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### **The Draw**

Round 16 - Saturday, 10th Aug 2013 Nhill vs. Ararat

Round 17 - Saturday, 17th Aug 2013 Nhill has the bye

Round 18 - Saturday, 24th Aug 2013 Minyip-Murtoa vs. Nhill at Minyip



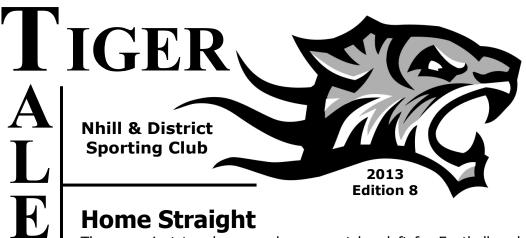
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Local Heroes IF?

### **Items For Tiger Tales**

Do you have something worthy of inclusion in Tales? All items need to be submitted to the editor no later than the Tuesday evening prior to the next home game. Send them to <u>shrive.joshua.w@edumail.vic.gov.au</u>

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There are just two home and away matches left for Football and Netball this season, with a number of teams either cemented in the top five or still in contention depending on other results. Hockey still have four rounds remaining, with all sides in the top four and aiming for September action.

Our last home game this year sees us taking on Ararat. All grades are hungry for a win. Expect to see some fierce competition, especially from the sides still aiming for finals.

While the year isn't over yet, this will be our last edition for 2013. Therefore, thanks needs to go to everyone who has submitted items for Tiger Tales, especially regular contributors in Liam Albrecht, Ang Stewart, Wendy Crowhurst, Amanda Cole and Darren Weavell. Without their submissions Tales would be a very uninteresting read indeed.

It would also be remise not to mention others around the club who have made 2013 a successful year. While there are far too many to name individually (from trainers to bar staff, kitchen/canteen helpers to grounds personnel, social committee to statisticians) it takes a very large number of people to keep this club running smoothly. In particular, we would like to make mention President Jim White and the entire Nhill & District Sporting Club committee. To say their year has been challenging at times is a huge understatement, but they have successfully guided the club through so we will be bigger and stronger in 2014. This was certainly no small feat.

Our final edition of Tales for this year is a big one, with plenty to note down in the calendar. Please support these events as the social committee always do a fantastic job and they will be a great way to finish off the year.

The Editor.

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### **Hockey Report**

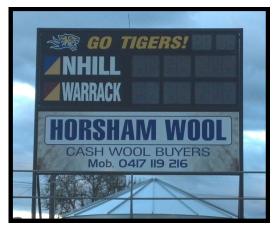
Round 12 saw Thunderbirds facing a forfeit with over half the team unavailable on Saturday 20th July. Fortunately Dimboola Women came to the rescue at the 11th hour by offering to play the game on Friday night. Despite a sound 4 -0 defeat, we were grateful to avoid the forfeit; best players were Grace McLeod, Pam Cramer, Janelle Reichelt & Chloe Newcombe. Rangers were also defeated by Dimboola 3-0;



best players Mont Miller, Graeme Janetzki & David Reichelt. Leopards played Horsham Bombers and won 1-0; Chloe Newcombe, Ellie Murden & Lachie Wilde.

Round 13 was held at Davis Park on Saturday 27th July with a full day of matches. Leopards lost to top team Yanac Warriors 11-0; Lachie Wilde, Victoria Janetzki & Chloe Newcombe. Thunderbirds defeated Horsham Highlanders 5-1, much to Sami's delight as it was her first win as captain in Steph Daly's absence! Goal scorers Lauren Bendall 2, Victoria Janetzki 2 & Sami Crowhurst 1; best players Lauren, Sami & Wendy Crowhurst. Rangers also had success with a win over Horsham Hurricanes 3-1; Taylor Dent, Brady Newcombe & Graeme Janetzki.

Round 14 last weekend was a cold, windy and eventually wet day out at Warracknabeal's Anzac Park. Leopards defeated Dimboola Kookaburras 3-1; Lachie Wilde, Victoria Janetzki & Ellie Murden. Thunderbirds lost to Yanac Women 2-0; Emma Janetzki, Wendy & Pam. Rangers lost to Yanac Tigers 2-0; Trevor James, Grady Janetzki & Talor Dent.



#### **New Scoreboard**

For anyone who missed it, Davis Park gained a new electronic scoreboard during the season. A huge thanks to our sponsors in Horsham Wool, as the scoreboard has already been put to good use this season. Mention must go to the Under 14 football side who recorded our first win on the board, and Mitch Taylor who registered the first goal.

## **Junior Vote Count**

**Football and Netball** 

<u>When:</u> Sunday, 22nd September 2013 10:45am for 11:00am sharp start After WFL Grand Final



#### **BBQ** Lunch



Netballers please bring a salad Footballers please bring a sweet

Contact Terry Robins or Amanda Cole for more details

### **Caption Time**

Can you think of a suitable caption for the photo below? Send your ideas to the editor. Suggestions so far have included: "In a rare burst of speed, Simon Brearley has overshot the ball!" "Missed it by that much!" and "Did someone say Foster's? I'm out of here!"



Really though, we just wanted an excuse to show this photo.



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### **Football Report**

The last two weeks have seen us play the second and third sides in Horsham and Horsham Saints, games which were played in less than perfect conditions. The weather really didn't suit our style of run and carry or our smaller body size but to the guys credit they continued to have a go. Wet weather footy is a different game and one we are not that used to, but we are slowly gaining a better understanding.

Against Horsham we were beaten by a very good running side who have good forwards and we found it hard to stay in touch after the first guarter. Jake and Beery did a good job down back when you consider the amount of times the ball went into their areas.

Last week against the Saints we were given a lesson on wet weather footy and if we are to improve our guys need to understand the importance of adapting to the conditions as guick as possible.

Good luck to everyone for Saturday's games.

The Coach.

### **Dates For Your Diary**

Sat 10th August Nhill vs. Ararat (home) Sponsor hop around town

#### Thur 15th August - Pizza Night

With Football and Netball having the bye, Pizza will be on the menu

#### Sun 25th August - Senior Vote Count

Hosted after the last home and away game, a chance to wind down after the season - starting at 11am

Mon 16th September - League Senior Best & Fairest

Sun 22nd September - Junior Vote Count Hosted after the Wimmera League Football Grand Final

#### Sat 5th October - Presentation Night

Red Carpet Gala Ball with trophy presentations for HUNGR netball, football and hockey





White Hart Hotel



Round 15 this weekend is at Dimboola with our senior teams playing on Friday night against Dimboola. Thunderbirds hit off at 7.00pm and Rangers at 8.30pm. Leopards play Kaniva Raiders on Saturday at 12.30pm.

Round 16 – Aug. 17th at Dimboola – Thunderbirds v Horsham Highlanders; Rangers v Horsham Hurricanes. Leopards have the bye.

Round 17 – Aug. 24th at Nhill – Leopards v Horsham Bombers; Thunderbirds v Warracknabeal Women; Rangers v Warracknabeal Hoops.

Round 18 – Aug. 31st at Dimboola – Leopards v Warracknabeal Revengers; Thunderbirds v Kaniva Women; Rangers v Kaniva Cobras.

September 7th – Semi Finals

September 14th – Preliminary Finals

September 21st – Grand Finals (hosted by Warracknabeal)

## **Senior Vote Count**

#### **Football and Netball**

When: Sunday, 25th August 2013 11:00am start

If your surname begins with A to M please bring a sweet, N to Z please bring a salad **Meat provided** 

Drink specials available throughout the day

**Trophies presented at "Red Carpet Ball" on** Saturday, 5th October

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## **Sponsors Hop**

**Date:** Saturday, 10th August 2013 **Round 16 vs Ararat** 

Where and Time: Start at club rooms Commercial for tea 6:30pm to 8:30pm Entrée, choice of four mains and desserts

> **RSVP**: **Commercial needs numbers by** Thursday, 8th August for tea

Sign up after training and let Emma and Ash **Dicko know if you are dining** 

### **Netball News**

Congratulations to Kimberly Philip who will this week play her 100th senior grade Club game over at the netball. Kimberly played as a junior and then moved into the senior ranks. After a bit of a break with her kids, Kimmy has been a valuable addition to the C Grade side this year. She mainly has played in goals this season, but can virtually play anywhere and gives her all no matter what. On behalf of all Club members congratulations and thanks for your efforts!

Congratulations also to Tracey Bell who also played her 100th senior grade Club game last Saturday. Tracey came to our Club in 2005 and has played the vast majority of her netball in A Grade. She has had a bit of time off recently with her kids and injury but looks to be on the comeback now. Tracey is currently our A grade coach and is known for being a very competitive netballer. Congratulations Trace and we hope to see a couple more appearances before the end of the season.



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### Look-a-like

No Tiger Tales is complete without a McLeod. We thought there was a stunning similarity between these two pictures:

If you look closely, Grant is even sticking his tongue out.



# **Nhill Tigers Needs You!**

Keeping the Nhill & District Sporting club operational takes a lot of work from a lot of people. There are numerous jobs around the club, large and small, which volunteers undertake each and every week just to make sure we can participate in or spectate our favourite sport. If it was not for the hard work of these people then the club simply wouldn't function. We only need to look at struggling clubs across the Wimmera to realise just how lucky we are.

Therefore, the club is calling on your assistance for 2014. It really is a case of many hands make light work, so if you are able and willing then there is certain to be a job that suits your skillset. This could be having your name on rosters for canteen, the kitchen or the gate. Or it could involve team management, volunteer umpiring, being a trainer or even a committee level position. Any help you can offer, great or small, will always be appreciated.

It's easy to make excuses not to be involved, but giving something back to the club which provides so much to us makes for a far more rewarding experience.

After all, no volunteers means no club!