



Read Skye Hennessey's experience attending the 2008 AFL Grand Final (winner of the HORNER Recruitment footy tipping competition).

"Chip (my 84 year old grandpa) and I had such an amazing time - the atmosphere was truly electric.

Chip (a Sydney supporter) was barracking for Geelong and I (a North Melbourne supporter) was barracking for Hawthorn - I always go for the underdog. What a great game!! It was even better because although we were barracking hard, we didn't have that gut wrenching feeling you get when you are supporting your own team.

It was the first Grand Final experience for both of us and it was just magical - better than I would have imagined.

Having a chauffer drive us really added to the experience and it certainly was a great help as it meant that Chip didn't have to walk far. When we left the ground we were horrified that they had closed Brunton Avenue off to traffic (as that is where we had arranged to be picked up). A phone call to our chauffer though was all it took to have it sorted. He said to leave it to him and he passed through all of the police blockages and came straight to us - great service!!!. One of the MCG security staff even got a chair for Chip while we waited (he felt like royalty).

Chip and I shared such a memorable experience. If it wasn't for Horner running the Footy Tipping Competition, and having such an amazing 1st prize, we would not have had this opportunity. For that, I really am so grateful and appreciative - THANKS HORNER!!!

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