

THE VALLEY AND EAST COAST VOICE

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50cents

Quick apprehension

A burglary and stealing was committed at a St Helens liquor shop where a large amount of alcohol was stolen. This was at about 6.15am last Friday and the offenders were apprehended later the same day with most of the stolen property still in their possession. The responsible persons (not locals) have been charged and will later appear in court.

Vehicles bombing around our area continue to be a problem. There are between three and four cars being driven by youths (most of you should know who they are) which speed, do 'wheelies' and generally cause a nuisance. People who wish to complain about this matter need to take it a little further. This means getting together with your neighbours and making a detailed statement to me about what you see, so that I can initiate court proceedings against offenders.

As the community can appreciate, I am the only officer in the town at the moment, and fortunately for the offenders, I do not work 24 hours a day and 7 days a week. Therefore, I emphasise the fact that the community need to help to police itself by the simple actions as I have already described. If everyone chips in and does their little bit, the offenders in the town will not have a chance.

St Marys Police report.
Luke Rockliffe

Thoughts for Easter

E is for Eggs - a vibrant sign of new life.

A is for Ability - to run, jump, play, embrace a new beginning.

S is for Special - friends and family to share this time with.

T is for Togetherness - of Spirit and love.

E is for Effort - to smile and acknowledge another.

R is for Reflection - on the good we see in others.

At this Easter time may we put in an extra effort to forgive those who may have hurt us. We can forgive and forget (to forgive but forget the hurt, is to remember without malice). Let us share our gifts and enjoy this Easter season.

This is a time for holiday, fun and relaxation for some. It is also a time for reflection for others as another year rolls by.

Perhaps we may hold the thoughts of St Francis as we celebrate this great Season:

'Lord make me an instrument of your peace
Where there is hatred let me bring love
Where there is injury let me bring pardon
Where there is discord let me bring harmony
Where there is error let me bring truth
Where there is sadness let me bring joy'

Easter Blessings to all.

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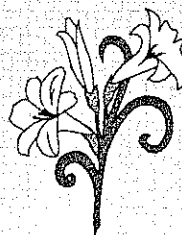
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- Closed Good Friday
- Open Saturday 9am - 11.30am
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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Extraordinary meeting:

The Tasmania Lymphoedema Centre will be holding this meeting in the Nurses Quarters at the St Marys Community Health Centre on Wednesday 18th April at 10am. All members are requested to please try to attend. W.Maher Secretary

St Marys Catholic Parish Easter Ceremonies

Holy Thursday -

Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7.30pm St Marys

Good Friday: 2pm St Marys, 4pm St Helens

Holy Saturday Easter Vigil: 7.30pm St Helens

Easter Sunday: 9am St Marys 3pm Bicheno

BreastScreen Bus in St Marys

Monday April 9th to Friday April 20th

St Marys Community Health Centre

Gardiners Creek Road St Marys

For an appointment: Phone 13 20 50

Free screening mammogram for women 40 plus years.

SMACD Youth Activities Group

Meeting at St Marys Online Access Centre on Monday 23rd April at 7 pm to discuss a BMX bike park proposal.

Stitches Gallery Needlework Exhibition

Saturday 14 to Thursday 19 April 2001

10am till 4pm Memorial Hall St Helens

\$2 Admission : Contact 6376 1528 or 6376 2906

'Fast Brass Blast'

Presented by the Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra at the Portland Memorial Hall St Helens on Friday 27 April at 12.30pm. Door sales available.

St Helens Writers Group

The next monthly meeting will be at St Helens Neighbourhood House, Circassian St on Saturday 28 April, a 12 noon start. \$2 and food to share.

If you are interested in writing, please do come and join us.

Homework: A drama about 'A Bag of Green Apples' written in the past or present tense.

Any queries please ring Sylvia 6376 8249

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on what's happening this week

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Opening hours over Easter are as follows:

Good Friday - Closed

Saturday - Open 8am to 12 noon

Sunday - Closed

Easter Monday - Closed

Tuesday - Business as usual.

Congratulations to Tamieka Davern for winning our Easter Giveaway.

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Happy Birthday

Congratulations and many Birthday Wishes to Miss Linda King who will celebrate her 98th birthday on Thursday 12th April 2001.



BMX Bike Park Update

On the 29th January the St Marys Youth Activities Committee voted to become a sub-committee of SMACD.

SMACD accepted us on the 12th March and we have now become the SMACD Youth Activities Group.

I have sent an expression of interest for funding to the Office of Sport and Recreation and am waiting to hear back from them.

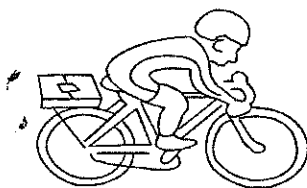
Our bank balance stands at \$200. \$100 of that being for the bike park and the other \$100 being for future youth projects.

There will be a meeting on the 23rd April at the Online Access Centre at 7pm.

This meeting will be to work out details of applying again to the Town Theme Committee for approval for using the land.

Thank you for all those who have come to previous meetings. It would be great to have you all along for this meeting, as it is quite important.

Hannah Rubenach
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Ratepayers to discuss tip closure

A public meeting has been called for Saturday 14th April at the Falmouth Community Centre at 3pm, to discuss the closure of the Falmouth Tip Site. All ratepayers concerned are asked to please attend.

J.Schier Falmouth

Fast Brass Blast

presented by the
Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra



Friday 27 April 12.30pm
Portland Memorial Hall
St Helens

It's fast. It's loud. It's fun and it's educational! Dynamic duo **Robert Jarman** and **John Xintavelonis** present an entertaining introduction to brass instruments with the brass and percussion players of the Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra. The characters Bob and Bach, endeavour to make the largest brass instrument in the world and learn about a range of instruments including trumpet, trombone, french horn, tuba, euphonium and even an alphorn in their quest.

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Know your neighbour .. No 3

Recently spotted sunning itself in a garden along Gray Rd was 'Hypolimnys bolina nerina' - a velvety deep blue-black butterfly with white rippling along the wing margins. The latin name is more attractive than the English appellation of 'Common Eggfly' which downgrades a beautiful insect.

The one in question was a male, identified by the conspicuous white oval spot ringed with rich iridescent blue on the upper side of each wing, with a wing span of about 75mm. The female is bigger with orange patches and white patches of odd shapes and sizes on the upper wing.

The favourite haunts of the male are small sun drenched clearings surrounded by vegetation. It likes to sun itself on a leaf and from time to time take a brisk flight round and round inside a circle of shrubs and then settle again. Exciting, eh?

A delightful creature, it often settles on the head, hand or body of the observer without apparently realising the difference between a human being and a bush, which says something either about the human being or the butterfly.

Anyway, say 'G'day' to 'Hypo' when you see him.

(Acknowledgement to 'Australian Butterflies' by Peter Wilson — not THE Peter Wilson !)

NB

The Queen Victoria Museum in Launceston advises that there is no record of any previous sightings of this butterfly in Tasmania.

(Yet another rare and beautiful wanderer come to settle in St Marys !)

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ANZAC DAY 25 APRIL 2001

We as a nation must keep Anzac Day as the day of commemoration for all those who have served this great nation in time of war and peace and remember those who paid the supreme sacrifice for their country.

Anzac Day Services:

Dawn Service 6am

Day Service 11am

Wreath laying:

If your organisation wishes to lay a wreath please contact Polly McGee 6372 2129.

St Marys Brass Band will again be playing at the service and Band Master Mr Selby Targett will sound the bugle.

All are invited to attend both services.

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St Marys Community Health Centre

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The Centre is closed:
Good Friday 13th April
Saturday 14th & Sunday 15th
Monday 16th & Tuesday 17th

GPs. Hours of On Call:

Dr. Shah on call	Friday 13 th
Dr. Geniola on call	Sat 14 th - Sun 15 th
Dr. Shah on call	Mon 15 th - Tue 17 th
Dr. Shah on call	Sun 21 st - Sun 22 nd

The hours are on our message
bank ph. 63722111.

Dr. Geniola on call Ph: 6374 2288

Dr. Shah on call Ph: 6372 2311

St Helens Hospital 6376 5222

Medical Emergencies Phone:

1800 008 008 or

The Ambulance on: 000

UDRH

(University Division of Rural Health)

Last week another group of medical students stayed with us at the UDRH building on our campus. We thoroughly enjoyed having Mark Wilson, Stratos Roussos, Joshua Power and Prashant Sharma.

They are third year students who researched 'the role of a volunteer ambulance person'. Their paper is to be presented to Associate Professor Judi Walker.

The week prior to that we had a nursing student, Kate, (from NSW) for three days.

We have a comments book in the building - some of the comments we have received include;

'A great place', 'Wonderful, warm & comfortable', 'Convenient & close to all facilities'. (The students travel to St Helens/Bicheno for their research purposes). 'Too good for students'.

This facility has proven to be an asset!

WHAT'S ON AT THE CENTRE?

Apr 9th-20th Breast Screen Bus

18TH APRIL-JOBNET (0930-12200)

**CONSTRUCTION ON THE CHILDCARE CENTRE
WILL COMMENCE -FOR COMPLETION
/OPENING EARLY JUNE.**

Happy Easter Everyone!

ARE YOU A VOLUNTEER?

We would like to know how many volunteers we have on the East Coast area (approx). If you are a volunteer or you run a group of volunteers please phone or fax us at the Community Health Centre and leave your details;

1. Organisation
2. Number of Volunteers
3. Contact Person/Number
4. Location

Please phone Hayley on 6372 2111 or fax the above details to 6372 2559. Thank you for your assistance!

Construction

Well the last official day of construction is
Thursday 12th April.

How do you like the new facility?

Soon the staff will have all the services rearranged into the appropriate rooms. Signage will be put in place, furniture moved (again, I hear them say!) & hopefully within a few more days all services will be operating as we wish & accessible.

Staff advertising & interviews are to follow & once the new staff have been oriented & the unit operating satisfactorily an opening day will be announced. Thankyou to the staff for their ever preparedness to accommodate all the changes & to you the public for your patience.

A meeting of the National Society of Clairvoyants has been cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances.

A little girl came home from her first day at school & her mother asked; 'What did you learn today?'

'Not enough' she said 'They want me to come back tomorrow!'

GARAGE SALE

When: Easter Saturday - Sunday - Monday

Where: Home of Judy Spilsbury
25 Gardiners Creek Road St Marys

Commencing: 9 am each day

Sale items include:

Contents of commercial garage
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And Much Much More !!!!!!!
Well worth a look !!!!!

Another Wonder of the World

Forget the Pyramids, the Taj Mahal, the Great Wall of China or even the Stonehenge.

St Marys now has something to rival all the world's great structures.

What's that you ask. Well we now have an Information/Tourist booth of significance. This marvel of architecture will put us on the map - literally.

It rose firstly like the phoenix with a large round concrete affair coming up from the slab tiles on the corner adjacent to the pub corner like a beacon for all to stand in awe and amazement at. But it wasn't finished spreading it's wings yet.

Then came a box like centre support, obviously an integral part of the design. Some pundits even were heard to say 'That's an impressive dog box but how do they get up there'. Little did they know that in fact it was part of the roof and soon the tentacles of this impressive roof began to stretch in all directions of the compass, engorging itself on the pavers below, like a giant octopus.

As I write, it sits there, still yet to be completed but just as awesome anyway.

Like all marvellous structures people will travel great distances to see it, to touch it and yes even to use it. We are just so lucky to have it, aren't we, and for only around \$12,000 I think was quoted. Real value for money I'm sure you will all agree. Thanks to the powers that be for it, we will all be indebted to you for ever more.

Rod McGiveron

The Second Army

The brave, enduring allies
Fought with courage and with might
They drove the war to victory
But they weren't alone in the fight

A second army fought that war
If not in a material way
This army gave them strength
Stopped them from giving way

A silent, shadow army
Was fighting on our side
The army of the fallen;
All those brave men who died

For the sake of a life they loved
These men gave their all
As they knew they might have to
When they heard the battle's call

But they knew this sacrifice
Could not be made for free
Thousands paid the price
For our sweet victory

But their spirit kept on living
For the men who carried on
And helped them through the darkest times
When hope was almost gone

So everyone remember
The price for you was paid
And we must make it worthwhile
Remember them on Anzac Day

Leisha Fuller Grade 9 Clarence High

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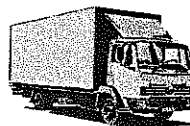
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SATURDAY 14th APRIL

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7pm - 9pm

FAIR NEWS:

We were extremely lucky to have such a beautiful day for our School Fair. The Parents and Friends Association would sincerely like to thank all sponsors, volunteers, students and parents for their donations and help. The total amount raised was approximately \$5,500, we should have an exact amount in the next week or so, after we have accounted for all our costs.

Organising a fair is a huge task and no doubt there were a few hiccups. However, it is all experience and already we have noted a few changes for our next Fair. We are open to suggestions, so please come to a meeting if you have any ideas which you think could be of benefit.

We were unable to have the motor bike rides previously advertised due to problems with Public Liability Insurance. This was a big disappointment as the motorbikes were really popular with the children. The committee decided not to have the jumping castle or other such rides at this fair, as we only receive a small donation or percentage of the profits and these attractions take a large amount of money away from the school. Kristen Kelly came up with the idea of "Game Zone", which was a great hit with the children, this way they had fun and we were able to keep the profits in the school.

At a later date, which will be advertised, the P&F will have a meeting to discuss ideas on how the money can be spent. All parents and teachers are invited to attend. One of our first priorities is to get some sort of permanent shade area at the pool, some suggestions or ideas would be greatly appreciated.

The Parents & Friends Association along with teaching staff were very impressed with the behaviour of the children on the day. Without the support of parents and the community, our fair would not have been such a huge success.

Thank you.

ST MARYS PARENTS & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION

PRIZEWINNERS

WOOD RAFFLE EASTER RAFFLE SECOND PRIZE

Wendy Maher
Stuart Wright
Tiani Hayes

KARAOKE

1st Rebecca Cooke & Charlene Suter
2nd Alex Douglas, Kaylee Nash, Jacqui Evelyn
3rd Megan Kschammer

DINNER FOR 2 AT THE GREEN PEACOCK

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EASTLINES GIFT VOUCHER

M Lohrey

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No 25	J Claridge
Draw A	No 38 J Lynch
Draw B	No 98 M Mumford
Draw C	No 33 N Denholm
Draw D	No 35 T Blake
Draw E	No 55 School

TEDDY BEAR COMPETITION

Biggest	Jacob Spilsbury
Oldest	Rachel Lewis
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Fattest	Bronwyn Fidler
Most Loved	Jemma Davern
Best Dressed	Belinda Cox
Smallest	Jenna Goss

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Elizabeth Death
John Marshall

A sincere thank you to those who volunteered their help on the day, who cooked or donated items for the fair or who helped in any way.

Thanks

K-2 SPLASH DAY

A very successful 'mini' swimming carnival was held for the kinder to grade two students on Tuesday March 21, with lots of emphasis placed on participation and having fun! A selection of 'events' was offered like: Treasure Hunt, Cork Collecting, Car Driving, Mr Crocodile, Kickboard races, Dog Paddle race, Horse and Bike Races on the noodles, magic Bucket tag game. Many thanks to the Primary SRC and House Captains and a selection of grade 8 students who were a tremendous. Help on the day by assisting in setting up and packing away equipment, giving out ribbons and stickers, getting in the pool with the students. Well done to the Carnival organiser Mrs Kelly and her helper Mrs Miles!



Jake Pederson, Samuel Neighbour and Indi Douglas in P/1

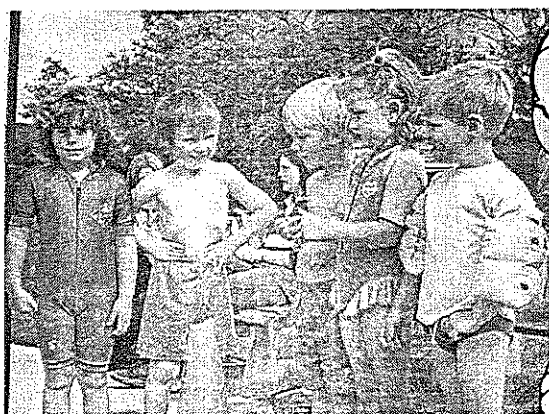


Bonnie Panoff (Kinder) riding her noodle horse



Isabella Bean - Kinder

Toby Micek from grade 1/2 Jillett



Keen to get in - Taylor Bouvy, Tane Gray, Christopher Ennis, Talitha Sharman and Joshua McDiarmid



From the Prep/1 classes:
Jasbir Shah, Charlee Marshall, Keirra Gavaghan, Brodie Barnes and Nicholas Kringle



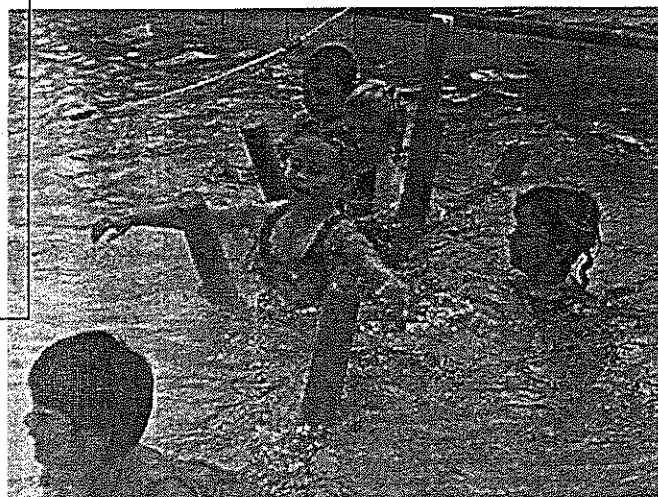
In our last Newsletter the Grade 3 Boys Runner up was incorrectly named.

The Grade 3 boys results were:

Champ: Bryn Norton
R'up: Joshua Hayes.

Well Done Joshua!

Tyler Pitstock from 1/2 Jillett



Winner v's Loser

The Winner - is always part of the answer

The Loser - is always part of the problem

The Winner - always has a program

The Loser - always has an excuse

The Winner - says 'Let me do that for you'

The Loser - says 'That's not my job'

The Winner - sees an answer for every problem

The Loser - sees a problem for every answer

The Winner - sees a green near every sand trap

The Loser - sees 2 or 3 sand traps near every green

The Winner - says 'It may be difficult but it's possible'

The Loser - says 'It may be possible but it's too difficult'

Which person are you ?

Meals on Wheels

April	St Marys	Fingal
Mon. 16th	Debbie Barnes	Joan Lowe
Tues. 17th	Rhonda Cranch	Christine Woods
Wed. 18th	Pam Jones	Shirleen Woods
Thurs 19th	Jean Schier	Jan Marshall
Fri. 20th	Clive Berwick	Malcolm Saunders
Mon. 23rd	Barbara Mitchell	Jack Miller
Tues. 24th	Ann Birrell	Raylene Hall
Wed. 25th	Ruth Aulich	Cheryl Rankin
Thurs. 26th	Debbie Barnes	Rhonda Hoskinson
Fri. 27th	Shirley Britton	Robyn Miller

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Priest: Father Bill Egan

Fingal

Every Friday Mass 10am

St Marys

Every Sunday Mass 9am

Bicheno

Every Sunday Mass 3pm

St Helens

Every Saturday

Vigil Mass 6pm

Mangana

2nd Sunday 11am

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Avoca 11.30am

Fingal 2.00pm

Mathinna Monday 10am

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St Marys Tennis Club News

Our Club Championships Finals were held on 31st March and 1st April. Results are as follows

	RUNNER UP	WINNER
Ladies Singles	Renee Lynch	Francine Lowe
Mens Singles	Randal Faulkner	Mark Oliver
Ladies Doubles	Vanessa Spilsbury & Annette Davey	Tracy Bean & Judine Lynch
Mens Doubles	Chris Gunson & John Miles	Mark Oliver & Bruce Nailer
Mixed Doubles	Michelle Loane & Mark Oliver	Deborah Dawson & Randal Faulkner

- ♦ Easter Raffle: Just a reminder that raffle books are to be returned to Susan Miles. Raffle will be drawn on April 12th. Tickets may still be purchased from the St Marys Newsagency and individual club members.
- ♦ The next General Meeting will be held on Thursday April 26th at 7.30pm

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Sports Centre News

by Kackhander

Work on Green going well

Firstly to bowls and a very special tribute to two real goers in Peter Davern and Dougie Barnes. These two blokes in the past couple of weeks deserve special mention because of their efforts, not only with the new ditch wall but also with the re-sanding and top dressing of the green after the week of rain caused all sorts of problems with the initial work. They made several trips to the coast to collect more sand and have spent heaps of time at the club working. It is fantastic to see, thanks Pete and Dougie.

Also thanks to Chris, Coxy, Tracker, Trev, Brent Johnson, John McDonald, Macca, Clive, Paul Davern and anyone else who has helped so far. There is still a massive amount of work to do over the winter and a few more working bees will be needed to have the green ready for October and our host year, so please try and help out if and when you can.

Tony Blake wants all bowlers to know to come along to the Best and Fairest Count and Trophy Presentation day on Saturday April 21st. A game of golf will be part of the day as will a big barbeque lunch. See the clubhouse and notices for further information. Should be a great day.

To Golf and thanks largely to Umesh Pratap's kind donation of a golf day, it was great to see a field of 23 play last Saturday. That was absolutely brilliant and hopefully it will be the commencement of better things to come. The winter calendar will have all the favourite events of course but also a few new events will be tried and hopefully everyone will come and have a go. Pennant starts on April 22nd. We still need more players to put their name down and nominate officials if they wish.

In the past week we lost one of our true great friends in Peter Lohrey. 'Truck' was a magnificent member and supporter of the club and together with Wonbat Wilson ran some very very special Australia Day tournaments for us in the 80's and 90's. That was only the tip of the iceberg really but to Janette and family, our thoughts are with you. Pete will be still watching out for all upstairs and watching the Saints no doubt.

Anyway until next time, good hitting and rolling.

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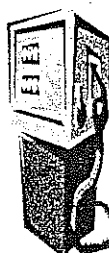
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ST MARYS FOOTY NEWS

Old Tige is still working away, it took a few phone calls and faxes and help from Grant but Old Tige came up with a round up of how the first game of the season at York Park went last Saturday.

It was with mixed feelings that we headed to York Park for the Gala Day last Saturday, firstly we lined up against last years Premiers Campbell Town and secondly we were lining up with 26 players who did not know much about each others games but we were also on the back foot as only a handful of the team would be considered fit enough to run out a full game, the later proving costly at the end of the first match.

New signings for the game included Craig Baldwin, Andrew Pyke, Aaron and Clinton Woods, Justin Cashion, Chris Green and Justin Faulkner, all performing well for the first time.

It is also nice to see the youth stepping in to senior ranks, Andrew, Aaron and Clinton along with Kyle Bean grabbing their opportunities and signalling that they will be hard to dislodge from the Tiger line-up.

To the game itself, the Robins were first on the board in the early stages of the quarter and with a second soon after, the signs looked ominous, but the Tigers steadied and took the lead at the end of the first term. The second quarter was much the same, Campbell Town scoring early goals, but with Paul Barnes shifted on to the Robins big name forward, the goals dried up and again the Tigers chipped and ran the opposition ragged to again be just a goal down at the big break.

Justin Faulkner back after a two year break was finding it hard to break into the game, centre half forward a big ask though in your first game back, Justin settled better when shifted to the wing picking up a few grabs. The third quarter was a dour struggle with just two goals in the match at three quarter time, the Tigers in with a sniff but as stated earlier, fitness was now a major concern with some of the boys lagging badly at the break. There is an old saying 'short players get tired but tall players stay tall', so it was in the last term.

The margin blowing out to 47 points and although one could say that the final score did not do the game justice, you could sense that the final quarter

blow out could only be put to one thing, lack of fitness !

We could have won this game with fitter players, it's as simple as that, Coach Robert Coker had quite a bit to say after the game and whilst some players might not have liked the tongue lashing, he spoke honestly about personal fitness and what is best for this club.

Let's hope there is a lesson learnt and training improves, Launceston boys are training Mondays and Wednesdays at NTCA No 2 ground with the Scottsdale team, so there are no excuses for not being there.

On a bright note there is nothing but improvement in the Tigers, best players Paul Barnes, Craig Baldwin, Aaron Woods, Keith Gillies and Andrew Pyke.

Our next hit out against Old Launcestonians in town on Saturday 21st April with Reserves and Under 16/s.

A bus will be available for all away games, contact Adam Johnson or Glenn McDonald.

Old Tige

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