footy tipping comp

The home straight – Morris leading



One more Round until the end of the Law Society of the NT's AFL footy tipping competition and what a comp it's been.

Hardly ever looking back since the beginning of the season Elizabeth Morris is, after Round 21, the clear leader on 244 points.

However, just four points behind her (that's two winning tips away) is Melanie Little on 240.

Next in line: Lyn Bond, Daynor Trigg and Peter Walker, all on 238.

The rest of the scores are: Chris Chaplin (236), Katrina Budrikis (232), Mark Johnson (230), Kieran Reynolds (228), Donna Dreier (222), Trevor Riley (222), Glen Dooley (220), Jenny Blokland (218), Cassandra Tys (216), Jennie Radtke (214), Glenn Miller (210), Sean Bowden (208), Mick Davis (208), Bill Piper (208), Lorelei Fong Lim (206), Robert Duguid (198), Ian Morris (198), B & L Martin (190), Tony Buckland (186).

The winner of the comp scores \$200, second place gets \$30 and last place returns \$10. In the event of shared placings for first or second, the tipsters involved will go on to tip the finals with point differences the key to winning.

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Prices are \$22 members, \$27.50 non-members, \$5.50 students (all include GST).

The CLEs are presented in Darwin and videoconferenced to Katherine and Alice Springs.

Discovering Democracy workshops

Local legal professionals shared their knowledge on a range of law-related topics with primary and secondary school teachers earlier this month.

It was all part of the Discovering Democracy Project, a Federal Government funded program that was initiated in 1999 by the Commonwealth to promote civics and citizenship educations across all secondary and primary schools in Australia.

The Law Society assisted in coordinating talks by Tom Berkley (Barrister), John Duguid (Police Prosecutions), Sue Kasparek (Anti-Discrimination Commission), Peter Boyce (the Ombudsman), Tony Fitzgerald (Resolve) and Greg MacDonald (Dept of Justice) to the teachers.

Topics ranged from "Refugees and the International Court" to "The Relationship between Parliament, Government and the Law".



Above: Tom Berkley delivers his talk to teachers for Discovering Democracy.