Seenyas from "The Stand"

The seniors again proved they are a good team and comfortably defeated Glenroy last weekend. After a sluggish start, you guys got on top of them after half time and powered away to have a very good win. You must stick to your own game plan no matter what situation you are in and eventually you will wear them down with your running game. What you do well you must continue to do and do not change your style of game even though you may be struggling.

Tremendous game by No 12 who had heaps of the ball and does not waste a possession. The captain No 32 must have practiced his kicking for goal and managed to snag 5 or 6. This guy could end up one of the best center half forwards to have ever played at Taylors Lakes. No 2 must inspire all you players with his hardness at the ball and his aggressive tackling. No's 21 and 14 had very good games again and they both provide some hardness at the footy and at the man.

One home and away game to go and a difficult assignment it will be against Craigieburn. They are obviously playing good footy at the moment and you really do need a plan of attack to defeat them. Here are a couple of suggestions from a very keen supporter. Over emphasize your running game by playing on at all costs, do not allow the ball to become stationary at any stage of the game. To achieve this all players must become options by running past for the handball or running hard to space to receive a pass. I've heard your coach say on many occasions, "you must work as hard when you haven't got the ball as you do when you have got the ball ". This will be crucial next week against Craigieburn and just might be the key to success. Working hard when you haven't got the ball creates turnovers as the pressure you apply to the opposition forces an error. Once you gain possession play a game of keepings off with them until you find an avenue of attack.

This year is not over until the fat lady sings and at the moment she is only warming up her vocal cords. As one very astute gentleman once said "You'll never never know if you never have a go".

Till next week, Good Footballing.

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