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THURSDAY 25 MAY 2023 7:50PM DOLPHINS v ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA SUNCORP



FRIDAY 26 MAY 2023 8:00PM PARRAMATTA v NORTH QUEENSLAND COMMBANK



SATURDAY 27 MAY 2023 5:30PM WARRIORS v BRISBANE GO MEDIA



7:35PM **SOUTH SYDNEY v CANBERRA** ACCOR



SUNDAY 28 MAY 2023 4:05PM NEWCASTLE v MANLY McDONALD JONES

BYES CANTERBURY, CRONULLA, GOLD COAST, MELBOURNE, PENRITH, SYDNEY, WESTS TIGERS



WEDNESDAY 31 MAY 2023 8:05PM (7:35PM ACST) MEN'S ORIGIN I: NSW v QLD ADELAIDE OVAL

#### We're keeping it simple in 2023!

This year, The Front Row will simply contain the programme for each round. We will occasionally have feature stories, but for now, the focus is fully on this online zine acting as a match companion.

EDS NOTE: Next Thursday's Women's Origin match will feature in next week's edition of The Front Row.

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#### NRL ROUND 13 MEN'S ORIGIN I

- P L U S
- UK SUPER LEAGUE R13 WOMEN'S SUPER LEAGUE R2 CHAMPIONSHIP R12 NSWRL NSW CUP & JERSEY FLEGG R13 MASSEY & SHIELD R10 QRL HOSTPLUS CUP MEN'S R10 H.D. COLTS R6

# NRL 2023 LADDER & LEADERS AFTER ROUND 12

PRE	MIERSHIP LADDER				Home	e						Away								Tota				
Pos	Team		W				А	PD		W					PD		W			В		A	Pts	PD
1.	PENRITH PANTHERS	5	3	2	-	128	51	77	6	4	2	-	136	74	62	11	7	4	-	1	264	125	16	+139
2.	SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS	5	3	2	-	79	84	-5	7	5	2	-	201	102	99	12	8	4	-	-	280	186	16	+94
3.	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	6	3	3	-	156	119	37	5	4	1	-	143	92	51	11	7	4	-	1	299	211	16	+88
4.	BRISBANE BRONCOS	6	3	3	-	138	113	25	6	5	1	-	148	96	52	12	8	4	-	-	286	209	16	+77
5.	MELBOURNE STORM	6	4	2	-	130	112	18	5	3	2	-	100	94	6	11	7	4	-	1	230	206	16	+24
6.	DOLPHINS	6	3	3	-	118	136	-18	5	3	2	-	146	127	19	11	6	5	-	1	264	263	14	+1
7.	WARRIORS	5	3	2	-	64	72	-8	6	3	3	-	140	138	2	11	6	5	-	1	204	210	14	-6
8.	CANBERRA RAIDERS	6	4	2	-	127	177	-50	5	2	3	-	100	107	-7	11	6	5	-	1	227	284	14	-57
9.	MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES	7	3	3	1	145	154	-9	4	2	2	-	88	87	1	11	5	5	1	1	233	241	13	-8
10.	GOLD COAST TITANS	4	3	1	-	110	119	-9	7	2	5	-	148	170	-22	11	5	6	-	1	258	289	12	-31
11.	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	5	4	1	-	101	96	5	6	1	5	-	78	150	-72	11	5	6	-	1	179	246	12	-67
12.	NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	5	3	2	-	139	116	23	6	1	4	1	92	151	-59	11	4	6	1	1	231	267	11	-36
13.	PARRAMATTA EELS	6	3	3	-	144	104	40	6	2	4	-	156	152	4	12	5	7	-	-	300	256	10	+44
14.	NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS	6	4	2	-	137	126	11	6	1	5	-	88	181	-93	12	5	7	-	-	225	307	10	-82
15.	CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS	7	3	4	-	139	195	-56	5	2	3	-	68	105	-37	12	5	7	-	-	207	300	10	-93
16.	WESTS TIGERS	6	2	4	-	144	120	24	5	1	4	-	58	124	-66	11	3	8	-	1	202	244	8	-42
17.	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	5	3	2	-	118	110	8	6	-	6	-	114	167	-53	11	3	8	-	1	232	277	8	-45

#### **TOP TRYSCORERS**

Rank	Player	Team	Р	T
1	Maika SIVO	Parramatta	12	14
2	Campbell GRAHAM	Souths	12	12
	Alofiana KHAN-PEREIRA	Gold Coast	10	12
4	William KENNEDY	Cronulla	11	11
	Ronaldo MULITALO	Cronulla	11	11
	Dominic YOUNG	Newcastle	10	11
7	Jamayne ISAAKO	Dolphins	11	10
	Hamiso TABUAI-FIDOW	Dolphins	11	10
9	Selwyn COBBO	Brisbane	12	9
	Clinton GUTHERSON	Parramatta	12	9
	Latrell MITCHELL	Souths	12	9
12	Tom TRBOJEVIC	Manly	10	8
13	Jake AVERILLO	Canterbury	12	7
	Dylan EDWARDS	Penrith	11	7
	Herbie FARNWORTH	Brisbane	12	7
	Kyle FELDT	North Qld	12	7
	Alex JOHNSTON	Souths	11	7
	Greg MARZHEW	Newcastle	8	7
	Nick MEANEY	Melbourne	10	7
	Phillip SAMI	Gold Coast	11	7
	Kotoni STAGGS	Brisbane	12	7
	Cody WALKER	Souths	12	7

#### **TOP GOALKICKERS**

Rank	Player	Team	P	G	Att	%
1	Tanah BOYD	Gold Coast	11	41	51	80%
	Mitchell MOSES	Parramatta	11	41	53	77%
	Latrell MITCHELL	Souths	12	41	57	72%
4	Jamayne ISAAKO	Dolphins	11	40	51	78%
5	Nathan CLEARY	Penrith	11	39	44	89%
6	Nicho HYNES	Cronulla	8	38	46	83%
7	Valentine HOLMES	North Qld	12	37	45	82%
	Adam REYNOLDS	Brisbane	11	37	51	73%
9	Nick MEANEY	Melbourne	10	34	41	83%
10	Reuben GARRICK	Manly	10	33	41	80%
11	Shaun JOHNSON	Warriors	11	30	39	77%
12	Zac LOMAX	St Geo Illa	9	27	43	63%
13	Jarrod CROKER	Canberra	6	26	31	84%
14	Matt BURTON	Canterbury	12	24	33	73%
15	Lachlan MILLER	Newcastle	11	23	33	70%
16	Sam WALKER	Sydney	6	17	23	74%
17	Brandon WAKEHAM	Wests Tigers	8	15	19	79%
18	Jamal FOGARTY	Canberra	10	12	13	92%
	Joseph SUA'ALI'I	Sydney	11	12	14	86%
	Adam DOUEIHI	Wests Tigers	6	12	16	75%

# STATISTICS PROVIDED BY

#### TOP POINTSCORERS

^ denotes 1 x two point field goal

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# **DOLPHINS** ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA

VENUE	KAYO STADIUM	ADAM GEE	REFEREE
LOCATION	KABI-KABI / REDCLIFFE, QLD	CHRIS SUTTON, TODD SMITH	TOUCH JUDGES
DAY & TIME	THURSDAY 25 MAY 2023   7:50PM AEST	CHRIS BUTLER	NRL BUNKER

FULLBACK WING CENTRE CENTRE WING

**FIVE-EIGHTH** 

HALFBACK FRONT ROW

HOOKER FRONT ROW SECOND ROW

SECOND ROW

**INTERCHANGE** 

**RESERVES** 

COACH

PENALTIES

SCRUMS

6-AGAINS

		Age	Pts	FG	G	T	Р
1	Kodi NIKORIMA	29	8	-	-	2	8
2	Jamayne ISAAKO	27	120	-	40	10	11
3	Euan AITKEN	28	12	-	-	3	11
4	Brenko LEE	27	-	-	-	-	10
5	Tesi NIU	22	16	-	-	4	6
6	Anthony MILFORD	29	-	-	-	-	4
7	Isaiya KATOA	19	4	-	-	1	10
8	Jesse BROMWICH	34	4	-	-	1	9
9	Jeremy MARSHALL-KING	27	4	-	-	1	9
10	Herman ESE'ESE	28	-	-	-	-	7
11	Kenny BROMWICH	31	-	-	-	-	10
12	Connelly LEMUELU	25	16	-	-	4	11
13	Ray STONE	26	-	-	-	-	9
14	Jarrod WALLACE	32	8	-	-	2	9
15	Mark NICHOLLS	33	8	-	-	2	8
16	Mason TEAGUE	20	-	-	-	-	5
17	Valynce TE WHARE	22	8	-	-	2	1
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18	Poasa FAAMAUSILI	27	-	-	-	-	3
19	Kurt DONOGHOE	-	-	-	-	-	7
20	Edrick LEE	30	-	-	-	-	1
21	Jeremiah SIMBIKEN	22	-	-	-	-	-
22	JJ COLLINS	27	-	-	-	-	1

#### Wayne BENNETT

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		Age	Р	T	G	FG
1	Tyrell SLOAN	21	11	4	-	-
2	Mathew FEAGAI	22	11	4	-	
3	Moses SULI	25	11	2	-	-
4	Zac LOMAX	23	9	2	27	-
5	Mikaele RAVALAWA	25	8	6	-	-
6	Talatau AMONE	21	8	-	-	-
7	Jayden SULLIVAN	21	6	3	1	-
8	Francis MOLO	28	6	-	-	-
9	Jacob LIDDLE	26	9	2	-	-
10	Michael MOLO	26	6	-	-	-
11	Jack BIRD	28	10	1	1	-
12	Ben MURDOCH-MASILA	32	10	-	-	-
13	Jack DE BELIN	32	8	1	-	-
14	Moses MBYE	30	10	-	1	-
15	Toby COUCHMAN	19	9	1	-	-
16	Jaiyden HUNT	25	3	-	-	-
17	Josh KERR	27	11	-	-	-
18	Billy BURNS	24	1	-	-	-
19	Max FEAGAI	22	3	1	-	-
20	Zane MUSGROVE	27	4	-	-	-
21	Viliami FIFITA	22	-	-	-	-
22	Paul TURNER	22	-	-	-	-
	Ryan CARR					

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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WATCH	NINE NETWORK, 9NOW, FOX LEAGUE, KAYO SPORTS
LISTEN	ABC SPORT, CHECK GUIDES FOR OTHERS
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#### HEAD TO HEAD: 2023

	TOTAL	DOLPHINS	ST GEO ILLA	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	1	0	1	0
SUNCORP	0	0	0	0

#### LAST MEETING

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2023	Round 5	ST GEO ILLA 38-12	WIN Stadium	16,472

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

١	YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
í	2023	Round 5	ST GEO ILLA 38-12	WIN Stadium	16,472

#### THINGS TO KNOW

- Jamayne ISAAKO is set to play his 100th NRL game
- Mikaele RAVALAWA has 48 NRL tries
- Dragons last 19 games in Queensland has seem them record just 2 wins, the last of which was in Round 1 last year. In those 19 games they have conceded an average of 30 points per game.
- The Dolphins will come into this game with a 5 day turnaround. Just 4 of the last 21 sides that had a 5 day turnaround have won.

#### **FORM - LAST THREE**

	ROUND 10	ROUND 11	ROUND 12
DOLPHINS	CRONULLA W 36-16	BYE	MELBOURNE L 16-24
ST GEO ILLA	WESTS TIGERS L 16-18	NORTH QLD L 22-42	SYDNEY W 24-22

#### **COMING UP - NEXT THREE**

	ROUND 14	ROUND 15	ROUND 16
DOLPHINS	WARRIORS (A)	MANLY (A)	BYE
ST GEO ILLA	PENRITH (A)	SOUTH SYDNEY (H, KOG)	BYE

#### Match stats courtesy of



# THE PREVIEW with Adam HUXTABLE

Dragons Look to Continue Smooth Carr-ride on the Road Against Dolphins

The Dragons, fresh off the hook from having Griffin as their coach, made a statement with a thrilling last second victory over the Roosters last week, while the Dolphins produced yet another second half comeback but ultimately fell short against a Melbourne team that started fast.

These two sides last met in round 5, and it was a blowout win for the Dragons, however Thursday night's clash will be under much different circumstances. The disastrous Anthony Griffin era has finally ended for the red-v, with Ryan Carr no doubt looking to make the most of his opportunity, while the Dolphins have come back to the pack since their 3-1 start but are still vastly exceeding expectations.

Given it is the week before State of Origin, neither side will be at full strength, with arguably the most important spine players from both teams headed into Maroons camp. How the Dolphins and Dragons go about replacing the output of Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow and Ben Hunt respectively will go a long way to determining the outcome of the match, while Tom Gilbert is also going to be missed by the hosts.

What should be of concern to the Dragons is the nature that they let the Roosters back into the contest last week. Up 14-0 with just over 30 minutes to play, the Saints conceded 3 tries in the space of 11 minutes to surrender their lead in a flash.

This issue is amplified by the fact the Dolphins have become known for their second half comebacks in 2023. Their rally from 26-0 down a month ago won't be forgotten anytime soon, while also erasing deficits against the Raiders (twice actually, winning one and losing one). They've also come close to stealing wins with 2nd half surges against the Broncos and Storm.

With no Ben Hunt to steer the ship, the Dragons will have a hard enough time building a lead to begin with, let alone sustaining it against the Dolphins.

WHO TO WATCH: Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow has been one of the Dolphins' best this year and has been deservedly rewarded with a Maroons jumper for his efforts. Stepping in to replace him at fullback this week is none other than Mr Fix-it Kodi Nikorima. Nikorima is primarily a half but started 3 games in the custodian role for the Rabbitohs last season, and with all due there is a reason that number isn't higher. While many of his red-zone attacking skills are transferrable to the number 1 jersey, Nikorima is a liability under the high ball and lacks kick returning ability, averaging just 7.4 metres per run in those aforementioned fullback starts for Souths. If Nikorima can get through the game without making an ill-timed error that puts his side under pressure, it'll be a success.

While Ben Hunt is clearly an irreplaceable player, Dragons fans will see a silver lining to his origin-related absence in that young gun Jayden Sullivan should get a chance to play 80 minutes in the halves for the first time since Round 4. In his magic round return against the Tigers, Sullivan looked like a threat almost every time he had the ball in the opposition half, scoring a superb individual try double that almost saved the game for the Saints. In the two games since, Sullivan was bizarrely benched in the first half by the now departed Griffin and only played a minute role off the bench in the win over Sydney. No-one expects Sullivan to control the game and build constant pressure on the opposition like Ben Hunt would, but he has the talent to make a game-breaking play at any moment from anywhere on the field, and doing so would go a long way to the Dragons causing an upset.

FAVOURITE: The Dolphins are 6-point favourites at the time of writing.

MY TIP: There's no reason this game shouldn't be in the balance with 15 minutes to go. Either side could win, but the home ground advantage and extra experience in key positions makes me lean slightly the way of the Dolphins. Dolphins by 2.

#### 2023 NRL TELSTRA PREMIERSHIP · ROUND 13

# PARRAMATTA<br/>EELSNORTH QUEENSLAND<br/>COWBOYS

VENUE	COMMBANK STADIUM	LIAM KENNEDY	REFEREE
LOCATION	BURRAMATTAGAL / PARRAMATTA, NSW	BELINDA SHARPE, WYATT RAYMOND	TOUCH JUDGES
DAY & TIME	FRIDAY 26 MAY 2023   8:00PM AEST	ASHLEY KLEIN	NRL BUNKER

FULLBACK

WING CENTRE CENTRE WING

**FIVE-EIGHTH** 

HALFBACK FRONT ROW HOOKER FRONT ROW

**SECOND ROW** 

SECOND ROW

**INTERCHANGE** 

RESERVES

**COACH** 

PENALTIES SCRUMS 6-AGAINS

Р	T	G	FG	Pts	Age		
12	9	4		44	28	Clinton GUTHERSON	1
12	14	-	-	56	29	Maika SIVO	2
12	4	-	-	16	21	Will PENISINI	3
8	4	-	-	16	25	Bailey SIMONSSON	4
5	3	-	-	12	21	Sean RUSSELL	5
12	2	-	-	8	23	Dylan BROWN	6
11	4	42	2	100	28	Mitchell MOSES	7
12	-	-	-	-	23	Wiremu GREIG	8
11	1	-	-	4	33	Josh HODGSON	9
9*	1	-	-	4	27	Joe OFAHENGAUE	10
12	3	-	-	12	28	Bryce CARTWRIGHT	11
8	1	-	-	4	23	Matt DOOREY	12
12	1	-	-	4	24	J'maine HOPGOOD	13
						*includes 9 games, 1 try for Wests Tigers	
2	-	-	-	-	26	Ofahiki OGDEN	14
9	1	-	-	4	-	Brendan HANDS	15
-	-	-	-	-	-	Luca MORETTI	16
10	-	-	-	-	30	Makahesi MAKATOA	17
-	-	-	-	-	22	Daejarn ASI	18
5	-	-	-	-	24	Haze DUNSTER	19
-	-	-	-	-	23	Ky RODWELL	20
5	-	-	-	-	26	Jack MURCHIE	21
1	-	-	-	-	25	Isaac LUMELUME	22
						Brad ARTHUR	

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		Age	Р	T	G	FG
1	Scott DRINKWATER	26	9	2	-	-
2	Kyle FELDT	31	12	7	-	-
3	Zac LAYBUTT	20	-	-	-	-
4	Peta HIKU	30	10	-	-	
5	Robert DERBY	21	-	-	-	
6	Ben HAMPTON	34	-	-	-	
7	Chad TOWNSEND	32	12	1	-	1
8	Jordan McLEAN	31	10	-	-	-
9	Reece ROBSON	25	12	2	-	-
10	Coen HESS	27	12	1	-	-
11	Luciano LEILUA	26	1	1	-	
12	Heilum LUKI	22	6	2	-	-
13	Jake GRANVILLE	34	12	-	-	-
14	Jack GOSIEWSKI	29	6	2	-	-
15	Kulikefu FINEFEUIAKI	19	3	-	-	
16	Jamayne TAUNOA-BROWN	26	11	-	-	
17	Griffin NEAME	22	6	-	-	
18	Mitchell DUNN	26	8	-	-	
19	Brendan ELLIOT	29	3	-	-	
20	Sam McINTYRE	25	2*	1	-	
21	Thomas DUFFY	-	-	-	-	
22	Jason TAUMALOLO	30	7	-	-	-
	* includes 2 games, 1 try for Gold Coast					
	Todd PAYTEN					

WATCH	NINE NETWORK, 9NOW, FOX LEAGUE, KAYO SPORTS		
LISTEN ABC SPORT, CHECK GUIDES FOR OTHERS			
ONLINE	LIVE BLOG - LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM		

#### HEAD TO HEAD: 1995 - 2022

	TOTAL	PARRAMATTA	NORTH QLD	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	45	23	21	1
COMMBANK	1	1	0	0

#### LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD	
2019	Round 10	NORTH QLD 17-10	1300SMILES Stadium	12,493	
2020	Round 8	PARRAMATTA 42-4	Bankwest Stadium	6,730	
2021	Round 23	PARRAMATTA 32-16	Cbus Super Stadium	3,013	
2022	Round 8	NORTH QLD 35-4	TIO Stadium, Darwin	10,017	
2022	Prelim Final	PARRAMATTA 24-20	QLD Country Bank	25,372	

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD	
2001	Round 21	PARRAMATTA 62-0	Pirtek Stadium	13,192	
2015	Round 20	NORTH QLD 46-4	1300SMILES Stadium	13,767	

#### THINGS TO KNOW

- CURTAIN RAISER: Parramatta v North Sydney, NSW Cup 5:30pm
- Josh HODGSON is set to play his 150th NRL game
- Ofahiki OGDEN is set to play his 50th NRL game
- Cowboys have conceded 110 points in their last 160 minutes of gametime in Sydney.
- Parramatta have won their last 4 games in Sydney with a combined score of 137-54.
- Eels have 35 wins from 48 games at CommBank (72.9% success)

#### **FORM - LAST THREE**

	ROUND 10	ROUND 11	ROUND 12
PARRAMATTA	GOLD COAST L 24-26	CANBERRA L 18-26	SOUTH SYDNEY W 36-16
NORTH QLD	SYDNEY W 20-6	ST GEO ILLA W 42-22	WESTS TIGERS L 18-66

#### **COMING UP - NEXT THREE**

	ROUND 14	ROUND 15	ROUND 16
PARRAMATTA	BYE	CANTERBURY (A)	MANLY (H)
NORTH QLD	MELBOURNE (H)	BYE	PENRITH (H)

Match stats courtesy of



# THE PREVIEW with Beth NICHOLLS

This Friday the Parramatta Eels play host to the North QLD Cowboys, both of which are missing several players, many due to the upcoming State of Origin Game I.

The Eels are fresh off a red-hot win against the Rabbitohs, where they beat them by a convincing 20-point margin. This marks the 5th win for Parramatta this season, with them having lost all other matches by ten or less points.

On the other side of this match, the Cowboys are coming off one of their worst games to date, where they were decimated by the Wests Tigers in a 66-18 game. Unlike last year, the Cowboys have really struggled this season, with a mix of poor attack and defence time and time again, however despite this they have still managed to string together 5 wins so far.

With Junior Paulo joining the NSW Blues camp, new Parramatta signing Joe Ofahengaue will slot into the starting side in his place. Both Ryan Matterson and Andrew Davey are out of the game due to respective calf and head knock injuries, with Matt Doorey returning to the side alongside Luca Moretti making his NRL debut. Val Holmes, Murray Taulagi, Reuben Cotter and Tom Dearden are all on QLD Maroons honours this round and will be missing out on this important bounce-back clash for the Cowboys. NRL debutants Zac Laybutt and Robert Derby will respectively be playing in place of Holmes and Taulagi, with Ben Hampton slotting in as five-eighth and Jake Granville as lock. Griffin Neame and Jamayne Taunoa-Brown also rejoin the Cowboys bench after suffering injuries.

The Eels and Cowboys sit right next to each other on the ladder, in positions 13th and 14th correspondingly. However, the quality and confidence that these two teams have in comparison is worlds apart.

WHO TO WATCH: Maiko Sivo is a force to be reckoned with, leading the NRL in tries scored, he has already made the total 14, including four doubles and one hat trick. A definite fan favourite, it'll be interesting to see just how many tries he might score against North QLD.

Kyle Feldt is one of the Cowboys most senior and experienced players, however he so far, the teams' top try scorer, totalling 7 so far this season. With a depleted Cowboys side, many of whom are lacking experience, he will be an asset to the side come Friday night.

FAVOURITE: Eels are majorly favoured to add another win to their count at home against the Cowboys.

MY TIP: The Cowboys are struggling in both attack and defence, currently being the worst defensive side in the competition. They are lacking confidence and will be missing several of their key players, I just don't think they have it in them to beat a confident Parramatta side. Eels by 20.

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#### 2023 NRL TELSTRA PREMIERSHIP · ROUND 13

# WARRIORS

### BRISBANE BRONCOS

VENUE	McLEAN PARK	GERARD SUTTON	REFEREE
LOCATION	AOTEAROA / NAPIER, NZ	MICHAEL WISE, ZIGGY PRZEKLASA-ADAMSKI	TOUCH JUDGES
DAY & TIME	SATURDAY 27 MAY 2023   7:30PM NZT   5:30PM AEST	MATT NOYEN	NRL BUNKER

FULLBACK

WING **CENTRE** 

**CENTRE** WING **FIVE-EIGHTH** 

HALFBACK **FRONT ROW** HOOKER **FRONT ROW SECOND ROW SECOND ROW** 

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**INTERCHANGE** 

RESERVES

**COACH** 

		Age	Pts	FG	G	T	Р
	Charnze NICOLL-KLOKSTAD	28	4	-	-	1	9
2	Dallin WATENE-ZELEZNIAK	28	12	-	-	3	5
	Rocco BERRY	21	-	-	-	-	1
	Adam POMPEY	25	8	-	-	2	11
Ę	Marcelo MONTOYA	27	12	-	-	3	11
E	Luke METCALF	24	-	-	-	-	-
	Shaun JOHNSON	32	68	-	30	2	11
8	Addin FONUA-BLAKE	27	20		-	5	11
Ç	Freddy LUSSICK	23			-		6
1(	Bunty AFOA	27	4	-	-	1	11
1	Jackson FORD	25	8		-	2	9
12	Marata NIUKORE	27	4	-	-	1	9
13	Tohu HARRIS	31	-	-	-	-	8
14	Bayley SIRONEN	26	-	-	-	-	8
15	Joshua CURRAN	24	12	-	-	3	9
16	Demitric SIFAKULA	19	-	•	-	•	2
17	Tom ALE	24	-	-	-	-	11
18	Ronald VOLKMAN	21	4	-	-	1	2
2(	Taine TUAUPIKI	24	-	-	-	-	2
2	Ali LEIATAUA	-	-		-		-
22	Kalani GOING	26	-	-	-	-	-
23	Zyon MAIU'U	19	-	-	-	-	-
	Andrew WEBSTER						

	Age	Р	T	G	FG
Tristan SAILOR	24	-	-	-	-
Jesse ARTHARS	25	11	6	-	-
Kotoni STAGGS	24	12	7	-	-
Herbie FARNWORTH	23	12	7	-	-
Deine MARINER	19	-	-	-	-
Ezra MAM	20	11	5	-	-
Adam REYNOLDS	33	11	1	37	3^
Keenan PALASIA	26	8	-	-	-
Billy WALTERS	29	12	1	-	-
Corey JENSEN	29	12	-	-	-
Kurt CAPEWELL	30	12	4	-	-
Jordan RIKI	23	12	4	-	-
Kobe HETHERINGTON	24	6	-	-	-
Cory PAIX	23	12	2	-	-
Xavier WILLISON	20	-	-	-	-
Brendan PIAKURA	21	-	-	-	-
Martin TAUPAU	33	12	-	-	-
Jock MADDEN	23	2	-	-	-
Tyson SMOOTHY	23	-	-	-	-
Delouise HOETER	29	-	-	-	-
Israel LEOTA	-	-	-	-	-
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PENALTIES	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
SCRUMS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
6-AGAINS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

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#### HEAD TO HEAD: 1995 - 2022

	TOTAL	WARRIORS	BRISBANE	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	46	20	25	1
McLEAN PARK	0	0	0	0

#### LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2019	Round 11	BRISBANE 8-2	Mt Smart Stadium	17,495
2019	Round 17	DRAW 18-ALL	Suncorp Stadium	31,018
2020	Round 8	WARRIORS 26-16	Central Coast Stadium	2,513
2021	Round 23	BRISBANE 24-22	Suncorp Stadium	18,252
2022	Round 4	WARRIORS 20-6	Moreton Daily Stadium	9,620

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2013	Round 12	WARRIORS 56-18	Suncorp Stadium	21,259
1995	Round 22	BRISBANE 44-6	QEII Stadium	54,645

#### **THINGS TO KNOW**

- Kotoni STAGGS has 48 NRL goals
- Adam REYNOLDS has 98 goals for Brisbane
- The Warriors have won 54% of all their games played in NZ, compared to 36% success in Australia.
- Since 2019, Brisbane have won just 10 of their 36 games outside of Queensland.

#### FORM - LAST THREE

	ROUND 10	ROUND 11	ROUND 12
WARRIORS	PENRITH L 6-18	CANTERBURY W 24-12	BYE
BRISBANE	MANLY W 32-6	MELBOURNE L 16-24	PENRITH L 4-15

#### **COMING UP - NEXT THREE**

	ROUND 14	ROUND 15	ROUND 16
WARRIORS	DOLPHINS (H)	CANBERRA (A)	BYE
BRISBANE	CRONULLA (A)	NEWCASTLE (H)	BYE

#### Match stats courtesy of



### THE PREVIEW with Rob CROSBY

#### New faces in Napier

A rested and rejuvenated New Zealand Warriors will make their first premiership appearance in Napier against an Origin-depleted Brisbane Broncos on Saturday evening.

Coming into the representative period fresh off a bye and without a single player involved in the interstate series, the New Zealand Warriors will be aiming to capitalise on their weakened opponents in a bid to remain inside the top eight.

Welcoming back Jackson Ford and Demitric Sifakula as part of a reshuffle that sees Wayde Egan and Dylan Walker out of the squad, coach Andrew Webster has named speedster Luke Metcalf to make his club debut at five-eighth after recovering from a hamstring injury sustained during the pre-season.

The Warriors have won five of their past nine Origin-affected matches over the past decade; Saturday will be the first time a pre-Origin fixture has been held in New Zealand since 2017, where the Warriors incidentally defeated the Broncos.

Heading across the Tasman without five of their representative stars, the Brisbane Broncos will be out to halt a poor run of form over the past month.

Losing three of their past four matches, including a 15-4 defeat at the hands of the Panthers last Thursday, coach Kevin Walters has been forced to draw upon his side's depth to cover for Origin quintet Reece Walsh, Selwyn Cobbo, Thomas Flegler, Payne Haas and Patrick Carrigan.

Handing Deine Mariner, Xavier Willison and Brendan Piakura their first starts of the year, along with recalling Keenan Palasia up front, former Dragons utility Tristan Sailor will play his first match in nearly three years at fullback after working his way back from legal issues with Souths Logan over the past 13 months.

Matches between the two sides have been closely fought during the last decade with the Warriors holding a slender advantage of eight wins and a draw from 15 clashes.

WHO TO WATCH: Announcing himself as one of the breakout stars of the trials only to be cruelly cut down by injury, Warriors fans will be salivating at the prospect of seeing Luke Metcalf on the field. Boasting scintillating pace capable of turning a missed tackle into a length-of-the field effort, the 24-year-old utility will become the fourth player to line up alongside Shaun Johnson in the halves this season. Playing seven matches with Cronulla predominantly off the bench over the past two years, expect Metcalf to cause plenty of havoc on Saturday evening.

Making a timely return after missing last week's loss through injury, the Broncos will be relying upon Adam Reynolds to mastermind an upset across the ditch. Producing ten try-assists and eight forced drop-outs in 11 appearances this season, the 32-year-old has been surprisingly off target with a goal kicking rate (73%) well below his career average (82%). Boasting more first grade experience than his entire backline combined, Reynolds will be crucially important if the Broncos are to improve upon their 50% record in pre-Origin matches over the past decade.

FAVOURITE: New Zealand are expected to prevail in the first premiership match held in Napier since Melbourne defeated St George Illawarra in 2015.

MY TIP. While much has been made over who is unavailable for the Broncos, the strike and experience of Staggs, Farnworth, Reynolds, Capewell and Taupau could pave the way for a win against the odds. Broncos by 2.

**CANBERRA** 

RAIDERS

### **SOUTH SYDNEY** RABBITOHS

VENUE	ACCOR STADIUM	GRANT ATKINS	REFEREE
LOCATION	WANGAL / SYDNEY OLYMPIC PARK, NSW	DAVE MUNRO, JON STONE	TOUCH JUDGES
DAY & TIME	SATURDAY 27 MAY 2023   7:35PM AEST	ADAM GEE	NRL BUNKER

FULLBACK

WING **CENTRE CENTRE** WING

**FIVE-EIGHTH** 

HALFBACK **FRONT ROW** 

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RESERVES

**COACH** 

Pts Age		
- 24 Blake TAAFFE	Ē	1
28 28 Alex JOHNSTON	1	2
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48 24 Campbell GRAHAM	1	4
8 28 Taane MILNE	E ;	5
28 33 Cody WALKER	{	6
5 23 Lachlan ILIAS	S	7
- 26 Tevita TATOLA	4	8
4 32 Damien COOK	<	9
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- 31 Michael CHEE-KAM	1 1	11
8 26 Jacob HOST	r <b>1</b>	2
- 28 Liam KNIGHT	Г <b>1</b> ;	3
- 26 Jed CARTWRIGHT	т 1	4
- 21 Tallis DUNCAN	1	15
- 27 Shaq MITCHELL	1	6
- 24 Daniel SULUKA-FIFITA	1	7
- 28 Richard KENNAR	{	8
- 18 Tyrone MUNRO	) 1	9
- 22 Peter MAMOUZELOS	S <b>2</b>	20
8 25 Keaon KOLOAMATANGI	I 2	21
- 24 Dean HAWKINS	S <b>2</b>	22
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		Age	Р	T	G	FG
1	Sebastian KRIS	24	11	3	-	-
2	Albert HOPOATE	22	9	3	-	-
3	Jarrod CROKER	32	6	2	26	-
4	Matthew TIMOKO	23	11	4	-	-
5	Jordan RAPANA	34	7	5	-	-
6	Jack WIGHTON	30	9	4	-	-
7	Jamal FOGARTY	29	10	1	12	1
8	Josh PAPALII	31	8	-	-	-
9	Zac WOOLFORD	27	7	-	-	-
10	Pasami SAULO	25	11	-	-	-
11	Corey HARAWIRA-NAERA	28	8	-	2	-
12	Corey HORSBURGH	25	11	2	-	-
13	Joseph TAPINE	29	10	-	-	-
14	Tom STARLING	25	11	1	-	-
15	Emre GULER	25	11	1	-	-
16	Nick COTRIC	24	3	1	-	-
17	Ata MARIOTA	21	5	1	-	-
18	Hohepa PURU	20	-	-	-	-
19	Danny LEVI	27	4	-	-	-
20	Matt FRAWLEY	28	2	-	-	1
-	Harley SMITH-SHIELDS	23	5	-	-	-
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PENALTIES	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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#### HEAD TO HEAD: 1982 - 2022

	TOTAL	SOUTH SYDNEY	CANBERRA	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	59	24	35	0
ACCOR	10	4	6	0

#### LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2019	Round 10	SOUTH SYDNEY 16-12	GIO Stadium Canberra	16,965
2019	Prelim Final	CANBERRA 16-10	GIO Stadium Canberra	26,567
2020	Round 11	CANBERRA 18-12	GIO Stadium Canberra	1,629
2021	Round 8	SOUTH SYDNEY 34-20	GIO Stadium Canberra	14,260
2022	Round 11	CANBERRA 32-12	Apex Oval, Dubbo	11,124

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
1982	Round 1	SOUTH SYDNEY 37-7	Redfern Oval	6,929
2013	Round 16	SOUTH SYDNEY 32-2	ANZ Stadium	11,167
2016	Round 21	CANBERRA 54-4	ANZ Stadium	10,076

#### **THINGS TO KNOW**

- CURTAIN RAISERS: Canberra v South Sydney Jersey Flegg 3:25pm, NSW Cup 5:10pm
- Jordan RAPANA has 99 NRL tries
- Souths have won 45 of their last 61 games at Accor
- Canberra have won 5 of their last 6 games, but have scored 3 points less than they have conceded.
- Since 2014, Canberra have won 8 of their 12 games against Souths

#### **FORM - LAST THREE**

	ROUND 10	ROUND 11	ROUND 12
SOUTH SYDNEY	MELBOURNE W 28-12	WESTS TIGERS W 20-0	PARRAMATTA L 16-36
CANBERRA	CANTERBURY W 34-30	PARRAMATTA W 26-18	MANLY L 14-42

#### **COMING UP - NEXT THREE**

	ROUND 14	ROUND 15	ROUND 16
SOUTH SYDNEY	GOLD COAST (A)	ST GEO ILLA (A, KOG)	BYE
CANBERRA	WESTS TIGERS (A, CSS)	WARRIORS (H)	BYE

Match stats courtesy of



### THE PREVIEW with LacIhan McINTYRE

Rabbitohs and Raiders raring to recover from wreckage

Sydney Olympic Park provides the backdrop for this Saturday night's clash between the South Sydney Rabbitohs and the Canberra Raiders in round 13. Both teams are coming off shocking performances - and not in a good way, either. They'll both be keen to get their seasons back on track with a win. Canberra will enjoy the advantage of only having one player out due to State of Origin duties - less than their opponents the Rabbitohs.

South Sydney have been shaping not just as premiership contenders, but as premiership favourites, in the early days of NRL 2023. Stringing together an impressive six game long winning streak and beating teams such as Penrith, Brisbane, and Melbourne along the way, Souths won their way into first position on the table. But last weekend they came crashing back down to Earth.

Up against the struggling Parramatta Eels at Moore Park last Friday, the Rabbitohs were expected to sweep the Eels to one side and continue on their winning streak. However, this wasn't to be, with South Sydney falling to a 36-16 defeat in front of over 27,000 fans. They now sit in second on the ladder, behind defending premiers Penrith, and equal on points with a whopping four (yep, you read that right) other teams.

Campbell Graham has been named to play for Souths despite withdrawing from the NSW Blues side with a sternum injury. With Cameron Murray and Latrell Mitchell out on Origin duty, Liam Knight will start at lock, and Blake Taaffe is the fullback.

Canberra have a similar storyline to their opponents heading into this clash. After a shaky start to their campaign, the Raiders got a roll on, winning their way to a five game streak. The streak, defined by a victory over the high-flying Broncos, saw Canberra lifted into the top eight after round 11 for the first time in 2023. However, last week saw their streak grind to a halt.

Raiders played host to Manly in Canberra on Sunday to close out the round. The Sea Eagles had been lacking form, and with Canberra surging up the ladder, the Raiders were expected to win at home. But Manly had come to play, and despite the home team scoring the first try, the Raiders lost 42-14. They now enter round 13 in 8th place on the ladder - although this is only one win away from first place due to a stunningly close competition table.

With Hudson Young called up to Origin, and with Elliott Whitehead suspended, the Raiders forward pack has had to reshuffle a little. Corey Harawira-Naera has been named in the second row, with Joe Tapine shifting to lock, and Pasami Saulo starting in the front row. Nick Cotric looks set to return from injury, being named on the bench, while Zac Woolford claims the number nine jersey, forcing Danny Levi to the reserves.

These two sides have not met at Sydney Olympic Park since 2017, when Canberra triumphed by 14 points.

WHO TO WATCH: Blake Taaffe has found his way back into the NRL fold over the past few weeks for the Rabbitohs. After spending much of season 2023 in NSW Cup, Taaffe has won back a bench spot over the past two rounds, and now with star fullback Mitchell out through higher duties, this is the perfect opportunity for Taaffe to shine. Once touted as Adam Reynolds' replacement at Souths, Taaffe has plenty of talent, but it remains to be seen whether he will be showcasing that in the NRL or in NSW Cup for the remainder of the season, not to mention the years going forward.

Ata Mariota has enjoyed a solid start to his NRL career. The Raiders forward has only a handful of first grade games to his name, and despite suffering an injury set-back earlier in season 2023, Mariota has managed to hold down his spot in the side. The 21 year old Apia-born prop is contracted to Canberra until the end of 2024, and with Hudson Young missing from the side, coach Stuart will be hoping that Mariota can help fill the gap.

FAVOURITE: Somewhat surprisingly, the bookmakers have Canberra as the narrow favourites to get the victory.

MY TIP: Despite Rabbitohs losing some Origin stars, I think they will bounce back into form against the Raiders. South Sydney by 8.

### **NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS**

### **MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES**

VENUE	McDONALD JONES STADIUM	PETER GOUGH	REFEREE
LOCATION	AWABAKAL / NEW LAMBTON, NSW	KASEY BADGER, DARIAN FURNER	TOUCH JUDGES
DAY & TIME	SUNDAY 28 MAY 2023   4:05PM AEST	GRANT ATKINS	NRL BUNKER

Р	T	G	FG	Pts	Age		
6	2	-	-	8	25	Kalyn PONGA	1
10	11	-	-	44	22	Dominic YOUNG	2
10	2	-	-	8	32	Dane GAGAI	3
11	3	-	-	12	22	Bradman BEST	4
8	7	-	-	32	26	Greg MARZHEW	5
9	2	-	1	9	27	Tyson GAMBLE	6
11	-	8	-	16	27	Jackson HASTINGS	7
11	-	-	-	-	27	Daniel SAIFITI	8
11	2	-	-	8	23	Phoenix CROSSLAND	9
11	-	-	-	-	23	Leo THOMPSON	10
4	1	-	-	4	25	Jack JOHNS	11
11	3	-	-	12	29	Lachlan FITZGIBBON	12
3	-	-	-	-	28	Adam ELLIOTT	13
11	2	23	-	54	29	Lachlan MILLER	14
6	-	-	-	-	27	Jacob SAIFITI	15
11	-	-	-	-	27	Jack HETHERINGTON	16
9	1	-	-	4	23	Mat CROKER	17
1	-	-	-	-	23	Dylan LUCAS	18
1	-	-	-	-	24	Enari TUALA	19
5	-	-	-	-	25	Brodie JONES	20
-	-	-	-	-	27	Adam CLUNE	21
6	1	-	-	4	30	Kurt MANN	22

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1	Kaeo WEEKES	21	7	1	-	-	4
2	Jason SAAB	22	7	3	-	-	12
3	Brad PARKER	26	10	3	-	-	12
4	Toluta'u KOULA	21	6	-	-	-	-
5	Reuben GARRICK	26	10	5	33	-	86
6	Josh SCHUSTER	22	4	1	-	-	4
7	Cooper JOHNS	24	7	-	-	-	-
8	Taniela PASEKA	25	11	-	-	-	-
9	Lachlan CROKER	26	10	2	-	-	8
10	Toafofoa SIPLEY	28	3	-	-	-	-
11	Haumole OLAKAU'ATU	24	11	5	-	-	20
12	Samuela FAINU	19	2	-	-	-	-
13	Sean KEPPIE	25	10	1	-	-	4
14	Christian TUIPULOTU	22	5	1	-	-	4
15	Karl LAWTON	27	6	-	-	-	-
16	Ethan BULLEMOR	23	11	-	-	-	-
17	Ben CONDON	22	1	1	-	-	4
18	Morgan BOYLE	26	-	-	-	-	-
19	Jakob ARTHUR	20	1	-	-	-	-
20	Dean MATTERSON	25		-	-	-	-
21	Gordon CHAN KUM TONG	-		-	-	-	-
22	Morgan HARPER	25	5				

#### Anthony SEIBOLD

PENALTIES	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
SCRUMS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
6-AGAINS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

WATCH	NINE NETWORK, 9NOW, FOX LEAGUE, KAYO SPORTS
LISTEN	ABC SPORT, CHECK GUIDES FOR OTHERS
ONLINE	LIVE BLOG - LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM

#### HEAD TO HEAD: 1988 - 2023

	TOTAL	NEWCASTLE	MANLY	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	58	22	35	1
McD. JONES	26	15	11	0

#### LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2019	Round 20	MANLY 30-6	Lottoland	15,012
2020	Round 8	NEWCASTLE 14-12	Lottoland	2,271
2020	Round 14	NEWCASTLE 26-24	McDonald Jones	5,554
2021	Round 12	NEWCASTLE 18-10	McDonald Jones	17,348
2023	Round 5	DRAWN 32-32	Glen Willow, Mudgee	9,024

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2004	Round 16	NEWCASTLE 56-12	EnergyAustralia Stdm.	17,967
2004	Round 23	MANLY 48-10	Brookvale Oval	10,028

#### **THINGS TO KNOW**

- Curtain RAISERS Newcastle v Manly Jersey Flegg 11:30am Newcastle v Blacktown - NSW Cup 1:35pm
- Jackson HASTINGS has 47 NRL goals
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- Manly have won just 5 of their 17 games played in Newcastle since 1998.
- Knights have won 10 of their last 37 games.
- Knights have won 4 of their last 16 games at McDonald Jones.

#### **FORM - LAST THREE**

	ROUND 10	ROUND 11	ROUND 12		
NEWCASTLE	BYE	GOLD COAST W 46-26	CRONULLA L 6-26		
MANLY	BRISBANE L 6-32	CRONULLA L 14-20	CANBERRA W 42-14		

#### **COMING UP - NEXT THREE**

	ROUND 14	ROUND 15	ROUND 16
NEWCASTLE	BYE	BRISBANE (A)	SYDNEY (H)
MANLY	BYE	DOLPHINS (H)	PARRAMATTA (A)

#### Match stats courtesy of



#### THE PREVIEW with Andrew JACKSON

The season may still be early but you get the sense this week's game against Manly is a must-win if Newcastle is serious about making a push towards the top eight.

The Knights will be surprisingly well-stocked this weekend with Kalyn Ponga and Dane Gagai missing out on State of Origin selection.

Instead, Tyson Frizell is the only Newcastle player to be on Origin duty - but that doesn't mean coach Adam O'Brien is just going to sit by idly and hope things suddenly change.

Rather, after last week's heavy 26-6 defeat to Cronulla, O'Brien has swung the axe in a spine shake-up.

Lachie Miller's time in the NRL is up – for now – with Kalyn Ponga moving to fullback and Tyson Gamble joining the starting team to partner Jackson Hastings in the halves.

Elsewhere, Adam Elliott starts at lock with Jack Johns filling in for Frizell in the second row.

As for their opposition this week, the Sea Eagles had a much-needed win over Canberra last Sunday as they prepare to be heavily impacted over the Origin period.

Manly already has enough problems trying to field a fit forward pack, with Josh Aloiai (shoulder), Aaron Woods (thumb), Kelma Tuilagi (facial fracture), Jake Trbojevic (calf) and brother Ben (hamstring) all unavailable this weekend

Now with Tom Trbojevic and Daly Cherry-Evans on Origin debut, the Sea Eagles will field a new-look team for

Sunday's game against the Knights.

New signing Jake Arthur has been included in the 22-man squad but Cooper Johns is given the nod in the halfback jumper while Kaeo Weekes replaces Trbojevic at fullback.

Elsewhere, Toafofoa Sipley starts at prop with Sean Keppie shifting to lock and Samuela Fainu joins the run-on side at second row.

Christian Tuipulotu is the new face on the bench, offering cover for the backline.

WHO TO WATCH: While Ponga is the obvious pick here fresh of being dropped from Queensland's Origin team, this writer is keen to see how Adam Elliott goes after being promoted to the starting team. Elliott had an injury-interrupted start to the season but has started to build up his minutes in recent weeks and could add some much-needed starch and aggression to Newcastle's forward pack. Manly's understrength middles punched above their weight last week but look for Elliott to lead from the front in a much tougher test against a Newcastle side with plenty to prove.

Josh Schuster had his best game of the season last week against Canberra, silencing some of his critics in the process. Speaking to media on Tuesday, Schuster said that it "hurts" every time he reads negative commitments questioning his fitness or commitment to the team. "But you know if you are doing the work behind the scenes you're going to shut them up real quick," Schuster added. Now fitter and more focused than ever before, Schuster recorded three try assists, three linebreak assists and a try in last Sunday's win over Canberra. It was impressive stuff but won't mean much if he can't back it up. Sure, no one is expecting those kinds of numbers without Cherry-Evans and the Trbojevic boys this week. But Manly fans will be wanting to see the same kind of effort and attitude from Schuster irrespective of the scoreline.

FAVOURITE: The Knights are expected to bounce back against an understrength Manly outfit.

MY TIP: Newcastle was dreadful last week but in front of a home crowd and with Ponga and Gagai having a point to prove to selectors, look for the Knights to do this relatively comfortably. Knights by 16.

#### SQUAD UPDATE SAT 4:05PM | LATE MAIL SUN 3:05PM | VISIT LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM FOR UPDATED TEAMLISTS

# NSW QLD

VENUE	ADELAIDE OVAL	ASHLEY KLEIN	REFEREE
LOCATION	KAURNA / ADELAIDE, SA	DREW OULTRAM, PHIL HENDERSON	TOUCH JUDGES
DAY & TIME	WEDNESDAY 31 MAY 2023   7:35PM ACST   8:05PM AEST	GRANT ATKINS	NRL BUNKER

Club	Age				
Sydney	30	James TEDESCO			
Penrith	24	Brian TO'O	2		
South Sydney	25	Latrell MITCHELL	3		
Manly	26	Tom TRBOJEVIC	4		
Canterbury	27	Josh ADDO-CARR	5		
Penrith	26	Jarome LUAI	6		
Penrith	25	Nathan CLEARY	7		
Canterbury	27	Tevita PANGAI JUNIOR	8		
Wests Tigers	30	Apisai KOROISAU	9		
Brisbane	23	Payne HAAS	10		
Newcastle	31	Tyson FRIZELL 11			
Canberra	24	Hudson YOUNG 12			
Penrith	28	Isaah YEO	13		
Parramatta	29	Junior PAULO	14		
South Sydney	25	Cameron MURRAY	15		
Penrith	26	Liam MARTIN	16		
Cronulla	26	Nicho HYNES	17		
Penrith	22	Stephen CRICHTON	18		
Wests Tigers	23	Stefano UTOIKAMANU	19		
		Brad FITTLER			
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			Age	Club
FULLBACK	1	Reece WALSH	20	Brisbane
WING	2	Selwyn COBBO	20	Brisbane
CENTRE	3	Valentine HOLMES	27	North Qld
CENTRE	4	Hamiso TABUAI-FIDOW	21	Dolphins
WING	5	Murray TAULAGI	24	North Qld
FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Cameron MUNSTER	28	Melbourne
HALFBACK	7	Daly CHERRY-EVANS	34	Manly
FRONT ROW	8	Thomas FLEGLER	23	Brisbane
HOOKER	9	Ben HUNT	33	St Geo Illa
FRONT ROW	10	Lindsay COLLINS	27	Sydney
SECOND ROW	11	Tom GILBERT	22	Dolphins
SECOND ROW	12	David FIFITA	23	Gold Coast
LOCK	13	Patrick CARRIGAN	25	Brisbane
INTERCHANGE	14	Harry GRANT	25	Melbourne
	15	Tino FA'ASUAMALEAUI	23	Gold Coast
	16	Reuben COTTER	24	North Qld
	17	Jai ARROW	27	South Sydney
RESERVES	18	Tom DEARDEN	22	North Qld
	19	Christian WELCH	28	Melbourne
COACH		Billy SLATER		
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6-AGAINS	1234	4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16		

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#### HEAD TO HEAD: 1980 - 2022

	TOTAL	NSW	QLD	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	126	57	67	2
ADELAIDE OVAL	1	0	1	0

#### **2022 SERIES**

YEAR	GAME	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2022	Game 1	QUEENSLAND 16-10	Accor Stadium	80,512
2022	Game 2	NEW SOUTH WALES 44-12	Optus Stadium, Perth	59,358
2022	Game 3	QUEENSLAND 22-12	Suncorp Stadium	52,385

Match stats courtesy of

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

YEAR	GAME	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2021	Game 1	NEW SOUTH WALES 50-6	QLD Country Bank	27,533
2015	Game 3	QUEENSLAND 52-6	Suncorp Stadium	52,500

#### **THINGS TO KNOW**

- A crowd of at least 25,062 will bring up 6.2 million in total State of Origin attendances (not including the 4th Origin in 1987 played in the US). The Origin game in Adelaide in 2020 had a crowd of 25,218 during COVID-19 restrictions.
- James Tedesco will become the 12th NSW player to play 20 Origins.
- Josh Addo-Carr needs 1 try to equal the record for most Origin tries for NSW (11 held jointly by Michael O'Connor and another former Blues fullback).
- Nathan Cleary needs 6 points to equal Andrew Johns as the second highest scorer for NSW in Origin; 12 points to become just the second NSW player to reach 100 points in Origin and 41 points to equal Michael O'Connor as the highest pointscorer for NSW in Origin.
- Valentine Holmes needs 14 points to reach 100 in Origin, making him the 3rd QLD Origin player to do so.



# THE PREVIEW with AJ LUCANTONIO

#### Stage set for a vital series

Well, it's back. State of Origin is here everyone and it promises to be quite the series with so many storylines to follow and track. The 2023 State of Origin series gets underway when New South Wales take on Queensland from Adelaide Oval in Adelaide.

New South Wales have had a mixed Origin record of recent times. After winning his first two series in charge, Brad Fittler has only won one subsequent series since and even that was due to their success in the PVL rule changes of 2021. However, the Blues come into this campaign determined to write the wrongs of last year's horror decider with a strong series opener in the city of Churches.

Onto the part of the series that gets everyone talking, and that is team selection. Fittler has gone with an experienced side but some bolters thrown in for good measure. Josh Addo-Carr wins a recall after his surprise omission last year. After a strong performance against Canberra, Tommy Turbo is deemed ready for take-off, as is Panthers half Jarome Luai and Souths gun Latrell Mitchell (the latter missing last year's series). Api Koroisau wins his chance at hooker over Damien Cook. Tevita Pangai Jr makes his Origin debut as he is parachuted straight into the run on team, starting with Payne Haas. Hudson Young and Tyson Frizell are the surprise winners of starting edge spots with Cam Murray and Liam Martin reverting to the bench along with Nicho Hynes and Junior Paulo.

This backline is the exact same as the side that won in 2021, with it's distinctive qualities of having metre eaters out of yardage as well as the flare that can finish off attacking opportunities. NSW fell short in that area hard, Fittler will be hoping a return of continuity will spark the Blues. However, where this side falls short for me, is their forward stocks. The absence of Jake Trbojevic is a big blow after his strong defensive efforts so it's up to the newcomers to capitalise on their opportunities. TPJ is an interesting pick considering his explosive temper, when it's used well he's a game breaker, but if QLD get under his skin, then he might be sitting the game in the sheds. Onto last year's victors in the Sunshine State with Billy Slater returning after a victorious first series as QLD coach. The Maroons have thrived under the radar as the Blues have been overwhelming favourites in the Origin arena, this year is a little difference with a higher expectation on them after last year's shock series victory.

Onto the team selection. Slater has earnt the right to back his judgement in the wake of the series win last year and he's made some big selection calls. Kalyn Ponga and Dane Gagai have been sacrificed for the in-form Reece Walsh and Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow. Ponga's omission was a surprise considering his strong Origin form last year, but after yet another concussion scare on the weekend, Slater is taking no chances. Ben Hunt starts with Harry Grant being the energiser bunny on the bench. Felise Kaufusi's suspension forces a start for Tom Gilbert on the edge which is surprising as he's played in the middle all year for the expansion club, while David Fifita replaces an injured Kurt Capewell. QLD have opted for the power game with Tino, Arrow and Cotter on the bench joining Tom Flegler and Lindsay Collins starting.

Queensland's obvious strength in the forwards is nullified by a perceived weakness in the backs. Their main challenge is keeping Latrell and Tommy at bay for the full 80. There's no doubt that they'll get good consistent early football in the red-zone, so a lot of pressure will be on the QLD edges in defence. Elsewhere, QLD have the strength of having two hookers where the Blues have opted for having Hynes as the Mr Fix It. Grant will be a perfect foil and tire out an already weakened NSW pack.

WHO TO WATCH: Having had to work harder then ever to win his NSW jersey, all pressure is on Penrith's Jarome Luai heading into the Origin opener. Despite a quiet opening to 2023, Luai has bounced back in the last fortnight with match winning efforts against contenders like the Roosters and Broncos. Setting up three tries and scoring one of his own, Luai's slick foot work will create all sorts of problems for QLD's pack of forwards. <u>His combinations from 2021</u> will also be key to watch in this Origin opener.

Turning attention to QLD, the focus is on the man that beat KP for the 1 jumper. Reece Walsh burst out of the gates with a strong start to 2023. Walsh's attacking creativity cannot be understated with 4 tries and 13 try assists. With so much effort needed to stop DCE and Munster, Walsh could slip through the cracks and cause all sorts of problems, like Ponga did in the 2022 series.

FAVOURITE: NSW are slight favourites with the bookies. Last time Origin was in Adelaide, QLD won 18-14.

TIP: I think this one is contrasting fortunes, both sides have clear positional wins over the other. But the side that is most complete and out-performs the other will come out with the victory. Origin has a knack of bringing out the unexpected, so ANYTHING could happen. On the neutral turf of Adelaide, it has the making of a great Origin opener. Heart says NSW, but my head has a narrow QLD victory. QLD by 2.

## **THE WRAP NRL 2023 ROUND 12**

	BRISBANE	4	-	15	PENRITH
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	Selwyn COBBO		T		Nathan CLEARY
					Sunia TURUVA
	Kotoni STAGGS	0/1	G	3/3	Nathan CLEARY
			FG	1	Nathan CLEARY
		TE/	MSHEET	S	
	Reece WALSH	1	FB	1	Dylan EDWARDS
	Jesse ARTHARS	2	W	2	Sunia TURUVA
	Kotoni STAGGS	3	C	3	Tyrone PEACHEY
	Herbie FARNWORTH	4	C	4	Stephen CRICHTON
Suncorp Stadium	Selwyn COBBO	5	W	5	Brian TO'O
Milton, QLD	Ezra MAM	6	FE	6	Jarome LUAI
Yuggera-Turrbal	Jock MADDEN	7	HB	7	Nathan CLEARY (c)
Thu 18 May 7:50PM	Thomas FLEGLER	8	FR	8	Moses LEOTA
Crowd: 33,343 Referee: Adam GEF	Billy WALTERS	9	HK	9	Mitch KENNY
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	Kurt CAPEWELL (c)	11	2R	11	Scott SORENSEN
	Jordan RIKI	12	2R	12	Zac HOSKING
	Patrick CARRIGAN	13	L	13	Isaah YEO
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	Cory PAIX	14	B	14	Soni LUKE
	Corey JENSEN	15	В	15	Lindsay SMITH
	Kobe HETHERINGTON	16	В	16	Liam MARTIN
	Martin TAUPAU	17	В	17	Jaeman SALMON
	Kevin WALTERS		COACH		Ivan CLEARY

#### **PENRITH GET REVENGE IN DEFENSIVE DUEL WITH THE** BRONCOS

The Penrith Panthers have avenged their Round 1 defeat to Brisbane downing the Broncos 15-4 in a game overshadowed by Bunker drama at Suncorp Stadium.

This was a match that gave us an early glimpse of what we could see come September. Both sides had plenty of early scoring opportunities, but it was the Panthers that drew first blood after a tense opening ten minutes.

Jarome Luai could get on the outside of the defence and found Sunia Turuva. There was a hint of a double movement, but the try was given to the in-form Fijian flyer. Nathan Cleary converted from the sideline to give Penrith an early 6-0 lead.

Six minutes later, the Panthers thought they had their second try of the contest. Cleary broke through and found Moses Leota, but the big forward was laissez-faire and was dislodged of possession by Kurt Capewell, Fortunately, Penrith was able to get some points for their sustained control down the other end when Cleary knocked over a penalty goal for an 8-0 cushion

It's arguable the Panthers could've led by more at the break with two tries revoked from the Bunker. The first was the most controversial, with replays showing the slightest knockons from Scott Sorensen. The second was more clear cut, with Zac Hosking ruled to have knocked on in the contest denying Stephen Crichton's try. Brisbane's defence was on full display as it was only an 8-0 margin at the change of ends.

To start the second half, the script began the very same way the first half ended. Penrith were able to capitalise and get their second try. Crichton went close on the play before, however, Cleary threw a dummy and went straight through Riki and Taupau to get their second and open up a three-possession lead.

Brisbane were able to work their way back into the game and five minutes later they thought they had their first try. There was some Penrith defence who just stopped in the line and allowed Madden to go through and link up with Walsh to score. However, the Bunker intervened when they spotted a knock-on

However, five minutes later the Broncos got their reward. A clever cross-field grubber from Reece Walsh found Selwyn Cobbo and the flying winger got his side on the board. However, the Bunker was again in the spotlight for all the wrong reasons. Kotoni Staggs thought he got his side to within four points when he crossed. The Bunker initially cleared interference before Adam Gee intervened and told Ashlev Klein "It doesn't look right to me, Ash." That intervention gave Klein a second look and overturned his initial call of interference and enraged the Suncorp Stadium crowd.

The rest of the second half was a slugfest with Penrith dominating possession down the other end of the field and doing enough to win the match. Cleary knocked over a disrespectful field goal at the end of the game to seal a 15-4 verdict.

Penrith wasn't at their best and had several tries taken off the board, but they dug deep for each other and earnt a vital win before their Origin bye week. For the Broncos, their attack missed Adam Reynolds significantly, and although Jock Madden tried his heart out, the difference was clear without their general controlling the show.

LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM PLAYERS OF THE MATCH:

3 points - Nathan Cleary 2 points - Isaah Yeo 1 noints - Herhie Farnworth

Match updated and wrap written by AJ LUCANTONIO

### **NRL MATCH REVIEW & JUDICIARY** ROUND 12

Player	Club	Grade	Charge	Base	Offence #	Guilty	Early plea	Plea	Result
Martin TAUPAU	Brisbane	1	Careless High Tackle	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Jarome LUAI	Penrith	1	Contrary Conduct	\$1500	2nd	\$2500	\$1800	Guilty - early plea	\$1800
Victor RADLEY	Sydney	1	Striking	\$2000	3rd+	4 matches	3 matches	Guilty - early plea	3 matches
Felise KAUFUSI	Dolphins	2	Careless High Tackle	2 matches	3rd+	4 matches	3 matches	Guilty - early plea	3 matches
Kenny BROMWICH	Dolphins	1	Contrary Conduct	\$1500	2nd	\$2500	\$1800	Guilty - early plea	\$1800
Tino FA'ASUAMALEAUI	Gold Coast	1	Dangerous Contact	\$1500	2nd	\$2500	\$1800	Guilty - early plea	\$1800
Elliott WHITEHEAD	Canberra	1	Dangerous Contact	\$1500	3rd+	2 matches	\$3000	No contest	2 matches
	CdIDCIId	1	Careless High Tackle	\$1500	3rd+	2 matches	\$3000	Guilty - early plea	\$3000

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# Offences counted for the previous twelve months. ^ denotes 3 year incident free discount



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	Mathew FEAGAI		T	2	Luke KEARY		
	Ben HUNT			2	James TEDESCO		
	Jaydn SU'A						
	Moses SULI						
	Zac LOMAX	4/5	G	3/4	Joseph SUA'ALI'I		
	TEAMSHEETS						
	Tyrell SLOAN	1	FB	1	James TEDESCO (c)		
	Mathew FEAGAI	2	W	2	Corey ALLAN		
	Moses SULI	3	C	3	Joseph SUA'ALI'I		
lee	Zac LOMAX	4	C	4	Billy SMITH		
ton NSW	Mikaele RAVALAWA	5	W	5	Jaxson PAULO		
	Talatau AMONE	6	FE	6	Luke KEARY		
IOPM	Ben HUNT (c)	7	HB	7	Drew HUTCHISON		
GOUGH	Jack DE BELIN	8	FR	17	Matt LODGE		
	Jacob LIDDLE	9	HK	14	Jake TURPIN		
	Blake LAWRIE	10	FR	10	Lindsay COLLINS		
	Ben MURDOCH-MASILA	16	2R	11	Egan BUTCHER		
	Jaydn SU'A	12	2R	12	Sitili TUPOUNIUA		
	Francis MOLO	18	L	13	Victor RADLEY		
_	Jayden SULLIVAN	14	В	9	Brandon SMITH		
-	Toby COUCHMAN	14	B	9 15	Nat BUTCHER		
-	Josh KERR	17	B	15	Angus CRICHTON		
_	Jaiyden HUNT	20	B	20	Nathan BROWN		
_	Jaiyuen HUNT	20	D	20			
	Ryan CARR		COACH		Trent ROBINSON		

#### DRAGONS LEAVE IT LATE IN VICTORY FOR THE AGES

The St George Illawarra Dragons have capped a turbulent week with a last-second victory to defeat the Sydney Roosters 24-22 in Indigenous Round.

Breaking a six-match losing run which saw Anthony Griffin sacked three days before kick-off, the Dragons produced a try for the ages through Mat Feagai to level the scores before recalled centre Zac Lomax slotted the decisive conversion to the delight of 9,007 supporters at Kogarah.

Beginning life under interim coach Ryan Carr on a positive note with Jack de Belin producing a try-saving tackle on Drew Hutchison, the decision to switch Moses Suli and Lomax to their preferred sides of the field reaped immediate benefits with Suli (8th minute) catching a bomb and streaking 95 metres to open the scoring.

Going further ahead after a high tackle from Billy Smith put the home side on the attack, the Roosters centre endured further embarrassment with a poor defensive effort that allowed Ben Hunt (13th minute) to break through for a four-pointer.

Tempers flared midway through the half after Lomax was placed on report for slamming Corey Allan into the ground, while Victor Radley was fortunate to only receive the same treatment for leading with the head during the ensuing scuffle.

Despite a wealth of opportunities provided by their out-ofsorts opponents - epitomised by Jaxson Paulo throwing a cut-out pass from dummy half to Egan Butcher who ran the ball on the last play - the Dragons were unable to add to their 12-0 tally leading into the change of ends. Returning from the sheds with renewed intensity despite conceding an early penalty goal, the Roosters clicked into gear with James Tedesco (50th minute) running onto a pass from Brandon Smith close to the line.

Reducing the margin to just two points after Smith kicked early to put the visitors in good field position, Tedesco linked with Luke Keary (53rd minute) following a break instigated by a well-placed pass from club debutant Nathan Brown.

Hitting the front for the first time after Keary (61st minute) fooled his opposite number with a show-and-go, the Dragons returned fire with Jadyn Su'a (72nd minute) getting the green light from the bunker after outmuscling Tedesco close to the line.

The Roosters appeared to deliver the knock out blow after Tedesco (75th minute) stripped the ball from Suli's grasp to claim his second of the night, however the Dragons refused to let another match slip away at the death.

Running the ball on the last tackle before Hunt hoisted a bomb into the air, the Dragons managed to bat the ball back to Tyrell Sloan, who seized the moment with a chip kick that bounced into the arms of Feagai (80th minute) to level the scores at 22-all.

Having been dropped for diminishing form, including a below standard goal-kicking rate, Lomax slotted the conversion from close range to give the Dragons a memorable two-point victory.

#### LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM PLAYERS OF THE MATCH:

3 points - James Tedesco 2 points - Ben Hunt 1 points - Jack de Belin

Match updated and wrap written by Rob CROSBY

#### EELS HALVES SHOCK THE BUNNIES

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Parramatta has ended South Sydney's six match winning streak in classy fashion running out 36-16 winners at Allianz Stadium tonight.

Parramatta silenced the home crowd early, when half Mitchell Moses shot down the short side in just the second minute of the game. Moses then delivered a superb pass for his winger Sean Russell who streaked down the sideline to score the first try of the night and give the visitors an early 6-0 lead.

The Bunnies looked to have hit back straight away moments later when Cody Walker placed a deft kick behind the line for speed machine Alex Johnson. Johnson looked to have won the race for the ball initially, however replays showed the desperation of Eels skipper Cint Gutherson who managed to kick the ball away just as Johnson arrived.

Johnston got a second chance moments later however, when Latrell Mitchell brutally stripped the ball one-on-one from Junior Paulo and then sent the ball wide to Johnson, who scored in the corner to narrow the lead to 6-4 following Mitchell's failed conversion from out wide.

Parramatta scored their second try after Dylan Brown sent his edge backrower Ryan Matterson through a hole down the left-hand side. Matterson then found Bailey Simonsson in support who raced away to score a superb long range try to again extend the Eels lead. As halftime neared, Souths struck again through Alex Johnston who scored his second try following some Cody Walker and Latrell Mitchell magic mid field. Mitchell converted the try to narrow the Eels lead to 12-10 at halftime.

South Sydney struck the first blow after halftime, when the Eels made a costly error in their own half. Off the ensuing scrum play, Cody Walker produced a superb draw and pass for Campbell Graham to crash over to give South Sydney the lead by 16-12.

Parramatta then continued the arm wrestle, when veteran hooker Josh Hodgson showed some class to allow rangy backrower Bryce Cartwright enough room to stretch out to score and give the visitors back the momentum.

With the Eels ahead, it was their halves who came to the fore, when Brown chipped the ball towards the posts and prop Junior Paulo collected the pill to gift Bailey Simonsson his second try. Then both Moses and Brown combined, with Moses producing a well weighted kick for Brown to give the Eels the ascendency.

Moses then put a cherry on top of the Eels win, when the one time Blues halfback put Will Penisini over to blow out the score to 36-16 in a huge statement from Brad Arthur's men after a slow start to the season in 2023.

#### LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM PLAYERS OF THE MATCH: 3 points - Dylan Brown

2 points - Mitchell Moses 1 points - J'maine Hopgood

Match updated and wrap written by Sam BOURKE



Bluebet Stadium Penrith, NSW / Dharug Fri 12 May 8:00PM Crowd: 20,255 Referee: Gerard SUTTON

SOUTH SYDNEY	16	-	36	PARRAMATTA
	10	HT	12	
	1	PENS	6	
	SC	ORESHE	ET	
Alex JOHNSTON	2	T	2	Bailey SIMONSSON
Campbell GRAHAM				Dylan BROWN
				Bryce CARTWRIGHT
				Will PENISINI
				Sean RUSSELL
Latrell MITCHELL	2/3	G	6/6	Mitchell MOSES
	TI	EAMSHEET	ſS	
Latrell MITCHELL	1	FB	1	Clinton GUTHERSON (c)
Alex JOHNSTON	2	W	2	Maika SIVO
Isaiah TASS	3	C	3	Will PENISINI
Campbell GRAHAM	4	C	4	Bailey SIMONSSON
Taane MILNE	5	W	5	Sean RUSSELL
Cody WALKER	6	FE	6	Dylan BROWN
Lachlan ILIAS	7	HB	7	Mitchell MOSES
Tevita TATOLA	8	FR	8	Wiremu GREIG
Damien COOK	9	HK	9	Josh HODGSON
Hame SELE	10	FR	10	Junior PAULO
Michael CHEE-KAM	11	2R	11	Bryce CARTWRIGHT
Jai ARROW	15	2R	12	Andrew DAVEY
Cameron MURRAY (c)	13	L	13	J'maine HOPGOOD
Luck HOOT	10	D	14	
Jacob HOST	12	B	14	Ofahiki OGDEN
Blake TAAFFE	14	B	15	Brendan HANDS
Liam KNIGHT	16	B	16	Ryan MATTERSON
Daniel SULUKA-FIFITA	17	В	17	Makahesi MAKATOA
lason DEMETRIOU		COACH		Brad ARTHUR





C.ex Coffs International Stadium, Coffs Harbour NSW / Gumbaynggirr Sat 20 May 3:00PM Crowd: 10,156 Referee: Liam KENNEDY

CRONULLA	26	-	6	NEWCASTLE
	12	HT	6	
	5	PENS	5	
	SC	ORESHEE	Т	
Royce HUNT		T		Kalyn PONGA
William KENNEDY				
Ronaldo MULITALO				
Connor TRACEY				
Nicho HYNES	5/5	G	1/1	Lachlan MILLER
	TE	AMSHEET	S	
William KENNEDY	1	FB	1	Lachlan MILLER
Sione KATOA	2	W	2	Dominic YOUNG
Jesse RAMIEN	3	C	3	Dane GAGAI
Connor TRACEY	4	C	4	Bradman BEST
Ronaldo MULITALO	5	W	5	Greg MARZHEW
Matt MOYLAN	6	FE	6	Kalyn PONGA (c)
Nicho HYNES	7	HB	7	Jackson HASTINGS
Oregon KAUFUSI	8	FR	8	Daniel SAIFITI
Blayke BRAILEY	9	HK	9	Phoenix CROSSLAND
Royce HUNT	10	FR	10	Jack HETHERINGTON
Briton NIKORA	11	2R	11	Tyson FRIZELL
Teig WILTON	12	2R	12	Lachlan FITZGIBBON
Dale FINUCANE (c)	13	L	13	Leo THOMPSON
	45	D	44	T CAMPLE
Jack WILLIAMS	15	B	14	Tyson GAMBLE
Wade GRAHAM	16	B	15	Jacob SAIFITI
Thomas HAZELTON	17	B	16	Adam ELLIOTT
Braden HAMLIN-UELE	20	B	17	Mat CROKER

#### SHARKS SCRAPPY BUT TOO STRONG FOR NEWCASTLE

The Cronulla Sharks have kept their perfect record in Coffs Harbour going for a third straight year following a scrappy 26-6 victory over the Newcastle Knights.

Starting fast, the Sharks had the first attacking opportunity which they took advantage of almost instantly when starting on the right hand side of the field, Cronulla shifted the ball left and Will Kennedy was able to leave the defence in two minds as he looked to shift the ball out to his wingers before sliding through a gan that onened up.

The Sharks had a second effort overturned by the bunker when Connor Tracey went straight through a gap at the Sharks own end but Dale Finucane standing in the defensive line prevented a defender from coming across to make a tackle and was knocked back. The Knights took advantage of their field position when Kalyn Ponga fresh on the field after passing his HIA created a hole in the defence before Bradman Best kept the ball alive for the Knights star to get the ball back to score. It wasn't long before the Sharks hit back with some concerning ease again as they looked to shift left and Matt Moylan drew defenders in before Will Kennedy connected with his outside men to score. Nicho Hynes conversion came off the upright to go over and give the Sharks a 12-6 lead at the break.

Neither half was perfect for either side and errors mounted against the Knights which hurt them. The opening try for the Sharks came from some more Connor Tracey skill when he pulled off a 1-on-1 strip before in the ensuing set the Sharks went left again putting the Knights defence into all sorts and eventually it was Tracey who scored.

A Nicho Hynes penalty goal pushed the lead beyond a converted try though the Knights trying to catch up never looked likely of ever getting close. Inside the final 10 minutes, the Newcastle defence was fragile yet again as they couldn't wrap the ball up and Royce Hunt who initially bent the line ended up back with it and going through the gap he originally created.

LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM PLAYERS OF THE MATCH: 3 points - William Kennedy 2 points - Connor Tracey

1 points - Nicho Hynes

Match updated and wrap written by Josh ROBERTSON

#### TIGER TOWN ROARS AS HISTORY IS MADE AT LEICHHARDT

The Wests Tigers have created an unlikely piece of history tonight running out 66-18 winners over the North Queensland Cowboys in a match that left everybody speechless.

It was one-way traffic right from the very first few minutes as Luke Brooks in game 200 showed that he was going to mastermind the performance tonight and it was going to be a big one. In just the sixth minute it was the work of Api Koroisau out of dummy half to put Stefano Utoikamanu over.

The Tigers doubled their lead inside ten minutes when Junior Tupou spread the ball left and the Cowboys defence left in two minds and the space opened up. The defensive fragilities of the North Queenslanders was on show on both sides of the field as this time it was down the right that they opened up and David Nofoaluma got his first. Not everything went the Tigers way inside the opening 20 minutes after Joe Ofahengaue was denied by the bunker after knocking on his grounding attempt.

Only getting one tackle in the oppositions 20 in the first half lead to the Cowboys only points when Kyle Feldt was able to get one back on Junior Tupou when the North Queenslanders spread the ball right and got over the line.

If things summed up the awful night for the Cowboys, it was the efforts of Kyle Feldt who cruised back to clean

up the kick but made a meal of it losing it backwards for Jahream Bula to get over on the stroke of half-time.

Things continued poorly for the Cowboys to start the second half when Fonua Pole again went through the middle of the defence to get over close to the posts. The points continued to pile on as Junior Tupou added his second again with the North Queensland defence looking like a park team.

Back-to-back tries for the Cowboys gave hopes of a comeback when they started to get some quality ball in attacking position with Luciano Leilua outjumping the Tigers to score to a chorus of boos and then Reuben Cotter strolled through a defence lap.

If there was any outside hopes of a comeback they were dashed entirely when the Tigers managed to run in five tries inside the last fifteen minutes to create a record scoreline. A quickfire double to Starford To'a set up by some good work from Jahream Bula on the second keeping the ball alive.

In his final Tigers game, Joe Ofahengaue put his name into Tigers history making amends for his overturned try in the first half. David Nofoaluma and John Bateman confirmed the victory with two more tries for the Tigers.

LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM PLAYERS OF THE MATCH: 3 points - Luke Brooks 2 points - Starford To'a

1 points - Jahream Bula

Match updated and wrap written by Josh ROBERTSON



Leichhardt Oval, Lilyfield NSW / Wangal Sat 20 May 5:30PM Crowd: 12,247 Referee: Ben CuMMINS

<b>WESTS TIGERS</b>	66	-	18	NORTH QLD
	24	HT	6	
	4	PENS	3	
	SC	ORESHEE	T	
David NOFOALUMA	2	T		Reuben COTTER
Starford TO'A	2			Kyle FELDT
Junior TUPOU	2			Luciano LEILUA
John BATEMAN				
Jahream BULA				
Joe OFAHENGAUE				
Fonua POLE				
Stefano UTOIKAMANU				
Brandon WAKEHAM	8/8	G	3/3	Valentine HOLMES
Apisai KOROISAU	2/2			
Luke BROOKS	1/1			
	TE	AMSHEET	S	
Jahream BULA	1	FB	1	Scott DRINKWATER
David NOFOALUMA	2	W	2	Kyle FELDT
Starford TO'A	3	C	3	Valentine HOLMES
Tommy TALAU	4	C	4	Peta HIKU
Junior TUPOU	5	W	5	Murray TAULAGI
Brandon WAKEHAM	6	FE	6	Tom DEARDEN
Luke BROOKS	7	HB	7	Chad TOWNSEND (c)
Stefano UTOIKAMANU	8	FR	8	Jordan McLEAN
Apisai KOROISAU (c)	9	HK	9	Reece ROBSON
David KLEMMER	10	FR	10	Coen HESS
Isaiah PAPALI'I	11	2R	11	Heilum LUKI
John BATEMAN	12	2R	23	Luciano LEILUA
Joe OFAHENGAUE	15	L	13	Reuben COTTER
Fonua POLE	13	В	12	Jack GOSIEWSKI
Jake SIMPKIN	14	B	14	Jake GRANVILLE
Alex TWAL	16	B	15	Mitchell DUNN
Asu KEPAOA	17	B	17	Kulikefu FINEFEUIAKI
Tim SHEENS		COACH		Todd PAYTEN

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Suncorp Stadium,
Milton QLD / Yuggera-
Turrbal
Sat 20 May 7:35PM
Crowd: 28,325
Referee: Grant ATKINS

DOLPHINS	16	-	24	MELBOURNE
	4	HT	24	
	5	PENS	6	
	SCO	RESHEET	ſ	
Jamayne ISAAKO	2	T		Eliesa KATOA
Kodi NIKORIMA				Cameron MUNSTER
				Reimis SMITH
				Will WARBRICK
Jamayne ISAAKO	2 f 3	G	4 f 4	Nick MEANEY
Felise KAUFUSI		BIN		
	TEA	MSHEETS		
Hamiso TABUAI-FIDOW	1	FB	1	Nick MEANEY
Jamayne ISAAKO	2	W	2	Will WARBRICK
Euan AITKEN	3	C	3	Reimis SMITH
Brenko LEE	4	C	4	Justin OLAM
Tesi NIU	5	W	5	Xavier COATES
Kodi NIKORIMA	6	FE	6	Cameron MUNSTER
Isaiya KATOA	7	HB	7	Jahrome HUGHES
Jesse BROMWICH (c)	8	FR	17	Tui KAMIKAMICA
Jeremy MARSHALL-KING	9	HK	9	Harry GRANT
Kenny BROMWICH	10	FR	10	Christian WELCH (c)
Felise KAUFUSI	11	2R	11	Trent LOIERO
Connelly LEMUELU	12	2R	12	Eliesa KATOA
Tom GILBERT	13	L	13	Josh KING
Jarrod WALLACE	14	B	8	Nelson ASOFA-SOLOMONA
Anthony MILFORD	15	B	14	Bronson GARLICK
Ray STONE	16	B	15	Aaron PENE
Herman ESE'ESE	17	В	18	Grant ANDERSON
Wayne BENNETT		COACH		Craig BELLAMY

#### STORM DO ENOUGH TO BEAT Dolphins

The Melbourne Storm blew the Dolphins off the park in the first half and then cruised through the second half to hold on for an 8 point victory over the Dolphins.

Just two tackles into the game, both of which involved Felise Kaufusi, the Dolphins back rower was sent to the sin bin for a high shot. The Storm made their way downfield and in the 6th minute they sent the ball from the middle out to the right with some simple catching-and-passing that exposes the extra man advantage they have and William Warbrick strolled over to score out wide. Nick Meaney converted from out wide on the right side.

The Dolphins hit back in the 12th minute as Kafusi returned to the field. From the back of a scrum near the Storm line, the Dolphins sent the ball right out to Jamayne Isaako who was in open space and he waltzed in for an easy try. Isaako failed to convert from out wide.

The Storm kicked away again just 3 minutes later when Jahrome Hughes ran to the line on the left side before grubbering through for Cameron Munster who grounded the ball for a smart try. Meaney added the extras to give the Storm an 8 point lead. The final ten minutes of the first half saw the Storm take the game away from the Dolphins when they scored in the 31st minute when Eliesa Katoa charged through the line to score, and then they crossed again in the 35th minute when Katoa made another break on the right side before passing inside to Reimis Smith who raced in to score. Meaney converted both tries to give the Storm a 24-4 lead at the break.

Neither side gave an inch in the opening 25 minutes of the second half as the Dolphins came out and lifted another gear. They reduced the margin in the 65th minute when Isaako stepped back infield and beat 4 defenders before diving over to score a good solo try. He then converted his own try.

Kodi Nikorima then scored a clever solo try when he scooped up the ball at dummy half near the Storm line and barged over the line. Isaako converted to reduce the margin to 8 points with 6 minutes remaining, but a little bit of panic crept into their attack at the back end of the game and the Storm held on to get the victory.

#### LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM PLAYERS OF THE MATCH:

3 points - Eliesa Katoa 2 points - Nelson Asofa-Solomona 1 points - Jahrome Hughes

Match updated and wrap written by Andrew FERGUSON

### LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM PLAYER OF THE YEAR ROUND 12 LEADERBOARD

17 points - Shaun Johnson (Warriors), Nicho Hynes (Sharks)

15 points - Payne Haas (Broncos)

14 points - Mitchell Moses (Eels)

13 points - Latrell Mitchell (Rabbitohs)

11 points - Cameron Munster (Storm), Ben Hunt (Dragons), Nathan Cleary (Panthers), Dylan Edwards (Panthers)

10 points - Adam Reynolds (Broncos), Reece Walsh (Broncos)

9 points - James Tedesco (Roosters), Corey Horsburgh (Raiders)

8 points - David Fifita (Titans), AJ Brimson (Titans), Hudson Young (Raiders), Kodi Nikorima (Dolphins)

7 points - Briton Nikora (Sharks), Herbie Farnworth (Broncos), Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow (Dolphins), Harry Grant (Storm), Campbell Graham (Rabbitohs), William Kennedy (Sharks), Scott Drinkwater (Cowboys), Jeremy Marshall-King (Dolphins)

6 points - Jared Waerea-Hargreaves (Roosters), Nick Meaney (Storm), Jacob Kiraz (Bulldogs), Chad Townsend (Cowboys), Luke Brooks (Wests Tigers), Cody Walker (Rabbitohs), J'maine Hopgood (Eels), Isaah Yeo (Panthers), Luke Keary (Roosters), Matt Burton (Bulldogs), Daly Cherry-Evans (Sea Eagles)

5 points - Clinton Gutherson (Eels), Josh Schuster (Sea Eagles), Nelson Asofa-Solomona (Storm), Addin Fonua-Blake (Warriors), Greg Marzhew (Knights), Cameron Murray (Rabbitohs), Jahream Bula (Wests Tigers), Haumole Olakau'atu (Sea Eagles), Jamayne Isaako (Dolphins), Phillip Sami (Titans), Dylan Brown (Eels)

4 points - Jamal Fogarty (Raiders), Reed Mahoney (Bulldogs), Jacob Preston (Bulldogs), Brandon Wakeham (Wests Tigers), Kalyn Ponga (Knights) 3 points - Dane Gagai (Knights), Stephen Crichton (Panthers), Lachlan Miller (Knights), Heilum Luki (Cowboys), Taane Milne (Rabbitohs), Jackson Hastings (Knights), Damien Cook (Rabbitohs), Valentine Holmes (Cowboys), Tom Trbojevic (Sea Eagles), Sebastian Kris (Raiders), Lachlan Croker (Sea Eagles), Jeremiah Nanai (Cowboys), Lachlan Ilias (Rabbitohs), Eliesa Katoa (Storm), Tohu Harris (Warriors), Tyson Frizell (Knights), Jarome Luai (Panthers), Sam Walker (Roosters), Tanah Boyd (Titans), Sean O'Sullivan (Dolphins), Jake Averillo (Bulldogs), Kieran Foran (Titans), Brandon Smith (Roosters), Junior Tupou (Wests Tigers), Tyson Gamble (Knights), Alofiana Khan-Pereira (Titans)

2 points - Jason Saab (Sea Eagles), Starford To'a (Wests Tigers), Thomas Flegler (Broncos), Matthew Timoko (Raiders), Connor Tracey (Sharks), Braidon Burns (Bulldogs), Thomas Burgess (Rabbitohs), Connelly Lemuelu (Dolphins), Siosifa Talakai (Sharks), Scott Sorensen (Panthers), Reuben Cotter (Cowboys), Apisai Koroisau (Wests Tigers), Sitili Tupouniua (Roosters), Jack de Belin (Dragons), Brian To'o (Panthers), Jackson Ford (Warriors), Jordan Rapana (Raiders), Tesi Niu (Dolphins), Wayde Egan (Warriors), Joseph Tapine (Raiders), Blayke Brailey (Sharks), Jonah Pezet (Storm), Jacob Liddle (Dragons), Daniel Saifiti (Knights), Tolutau Koula (Sea Eagles), Charnze Nicoll-Klokstad (Warriors), Felise Kaufusi (Dolphins), Matt Moylan (Sharks), Tom Gilbert (Dolphins), Ezra Mam (Broncos), Lindsay Collins (Roosters), Tino Fa'asuamaleaui (Titans), Blake Lawrie (Dragons), Dominic Young (Knights), Izack Tago (Panthers)

1 point - Keaon Koloamatangi (Rabbitohs), Xavier Coates (Storm), Freddy Lussick (Warriors), Josh Addo-Carr (Bulldogs), Mason Teague (Dolphins), Joseph Manu (Roosters), William Warbrick (Storm), Adam Doueihi (Wests Tigers), Charlie Staines (Wests Tigers), Jahrome Hughes (Storm), Jayden Campbell (Titans), Jayden Brailey (Knights), Ethan Bullemor (Sea Eagles), Josh Papali'i (Raiders), Jack Wighton (Raiders), Taniela Paseka (Sea Eagles), Jayden Sullivan (Dragons), Valynce Te Whare (Dolphins), Moses Leota (Panthers), Braydon Trindall (Sharks), Cory Paix (Broncos), Tevita Tatola (Rabbitohs), Brendan Hands (Eels), Tautau Moga (Dragons), Edward Kosi (Warriors), Marcelo Montoya (Warriors), Jaxson Paulo (Roosters), Leo Thompson (Knights), Kotoni Staggs (Broncos), Alex Johnston (Rabbitohs), Jazz Tevaga (Warriors), Mikaele Ravalawa (Dragons), Josh Reynolds (Bulldogs), Murray Taulagi (Cowboys), Hayze Perham (Bulldogs)

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Accor Stadium, Sydney Olympic Park NSW / Wangal Sun 21 May 2:00PM Crowd: 10,815 Referee: Chris BUTLER

CANTERBURY	20	-	18	GOLD COAST
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Josh ADDO-CARR		T		David FIFITA
Jake AVERILLO				Phillip SAMI
Jacob KIRAZ				Joe STIMSON
Jayden OKUNBOR				
Matt BURTON	2/4	G	3/4	Tanah BOYD
	TE/	MSHEET	S	
Hayze PERHAM	1	FB	1	Jayden CAMPBELL
Jacob KIRAZ	2	W	4	Sosefo FIFITA
Jake AVERILLO	3	C	3	Brian KELLY
Paul ALAMOTI	4	C	18	Aaron SCHOUPP
Josh ADDO-CARR	5	W	5	Phillip SAMI
Karl OLOAPU	6	FE	6	Kieran FORAN
Matt BURTON (c)	7	HB	7	Tanah BOYD
Max KING	8	FR	8	Moeaki FOTUAIKA
Reed MAHONEY	9	HK	9	Chris RANDALL
Tevita PANGAI JUNIOR	10	FR	10	Tino FA'ASUAMALEAUI (c
Corey WADDELL	11	2R	-11	David FIFITA
Jacob PRESTON	12	2R	12	Joe STIMSON
Samuel HUGHES	16	L	13	Isaac LIU
Harrison EDWARDS	10	D	14	Kruise LEEMING
	13	B	14	
Jayden OKUNBOR	15	B	15	Erin CLARK
Blake WILSON	19	B	16	Klese HAAS
Kurtis MORRIN	23	В	17	Joseph VUNA
Cameron CIRALDO		COACH		Justin HOLBROOK

#### BULLDOGS LIFT THEMSELVES OFF THE BOTTOM WITH SUPERB COMEBACK

Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs produced a stirring comeback to win 20-18 over the Gold Coast Titans in front of 10,815 fans at Stadium Australia on Sunday afternoon.

It was a game which showed off the best and the worst of both teams. Titans led 14-0 before they fell asleep and Matt Burton inspired the Bulldogs comeback which lifts them off the bottom of the NRL ladder.

Both these teams come off last start losses and aimed to get back on the right track on a windy afternoon in Sydney.

The Titans rolled forward with ease and struck first. Origin hopeful, David Fifita, scooped up the ball on last and rolled through several defenders to slam the ball down to make it 6-0.

It was all Titans in the first half, they dominated the penalty count and had a pair of chances to extend the lead to eight. Tanah Boyd in his fifth NRL game, slotted the penalty goal.

Reed Mahoney had a horror minute in trying to the lift Bulldogs. He was put on report for a hip drop on Mo Fotuaika then was bumper-barred by Tino Fa'asuamaleaui which saw him go off for a HIA.

Titans extended their advantage again through one of their star forwards. Tino Fa'asuamaleaui engaged five defenders then flicked it out to Joe Stimson who had the easiest putdown to make it 14-0 going into half-time. Bulldogs needed a quick start and got it through Matt Burton. He swirled a bomb high in the air and it left the Titans dazed which allowed Jake Averillo to take the ball and get the hosts on the board.

That brought the Bulldogs to life. Burton sliced through, had a plethora of options, got it to Hayze Perham who found the speedster Josh Addo-Carr to score and celebrate in trademark style at 14-10.

They used that quick double salvo to get back into the contest. Bulldogs had a few sets on the Titans line but the closest they went was a Paul Alamoti effort which was brought back for several obstructions.

The visitors struck back in quick style. They drove Alamoti in-goal for a repeat set then it was a simple set piece on the left started by David Fifita which ended in Phillip Sami diving over.

It was the Burton boot which got the Bulldogs back within a score. He put it high again, the Titans whiffed, Jacob Kiraz let it go and it bounced right back to him to make it 18-14.

Bulldogs completed the comeback in style. They got a repeat set from an error then switched it wide before Jayden Okunbor straightened up and sent the 10,815 fans in attendance wild as the Bulldogs snatched the win.

Titans once again fade away in the second half and cost themselves with poor execution on catching high kicks alongside ill discipline from their star players with ill-timed penalties which got the Bulldogs back in the game.

LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM PLAYERS OF THE MATCH:

3 points - Matt Burton 2 points - Jacob Kiraz 1 points - David Fifita

Match updated and wrap written by Justin DAVIES

#### TOMMY TURBO'S RESURGENCE PUTS THE FEAR THROUGH CANBERRA

The Manly Sea Eagles and Tom Trbojevic have reminded the NRL that they are not done as they ran out impressive 42-14 winners over the Canberra Raiders in Canberra.

Things started poorly for the visitors with errors putting themselves under pressure and ultimately it cost them dearly when inside the first six minutes, the Manly defence was opened up under little pressure when Jack Wighton put Elliott Whitehead through a massive gap to score.

The Sea Eagles attack looked disjointed and directionless across the first twenty minutes but it was Tommy Turbo who got things steadied for the visitors when he was able to go over in the corner and score despite it initially being sent up no try. A 40/20 from Daly Cherry-Evans put Manly into attacking position and it was resurgent Josh Schuster who put Brad Parker through a gap in the Canberra defence.

Despite being denied a third try, the confidence from the Sea Eagles was high and it was Tom Trbojevic again who was able to go through after a poor defensive effort from the Raiders in the middle of the park.

A penalty goal on the stroke of half-time to the Raiders didn't really slow the Manly momentum down in the second half as Reuben Garrick had some heads up Rugby League after Jordan Rapana took Brad Parker off the ball and Garrick played to the whistle to pick up the ball and keep himself barely in the field of play to score.

It was down the right-hand side that the Sea Eagles had their best success and they went there again as they made easy metres before the ball ended up with Tom Trbojevic for his third try of the game.

Drama ensued after the next Sea Eagles try as tempers that were already high flared up after a push and shove between Hudson Young and Sean Keppie saw the big men both sin binned after referee Gerard Sutton had given multiple warnings.

The Schuster try was quickly followed up by another Manly try this one off the back of controversy where Canberra were not given six more tackles after a kick looked to be clearly played at by Tom Trbojevic at the back only for referee Sutton to call a change over. From that set, the Sea Eagles quickly again shifted right finding space and it was Jason Saab's turn to get over.

The Raiders added a late consolation try with Ata Mariota getting his first career try before for the Sea Eagles, Ben Condon who had only been on the field for the final minute was on the spot to take an offload to score. Reuben Garrick added the conversion for a 42-14 victory for Manly to push them back toward the top 8.

LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM PLAYERS OF THE MATCH: 3 points - Tom Trbojevic 2 points - Josh Schuster 1 points - Daly Cherry-Evans

Match updated and wrap written by Josh ROBERTSON





GIO Stadium Canberra, Bruce ACT / Ngunnawal Sun 21 May 4:05PM Crowd: 14,730 Referee: Gerard SUTTON

CANBERRA	14	-	42	MANLY
	8	HT	16	
	3	PENS	8	
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Ata MARIOTA		T	3	Tom TRBOJEVIC
Elliott WHITEHEAD				Ben CONDON
				Reuben GARRICK
				Brad PARKER
				Jason SAAB
				Josh SCHUSTER
Jarrod CROKER	3/3	G	5/8	Reuben GARRICK
Hudson YOUNG		BIN		Sean KEPPIE
	TE	AMSHEETS	6	
Sebastian KRIS	1	FB	1	Tom TRBOJEVIC
Albert HOPOATE	2	W	2	Jason SAAB
Jarrod CROKER (c)	3	C	3	Brad PARKER
Matthew TIMOKO	4	C	4	Toluta'u KOULA
Jordan RAPANA	5	W	5	Reuben GARRICK
Jack WIGHTON	6	FE	6	Josh SCHUSTER
Jamal FOGARTY	7	HB	7	Daly CHERRY-EVANS (c)
Josh PAPALII	8	FR	8	Taniela PASEKA
Danny LEVI	14	HK	9	Lachlan CROKER
Joseph TAPINE	10	FR	10	Sean KEPPIE
Hudson YOUNG	11	2R	11	Haumole OLAKAU'ATU
Elliott WHITEHEAD	12	2R	12	Ben TRBOJEVIC
Corey HORSBURGH	13	L	13	Jake TRBOJEVIC
Tom STARLING	9	В	14	Karl LAWTON
Emre GULER	15	В	15	Samuela FAINU
Pasami SAULO	16	В	16	Ethan BULLEMOR
Ata MARIOTA	17	В	17	Ben CONDON

### **FIXTURES & RESULTS 2023 NRL SEASON**

#### Round 1 - Mar 2-5

Parramatta 12 Melbourne 16: Thu 7:50PM at Commbank Warriors 20 Newcastle 12: Fri 6:00PM at Wellington Penrith 12 Brisbane 13: Fri 8:05PM at Bluebet Manly 31 Canterbury 6: Sat 3:00PM at 4 Pines Nth Qld 19 Canberra 18: Sat 5:30PM at QLD C.B. Cronulla 18 Souths 27: Sat 7:35PM at Pointsbet Dolphins 28 Sydney 18: Sun 4:05PM at Suncorp W Tigers 10 Gold Coast 22: Sun 6:15PM at Leichhardt St Geo IIIa have a bye

#### Round 2 - Mar 9-12

Penrith 16 Souths 10: Thu 7:50PM at Bluebet Parramatta 26 Cronulla 30: Fri 6:00PM at Commbank Brisbane 28 Nth Qld 16: Fri 8:05PM at Suncorp Sydney 20 Warriors 12: Sat 3:00PM at Allianz Dolphins 20 Canberra 14: Sat 5:30PM at Kayo Melbourne 12 Canterbury 26: Sat 7:35PM at AAMI W Tigers 12 Newcastle 14: Sun 4:05PM at Leichhardt St Geo Illa 32 Gold Coast 18: Sun 6:15PM at Netstrata Manly have a bye

#### Round 3 - Mar 16-19 / Multicultural Round

Manly 34 Parramatta 30: Thu 7:50PM at 4 Pines Newcastle 20 Dolphins 36: Fri 6:00PM at McD Jones Sydney 20 Souths 18: Fri 8:05PM at Allianz Gold Coast 38 Melbourne 34: Sat 3:00PM at Cbus Nth Qld 12 Warriors 26: Sat 5:30PM at QLD C.B. Brisbane 40 St Geo Illa 18: Sat 7:35PM at Suncorp Canterbury 26 W Tigers 22: Sun 4:05PM at Belmore Canberra 24 Cronulla 20: Sun 6:15PM at GIO Penrith have a bye

#### Round 4 - Mar 23-26

Parramatta 17 Penrith 16: Thu 7:50PM at Commbank Melbourne 24 W Tigers 12: Fri 6:00PM at AAMI Dolphins 12 Brisbane 18: Fri 8:05PM at Suncorp Nth Qld 24 Gold Coast 12: Sat 5:30PM at QLD C.B. Souths 13 Manly 12: Sat 7:35PM at Accor Warriors 16 Canterbury 14: Sun 2:00PM at Mt Smart Newcastle 24 Canberra 14: Sun 4:05PM at McD Jones St Geo IIIa 8 Cronulla 40: Sun 6:15PM at Netstrata Sydney have a bye

#### Round 5 - Mar 30-Apr 2

Sydney 28 Parramatta 20: Thu 7:50PM at Allianz Canberra 12 Penrith 53: Fri 6:00PM at GIO Souths 10 Melbourne 18: Fri 8:05PM at Accor Manly 32 Newcastle 32: Sat 3:00PM at Mudgee St Geo Illa 38 Dolphins 12: Sat 5:30PM at WIN Brisbane 46 W Tigers 12: Sat 7:35PM at Suncorp Cronulla 30 Warriors 32: Sun 4:05PM at Pointsbet Canterbury 15 Nth Qld 14: Sun 6:15PM at Accor Gold Coast have a bye

#### Round 6 - Apr 7-10 / Easter Round

Melbourne 28 Sydney 8: Thu 7:50PM at AAMI Canterbury 16 Souths 50: Fri 4:00PM at Accor Nth Qld 22 Dolphins 32: Fri 8:00PM at QLD C.B. Penrith 44 Manly 12: Sat 5:30PM at Bluebet Brisbane 14 Canberra 20: Sat 7:35PM at Suncorp Gold Coast 20 St Geo IIIa 18: Sun 4:05PM at Cbus Newcastle 34 Warriors 24: Sun 6:15PM at McD Jones W Tigers 22 Parramatta 28: Mon 4:00PM at Accor Cronulla have a bye

#### Round 7 - Apr 13-16

Dolphins 14 Souths 36: Thu 7:50PM at Suncorp Cronulla 22 Sydney 12: Fri 6:00PM at Pointsbet Manly 18 Melbourne 8: Fri 8:00PM at 4 Pines Warriors 22 Nth Qld 14: Sat 3:00PM at Mt Smart Newcastle 15 Penrith 16: Sat 5:30PM at McD Jones Gold Coast 26 Brisbane 43: Sat 7:35PM at Cbus Canberra 20 St Geo Illa 14: Sun 2:00PM at GlO Parramatta 30 Canterbury 4: Sun 4:05PM at Commbank W Tigers have a bye

#### Round 8 - Apr 20-23, 25 / ANZAC Round

Souths 20 Penrith 18: Thu 7:50PM at Accor Parramatta 16 Brisbane 26: Fri 8:00PM at Darwin Canterbury 20 Cronulla 33: Sat 5:30PM at Accor Nth Qld 18 Newcastle 16: Sat 7:35PM at QLD C.B. Dolphins 28 Gold Coast 26: Sun 2:00PM at Suncorp W Tigers 16 Manly 22: Sun 4:05PM at Campbelltown Sydney 27St Geo Illa 26: Tue 4:00PM at Allianz Melbourne 30 Warriors 22: Tue 7:00PM at AAMI Canberra have a bye

#### Round 9 - 27-30 Apr

Cronulla 44 Nth Qld 6: Thu 7:50PM at Pointsbet Parramatta 43 Newcastle 12: Fri 6:00PM at Commbank Brisbane 6 Souths 32: Fri 8:00PM at Suncorp Canberra 31 Dolphins 30: Sat 3:00PM at Wagga Manly 10 Gold Coast 26: Sat 5:30PM at 4 Pines Penrith 8 W Tigers 12: Sat 7:35PM at Bathurst Warriors 0 Sydney 14: Sun 2:00PM at Mt Smart St Geo Illa 16 Canterbury 18: Sun 4:05PM at WIN Melbourne have a bye

#### Round 10 - May 5-7 / Magic Round

Canterbury 30 Canberra 34: Fri 6:00PM at Suncorp Manly 6 Brisbane 32: Fri 8:05PM at Suncorp Warriors 6 Penrith 18: Sat 3:00PM at Suncorp Cronulla 16 Dolphins 36: Sat 5:30PM at Suncorp Melbourne 12 Souths 28: Sat 7:35PM at Suncorp W Tigers 18 St Geo III.a 16: Sun 1:50PM at Suncorp Sydney 6 Nth Qld 20: Sun 4:00PM at Suncorp Gold Coast 26 Parramatta 24: Sun 6:25PM at Suncorp Newcastle have a bye

#### Round 11 - 11-14 May

Melbourne 24 Brisbane 16: Thu 7:50PM at AAMI Canterbury 12 Warriors 24: Fri 6:00PM at Accor Penrith 48 Sydney 4: Fri 8:00PM at Bluebet Souths 20 W Tigers 0: Sat 3:00PM at Accor Nth Qld 42 St Geo Illa 22: Sat 5:30PM at QLD C.B. Canberra 26 Parramatta 18: Sat 7:35PM at GIO Newcastle 46 Gold Coast 26: Sun 2:00PM at McD Jones Manly 14 Cronulla 20: Sun 4:05PM at 4 Pines Dolphins have a bye

#### Round 12 - 18-21 May / Indigenous Round

Brisbane 4 Penrith 15: Thu 7:50PM at Suncorp St Geo Illa 24 Sydney 22: Fri 6:00PM at Netstrata Souths 16 Parramatta 36: Fri 8:00PM at Allianz Cronulla 26 Newcastle 6: Sat 3:00PM at Coffs Hbr W Tigers 66 Nth Qld 18: Sat 5:30PM at Leichhardt Dolphins 16 Melbourne 24: Sat 7:35PM at Suncorp Canterbury 20 Gold Coast 18: Sun 2:00PM at Accor Canberra 14 Manly 42: Sun 4:05PM at GIO Warriors have a bye

#### Round 13

Dolphins v St Geo Illa: Thu 25 May 7:50PM at Kayo Parramatta v Nth Qld: Fri 26 May 8:00PM at Commbank Warriors v Brisbane: Sat 27 May 5:30PM at Napier Souths v Canberra: Sat 27 May 7:35PM at Accor Newcastle v Manly: Sun 28 May 4:05PM at McD Jones BYE: Canterbury, Cronulla, Gold Coast, Melbourne, Penrith, Sydney, Wests Tigers

#### Men's State of Origin I

NSW v QLD: Wed 31 May 8:00PM at Adelaide Oval

#### Women's State of Origin I

NSW v QLD: Thu 1 Jun 7:45PM at Commbank Stadium

#### Round 14

W Tigers v Canberra: Fri 2 Jun 8:00PM at Campbelltown Warriors v Dolphins: Sat 3 Jun 3:00PM at Go Media Gold Coast v Souths: Sat 3 Jun 5:30PM at Cbus Cronulla v Brisbane: Sat 3 Jun 7:35PM at Pointsbet Sydney v Canterbury: Sun 4 Jun 2:00PM at Gosford Nth Qld v Melbourne: Sun 4 Jun 4:05PM at QLD C.B. Penrith v St Geo Illa: Sun 4 Jun 6:15PM at Bluebet BYE: Manly, Newcastle, Parramatta

#### Round 15

Gold Coast v W Tigers: Thu 8 Jun 7:50PM at Cbus Canberra v Warriors: Fri 9 Jun 6:00PM at GIO Manly v Dolphins: Fri 9 Jun 8:00PM at 4 Pines St Geo Illa v Souths: Sat 10 Jun 3:00PM at Netstrata Brisbane v Newcastle: Sat 10 Jun 5:30PM at Suncorp Sydney v Penrith: Sat 10 Jun 7:35PM at Allianz Melbourne v Cronulla: Sun 11 Jun 4:05PM at AAMI Canterbury v Parramatta: Mon 12 Jun 4:00PM at Accor Nth Qld have a bye

#### Round 16

Nth Qld v Penrith: Fri 16 Jun 8:00PM at QLD C.B. Newcastle v Sydney: Sat 17 Jun 3:00PM at McD Jones Parramatta v Manly: Sat 17 Jun 5:30PM at Commbank W Tigers v Melbourne: Sat 17 Jun 7:35PM at Campbelltown Cronulla v Canterbury: Sun 18 Jun 4:05PM at Pointsbet BYE: Brisbane, Canberra, Gold Coast, Dolphins, St Geo Illa, Souths, Warriors

#### Men's State of Origin II

QLD v NSW: Wed 21 Jun 8:00PM at Suncorp

#### Women's State of Origin II

QLD v NSW: Thu 22 Jun 7:45PM at QLD Country Bank

#### Round 17

St Geo Illa v Warriors: Fri 23 Jun 8:00PM at WIN Dolphins v Parramatta: Sat 24 Jun 3:00PM at Sun. Coast Penrith v Newcastle: Sat 24 Jun 5:30PM at Bluebet Melbourne v Manly: Sat 24 Jun 7:35PM at AAMI Brisbane v Gold Coast: Sun 25 Jun 2:00PM at Suncorp Souths v Nth Qld: Sun 25 Jun 4:05PM at Accor Sydney v Canberra: Sun 25 Jun 6:15PM at Allianz BYE: Canterbury, Cronulla, Wests Tigers

#### Round 18

Cronulla v St Geo Illa: Thu 29 Jun 7:50PM at Pointsbet Warriors v Souths: Fri 30 Jun 6:00PM at Go Media Melbourne v Penrith: Fri 30 Jun 8:00PM at Marvel Canberra v Gold Coast: Sat 1 Jul 3:00PM at GIO Nth Qld v W Tigers: Sat 1 Jul 5:30PM at QLD C.B. Brisbane v Dolphins: Sat 1 Jul 7:35PM at The Gabba Canterbury v Newcastle: Sun 2 Jul 2:00PM at Accor Manly v Sydney: Sun 2 Jul 4:05PM at 4 Pines Parramatta have a bye

#### Round 19

W Tigers v Cronulla: Thu 6 Jul 7:50PM at Commbank St Geo Illa v Canberra: Fri 7 Jul 8:00PM at WIN Parramatta v Warriors: Sat 8 Jul 5:30PM at Commbank Souths v Canterbury: Sat 8 Jul 7:35PM at Accor Gold Coast v Dolphins: Sun 9 Jul 4:05PM at Cbus BYE: Brisbane, Manly, Melbourne, Newcastle, Nth Qld, Penrith, Sydney

#### Men's State of Origin III

NSW v QLD: Wed 12 Jul 8:00PM at Accor

#### Round 20

Newcastle v W Tigers: Fri 14 Jul 8:00PM at McD Jones Canterbury v Brisbane: Sat 15 Jul 3:00PM at Belmore Manly v Nth Qld: Sat 15 Jul 5:30PM at 4 Pines Sydney v Melbourne: Sat 15 Jul 7:35PM at SCG Warriors v Cronulla: Sun 16 Jul 2:00PM at Go Media Dolphins v Penrith: Sun 16 Jul 4:05PM at Kayo Parramatta v Gold Coast: Sun 16 Jul 6:15PM at Commbank BYE: Canberra, St Geo Illa, Souths

#### Round 21

St Geo IIIa v W Tigers: Thu 20 Jul 7:50PM at WIN Warriors v Canberra: Fri 21 Jul 6:00PM at Go Media Souths v Brisbane: Fri 21 Jul 8:00PM at Sun. Coast Gold Coast v Sydney: Sat 22 Jul 3:00PM at Cbus Newcastle v Melbourne: Sat 22 Jul 5:30PM at McD Jones Nth Qld v Parramatta: Sat 22 Jul 7:35PM at QLD C.B. Penrith v Canterbury: Sun 23 Jul 2:00PM at Bluebet Cronulla v Manly: Sun 23 Jul 4:05PM at Pointsbet Dolphins have a bye

#### Round 22

Brisbane v Sydney: Thu 27 Jul 7:50PM at The Gabba W Tigers v Souths: Fri 28 Jul 6:00PM at Tamworth Melbourne v Parramatta: Fri 28 Jul 8:00PM at Marvel Canberra v Newcastle: Sat 29 Jul 3:00PM at GIO St Geo Illa v Manly: Sat 29 Jul 5:30PM at WIN Penrith v Cronulla: Sat 29 Jul 7:35PM at Bluebet Canterbury v Dolphins: Sun 30 Jul 2:00PM at Bundaberg Gold Coast v Nth Qld: Sun 30 Jul 4:05PM at Cbus Warriors have a bye

#### Round 23

Sydney v Manly: Thu 3 Aug 7:50PM at SCG Gold Coast v Warriors: Fri 4 Aug 6:00PM at Cbus Penrith v Melbourne: Fri 4 Aug 8:00PM at Bluebet Nth Qld v Brisbane: Sat 5 Aug 3:00PM at QLD C.B. Dolphins v Newcastle: Sat 5 Aug 5:30PM at Optus Souths v Cronulla: Sat 5 Aug 7:35PM at Optus Parramatta v St Geo Illa: Sun 6 Aug 2:00PM at Commbank Canberra v W Tigers: Sun 6 Aug 4:05PM at GIO Canterbury have a bye

#### Round 24

Manly v Penrith: Thu 10 Aug 7:50PM at 4 Pines Cronulla v Gold Coast: Fri 11 Aug 6:00PM at Pointsbet Brisbane v Parramatta: Fri 11 Aug 8:00PM at The Gabba Souths v St Geo Illa: Sat 12 Aug 3:00PM at Cairns W Tigers v Warriors: Sat 12 Aug 7:35PM at Hamilton Sydney v Dolphins: Sat 12 Aug 7:35PM at Allianz Melbourne v Canberra: Sun 13 Aug 2:00PM at AAMI Newcastle v Canterbury: Sun 13 Aug 4:05PM at McD Jones

Nth Qld have a bye

#### Round 25

Nth Qld v Cronulla: Thu 17 Aug 7:50PM at QLD C.B. Warriors v Manly: Fri 18 Aug 6:00PM at Go Media Parramatta v Sydney: Fri 18 Aug 8:00PM at Commbank W Tigers v Dolphins: Sat 19 Aug 3:00PM at Commbank Gold Coast v Penrith: Sat 19 Aug 5:30PM at Cbus St Geo Illa v Melbourne: Sat 19 Aug 7:35PM at WIN Newcastle v Souths: Sun 20 Aug 2:00PM at McD Jones Canberra v Canterbury: Sun 20 Aug 4:05PM at GIO Brisbane have a bye

#### Round 26

Penrith v Parramatta: Thu 24 Aug 7:50PM at Bluebet Warriors v St Geo Illa: Fri 25 Aug 6:00PM at Go Media Dolphins v Nth Qld: Fri 25 Aug 8:00PM at Suncorp Melbourne v Gold Coast: Sat 26 Aug 3:00PM at AAMI Sydney v W Tigers: Sat 26 Aug 5:30PM at Allianz Canberra v Brisbane: Sat 26 Aug 7:35PM at GIO Canterbury v Manly: Sun 27 Aug 2:00PM at Accor Newcastle v Cronulla: Sun 27 Aug 4:05PM at McD Jones Souths have a bye

#### Round 27

Brisbane v Melbourne: Thu 31 Aug 7:50PM at Suncorp Manly v W Tigers: Fri 1 Sep 6:00PM at 4 Pines Souths v Sydney: Fri 1 Sep 8:00PM at Accor Dolphins v Warriors: Sat 2 Sep 3:00PM at Suncorp Penrith v Nth Qld: Sat 2 Sep 5:30PM at Bluebet St Geo Illa v Newcastle: Sat 2 Sep 7:35PM at Netstrata Gold Coast v Canterbury: Sun 3 Sep 2:00PM at Cbus Cronulla v Canberra: Sun 3 Sep 4:05PM at Pointsbet Parramatta have a bye

#### **2023 NRL FINALS SERIES**

Finals Week 1 - September 8-10 Qualifying & Elimination Finals

**Finals Week 2 - September 15-16** Semi Finals

Finals Week 3 - September 22-23 Preliminary Finals

Grand Final - October 1

#### MEN'S BETFRED CHALLENGE CUP SIXTH ROUND RESULTS

ST HELENS 26 (J. Lussick 2, T. Makinson, J. Welsby, J. Wingfield tries; T. Makinson 3 goals) DEFEATED HALIFAX 6 (J. Fairbank try; L. Jouffret goal) AT THE SHAY STADIUM. Date: Fri, 19th May. Kickoff: 7:45 PM. Halftime: St Helens 16-0. Penalties: St Helens 6-4. Referee: Aaron Moore. Crowd: 4,693. HALIFAX: Woodburn-Hall, Walmsley, Tibbs, McComb, Saltonstall; Jouffret, Keyes; Calcott, Moore, Murray, Lannon, Gee, Fairbank. Int: Inman, Doro, Tangata, Larroyer. ST HELENS: Welsby, Makinson, Hopoate, Davies, Ritson; Lomax, Dodd; Walmsley, Lussick, Knowles, Mata'utia, Batchelor, Bell. Int: Bennison, Paasi, Wingfield, Delaney.

LEIGH 40 (T. Briscoe 2, K. O'Donnell 2, J. Asiata, J. Charnley, R. Leutele tries; B. Reynolds 6 goals) DEFEATED WAKEFIELD (TRINITY) 12 (W. Dagger, J. Pitts tries; W. Dagger 2 goals) AT BE WELL SUPPORT STADIUM. Date: Fri, 19th May. Kickoff: 7:45 PM. Halftime: Leigh 22-0. Penalties: Wakefield (Trinity) 8-6. Referee: Ben Thaler. WAKEFIELD (TRINITY): Dagger, Lineham, Gaskell, Pratt, Taufua; Lino, Smith; Atoni, Bowes, Bowden, Proctor, Pitts, Crowther. Int: Hood, Battye, Eseh, Windrow. LEIGH: O'Brien, Briscoe, Leutele, Hardaker, Charnley; Reynolds, Lam; Amone, Ipape, Mulhern, Holmes, O'Donnell, Asiata. Int: Mellor, Seumanufagai, Wilde, Davis.

HULL KR 50 (E. Ryan 3, S. Kenny-Dowall 2, K. Linnett 2, M. Lewis, S. Luckley tries; M. Lewis 5, S. Wood 2 goals) DEFEATED BATLEY O AT SEWELL GROUP CRAVEN PARK. Date: Fri, 19th May. Kickoff: 8:00 PM. Halftime: Hull KR 32-0. Penalties: Batley 5-4. Referee: Tom Grant. HULL KR: Ryan, Wood, Opacic, Kenny-Dowall, Hall; Lewis, Laulu-Togaga'e; Kennedy, Litten, Hadley, Batchelor, Linnett, Minchella. Int: Storton, Keinhorst, Luckley, Aydin. BATLEY: McGowan, Johnson, Hodson, Buchanan, Campbell; White, Woods; Gledhill, Kaye, Lillycrop, Manning, Walshaw, Reilly. Int: Meadows, Flynn, Ward, Blake.

WIGAN 18 (B. French 2, J. Nsemba, J. Wardle tries; H. Smith goal) DEFEATED LEEDS 14 (T. Holroyd, H. Newman tries; R. Martin 3 goals) AT HEADINGLEY STADIUM. Date: Sat, 20th May. Kickoff: 2:30 PM. Halftime: Leeds 14-4. Penalties: 4-all. Referee: Chris Kendall. LEEDS: Myler, Tindall, Newman, Macdonald, Olpherts; Gannon, Sezer; Oledzki, O'Connor, Holroyd, Martin, McDonnell, Smith. Int: Sangaré, Lisone, Donaldson, Johnson. WIGAN: French, Miski, King, Wardle, Marshall; Hampshire, Smith; Havard, Powell, Byrne, Smithies, Farrell, Shorrocks. Int: Ellis, Mago, O'Neill, Nsemba.

WARRINGTON 16 (M. Ashton 2, M. Dufty tries; S. Ratchford 2 goals) DEFEATED CATALANS 14 (M. Ikuvalu, T. Johnstone, A. Romano tries; A. Mourgue goal) AT STADE GILBERT BRUTUS. Date: Sat, 20th May. Kickoff: 6:00 PM. Halftime: Warrington 12-6. Penalties: Warrington 5-4. Referee: Jack Smith. Crowd: 5,014. CATALANS: Mourgue, Romano, Whitley, Ikuvalu, Johnstone; Pearce, Tomkins; McMeeken, McIlorum, Dezaria, Ma'u, Séguier, Garcia. Int: Bousquet, Navarrete, Taukeiaho. WARRINGTON: Dufty, Thewlis, Mata'utia, Ratchford, Ashton; Williams, Drinkwater; Bullock, Clark, Vaughan, Currie, McGuire, Harrison. Int: Kasiano, Philbin, Walker, Dudson.

SALFORD 42 (R. Williams 2, J. Burgess, M. Costello, A. Gerrard, M. Sneyd, K. Watkins tries; M. Sneyd 7 goals) DEFEATED HUDDERSFIELD 40 (L. Yates 3, J. Bibby, S. Hewitt, T. Lolohea, K. Naiqama tries; J. Connor 6 goals) AT SALFORD STADIUM. Date: Sat, 20th May. Kickoff: 7:30 PM. Halftime: Salford 24-16. Penalties: 6-all. Referee: Marcus Griffiths. Crowd: 2,872. SALFORD: Brierley, Williams, Cross, Costello, Burgess; Croft, Sneyd; Vuniyayawa, Atkin, Gerrard, Stone, Watkins, Hellewell. Int: Addy, Partington, Dupree, Longstaff. HUDDERSFIELD: Pryce, Halsall, Marsters, Naiqama, Bibby; Connor, Fages; Hill, O'Brien, Wilson, Cudjoe, Hewitt, Rushton. Int: Lolohea, Ikahihifo, Yates, Greenwood.

HULL FC 32 (A. Swift 3, J. Brown, J. Griffin, J. Lane tries; J. Clifford 4 goals) DEFEATED CASTLEFORD 8 (M. Fonua, W. Tate tries) AT MEND-A-HOSE JUNGLE. Date: Sun, 21st May. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Hull FC 22-4. Penalties: Castleford 6-5. Referee: Liam Moore. Crowd: 4,249. CASTLEFORD: Broadbent, Fonua, Sutcliffe, Turner, Tate; Westerman, McShane; Massey, Lawler, Matagi, Martin, Mellor, Hall. Int: Griffin, Robb, Mustapha, Hookem. HULL FC: Hoy, Swift, Sutcliffe, Turmavave, Scott; Trueman, Clifford; Fash, Houghton, Satae, Griffin, Lane, Cator. Int: Brown, Dwyer, Staveley, Gardiner.

YORK 36 (O. Butterworth 3, J. Brown, J. Daley, J. Dee, J. Thompson tries; J. Glover 4 goals) DEFEATED LONDON 12 (J. Bassett, A. Walker tries; O. Leyland 2 goals) AT LNER COMMUNITY STADIUM. Date: Sun, 21st May. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: London 12-8. Penalties: 4-all. Referee: James Vella. YORK: Brown, Towse, Glover, Dee, Butterworth; Cunningham, Daley; Thompson, Jubb, Michael, Clarkson, Field, Kirmond. Int: Kirby, Harrison, Teanby, Ta'ai. LONDON: Walker, Ulberg, Bassett, Waine, Macani; Leyland, Raiwalui; Bienek, Davis, Stock, Lovell, Natoli, Parata. Int: Horsman, Albert, Williams, Leyland.

#### QUARTER FINALS DRAW

To be played 16-18 June

Hull FC vs. St Helens Hull KR vs. Salford Wigan vs. Warrington York vs. Leigh MKM Stadium Sewell Group Craven Park DW Stadium LNER Community Stadium

#### **BETFRED SUPER LEAGUE** ROUND 13 FIXTURES

Time	Match	Venue	Referee
Thu 8pm+	HULL KR v WIGAN WARRIORS	Sewell Group Craven Park	Jack SMITH
Fri 6pm	CATALANS DRAGONS v WAKEFIELD TRINITY	Stade Gilbert Brutus	Ben THALER
Fri 7:45pm	HUDDERSFIELD GIANTS v CASTLEFORD TIGERS	John Smith's Stadium	Aaron MOORE
Fri 8pm+	LEEDS RHINOS v ST HELENS	Headingley Stadium	Liam MOORE
Fri 8pm	LEIGH LEOPARDS v WARRINGTON WOLVES	Leigh Sports Village Stadium	Chris KENDALL
Sun 3pm	SALFORD RED DEVILS v HULL FC	Salford Stadium	Marcus GRIFFITHS

+ DENOTES MATCH BROADCAST LIVE ON SKY SPORTS (UK) AND FOX LEAGUE (AU)

#### **BETFRED CHAMPIONSHIP** ROUND 12 FIXTURES - SUMMER BASH

Time	Match	Venue	Referee
Sat 12:45pm	WIDNES VIKINGS v SWINTON LIONS	LNER Community Stadium	Cameron WORSLEY
Sat 3pm	WHITEHAVEN RLFC v BARROW RAIDERS	LNER Community Stadium	Mike SMAILL
Sat 5:15pm+	LONDON BRONCOS v TOULOUSE OLYMPIQUE	LNER Community Stadium	Liam RUSH
Sat 7:30pm+	FEATHERSTONE ROVERS v YORK KNIGHTS	LNER Community Stadium	Scott MIKALAUSKAS
Sun 1:45pm	NEWCASTLE THUNDER v SHEFFIELD EAGLES	LNER Community Stadium	Nick BENNETT
Sun 4pm	HALIFAX PANTHERS v BATLEY BULLDOGS	LNER Community Stadium	James VELLA
Sun 6:15pm	KEIGHLEY COUGARS v BRADFORD BULLS	LNER Community Stadium	Tom GRANT

+ DENOTES MATCH BROADCAST LIVE ON VIAPLAY (UK) AND FOX LEAGUE (AU)

#### **BETFRED WOMEN'S SUPER LEAGUE** ROUND 2 FIXTURES

Time	Match	Venue	Referee
Fri 5:30pm+	LEEDS RHINOS v ST HELENS	Headingley Stadium	Matty LYNN
Sun 11:30am	YORK VALKYRIE v WARRINGTON WOLVES	LNER Community Stadium	Thomas GIBBS
Sun 2pm	HUDDERSFIELD GIANTS v WIGAN WARRIORS	Huddersfield YCMA	Josh PEMBERTON

+ DENOTES MATCH BROADCAST LIVE ON SKY SPORTS (UK)

#### WOMEN'S BETFRED CHALLENGE CUP ROUND 3 RESULTS

WIGAN (W) 60 (G. Banks 3, B. Hayes 2, M. Jones 2, B. Greenfield, K. Hilton, L. Johnson, G. Leigh tries; A. Burrows 6, M. Jones 2 goals) DEFEATED SALFORD (W) O AT ROBIN PARK ARENA. Date: Sun, 21st May. Kickoff: 12:00 PM. Halftime: Wigan (W) 24-0. Referee: Sam Houghton. WIGAN (W): Salihi, Jones, Leigh, Hunter, Greenfield; Banks, Marsh; Speakman, Dwyer, Johnson, Molyneux, Coleman, Jones. Int: Hayes, Evans, Burrows, Hilton. SALFORD (W): Bannister, Ellison, Gray, Kini, Simpson; Fellingham, Jones; Condliffe, Corcoran, Hickey, Collins, Harris, Evans. Int: Wicks, Evans, Parton-Sotomayor, Price.

CARDIFF (W) 36 (L. Burnell, R. Carr, Z. Heeley, K. Hubbert, E. Michael, A. Price, M. Reardon tries; A. Ruck 2 goals) DEFEATED FEATHERSTONE (W) 18 (F. Copley, B. Kennedy, S. Mannion tries; T. Bryer 3 goals) AT CARDIFF UNIVERSITY SPORTS FIELDS. Date: Sun, 21st May. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime: 12-all. Referee: Rob Apsee. CARDIFF (W): Burnell, Heeley, Hubbert, Carr, Michael; Ruck, Parker; Aitken, Reardon, Jones, Mundy, Jones, Carr. Int: Price, Jenkins, Davies, Jones. FEATHERSTONE (W): Copley, Attree, Billington, Johnson, Lamb; Wainhouse, Bryer; Harrison, Waters, Higo, Backhouse, Swann, Mannion. Int: Kennedy, Laing, Eastwood, Craven.

LEEDS (W) 52 (T. Moxon 3, H. Butcher 2, B. Dainton 2, J. Earnshaw-Cudjoe, T. Gaines, A. Hardcastle, I. Northrop tries; E. Hayward 4 goals) DEFEATED HUDDERSFIELD (W) 0 AT LAUND HILL. Date: Sun, 21st May. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime: Leeds (W) 36-0. Referee: Jayden Covell-Wood. HUDDERSFIELD (W): Bennett, Goddard, Morgan, Stott, Burwood; Preston, Grady; Wilkinson, Taylor, McPherson, Thompson, Fisher, Townend. Int: Coates, Hawkins, Barker, Simister. LEEDS (W): Nuttall, Hayward, Butcher, Carter, Moxon; Casey, Gaines; Glynn, Earnshaw-Cudjoe, Northrop, Hardcastle, Dainton, Hale. Int: Greening, Lockwood, Anderson, Frain.

BARROW (W) 20 (B. Pattinson 2, H. Sherlock, E. Stirzaker tries; B. Pattinson 2 goals) DEFEATED HULL KR (W) 11 (L. Brown, D. Thomas tries; D. Thomas goal; D. Thomas field goal) AT SEWELL GROUP CRAVEN PARK. Date: Sun, 21st May. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime: Hull KR (W) 6-4. Referee: Josh Kinsley. HULL KR (W): Nolan, Marritt, Banks, Thomas, Mulhern; Oaten-Powdrill, Kudla; Byrom, Nolan, Brown, Hall, Kendall, Brewster. Int: Hunter, Baggley, Ostler, Mullins. BARROW (W): Larkin, Hutchinson, Byers, Stirzaker, Norman; Pattinson, Litherland; Sherlock, Lindsay, Morley, Hutchinson, Jackson, Smith. Int: Clough, Clark, Rice, Friend.

YORK (W) 54 (E. Hendry 2, S. Peach 2, G. Taylor 2, G. Hetherington, A. Hyde, R. Marshall, T. Renouf tries; T. Stanley 7 goals) DEFEATED LEIGH (W) O AT TWIST LANE. Date: Sun, 21st May. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime: York (W) 22-0. Referee: Jordan Gibbons. LEIGH (W): Dogus, Blackwood, Taylor, Derbyshire, Gater; Burke, Knowles; Quinn, Howard, Seddon, Morris, Boyham, Hill. Int: Millington, Farnell, Rosevere, Aspden. YORK (W): Stanley, Whitehead, Hetherington, Kershaw, Taylor; Renouf, Gale; Wood, Peach, Staveley, Owen, Hendry, Marshall. Int: Hyde, Lambert, Butler, Sanderson.

LONDON (W) 40 (R. Cairns 2, K. Griffiths, R. Humphries, I. McCusker, B. McFarlane, S. Neumann, E. Taylor tries; C. Treco 4 goals) DEFEATED CASTLEFORD (W) 4 (E. Johnstone try) AT THE ROCK. Date: Sun, 21st May. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime: London (W) 26-0. Referee: Lewis O'Brien. LONDON (W): Muller, Cairns, Wallis, Griffiths, Tauchert; Ingram, Treco; Neumann, McCusker, Hunt Pain, Taylor, Humphries, Mottershead. Int: McFarlane, Ilozobhie, Mena, Messem. CASTLEFORD (W): Evans, Waller, Box, Johnstone, Waller; White, Cromack; Brown, Nix, Spence-Hirst, Burnell, Johnson, Lumb. Int: Holmes, Jackson, Rainey, Ratcliffe.

ST HELENS (W) 38 (J. Cunningham 2, L. Burke, Z. Harris, S. Hoyle, L. McColm, E. Rudge tries; A. Taylor 5 goals) defeated WARRINGTON (W) 4 (G. Sutherland try) AT TOTALLY WICKED STADIUM. Date: Sun, 21st May. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime: St Helens (W) 10-4. Referee: Luke Flavell. ST HELENS (W): Partington, Bradshaw, Williams, McColm, Burke; Harris, Taylor; Crowl, Jones, Stott, Bridge, Rudge, Cunningham. Int: Gaskin, Hoyle, Whitfield, Birchall. WARRINGTON (W): Davis, Johnston, Baggaley, Simpson, Sutherland; Eastwood, Magraw; Daniels, Jelves, Latchford, Williams, Haley, Westwood. Int: Boardman, Courtman, Roberts, Downs.

BRADFORD (W) 38 (C. Collins 2, L. Williams 2, L. Butterfield, M. Downs, A. Fisher, B. Macmillan tries; M. Bell 2, L. Butterfield goals) DEFEATED OULTON (W) 6 (D. Westwood try; K. Gittins goal) AT ODSAL STADIUM. Date: Sun, 21st May. Kickoff: 5:15 PM. Halftime: Bradford (W) 24-0. Referee: Aidan Rhodes. BRADFORD (W): Macmillan, Williams, Scott, Alexander, Butterfield; Lewis, Bell; Downs, Kilburn, Fisher, Powell, Harrap, Collins. Int: Stafford, Malik, Spurr, Jackson. OULTON (W): Rose, Westwood, Johnson, Short, Oram; Gittins, Hill; Hirst, McFarlane, Wilkinson, Harriman, Costello, Fitzpatrick. Int: Birtwhistle, Briggs, Faulkner, Senior.

#### TABLES

GROUP A	Р	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1 WIGAN (W)	3	3		-	110	30	6	80
2 CARDIFF (W)	3	2	1	-	68	64	4	4
3 FEATHERSTONE (W)	3	1	2	-	50	56	2	-6
4 SALFORD (W)	3	-	3	-	16	94	0	-78

GROUP B	Р	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1 LEEDS (W)	3	3		-	172		6	172
2 HUDDERSFIELD (W)	3	2	1	-	86	68	4	18
3 BRADFORD (W)	3	1	2	-	50	110	2	-60
4 OULTON (W)	3	-	3	-	10	140	0	-130

GROUP C	Р	W	L	D	F	А	+/-	Pts
1 ST HELENS (W)	3	3		-	220	4	6	216
2 WARRINGTON (W)	3	2	1	-	140	48	4	92
3 LONDON (W)	3	1	2	-	50	144	2	-94
4 CASTLEFORD (W)	3	-	3	-	4	218	0	-214

GROUP D	Р	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1 YORK (W)	3	3		-	220	4	6	216
2 LEIGH (W)	3	2	1	-	68	92	4	-24
3 BARROW (W)	3	1	2	-	46	85	2	-39
4 HULL KR (W)	3	-	3	-	27	180	0	-153

#### QUARTER FINALS DRAW

The Quarter Finals draw will be held on Friday 26 May and be broadcast live on BBC Radio 5 Live, following the Leeds-St Helens Super League match.

Q	UALIFIED TEAMS:
V	Vigan Warriors
L	eeds Rhinos
S	t Helens
Y	ork Valkvrie

Cardiff Demons Huddersfield Giants Warrington Wolves Leigh Leopards

# **NSWRL TEAMLISTS & RESULTS**

#### **KNOCK-ON EFFECT NSW CUP - ROUND 13**

PARRAMATTA EELS V NORTH SYDNEY BEARS Fri May 26 2023, 5:40pm at CommBank Stadium, Parramatta / Burramattagal PARRAMATTA: 1. Zac Cini 2. Haze Dunster 3. Josh Minhinnick 4. Isaac Lumelume 5. Chris Tupou 6. Daejarn Asi 7. Jordan Rankin 8. Jirah Momoisea 9. Meni Luke 10. Ky Rodwell 11. Jack Murchie 12. Dan Keir 13. Jayden Yates 14. Tevita Taumoepenu 15. Niko Apelu 16. Jontay-Junior Betham-Misa 17. Toni Mataele NORTH SYDNEY: 1. Josh Bergamin 2. Tuipulotu Katoa 3. William Fakatoumafi 4. Toa Mata'af 5. Junior Pauga 6. Jesse Marschke 7. Ben Stevanovic 8. Fletcher Baker 9. Ben Marschke 10. Terrell May 11. Elie El-zakham 12. Reuben Porter 13. Zach Dockar-Clay 14. Tyran Ott 15. Ben Thomas 16. Phillip Makatoa 17. Kurt De Luis Officials not vet announced.

SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS V CANBERRA RAIDERS Sat May 27 2023, 5:10pm at Accor Stadium, Sydney Olympic Park / Wanngal SOUTH SYDNEY: 1. Jacob Gagai 2. Tom Carr 3. Josiah Karapani 4. Leonard Skelton 5. Richie Kennar 6. Dion Teaupa 7. Dean Hawkins 8. Jaxson Rahme 9. Peter Mamouzelos 10. Brock Gray 11. Maila Chan-Foon 12. Ethan O'Neill 13. Chase Chapman 14. Shannon Gardiner 15. Darcy Hardman 16. Yileen Gordon 17. Tristian Alvarado CANBERRA: 1. Xavier Savage 2. Utuloa Asouma 3. Harley Smith-Shields 4. Brad Morkos 5. James Schiller 6. Matt Frawley 7. Brad Schneider 8. Jordan Martin 9. Danny Levi 10. Peter Hola 11. Jed Stuart 12. Luke Webley 13. Hohepa Puru 14. Joshua James 15. Jayden Clarkson 16. Juwan Compain 17. Joshua Allen 18. Loghan Lewis

Officials not yet announced.

WARRIORS V PENRITH PANTHERS Sun May 28 2023, 11:30am at Go Media Stadium, Penrose / Aotearoa

WARRIORS: 1. Taine Tuaupiki 2. Moala Graham-Taufa 3. Viliami Vailea 4. Brayden Wiliame 5. Ali Leiataua 6. Ben Farr 7. Ronald Volkman 8. Zyon Maiu'u 9. Maia Sands 10. James Gavet 11. Kalani Going 12. Selumiela Halasima 13. Nicholas Halalilo 14. Eiden Ackland 15. Isaiah Vagana 16. Solomon Vasuvulagi 18. Setu Tu **PENRITH:** 1. Isaiah longi 2. Jesse McLean 3. Matt Stimson 4. Samuel Lane 5. Daeon Amituanai 6. Trent Toelau 7. Kurt Falls 8. Liam Henry 9. Luke Sommerton 10. Eddie Blacker 11. Mavrik Geyer 12. Preston Riki 13. Chris Smith 14. Connor Mason 15. Sunita Lotoaniu 16. John Faiumu 17. Ativalu Lisati 18. Harrison Hassett Officials not yet announced.

ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS V WESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES Sun May 28 2023, 1:00pm at Collegians Sports Complex, Figtree / Dharawal ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA: 1. Treigh Stewart 2. Alexander Lobb 3. Tautau Moga 4. Max Feagai 5. Sione Finau 6. Paul Turner 7. Zach Herring 8. Zane Musgrove 9. Connor Muhleisen 10. Viliami Fifita 11. Dylan Egan 12. Daniel Russell 13. Ryan Couchman 14. Haele Finau 15. Alec Tuitavake 16. Nick Lui-Toso 17. Jackson Shereb WESTERN SUBURBS: 1. Daine Laurie 2. Livai Saukuru 3. Semisi Kioa 4. Triston Reilly 5. Israel Ogden 6. Tony Pellow 7. Will Smith 8. Aistasi James 9. Ruatapu Ngatikaura 10. Tukimihia Simpkins 11. Brandon Tumeth 12. Brandon Mansfield 13. Justin Matamua 14. Manaia Cherrington 15. James Roumanos 16. Sione Fainu 17. John Tuivaiti 18. Aden Perry Officials not yet announced.

NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS V BLACKTOWN WORKERS SEA EAGLES Sun May 28 2023, 1:35pm at McDonald Jones Stadium, New Lambton / Awabakal NEWCASTLE: 1. David Armstrong 2. Laitia Moceidreke 3. Enari Tuala 4. Simi Sasagi 5. Bailey Hodgson 6. Liam Sutton 7. Adam Clune 8. Cooper Jenkins 9. Kobe Rugless 10. Callan Burgess 11. Brodie Jones 12. Dane Aukafolau 13. Thomas Cant 14. Temple Kalepo 16. John Toleafoa 17. Ben Talty BLACKTOWN: 1. Clayton Faulalo 2. Bilal Maarbani 3. Ryan Garner 4. Jackson Ferris 5. Jake Toby 6. Brad Abbey 7. Latu Fainu 8. Jacob Sykes 9. Nathaniel Roache 10. Austin Dias 11. Zac Fulton 12. Joshua Stuckey 13. Denzal Tonise 14. Vea Tapaatoutai 15. James Uesele 16. Faleata Iosefa 17. Joey Tramontana 18. Jordan Main Officials not yet announced.

SYDNEY ROOSTERS V NEWTOWN JETS Sun May 28 2023, 3:15pm at Wentworth Park, Glebe / Gadigal SYDNEY: 1. Ethan King 2. Allan Fitzgibbon 3. Ethan Clark-Wood 4. Tyrell Neiufi 5. Jade Anderson 6. Hugo Savala 7. Sandon Smith 15. Xavier Va'a 9. Thomas Deakin 10. Naufahu Whyte 11. Riley Meyn 12. Jonah Ngaronoa 13. Siua Wong 8. Callum Ellis 14. Joseph Whitikama Temara Taipari 16. Phoenix Steinwede 17. Luke Hodge 18. Noel Aukafolau NEWTOWN: 1. Mawene Hiroti 2. Josh Mansour 3. Jenson Taumoepeau 4. Samuel Stonestreet 5. Thomas Rodwell 6. Daniel Atkinson 7. Niwhai Puru 8. Rhys Dakin 9. Jayden Berrell 10. Jesse Colquhoun 11. Jordin Leiu 12. Charbel Tasipale 13. Billy Magoulias 15. Tyler Slade 17. Caleb Uele 19. Kyle Pickering 21. Tuku Hau Tapuha 22. Bradley Fearnley

BYE: Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs

Officials not yet announced.

#### **RON MASSEY CUP - ROUND 9 RESULTS**

St Marys (22) Tries: Jake Tago 3, David Fale; Goals: Todd Sapienza 3 def Kaiviti Silktails (12) Tries: Sefanaia Bola, TBC; Goals: Tomasi Seru 2 at Churchill Park, Lautoka / Fiji

Glebe Dirty Reds (34) Tries: Michael Coleman, Harrison Mckeon, Riley Travers, George Sukanaivalu, Joseph Taipari, Johnathan Tufuga; Goals: Devon Makoare-Boyce 5 def Mounties (20) Tries: Haimona Hiroti, Thomas Menzies, Roman loelu, Lorenzo Mulitalo; Goals: Joel Hughes 2 at Aubrey Keech Reserve, Hinchinbrook / Dharawal

Penrith Brothers (30) Tries: Steven Taupau Sako 2, Jordan Main, Faleata Iosefa, Viliami Kuli; Goals: Ryan Garner 5 def HIIIs Bulls (22) Tries: Logan Aldridge 2, Taniela Lasalo, Regan Hughes; Goals: Brad Keighran 3 at Crestwood Oval, Baulkham Hills / Bediagal

Wentworthville Magpies (38) Tries: Niko Apelu 2, Robbie Graham, Ryan Pritchard, Josh Delailoa, Joshuah Minhinnick, Lodoviko Cokanauto; Goals: Dylan White 5 def Canterbury Bankstown Bulldogs (22) Tries: Bayley Cox, Lajuan Vito, Kallum Weatherall-Stacey, Thomas Fisher; Goals: Kallum Weatherall-Stacey 3 at Ringrose Park, Wentworthville / Boolbainora

BYE: Ryde-Eastwood Hawks

#### **RESULTS - ROUND 12**

BYE: Warriors

Parramatta Eels (26) Tries: Isaac Lumelume 2, Jordan Rankin, Jayden Yates, Jake Arthur; Goals: Jordan Rankin 3/5 def South Sydney Rabbitohs (16) Tries: Ethan O'Neill, Peter Mamouzelos, Dion Teaupa; Goals: Dean Hawkins 2/3 at Allianz Stadium, Moore Park / Gadigal Penrith Panthers (40) Tries: Luke Garner 2, Preston Riki, Trent Toelau, Matt Stimson, Daeon Amituanai, Tom Jenkins; Goals: Kurt Falls 5/6, Matt Stimson 1/1 def Western Suburbs Magpies (10) Tries: Israel Ogden, Triston Reilly; Goals: Will Smith 1/2 at Leichhardt Oval, Lilyfield / Wanngal

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St George Illawarra Dragons (42) Tries: Billy Burns 3, Paul Turner, Connor Muhleisen, Viliami Fifita, Zach Herring; Goals: Alexander Lobb 7/8 def Sydney Roosters (22) Tries: Phoenix Steinwede, Sandon Smith, Allan Fitzgibbon, Ethan King; Goals: Sandon Smith 3/4 at Collegians Sports Complex, Figtree / Dharawal

Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles (19) Tries: Brad Abbey, Nathaniel Roache, Clayton Faulalo; Goals: Jamie Humphreys 3/4; Field Goals: Jamie Humphreys 1 def Canberra Raiders (12) Tries: Brad Schneider, Luke Webley; Goals: Brad Schneider 2/2 at GIO Stadium Canberra, Bruce / Ngunnawal

North Sydney Bears (24) Tries: Junior Pauga 4, Jesse Marschke; Goals: Ben Stevanovic 2/5 def Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (22) Tries: Chris Patolo, Jackson Topine, Danny Gabrael, Jordi Mazzone; Goals: Kyle Flanagan 3/4 at North Sydney Oval, North Sydney / Cammeraygal

LA	DDER: ROUND 12	Р	W	L	D	В	F	A	+/-	Pts
1. NORTH SYDNEY BEARS			9	2	0	1	283	196	87	20
2. NE	2. NEWTOWN JETS			3	1	1	313	185	128	17
3. W	ARRIORS	11	7	3	1	1	326	212	114	17
4. C <i>i</i>	NTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS	12	7	3	2	0	284	188	96	16
5. CA	NBERRA RAIDERS	11	6	4	1	1	212	201	11	15
6. PE	NRITH PANTHERS	11	6	5	0	1	256	211	45	14
7. BL	ACKTOWN WORKERS SEA EAGLES	10	4	5	1	2	233	246	-13	13
8. PA	ARRAMATTA EELS	12	6	5	1	0	234	306	-72	13
9. W	ESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES	11	5	6	0	1	255	258	-3	12
10. S	T GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	11	4	6	1	1	236	270	-34	11
11. S	DUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS	11	4	7	0	1	208	286	-78	10
12. S	YDNEY ROOSTERS	11	2	9	0	1	234	304	-70	6
13. N	EWCASTLE KNIGHTS	11	1	10	0	1	172	383	-211	4
TO	P TRIES					Р			T	
1	Junior PAUGA	NSB				11			14	
2	Clayton FAULALO	BLK				9			11	
3	Allan FITZGIBBON	SYD				11			10	
	Thomas JENKINS	PEN				11			10	
TO	P POINTS				F	)	T	G	F	Pts
1	Ronald VOLKMAN	WAR			9	)	4	47		110
2	Jesse MARSCHKE	NSB			1	1	5	29	1	79
3	Mawene HIROTI	NWT			{	}	2	33	-	74
	Jordan RANKIN	PAR			1	1	3	31	-	74

LADDER: ROUND 9	Р	W	L	D	В	F	A	+/-	Pts
1. ST MARYS	8	8	0	0	1	226	102	124	18
2. GLEBE DIRTY REDS	8	6	2	0	1	212	172	40	14
3. RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS	8	5	3	0	1	190	110	80	12
4. WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES	8	5	3	0	1	168	130	38	12
5. HILLS BULLS	8	4	4	0	1	206	174	32	10
6. MOUNTIES	8	3	5	0	1	168	192	-24	8
7. KAIVITI SILKTAILS	8	2	6	0	1	164	207	-43	6
8. PENRITH BROTHERS	8	2	6	0	1	117	202	-85	6
9. CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS	8	1	7	0	1	138	300	-162	4

#### **ROUND 10 FIXTURES**

27-28 MAY

Time	Match	Venue
Sat 3pm	MOUNTIES v ST MARYS	Aubrey Keech Reserve
Sat 8pm	KAIVITI SILKTAILS v PENRITH BROTHERS	Prince Charles Park, Nadi
Sun 1:15pm	GLEBE DIRTY REDS v WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES	Wentworth Park
Sun 3pm	RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS v CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS	TG Milner Field
BYE	HILLS BULLS	

#### U21 JERSEY FLEGG CUP - ROUND 13

PARRAMATTA EELS V MELBOURNE STORM Sat May 27 2023, 2:45pm at Kellyville Park, Kellyville / Bediagal

PARRAMATTA: 1. Apa Twidle 2. Matthew Komolafe 3. Turoa Williams 4. Richard Penisini 5. Lene Feterika 6. Mac Puafisi 7. Joshua Lynn 8. Noah Reed 9. Jacob Davis 10. Sam Tuivaiti 11. Jock Brazel 12. Saxon Pryke 13. Nicholas Lenaz 14. Matthew Arthur 15. Lance Fualema 16. Lachlan Mears-Crabbe 17. Larry Muagututia 18. Damien Nati

MELBOURNE: 1. Matthew Hill 2. Maanaima Amosa 3. Coby Williamson 5. Ali Okusitino 6. Stanley Huen 7. Keagan Russell-Smith 8. Jordan Wilson 9. Gabriel Satrick 10. Sheldon Diaz 11. K-Ci Newton-Whare 12. Mitchell Jennings 13. Angus Hinchey 14. Suliasi Prescott 15. Jerry Musu 16. Che Te Rangi 17. Zayvian Langkilde-Fale 18. Joshua Berryman 19. Jayden Weir Officials not vet announced

SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS V CANBERRA RAIDERS Sat May 27 2023, 3:25pm at Accor Stadium, Sydney Olympic Park / Wanngal SOUTH SYDNEY: 1. Dane Towns 2. Tyrone Munro 3. Samuel Jinks 4. Jude Saldanha 5. Carson Kaho 6. Jye Gray 7. Joseph Nohra 8. Louis Grossemy 9. Romano Cook 10. Taine Woodford 11. Dranza Hawe-De-Thierry 12. James Kokkinos 13. Archie Donnelly 14. Emmanuel Di Bartolo 15. Charles Vaka 16. Isaiah Vailalo 17. Cruise Tweedie 18. Joseph Yeo 19. Etuate Laui

CANBERRA: 1. Chevy Stewart 2. Livai Kaloutolu 3. Regan Carr 4. Peyton Jenkins 5. Ryan Woolley 6. Ethan Strange 7. Jalen Afamasaga 8. Loghan Lewis 9. Toby Thorburn 10. Jake Clydsdale 11. Jack Hartwig 13. Mitchell Spencer 15. Jaxon Lavender 16. Tane Kiriona 17. Mitchell Prest 18. Owen Pattie

Officials not yet announced.

ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS V WESTS TIGERS Sun May 28 2023, 11:15am at Collegians Sports Complex, Figtree / Dharawal ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA: 1. Wesley Pring 2. Benjamin Rumble 3. Savelio Tamale 4. Campbell Watchirs 5. Te Umuariki Heremia-Tukere 6. Lyhkan King-Togia 7. Ashton Ward 8. Bryce Magnone 9. Declan Purcell 10. Jacob Webster 11. Phoenix Vetenibua-Finnerty 12. Nicholas Tsougranis 13. Hamish Stewart 14. Kyan Hjaltason 15. Jett Liu 16. Thomas Phillips 17. Callum Leikvoll 19. Travis Barrett-Hancock WESTS TIGERS: 1. Trey Peni 2. Harrison Henson 3. Josh Feledy 4. Compton Fuatimau 5. Jay Kirk 6. Michael Tannous 7. Zane Camroux 8. Tray Lolesio 9. Danny Ghantous 11. Sione Vaihu 12. Finnley Neilsen 13. Apisalome Saukuru 14. Cayne Nicholas 15. Iverson Matai 16. Herman Tofaeono 17. Christopher Faagutu 18. Mitchell Chester 23. Jackson Owen Officials not vet announced

NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS V MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES Sun May 28 2023, 11:30am at McDonald Jones Stadium, New Lambton / Awabakal NEWCASTLE: 1. Tyreece Woods 2. Kyle McCarthy 3. Jarome Falemoe 4. Chris Veaila 5. Luke Pietzner 6. Mitch Henderson 8. Sebastian Su'a 9. Riley Jones 10. Brock Greacen 11. Jermaine McEwen 12. Edward Hampson 13. Myles Martin 15. Jack Cullen 16. Braye Guyan 17. Elijah Leaumoana

MANLY: 1. Lehi Hopoate 2. Cameron Brown 3. Tom Jarrett 4. Terence Patolo 5. Una Uasi 6. Harradyn Wilson 7. Tylor Bunting 8. Connor Cromarty 9. Jamie Humphreys 10. Zane Dunford 11. Iverson Mapu-Satiu 12. Xavier Sofeni-calder 13. Caleb Navale 14. Daniel O'Donnell 15. Devante Mihinui 16. Kylan Mafoa 17. Cruz Smith 18. Broden Konz 20. Blake Metcalfe Officials not yet announced.

SYDNEY ROOSTERS V CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS Sun May 28 2023, 11:45am at Wentworth Park, Glebe / Gadigal SYDNEY: 2. Xavier Chatfield-Mooka 3. Kyron Fekitoa 4. Vaiala Tamati 5. Tavita Henare-Schuster 6. Tyler Colley 7. Braith Alexander 8. Tayson Fakaosi 9. Alan Holten 10. Corey Ross 11. Jordan Swann 12. Max McCathie 13. Caleb Tohi 14. Angus Fahey 15. Watasoni Waqanisaravi 16. Taylor Logan 17. Nicholas Fenton 18. Kenny Saad 19. Jack Smith

CRONULLA: 1. Chaz Jarvis 2. Cain Barnes 3. Noah Lester 4. Benjamin Lavender 5. Kristian Dixon 6. Tully Wilton 7. Manaia Waitere 8. Lachlan Crouch 9. Samuel Healey 10. Joshua Finau 11. Toby Boothroyd 12. Henry O'Kane 13. Blake Hosking 14. Kobie Wilson 15. Salesi Ataata 16. Max Bradbury 17. Ethan Cocco 18. Jayden Foye 19. Felix Faatili 20. Te Wehi Waitere 21. Samuel McCulloch 22. Toataua Porima Officials not yet announced.

BYE: Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs, Penrith Panthers

#### **SYDNEY SHIELD - ROUND 9 RESULTS**

Mounties (45) Tries: Solomon Akama 2, Matthew Craparotta 2, Samuel Tawamacala, Kaylib Savage, Liam Christensen, James Mcmullen; Goals: Kaylib Savage 6; Field Goals: Liam Christensen 1 def Glebe Dirty Reds (26) Tries: Jacob Tautaiolefua, Shaiquan Terekia, Joshua Khoury, Dean Kulevski, Matthew Maroun; Goals: Jacob Tautaiolefua 3 at Aubrey Keech Reserve, Hinchinbrook / Dharawal

St Marys SS (44) Tries: Michael Tuavao 4, Jedd Gordon 2, Kaleb Farr, Masi Fidow, 1 TBC; Goals: Zac Greene 4 def Cabramatta SS (12) Tries: Emosi Alamoti 2; Goals: Brandon Maycock 2 at New Era Stadium, Cabramatta / Cabrogal

Hills Bulls (44) Tries: Nicholas Bilsborough, Dylan Marshall, Isaac Gorman, Sean Walpole, Joshua Rizk, Benjamin O'Reilly, Joseph Jaber, Tui Afualo; Goals: Jayden Griffin 6 def Penrith Brothers (10) Tries: Jye Bolt, Lachlan Whitehouse; Goals: Baley Borthwick 1 at Crestwood Oval, Baulkham Hills / Bediagal

Moorebank Rams (38) Tries: Dwayne Ludwick 3, Caleb Laiman 2, Joel Saldaneri, Aisake Tukuafu; Goals: 5 scorer unconfirmed def Wentworthville United (16) Tries: Koevy Lemusu, Feao Lavemai, Corey Gatt; Goals: Marbam Wichmann 2 at Ringrose Park, Wentworthville / Boolbainora

BYE: Ryde-Eastwood Hawks

#### **RESULTS - ROUND 12**

BYE: Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles, Melbourne Storm

Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (26) Tries: Josh Finau, Cody Fuz, Benjamin Lavender, Kristian Dixon, Cain Barnes; Goals: Max Riolo 2/3, Kristian Dixon 1/2 def Newcastle Knights (20) Tries: Kyle Mccarthy 2, Mitch Henderson, Oryn Keeley; Goals: Liam Sutton 2/4 at Henson Park, Marrickville / Gadigal-Wanngal

Wests Tigers (28) Tries: Zane Camroux, Jay Kirk, Harrison Henson, Josh Feledy, Christopher Faagutu; Goals: Zane Camroux 4/5 def Penrith Panthers (20) Tries: Timothy Sielaff-Burns 2, Ryley Smith, Angelis Hotere-Papalii; Goals: Timothy Sielaff-Burns 2/4 at Leichhardt Oval, Lilyfield / Wanngal

Sydney Roosters (34) Tries: Jordan Swann, Kyron Fekitoa, Xavier Chatfield-Mooka, Tayson Fakaosi, Jack Smith, Matua Robinson; Goals: Tyler Colley 5/6 def St George Illawarra Dragons (12) Tries: Te Umuariki Heremia-Tukere, Kyan Hjaltason; Goals: Ashton Ward 2/2 at Collegians Sports Complex, Figtree / Dharawal

Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (26) Tries: Cameron Lawrence 2, Harry Hayes, Jonathan Sua, Montel Lisala; Goals: Jonathan Sua 3/5 def Canberra Raiders (10) Tries: Jake Clydsdale, Jaxon Lavender; Goals: Regan Carr 1/2 at Accor Stadium, Sydney Olympic Park / Wanngal

South Sydney Rabbitohs (32) Tries: Jye Gray 3, Archie Donnelly, Tyrone Munro, James Kokkinos; Goals: Joseph Nohra 4/7 def Parramatta Eels (20) Tries: Samuel Loizou 2, Matthew Komolafe 2; Goals: Ethan Sanders 2/2 at Mascot Oval, Mascot / Bidjigal

LADDER: ROUND 12	Р	W	L	D	В	F	A	+/-	Pts
1. SYDNEY ROOSTERS	10	8	2	0	2	318	190	128	20
2. CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	10	8	2	0	2	245	152	93	20
3. CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS	10	7	3	0	2	262	171	91	18
4. PENRITH PANTHERS	10	6	3	1	2	246	187	59	17
5. SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS	10	6	3	1	2	197	208	-11	17
6. PARRAMATTA EELS	10	5	5	0	2	216	214	2	14
7. MELBOURNE STORM	9	4	5	0	3	188	189	-1	14
8. WESTS TIGERS	10	4	6	0	2	208	264	-56	12
9. ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	9	3	6	0	3	186	256	-70	12
10. NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	10	3	7	0	2	224	242	-18	10
11. MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES	10	2	8	0	2	196	301	-105	8
12. CANBERRA RAIDERS	10	2	8	0	2	140	252	-112	8

LADDER: ROUND 9	Р	W	L	D	В	F	A	+/-	Pts
1. ST MARYS	8	7	1	0	1	278	164	114	16
2. HILLS BULLS	8	6	2	0	1	256	164	92	14
3. PENRITH BROTHERS	8	5	3	0	1	220	166	54	12
4. CABRAMATTA TWO BLUES*	7	4	2	1	1	197	208	-11	11
5. RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS	8	3	4	1	1	202	208	-6	9
6. WENTWORTHVILLE UNITED	8	3	5	0	1	218	245	-27	8
7. MOUNTIES	8	3	5	0	1	185	216	-31	8
8. MOOREBANK RAMS	8	2	6	0	1	160	238	-78	6
9. GLEBE DIRTY REDS*	7	1	6	0	1	134	241	-107	4

#### **ROUND 10 FIXTURES**

27-28 MAY

Time	Match	Venue
Sat 1pm	MOUNTIES v ST MARYS	Aubrey Keech Reserve
Sat 5pm	CABRAMATTA TWO BLUES v PENRITH BROTHERS	New Era Stadium
Sun 10am	GLEBE DIRTY REDS v WENTWORTHVILLE UNITED	Wentworth Park
Sun 1pm	RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS v MOOREBANK RAMS	TG Milner Field
BYE	HILLS BULLS	

## **QRL TEAMLISTS & RESULTS**

#### **HOSTPLUS CUP - ROUND 11**

#### TWEED SEAGULLS V WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS

Sat May 27 2023, 2:00pm at Piggabeen Sports Complex, Tweed Heads / Bundjalung

**TWEED:** 1. Lindon McGrady 2. Kaleb Ngamanu 3. Lee Turner 4. Treymain Spry 5. Ryland Jacobs 6. Will Brimson 7. Toby Sexton 8. Luke Burton 9. Brent Woolf 10. Lamar Manuel-Liolevave 11. Jacob McCudden 12. Ioane Seiuli 13. Jaron Purcell 14. Oskar Bryant 15. Daniel Ross 16. Reece Summer 17. Ryan Jones

WYNNUM MANLY: 1. Matthew Milson 2. Gideon Gela-Mosby 3. Stanford Talita 5. Joshua Simm 6. Joshua Rogers 7. Kyle Foxwell 8. Cooper Page-Wilson 9. Oliver Pascoe 10. Jack Martin 11. Kitron Laka 12. Darius Farmer 13. Luke Gale 14. Kalolo Saitaua 16. William Samuel 17. Bailey Hartwig 18. James Robinson 21. John Radel 22. Jack Croft Referee: Chris Sutton; Sideline Officials: Jarrod Cole, Steve Kanowski

#### PNG HUNTERS V NORTHERN PRIDE

Sat May 27 2023, 3:00pm at Santos National Football Stadium, Port Moresby / PNG

PNG: 1. Morea Morea 2. Brandon Nima 3. Junior Igila 4. Rodrick Tai 5. Solo Wane 6. Sakias Komati 7. Jamie Mavoko 8. Junior Rop 9. Wesser Tenza 10. Tom Moide 11. Epel Kapinias 12. Julius Yakopa 13. Ila Alu 14. Judah Rimbu 15. Sanny Wabo 16. Koso Bandi 17. Seal Kalo 18. Benji Kott 19. Henry Noki 21. Casey Dickson

NORTHERN: 1. Julian Christian 2. Will Partridge 3. Rashaun Denny 4. Bernard Lewis 5. Rhy Young 6. Dantoray Lui 7. Even Child 8. Whyatt Barnes 9. Harry Freebairn 10. Jaymon Moore 11. Ewan Moore 12. Kenneth Fonoti 13. Ash Little 14. Zane Knowles 15. Daniel Hindmarsh 16. Zac Vella 17. Feao Tongia 18. Ryan Flegler

Referee: Nick Pelgrave; Sideline Officials: Nick Morel, Zac Schwass

#### **IPSWICH JETS V BURLEIGH BEARS**

Sat May 27 2023, 3:00pm at North Ipswich Reserve, North Ipswich / Yuggera

IPSWICH: 1. Jayden Corrigan 2. Dominic Macumboy 3. Flynn Groth 4. Isaac Nokes 5. Ricco Falaniko 6. Mosese Qionomacawa 7. Dray Ngatuere-Wroe 8. Clayton Mack 9. Rhys Jacks 10. Gordon Whippy 11. Jerome Veve 12. Joel Holdsworth 13. Zacchues Chong-Nee 15. Apakuki Tavodi 16. Brett Greinke 17. Bradley Zampech 18. Nicholas Flocas 19. Jacob Reedy-Bartlett 20. Lucky Pokipoki 21. Kegan Tuhega

BURLEIGH: 1. Keano Kini 2. Tony Francis 3. Sami Sauiluma 4. Kea Pere 6. Tom Steadman 7. Guy Hamilton 8. Iszac Fa'asumaleaui 9. Pat Politoni 10. Jeff Lynch 11. Jacob Alick 12. Hayden Schwass 13. Sam Coster 14. Toby McIntosh 15. Vaka Sikahele 16. Matthew Koellner 17. Lochlyn Sheldon 18. Emry Pere 20. Ken Maumalo

Referee: Ben Watts; Sideline Officials: Jack Klein, Matt Gannon

#### **CQ CAPRAS V NORTHS DEVILS**

Sat May 27 2023, 4:00pm at Browne Park, Rockhampton / Darumbal

CENTRAL: 1. Blake Moore 2. Tom Farr 3. Cooper Marshall 4. Kurtis Farr 5. Edrick Lee 6. Kurt Donoghoe 7. Jack Madden 8. Bailey Butler 9. Trey Browne 10. Valentine Richard 11. Zev John 12. Nixon Putt 13. Lachlan Hubner 14. Jack White 15. Aaron Teroi 16. Jeremy McLachlan 17. Samuel Yegip 18. Riley Reid 19. Brandon Clarke

NORTHS: 1. Jack Ahearn 2. Jared Chambers 3. Connor Broadhurst 4. Tony Tumusa 5. Jonathon Reuben 6. Kyle Coghill 7. Bryce Donovan 8. Justin Makirere 9. Kierran Moseley 10. Jayden Stephens 11. Viko Puliuvea 12. Sam Elliott 13. Liam Horne 14. Zakaria Mcguire 15. Zach Brooks 16. Zachery McMinn 17. Tauaalo Vaipulu 18. Moses Noovao-McGreal 19. Kahli Jnr Kali 20. Bernard Gregorius 21. Hayden Rowbotham

Referee: Tyson Brough; Sideline Officials: Jay Hardie, Jack Ebert

#### SUNSHINE COAST FALCONS V REDCLIFFE DOLPHINS

Sat May 27 2023, 5:00pm at Sunshine Coast Stadium, Bokarina / Kabi Kabi

SUNSHINE COAST: 1. Sualauvi Faalogo 2. Scott Galeano 3. Young Tonumaipea 4. Luke Poiselli 5. Jason Gillard 6. Jayden Nikorima 7. Kyle Laybutt 9. Danny Heenan 10. Lazarus Vaalepu 11. Louis Geraghty 12. Chris Lewis 13. Sam Burns 14. Jai Smoothy 15. Taylor Mccann 16. Matthew Baker 17. Blake Woodford 18. Kaleb Sutton 20. Luke Jurd REDCLIFFE: 1. Trai Fuller 2. Brayden McGrady 3. Robert Jennings 4. Albert Kelly 5. Jack Bostock 6. Cameron Cullen 7. Cody

Hunter 8. Nathan Watts 9. Sheldon Pitama 10. Dunamis Lui 11. Poasa Faamausili 12. Jeremiah Simbiken 13. Max Plath 14. Harrison Graham 15. Ryan Jackson 16. Jackson Frei 17. Harrison McIndoe 18. Jarrett Boland Referee: Todd Smith; Sideline Officials: Marcus Fitzgerald, Dan Munroe

#### MACKAY CUTTERS V BRISBANE TIGERS

Sat May 27 2023, 6:00pm at BB Print Stadium, South Mackay / Yuwibara

MACKAY: 1. Rayden Burns 2. Walter Lauenstein 3. Flynn Camilleri 4. Josh Smith 5. Jaylan To'o 6. Adam Cook 7. Brandon Finnegan 8. Hiale Roycroft 9. Kyle Schneider 10. Robson Stevens 11. Isaiah Cooper-Tetevano 12. Asher O'Donnell 13. Sean Mullany 14. Sean Dalton 15. Hamilton Taia 16. Brandon Russell 17. Alfie Schultz 18. Bayley Gill

BRISBANE: 1. Tahj Wood 2. Corey Thompson 3. Solomona Faataape 4. Marion Seve 5. George Jennings 6. Ryley Jacks 7. Jack Miers 8. Tristan Powell 9. Tristan Hope 10. Jordan Grant 11. Joe Chan 12. Leivaha Pulu 13. Tariq Sims 14. Zac Taibi 15. Bennett Leslie 16. Thomas Rafter 17. Luke Bain 18. Jack Natapu

Referee: Daniel Schwass; Sideline Officials: Dylan Cassidy, Jeremy Meadows

#### WESTERN CLYDESDALES V SOUTHS LOGAN MAGPIES

Sun May 28 2023, 2:10pm at Clive Berghofer Stadium, Toowoomba / Giabal

WESTERN: 1. Jordan Lipp 2. Brock Diment 3. Bessie Aufaga-Toomaga 4. Melino Fineanganofo 5. Mitchell Watson 6. Cory McGrady 7. Matt Duggan 8. Blake Lenehan 9. Drew Timms 10. Darryn Schonig 11. Takai Mokohar 12. Hnaloan Budden 13. Todd White 14. Cole Waaka 15. Riley Moore 16. Nofoasa Malutoa 17. Harrison Leonard 18. Neihana Oldham 20. Tui Oloapu SOUTHS LOGAN: 1. Byron Johnson 2. Israel Leota 3. Jezzy Ioane 4. Jesse Jennings 5. Jack Smith 6. Radean Robinson 7. Jack Campagnolo 8. Justin Fai 9. Blake Mozer 10. Fabien Paletua-Kiri 11. Jack Svendsen 12. Tyler Coburn 13. Rory Ferguson 14. Callum Eggerling 15. Cruise Ten 16. Alex Fidow 19. Jacob Elmore Referee: Jarrod Cole; Sideline Officials: Marcus Fitzgerald, Isaac Freeman

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BYE: Townsville Blackhawks

#### **RESULTS - ROUND 10**

BYE: Brisbane Tigers

Papua New Guinea Hunters (24) Tries: Rodrick Tai 2, Sanny Wabo 2, Matthew Jesse; Goals: Jamie Mavoko 2/5 def Wynnum Manly Seagulls (28) Tries: Delouise Hoeter, Tyson Smoothy, Josh Rogers, Matthew Milson, Kyle Foxwell; Goals: Josh Rogers 4/5 at BMD Kougari Oval, Manly West / Quandamooka

Tweed Seagulls (54) Tries: Ioane Seiuli 4, Lindon Mcgrady, Ryland Jacobs, Treymain Spry, Jaron Purcell, Toby Sexton; Goals: Lindon Mcgrady 9/9 def Ipswich Jets (14) Tries: Clayton Mack, Mosese Qionomacawa, Ricco Falaniko; Goals: Gerome Burns 1/2 at North Ipswich Reserve, North Ipswich / Yuggera

Burleigh Bears (40) Tries: Sami Sauiluma 2, Ken Maumalo 2, Guy Hamilton, Matthew Koellner, Keano Kini; Goals: Tom Steadman 6/7 def Western Clydesdales (24) Tries: Mitchell Watson 3, Blake Lenehan; Goals: Bessie Toomaga 4/4 at UAA Park, Miami / Yugambeh

Central Queensland Capras (26) Tries: Edrick Lee 2, Lachlan Hubner, Cooper Marshall; Goals: Trey Browne 5/5 drew with Sunshine Coast Falcons (26) Tries: Jayden Nikorima 4, Scott Galeano; Goals: Sualauvi Faalogo 3/5 at Browne Park, Rockhampton / Darumbal

Redcliffe Dolphins (52) Tries: Albert Kelly, Brayden Mcgrady, Trai Fuller, Cody Hunter, Jeremiah Simbiken, Max Plath, Mason Teague, Jack Bostock, Ryan Jackson; Goals: Cody Hunter 8/9 def Mackay Cutters (10) Tries: Walter Lauenstein, Joshua Smith; Goals: Brandon Finnegan 1/2 at Suncorp Stadium, Milton / Yuggera-Turrbal

Souths Logan Magpies (16) Tries: Blake Mozer 2, Jack Smith; Goals: Jack Campagnolo 2/3 def Northern Pride (12) Tries: Will Partridge, Daniel Hindmarsh-Takyi; Goals: Will Partridge 2/3 at Tully Showgrounds, Tully / Jirrbal

Norths Devils (26) Tries: Liam Horne 2, Connor Broadhurst, Justin Makirere; Goals: Bryce Donovan 5/5 def Townsville Blackhawks (12) Tries: Taniela Sadrugu, Jodeci Baker-Tiraha; Goals: Thomas Duffy 2/2 at Bishop Park, Nundah / Turrbal

LADDER: ROUND 10	Р	W	L	D	В	F	A	+/-	Pts
1. BURLEIGH BEARS	9	8	1	0	1	254	162	92	18
2. SOUTHS LOGAN MAGPIES	9	6	1	2	1	244	134	110	16
3. SUNSHINE COAST FALCONS	8	5	2	1	2	258	158	100	15
4. BRISBANE TIGERS	9	6	2	1	1	256	176	80	15
5. CQ CAPRAS	9	6	2	1	1	233	168	65	15
6. TWEED SEAGULLS	9	6	3	0	1	282	189	93	14
7. REDCLIFFE DOLPHINS	9	5	2	2	1	240	208	32	14
8. WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS	9	5	4	0	1	254	206	48	12
9. NORTHERN PRIDE	9	5	4	0	1	135	196	-61	12
10. PNG HUNTERS	9	3	5	1	1	198	272	-74	9
11. NORTHS DEVILS	10	3	5	2	0	248	234	14	8
12. TOWNSVILLE BLACKHAWKS	9	3	6	0	1	198	207	-9	8
13. WESTERN CLYDESDALES	9	2	7	0	1	234	278	-44	6
14. IPSWICH JETS	9	0	9	0	1	150	412	-262	2
15. MACKAY CUTTERS	10	0	10	0	0	136	320	-184	0

TO	P POINTS		Р	T	G	F	Pts	
1	Cody HUNTER	RED	8	6	35	-	94	
2	Josh ROGERS	WMS	9	3	37	-	86	
3	Jack CAMPAGNOLO	SLM	9	2	38	-	84	
4	Tom STEADMAN	BUR	9	4	33	-	82	
TO	P TRIES			Р		T		
1	Mitchell WATSON	WCL		9		12		
2	Jack SMITH	SLM		9		10		
3	lavden NIKORIMA	SUN		8		8		

#### U21 HASTINGS DEERING COLTS - ROUND 6

#### TWEED SEAGULLS V WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS

Sat May 27 2023, 12:00pm at Piggabeen Sports Complex, Tweed Heads / Bundjalung

TWEED: 1. Jack Field 2. Tremaine Harry 3. Logan Radzievic 4. Malakhi Donovan 5. Jaxson Longa 6. Max Liles 7. Elliott Speed 8. Jayden Wright 9. Brooklyn Stanley 10. Jesse Jackson 11. Ryan Foran 12. Rawiri Matthews 13. Jordan Stewart 14. Harry Fraser 15. Jotham Russell 16. Nicholas Hilton 17. Khyan Weir 18. Jett Forbes

WYNNUM MANLY: 1. Will Parslow 2. Grand Hagai 3. Sefa Roache-Faimalo 4. Nathaniel Tangimataiti 5. Elijah Mikaio 6. Cassius Cowley 7. Jordan Davies 8. Beni Allen 9. Tyree Bowman 10. John Radel 11. Tieran Ross 12. Harry Armstrong 13. Cooper Hewett 15. Jay Blazek 16. Zaen Edmonds 17. Taylor Wright

Referee: Dylan Lawrence; Sideline Officials: Ben Holt, Jake Stanton;

#### **IPSWICH JETS V BURLEIGH BEARS**

Sat May 27 2023, 1:00pm at North Ipswich Reserve, North Ipswich / Yuggera

IPSWICH: 1. Casey Harding 2. Elijah Masame 3. Isaac Fels 4. Corey Cassidy-natano 5. Kennath Forrest 6. Jordan Afamasaga 7. Khan Towler 8. Jaden Carpenter 9. Ky Rashleigh 10. Samson Sauaso 11. Riley Flute 12. George Teo 14. Ryan Balint 15. Harrison Midgley 16. Daniel Porter 17. John-jeffery Wilson-mackie 18. Riley Reid 19. Conor Lalor-brennan

BURLEIGH: 1. Hunter Ploegsma 2. Jeremaiah Tamepo 3. Cruz Lasike 4. Mahaki Hetet-wairau 5. Zac Munn 6. Kedan Chan-Tung 7. Boston Tagg 8. T.J Devery 9. Nicholas Zusak 10. Xavier Stowers 11. Jesse Tu'inukuafe 12. Seth Nikotemo 13. Kaden Somerville 14. Tuakana Rangihaeata 15. Samuel Mcintyre 16. James Pere 17. Edward Finau

Referee: Lachlan Sutton; Sideline Officials: Jacob Funk, Harrison Lea;

#### **CQ CAPRAS V NORTHS DEVILS**

Sat May 27 2023, 2:00pm at Browne Park, Rockhampton / Darumbal

**CENTRAL:** 1. Mutua Brown 2. Jesuah Wini 3. Carsen Huth 4. Kurtis Farr 5. Bob Tenza 6. Marcus Tanner 7. Tana Martin 8. Bailey Cavanough 9. Harry Barham 10. Kelly Shadlow 11. Maea Mitchell 12. Jordan Heke 13. Jake Barham 14. Jackson Miller 15. Grady Callaghan 16. Darcy Biles 17. Selemaia Taungahihifo 18. Renny Jackson

NORTHS: 1. Declan Haydon 3. Blayden Dodd 4. Shay Martyn 5. Brandon Norris 6. Reece Briers 7. George Taualai 8. Darcy Turner 9. Harry Spragg 10. Ethan Jones 11. Kealhan Obrien 12. Harry Walters 13. Tristan Voll 14. Camron Lopez 15. Blake Sekona 16. Dylan Gibb 17. Toby Ennis 18. Jake Burke 19. George Henry Monaei 20. D'Metrius Iose 21. Stirling Smith Referee: Connor Baker; Sideline Officials: Hamish Kleijn, Haydn Scott;

#### SOUTHS LOGAN MAGPIES V REDCLIFFE DOLPHINS

Sat May 27 2023, 3:00pm at Logan Metro Sports Park, Crestmead / Yuggera

SOUTHS LOGAN: 1. Luke Bossons 2. Lachlan Mead 3. Jeremiah Muld 4. Denzel Samoa 5. William Lawrence 6. Jaxen Yow 7. Cody Hamilton 8. Caleb Evans 9. Taimana Whakatau 10. T.j. Tusa 11. Tyrese Mackeen 12. Kaleb Winters-chang 13. Max Pakai 14. Dylan Cross 15. Lokea Motufoua 16. Che Potaka 17. Taniela Mapusua Lotaki

REDCLIFFE: 1. Caleb Jackson 2. Brenton Baira 3. Michael Roberts 4. Marcus Spence 5. Blake Dawes 6. Corey Thomas 7. Sully Hoad 8. Tevita Toloi 9. Taniela Otukolo 10. Jak Goulding 11. Levi Wilson 12. Braith Major 13. Rhys Timms 14. Elijah Rasmussen 15. Noah Lutui 16. Michael Waqa 17. Ayden Hoad

Referee: Cody Kwik; Sideline Officials: Scott Whelan, Bailey Sheppard;

#### MACKAY CUTTERS V BRISBANE TIGERS

Sat May 27 2023, 3:45pm at BB Print Stadium, South Mackay / Yuwibara

MACKAY: 1. Corey Shepherd 2. Tyrese Parter 3. Toby Strecker 4. Mason Simpson 5. Braydon Dunbar 6. Henri Stocks 7. Seth Mcgilvray 8. Toby Sullivan 9. Kobe Bone 10. Ethan Sweet 11. Hugh Arthur 12. Liam Doherty 13. Baden Robinson 14. Ethan Roberts 15. Blake Coombes 16. Tyler Parrish 17. Matthew Watts

BRISBANE: 1. Lachlan West 2. Tea-Rani Woodman Tuhoro 3. Harry Farimbella 4. Joshua Lee 5. Glen Fisher 6. Bailey Black 7. Jake House 8. Madison Beckett 9. Braydon Seu-Easthope 10. Casey Morgan 11. Simon Pratt 12. Trent Veukiso 13. Brock Ashton 14. Jordan Plath 15. Joe Nadenic 16. Jordan Penquitt 19. Gabriel Reedy-Bartlett Referee: Nick McEwan; Sideline Officials: Kurt Sheather, Thomas Horne;

BYE: Northern Pride, Sunshine Coast Falcons, Townsville Blackhawks, Western Clydesdales

#### **RESULTS - ROUND 5**

BYE: Brisbane Tigers, Wynnum Manly Seagulls

Redcliffe Dolphins (32) Tries: Noah Lutui 2, Tevita Toloi, Taniela Otukolo, Brenton Baira, Ayden Hoad; Goals: Brenton Baira 4/6 def Mackay Cutters (10) Tries: Kobe Bone, Kai Simon; Goals: Henri Stocks 1/1, Seth McGilvray 0/1 at Jim Lawrie Oval, Brighton / Turrbal Tweed Seagulls (42) Tries: Max Liles 2, Malakhi Donovan, Blake Forder, Jaxson Longa, Jordan Stewart-Lewis, Jayden Wright, Nicholas Hilton; Goals: Logan Radzievic 5/8 def Ipswich Jets (22) Tries: Ryan Balint, Jaden Carpenter, Conor Lalor-Brennan, Casey Harding; Goals: Casey Harding 3/4 at North Ipswich Reserve, North Ipswich / Yuggera

Sunshine Coast Falcons (56) Tries: Brendan Siebuhr 3, Elliot Smethills 2, Josh Chappell, Mason Peut, Saxon Day, Kayd North, Corey Herdegen; Goals: Corey Herdegen 7/9, Josh Chappell 1/1 def Central Queensland Capras (12) Tries: Selemaia Taungahihifo, Bob Tenza; Goals: Harry Barham 1/1, Jake Barham 1/1 at Browne Park, Rockhampton / Darumbal

Souths Logan Magpies (54) Tries: Jaxen Yow 3, Denzel Samoa 2, Byron Johnson, Max Pakai, Jeremiah Muld, Che Potaka, William Lawrence; Goals: Byron Johnson 7/10 def Northern Pride (12) Tries: Hamish Davies, Caiban Thaiday; Goals: Dmitri Ahwang 2/2 at Barlow Park, Cairns / Yidinji

Burleigh Bears (30) Tries: Kedan Chan-Tung, Jesse Tu'Inukuafe, Xavier Stowers, Seth Nikotemo, Boston Tagg;Goals: Boston Tagg 4/5, Cruz Lasike 1/1 def Western Clydesdales (24) Tries: Jakeem Thompson 3, Flynn Kaiser Capewell, Bud Smith; Goals: Kai Duggan 2/5 at UAA Park, Miami / Yugambeh

Townsville Blackhawks (52) Tries: Tyreice Baira-Gela 2, Ragarive Wavik 2, Kurt Fisher, Tyrone Gunn-James, Cathane Hill, Zack Lamont, Henry Teutau; Goals: Dudley Dotoi 7/8, Ragarive Wavik 1/1 def Norths Devils (6) Tries: Ethan Jones; Goals: Reece Briers 1/1 at Bishop Park, Nundah / Turrbal

LADDER: ROUND 5	Р	W	L	D	В	F	A	+/-	Pts
1. TWEED SEAGULLS	4	4	0	0	1	180	52	128	10
2. REDCLIFFE DOLPHINS	4	4	0	0	1	162	56	106	10
3. BRISBANE TIGERS	4	4	0	0	1	112	60	52	10
4. WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS	4	3	1	0	1	142	68	74	8
5. MACKAY CUTTERS	4	3	1	0	1	114	106	8	8
6. TOWNSVILLE BLACKHAWKS	4	2	2	0	1	140	80	60	6
7. SUNSHINE COAST FALCONS	4	2	2	0	1	122	90	32	6
8. BURLEIGH BEARS	4	2	2	0	1	108	102	6	6
9. SOUTHS LOGAN MAGPIES	5	2	3	0	0	142	156	-14	4
10. WESTERN CLYDESDALES	5	2	3	0	0	148	164	-16	4
11. NORTHS DEVILS	5	2	3	0	0	110	172	-62	4
12. CQ CAPRAS	4	0	4	0	1	60	168	-108	2
13. IPSWICH JETS	4	0	4	0	1	72	218	-146	2
14. NORTHERN PRIDE	5	0	5	0	0	90	210	-120	0





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