

Footy fever sees comp hit new highs

"Young gun" Booth leads by two points, others a threat



It's tight at top of the ladder in the LSNT's AFL footy tipping competition.

A yo-yo struggle for the lead between Chris Booth (Ward Keller), Graham Chandler (Dept of Chief Minister), Elizabeth Morris (Coroner's office) and Julie McLachlan (NAALAS) has meant there's a lot riding on each and every game in each and every round.

Booth, Chandler and McLachlan are all newcomers to the Society's comp with Morris being last year's winner.

Perfectly tipped rounds have been by: Elizabeth Morris and Sarah Wilkie (Dept of Justice) in Round One; Sean Bowden (Sean Bowden and Associates) in Round Four; Justice Trevor Riley in Round Eight; Julie McLachlan in Round Nine; Magistrate Vince Luppino in Round 10.

After Round 10 the score are (in alphabetical order):

Magistrate Jenny Blokland 73, Lyn Bond (Parliamentary Counsel) 97, Christ Booth 115, Sean Bowden, 97, Peter Boyce (Ombudsman) 85, Katrina Budrikis (Dept of Justice) 111, Jodeen Carney (Member for Araluen) 99, Graham Chandler 113, Chris Chaplin (Ward Keller) 107, Michael Davis (De Silva Hebron) 89, Glen Dooley (Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions) 89, Donna Dreier (Dept of Justice) 103, Robert Duguid (student) 99, Lorelei Fong Lim (ABC) 101, Alex Griffith (Clayton Utz) 107, Caron Henebery (Sean Bowden and Associates) 93, Laura Hopkins (NAALAS) 97, Mark Johnson (Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions) 107, Magistrate Vince Luppino 97, B&L Martin (Chief Justice and wife) 79, Julie McLachlan 113, Melart (NTLAC) 95, Glenn Miller (NAALAS), Elizabeth Morris 113, Ian Morris (Hunt and Hunt) 59, Pipina Papazoglou (De Silva Hebron) 109, Bill Piper (Bill Piper) 87, Karen Randell (Collier and Deane) 75, Justice Trevor Riley 111, Sally Sievers (Cridlands) 111, Magistrate Daynor Trigg 107, Cassandra Tys (Cassandra Tys) 91, Peter Walker (Peter Walker) 97, Sarah Wilkie 83, David Woodroffe (NAALAS) 97.

The saddest score so far has been one point for an entire rounds. And that was only because a point is awarded to everyone when a draw is played. The winner of the comp will walk away with \$245, second place gets \$70 and third place gets \$35.

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