



Dew in seventh heaven

IT HAD to play second fiddle to the AFL grand final but organisers of Slowdown XI were thrilled with Saturday night's exhibition match at Adelaide Oval.

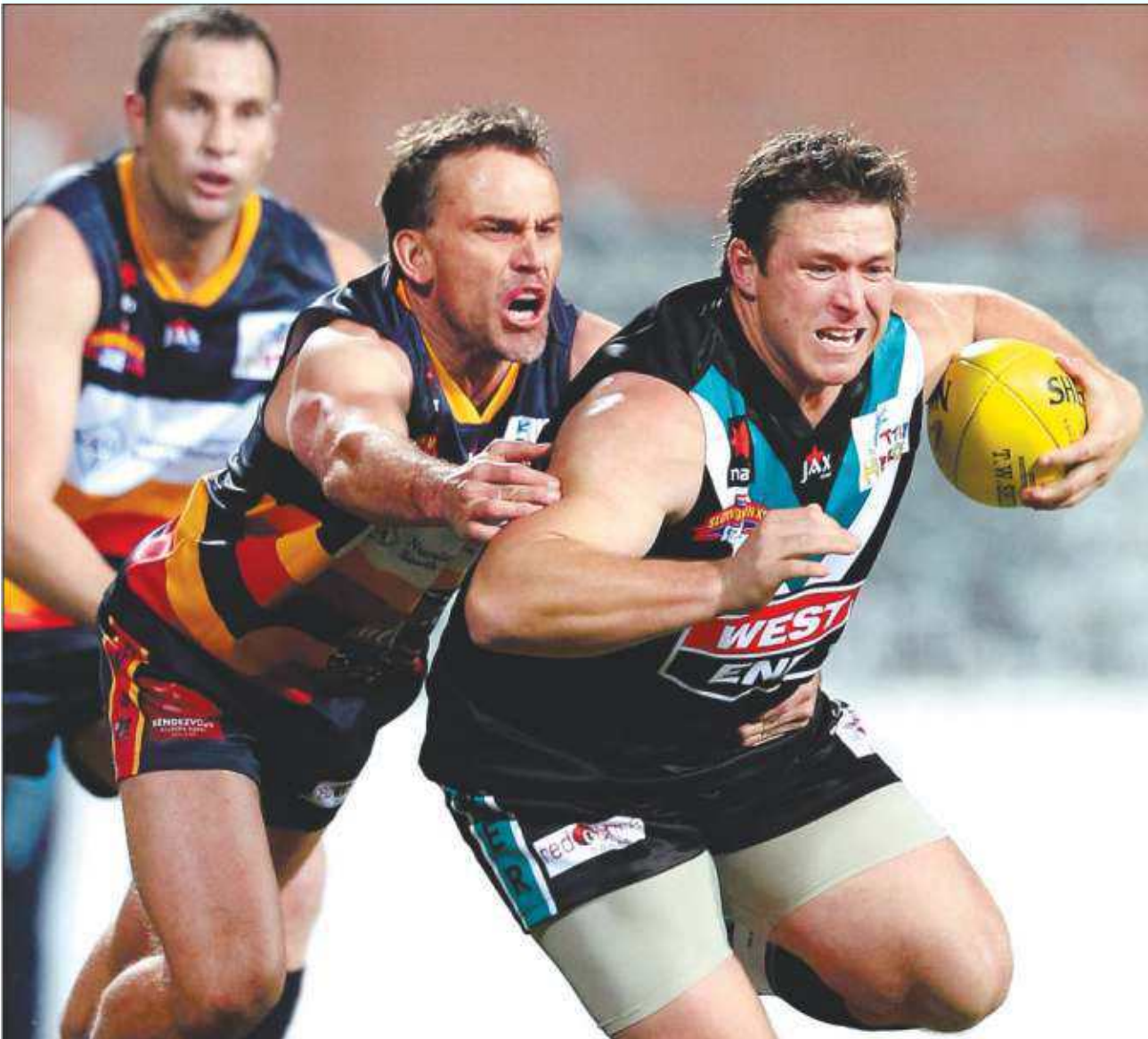
About 7000 people turned out to watch stars of the past - and the future, with Shaun Rehn's teenage son, Tom, making an impressive guest

appearance in Crows colours. Little Heroes Foundation director Chris McDermott said Rehn Jnr "moved well" and hailed the night a success after the Power won by one goal. "Taking into consideration everything else that was happening, it was a perfect night and a great crowd," McDermott said. "Tony

Modra kicked seven goals and the interaction of the players with the crowd was a highlight." There were no injuries from the game but Rodney Maynard was flagging retirement afterwards and Ryan Fitzgerald was reportedly disappointed with his performance, putting his Slowdown career in doubt.

Modra won the medal for best-on-ground but not everyone agreed.

SA Football Hall of Famer Josh Francou said Stuart Dew's seven goals turned the game and he would have been a deserved medallist.



BARGING THROUGH: Port Adelaide's seven-goal star Stuart Dew in the Power's Slowdown win on Saturday. **Picture: SIMON CROSS**