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youngster found the illegal gun
in their western Sydney home
of Lalor Park.

"If the authorities had done
their jobs, the little girl would
still have been alive today," Mr
Brown said.

Documents from Katoom-
ba Local Court allege the man,
who cannot be named for legal
reasons, repeatedly abused
caseworkers who were trying
to protect his children.



Liam Moore, Rob McCarthy
and cardiologist Nick Cox.

THE HEART OF THE MATTER

HEARTS were racing across
the nation in last year's AFL
Grand Final, but it was all too
much for one Bulldogs fan
who suffered a cardiac arrest
just before the final siren.

Rob McCarthy, 65, joked
with the woman next to him
that his heart would stop if
his Dogs managed a win.

But it was no laughing
matter when he suddenly
slumped over. Off-duty
paramedic Liam Moore
performed CPR before a

defibrillator arrived — an act
that saved his life.

Once in hospital, he had a
stent inserted in his heart by
cardiologist Dr Nick Cox.

Yesterday, they reunited to
launch the Heart Foundation's
Big Heart Appeal.

The appeal aims to
educate people about cardiac
arrest, which kills more than
10,000 Australians each year.

Mr McCarthy said he
hoped more people would
learn CPR to reduce deaths.

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Hawthorn ruckman Jack
Fitzpatrick suffered a bad
concussion — his ninth —
against Brisbane Lions in
Round 8 in Launceston.
He didn't play another
match. Picture: ROBERT
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