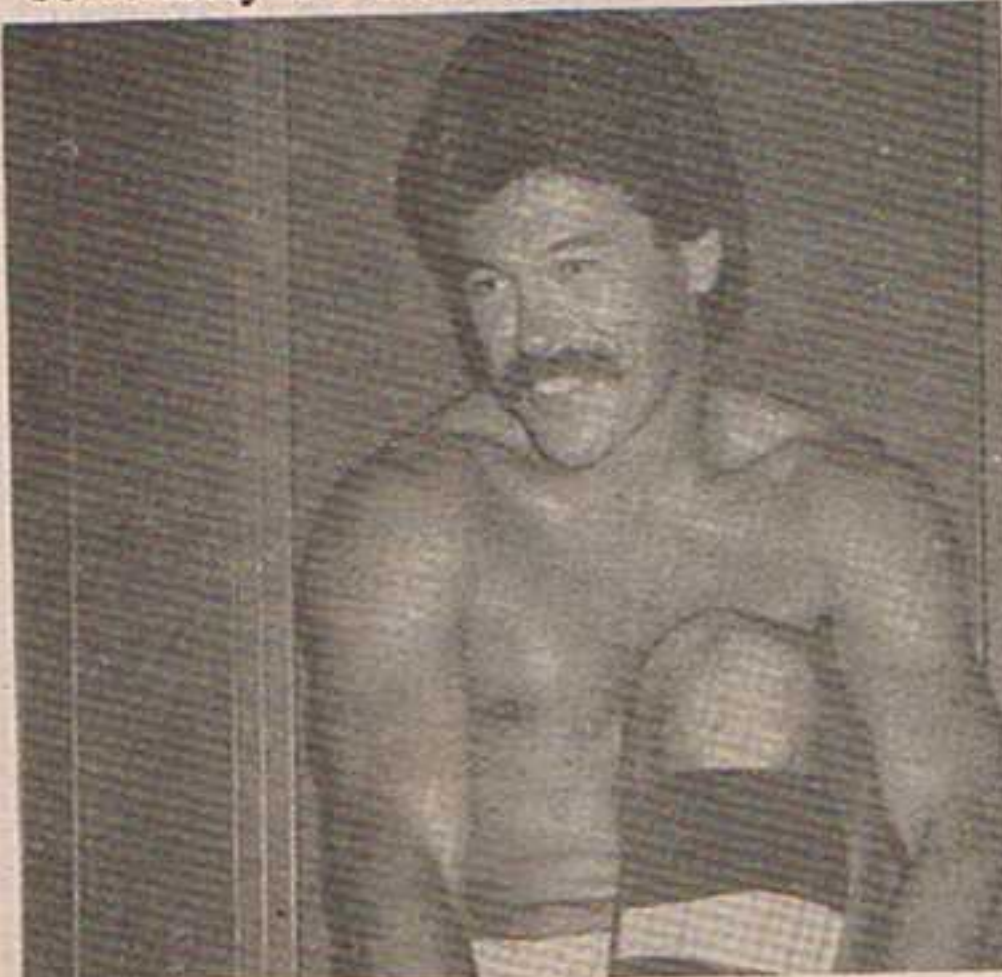
The return of ruck-rover Clayton Lewis was enough to get Nollamara over the line against Scarborough in a tight battle of the two defences.

# in top four



**A-GRADE**  
by **Trevor Schorer**

Lewis and centreman Dave Brown gave Nollamara the run through the middle of the ground, while the White brothers, Darren and Chris, gave them solidarity in defence.



**Les Fong...returned to action with Trinity/Aquinas**

Darren White's performance in his first A-grade game at centre-half-back was a tribute to his perseverance and desire to succeed at this level.

## UNDEFEATED

North Beach had a comfortable 10-goal win over Maylands and remain undefeated with five victories.

Dave Higgins, Bruce Stewart, Paul Larson and Mick Hoskins were North's best, but any one of many could have been on this list.

Maylands had the outstanding Harley Hayward once again their most effective player, along with Andy Maher and Glen Dowding.

## THIS WEEK

This week North Beach look too good for Trinity/Aquinas; Wembley should bounce back and win over West Coast, Scarborough can beat Mt Lawley and Maylands can use their home-ground advantage to down Wesley/Curtin.

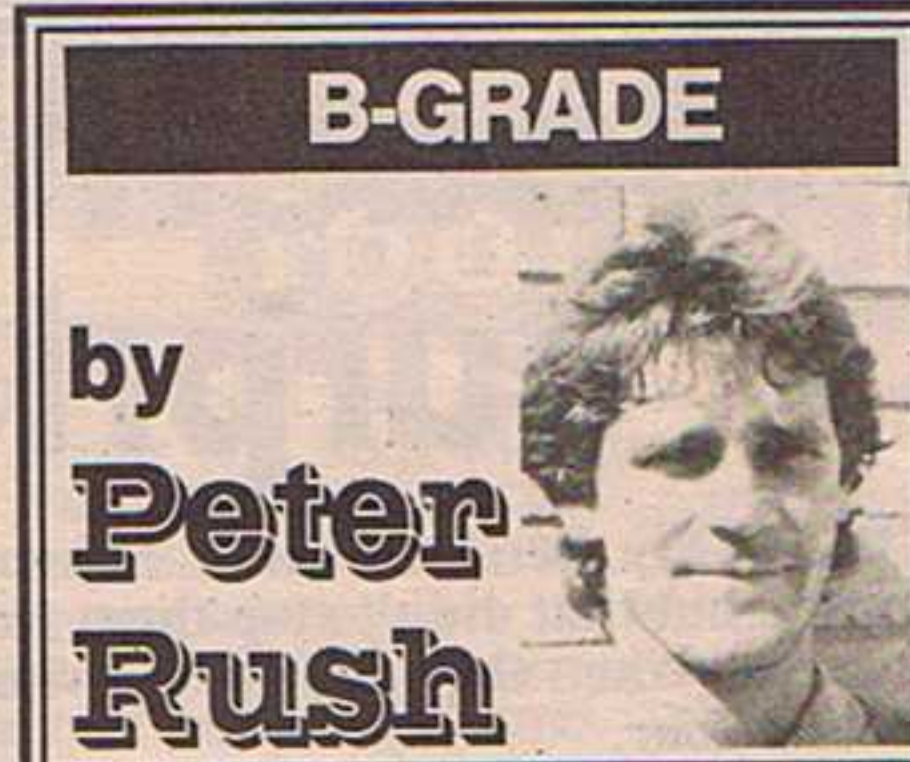
The game of the day is University against Nollamara at McGillivray Oval, with the students being able to take full advantage of their home ground which all sides find difficult.

**TREVOR Schorer is continuing his up-to-the-minute half hour segment of amateur news, interviews and reviews on Radio 6NR on Sunday afternoons (except when the Eagles are playing at home) at 1.30pm.**

# AMATEUR NEWS

A roundup of news from the West Australian Amateur Football League

# Innaloo victory shows finals style



**B-GRADE**  
by **Peter Rush**

INNALOO stamped themselves as definite finals prospects with an authoritative 41-point victory over Swan Athletic in last Saturday's B-grade fixtures.

After an even first-half, the Bulldogs exploded in the third term, outscoring their opponents by six goals to set up their victory.

Wayne Stevens teamed with members of Innaloo's 1988 premierships side in Paul Livingstone and Martin Hall to give the Bulldogs ascendancy across the centre, while Jamie Fisher was a tower of strength at centre-half-back.

Dave Cottrill continued his good form in the ruck and came out even in his tussle with former State ruckman Matt Viskovich. For the Swans, none were better than Paul Andrich and Andrew Sarich.

## RUCK CONTROL

Collegians Old Scotch had little trouble accounting for CBC, with ruckman John Muir taking control to give them a 31-point victory.

Other solid performers for the Lions were lively half-forward Simon Wybrow, big marking full-forward Craig Perkins, Mark James, Floyd Robertson and the consistent Mark Torey.

An improved Bayswater got within four goals of North Fremantle; Osborne Districts kept Mt Lawley down to an embarrassing 3.4 in their 84-

point demolition of the Hawks and an injury-plagued Dianella handed out thrashing to a beleaguered Cockburn Lakes, giving them their third 20-goal hiding in as many weeks.

## FIXTURES

This week's fixtures presents the most interesting set of games for the season.

Innaloo's improved form will be put to the test against North Fremantle at Gil Fraser Reserve. Both clubs won two flags in B-grade during the 1980's, but were not great rivals in that period as they often missed each other due to A-grade promotion and 1990 should see the Magpies win their first confrontation of the season.

Collegians Old Scotch can extend their unbeaten run at Swan Athletic's expense, while Dianella should beat Osborne Districts.

CBC will have a percentage-booster over Cockburn Lakes and in the battle of the wooden spooners, both Bayswater and Mt Lawley have a chance to notch their first victory.

# Maylands thrive as the underdogs

## COLTS ROUND-UP

A DETERMINED Maylands side outclassed a luck-lustre North Beach in last week's A colts after going into the game as underdogs.

Maylands looked out of the game after the first quarter, scoring just one goal to the Tigers five and going into the half-time break, North Beach had victory in their sights with an eight goal lead.

But in an intense second half, Maylands clawed their way back into the game and at three-quarter time, the young Rams were only six points down.

Maylands coach Tommy Hitchcock pleaded with his players for a win against his old club and they responded, led by Anton Walter, to snatch a two-point victory.

## UPSET WIN

Another upset saw Mt Lawley notch up their first win against a disappointing West Coast.

The game could have gone either way, but the Hawks desperately wanted their first win and can now look forward to more victories after that form.

Wembley continued to show good form by beating a poor Wesley/Curtin, with accurate kicking a highlight of their game.

Chris Payne again showed the way in the forward line by kicking five goals and is proving to be one of the most lethal full-forwards in A colts.

Nollamara halted their slide down the ladder by beating Scarborough, who were set to come into the five.

## C COLTS

An under-manned Wembley beat third-placed Bassendean by two goals, despite having only 16 players.

Best for Wembley were Dave Rich-

by Chris Jeakings

ards, who worked tirelessly in the ruck, centre-half-back Leith Elsgood and rover Andrew Collins, who was a consistent worker all over the ground.

## D COLTS

North Beach and Trinity/Aquinas provided the first draw for the colts grades, in a game where the battle was even all game.

A five-goal third term just about gave Trinity the game, but the young Tigers surged home towards the end and clung onto a draw.

After an evenly contested first three quarters, Ocean Ridge kicked away to beat Wanneroo by 59 points. The Roo's were still in striking distance at three-quarter-time, but a nine-goal last quarter by Ocean Ridge put paid to any chances of a Wanneroo victory.

Better player for the Roo's included Daniel Dobson, Russell Johnson and ruckman Michael Paice. This makes two losses in a row for Wanneroo and they will have to show more consistency in away games if they are to be finals contenders.

Swan View handed out one of the biggest hidings so far this season when they beat Melville by 166 points at Melville Reserve.

Swan View held Melville goal-less until the dying minutes of the game when they let through 1.1. Paul Higgins followed his hauls of 10 goals and nine goals in the last two rounds by kicking another 10 goals.

**AMATEUR clubs with colts teams are asked to contact Chris Jeakings with any football news on Sunday evenings, between 8.30pm and 9.30pm, on 370 3772.**

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# Willetton rolled by Peake's goals

**KELMSCOTT'S** Glen Peake produced a six-goal performance out of a forward pocket to help upset Willetton at Burrendah Reserve in Sunday's league fixtures.

Peake was too elusive for the Willetton defence as the Bulldogs notched their fourth win in succession and held top spot on the table.

With rover Troy Davis, who has been a top player since rejoining the club from Perth and back-pocket specialist Peter Greaves in superb touch, the Bulldogs answered every challenge and won by 32 points.

Their clash with Armadale in round five, which is the 100th post-war derby, sees the scoreline stand at 50 wins to Kelmscott and 49 to Armadale, making this fixture a cliffhanger.

## DEMONS SURGE

**ARMADALE** again overcame a slow start to surge home and beat Mandurah by 11 points.

After trailing by 19 points at half-time, they finished strongly through midfield players Bruce Atwell and ruckman Barry Gibb. Centre-half-forward Ashley McPhail contributed seven goals and his clash with Kelmscott defender Leigh Gorton in this Sunday's derby could be the key to the game.

Armadale's win was their third for 1990 and their only hiccup so far was their third-round loss to Maddington.

Their reserves and colts teams also remain unbeaten and the club looms as definite finals contenders in all grades.

## PREMIERSHIP HOPE

**CANNING** produced with a great last-quarter to overwhelm Maddington by 21 points and consolidate second place on the ladder.

The win proved that the Tigers can come from behind and their nine-goal last-quarter was their most impressive display for 1990.

New full-forward Steve Rose, with eight goals, capitalised on the midfield opportunities created by Steve Wisken, Alan Wheelock and ruckman Tony Watson.

Canning travel to Mandurah this week and only complacency would appear to be their danger for five consecutive wins.

Maddington again kicked disastrously for goal and could have sealed this match at half-time. Forward Ian Wells, with seven goals, was nearly a match-winner for Maddington.

## GOAL HAUL

**WANNEROO** half-forward flanker Stephen Hill's goal-kicking brilliance continued when he posted nine majors as the Roos thrashed Kalamunda by 139 points.

Hill, whose 11 goals the week before gives him a tally of 20 in two games, was well supported by captain-coach Gavin Carter, who kicked six goals from centre-half-forward.

But the Roo's big win, which put them in third position, was dampened by a serious injury to defender Ray Butler, who broke his ankle and is expected to miss the rest of the season.

Wanneroo play Willetton at Kingsway in what should be a tough encounter.

## PREDICTABLE

**FOURTH**-place Osborne Park had a predictably easy win over Applecross, by 55 points, with rover Glen Dehring and Darryl Wood and half-forward Murray Gomm each kicking four goals.

Coach Ed Blackaby would be concerned that his team is not playing four quarters of consistent football and crushing the opposition.

## Sunday Football League

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Tot
Kelmscott	4	4	0	545	262	208.015	16
Canning	4	4	0	498	304	163.816	16
Wanneroo	4	3	1	537	263	204.183	12
Osborne Park	4	3	1	416	298	139.597	12
Maddington	4	3	1	499	386	129.275	12
Armadale	4	3	1	424	356	119.101	12
Kenwick	4	3	1	345	290	118.966	12
Mandurah	4	2	2	416	348	119.540	8
Willetton	4	2	2	388	393	98.728	8
Gosnells	4	1	3	350	340	102.941	4
Thornlie	4	0	4	232	418	55.502	0
South Perth	4	0	4	267	529	50.473	0
Applecross	4	0	4	274	566	48.410	0
Kalamunda	4	0	4	203	641	31.689	0



*Kelmscott's Troy Davis marks strongly in front of Willetton's Ron Burton*

## DROUGHT BROKEN

**REIGNING** premiers Gosnells broke the drought by winning their first game for 1990, beating Thornlie by 87 points.

The Hawks set up their win in the first half when they led by 68 points. The game degenerated in the second half as both sides made many mistakes.

Youngsters in Clint Willis, Brian Lester and Mark Dominish played top games for the Hawks, while Thornlie will continue to improve weekly as players find fitness and form.

## TENACIOUS

**KENWICK**, with Warren Cushing and Peter MacDonald kicking 10 goals between them, overcame a tenacious South Perth in the second half to win by 53 points.

South Perth showed good resistance for most of the tussle and coach Bret Symons played his best game so far this season.

The game developed into a physical confrontation with number of reports resulting. New recruit Kenley Gordon, who kicked three goals, was one player reported.

**REIGNING** Metropolitan League premiers Pinjarra missed a number of key players when they went down to Mosman Park by 66 points at Tom Perrott Reserve on Sunday.

The Tigers were without key forward Warren Gordon, ruckman Chris Turner, Neil Davey, Kevin Reynolds and Peter Money.

Mosman Park had the game well won at half-time with a commanding 64-point lead and coach Brett Farmer would have been pleased with his team's all-round goalkicking, with 11 players contributing, headed by Don Garrett with four.

North Fremantle overcame the wet and windy conditions to beat Waroona by 32 points.

## GOALKICKER

Rob Colica, with four goals, was the Magpies leading goalkicker as Waroona showed more fight and a win is not far away.

Mundijong produced four even quarters of football to run out good 52-point winners in a high-scoring contest against Kwinana.

David Broadbent and Ian Williams contributed five goals each as the win consolidated Mundijong in second spot and new coach Peter Chidlow would be happy with the early-season results.

Midland rover Darren Narrier's 10-goal performance was the highlight in his team's 84-point win over South Mandurah as the Tigers continued their unbeaten run.

Simon Hraber, Darryl Narkle and Alan Jury were all prominent players for Midland.

South Mandurah take on arch rivals Pinjarra in round five and with the Loding brothers finding form and centreman Ossie Dikoli continuing to play well, South Mandurah could push the Pinjarra Tigers.

## Metro Football League

	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Tot
Midland	5	5	0	708	268	264.179	20
Mundijong	5	4	1	671	367	182.834	16
Mosman Park	4	3	1	454	261	173.946	12
Nth Frem	4	3	1	393	331	118.731	12
Pinjarra	5	2	3	520	548	94.891	8
Sth Mand	4	1	3	375	430	87.209	4
Manning	4	1	3	266	456	58.333	4
Kwinana	5	1	4	927	713	54.979	4
Waroona	4	0	4	205	610	33.607	0

## FIXTURES

### SUNDAY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Start 2.20pm — Wanneroo v Willetton, Kingsway Sporting Complex, Skeet Road, Landsdale.

Start 2.40pm — Kelmscott v Armadale, John Dunn Oval, Third Avenue, Kelmscott.

Start 2.20pm — Mandurah v Canning, Rushton Park Oval, Dower Street, Mandurah.

Maddington v Kenwick, Maddington Oval, Canning Park Avenue, Maddington.

South Perth v Thornlie, Lathlain Park, Goddard Street, Lathlain.

Osborne Park v Kalamunda, Balcatta Reserve, Delawney Street, Balcatta

Applecross v Gosnells, Shirley Strickland Reserve, Coogee Road, Ardross

### METROPOLITAN

Pinjarra v South Mandurah, Cnr Dixon and Roe Avenue, Pinjarra

Mundijong, Mosman Park, Mundijong Sporting Complex, Cockram Street, Mundijong.

Kwinana v Waroona, Medina Oval, Brownell Crescent, Medina.

Midland bye

Manning v North Fremantle, James Miller Oval, Jarmen Avenue, Manning.

# Learning your body parts

Continuing the series on anatomy and injury and learning how the body parts function.

**INJURY** prevention and treatment by the sports trainer, the beginner sports first-aid, or by the individual sports person, requires knowledge of basic anatomy.

Imagine a mechanic who tries to repair or maintain a motor without knowing the working parts!

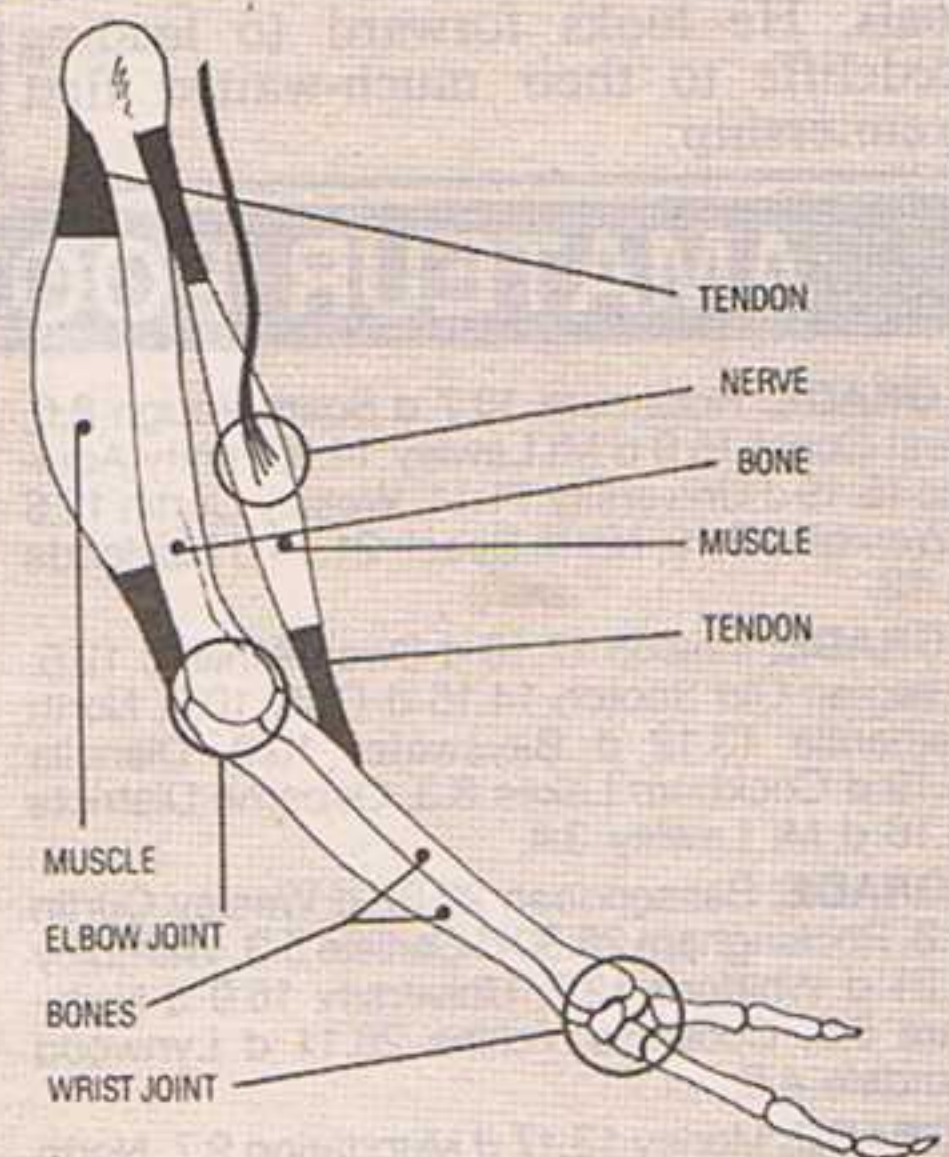
This series is designed to introduce trainers to the structures of the body, their functions, properties and locations.

It is these "working parts" that may be injured in sport. Therefore, some knowledge of basic anatomy is necessary if one is to understand injury prevention and sports first-aid.

## BODY STRUCTURES

**BONE:** is rigid material. It is hard, strong and does not bend. The bone in your upper arm is long and strong; you can easily feel it with your hand.

**JOINT:** is where two or more bones meet each other ie: articulate. Unfortunately these meetings would always be unstable unless the bones were connected in some way. To overcome this there are...



**LIGAMENTS:** which are short lengths or bands of tough tissue that stop the "upset" of bones separating. They bridge joints and attach directly on to bone at each of their joints and attach to bone at each of their ends. Although joints won't fall apart, they do allow movement in certain directions, of one bone relative to another.

Shapes of bones at the joints and location of ligaments determine the directions of movements possible.

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Continued next week



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# WESTSIDE RATINGS

Westside Football's weekly rating system is Perth's only WASFL form guide for individual players. Each week we rate all league players on a score of 1-10. Injured players are indicated by an 'i' and interchange with an 'r' with both rated on their time on the ground.



## EAST PERTH

Player	V	W	P	EP	SD	SF	TOT
BARONI, Lucio	7	8	3	6	5	-	41
BARTLETT, Glen	5	6	7	4	6	6	40
BERTRAM, Dean	5	6	6	6	5	6	40
BLAKELY, Mark	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
CARTIER, Mark	4	3	-	-	6	5	22
CHRISTISON, Darren	-	-	-	3r	4	-	7
CLAPE, Matt	5	4	5	4	5	5	34
EVANS, Shane	4	-	-	-	6	6	16
FLOYD, Tom	-	-	-	-	2	4	6
GIANNAKIS, George	7	7	6	7	7	6	47
HACKETT, John	4	5	-	-	-	-	9
HASKETT, Lloyd	-	7	4	4	-	-	15
HOOPE, Stephen	-	-	4	-	-	7	11
LONG, Noel	5	7	4	-	-	-	16
MARONI, Eric	4	-	-	5	-	8	17
MAY, Russell	-	5	3	-	-	-	8
MELESSO, Peter	3i	6	5	5	6	7	37
McGRATH, Craig	4	5	8	5	6	6	42
MILLER, Peter	5	4	7	5	5	6	32
MILNER, Brett	3i	-	-	-	-	-	3
PORT, Daymon	-	-	-	-	5	4	9
RICHARDSON, Steve	-	7	7	7	5	7	33
ROSE, Gavin	4	-	-	-	-	-	8
SEECAMP, Marcus	5	7	5	6	4	-	32
SEYMOUR, Ken	6	6	6	6	6	5	41
SILCOCK, Jeremy	5	6	6	4	5	6	38
SMALLWOOD, Brad	6	4	-	-	-	5	15
STARCEVICH, Troy	6	-	-	-	4r	4r	14
STANISLAUS, Brian	6	8	5	6	5	5	35
TURNER, Dean	6	5	-	6	-	-	22
WILLISON, Leigh	4	5	6	5	5	6	36
YARRAN, Nicky	4	1	3	2	-	4	14



## SWAN DISTRICTS

Player	V	W	P	EP	SD	SF	TOT
AHMAT, Joe	6	7	7	6	5	6	37
BAZZO, Steve	-	-	7	5	7	7	26
BENNEL, Ian	6	6	6	3r	4r	4r	29
CALLOW, David	6	6	7	3	2r	-	29
DAVEY, Shaun	7	7	7	7	5	6	39
EATON, Stephen	5r	6	-	-	-	-	16
EDMONDS, Travis	6	7	6	6	5	7	43
GANDINI, Len	6r	6	6	8	4	8	43
GOW, Paul	6	6	6	5	4	6	41
GRASSO, Mick	8	7	7	2	5	6	46
HASTIE, Mick	5	-	-	-	-	-	11
HETHERINGTON, Kim	7	6	6	6	-	5	36
HODYL, Peter	8	7	5	6	8	6	46
HOLMES, Andy	-	7	7	5	5	6	30
HOYCARD, Craig	6	4r	6	-	-	5	26
LANGSFORD, Don	6	6	5	6	6	5	40
MENEGOLA, Todd	7	-	-	-	-	-	17
NARKLE, Phil	6	-	-	-	7	5	25
OGG, David	-	6	7	6	7	6	38
O'NEILL, Rod	7	7	5	-	-	-	34
O'RIELLY, Stephen	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
PASSERI, Geoff	7	7	7	6	-	6	39
PENNY, Danny	8	-	-	-	-	-	19
RETZLAFF, Brendon	6	5	6	6	4	8	42
SHINE, Brad	6	-	-	-	-	-	6
SMITH, Mike	-	6	-	-	-	-	6
STEVENS, Matt	4r	-	-	-	-	-	4
STREMPER, Shane	7	8	7	8	4	6	46
WALKER, Greg	4	-	-	-	-	-	9
WALKER, Greg	-	-	-	-	-	5r	5



## EAST FREMANTLE

Player	V	W	P	EP	SD	SF	TOT	
AMARANTI, Mark	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	
BILCICH, Stephen	6	4	4i	-	-	-	14	
BROWNING, Clinton	6	6	7	7	6	8	47	
BROADBRIDGE, Michael	7	6	4	-	-	-	17	
BUSHELL, David	6	8	5	-	-	-	19	
BUSS, Cadell	-	-	-	-	-	6	4r	6
CHRISTIE, George	7	6	-	-	-	-	13	
DERECOURT, Jon	7	5	5	7	6	7	43	
ELLIS, Shane	5	5	4	7	5	5	46	
FORMAN, Bryce	5	4	-	-	-	-	9	
HAMMOND, Darren	6	7	5	4	5i	5	39	
HODSON, Greg	-	-	5	6	6	5r	26	
KRAKOUER, Billy	-	-	7	5	5	6	30	
KRUMMEL, Brendon	-	-	-	6	2r	-	8	
LAMB, Colin	-	-	-	6	-	7	3	10
LAWRENCE, John	5	5	6	6	7	6	35	
LESTER-SMITH, Neil	7	6	5	5	2	4	35	
LOCKYER, Andrew	-	-	6	6	6	-	18	
MACLEAN, Craig	-	-	5	6	6	5r	22	
MOIR, Glen	8	6	7	5	3	6	4	39
MORPHEE, Kane	-	-	-	6	4	-	10	
QUILL, Peter	5	4	-	-	-	-	9	
RANKIN, David	7	5	5	6	5	6	38	
READ, Brad	6	5	5	6	5r	7	41	
ROWE, David	7	4	5	-	-	-	16	
RYDER, Revis	-	-	5	7	5	5	27	
SMALLRIDGE, Gary	7	7	6	7	8	7	50	
TAYLOR, Michael	-	-	5	6	5	5	21	
WEBER, Robbie	6	-	7	7	4	5	35	
WINMAR, Laurence	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	
WOLF, Clinton	-	-	6	5	1i	-	12	
ZUPANOVICH, Robert	3	5	-	-	-	5r	4	17
MAINWARING, Chris	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	



## WEST PERTH

Player	V	W	P	EP	SD	SF	TOT			
ADAM, Tim	4	5	-	-	-	-	9			
BEWICK, Glen	5	6	6	4r	-	-	21			
DAVIES, Chris	4	-	5r	4	6	5	29			
DAYMAN, Wayne	7	7	4i	7	7	7	39			
DEAN, Paul	6	4	-	-	4	-	14			
DEL BORRELLO, Angelo	5	7	5	5	-	5r	27			
DELCASTALE, Frank	5	6	4	-	-	-	15			
DUNKELD, Ross	5	4	6	-	-	-	21			
GRAHAM, David	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5		
GWILLIAM, Brad	-	-	6	4i	-	-	10			
KERSE, Graham	-	-	4r	6	4	5	19			
HALL, Derek	5	7	6	4	4	5	37			
HASLER, Paul	5	5	6	7	6	7	29			
HAZELL, Paul	-	6	4	5	7	5	27			
HIGGINS, Nathan	-	6	5	5	7	7	30			
HIGGINS, Richard	-	5	6	5	4	5	30			
HOLDEN, Garry	7	4	5	-	-	-	21			
HOWLETT, Gavin	4	-	4	5	5	5	23			
HUNTER, Clint	-	-	-	-	2r	-	2			
HUNTER, Jon	5	3	-	-	-	-	8			
MADAFFARI, Paddy	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	7	6	21
McGUIRE, Oral	7	4	-	-	-	-	11			
MIFKA, Paul	5	5	5	-	8	7	30			
O'BRIEN, Darren	6	4	7	5	7	8	42			
PALM, David	5	5	6	6	7	5	41			
REPACHOLI, Dennis	6	5	5	4	4	6	32			
RIGGS, Jon	-	-	-	-	-	5r	5			
ROSICH, Steven	4	-	-	5	4r	-	13			
SADOWSKI, Steve	-	-	6	5	5	4	20			
STARR, Wade	4	3	-	-	-	-	12			
TANA, Nick	5	-	-	-	-	-	10			
TURLEY, Craig	7	6	-	-	-	-	13			
WILLIAMS, Mal	6	5	6	4	-	6	27			
WOODROFFE, Greg	4	5r	-	-	-	-	9			
YARRAN, Len	-	-	-	6	-	-	6			
ZEMPLAS, Basil	-	7	5	-	6	6	24			



## SOUTH FREMANTLE

Player	V	W	P	EP	SD	SF	TOT		
ATKINS, Martin	-	-	4r	5	-	-	9		
BALL, Peter	5	6	5	6	-	2r	24		
COLLARD, Brad	6	5	4i	-	-	-	15		
COLLARD, Cliff	5	5	7	7	6	7	37		
CRONAN, Phil	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	
DELLAR, Merv	-	-	7	5	-	6	4r	22	
EDWARDS, Craig	5	5	7	4i	-	6	5	32	
FIMMANO, Ned	6	4	6	6	-	-	5	27	
GRANT, Steven	-	-	-	-	5	5	4	14	
GRLJUSICH, Rod	4	4	4	4	-	-	16		
HART, David	7	-	-	-	6	4i	17		
IRVING, Dean	-	-	6	6	6	3	21		
ITALIANO, Bruno	-	-	-	-	-	4r	7		
JACKSON, Stevan	6	6	-	-	-	-	12		
JAKOVICH, Glenn	8	7	6	4i	8	5	4	42	
KELLY, Ken	-	-	5r	-	-	-	5		
LEBECK, Damien	-	-	-	5	5	5	15		
MacDONALD, John	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	
MASKOS, Arthur	5	7	4	5r	5	5	31		
MARTIN, Ken	7	6	5	5	6	7	42		
MATERA, Peter	-	-	-	-	7	6	19		
MAZUREK, Paul	-	-	-	-	-	5r	5		
MORGAN, Paul	6	4	6	4r	-	4	3	27	
NALDER, Dean	5	4	-	-	-	-	9		
PORTER, John	6	7	6	6	6	5	36		
POBJOY, Chris	7	5	5	4	6	6	38		
RIOLI, Willie	5	5	6	7	6	-	31		
RIOLI, Maurice	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	9	
SAMBRAIO, Mark	4	-	-	-	-	-	4		
SOLIN, Rob	5	5	6	2	4	-	24		
TURNER, Greg	6	5	7	5	6	5i	4	38	
WATTERS, Scott	6	8	-	-	-	-	7	5	26
WILSON, Troy	-	-	5	6	6	5	4	26	
WORSFOLD, Peter	5	5	7	5	6	6	40		
WYLLIE, Darryl	-	-	-	4r	-	-	4		



## CLAREMONT

Player	V	W	P	EP	SD	SF	TOT	
ANNEAR, John	-	6	5i	8	6	5	31	
BARRROWS, Brendan	-	-	6	7	5	-	18	
BEERS, Tony	6	7	7	7	6	4	37	
BEGOVICH, Tony	8	6	-	-	5	7	26	
BERESFORD, Brian	5	8	5	5	5	6	40	
BURTON, Paul	4	5r	-	-	-	-	9	
CORMACK, Joe	6	6	7	5i	8	4	42	
EDWARDS, Scott	6	6	6	6	6	5	40	
EVANS, Tony	6	-	6	7	7	5	6	37
HIGGINS, Peter	-	-	-	-	-	3r	3	
GUARD, Jeremy	5	6	4	5r	6r	-	5	35
HANN, Mark	6	6	8	7	6	5	44	
GREEN, Brendan	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5
HUTTON, John	7	7	4	-	-	-	6	24
LEWIS, Cam	5	5	4	6	7	7	4	41
LEWIS, Chris	-	-	-	6	5	-	17	
MALAKOS, Steve	8	-	-	-	-	-	8	
MALONE, Rob	-	-	-	6r	5	-	11	
MANN, Peter	4	9	-	-	6	6	31	
McGOVERN, Andrew	-	-	6	7	7	5	13	
MILES, Geoff	-	-	-	-	6	7	-	13
MITCHELL, Kevin	6	7	2	6	7	6	5	39
NORRISH, Jason	6	7	6	5r	7	5	36	
O'CONNELL, David	6	6	4	-	-	4	5	25
O'MALLEY, Greg	5	-	-	-	-	-	5	
OWENS, Peter	8	8	4	5	-	-	6	31
PANIZZA, Darrell	6	7	4	-	-	-	5	22
PYKE, Don	-	-	2i	5	-	-	7	
RIDLEY, Todd	5	7	6	8	7	5	5	43
SCOTT, John	6	6	5	6	6	5	4	38
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## THE COVERAGE

### WHO PLAYS WHERE IN THE PEPSI CUP

West Australian State Football League  
 Saturday, May 19  
 (Round 8)

South Fremantle vs Claremont, at Fremantle Oval (broadcast by 6PR).  
 West Perth vs East Fremantle, at Leederville Oval (broadcast by 6WF).  
 Subiaco vs East Perth, at Subiaco Oval (broadcast by 6NR).  
 Swan Districts vs Perth, at Bassendean Oval.



# Todd enjoys his new Swans



John Todd...in a mellow mood

UNTIL last Saturday, a lot of people talked about Swan Districts' final-four prospects without really touting them as a serious premiership contender.

There was a lot of hype about the return of John Todd as coach and suggestions that their performances were good for the competition.

But most pundits were baulking at making a more out-spoken prediction, probably because fresh in their minds was the disappointment suffered when Swans slipped out of the premiership race in round 21 last year.

However, Todd really does have a strong chance to become the first coach to take Swan Districts to four premierships.

Currently he and Haydn Bunton jun, who have life-sized photographs adorning the social hall wall at Bassendean Oval, share the record after each taking the club to a hat-trick of flags.

Bunton was successful from 1961-63 and Todd from 1982-84. They remain the only premierships ever won by Swans.

### COMBINATION

This time around Swans and Todd have adopted a lower-profile as the old combination has been revived. To add to the sense of de ja vu, former president John Cooper is chairman of selectors.

Todd is preferring to play a low-key role and he could hardly be blamed for that. He really did take a battering in his two years with the West Coast Eagles and it's not surprising that it has taken its toll.

He was almost reserved, outwardly at least, as he watched

by  
**Gary Stocks**

of The West Australian



Swans claw their way to a character-building 15-point win against Claremont at the WACA Ground last Saturday.

It is fair to use Claremont as the yardstick to success, despite the fact the Tigers have lost a number of senior players to rival clubs and to the AFL in the last few years.

Claremont have played in the last three grand finals, winning two of them and they are the team every club likes to beat; everyone likes to beat the top dogs.

This Swan Districts team does not have the superstars of the previous era. But there appears to be a strong bond between the players and that helped to carry them to victory when Claremont threatened to steal the match in the last term.

And that togetherness is the most important ingredient in the make-up of any team.

Todd is so impressed by the enthusiasm of his players that he described them as one of the best bunches of players he has worked with.

### HEALTHY STATE

"We had a few players down and the win was full of grit," said Todd. "The State League is in a healthy state and it's just a shame that a few more people don't get out to have a look at the competition.

"This a very good bunch of guys, the best group I've worked with in a long time. They play for the love of the club and that's important. I'm really getting a great deal of enjoyment out of this."

Todd, as has been customary with his coaching, allowed a couple of senior players to switch camps this year, creating opportunities for young players and those rookies have not let him down.

Players like Steve Richardson, Joe Cormack and Shane Renfree have become solid players at other clubs and Todd is genuinely pleased they have made the transition without any problems.

But he is even more pleased that it has given players like Brendon Ratzlaff, David Ogg and Mick Hastie an opening at Bassendean.

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