

"Bay 13" Supporters Group

"Bay 13" Supporters Group has "kicked off" well this season with great support from members of the Taylors Lakes community. The "Bay 13" Supporters Group contributed significantly to the financial support of the Club in 2001 and is intending to improve on that this season. Apart from the thrill of just being a member of the "Bay 13" Supporters Group, there are benefits related to the Group. Each Seniors Home Game will have a roped off area in the Bar with complimentary drinks and snack and on Sponsors Day, "Bay 13" Supporters will have access to the Sponsor's day including Food and Drinks. To be a member of the Group costs \$200 for the Season, or \$10 per game. We wish to boost the numbers from the dedicated group last season to 50 supporters this year. Be in it and help "Bay 13" support our Seniors in a great year. See Bert Richards or John Smith.

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Round 17 Results:

SENIORS:

Taylors Lakes 19.14.128 def Glenroy 7.16.58

Best: R. May, M. Mitsos, N. Allen, W. Mitchell, A. Ceddia, D. Wallace

Goals: N. Allen (5) W. Duggan (4) M. Mitsos (3) S. Rizzo (2) R. May, B. Gatt, P. Rigg, A. Dauti, F. Alducci (1)

With still a slim chance of making the finals, we needed a percentage boosting performance today against Glenroy, who surprisingly had accounted for us when the two sides met earlier this season.

When the game opened up it looked as though history would repeat itself, as our opponents banged on 3 goals before we had the ball in our forward line, however we managed to steady, and trailed by only a few points at quarter time.

In the second term our on ballers started to get on top, which allowed us to go out to a 5 goal margin at half time. This trend continued for the remainder of the game, the final margin being an impressive 70 points.

Best players today were Manny Mitsos, who ran all day and kicked 3 great goals in a match winning performance, Willie Mitchell who rucked tirelessly and is in his best form of the season, and Robbie May and Nathen Allen who controlled play around the ground. Buckets return of 5 goals was a great effort. Bad luck Dipper.

Next week all we can do is go out and have a big win against Craigieburn, and hope other results go our way.

RESERVES

Taylors Lakes 13.15.91 def Glenroy 3.9.27

Best: C. Feeley, J. Burns, B. Stirton, J. Newton

Goals: T. Cumming, C. Feeley (3) S. Parton (2) A. Wheelhouse, K. Donaldson, M. Albani, B. Stirton, J. Burns (1)

After last weeks shocking performance it was great to see

the boys turn things around in their last game of the season, the final winning margin being a comfortable 6 goals. Craig Feeley was best today, as usual showing plenty of endeavour, as did Chooka and Newts, and it was great to see Matt Albani get plenty of the ball in his best game for the year. Well done to Paul Rigg in his first season as a Senior coach, he will feel that the side should have made the finals, however hopefully he will have another go next year, and also to Adam Potter, who ably supported Paul as his assistant during the season.

UNDER 18'S

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Taylors Lakes 7.7.49 lost to Greenvale 15.8.98

Best: D. Crowe, T. Nicholson, M. Cooper, M. Jurcic, D. Bonner, A. Habouchi

Goals: T. Nicholson, D. Sutherland, J. Neilson, P. Brown, D. Jackson, M. Jurcic, C. Hoban (1)

A very disappointing game after the build up we have had. To have no multiple goalkickers and only kicking 7 to 15 after kicking the first 2 goals means Greenvale kicked 15 to our five after the first 5 minutes. We had problems all over the ground and let Greenvale continually make the play and then decide to react instead of being first to the ball and creating opportunities to score goals.

We are playing this week for a spot in the Grand Final and will be doing everything possible to turn things around. Craigieburn are a very good side but if we play as a team and believe in ourselves we can definitely beat them.

Well done to every player on reaching one of our goals—to have a double chance in the finals. Take the opportunity and give everything you have to make this a successful Finals campaign.

We have a busy month coming up on and off the ground. Let's make sure our on the ground activities are the priority-making the off ground activities a lot more enjoyable.

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