

A Service of Thanksgiving for the life of

Horace “Horrie” Vivian Clark



“never give up”

15th April 1925–22nd June 2026

St John’s Anglican Church

Wednesday, 1st July 2026

Celebrant: Ven Kim Hoey

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Ministry of the Word

Psalm 23 (Ven Kim Hoey)

John 11:25-26 / John 14:1,2,6 / 1 Corinthians 15:51,52,54,55

/ Revelation 21:4 read by Malcolm Clark

Homily (Ven Kim Hoey)

Eulogy given by Malcolm Clark

Poem Sonnet for Horace

Thanksgiving Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come;
thy will be done;
in earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Farewell

Committal

Blessing and Dismissal

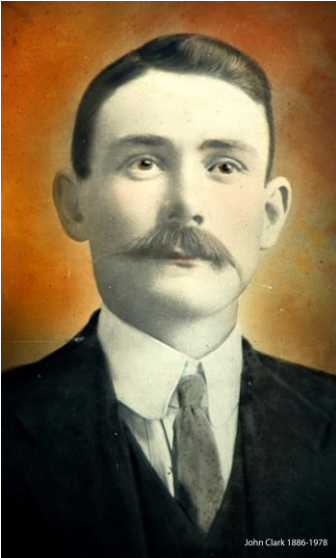


Horace b.1925 – d.2026



Horace and Betty (b.1929–d.2005)

Horace's Parents



John Clark
1886-1978



Margaret Clark, nee Anderson
1887-1965

Horace and Football



Horace Clark, Footballer of the Year 1958 Farrar League, w. Ron Klimph

Mangoplah - 5 straight A&D premierships 1946-1950

This 1950 team – 3 CLARK Brothers – Jock, Horace, George



Horace Clark's Australian Rules exploits with Mangoplah are almost legend. For more than a decade Clark was a standout player for the club. In 1950 Clark helped Mangoplah to an Albury and District League premiership. The team was (from left):

Back; Cec Lawson Les Jerrick, Jock Clark, Ron Smith, Ray Jarick, Horrie Clark.

Centre; Alf Geier, Les Stoll, Ken Lyons, Allan Klimpsch, Jim Doherty, Eric Langfield, George Clark.

Front; Norm Schultz, Harry Mohr, Arthur Roberson, Wally Mohr, Joe Kennedy, Ray Schultz.

(Ref: The Daily Advertiser, Tuesday October 19, 1993)

The Daily Advertiser - Tuesday, October 19, 1993
(Review) Mangoplah maestro - a truly exciting champion.

Mangoplah's Horace "Horrie" Clark had the poise and timing which sets aside that special breed of footballer. Although he played in an era when fabulous talent flourished at Mangoplah, Clark seemingly stands alone as the club's finest Australian football product since the Second World War.

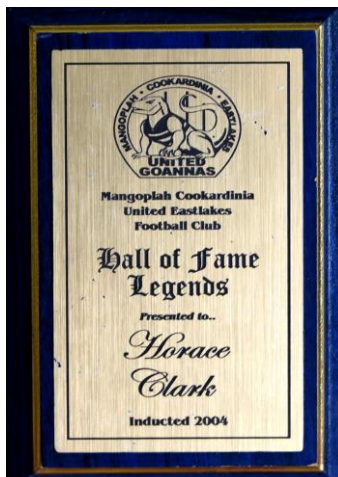
Clark had such an awesome array of football gifts that even some of his staunchest rivals could not fail to acknowledge or praise his ability. Tributes abound to Horrie Clark – some of the most memorable and notable come from players outside of his close-knit club. And they all seem to agree on one thing – Clark would have walked into any VFL side and made an impact in Melbourne had he had the inclination to make the move to Victoria....

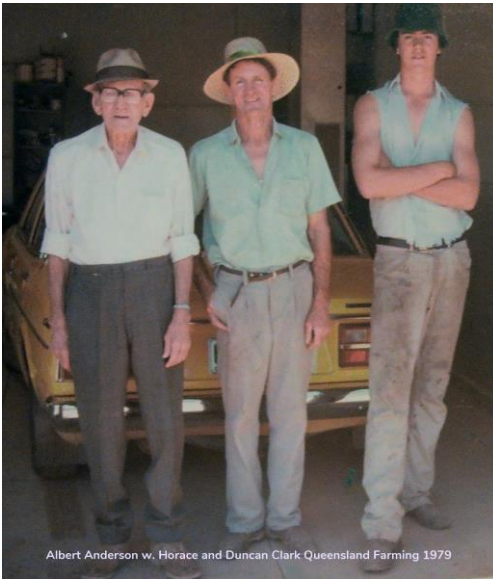
1958 Mangoplah team with Bill Byrne (Horace's brother-in-law and Coach) with Horace and brother George



Horace w. coach & brother-in-law Bill Byrne & brother George - Mangoplah 1958 team

**2004 Hall of Fame Legends award
Horace Clark**





**Albert Anderson, Horace, Duncan
"Ginnibri" Farm, Queensland ~
1979**

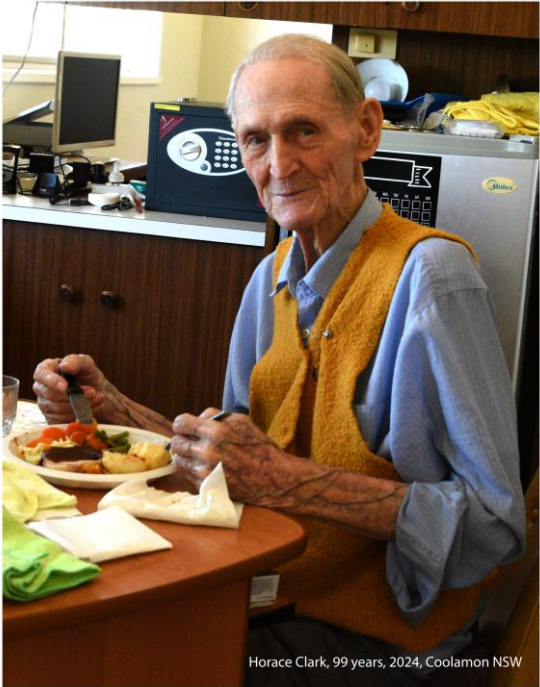


Horace with Malcolm 1984

**Marion Condon (Horace's sister) and Horace at "Ginnibri" Farm,
Queensland ~ 1983**



**Horace, 99 years, still cooking meat & 4 vegetables at home -
2024, Coolamon, NSW**



Birthday 15 April 2025, 100 years of age

