

Tiger-Turf

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Ray Paynting's Inverloch Team Song , to the tune of Richmond's theme song "Oh, we're from Tigerland" was a hit with Inverloch's Division One premiership team, and was sung with much vigour (not so much melody) at the after-game celebrations.

The following masterpiece can be sung to the same tune, but is more suited to the matches we lose, and when we need to recruit new members and do a bit of self-promotion.

**Oh - we've got TI - GER-TURF
We're not just sand and surf
We have TI - GER TURF
In any weather you can play and win,
You'll never need to pull the pin
When the weather's closing in;
At this club by sea and surf,
We have a new synthetic,
The pace can be frenetic,
You can't be apathetic,
We've got TI - GER,
That's T - I - G - E - R
We've got
TI - GER TURF.**

**We had greens of reee-al grass,
But they were second-class,
They were a baaas - ket case,
So we laid plastic in their place,
It costs a fortune to replace,
Now we have Ti - ger Turf,
It's the greatest fing on earf
That's Tiger, T-I-G-E-R
TI-GER
TURF**

**If you think that tiger runs too fast
And your bowls will run on past
Don't look so aghast
Because we have NEE - DLE PUNCH,
Down there on Number Two,
It's preferred by quite a few,**

**The choice is up to you:
Yes - we have NEE - DLE Punch,
So come on down and bring your lunch.
And try our Needle - Punch:
That's Nee – dle,
N-DOUBLE-E-D-L-E
NEED-LE PUNCH**

**They're both a joy to behold,
So, if you've ever rolled
Come and try our Needle Punch,
We're a friendly bunch,
Who says we're crass and shameless?
Our greens are rightly famous,
So why be shy and nameless?
We've got Needle Punch and Tiger
That famous Invy TIGER
Oh, we've got Ti – ger
That's T - I – G - E - R
TI - GER
TURF!!!!**