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THE SPORTING RECORDS COLLECTION

Football Clubs, Tasmania
Sporting Clubs, Tasmania

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INTRODUCTION

The collection consists mainly of Northern Tasmanian Football League (NTFL) programs for 1995 to 1999. These programs were compiled and edited by Thomas Gunn, who was general manager of the League from 1995 to 1999. The NTFL came into being at the end of 1986 with the emergence of the Tasmanian [Statewide] Football League. At that time the Northern Tasmanian Football Association and North West Football Union had fallen apart and it was realised that for clubs left outside the statewide competition to survive it was necessary to create a new northern body. After a number of meetings, the clubs remaining from those two old bodies established a new competition and 12 teams competed in 1987.

Other football records in the collection include *Amateur Voice*, the Tasmanian Amateur Football League Northern Division official football record for 1994 and 1995 and the *N.W.F.A. Centurian*, official record of the North Western Football Association (NWFA) for 1995: both publications were edited by Thomas Gunn. The NWFA is the oldest continuous football association in Tasmania, having been founded in 1894.

There are also some items relating to cricket, netball, softball, vigoro, horse-racing, pacing and trotting, with a date range from the 1920s to the 1990s.

The collection was donated to the Queen Victoria Museum and Art Gallery in December 2005, with additional items donated in January 2007, and July 2020 (family of late Peter Curran).

Football Records

1.Northern Tasmanian Football League

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| 1/1 | Northern Tasmanian Football League, programs for round 1 to 21; finals series, 2/3, 9/10, 16, 23 September 1995 | 1995 |
| 1/2 | Programs for round 1 to 18; souvenir STFL v NTFL, 1 June; finals series, 31 August/ 1 September, 7/8, 14, 21 September 1996 | 1996 |
| 1/3 | Programs for round 1 to 20; NTFL v STFL, 7 June; finals series, 30/31 August; 6/7, 13, 20 September 1997 | 1997 |
| 1/4 | Programs for round 1 to 20; final series, 29 August, 5/6, 12, 19 September 1998 | 1998 |
| 1/5 | Programs for round 1, 3, 5-11, 13, 15-18; NTFL v STFL, 5 June; finals series, 11, 18 September 1999 | 1999 |
| 1/6 | Northern Tasmanian Football League Incorporated, 1998-2000
12 th annual report, 1998; 13 th annual report, 1999;
14 th annual report, 2000 | |

2.Tasmanian Amateur Football League Northern Division

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| 2/1 | <i>Amateur Voice</i> , Tasmanian Amateur Football League Northern Division official football record, vol.1, no.1-5; 21-28 May, 11 June- 24 September 1994 | 1994 |
| 2/2 | <i>Amateur Voice</i> , Tasmanian Amateur Football League Northern Division official football record, 1 April- 16 September 1995 | 1995 |

3.North Western Football Association

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| 3/1 | <i>N.W.F.A. Centurian</i> , official record of the North Western Football Association, 1 April- 2 September 1995 | 1995 |
| 3/2 | North Western Football Association Inc., annual dinner program, 1995 | 1995 |

4.North West Umpires Association

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| 4/1 | North West Umpires Association, umpires handbook, | 1995-98 |
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1995, 1996, 1998

5. Miscellaneous Football Programs, Reports & Printed Material

5/1	NTFA (Northern Tasmanian Football Association) annual reports	1946-1986
5/2	Launceston Football Club annual reports, newsletters, Ephemera and correspondence	1953-1987
5/3	North Launceston Football Club annual reports, 1 newsletter, Grand Final breakfast programmes and 1 poster	1958-1999
5/4	City South Football Club annual report	1955
5/5	Programmes for visiting VFL teams to Launceston: Collingwood 2 nd XVIII, October 1948; St. Kilda v. NTFA-NWFU, 1974	1948, 1974
5/6	East Launceston Football Club annual reports and newsletters	1960-1984
5/7	Cornwall Football Club annual report	1949

Cricket Records

6. Tasmanian Cricket League

6/1	Tasmanian Cricket League Inc., players handbooks, 1994-95, 1995-96, 1996-97, 1997-98, 1998-99	1994-99
6/2	Tasmanian Cricket League Incorporated, rules	nd

7. Northern Tasmanian Cricket Association

7/1	Northern Tasmanian Cricket Association, players handbooks 1994-95, 1995-96, 1996-97, 1997, 1998	1994-98
7/2	Launceston Cricket Club annual reports, 1980/81; 1987/87 - 1987/88; 1989/90 - 1993/94; 1997/98	1980-1998

8. Mersey Valley Cricket Association

8/1	Mersey Valley Cricket Association, players handbooks, 1994-95, 1995-96, 1996-97	1994-97
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9. Burnie Cricket League

9/1	Burnie Cricket League Inc., fixtures	1996/97
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10. Leven Cricket Association

10/1 Leven Cricket Association, players handbook 1998

11. Miscellaneous Cricket records

11/1 Miscellaneous programmes of matches played in Tasmania
By touring national teams and invitational teams 1963-1979

Miscellaneous Sporting Records

- 12/1 Miscellaneous netball, softball and vigoro handbooks 1994-1999
handbooks
- 12/2 Miscellaneous horse-racing, pacing and trotting programs; 1926-2003
Harness racing's history, Edition 3-44
- 12/3 Miscellaneous cycling and sports carnivals programs 1931-2007
- 12/4 Other general sport and recreation events: 1941-1962
Sports Gymkhana, Mowbray Racecourse, 19/11/1941;
Royal Hobart Regatta programme, 1962
- 12/5 Bowls: Tasmanian Women's Bowling Association annual 1966-1997
Reports, 1967 - 1994/95; Launceston Railways Bowls Club
Annual reports, 1966/67 - 1996/97; Ephemera; Programme
Of the 31st Australian Bowls Championship, Launceston, 1979

13. Tasmanian Amateur Football League

- 13/1 Tasmanian Amateur Football League, minute book, 1932-41
18 February 1932-12 March 1941
- 13/2 Minute book, 24 September 1945-29 March 1951 1945-51
- 13/3 Tasmanian Amateur Football League programmes 1941

14. Australian Amateur Football Carnivals

14/1 Australian Amateur Football Carnivals, programs, 1936-91
1936, 1938, 1948, 1951, 1953, 1956, 1959, 1962,
1964, 1967, 1970, 1973, 1976, 1979, 1982, 1985,
1986, 1988, 1991

15. Correspondence

15/1 Letter to Peter Curran from Westbury Football Club 1963
13 March 1963

16. Northern Tasmanian Alpine Club

16/1	Correspondence, circulars, etc.	1931-1932
16/2	Correspondence, circulars, etc.	1933-1934
16/3	Correspondence, circulars, etc.	1935-1936

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