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**EDITORIAL** by Phil Stevens



The one hundredth season of Amateur football draws to a close this weekend and in the two senior games any one of the four teams could emerge victorious at the end of either Saturday or Sunday. Readers of my column this year will have noticed that I have refrained from making selections, however, being the final weekend I thought it time to 'break loose' and see if the 'Kiss of Death' is still alive.

In the B Section Grand Final I think Old Brighton will be premiers although the match against Old Trinity will be much closer than people might expect. In previous encounters this season each side had 1 win each and statistically looking at the scores, Old Trinity perhaps look slightly stronger on form – • June 13th Old Trinity 26.9(164) def Old Brighton 14.13(97); • August 15th Old Brighton 15.18(108) def Old Trinity 14.21(105). However, being a local boy I'd better stick with the Tonners.

On Sunday, form obviously indicates a Collegians victory, although I feel De La Salle could well surprise as their team is blessed with great desire and finals experience and will certainly at least give an excellent account of themselves.

Previous encounters – • May 10 Collegians 16.7(67) were defeated by De La Salle 17.11(113); • De La Salle 10.7(67) were defeated by Collegians 10.11(71) and in the second semi final Collegians 13.15(93) defeated De La Salle 11.13(79), giving Collegians as 2-1 record to this stage. I'll stick with Collegians as I feel the incentive of being premiers in their 100th season will drive them on through every minute of this Grand Final.

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### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to all VAFA Followers to this our final weekend of Amateur Football of this historic 1992 season. It is the culmination of what has been a very successful year for Amateur football in this State. The weekend is indeed a busy one at Elsternwick Park with the A, B and Under 19 Section 1 Grand Finals being contested.

I congratulate those clubs who have either won a premiership this year or gained promotion to a higher grade next year, and in particular to St Leo's Wattle Park who won the F Section Premiership in their first year in our competition, a very commendable effort indeed.

I feel we can all look back with a great deal of satisfaction of our achievements in this our Centenary year, and it is one that I will always remember for the absolute enjoyment that I have experienced over the year. To this, I must thank the Executive and Administration of the Association for their efforts to ensure that the festivites were of high standard and at the same time ensuring that the every day business of the Association did not suffer. It has been a great team effort and I would particularly like to thank the Chairman of the Executive, David Burnes, and our magnificent staff at headquarters, Phil Stevens, Mike McArthur-Allen and Sue Anderson. Of course, without the support of my family, particularly my wife Larraine, my involvement in a position that has brought absolute enjoyment, would not be possible.

On the development side, the 1992 season has been one more of consolidation and I suppose to measure the present success of the VAFA you could say that our member clubs have maintained their viability in these very difficult times. Yes, it is true we do have a number of clubs applying to join our Association in 1993 and there are a number of clubs who would also be happy to enter our competition at the mid to higher sections. However, I can assure all Amateur followers that we are not about expanding the



competition just for reason of status quo, but when a decision to admit new clubs is made, it will only be after serious consideration to our existing clubs and our overall viability as a competition.

To improve the working of our Administration and Executive, we look forward with anticipation to next year, when we will have expanded office and meeting room facilities at Elsternwick Park. Our aim is always to improve the administration of the Association without losing sight of our very existence as an Amateur Football Association, i.e. providing the best possible playing facilities for our players.

To the clubs participating this weekend, **Collegians**, **De La Salle**, **Old Brighton**, **Old Trinity**, **St Bernard's** and **Old Xaverians**, the best of luck in your respective Grand Finals.

> David Scott President





### A SECTION by Adam Kenvon



#### REVIEW

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De La Saile got the jump on St Bernards and were never headed.

One wonders how St Bernards were ever able to keep touch with **De La** as they were.

Accurate kicking was probably the main reason for St Bernards being as close as they were – but clearly De La were the better side on the day.

The over zealous approach to the game saw St Bernards give away many free kicks as De La displayed the type of composure needed to firstly win the game and secondly challenge Collegians for the title of VAFA A Section Premiers.

Pat O'Callaghan led the De La forward line and finished with 3 fine goals.

Craig Wright across the half back line was impassable and he certainly took over the mantle of Director in charge of defence in the absence of Peter Rennie

Wayne Carey battled on all day and probably just won the ruck duel with Andrew Ronchi.

With De La four goals up at 1/2 time St Bernard's chances were dim and the writing was on the wall.

By 34 time De La were cruising with a 40 pt lead and were home and hosed.

To their credit St Bernards kept fighting but De La had the game in the bag and were only going at half pace at the end.

Chris Campbell and Par Fuime were in great touch for De La and while all the Jt Bernard's players tried gallantly they were simply outclassed by the experienced De La Salle combination.

The signs are good for St Bernards next year and everyone involved with A Section has been most impressed with their first season back in the top grade.

#### PREVIEW

Collegians versus De La Salle, the battle of the A Section giants.

Leigh Carlson's Lions have not put a foot wrong this year and they are deserved favourites to win this vear's pennant.

The return of David Hoyle, Stuart Hinchen and Mark Hibbins coupled with the addition of Christian Davidson and Danny Thomson has seen Collegians develop into a most impressive outfit that play an excellent brand of long kicking direct football.

De La Salle, the reigning premiers, have had a struggling year.

Injuries and overseas travel has seen their list decimated and it is very much to their credit that they have made it into this year's Grand Final. Their experience and determination could see them cap off the season with back to back premierships.

In recent weeks De La have struggled to find a dominant forward. The normal avenues of Nick Fraser and Pat Mannix have been well held leaving Bernie Dunn searching for new goal kickers.

During the course of the year we have seen Julian Maloney and Sam Hunter fill the gaps with great efficiency.

Today I feel we will see **De La** line up with all these potential goalkickers in attack.

The man who will direct the forward line will be **Pat** O'Callaghan at centre half forward.

Feeding off him and providing alternatives will be Mannix, Fraser, Maloney and Hunter - on paper the forward line is most impressive - on form it is dangerously looming.

James Bennett is the linchpin of the Collegian defence. He will use every trick in the book to hold out O'Callaghan.

Stuart Hinchen will take Mannix and will make him earn every kick.

Steve Laussen will take Nick Fraser and Christian Davidson, Julian Maloney - fairly even contests I believe.

Andrew Lord will follow Sam Hunter leaving Andrew 'Roo' Wright to mind the resting rovers.

The Collegian defence is just as good as the De La attack and it will be up to the midfielders of Collegians to make sure that the ball is delivered under pressure, otherwise De La could have a field day.

The Collegian attack is worth admiring. Not only is it more than capable of kicking large scores it does not let the ball out easily.

Rick Schober is the main man in the Collegian forward line. His size belies his marking ability and that awkward left foot is far more dangerous than it looks!

Stephen Mount had a day out two weeks ago against De La when he booted 7 goals. With Peter Rennie out injured De La may struggle to hold him todav.

Jason Dansey sits in the pocket and needs to be watched by a big man as he is most capable over head.

David Hoyle and Tony Parkin across the flanks are hard at the ball and Brad Woolhouse can create havoc in his pocket.

De La's John Tully will take Schober to task in what should be a great battle.

Craig Wright is in great form and will most likely take Tony Parkin.

Andrew Mackintosh will watch David Hoyle and try to runn off him wherever possible. Leaving Damien Toohey to stop Mount - but who will cover the lanky Dansey? Your guess is as good as mine. To my mind Dansey poses a big threat if the ground is dry.

Across the centre we find great talent. De La's Chris Campbell is one of the best wingmen in the competition. Mark Lowe is a hard ball centreman and Chris Belleville can run all day.

Collegians' Garry Irvine will have a great tussle with Campbell while Mark Hibbins will take on Mark Lowe another good match up. Tony Wallace will take Belleville and to my mind neither team has any great advantage here.

The on ball battle sees Collegians hoping that Chris Pollock can give Matt Galbraith and Danny Thomson first use of the ball.

Galbraith and Thomson run all day and have great vision and disposal.

Andrew Ronchi is coming back into form for De La and feeding off him will be Col McClounan and Brett Mahoney.

Mahoney may be lacking a bit of fitness but his talent is undoubted and he is a big game performer.

Again it is hard to separate these two sides in this area.

There is no doubt that the state of the Elsternwick Park surface will play a major role today. More than likely it will be heavy which may bring Collegians' high marking forwards back to the basics.

Collegians certainly hold the psychological advantage and with the week's break the physical advantage.

With numerous members of the Collegian line up still fuming over their Grand Final loss in 1990 the Lions have more of a point to prove today.

The Centenary of Collegians will also have them riding high on emotion and I feel they will have more go in their legs at the end of the day.

There will be no holds barred today but at the end, l expect to see Collegians in front - The Lions by 10 points.

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### AST ROUND'S RESULTS - A

#### SENIORS

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	RESERV	VES		
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Jefferson, Oliphant, Happell, Conron, Pike, Proctor. OLD SCOTCH T. Hart 2, Shepherd, Fox, Duthie, BEST Jackson, Hooper, Baxter, Tweddle, Lemon, Blackman, Proctor, Phillips, BEST Stokes, McLeish, Price, Hart.

#### PERSONALITY PARS = A

#### ST BERNARDS - 200 GAMES TO PAUL HOGAN

Congratulations to Paul Hogan who played his 200th game for the club on 6th Sept. Paul's career began in the seniors in 1980. He has played in 2 B Grade Premiership sides in 1984 & 87. His awards include most determined in the firsts in 1987 and in the reserves his forte is strong marking and kicking at full forward. Let's hope today he can play a big part in a St Bernard's victory in the Reserves Grand Final.

#### **DE LA PARS**

To the winner of today's game comes jubilation, glory and celebration; whatever the result of the game De La players and all supporters are going to celebrate the game – win, lose or draw – at Paul Josephson's 'Racecourse Hotel', corner of Dandenong and Waverley Roads, East Malvern, from 6.30 pm onwards.

#### **DEES TRAVELLING TRIO**

From the '91 Premier Team Mick Knuppel, Mick Bolt and Steve Harrison have been travelling far and wide overseas. All are currently in England, where Michael Bolt played a season of Aussie Football, won the competition best and fairest trophy and prizes which included a dozen bottles of French Champagne and a four week travel of Europe. In addition, the team, North London, which bombed out in the first semi, have an end of season week in Denmark coming up.

Steve Harrison has travelled Europe and the Americas and was in Bolivia, where President George Bush was to visit, but when George heard that Steve was there, he cancelled his visit.

Jim Hawkins has been, as ever, helpful around the Club assisting with the U19 Golds; came back from a recent very wet match complaining about his job as timekeeper from the very modern and comfortable AND WARM area of Old Ivanhoes as the rain, at times, splashed the windows. The other officials and coaching staff were out in all the elements and looked like drowned rats. Jim was as debonair as usual.

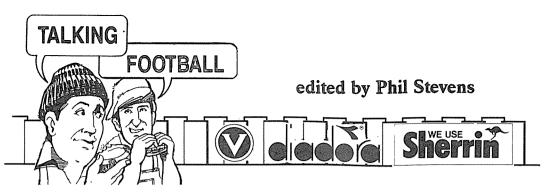
P.S. John, father of above Michael Bolt, is due back from Kuwait for two weeks, arriving on 18th September hoping to see De La play in the Grand Final on 20th.

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Never ever did I think I would say it, but this week I actually though wonderful things about the Essendon Football Club.

Firstlycoack Kevin Sheedy, who spoke at Friday's traditional Chairman's Luncheon extolled the virtues of Amateur football and the part the VAFA plays in the football structure of Victoria.

Essendon also helped out by providing their 'super-sopper' to us (free of charge) from Thursday for as long as we need it, to give us the best possible chance of getting Elsternwick Park into the best order possible, given the conditions, to host 5 games this weekend.

Thanks Bombers - you have leapt up my list of favourite AFL teams.

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Another reminder that we are moving to **TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION** at **304-308 NEW STREET**, **BRIGHTON** whilst extensions to Elsternwick Park are completed.

If you need to contact VAFA Administration after the season please ring the normal number **531 8333** and a recorded message will inform you of our new number (not known at the moment).



Quote of the Year – Sue Anderson (VAFA Staff): 'Peter Rennie has just been taken from the ground by a stretcher'.

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The 100 year birthday party is all but over!

Pictured blowing out the candles on a BIG-V (Sherrin) birthday cake are from left to right the VAFA Aministration Staff's Mike McArthur-Allen, Sue Anderson and Brett Connell. This week's 'real' birthday boy was on the other side of the camera.

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Thank you to everyone who has read this column over the year.  $\star \star \star \star$ 

#### EDITORIAL continued from page 1

This has been once again a terrific season with so many other events designed to celebrate the Association's Centenary, each of which I think were outstanding successes.

I would like to take this opportunity of thanking each and every person who, in their special particular way contributed to make this year one to remember. The beauty of Amateur football is that everyone co-operates so willingly, not to gain credit for themselves but for things to go off smoothly.

It would be remiss of me not to give enormous credit to fellow members of the VAFA Administration staff Mike McArthur-Allen (Exec. Officer), Sue Anderson (Admin. Assistant) and Brett Connell (part time Development Officer) for their untiring support and dedication to their tasks.

Finally to my family for being a 'fatherless' family for the last eight months; I thank them for their support and understanding.

Staff selections for this weekend:

 Phil
 Mike
 Sue

 Collegians (A)
 De La Salle (A)
 Collegians (A)

 Old Brighton (B)
 Old Brighton (B)
 Old Brighton (B)

Best of luck to everyone involved in this weekend's feast of football – may the best teams win and may everyone be able to look back on 1992 as being a year of happy memories.

#### Phil Stevens

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### B SECTION by John Simpson

#### PRELIMINARY FINAL REPORT

It has often been said about our great game that nothing is predictable and once again on Saturday such a statement proved to be true. Who would have thought that the overnight rains, heavy showers and early hail would turn the Box Hill oval into a quagmire. We usually expect to witness finals games where the great skills of the teams show through on firm grounds in fine conditions. This did not prove to be the case for the cut throat B Grade Preliminary Final. In sloppy conditions general skill is replaced by total commitment and a fair dose of luck too. Prior to the game both teams had question marks hanging over them. Could Old Trinity finally break free of their finals hoodoo and make A Grade? Could Old Melburnians recover from their defeat at the hands of Old Brighton and steel themselves for a red hot go at A Grade and another shot at Old Brighton? In many ways both questions were answered as the commitment and character of both teams in difficult conditions was excellent. Both sides put their bodies on the line making the ball the object all day. Constantly players from both teams threw themselves desperately over the ball or at an opponent to prevent them using it.

The game started with **Old Trinity** kicking with a verv strong breeze. Andrew Allibon ignited his side and played a dominant role during the quarter. Constantly he won the ball in the midfield and used long and penetrating delivery into the front half. Trevor Norman was also giving Old Trinity great drive with many of his possessions coming across the half back line during the quarter. Norman is a great player with plenty of courage and commitment on any day. His ability to work hard and 'get down the back' to give his defence support is a wonderful example of disciplined on ball play. 'Doc' Rogers, the recently crowned B Grade Best and Fairest winner was covering an enormous amount of ground and winning possessions on both wings as he and Oldfield continually swapped places, testing the patience and stamina of Doug Maskiel, who was trying hard to curb the energetic Rogers. Old Trinity dominated the 1st quarter. Their forwards, especially Phillips, were holding front position well and were proving dangerous. But for poor kicking they should have led by a greater margin at 1/4 time.

At the 1st break Old Melburnians with only a solitary point on the board had to dig deep, regroup, use the breeze effectively and get back into the game. Webb and Jeremy Nichols began to win plenty of possessions in the midfield and get the ball forward. Scott Teal showed great courage to mark and goal and Old Melburnians through sheer effort and hard work began to get back into the game. Late in the quarter Nichols missed a set shot whilst at the other end of the ground Balaszy (who had earlier in the quarter played a strong role in defence) kicked a freakish goal off the ground to put his side 5 points up at the main break. The game was evenly poised now and after their fine 2nd quarter OMs must have felt they would be a real chance if they could limit Old Trinity's scoring opportunities. I am sure Alan Johnson would have

been urging his players to establish a lead of about 18 points by 34 time, which would be enough in the conditions to hold out **Old Melburnians**.

Paul O'Brien had already set a fine example for his side and was to continue in this vein for the rest of the day. He constantly put himself into the fray to force the ball forward during the quarter. Old Melburnians defended well during the quarter but despite seeking out the dangerous Scott Teal they failed to convert. Old Trinity on the other hand were able to score and build on their lead and their 2 goals 2 points to 1 point would build the very lead they had hoped for at 34 time.

Three significant highlights of this quarter were decisive factors in determining the result in my opinion.

Firstly, Johnson's use of O'Shaughnessy in defence was a great move. David O'Shaughnessy constantly threw himself at the ball and either limited his opponents opportunities or tapped the ball out to his team mates. Although a 'veteran' his ability to find and hold good body position and do the hard things was outstanding.

Secondly, the use from defence of **Hudson** proved significant (as it would all day). His length would often put **Old Trinity** into attack and his kicking of the heavy ball proved both penetrating and more importantly accurate – finding targets on the far wing often.

Finally, a classic shepherd by **Richard Beardsley** on the grandstand wing that allowed his brother **Nick** the opportunity to find space and penetrate the **Old Melburnians** defence and find **Phillips** who then shared the ball well to find **Heath** for a goal was telling. Along with **Balaszy's** earlier goal this effort would seal the issue in many ways.

Significantly it was also the fact that Old Trinity had numerous options up forward in Phillips, Heath, Makris whilst Old Melburnians could only hope Scott Teal would mark the heavy ball – he was their lone key forward option. Furthermore the Beardsley shepherd highlighted the importance of protecting the ball carrier; something that Old Melburnians had rarely done all day. Also Old Melburnians' players often fell into the trap of turning back into play; a ploy which in heavy conditions would prove fruitless and cause turnovers.

At ¾ time Old Melburnians were still a real chance and they came out firing again – refusing to give in. An early goal gave them renewed enthusiasm and found the ball in their front half for much of the quarter. Again, Johnson pulled a great move and put the tireless working O'Shaughnessy on the ball. A freakish snap by this player just missed the mark during the quarter but he was great value to his side providing a steadying influence at the point of play - often controlling the play and giving directions that enabled his side to eventually win the game. A perfect example of such direction came when a clearing kick by Old Trinity changed play from the grandstand half forward flank (in Trinity's defensive one) to the far wing and eventually out of bounds changing the pattern of play, clearing the ball and wasting valuable time in the process. Old Melburnians had persisted all day and their lack of forward options; failure to convert opportunities up forward and lack of bulk were all telling. Both sides deserve full credit for an enormous effort that saw the game in the balance for most of the day. **Old Trinity** live on and **Old Melburnians** whilst remaining in B Section can look to 93 with a positive outlook. Many of their younger brigade will benefit from their experiences of the past two weeks and I would expect them to be one of the power sides of B Grade next year.

#### GRAND FINAL PREVIEW

Old Trinity now face Old Brighton in the Grand Final having finally achieved their aim of A Grade. In many ways the game will be a battle of the forward lines. Whether Hudson or Richard Beardsley can contain the exciting Tom Hayden will be of interest as Hayden in many ways is the key to this game. On the other hand Old Brighton must work to contain Heath, Phillips and Makris, all capable forwards and goal kickers. The battle between Andrew Pryor and Trevor Norman will be another highlight (I hope they are allowed to play their natural games!). Both are wonderfully skilled players who create and provide plenty of opportunities for their team mates. The battle between the two 'strongmen' of each side Turner and Richarby will be of interest too. Richarby's marking around the ground has been a real feature of his play lately and Turner is a real work horse.

I believe **Old Brighton** will win this game because of three factors:

1. Their tackling and the pressure they will apply will limit **Old Trinity's** ability to feed their forwards effectively.

2. They are a team that share the ball and run in numbers. On the wide expanses of Elsternwick Park this will prove telling against **Old Trinity** who after a tough campaign in hard conditions will probably tire.

3. Old Brighton have a better marking team with the dangerous Nick Perry being just one example.

Well done to both teams on making the big one – I'm sure they will give their all to win the Premiership. Congratulations to both coaches who have done a fine job. **Alan Johnson**, who has been able to re-focus his team after last year's disappointment and **Mark Parker** who has built a team from midfield performers in B Grade in 91 to the power team of B Grade in 92. I wish all concerned good luck

Just a reminder ... r. thing is too predictable in Aussie Rules – perhaps the weather will again have its say?

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# LAST ROUND'S RESULTS - B

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### C SECTION by "The Squirrel"

Yippety, Yippety, Yippety folks. It's all over red rover, Fawkner premiers in the 1's and Uni-Blacks in the 2's. We done to both clubs and for that matter all 10 clubs who made 'C' Section very competitive, very interesting and moreso, a pleasure to be a part of. We bid farewell to Thomastown and Uni-Blacks and wish them well in their efforts in 'D' Grade throughout season '93. Congrats to Caulfield Grammarians and to Mazenod (on a roll!) on their promotion to 'C' Grade next season. I'm sure both clubs will acquit themselves well, but a warning to both. Guard against 'cockiness' as there's always a club in 'C' that'll knock you from your perch.

#### REVIEW – GRAND FINAL RESERVES – FAWKNER vs UNI-BLACKS

Fawkner entered the game as warm favourites and rightly so, but as in many feature events got 'nutted' at the wire. **Uni-Balcks** adjusted perfectly and quickly to the tempo of the game and to the ground conditions. The game was basically put beyond doubt as early as ½ time and from there the **Blacks** dictated terms.

For J.K. and the Fawkner troops little consolition in the fact that you were 'minor' premiers. I'm sure though that with the outfit you've got you'll take tossing in the higher grade next season. Well done to both teams on having really good consistent performances throughout '92 and quite fittingly playing off for the 'pennant'.

#### SENIORS - FAWKNER vs BULLEEN/TEMP.

Hopes aside, most impartial supporters considered Fawkner to have a mortgage on the 'flag'. Ground conditions as such (heavy) probably brought the 'Bullants' into contention.

1st Qtr – No fireworks, just good old fashioned body to body contests. Fawkner a little wasteful early with snaps and long-bombs astray for a string of minor scores. Meanwhile into the breeze, the 'Bullants' ran the ball into their forward li.' e with efficiency to score 3 majors for the stanza. Once steadied, the 'Fawks' teamed better and rattled on 2 twins to add to their 7 behinds for the qtr to go into the 1st break a solitary pt in front but with the knowledge that their opponents had a healthy breeze at their backs.

2nd Qtr – No joy early for the **Bulleen** boys as Fawkner got their engine room firing and gave their forwards plenty of opportunities into the breeze at the scoreboard end. 2 goals on the trot to the 'Fawks' gave them a very nice advantage and just when they looked like going on with the job, back came the 'BTs' with 2 'Maradonna' goals from the goal square to level things up. Another goal to Fawkner and a succession of points to the 'Bullants' ended the stanza with Fawkner having extended their slender lead to a mere 5 pts.

3rd Qtr – The game was there for the taking. The BTs had to defend grimly whilst Fawkner had to grab the opportunity and kick a 'swag of twins'. Lawson (Fawkner) and several of his team mates including Hoare, Mitchell and McMahon really started to lift their work rate and with it came immediate results on the scoreboard. Bulleen/Temp. were now playing in survival footy mode and try as they might the strength and height factor of Fawkner was starting to take its toll. **Fawkner** with a more workable attack kicked 5 goals for the term equalling their 1st half total haul. The **'Bullants'** could only sneak 1 goal through and trailed by 32 pts at orange time.

4th Qtr – The sting had all but gone out of the game and any faint hope the BTs had was soon quashed by a trio of majors to the Fawks in the 1st 10 minutes into the wind. Fawkner had contributors all over the ground whereas Bulleen/Temp. were being best served by only a handful. Weight of numbers had to win out and win it did to the point where the BTs could only manage 1 behind for the stanza to Fawkner's 6 majors. The siren sounded with the 'Northerners' running out the easiest of winners by 72 pts.

 For best players, goalkickers, qtr by qtr scores etc, please refer to match details report.

In winding up the column for this season I'd like to conclude with what I consider would be a worthy and terrific composite team selected from the competing clubs in 'C' Section in '92. Automatic selection was granted to players who represented the state in the '92 oame vs **Sth Australia**.

State Rep. Players

B: •Mitchell (Fawk), •Andrews (C/Bank), •Hoare (Fawk) HB: •Driver (B/Temp), •Thornely (Kew), •Rosman (MHSOB)

Ċ: M. Jajerczak (Fawk), ●Melican (C/Bank), ●Keichran (C/Bank)

HF: •George (B/Temp), •Porte (Kew), •Sheezel (AJAX) F: •Rolfs (C/Bank), Bergman (St K), Jackson (Ivan) Rucks: •Lawson (Fawk)(C), •Burden (Kew)(VC),

•Cohen (Fawk)

**I/C**: Gray (Uni.Blcks), Short (C/Bank), Fellowes (T/Town), White (Kew)

**Emerg**: McMahon (Fawk), Parras (B/Temp), La Rosa (Ivan), Bloom (AJAX)

Congratulations to Robt. (Henry) Lawson on winning the 'C' Grade B&F and also to the Fawkner Football Club on winning the premiership. Well done to you all! See Ya in '93 The 'Squirre!'

PERSONALITY PARS- C

#### UNIVERSITY LEGEND RECOVERS

Many 'Amateur Football' supporters will be pleased to know that **Ernest Croply** (known as '**Ern**' or '**Croppo**') who recently had a stroke, is recovering well in Ward 12, Heidelberg General Hospital. '**Croppo**' is a Life Member of the University Cricket, Football and Baseball Clubs and since he joined the Sports Union staff some 60 years ago, firstly as a groundsman and then as Curator in 1947, he has been an unswerving supporter of University sport. His devotion and loyalty to Blues, Blacks, Reds and Juniors is legendary. This note is written just after Blacks Reserves have won the 'C Section Reserve' Premiership and we are sure that '**Croppo's'** recovery will accelerate with this news! All at the MUFC and VAFA and particularly the VAFA Umpires' Association wish him a speedy recovery.

### LAST ROUND'S RESULTS - C

#### SENIORS

GRAND FINAL						
FAWKNER	2.7	5.8	10.12	16.17.113		
BULLEEN-TEMP.	3.0	5.3	6.4	6.5.41		
FAWKNER Jacobs 3, Young 3	3, McMahon	3, Molloy 2	2, Hoare, F	Maierczak.		
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Hall O'Learv						

BULLEENTEMP. Matthews 2, Agrotis, Panou, Parris, Tulloch. BEST Cumming, Harristou, George, Philpots, Driver, Tulloch.

#### RESERVES

GRAND FINAL					
FAWKNER	1.0	3.0	3.1	3.3.21	
UNIVERSITY BLACKS	2.3	4.4	6.10	10.10.70	
FAWKNER Habgood, Walke	er, Clark, BES	ST Haboo	od, Selleck	Bunnerin	

Cecchini, Ford, Cropley. UNIVERSITY BLACKS Morfield 4, Spinks 3, Evans 2, Quilty, BEST Overlage, Spinks A, Spinks 3, Evans 2, Quilty, BEST

Cordner, Spinks, MacGowan, Tillyard, Evans, Keys. the whole club.

### SHARP SHOOTERS – C

SENIORS		
Bergman, St Kilda	()	107
A. Rolfs, Comm. Bank	()	78
Pace, Bulleen-Templestowe	(—)	73
Sheezel, AJAX	(—)	68
Lengacher, Ivanhoe	( <u> </u> )	59
RESERVES	. ,	
Walker, Fawkner	(1)	53
D. Mascitti, Kew	( <u>-</u> )	45
Degering, St Kilda/Sth Caul.	(—)	44
Frossinos, Bulleen-Templestowe	(—)	41
Black, MHSOB	(—)	35

#### PERSONALITY PARS – D

#### MAZENOD SALUTES 'JOHNNO'

After the devastating double finals loss in 'E' Grade in 1990 Mazenod set about picking up the pieces. Central to that re-building was the appointment of Matt Johnson as senior coach. Now two years down the track the club has recorded seniors & reserves victories in 'E' Grade in 1991 & 'D' Grade in 1992 and looks to 'C' Grade for '93. Matt's outstanding personal qualities of integrity, loyalty & respect have moulded the players into a cohesive, big occasion unit. it is worth noting that we were underdogs both years but Matt's leadership reigned supreme. Due to family commitments Matt has seen fit to resign and it is only fitting we publicly recognise his efforts. The whole Mazenod community salutes our marvellous coach, our respected friend and our inspirational leader.

#### SHARP SHOOTERS – D

SENIORS Peter Green, Mazenod Mathews, Caulfield Gr. Crawford, Hampton Rovers McGaw, Preston R. Gross, St Kevins		<b>66</b> 62 60 59 57
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PREMIERS FAWKNER (Seniors) PREMIERS UNI-BLACKS (Reserves) (Reserves)

PREMIERS C SECTION

Congratulations to both these C Section sides on winning the big one last Saturday.





#### SENIORS

There were a few sore heads around **Box Hill** on Sunday morning after **St Leo's** celebrated their F Grade Grand Final victory against **Old Essendon**. The **Box Hill** boys also are to be congratulated on not only being premiers but becoming undefeated champions. In a tough and physical game, **St Leo's** who had the fresher legs were too good for **Old Essendon** who with the injuries they had are to be commended for fighting this game till the end. To finish off, I'm glad to see **St Leo's** and **Old Es** being promoted because these two sides I feel will also feature in the September action in E Grade in 1993.

#### RESERVES

Congratulations go to **Fats** and his crew from **St Pat's** for their premiership win over a gallant **Peninsula** who after scraping into the finals in the last round made the grand final from 6th spot.

### LAST ROUND'S RESULTS - F

SENIORS

 GRAND FINAL

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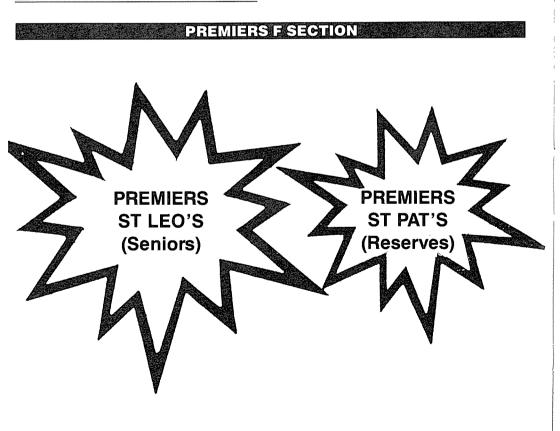
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ST LEO'S Shacklock 4, Kelly 2, Vaughan, Cafone, Faulisi. BEST Douglas, Robinson, Mithen, Steward, Gill, Sargeant. OLD ESSENDON Biship, Simundza, J. Panagiotopolos. BEST J. Panagiotopolos, Bradshaw, Crameri, Souter, McKenzie, Thompson.

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1.2	2.2	4.6	7.7.49
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PENINSULA Hunter, Di Gregorio, Collopy, BEST Jarrett, Sampson, Cook, Scown, Brancatisano, Krohn.



Congratulations to both these F Section sides on winning the big one last week.

#### SHARP SHOOTERS - F

#### SENIORS D. DeMorton, North Brunswick 109 Dyke, Doveton 85 68 Nicolosi, ANZ A. Hill, Glenhuntly 48 Acott, Power House 44 RESERVES Bulman, North Brunswick 56 28 24 Sutton, Doveton L. Denver, Aquinas Horvath, Aquinas 24 Oaten, Glenhuntly 23

### SHARP SHOOTERS - F

#### SENIORS

Simundza, Old Essendon King, Richmond Central Charlton, St Johns J. Tapner, St Andrews	(1) () ()	<b>111</b> 79 71 69
A. Grace, Salesians	(—)	65
RESERVES		
Fincher, St Leos	()	48
Zois, Salesians	(—)	38
Mazza, UHSOB	()	35
Lawlor, St Leo's Wattle Park	(—)	35
Stevens, Old Essendon	(—)	34

#### SHARP SHOOTERS - G

G NORTH		
Treganowan, Marcellin	()	87
Strickland, Eltham	1-1	60
O'Dea, Kew	25	44
MacIsaac, Kew	25	44
S. Porter, Old Westbourne	25	43
G SOUTH	( )	
M. Dalton, Old Xaverians	()	80
Sinn, Monash Whites	<u>}_</u>	46
Losinno. De La Salle	2	41
King, Old Xaverians	2-1	37
Hanrahan, Bloods	()	26



#### MELEES – BEWARE

A melee is "Where an incident takes place involving players, pushing, scragging, jumping into packs, throwing each other to the ground or other similar such conduct"





#### PUTS BACK WHAT THE SWEAT TAKES OUT



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## UNDER 19 SECTIONS by Max Lyon

As this is the last report for 1992, I'd like to take this opportunity to thank VicHealth for their continued support of Under 19 football throughout the State and particularly to the VAFA – the Victorian U19 Champions (had to get in one last mention).

#### REVIEW OF LAST WEEK'S GAMES DIVISION 1 - PRELIMINARY FINAL

Fate dealt 'Tubey' and his OMs a cruel blow with the losses of Jock and Jobbers through injury and 'Mini' to the 'ones' and then losing skipper Kogler at '4 time, whilst De La were boosted by the return of Crowe and Mastroianni from the 'ones'. OMs still put up a heck of a fight right up until the finish with Ds just getting home by 7 points. The dangerous Satchell was D's main goalscorer with 3 good goals in the wet conditions whilst 'Branch' booted 3 for OMs. Apartfrom Crowey and Mastroianni, De La were well served by Dave Larkin, Julian Taylor and Tim Dundon. OM's best were Teelow, Kuhn and Richardson. No doubt disappointing for OMs but I think it was a great effort for their jump up from Div. 2 and I think 'Tubey' has laid a good foundation for the senior teams of the future.

#### **DIVISION 2 CENTRAL – GRAND FINAL**

What a disappointment to arrive at Monash and see the ground freshly mown on the Friday and looking great except for the water dumped on it overnight and again during the first 2 quarters. As I had predicted, Therry's over confidence caught them napping and C'well jumped them thanks to a great opening goal by the inspirational Sam Horskins. The 4 goal 1st quarter proved to be a winner for the Wells with both teams failing to score in the 2nd quarter. The Roys staged a mini revival in the last term but hitting the post twice and a steadying goal for Wells by Kokinos enabled them to run out victors probably deservedly so often leading the comp all year. Congrats to Graham and his boys and commiserations to Anthony and the Therry boys who were just not quite as desperate as the Wells on the day. Except for Nick Court, most of Therry's 'guns' left their waterwings at Glenroy although Delaney, Stanko and Joyce didn't stop trying. I thought Cocks did a great job at full back for Wells while lan Strachan, Chris Fisher and Nick Thomson were just a few who impressed in an even winning team.

#### **DIVISION 2 SOUTH – GRAND FINAL**

This game started sensationally with **Chirnside** starting with 17 men after **Carusi** was sent off before the first bounce. This spurred **Parkers** on to an extra effort as they were only a point behind at ¼ time and kicking to the favoured end in the 2nd. **Jackers** had trouble getting past **Parkers** half backs and only recorded 3 scoring shots in the last 3 quarters. **Michale Rajch** battled hard in the ruck all day for **Jackers** whilst **Paul Steiner** and **Daniel Toffler** also gave it their best shot. **Parkers** big guns all contributed with **Brian Pedler** and **Tony Spirli** being their most outstanding. **Carusi** did well on his return to the fray whilst **Fabian Paola** was a brick wall on the backline. Congrats to **Michael** 



and **Don** on their fine effort in getting **Parkers** their first flag and commiserations to **Mark** and his boys who 'stumbled' at the last hurdle. Whilst disappointed at some of the innane comments of some **Parker** players/supporters after the game, I couldn't begrudge **Brendan** his reward after 3 years of hard work. Well done **Brendan**!

# PREVIEW OF TODAY'S GAMES

Once again we have a **Xavs** and **De La** Grand Final with, this time, **Ds** doing it the hard way via the Prelim. Final. What a couple of real sloggers the **Ds** have put in during their last two matches! Presuming that HQ will be heavy it will be interesting to see how the **Ds** legs are going during the final quarter today. I'm sure the **Xavs** will be hoping that **Crowey** is put back where I reckon he belongs – in the firsts – but, after the **D's** 'ones' win last week, that may not happen. Also if **Combe** gets a 'holiday', **Ds** could be well below their strength of last week.

Both teams turned on a super wet weather game 2 weeks ago and it is hard to imagine a repeat but I think that is just what we'll see today. Both teams are evenly matched in the rucks and on-ballers although **Mastroianni** could give **Ds** an edge. Both teams have sound backlines but I expect **Xavs** to gain an edge with their greater scoring options on the forward line. This plus the week's rest should see **Andrew** and his boys avenge last year's loss by about 10 points.

Thanks to both teams for their excellent entertainment during the year and good luck today.

Once again, thanks to the many contributors who have helped me put this column together throughout the year. Your assistance was also a great help to us in putting together the Championship VAFA U19 team this year. Thanks and all the best to all concerned with the U19 comp this year.

#### SHARP SHOOTERS - U19 **UNDER 19 SECTION 1** Bennie, Marcellin 71 Riley, Old Mentonians 66 Thompson, Old Melburnians 53 Theodore, Old Melburnians 50 Branchflower, Old Melburnians 45 UNDER 19-2 CENTRAL SECTION Raywood, Ivanhoe 84 Sutherland, Old Trinity 50 Gilmour, Therry 49 Dodds, University Blues 47 McKenzie, Old Camberwell (1) 43 UNDER 19-2 SOUTH SECTION Douglass, Monash Blues 110 Fountas, MHSOB 97 Piccioli, Chirnside Park 93 Bailey, Old Scotch 66 Gosstray, Caulfield Grammar 59

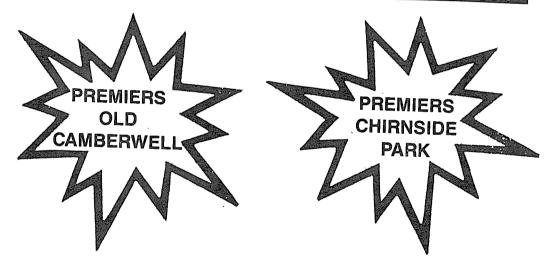
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PREMIERS U19 - 2 CENTRAL



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### PREMIERS U19 – 2 SOUTH



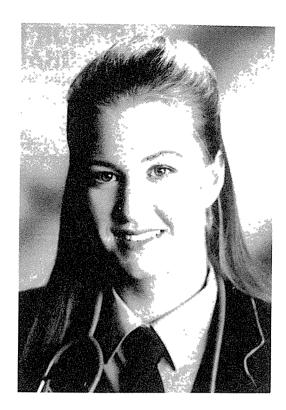
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### MARKETING NEWS by Mike McArthur-Allen

# DENTAL HEALTH SERVICES -MAKING AN IMPACT IN FOOTY

The dental message, 'Keep Teeth for Life, WEAR A MOUTHGUARD' conveyed through the sponsorship with the VAFA and Elsternwick VicKick Clinic, is one which Dental Health Services has continued to promote to its target group throughout Victoria (as part of its preventive program) for many years.

The VicHealth Foundation sponsorship has enabled Dental Health Services to involve staff, dental therapy and dental students in the planning, co-ordination and implementation of the promotional campaign, creating a greater sense of commitment and motivation to achieve the positive outcomes required.

As a result of the promotion and the wide exposure of the message via **signage**, **banners**, **print media**, **radio**, **printed merchandise**, **displays** and **on-site activities**, there have been several positive outcomes:

1. Teachers and coaches of senior and junior football teams throughout Victoria have requested advice and speakers to discuss the use of mouthguards in sport.

2. An increase in the awareness of Dental Health services and what we offer the community in terms of prevention and treatment.

3. An increase in the use of mouthguards, particularly amongst the junior players.

The biggest and most exciting event on the VAFA calendar this year is the A Section Grand Final on Sunday 20 September which Dental Health Services is once again, proud to be involved in, especially in the centenary year.

On the day, we will have the 'MOUTHGUARD MAZE MARQUEE' in operation which will provide children and adults with games such as Spin and Win, Make a Badge, Guard the Mouth, Joker's Handball, competitions, activities and information relating to mouthguards and sport safety. There will be loads of fabulous prizes and give-aways for each child who enters the maze and, thanks to the VAFA, a chance to win a Sherrin footy in our free rafile draw.

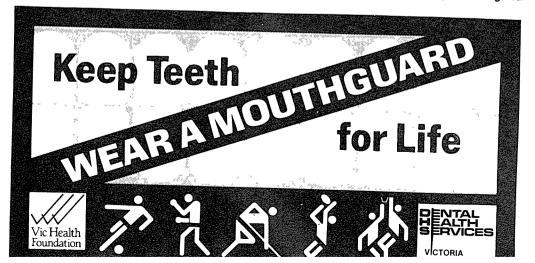
The Grand Final mouthguard promotion program is very much a team effort. Thirty staff and students from Dental Health Services have volunteered to assist in the running of the activities, conducting surveys or offering advice on mouthguards. Much of the games and competitions have been created and produced by our dental therapy students as part of the health promotion component of their course.

The VAFA and their commitment to making the Grand Final, a 'family day of footy', will also be contributing to the success of our promotion by firstly, allowing all the kids FREE ADMISSION into the ground on the day and secondly, by enabling VicKick games to be played at half time (of the main game), during which Elsternwick players will be wearing footy jumpers, emblazoned with our message, 'Keep Teeth for Life, WEAR A MOUTHGUARD'!

Through 'networking', Dental Health Services and fellow sponsor, Diadora have worked together to provide a quality tracksuit for the winner of our 'complete the questionnaire' competition.

So, the 1992 promotion is shaping up to be bigger and better than last year. If you happen to be at Elsternwick Park on the 20th September, please drop in and see us!

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the VAFA for all their help and support throughout the season and wish the teams participating in the Finals, an exciting game and a good result. **Remember to wear your mouthguard!** 



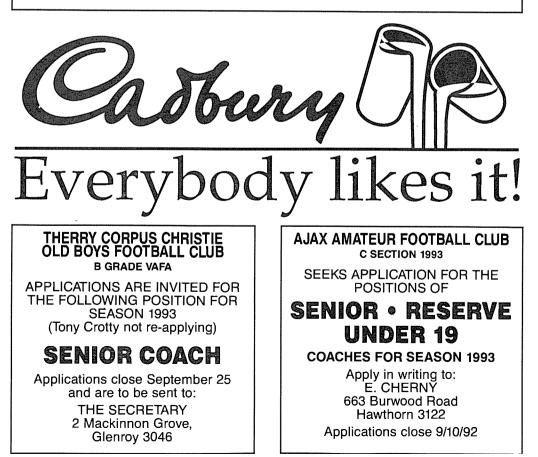




# REMINDER THAT 1992 SUBSCRIPTIONS OF \$35 ARE <u>NOW</u> <u>DUE</u>!! NOTICES WERE POSTED OUT IN JUNE

**REMEMBER**: All subscriptions of these clubs goes to the building fund and it is certainly hoped you see fit to renew your subscriptions for 1992 and possibly attract others to join. As you know plans are underway to extend the 'Alex Johnson Pavilion' immediately the current season ends, so your subscription becomes more significant in this the Association's Centenary Year.

Membership of the Big "V" is open to any player or official who has been associated with **any** Victorian representative team, as well as any past Best & Fairest winners in any section and all leading goalkickers.



# AMATEUR FOOTBALL ON THE AIR...



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6.20 pm Saturday Phil Stevens chats about A Section followed by all section scores.

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Thurs 3-3.30 pm — John Kelly chats about Amateur footy with Phil Stevens. Sat 6-6.30 pm — VAFA results with Andrew Clifton

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> Upcoming interview with VAFA personalities as follows: Sunday 20 September Special Guest at Gala Grand Final Breakfast

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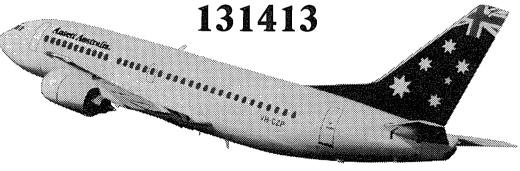


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# **TODAY'S PROGRAM**

### SATURDAY

7.30am	Gates open
8.50am	Under 19/1 Grand Final Old Xaverians vs De La Salle Blue
11.10am	Presentation Ceremony
11.20am	B Section Reserves Grand Final Old Trinity vs Old Brighton
2.00pm	Presentation of JFX Dillon Cup
2.15pm	B Section Grand Final OLD BRIGHTON vs OLD TRINITY
4.30pm	Presentaiton of Senior

4.30pm Presentaiton of Senior Premiership Cup and medallions to winning team.

### SUNDAY

8.00am	Grand Final Breakfast (Prahran)
10.00am	Gates open
11.00am	Dental Health Services Marquee and Kiddyland Rides – activities for children (all day)
11.20am	A Section Reserves Grand Final St Bernard's vs Collegians
2.00	Presentation of N.C. Rundle Cup
2.15pm	Woodrow medallist tosses coin with captains after teams enter arena
2.25pm	'Advance Australia Fair'
2.30pm	1992 GRAND FINAL COLLEGIANS vs
	DE LA SALLE
3.30pm	DHS VicKick half time games
4.45pm	Presentation of Sherrin Cup, L.A. Adamson Cup and medallions to winners.

# PRESENTATIONS

General Manager Phil Stevens will M.C. and co-ordinate all presentations. John Dillon and David Scott will present cups on Saturday. Noel Rundle and David Scott will present cups on Sunday. Max Lyon will present U19/1 medallions on Saturday. Alex Johnson will present Under 19 premiership cup on Saturday morning.

# ENTERTAINMENT

- VAFA/Ormond/North Old Boys Grand Final Breakfast (Prahran Town Hall).
- Trackless train, Bouncing castle, Space Ride for the 'little-ones' who don't want to watch the big game.
- Dental Health Services Marquee fun activities; important dental information.
- Live broadcast of the 'Big One' Southern FM from 1.00pm.
- VicKick half time junior match.



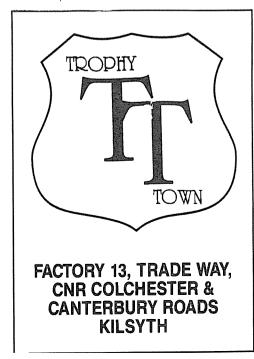
### 1992 "4 'n' 20" CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

**Old Brighton** has won this year's Club Championship. The Award is based on a scoring system whereby each win by a club's senior team in the home and away season earns 3 points, each reserves win 2 points and each Under 19 win 1 point. Club's who fielded 2 U19 teams received an average of both teams' wins while clubs without U19 teams received no points.

#### THE FOLLOWING TABLE SHOWS THE TOP 6 POSITIONS ONT THE 'FOUR 'N TWENTY' PIES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP LADDER.

CLUB	SECTION	SENIOR	RESERVE	U19	TOTAL
1. OLD BRIGHTON	(B)	42	30	13	85
2. ST LEO'S W/PARK	(F)	54	30		84
3. GLENHUNTLY	ίEί	39	36		75
4. OLD CAREY	ÌFÍ	39	26	9	74
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6. COLLEGIANS	(A)	42	28	3	73

A presentation will be made to OLD BRIGHTON at the Annual General Meeting (December).





#### OLD HAILEYBURIANS A.F.C. 'A' SECTION VAFA PREMIERS 'C' GRADE 1989, 'B' GRADE 1990.

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# **TODAY'S COACHES**

# A SECTION

#### **LEIGH CARLSON - COLLEGIANS**

The team's record this season speaks for itself. Three games, plus percentage, clear on top, clearly shows the Collegians has been a very consistent side.

It is a very proud moment for the Old Collegian Amateur Football Club this coming Sunday. To celebrate the club's 100th year with a premiership in the VAFA's Centenary Year is our aim. We have trained well while

#### **BERNIE DUNN – DE LA SALLE**

Despite finishing second by percentage at the end of the home-and-away season, De La Salle have proved that they are worthy premiership contenders after defeating a gallant St Bernard's in last Sunday's Preliminary Final.

Having been the reigning premiers throughout the 1992 season, we found form, injuries and opposition sides all obstacles at one stage or another. For overcoming this the players throughout the whole club are to be congratulated. We have had to find something not peaking too early. Despite a very hard fought contest with De La Salle in the 2nd Semi, we have come through unscathed. Our strengths are in our potent forward line, experienced defence and key on-ballers.

Finally, the players, supporters and administration are to be congratulated in their business-like approach throughout 1992 season.

# this year, and to the club's credit our persistence and great fighting ability has come to the fore.

To rise to the next level of an Amateur Grand Final is what we must do to win, we proved that last year, so this week we must produce again. During the season we have performed courageously in wet conditions and it is this experience in similar conditions that will hold us in good stead for Sunday. Grand Finals are won on the day, and to meet this challenge head on with a committed team of players is what we intend to do.

# **B** SECTION

#### MARK PARKER - OLD BRIGHTON

Old Brighton finished the home-and-away season on top. They were not out of the top all year and clearly deserve their spot in the Grand Final.

Our year has been consistent, without being spectacular. The game against Old Melburnians proved our commitment. Our tackling and pressure was very pleasing. Having the rest will allow us to shake those niggling injuries and I have no doubt that the team will

After finishing in third position Old Trinity have won both of their cut throat finals to earn the right to challenge Old Brighton for the 1992 B Section Premiership.

We have approached this season with a much more professional approach. Last year we faltered in the finals, and to finish third this year added much pressure to the club as a whole. The desire and commitment of the players throughout the finals series is to be commended do the club proud on Saturday.

To be congratulated are firstly the players after what was an ordinary 1991 season. Their commitment and comaraderie this year has been magnificent. Also from the match committee, I thank all of the committee and supporters in backing us in our pursuit of the 1992 B Section Premiership.

### ALAN JOHNSON - OLD TRINITY

Last quarter commitment in both of the finals have seen us within grasp of the B Section Premiership.

The conditions on the day will play little, if any, part in the finals outcome. It is the team that is more focussed on the day that will take it out.

I thank all players, both old and new, supporters and the club administration for their support throughout the year, in pursuit of 1992 B Section Premiership.



# **A SECTION GRAND FINAL PROFILES**

### COLLEGIANS

DAVID HOYLE (2): Damaging forward who contests every issue.

RICK SCHOBER (14): Simply the best centre half forward in the comp.

TONY PARKIN (44): Clever and hard hitting – enormous potential.

JASON DANSEY (27): Tall and athletic. Great hands and in good form.

STEPHEN MOUNT (1): Strong marking forward, capable of anything.

BRAD WOOLHOUSE (3): Versatile player uses pace to advantage.

CHRIS POLLOCK (8): Has developed into a fine ruckman this year.

MATT GALBRAITH (30): Prolific on-baller with superb skill & balance.

DANNY THOMSON (32): Sensational rover, very dangerous near goals.

DARREN WARNER (56): Usually plays on the wing – gives 100%.

VAUGHAN CLEARY (21): Clever half forward who likes a goal or two.

DAVID KERR (22): Hard hitting half-back.

MICHAEL LAKE (38): Skilled half forward who use his left foot to full advantage.

ANDREW LORD (40): Reliable defender who can also play on the ball.

STUART HINCHEN (13): Veteran full-back who uses aggression and skill to hold our opponent.

ANDREW WRIGHT (23): Mops up the crumbs and sets up forward moves.

CHRISTIAN DAVIDSON (47): First year player with the sill and talent to go a long way.

JAMES BENNETT (18): Captain courageous. Dashing half back who always seemc. to be in the right position.

STEVE LAUSSEN (4): Hard nosed defender. Gives very little away.

GARRY IRVINE (33): Running wingman who uses height and pace to advantage.

MARK HIBBINS (9): Damaging centreman. Always one kick behind play and setting up plays with handball.

TONY WALLACE (16): Can play anywhere. Leads by example and highly skilled.

JEFF LEMON (48): Veteran rover who is always at the bottom of the pack.

NICK PROCTOR (75): Long kicking winger - oozes ability.



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### **DE LA SALLE**

PAT O'CALLAGHAN (22): Great speed and agility for a big man. Can Play either key position or flank.

DANNY SMITH (21): One of the young brigade who has helped tighten the defence with is solid & reliable games.

GRANT SHEEDY (32): Strong, straight ahead backman with good idea of setting-up forward moves.

NICK VANDERPLIGHT (44): Young player who has made the most of his opportunities late in the season. Very good overhead.

PAUL FIUME (2): A player who has matured this year." He has an excellent idea of the running game.

JULIAN MALONEY (13): Either in the forward line or on the ball, gives 100%. Strong in the air & hard at the ball.

SAM HUNTER (14): Strong marking, long kicking player who is the key focus in De La's forward line.

DAMIEN TOOHEY (12): Missed last year's GF through injury & worked very hard to ensure he is there this year. Determined & hard at the ball.

MICK DILLON (41): Broke into team late in year. Dashing forward, dangerous near goals.

ANDREW SCOTT (6): Solid & tough defender who has worked hard to overcome injuries.

DAMIEN CROWE (17): Dashing wingman, a relentless opponent. Late injury has robbed him of opportunities.

MORRIS MASTRIANNI (1): Tough, volatile player who has acquitted himself well after breaking into team late in year

MICK EDMONDS (4): Skillful rover, always busy at bottom of packs.

MICHAEL HEGAN (46): Dashing backman with a handy turn of pace. Very creative player.

ANDREW MACKINTOSH (35): Speedy & reliable. Setsup many forward moves through his dashing breakaway style.

JOHN TULLY (34): Courageous, high marker. Key player in defence.

PETER RENNIE (33-Capt): Fierce competitor with enormous spring and agility.

MARK LOWE (24): The veteran. Very busy at ground level.

CHRIS CAMPBELL (9): Excellent mark & good near goals. Determined and courageous player.

NICK FRASER (5): Skillful & creative. Dangerous near goals & capable of turning a game.

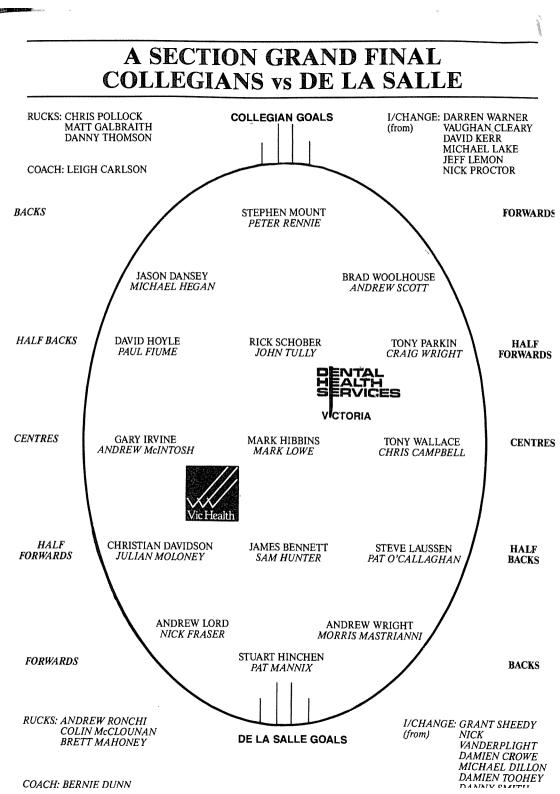
PAT MANNIX (30): The freak. Capable of anything & must play well to provide firepower up forward.

CRAIG WRIGHT (8): Speedy utility who sets-up many goals with his dashing & creative running.

ANDREW RONCHI (37): Running into top form after injry. Strong & courageous ruckman whose good work continues at ground level.

COLIN McCLOUNAN (7): Ruck-rover who sets up play with intellegent handball & running. Linkman in game.

BRETT MAHONEY (18): Played very few games this vear but is just the man for the big occasion.



# A SECTION SENIORS GRAND FINAL



# COLLEGIANS

#### Coach: Leigh Carlson

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5. N. Fraser		
6. A. Scott		
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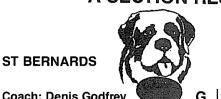
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27. A. Nathan	
28. P. Morrice	
30. R. Doolan	
31. A. Palmer	
32. P. Runting	
36. M. Fitzpatrick	
38. P. Sutherland	
39. S. Byrne	
40. D. Burke	
41. D. Looker	
42. M. Marshall	
43. A. McCleave	
44. B. Galcaugher	
45. J. Kennedy	
46. D. Solomon	
47. R. Cervetto	•••
48. A. Smith	
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52. P. Rogerson	
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COLLEGIANS



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#### **Coach: Greg Tregear**

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25. G Eyles		
26. N. Milat		
27 J. Dansey		
28. S. Blackman		
29. A Kenneally		
30. M. Galbrath		
31. N. Hibbins (Res-VC)	•••••	**** *** ***
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33. G. Irvine		
34 R. Happell		•••••
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1/4 time	1⁄2 time	3⁄4 time	Final	1⁄4 time	1/2 time	<sup>3</sup> ⁄4 time	Final

# **B SECTION GRAND FINAL PROFILES**

### **OLD BRIGHTON**

BENNETT (1): Nuggety back pocket player.

PRYOR (3): Outstanding running on-baller always sating opportunities for his team mates. State player. ANDERSON (4): Rugged and determined mid-field ayer.

LADE (10): Known as "Marma", steady and expernced backman who forms part of their rebounding sfence.

. PERRY (11): At either chf or chb an outstanding mark, rong, versatile big man with enormous future potential.

COCHRANE (12): Experienced defender.

.. BARBER (13): Talented running player who with Pryor nd Grant form a great link to feed their forwards.

I. HENDRIE (16): Strong and physical – versatile player.

.. RICHARBY (17): Excellent tall marking ruckman apable of rucking all day.

1. TALBOT (18): Elusive forward capable of kicking goals picks up lots of kicks by filling the hole in front of Hayden.

c GRANT (19): Experienced and creative link player who ets up many forward moves. Dangerous when resting in half forward line.

 A. REID (20): Talented wingman with plenty of pace – n great form.

2. JAMES (21): "Sid" – club stalwart – backman turned orward – works hard to control front position – dangerous and an alternative to Hayden.

... HAMILTON (24): Strong, tall, high marking forward with plenty of talent.

B. POLLOCK (36): Outstanding young defender prepared to run, link up and penetrate.

S. LENNOX (37): Talented on-baller who has been a key player all year, covers a lot of ground.

T. HOAR (39): Rugged and experienced defender.

T. HAYDEN (42): B Grades most talented forward. Exceptional lead, strong mark; outstanding kick for goal (both accurate and long). He is the key.

A. McLAUGHLIN (44): Strong, solid, talented half forward – enormous future potential.

R. CARTER (50): Solid defender.

COACH – MARK PARKER: A great student of the game. His knowledge of opposition teams' strenghts and weaknesses is second to none. Has O. Brighton committed and disciplined to play a running, share style from defence until the mid-field where they direct their deliveries either to the leading Hayden or to short options. Has done an outstanding job in taking O. Brighton to A Grade in his second year as coach.



Promoting good health and preventing illness

### **OLD TRINITY**

A. DUNN (1): Solid, reliable half back flanker.

A. ALLIBON (3): Strong, powerful mid-fielder with pace who provides forwards with plenty of the ball.

T. NORMAN (4): Marvellous, courageous & creative rover, always under packs, sets up play for others.

D. O'SHAUGHNESSY (5): Veteran who has overcome injury & make great contribution in recent weeks. Great skills, reads play well, courageous. Will need watching.

R. HEATH (6): Strong marking forward, very elusive, accurate kick.

D. "Doc" ROGERS (7): B Grade B&F. Enormous stamina, running wingman who can penetrate & kick goals.

R. BEARDSLEY (8): Versatile big man, left footed, ruckman or key backman, class player, very committed & courageous.

S. HOPKINS (9): Half back flanker, consistent performer capable of clearing dashes out of defence.

A. PARKES (10): Dogged by injury all year, has been a great player on the wing, possibility to break into side.

G. CLARKE (12): Consistent ruck rover, new to club, solid & reliable.

D. BALASZY (13): Has had a great finals series to date. Played clearing link role across half back line. Can be used as a ruck rover.

D. MAKRIS (14): Trinity's surprise packet former U19 player. Tall marking forward with plenty of class & enormous potential. Will also need to be watched.

M. HEDLEY (15): Former NOBs, playing in centre. Provides great drive in fine form at present. Key player.

N. BEARDSLEY (18): Will probably share ruck duties with Turner at chb. Talented & versatile tall player.

G. HUDSON (19): Very long kick who can put team into attack. Probably will line up in the back pocket.

A. "Angry" ANDERSON (24): Running link player, covers a lot of ground. Great skills, underrated, ability to set up forward moves, capable of winning hard balls.

S. OLDFIELD (29): Versatile wingman, forward pocket, ruck rover, level of dependability worth admiring.

M. TURNER (31): Strong ruckman/chb. Honest contributor who will give his all at every contest.

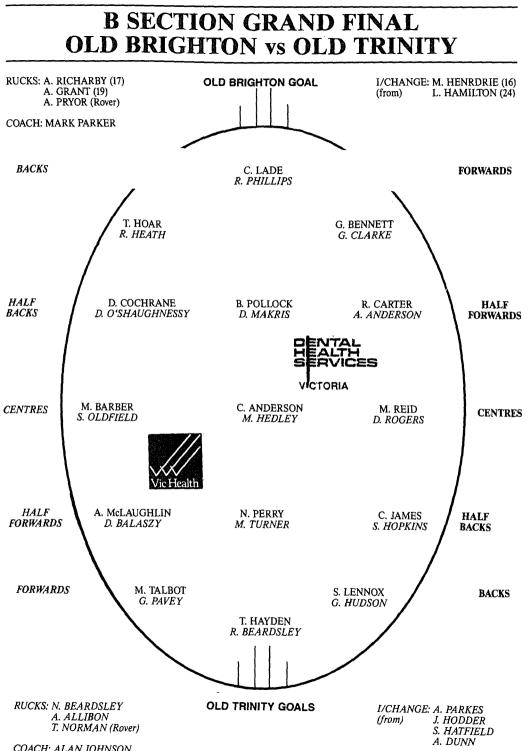
R. PHILLIPS (38): Strong leading full forward, team focal point, Plays far better when holding front position.

J. HODDER (39): Likely interchange - versatile link player.

G. PAVEY (48): Solid and reliable defender.

S. HATFIELD (99): Chf, strong overhead mark.

COACH – ALAN JOHNSON: Former Melbourne player has done a great job to get O. Trinity to the GF of B Section. After a disappointing finish to season 1991 Johnson retired as a player and devoted his attention to off-field coaching. His instructions to players, tactics and general moves during this final series would indicate that his influence on OT's success this year and to date during the finals is more than significant. OT have played disciplined and committed football in both finals games to achieve one of their aims. The program established



COACH: ALAN JOHNSON

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# **B SECTION SENIORS GRAND FINAL**



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### OLD TRINITY



Coach: A. Johnson G	в
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2. C. Robison	
3. A. Allibon (Capt)	
4. T. Norman (VC)	
5. D. O'Shaughnessy	
6. R. Heath	
7. D. Rogers	
8. R. Beardsley	
9. S. Hopkins	
10. A. Parkes	
12. G. Clarke	
13. D. Balazsy	
14. D. Makris	
15. M. Hedley	
18. N. Beardsley	
19. G. Hudson	
20. T. Roberts	
23. Marshall Adam	
24. A. Anderson	
25. E. Borghesi	
29. S. Oldfield	
31. M. Turner	
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39. J. Hodder	
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37. R. Sella		
39. J. Hodder		
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42. A. Banfield		
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#### **OLD BRIGHTON**



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### Coach: Shane Young

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5. M. Waddington	
6. M. Allen	
7. J. Ryan	
8. S. Fitchett	
9. M. Fisher	
14. J. Bennett.	
15. M. Hutchinson	
23. A. Augustine	
26. T. Desmyth	
27. J. Godridge	
28. T. Gale	
29. P. Latzer	
30. R. Phillips	
31. S. Murray	
32. B. Williams	
33. R. Morton	
34. P. McMahon	
35. D. Smythe	
38. J. Tregaskis	
40. N. Timms	
43. J. Pyers	
45. R. Renner	
46. B. Shelly	
47. R. Hopkins	
48. C. Hailing	
49. S. Young	
50. R. Carter	
52. J. Howell	
53. M. Hall	
55. C. Gilmour	
56. J. Donelan	
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# **UNDER 19 SECTION 1 GRAND FINAL**



# **OLD XAVERIANS**

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3. S. Barlow		 
4. G. Short		
5. N. Cook		
7. R. Salter		
8. A. Egan		
10. L. Fay		
11. C. Burke		
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13. M. Durand		 
15. M. Scalzo		
17. A. Ries		 
18. M. Conquest		
19. M. Oldaker		 
20. G. Phillips	••••••	 
21. W. Gill	••••••	 
22. P. O'Brien		
23. A. Duggan		 
26. D. Strachan		 
27. D. Dalton		
28. Mathew Dillon	•••••	 
29. R. Tucker		 
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4. D. O'Brien		
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6. M. Mastrioanni		
7. A. Chin		
8. P. Satchell (DVC)		
9. J. Darcy		
10. M. D'Astoli		
11. M. Laffen		
12. C. Lester (VC)		
13. P. Conroy		
14. P. Commerford		
15. A. Fountoulakis		
16. S. Coombe		
17. E. Bell		
18. A. Picone		
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23. R. Grace		
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### COACHES CLIPBOARD edited by Mike McArthur-Allen



In this, the final edition of Coaches Clipboard for 1992 it seems appropriate to make a report on the VAFA Subgroup of the Australian Football Coaches Association, which was formed in March of last season for the first time. VAFA Coaches at that March Coaches night supported the proposal that we should establish our own sub-group of the AFCA and elected Craig Jackson (Commonwealth Bank) as Secretary and the following committee members: Gary Connolly (St Marys), Ken Bremner (Comm. Bank), John Simpson (Banyule), John Keenan (Thomastown) and Simon Meehan (Old Haileybury). I was elected President in the inaugural year.

Throughout the year the group promoted the concept that all VAFA coaches should become members of the AFCA as a way to provide general support for amateur coaches and to 'share the knowledge' about this great game that we love and participate in. By offering nights such as having Allan Jeans as a Guest Speaker we believe it would be possible to further develop coaches' knowledge about coaching and at the same time help to promote a good working relationship between VAFA coaches at all levels.

Furthermore, the committee decided that this regular column in the Amateur Footballer should be contributed to by members of the committee as well as any other articles that were relevant. I would like to thank all the committee members and the other contributors for their efforts in providing some thought-provoking articles throughout the season. It is not easy to attend to the multitude of coaching responsibilities and still find time to compose a lucid article that may have some general appeal to readers of the Amateur Footballer. Generally *continued next page* 

# **COMPULSORY LEVEL 1 FOR ALL SENIOR COACHES**

From 1993 **ALL** Senior Coaches in the VAFA must have at least LEVEL 1 ACCREDITATION and from 1994 the same situation will extend to Assistant and Reserve Coaches. Also, **ALL** Under 19 Coaches must continue to have Level 1 Accreditation as has been the case for the past 3 years.

This decision was made at the VAFA Executive Seminar last November and this directive was sent to ALL VAFA Club Secretaries in December in the Christmas memo.

Therefore there will be a big demand for Level 1 Courses before next season. A course is available on Sat/Sun 17th-18th October, 1992 at the Royal Meibourne Showgrounds. Application forms are available from VAFA Headquarters by ringing 531 8333. GET IN EARLY.

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*	VAFA COACH OF THE YEAR	* *
**********	Award presented in November. The presentation of the 1992 VAFA Coach of the Year is to be made at the VAFA Gala Grand Final Breakfast. The breakfast is being held on Sunday 20th September between 8am and 11am at the Prahran Town Hall. The Coaches Association encourages all Amateur Coaches to attend the Gala Breakfast. The normal inclusive cost is \$50 (includes entry to the VAFA A Section Grand Final). To reward Amateur Coaches the Coaches Association will subsidise all VAFA/AFCA members \$10.	**********
* * *	Craig Jackson VAFA/AFCA Secretary	* * *

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the response to these articles has been positive and a few readers have taken the time to convey a written comment to the sub-group.

The committee met at the end of last year and discussed a number of rules concerning both the game itself and the external procedures that impact upon the game and coaching within the VAFA. Recommendations from this meeting were forwarded to the VAFA Executive for consideration at their Annual Seminar.

From this initiative came the reduction of the 50 metre penaty to 25 metres and the removal of the line across the centre circle. Both these moves have been generally applauded by VAFA Coaches and players.

The VAFA Executive decided at the 1991 Executive Seminar that considering the success of the VAFA-AFCA sub-group it would be a forward move to have all VAFA Senior, Reserve and Under 19 Coaches become financial members of the Australian Football Coaches Association for the 1992 season onwards. Therefore all clubs were debited at \$12 per coach and this Membership forwarded to the sub-group who in turn, would arrange for payment and details of each coach to be supplied to the AFCA central body at AFL House.

Benefits include:

- Four 'Coaching Update' magazines per year.
- One Fosters game admission (not finals).
- One AFL game admission of choice (first 6 rounds).
- Access to all coach education courses.
- Free admission to Seminars.

Craig Jackson had the unenviable task of collecting from each VAFA Club the name, address, phone number and team for each of the coaches. This was to enable each coach's name to be placed on the central computer at the AFCA for the mailing out of the 'Coaching Update' Magazine. Forms were distributed to each club that would have required no more than 5 minutes to complete the appropriate details. Despite this, Craig was forced to have to make a number of phone calls and to fax out numerous sets of duplicate forms as many were mislaid by coaches or secretaries. The task itself for Craig developed into an ongoing struggle with a small number of clubs being far less than co-operative.

By the end of the season 12 Clubs still remain to provide this basic information on their coaches.

#### OUSTSTANDING MEMBERS AT 10/8/92 CLUB SECTION COACH

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U. BLACKS	С	SEN.	RES.		
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total - 21		6	7	3	5

It is interesting to note that only one team of those still to provide the information finished higher than 8th position on the ladder in their respective Section.

It is arrant nonsense that any coach is so knowledgeable about the game that he would not derive significant benefit from reading articles on such relevant topics as Team Building Principles; Tactics for an Open Forward Line; Discipline – the Key to Success; Umpiring Makes Progress; Learning to Read the Play; Psychingup; Stretching – What does it mean? These are just some of the articles that are included in the August 'Coaches Update'. The four Magazines per year alone are surely worth the \$12 Membership fee in terms of being excellent coaching resources. Yet, at least one official objected to the decision of the VAFA Executive regarding compulsory membership as he suggest it was a form of compulsory 'unionism???'.

The AFCA is now a fully recognised body throughout Australia devoted to improving the level of expertise of coaches at all levels in this game. Its President is Allan Jeans and its Executive Officer is Rod Austin, both of whom have coached senior football at the AFL level. To have men of this calibre committed to assisting other coaches from all levels to improve their knowledge and understanding of coaching and the game itself clearly shows the value of this organisation, its publications and the various coaching courses that it has been able to organise for coaches to gain National Accreditation.

As President of the VAFA-AFCA I can only commend this move by the VAFA Executive as a very positive step towards enhancing the level of coaching that we have in Amateur football and if you are a coach of any VAFA team for the 1993 season and fail to see the value of a \$12 Membership then I guess I can only envy you for being confident enough to know all there is to know.



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5 YEARS AGO - 1987

Ormond were happy when the Tribunal found the charge against champion utility player Phil Mehrten not sustained.

'A' Section reporter **Ross Booth** and VAFA General Manager Peter French were at it yet again. Ross took two lines and picked Old Xaverians, Peter French equivocated for two pages and then summed up 'their aerial strength, pace, memories of losing last year's Grand Final, confidence and efforts against Ormond during the season entitled them to favouritism in what promised to be a most memorable A Section Grand Final – Old Xaverians for me.

A very big crowd, sun, little breeze, jazz, children's rides - it was a magnificent day.

Old Xaverians through Martin Beattie and Peter Curtain were in control and led 4.4 to 2.2. From then on Ormond through the dominance of rovers Cox and Young, the very aggressive centre play of Phil Mehrten, the great defence of Scott Taylor, and with Paul Nankervis showing maturity on the wing, took control and in the final three terms kicked 13.9 to 8.8 to win 15.11 to 12.12. Xavs. fought back to within 11 points before Steve McCooke settled the issue Maradonna style' with an angle kick off the ground.

It was the second A Section flag for coach Mike McArthur-Allen in three years.

The **Ormond** side lined up as follows: B: Brett Connell, Brad Nash, Scott Taylor

HB: Russell Barnes (C), David McDonald, Paul Forsyth C: Phil Kingston, Phil Mehrten, Paul Nankervis HF: Tim Hille, Mark McDonald, Paul Sutherland F: Joey Young, Paul Schuhkraft, Paul McDonald R: Lindsay McMahon, Martin Tobin, Paul Cox I/C: Steve McCooke, Geoff Russell

(Only nine of the 1987 players were still at **Ormond** in 1992 – N.R.)

Umpires were Greg Hardeman and Kevin Segota. Marcellin took all the sting out of Therry in the 'B' Section preliminary final when they kicked 8.8 to 1.2 in the first term and won 21.1 to 7.12. Best were Petroff,

L. Getson, J. Amad, Ebert, P. Sheehan, M. Day. And so on the Sunday after the VFL Grand Final in blishtering heat Marcellin faced up to St Bernards, the final scores being St Bernards 19,10(124). Marcellin 12.20(92).

The winning team line up as follows:

B: Maurie Sullivan, Kevin Mahady, John Fraser HB: Marcus Marshall, Mick O'Dea, Garry McAllister C: Andrew Nathan, John Federico, Mark Mahady HF: Peter Wood, Paul Hogan, Greg Wood F: Robbie Purcell, John Pearson, Mich Bradner R: John Klaayson, Frank Monaghan, Vin Comito I/C: Tim Burke, Jack O'Connell Coach: Frank Melican

John Pearson in the final quarter kicked a fina goal

from about 45 metres out on a 45 degree angle probably the last goal kicked at Elsternwick Park with a DROP KICK.

Life Member of the VAFAUA and former president, Don Hillier, retired as a goal umpire with 520 games behind him, 14 A Section Grand Finals, interstate and intra state matches. Well done, Don, a man universally respected and admired.

#### 10 YEARS AGO - 1982

Grand Final weekend opened on a beautiful sunny Saturday with a torrid, hotly contested match between Old Melburnians and Ivanhoe with the game in doubt until half way throught the final term when Rohan Brown and Barry Morphett kicked prodigious goals for Old Melburnians to move away to a convincing victory, 18.7 to 15.12. The gladiators battling on the oval for glory and immortality were:

#### Old Melburnians

Looking Back by Noel Rundle

> B: M. Daddo, R. Pisarski, C. Knight HB: P. Murray, S. Trumble, M. Youngman C: J. Thomson, P. Mumme, J. Mitchee HF: P. Koren, I. Cordner, D. Stephenson F: E. Cordner, R. Cameron, A. Witts R: R. Brown (C), B. Morphett, I. Morrison I/C: P. Thompson, D. Dawson Coach: Laurie Aghan President: Garry Austin Ivanhoe B: R. Field, J. O'Flaherty, D. Hoare HB: A. Course, G. Simondson, P. Aristotle C: A. Loton, P. Morcom, M. McDonald HF: C. Pratt, D. Gott, F. Globner F: K. Edwards, C. Bye, A. Jones R: W. Dulevskis, R. Stewart, A. Balcombe Coach: P. Stevens Sunday, while a wintry day was a much more sober occasion when North Old Boys won the 'A' Section

> L.A. Adamson Trophy easily defeating De La Salle 19.7(121) to 8.15(63).

> North's defence was impregnable in the first and third quarters when kicking against the wind and always had control.

The selected sides were:

- North Old Boys
- B: M. Hedley, J. Griffin, M. Malone
- HB: S. Hibbert, P. Considine, M. Welch
- C: S. Weir, M. Borcich (C), W. Clark
- HF: D. Butera, J. Jordan, D. Galvan F: K. Hehir, G. Dillon, D. Burgin
- R: B. Horan, Garry Carroll, S. O'Rourke I/C: R. Cedano, M. Shembrey
- Coach: Terry Scanlon
- Assist. Coach: Matt Purcell

Best: Malone, Borcich, Griffin, O'Rourke, Hedley, Horan. Caller O'Deurlie & D'II



1987's coach, **Don Martin**, was Chairman of Selectors.

### De La Salle

B: G. Connolly, M. Ingham, A. O'Keeffe HB: G. McHenry, M. Deveson, B. Bourke (C) C: D. Hollier, W. Tyson, D. Harrington HF: W. McDonneli, P. Brown, S. Murphy F: B. Hellard, P. Kerin, M. Lowe R: M. Greene, B. Dunn, P. Maher (VC) I/C: R. Franetic, R. Williams Coach: Neil Le Lievre

#### 60 YEARS AGO - 1932

Old Scotch Collegians won its second successive 'A' Section premiership when it defeated State Savings Bank by 28 points in a brilliant game at Elsternwick Park before a crowd of 2500.

Old Scotch played a brilliant second term to lead 6.12 to 3.5 at half time. **Bank** were not done with as they kicked 5 goals straight in the third term to trail 8.5 to 7.16. They were unlucky at that stage to lose their centreman, **Robertson**, 'A' Section best and fairest for the season, and centre half back, **Coutts**, with an injured shoulder. **Davidson (Old Scotch)** went into the ruck at this stage and dominated the last quarter. **Pearson (Old Scotch)** kicked 4 goals to take his tally to 126 and **Chandler (S.S. Bank)** kicked 3 to make the century.

The Lieutenant-Governor, Sir William Irvine, presided at the Association's dinner in the Melbourne Town Hall to honour Mr L.A. Adamson's presidency over the last 40 years as he was retiring from the position, (Our historian, Joseph Johnson, has shown this was a misconception as Adamson did not become president until 1896 – N.R.).

They liked speeches in those days. The toast was proposed by **Mr W.A. Watt** and supported by **Mr R.R. Sholl. Mr L.A. Adamson** replied. **Mr E.W. O'Fee** (Vice-President) proposed the toast to 'Kindred Associations'. There were four replies: **Mr C.M. Hickey** (Australian Football Council), **Mr R.P. Franklin** (Associated Public Schools), **Dr Alex Robertson** (Aust. Cricket Board of Control) and **Mr H.R. Weir** (Victorian Amateur Athletic Association).

Sir William Irvine presented premiership cups and pennants for the season, and cups for the best and fairest player in each section as follows:

The L.A. Adamson Cup (perpetual) and Baron Marks Cup (to be won three times), the A Section premiership, Old Scotch Collegians; the Bartley Challenge Shield to the B Section premiers, Brunswick; the C Section pennant to the premiers, Canterbury-United; and the D Section pennant to the premiers, West Brunswick. The best and fairest cups were presented to: A Section D. Robertson (State Savings Bank); B Section, T. du Bourg (Teacher's College); C Section, N. Honey (Kingsville); D Section, D. Paroissien (Old Brighton).

### 100 YEARS AGO - 1892

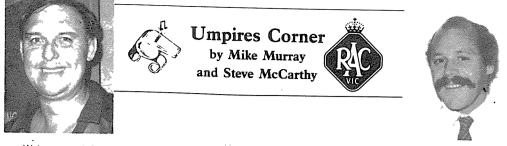
During the 18 game season, **Collegians** lost two games. Their scribe stated 'on each of the occasions mentioned the foreign ground and the weather were against the team'. He slammed **St Jude's** 'their ground and arrangements are of such a nature that it will be next to a miracle if they are ever defeated on it'.

The struggle for the premiership was essentially between **Collegians**, **Alberton** and **St Jude's**. The return match with **St Jude's** on the Warehousemen's Ground (now the Albert Ground) was drawn because only goals counted. The scores were 3.13 to 3.1, and **Collegians** claimed a moral victory with 16 to 4 scoring shots.

The final between **Collegians** and **Alberton** took place on the Toorak-Grosvenor Ground, attracting a large crowd. 'Really good football' by both sides resulted in a premiership to **Collegians**, 12.7 to 5.7.

The captain of the team was **H.D.** 'Grip Johson', a wonderful rover. Other stars were Catford, Waugh, Boileau, Ochiltree, O'Donnel and Morrow.





 Welcome to A & B Grand Final weekend. First up, congratulations to the following teams who have won flags this year. Fawkner, Mazenod OC, Brunswick, St Leo's, Wattle Park and Old Camberwell and Chirnside Park Under 19s. All the best the the combatants this weekend.

 A couple of retractions from recent articles. John Natoli's nose wasn't bleeding - it was running (probably faster than him). And rew Belcher is still on the executive committee.

 Want to have nightmares? Imagine this. After training the two Big Mikes (Murray & Lentini) arm in arm in the shower singing Quando, Quando, Quándo! It happened last week and the witnesses still can't sleep at hight as they relive the horror.

 Talk about gearing-up for a game, or was it pre-finals jitters? Jacko and Daggles putting on each others socks before their game, strange boys!

 A pat on the back for the following umpires who've been asked to try out with the AFL over summer. Justin Garret (F), Tony McKenzie (F), Andrew Ward (B), David Humphries (G) and Craig Chalmers (G). Enjoy your pre-season

 The Third Annual President's Open Fridge Night was once again a resounding success. Seven slabs were demolished (and the Prez wasn't even there). A great turnout from umpires from all grades and a fantastic effort to drink the bar dry. An interesting after-match especially enjoyed by the reserve grade umpires (whose exploits we can't really mention).

 Which reminds us – Rusty says that he has retired. If you have, we wish you well. It was a great career with the odd injury thrown in. If you haven't see you in February. Did the Camira sweat?

 B Grade Grand Final umpire from a few years back, Trevor Flannery was seen at the F Grade Grand Final last Saturday, and marking the lines at Elsternwick Park on Sunday. During the F Grade game he yelled out that

Peter Wiseman should keep up with the game. Wisey reminded him that he owed him two beers. As an exumpire, Trevor makes a great curator.

 Just back from London, it is believed that 'the Villian' broke an Australian cricketers record on the plane trip. Alcoa sent a special convoy from the recycling centre to unload the jumbo.

 Last week we mentioned Phil Rowell's little slip-up in the mud at Box Hill. Well Box Hill claimed another victim last weekend as Richard Evans went mud-skiing down the slopes. The navy blazer looked a bit worse for wear. Other duty officers showed their experience as Phil Rowell and David Cook were spotted in the GUCCI gumboots at Mordialloc.

· Les what about those socks!!!

 Which one of the 4B's was seen enjoying Fawkner's premiership celebrations last Saturday night?

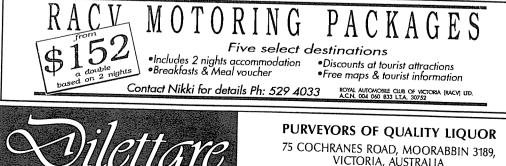
 Some special thank you's as Umpires Corner comes to a close for 1992. - Phil Rowell and the Umpire Committee; - the 4B's - Bomber, Benny, Belly & Barks; - the observers; - the VAFA in its centenary year; - Stevo, Mike & Sue; - the clubs patronage of this column; all clubs hospitality during and after games; - the sponsors (special mention to Nikki at RACV - Prahran); - the umpires, thanks for giving us the ammunition for this colum; - profile participants; - our wives Kathy and Cheryl.

 While on the subject of wives, Benny and Justin Toohey will be getting married (seperately) in three weeks. Good luck boys - no more end of year trips.

 It's been a great year and we now look forward to capping it off at the Presentation Night on September 25 at Auburn Heights Bowling Club. Besides the regular presentations to A & B grand final umpires will a 🥠 iame the Umpires Corner Man & Woman of the year.

Thanks for reading.

#### Mike and Macca



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## THIS WEEKEND'S FIELD UMPIRES

#### ROBERT BELL



1992 has seen Robert have his best season since commencing umpiring in 1985, and must come under consideration for one of the big games after umpiring the 'A' Section First Semi and 'A' Section Prelim Finals this season.

#### PETER GERSCH



This is Peter's first year with the VAFA after crossing from the AFL. Peter has established himself as a top umpire with a bright future in VAFA ranks. Peter umpired the 'C' Section Grand Final last week and might be a good bet to fill a spot this weekend.

#### STEVE McCARTHY



Steve has had a mixed 1992 and has worked hard to re-establish himself as a top section umpire. Steve, after notching 200 games this season, has put himself in with achance of umpiring this weekend by having a go.

#### RICHARD SIMON



Another good season by Richard having umpired the big Interstate match at Waverley in June this season and the 'A' Section 2nd Semi on 6th Sept. Richard has enjoyed a lot of success since joining the VAFA in 1989 and once again must be in with a big chance to improve on his very impressive record.

#### ANDREW KILNER

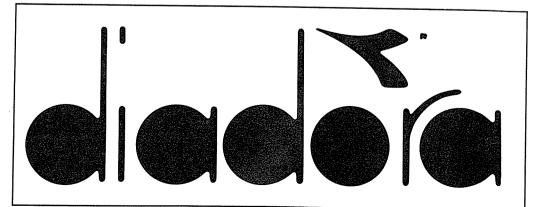


Jovial Andrew has enjoyed a very good and consistent 1992, and after umpiring the 'A' Section Prelim Final must have a big chance in one of the big ones this weekend.

#### DARREN DALGLEISH



Darren has been a most consistent performer since joining the VAFA in 1989, and 1992 was no exception. Darren's fitness has once again seen him in contention for a big game this weekend.



## WILL BE SELECTED FROM -

LESLIE HARRISON



Another new umpire from AFL who has quickly settled into the VAFA ranks. Les has had a very good season being emergency umpire for one of the State games and last week umpired the 'C' Section Grand Final. A big chance to improve on his already impressive season.

#### JUSTIN TOOHEY



Since rejoining the VAFA in 1991 Justin has performed very well on the field and has enjoyed the success of an 'A' Section Grand Final. This season has seen Justin continue to show his ability to umpire well by umpiring the C-F Interstate match in June, and Justin would be looking to finishing off his good season with a big appointment this weekend.

#### WAYNE HINTON



Wayne is another umpire to rejoin the VAFA this season after several years with the AFL. Wayne has quickly settled into the VAFA style and has established himself as a top section umpire. His consistent performances this season see Wayne as a big chance for one of the main games this weekend after umpiring the 'A' Section 2nd Semi Final.

#### **GEOFF RIDD**



Since joining the umpiring ranks in 1986, Geoff has umpired over 100 games and has earned the reputation as the players' friend. Geoff has continued to show good form throughout the season and will force his way into contention for a big game this weekend.

### UMPIRE ADVISORS



This year's Umpire Advisors have done a remarkable job in organising the umpires – be it organising training sessions, selecting umpires for matches or devoting weekend's to watching umpires performing. All this to ensure that at this time of the year the best umpires are umpiring the best teams.

Well done boys – from left Brian Goodman (Assistant), Brian Bulluss (Senior Advisor), Kevin Barker (Goal Umpire Advisor) and Tim Bell (Advisor).

#### SATURDAY 8.50am U19/1 GRAND FINAL: OLD XAVERIANS vs DE LA SALLE BLUE

SATURDAY 11.20am B Reserves grand final OLD TRINITY vs old Brighton

SATURDAY 2.15pm B SENIORS GRAND FINAL OLD BRIGHTON vs OLD TRINITY

SUNDAY 11.20am A RESERVE GRAND FINAL COLLEGIANS vs ST BERNARD'S

SUNDAY 2.30pm A SENIORS GRAND FINAL COLLEGIANS vs DE LA SALI F

### OTHER APPOINTMENTS

Boundary Umpires: 1	L. Simeoni, D. Fowler
Goal Umpires: 7	A. Hogan, N. Edwards

- Boundary Umpires: R. Reichelt, A. Gabriel Goal Umpires: M. Murray, D. Humphries
- Boundary Umpires: J. Huckson, M. Kolpin Goal Umpires: M. Lentini, K. Pitcher
- Boundary Umpires: A. Ward, S. Harford Goal Umpires: G. Clancy, W. Binch
- Boundary Umpires: L. Gallagher, J. Wright

### TRIBUNAL AND INVESTIGATIONS REPORTS

### TRIBUNAL 15/9/1992

- P. KERSLAKE (Fawkner) Striking 4 matches. M. AGROTIS (Bulleen/Templestowe – Striking –
- 2 matches. J. CARUSI (Chirnside Park U19) – Striking
- 2 matches. M. SIMMONS (Chirnside Park U19) – Charging –
- 6 matches

### INVESTIGATIONS

- R. COHEN (Fawner) Abusive language 2 matches; Wilful time wasting – 1 match; Total of 3 matches.
- D. HOOPER (Old Scotch) Striking – 4 matches.
- S. FRASER (Collegians) Striking – 2 matches.

Mike McArthur-Allen – Tribunal Co-ordinator

VAFA against FAWKNER and BULLEEN TEMPLESTOWE on charges of conduct unbecoming Member clubs of the Association in that during the C Section semi final played at Brunswick on September 5th both clubs engaged in a melee and a Bulleen Templestowe supporter violently abused a goal umpire. Clubs found guilty – Fawkner fined \$1500 and Bulleen Templestowe fined \$1000 (inc. \$250 on BT supporter charge).

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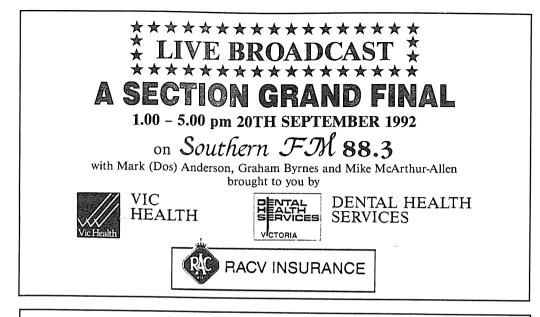
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## **GRAND FINAL QUIZ BY NOEL RUNDLE**

### QUESTIONS

- 1. Collegians, De La Salle O.C. St. Bernards and Old Haileybury made up the 'A' Section four. Name their players who finished in the top 5 'A' Section goalkickers.
- 2. Who coached our victorious representative teams, State, C to F team, and Under-19?
- 3. The Wills Trophy for the best player in the Under-19 VicHealth Championships was won by a player who will be in one of the teams competing at Elsternwick Park this weekend. Can you name the player and his club?
- 4. One of the umpires who wrote Umpires' Corner this year was Mike Murray who has had a long and illustrious career as a goal umpire. He's noted for a couple of things his ambition to be a stand-up comedian which is stifled by his weak one-liners, and the other?
- Only two teams went through the season undefeated, finishing up with premierships. St. Leo's, F Section, is one, the other is?
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1992 was St Leo's first season in VAFA. Can you name something else that featured in their season and was unique?

- 6. Jim Bennett who will captain Collegians in today's 'A' Section Grand Final won the VFL's Gardiner Medal. Name the AFL club he played with and the one he was with when he won the medal.
- 7. Who holds the record at Old Trinity for games played?
- 8. Who was the first VAFA player to reach 100 goals this season?
- 9. Guest speaker at the Umpires' Annual Dinner was Bill Mildenhall. What is Bill's sporting background?
- 10. Many of us for years have been puzzled by the F Section teams and the titles Peter Hille has given them. Can you match them up?

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- 11. 'A' Section Best and Fairest J.N. Woodrow Medals have been won by players whose names started with M. They played with the following clubs, Old Scotch, Old Xaverians, Ormond. Can you name the players?
- 12. Name the Minister in the present ALP Victorian Cabinet who played with Latrobe University.
- 13. Name the journalist who won the last three VAFA Media Awards.
- 14. What is the correct dress for trainers and drink carriers?
- The following names appeared among 'A' Section captains in 1982 D. Corcoran, I. Rice, S. Tallent, M. Zemski. Name the team each captained and the team or teams each coached in VAFA.
- 16. Bulleen Templestowe's greatest son coached a VAFA team this year. Can you name the player and the team he coached this year?
- 17. In Round 14 in 1977 North Old Boys lost their first game for the season when they went down by a point in a thrilling finish, with a goal being scored from the last kick, an instant before the final siren. North Old Boys went on to play in the 'A' Section Grand Final and went down by 3 points, 11.5 to 9.20. Who beat them? Can you name the coach and captain of the premiers?
- 18. In the history of amateur football which club has had the quickest rise from entry to 'A' Section?
- Name the famous author who said 'You can say something to Popes, Kings, Prime Ministers and Presidents, but you can't talk to umpires. In the next war they ought to give everybody a whistle'.
- In 1977 (See Looking Back on 4th July, 1992), a famous Parkside personality celebrated his 200th game with the club, against Fawkner Reserves, by failing to get ONE KICK. Can you name the personality?
- 21. Name the horse that won the VAFA Handicap at Caulfield on the VAFA-VATC Race Day on 20 April, 1992.
- 22. A celebrated Marcellin player represented his club for the 200th occasion on 20 June, 1992. Name the player.
- 23. Collegians won the 'A' Section premiership in 1986. Who captained the club to that flag?
- 24. Name the former VAFA umpire who umpired five in successive 'A' Section grand finals, 1982 to 1986.
- 25 Which team was the Four's Twenty Pies Club Championship in 1991?



### ANSWERS

- 1. Not one player, the top five were G. Petroff, Marcellin 53; A. Millar, Old Scotch 52; L. Boyle, North Old Boys, 50: S. Grace, Ormond, 49 and that old reliable, Paul Schuhkraft, Ormond, 47.
- 2. Barry Richardson, former Richmond champion coached the senior team, Ken Bremner, former State/ Commonwealth Bank coach had charge of the C-F team, and long time amateur personality. John Simpson, this year's Banyule coach, led the Under-19 team. Congratulations to all coaches and players on a wonderful performance.
- Danny Thompson (Collegians).

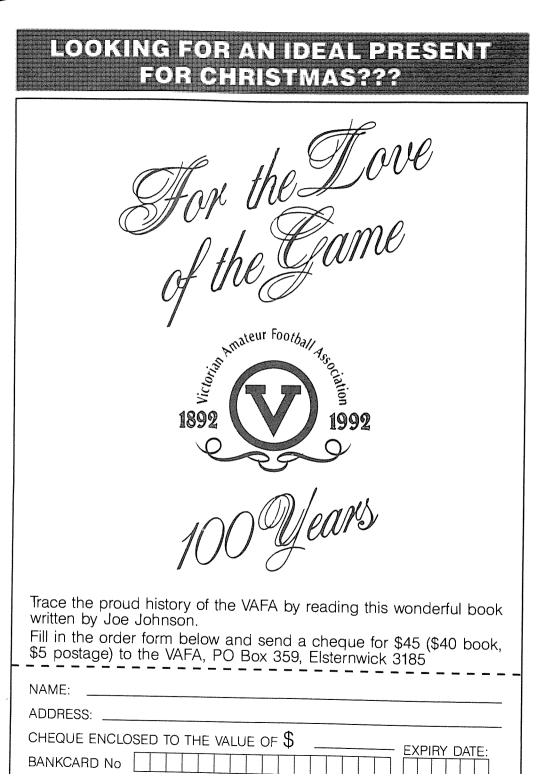
- 4. Mike, in his career of 350 plus games has never reported a player. Mike was quite a player with Ormond in his early days, his career was brought to an end by two broken legs. Perhaps that explains why he never leaves the goal line.
- 5. Glenhuntly, 'E' Reserves. St Leo's was the only team in season 1992 to kick over 3000 points in the home and home games. They kicked 3013; next best was Old Xaverians, 2323, in Under-19 Section 1.
- 6. Jim Bennett, as a 17 year old, was a member of the VAFA's successful carnival team in Perth in 1982, represented VAFA in 1983, and then went to Hawthorn where he played 7 senior games and won the Gardiner Medal in 1985.
- 7. In Round 16 this year Craig Robison made his tally 249 games. All but 8 games had been in the firsts. Craig started from school in 1977, and had played in E, D, C, B, A Sections, as well as in VAFA C to F Section teams.
- Ralph Bergman (St. Kilda South Caulfield) kicked 100 goals by Round 16, a wonderful performance when 8. his team at that stage had won 5, and lost 11.
- Bull played AFL football for St. Kilda. He was also a national basketball referee at the Barcelona Olympics. 9.

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- 11. Old Scotch: John Moir (1988), Tom Mason (1982); Old Xaverians: Mark McClelland (1989), Mick Mulcahy (1966); Ormond: Phil Mehrten (1986).
- State Treasurer, Tony Sheehan was still playing with Latrobe back in 1987 (see Looking Back, 2nd May), Tony 12. was a member of the club when it started in 1967 in the Panton Hills F.L., coached the club to an 'E' Section flag in 1976, and played about 40 Intervarsity games.
- 13. 1991 Wal Bright, (Sunday Age). 1990 John Anderson (Sunday Herald). 1989 Leon Wiegard (3UZ).
- 14. Trainers and drink carriers should wear white tops, VAFA armbands, tracksuit pants or shorts (not to be the colour of the other participating team).
- 15. Danny Corcoran captained Old Xaverians coach, Simon Tallent captained Old Scotch Both went on to coach their old clubs; Ian Rice captained Collegians and went on to coach Hampton Rovers - he is now back at Collegians as Chairman of Selectors; Mike Zemski was captain coach of AJAX and later coached Bulleen-Templestowe.
- Andrew Smythe, 250 + games for his club, great clubman, and wonderful player for the State (twice the trophy 16. for best player on the ground) coached Bulleen-United this season.
- 17. De La Salle O.C. beat North. Bernie Sheehy was coach and Barry Lyons was captain.
- 18. Ormond entered the lowest Section, D, in 1933, won the premiership, and then in 1934 won 'C', in 1935 they finished fourth in 'B' and failed to gain promotion. However in 1936 they were runners-up in 'B', and in 1937 were runners-up in 'A' Section.
- 19. James A. Michener.
- 20. No, it wasn't the 'Villian', Tom Johnston, it was Alby Bolger, a Parkside Life Member twice over.
- 21. KING SAAROND.
- 22. Matt Getson started with the Under-19s in 1980 and played his first senior game in 1982. Matt captained the club, 1989-92, was club best and fairest in 1988, and also third in the VAFA B&F that year. He represented the State in 1992. Matt has been a great worker for his club and a wonderful ambassador for VAFA football.
- 23. Stuart Hinchen who will probably line up at full back in this year's Grand Final.
- 24. No. it wasn't Benny Goodman who umpired 4 (1978, 1982, 1984, 1985). John Horwood, the moustachioed man holds the record.
- 25. St Bernard's O.C. won the championship from Mazenod O.C. and De La Salle O.C.





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