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TIGERLAND

G'day Tiger Fans, and welcome back here to TIGERLAND. Its been a long time coming but finally we have some local footy games underway to help keep us all a little bit sane on a Saturday. A big thankyou to all those that worked hard behind the scenes to make this happen.

Our junior Tiger cubs have provided us with some entertaining football, moving the ball well from one end of the ground to the other with ease. I recommend if you haven't seen them play yet to get down to one of these home games and throw your support behind the little tackers.

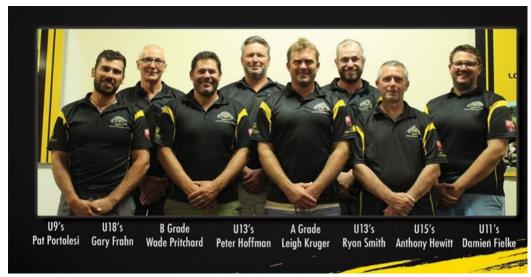
It's somewhat like back to the future with the likes of Blaser, Campbell, Dahiltz, Edwards, Evans, Montgomery, Pontt, Westbrook and Wright all significant Tiger names throughout the history of the Loxton Football Club. The Growler and footy fans in general can only hope and wish the junior committee get some kind of father son game happening in the near future if Covid allows it to happen, it will be awesome viewing.

Join the crew and Jump on Team App if you haven't already done so. It keeps you up to date with all the club news, team news, line ups and lives scores. Anyone can send lives scores at any time during a game or at a quarter time break. Its as simple as sending a text message.

To all the Tiger army and their families out there, stay safe and enjoy the footy with a Bacon and egg breakfast or a steak and onion lunch. Just \$2 admission for ages 16 and over. Go Tigers!

YELLOW & BLACK! (56) The GROWLER

THE 2020 COACHES



Onwards & Upwards by Edwards

It is great to have football back in 2020! With COVID-19 restrictions and the uncertainty surrounding sport and life in general, we were pleased to have all RJFL clubs embrace junior footy and the Riverland Football League support our shortened program.

We also welcome the under 18 boys to the junior banner this year and not miss a year of footy. It has taken a lot of work and negotiation to get the season up and running, but I think we have made the right decision and the boys will benefit from the fitness, the skill development and the social interaction. I am proud of the way the juniors have competed hard and had fun.

Whilst we are pleased to be playing footy and watching some great games, we also need to be mindful that we need to follow the SANFL guidelines regarding COVID-19. Everyone is trying to do the right thing and making a big effort to help, but it is easy to get caught up in the normal game day activities and not follow a few steps.

Please:

- Remember to maintain Social Distance of 1.5m
- Follow markings on seating and when lining up
- Read any signs that are placed around the football ground
- Please do not gather in groups

We look forward to completing Round 1 this weekend against Barmera and I wish the boys all the best. Thank you

Tom Edwards

Loxton Junior Football President

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CURRENT LADDERS

UNDER 13's

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	F	A	%	PTS
1	BERRI	4	4	0	0	224	40	84	8
2	RENMARK	4	3	1	0	184	104	63	6
3	LOXTON	4	2	2	0	172	119	59	4
4	LOX NTH	4	2	2	0	97	130	42	4
5	BARMERA	4	1	3	0	86	187	31	2
6	WAIKEIRE	4	0	4	0	65	248	20	0

UNDER 15's

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	F	A	%	PTS
1	RENMARK	4	4	0	0	247	129	65	8
2	WAIKERIE	4	3	1	0	284	95	74	6
3	LOXTON	4	2	2	0	264	107	71	4
4	BARMERA	4	2	2	0	266	148	64	4
5	LOX NTH	4	1	3	0	149	304	32	2
6	BERRI	4	0	4	0	20	447	4	0

UNDER 18's

POS	TEAM	P	W	L	D	F	A	%	PTS
1	BERRI	3	3	0	0	291	89	76	6
2	LOX NTH	3	2	1	0	247	133	65	4
3	WAIKERIE	3	2	1	0	246	156	61	4
4	RENMARK	3	1	2	0	184	179	50	2
5	LOXTON	4	0	4	0	51	462	9	0
6	BARMERA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Jump No.	Under 13 Loxton	Pos	Jump No.	Under 13 Barmera	
1	Loxton, Rhys	FP	3	E. Johnson	
2	Zdanowicz, Daniel	CHF	4	B. Rashleigh	
3	Duthie, Brok	ı	6	F. Dillon	
4	Tripp, Robert	HBF	8	M. Rashleigh	
5	Edwards, Axel	HBF	12	R. Coppin	
6	Montgomery, Ryder	w	14	J. Johnson	
7	Dahlitz, Jett (C)	С	15	T. Drogemuller	
8	Thompson, Jacob	ı	18	L. McFarlane	
9	Lister-White, William	ı	19	H. Westcott	
10	Evans, Kaiden	RO	23	B. Scordo	
11	Westbrook, Hunter	HFF	24	C. Bantolas E. Carter	
12	Gibbs, Nicholas	HFF	26	A. Chliaris	
13	Perre, Marc-Antoni	FP	27	N. Magiarapis	
14	Marlor, Joshua	RR	29	J. Fridd	
15	Giles, Ayrton	ı	30	C. Vanderwoude	
16	Winter, Mervin	ВР	31	J. Clarke	
17	Rothe, Tallas	ВР	33	D. Marks	
18	Rankine, Cameron	СНВ	34	H. Harris	
19	Sexton, Michael	FB	35	D. Wegener	
20	Vogt, Zavier	ı	36	H. Ness	
21	Pauer, Andre (Francois)	w	37	S. Jericho	
	,		38	W. Marks	
22	Hall, Jesse	FF	39	R. Scordo	
23	Roberts, Ashley	RU	40	M. Richter	



8 M. Rashleigh 39 R. Scordo

Jump No.	Under 15 Loxton	Pos
1	Rudd, Caleb	ВР
2	Bertram, Jack	W
3	Hewitt, Joshua	HFF
4	Campbell, Harley	FP
5	Pontt, Jaykob	I
6	Evans, Jacob	RO
7	Wright, Carter	CHF
8	Huddleston, Zachary	ВР
9	Kennedy, Rogan	С
10	Bertram, Ryan	HBF
13	Perre, Francesco	W
14	Salmon, Brock	I
15	Blaser, Tyson	FB
16	Rothe, Rylan	I
17	Johnston, Sidney	I
18	Westbrook, Reese	FP
19	(P) Singh-Abdulla, Euge	I
20	Joerin, Owen	СНВ
21	Hewitt, Zachary	FF
22	Zdanowicz, Luke	RU
23	(P) Cornelius, Cody	HBF
24	Oates, Jack	RR



PLAYER PROFILES

Name: Nicholas Gibbs

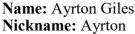
Nickname: Nick

Age: 12

Fav Position: Forward Flank
Fav Team Mate: Tex Eagle
Fav AFL Team: Port Adelaide
Fav SANFL Team: Port Adelaide

Fav Player: Robbie Gray

Why do you love the Loxton Footy Club: I love Loxton



Age: 12

Fav Position: Forward Pocket Fav Team Mate: Robert Tripp Fav AFL Team: Adelaide Crows Fav SANFL Team: no one

Fav Player: Eddie Betts
Why do you love the Loxton Footy Club: It's My hometown

Name: Cameron Rankine

Nickname: Camo

Age: 13

Fav Position: Wing

Fav Team Mate: Kaiden evans Fav AFL Team: Port Adelaide Fav SANFL Team: West Adelaide

Fav Player: Chad Wingard

Why do you love the Loxton Footy Club: Just love the people and playing for

the Tigers







PLAYER PROFILES

Name: Jett Dahlitz Nickname: Hmm God

Age: 12

Fav Position: Midfield

Fav Team Mate: Daniel Zdanowicz Fav AFL Team: Sydney Swans

Fav SANFL Team: Norwood Redlegs

Fav Player: Isaac Heeney

Why do you love the Loxton Footy Club: Because it 10x better than North

Name: Daniel Zdanowicz Nickname: Danielson

Age: 13

Fav Position: Midfield

Fav Team Mate: Jett Dahlitz

Fav AFL Team: Port Adelaide Power Fav SANFL Team: Port Magpies

Fav Player: Charlie Dixon

Why do you love the Loxton Footy Club: Because black and yellow is better

than blue and white

Name: Kaiden Evans Nickname: Squirrel

Age: 13

Fav Position: Midfield

Fav Team Mate: Daniel Zdanowicz

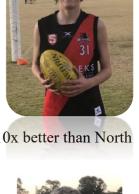
Fav AFL Team: No one

Fav SANFL Team: West Adelaide

Fav Player: Lachie Neale

Why do you love the Loxton Footy Club: Been here for years following in

Dads footsteps







TIGER OF OLD

The Growler caught up with Bill Pontt recently and it is fair to say that he had a fairly successful career as a Loxton Tiger playing in the extraordinary 6 premierships in a row era, spanning over 13 years from 1959 to 1971



Name: William Allen Pontt

Nickname: Pontty, Bill

Number: Mainly # 4 or 5 but just worn what we were given, didn't

really matter as long as it was black and yellow

Career: Played all my juniors at Loxton

Previous position: Ruck, Centre, Forward and a bit of centre half back

Where are you now: I'm living in Quirky! street Loxton

How did you become a Tiger? Born a bred a tiger, A Pontt Tradition!

Did you still follow the club? Not physically, just take a interest in the results before they took the local paper away!

Who were your coaches in your time at Loxton and who do you rate the best? Bernie Stevens, Adrian Jolly, Alan Goldfinch, Peter Mowatt and Wally Dittmar. Alan Goldfinch got the best results out of us all winning 5 premierships, he was a great leader and a tough bastard who was clever enough not to get reported.

Best memories of your time at Tigerland? It's hard to go past the six Premierships in a row and all of the great social evenings we used to have at the Tiger Den.

Best players you have seen at Loxton? Definite standout was Kerry Bomber Hamilton, then Bob Proud, Alan Goldfinch and Dennis Becker was outstanding on his day. There was quite a few others that I could name as well as there was a lot of great players in our sides back then.

What did you think of the split of the two Loxton teams in 1964? Didn't worry us to much. We still won Premierships and they were weak at the time, but on their day they were the only team to beat us. Still don't like them but!

Hardest Opponent? Malcolm Hill, he was big and strong. He broke my nose in a boundary ruck contest one day, I still owe the bastard.

SANFL Footy: I barrack for West Torrens, now the Eagles

AFL Footy: Adelaide Crows

Biggest influence on your career: My Lovely wife Daph. She was Secretary for the Ladies Auxiliary for 9 years. (Probably Alan Goldfinch as well....)

Achievements?

7 x A-Grade Premiership Player 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1970 2 x A-Grade Best & Fairest in 1965 & 1968

A-Grade captain in 1969 v West Adelaide (Murray Wiedemann was the coach of Westies)

10 years playing service

RFL Interleague Captain 1969

Interleague Honours in 1962 & 1963 & 1969

RFL Team of the Century 1909-2009 (Interchange)

The high flying Bill Pontt, taking a couple of hangers.

The other Tigers in the background from left Peter Mowatt, Don Logan and Don Eagle on the right.





FROM THE FOOTY VAULT-10 YEARS AGO

LOXTON NOW ARE A FLAG THREAT Round 13 scores - July 31, 2010 Match Report Loxton v Barmera/Monash

Loxton has emerged as a genuine flag contender after disposing of second-placed Barmera Monash by 25 points at Loxton on Saturday. It is the club's first 'big scalp' this season as they gather momentum leading into the finals.

The first quarter, as expected, was tight and physical as highlighted by the Tiger's Brett Wheeldon's bump on Darren Perry that had the Barmera halfback winded. The Roos dominated their forward inside 50 entries but the Tiger defence, led by centre half back Raphael Liddle, fullback Mark Thiele and high-flying youngster Bradley Kirk stood tall. One of the Whillas Medal favourites, Rhys Mitchell, assisted evergreen Loxton forward Steve Westbrook with a goal. Although Barmera had the wind Loxton played the better football. This was illustrated by a superb gather and handball, almost in one motion, by All-Australian skipper Leigh Kruger to Mitchell for a goal just prior to quarter time. The second quarter began with easy misses respectively by Tiger quick-silvered Brett Manuel and speedster Travis Wilson, who sprayed his kick wide. Wheeldon managed to bend a beauty through the uprights opening up an 11-point lead to the Tigers. Mitchell and the clean-skilled Pete Smith ruled the midfield and defender Pat Portolesi carried the ball out of defence with aplomb for the Tigers. Barmera were 17-points down at half time. The third quarter began with the Roos attacking early but for no reward. Pete Smith's superb sidestep that evaded Smart led to Montgomery's first goal. Both sides had no dominant forwards and turnovers were aplenty in the breezy conditions. A brilliant 'hanger' from Tiger Kirk thrilled the crowd. Montgomery handballed to Kruger for the 'goal of the day'. It put Loxton 28-points clear at three-quarter-time. The last quarter showed some resemblance of Barmera playing like a second-placed team. The brilliant Smith put the game out of reach with his second goal after a brilliant Nick Uren pirouette from trouble enabled him to combine with Kruger. Loxton's stars were Mitchell and Smith as prolific ball winners. Portolesi was terrific in defence as was Kirk, Kurtzer was calm and collected as a defender and Kruger was at his usual creative best.

Loxton	3.1	6.4	9.7	12.10 (82)
Barmera Monash	2.2	3.5	4.9	8.9 (57)

Best: Loxton - R. Mitchell, L. Kruger, P. Smith, P. Portolesi, B. Manuel, B. Kirk. **Goals:** Loxton - A. Montgomery 3, P. Smith 2, S. Westbrook 2, R. Mitchell 2, L. Kruger, N. Uren, B. Wheeldon.

TIGER AUGUST BIRTHDAY LIST

Eric Eagle	1/8/1967	Jett Dahiltz	11/8/2007
Tim In1kster	1/8/1979	John Fisher	14/8/1996
Brett Manuel	1/8/1992	Caderyn Mullins	15/8/2001
Rylan Rothe	1/8/2006	Ben Yeomans	15/8/1991
Michael Reynolds	2/8/1990	Craig Fisher	16/8/1990
A J Redden	2/8/1997	Jack Weatherall	16/8/1990
Anthony Reynolds	2/8/1990	Lewi Cregan	18/8/1996
Travis Thiel	2/8/1997	Jesse Hall	19/8/2008
Levi Turner	6/8/2013	Max Baker	22/8/1995
Matthew Schultz	7/8/1972	Crispinano Mitchell	31/8/2002
Scott McKenzie	8/8/1989	-	

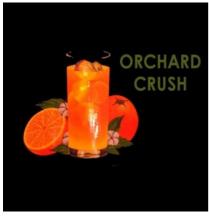
Happy Birthday to all these Tigers on the list. If your name is not on the list and you have an August Birthday please contact The Growler to get it added.

Tracey will be in the clubrooms again for merchandise sales.
Rugby jumpers have arrived along with our beanies.

See Tracey if you need a hoodie or Beanie.....
get your YELLOW and BLACK on!









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MOST GAMES

148	MARK THIELE
127	CRAIG FISHER

- 115 MICHAEL KIRK
- 104 NICK UREN 93 KALE SMITH
- 90 RAPH LIDDLE
- BRYCE FREUNDT
- 83 LEIGH KRUGER 80 Nathan Flight
- 66 BROK SCHUBERT

MOST GOALS

- RYAN NICKOLLS
- 128 NATHAN FLIGHT 124 Raph Liddle
- 102 NICK UREN
- 95 JAMAHL LIDDLE
- 95 PETE SMITH 77 Brok Schuber
- 73 BRAD YEOMANS
- 57 ASH MONTGOMER
- 56 BEN GORDON
- 46 LUKE PONTT

MOST BEST

- 63 NICK UREN
- 52 MICHAEL KIRK 52 Mark Thiele
- 45 RAPH LIDDLE
- 43 LEIGH KRUGER
- 31 BRAD YEOMANS 27 Pete Smith
- 24 ASH MONTGOMERY
- 23 CRAIG FISHER
- 23 RYAN NICKOLLS
- 23 BEN YEOMANS



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COME DRESSED TO TRAIN

As there are no changeroom facilities available, ensure your child arrives dressed for training



DROP KIDS OF

Where possible, we encourage all parents to drop their kids off to training, and either remain in your car, or return at the end of training



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PROMOTE SAFE HYGIENE

Remind your kids about safe hyglene practices at football including hand sanitiser or washing their hands regularly.



WASH & DISINFECT

Clean, wash and disinfect all footy training gear ofter each training session, including footballs, training clothes and mouth guards.



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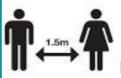
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1.5 Metres





Collsy has come up with a new 'cheeky' COVID-19 greeting since we can't shakes hands, 'Butt'..... I think it 'stinks' and wont catch on.

"It's a good idea to put any 'loose objects' in the boot of the car

GAME CHANGER!



JUST JOKING

Someone called Kruges a cheapskate once.....but he's not buying it!

If the pill had a Macca's logo on it Tex would have been inspired to get closer to the ball and got 35 plus disposals.

Which is bigger, Gonzo's or Bakers.....who NOSE?

I wonder what my parents did to fight the boredom before the internet? I asked my 18 brothers and sisters and they didn't know either.

Axel: Dad can you explain to me what a solar eclipse is....

Tom: No sun.

Eric: "When I die, I'd like to die having sex" Sue replied: "well at least it'll be quick"

Is Buttcheeks one word or should I spread them apart?

My wife said if I don't get off the computer she would slam my head against the keyboard but I really think she was jokinfgwepijae[r] ipvbjqw][wpfg4tjgq2=0340gjDWIPV0GJWjweigv[AWIPVJjvb] [apweiorabq3085uy

Three Adelaide crows fans were bemoaning the sorry state of their football team. "I blame the general manager," said the first fan. "If he signed better players, we'd be a great team." "I blame the players," said the second fan. "If they made more of an effort and kicked straight, we'd score more goals." "I blame my parents," said the third. "If I'd been born in Alberton instead of West Lakes I'd be supporting a decent team."

I asked my Foxtel IQ to record Australia's biggest loser. It linked all the Adelaide Crows games

Kale went in to a pet shop. and said, "Can I buy a goldfish?" The guy said, "Do you want an aquarium?" Kale said, "I don't care what star sign it is."



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