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PENRITH v MANLY

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NEWCASTLE v WARRIORS

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WESTS TIGERS v PARRAMATTA

ACCOR STADIUM. SYDNEY OLYMPIC PARK

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.

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NRL 2023 LADDER & LEADERS AFTER ROUND 5

PRE	MIERSHIP LADDER				Home)						Away	,							Tota				
Pos	Team	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	PD	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	PD	Р	W		D	В	F	А	Pts	PD
1.	BRISBANE	3	3	-	-	114	46	68	2	2	-	-	31	24	7	5	5	-	-	-	145	70	10	75
2.	WARRIORS	2	2	-	-	36	26	10	3	2	1	-	70	62	8	5	4	1	-	-	106	88	8	18
3.	SYDNEY	3	3	-	-	68	50	18	1	-	1	-	18	28	-10	4	3	1	-	1	86	78	8	8
4.	MANLY	3	2	-	1	97	68	29	1	-	1	-	12	13	-1	4	2	1	1	1	109	81	7	28
5.	PENRITH	2	1	1	-	28	23	5	2	1	1	-	69	29	40	4	2	2	-	1	97	52	6	45
6.	MELBOURNE	2	1	1	-	36	38	-2	3	2	1	-	68	60	8	5	3	2	-	-	104	98	6	6
7.	DOLPHINS	3	2	1	-	60	50	10	2	1	1	-	48	58	-10	5	3	2	-	-	108	108	6	0
8.	CANTERBURY	2	2	-	-	41	36	5	3	1	2	-	46	59	-13	5	3	2	-	-	87	95	6	-8
9.	GOLD COAST	1	1	-	-	38	34	4	3	1	2	-	52	66	-14	4	2	2	-	1	90	100	6	-10
10.	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA	3	2	1	-	78	70	8	1	-	1	-	18	40	-22	4	2	2	-	1	96	110	6	-14
11.	NEWCASTLE	2	1	1	-	44	50	-6	3	1	1	1	58	64	-6	5	2	2	1	-	102	114	5	-12
12.	CRONULLA	2	-	2	-	48	59	-11	3	2	1	-	90	58	32	5	2	3	-	-	138	117	4	21
13.	SOUTHS	2	1	1	-	23	30	-7	3	1	2	-	55	54	1	5	2	3	-	-	78	84	4	-6
14.	NORTH QLD	3	2	1	-	55	56	-1	2	-	2	-	30	43	-13	5	2	3	-	-	85	99	4	-14
15.	PARRAMATTA	3	1	2	-	55	62	-7	2	-	2	-	50	62	-12	5	1	4	-	-	105	124	2	-19
16.	CANBERRA	2	1	1	-	36	73	-37	3	-	3	-	46	63	-17	5	1	4	-	-	82	136	2	-54
17.	WESTS TIGERS	2	-	2	-	22	36	-14	3	-	3	-	46	96	-50	5	-	5	-	-	68	132	-	-64

TOP TRYSCORERS

Rank	Player	Team	Р	T
1	Will KENNEDY	Cronulla	5	6
	Ronaldo MULITALO	Cronulla	5	6
	Kotoni STAGGS	Brisbane	5	6
	Hamiso TABUAI-FIDOW	Dolphins	5	6
	Dominic YOUNG	Newcastle	4	6
6	Josh ADDO-CARR	Canterbury	5	5
	Jamayne ISAAKO	Dolphins	5	5
	Alofiana KHAN-PEREIRA	Gold Coast	4	5
	Jaxson PAULO	Sydney	4	5
	Maika SIVO	Parramatta	5	5

TOP GOALKICKERS

Rank	Player	Team	Р	G	Att	%
1	Adam REYNOLDS	Brisbane	5	19	27	70%
2	Valentine HOLMES	North Qld	5	16	19	84%
	Nick MEANEY	Melbourne	5	16	19	84%
	Reuben GARRICK	Manly	4	16	21	76%
	Jamayne ISAAKO	Dolphins	5	16	22	73%
	Mitch MOSES	Parramatta	5	16	22	73%

TOP POINTSCORERS

Rank	Player	Team	P	T	G	FG	Pts
1	Jamayne ISAAKO	Dolphins	5	5	16		52
2	Nick MEANEY	Melbourne	5	4	16	-	48
3	Reuben GARRICK	Manly	4	3	16	-	44
4	Mitch MOSES	Parramatta	5	2	16	1	41
	Adam REYNOLDS	Brisbane	5	-	19	2^	41
6	Shaun JOHNSON	Warriors	5	2	15	-	38
7	Nathan CLEARY	Penrith	4	1	14	2^	35
8	Zac LOMAX	St Geo Illa	4	1	14	-	32

[^] denotes 1 x two point field goal

STATISTICS PROVIDED BY



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MELBOURNE STORM



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AAMI PARK

MELBOURNE VIC / WURUNDJERI

THURSDAY 6 APRIL 2023, KICKOFF 7:50PM AEST

REFEREE: ASHLEY KLEIN

TOUCH JUDGES: KASEY BADGER, DARIAN FURNER **SENIOR REVIEW OFFICIAL: GERARD SUTTON**

P T G FG Pts Age						Age P T G FG Pts
5 4 16 - 48 25	Nick MEANEY	1	FULLBACK	1	Joseph MANU	27 2
5 2 8 25	Will WARBRICK	2	WING	2	Daniel TUPOU	32 4 3 12
5 26	Reimis SMITH	3	CENTRE	3	Joseph SUA'ALI'I	20 4 1 4
3 1 4 29	Justin OLAM	4	CENTRE	4	Drew HUTCHISON	28 4 2 8
4 1 4 22	Xavier COATES	5	WING	5	Jaxson PAULO	23 4 5 20
3 2 8 28	Cameron MUNSTER	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Luke KEARY	31 4 2 8
3 2 8 28	Jahrome HUGHES	7	HALFBACK	7	Sam WALKER	21 4 1 13 - 30
3 29	Tui KAMIKAMICA	8	FRONT ROW	8	Jared WAEREA-HARGERAVES	34 2
5 1 4 25	Harry GRANT	9	HOOKER	9	Brandon SMITH	27 4 1 4
5 29	Christian WELCH	10	FRONT ROW	10	Lindsay COLLINS	27 4
5 22	Trent LOIERO	11	SECOND ROW	11	Egan BUTCHER	23 4
5 23	Eliesa KATOA	12	SECOND ROW	12	Nat BUTCHER	26 4
5 1 4 28	Josh KING	13	LOCK	13	Victor RADLEY	25 3
5 27	Bronson GARLICK	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Jake TURPIN	26 4
5 21	Alec MacDONALD	15		15	Terrell MAY	24 3
1 31	Tom EISENHUTH	16		16	Corey ALLAN	25 1
2 1 4 33	Tariq SIMS	17		17	Fletcher BAKER	23 4
2 29	Jordan GRANT	18	RESERVES	18	Naufahu WHYTE	21 3
2 23	Grant ANDERSON	19		19	Paul MOMIROVSKI	27
4 23	Tyran WISHART	20		20	Sandon SMITH	
20	Jack HOWARTH	21		21	Siua WONG	20
3 1 4 20	Jonah PEZET	22		22	Ben THOMAS	25 2
	Craig BELLAMY		СОАСН		Trent ROBINSON	
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#NRLStormRoosters

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HEAD TO HEAD 1998-2022

ALL	44	MELBOURNE 26, SYDNEY 19
VENUE	10	MELBOURNE 6, SYDNEY 4

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

4289

BIGGEST WINS

2000	R19	SYDNEY 41-6	SFS, 10772
2016	R14	MELBOURNE 46-0	ALLIANZ, 8499
2021	R16	MELBOURNE 46-0	MCD. JONES, 4289

THINGS TO KNOW

- Cameron MUNSTER has 48 NRL tries
- 29 of their 45 games has been when both sides were in the top 8, including all 13 games from 2017-2022. Melbourne has won 8 of those games.
- Roosters have won 21 of their last 33 games played on a Thursday, dating back to 1969, including their last 5, all of which have been since 2021

FORM - LAST THREE

	R3	R4	R5
MELBOURNE	GLD L 34-38	WST W 24-12	SOU W 24-12
SYDNEY	SOU W 20-18	BYE	PAR W 28-20

COMING UP - NEXT THREE

	R7	R8	R9
MELBOURNE	MANLY (A)	WARRIORS (H)	BYE
SYDNEY	CRONULLA (A)	ST GEO ILLA (H)	WARRIORS (A)

SQUAD UPDATE WED 7:50PM LATE MAIL THU 6:50PM VISIT LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM

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THE PREVIEW with Beth Nicholls

Two teams who have dominated the game in recent times are facing off, both only losing two games so far in the 2023 season.

Melbourne have had a rocky start to the 2023 seasons, mixed with injury and suspension, but finally bouncing back with a win against the Rabbitohs, making it now two consecutive wins after two consecutive losses to both the Bulldogs and Titans.

After opening the season with a loss against the Dolphins, the Roosters have had a solid season, boasting wins against the Warriors, Rabbitohs and most recently the Eels, where they fought hard for the win after losing Tedesco early in the first half.

Melbourne's halfback Jahrome Hughes returns from a two-week suspension, with Jonah Pezet dropped to reserve grade. Tariq Sims also claims a spot on the bench, with Grant Anderson being named the team's 18th man.

With James Tedesco suffering from a head knock last week, he has been stood down for 11 days following new HIA protocol. Joey Manu returns from suspension this week and will be filling in for Tedesco at fullback.

It'll be an interesting Thursday night clash, with both teams considered premiership heavyweights, and still gaining their bearings in the 2023 season. Looking forward to seeing a tight game, with each side boasting some impressive, key players in the game.

WHO TO WATCH: I'm looking forward to the battle of the 9's, especially with Brandon Smith being an ex-Storm player.

Harry Grant is a force to be reckoned with, currently leading the Dally M leaderboard in a 3-way tie. Averaging 50 tackles each game this season, alongside an always evolving kicking game, I'm excited to see what try-saving tackles he comes up with on Thursday night and potentially another 4-pointer for him

On the opposing team, Brandon Smith has had a slow start to his season at the Roosters where he started on the interchange bench. However, as the season progresses, we are really seeing him fit into the team and make more impressive plays. I'm excited to see what he produces on Thursday night, coming up against his former club for the first time.

FAVOURITE: Melbourne are minorly favoured to beat the Sydney Roosters at home.

MY TIP: With both sides finally finding their footing for the season I think it'll be a close one, however the Roosters will be without their star fullback and the Storm will be playing with the return of their playmaking halfback. With the return of Hughes and the progression of Melbourne's footy over the past two weeks, I think they have it in them to claim victory at home. Melbourne by 12.

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CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS





ACCOR STADIUM SYDNEY OLYMPIC PARK NSW / WANNGAL GOOD FRIDAY 7 APRIL 2023, KICKOFF 4:00PM AEST REFEREE: GERARD SUTTON

TOUCH JUDGES: DREW OULTRAM, WYATT RAYMOND **SENIOR REVIEW OFFICIAL: CHRIS BUTLER**

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31	Andrew DAVEY	23		22	Dean HAWKINS	24
22	Reece HOFFMAN	22		21	Josiah KARAPANI	21
22	Samuel HUGHES	21		20	Ben LOVETT	21 1
27	Braidon BURNS	20		19	Blake TAAFFE	24 2
18	Karl OLOAPU	19	RESERVES	18	Michael CHEE-KAM	31 5
22	Jackson TOPINE	17		<u>17</u>	Hame SELE	26 2
3 22	Jayden TANNER	16		<u>16</u>	Davvy MOALE	20 5
1 22	Kurtis MORRIN	15		15	Daniel SULUKA-FIFITA	24 3
1 33	Josh REYNOLDS	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Jed CARTWRIGHT	26 4
22	Harrison EDWARDS	13	LOCK	13	Cameron MURRAY	25 5
5 3 12 21	Jacob PRESTON	12	SECOND ROW	12	Jacob HOST	26 2
5 26	Corey WADDELL		SECOND ROW	11	Keaon KOLOAMATANGI	25 5 2 8
5 28	Ryan SUTTON	10	FRONT ROW	10	Thomas BURGESS	31 5
5 1 4 25	Reed MAHONEY	9	HOOKER	9	Damien COOK	32 5
5 26	Max KING	8	FRONT ROW	8	Tevita TATOLA	26 2
5 - 5 - 10 24	Kyle FLANAGAN	7	HALFBACK	7	Lachlan ILIAS	23 5 1 - 1 5
5 1 8 1 21 23	Matt BURTON	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Cody WALKER	33 5 3 12
5 5 20 28	Josh ADDO-CARR	5	WING	5	Izaac THOMPSON	26 5 1 4
5 19	Paul ALAMOTI	4	CENTRE	4	Campbell GRAHAM	24 5 3 12
5 1 4 23	Jake AVERILLO	3	CENTRE	3	Isaiah TASS	24 5 1 4
5 3 12 21	Jacob KIRAZ	2	WING	2	Taane MILNE	28
5 1 4 24	Hayze PERHAM	1	FULLBACK	1	Latrell MITCHELL	26 5 - 12 1 25
P T G FG Pts Age						Age P T G FG Pts

SCRUMS

6-AGAINS

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#NRLBulldogsSouths

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HEAD TO HEAD 1935-2022

ALL	166	CANTERBURY 83, SOUTHS 79, DRAWN 4
VENUE	34	CANTERBURY 18, SOUTHS 16

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2020	R19	CANTERBURY 26-16	ANZ, 4859
2021	R4	SOUTHS 38-0	STAD. AUS., 23240
2021	R18	SOUTHS 32-24	CBUS, 2979
2022	R6	SOUTHS 36-16	ACCOR, 30194
2022	R18	SOUTHS 36-28	ACCOR, 19126

BIGGEST WINS

2021	R4	SOUTHS 38-0	STAD. AUS., 23240
2003	R21	CANTERBURY 62-12	ALLIANZ, 8482

THINGS TO KNOW

- Latrell MITCHELL's next match will be his 150th NRL match
- Souths have won 15 of their last 21 games against the Bulldogs since 2013
- The last time these sides met where the Bulldogs were higher on the ladder was in the last Round of 2016. On that occasion the 7th placed Bulldogs lost to the 13th placed Rabbitohs 28-10

FORM - LAST THREE

	R3	R4	R5
CANTERBURY	WST W 26-22	WAR L 14-16	NQL ?????
SOUTHS	SYD L 18-20	MAN W 13-12	MEL L 10-18

COMING UP - NEXT THREE

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	R7	R8	R9				
CANTERBURY	PARRAMATTA (A)	CRONULLA (H)	ST GEO ILLA (A)				
SOUTHS	DOLPHINS (A)	PENRITH (H)	BRISBANE (A)				

SQUAD UPDATE THU 4PM LATE MAIL FRI 3PM VISIT LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM

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THE PREVIEW

with Andrew Jackson

A premiership heavyweight and contender on the rise meet in the latest instalment of NRL's annual Good Friday afternoon clash.

For the Bulldogs, it seems much of the fan base is largely resigned to defeat this week in the wake of a crippling injury toll to the team's forward pack.

Fortunately for Cameron Ciraldo's side, both Max King (eye) and Jacob Preston (hand) have been named and are a chancing of suiting up in a much-needed boost up front.

The good news stops there though, with Raymond Faitala-Mariner (head knock), Viliame Kikau (head knock), Jayden Okunbor (suspension), Tevita Pangai Junior (calf), Fa'amanu Brown (elbow), Chris Patolo (knee), Franklin Pele (arm), Luke Thompson (foot) and Bailey Biondi-Odo (ACL) all still sidelined.

Faitala-Mariner, Pele and Okunbor are the new faces unavailable this week, with Harrison Edwards starting at lock while Jackson Topine and Jayden Tanner figure on the bench.

It leaves the Bulldogs severely undermanned against a Rabbitohs side that had to overcome its own string of injuries up front earlier in the season, with Jai Arrow (hamstring), Siliva Havili (ankle), Liam Knight (knee) and Shaquai Mitchell (foot) all yet to return.

Winger Alex Johnston (head knock) joins them on the sidelines this week but prop Tevita Tatola is a welcome inclusion after being held out for a few weeks with a knee injury.

The Bulldogs enter Friday's game off a thrilling 15-14 golden point win over the Cowboys, with Matt Burton and Josh Addo-Carr heroics sealing a last-gasp win on Sunday night.

It's a short turnaround for Canterbury-Bankstown, who face a South Sydney outfit coming off an 18-10 loss to Melbourne last Friday.

Souths have won nine of the past 11 games between the teams, including a Good Friday win in Round 6 last year, and have scored 30-plus points in four-straight games against the Bulldogs.

WHO TO WATCH: If the Bulldogs are to pull off a Good Friday miracle, it will come on the back of a man-of-the-match performance from one of their big-name recruits. Matt Burton and Josh Addo-Carr, both brought to the club ahead of the 2022 season, had their moments last Sunday. The

same goes for Reed Mahoney, who put Jacob Preston over with a clever pass from dummy-half. But the Bulldogs will need even more from the crafty hooker, who won't have the same platform to work with playing behind a depleted pack against Souths. It will only be more important that Mahoney picks his time to run the ball and also put in long clearing kicks to help the Bulldogs earn field position and be less reliant on the power game.

There has been plenty of talk about Latrell Mitchell increasing his involvement in attack, including from Rabbitohs coach Jason Demetriou and there may not be a more perfect opportunity for that to happen. South Sydney has the clear advantage up front, even with a few injuries of its own, and should be able to lay the kind of platform that will allow Mitchell to thrive. Mitchell starred the last time these two sides met, scoring a try to go with 137 run metres, one linebreak, three try assists and three linebreak assists. Even half of that output from Mitchell on Friday will be enough to see the Rabbitohs home on Friday.

FAVOURITE: Undermanned and off a short turnaround, the Bulldogs are clear outsiders for this game.

MY TIP: They should be able to keep it close early but look for the Bulldogs to fall away late as the Rabbitohs finish comfortable winners on Good Friday. South Sydney by 20.

NORTH QUEENSLAND **COWBOYS**





DOLPHINS

QUEENSLAND COUNTRY BANK STADIUM

SOUTH TOWNSVILLE, QLD / WULGURUKABA

GOOD FRIDAY 7 APRIL 2023, KICKOFF 8:00PM AEST

REFEREE: ADAM GEE

TOUCH JUDGES: CHRIS SUTTON, ZIGGY PRZEKLASA-ADAMSKI **SENIOR REVIEW OFFICIAL: GRANT ATKINS**

P T G FG Pts Age						Age P T G FG Pts
2 2 8 26	Scott DRINKWATER	1	FULLBACK	1	Hamiso TABUAI-FIDOW	21 5 6 24
5 31	Kyle FELDT	2	WING	2	Jamayne ISAAKO	27 5 5 16 - 52
5 1 16 - 36 28	Valentine HOLMES	3	CENTRE	3	Euan AITKEN	28 5
3 30	Peta HIKU	4	CENTRE	4	Brenko LEE	27 5
2 29	Brendan ELLIOT	5	WING	5	Edrick LEE	30
5 1 4 22	Tom DEARDEN	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Kodi NIKORIMA	29 2 1 4
5 1 1 32	Chad TOWNSEND	7	HALFBACK	7	Isaiya KATOA	19 4
1 26	Mitchell DUNN	8	FRONT ROW	8	Jesse BROMWICH	34 5
5 1 4 25	Reece ROBSON	9	HOOKER	9	Jeremy MARSHALL-KING	27 3
3 24	Reuben COTTER	10	FRONT ROW	10	Herman ESE'ESE	28 1
5 27	Coen HESS	11	SECOND ROW	11	Kenny BROMWICH	31 5
5 22	Griffin NEAME	12	SECOND ROW	12	Connelly LEMUELU	25 5 1 4
5 30	Jason TAUMALOLO	13	LOCK	13	Tom GILBERT	23 5 1 4
5 34	Jake GRANVILLE	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Jarrod WALLACE	32 4 1 4
3 3 12 22	Tom CHESTER	15		15	Mark NICHOLLS	33 5 1 4
5 26	Jamayne TAUNOA-BROWN	16		16	Ray STONE	26 4
1 22	Riley PRICE	17		17	Kurt DONOGHOE	- 3
34	Ben HAMPTON	18	RESERVES	18	Poasa FAAMAUSILI	27 1
29	Jack GOSIEWSKI	19		19	Mason TEAGUE	20 4
25	Taniela SADRUGU	20		20	JJ COLLINS	27
19	Kulikefu FINEFEUIAKI	21		21	Jack BOSTOCK	20 1
21	Jake BOURKE	22		22	Robert JENNINGS	27
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#NRLCowboysDolphins

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FIRST MEETING BETWEEN THESE CLUBS

THINGS TO KNOW

- Euan AITKEN has 49 NRL tries
- Jamayne ISAAKO has 248 NRL goals
- Cowboys have won 16 of their past 20 games against QLD-based teams.
- · Cowboys have won 13 of 38 games when placed 14th on the ladder

FORM - LAST THREE

 R3
 R4
 R5

 NORTH QLD
 WAR L 12-26
 GLD W 24-12
 CBY ????

 DOLPHINS
 NEW W 36-20
 BRI L 12-18
 SGI ???????

COMING UP - NEXT THREE

R7 R8 R9

NORTH QLD WARRIORS (A) NEWCASTLE (H) CRONULLA (A) DOLPHINS SOUTHS (H) GOLD COAST (H) CANBERRA (A)

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Match stats courtesy of



THE PREVIEW with Rob Crosby

A Good Friday for a Queensland derby

A premiership first will take place on Good Friday when the North Queensland Cowboys host the Dolphins in an all Queensland affair at Queensland Country Bank Stadium.

Hosting a match at home on Good Friday for the first time in history, the North Queensland Cowboys will be determined to bounce back after gut-wrenching defeat in extra time last Sunday

Leading for 79 minutes against the Bulldogs only to go down 15-14 after conceding a late try and field goal, coach Todd Payten will welcome back dynamic fullback Scott Drinkwater after serving a three-match suspension.

Highly impressive young gun Tom Chester retains his place in the squad on the bench, while Reuben Cotter returns in the forward pack with Jordan McLean and Heilum Luki sidelined through injury.

This is the third time the Cowboys have played on Good

Friday; on both previous occasions the side has gone down to the Sea Eagles (2014) and Broncos (2016) playing away from home.

The Dolphins will face their first sink or swim moment as a mounting injury toll threatens to derail a promising start to the season.

Producing their worst performance to date during last week's dismal 38-12 defeat at the hands of the Dragons, coach Wayne Bennett will be determined to put aside the disappointment of the Wollongong debacle and bounce back following consecutive losses.

Pairing Kodi Nikorima alongside Isaiya Katoa in the halves following injuries to Sean O'Sullivan and Anthony Milford, one-time Queensland representative Edrick Lee will make his club debut in place of Jack Bostock.

Kurt Donoghoe returns in place of fellow rookie Mason Teague to provide utility value off the bench.

WHO TO WATCH: Returning to Townsville for the first time since suffering an ACL tear more than a year ago, versatile forward Mitchell Dunn will be looking to resurrect his career with a strong showing. Playing his first game post-recovery during last week's golden point loss to the Bulldogs, the 26-year-old boasts a point of difference with the ability

to play multiple positions across the forward pack and backline. Out of contract at the end of this season, look for Dunn to make an impression in the number eight jersey and press his case for a new deal.

Becoming the third player in as many weeks to partner Isaiya Katoa in the halves, experienced utility Kodi Nikorima will be hoping to get the premiership newcomers back in the winner's circle. Playing two matches over the opening five rounds off the bench, the former Brisbane, New Zealand and South Sydney player has played the majority of his career in the halves at club and international levels since debuting in 2015. Renown for his ability to provide impact through his diminutive size, the Dolphins will need Nikorima to offer a steadying influence in order to avoid a third loss on the trot.

FAVOURITE: Returning home following a golden point defeat last week, the Cowboys are expected to outclass their injury-hit opponents.

MY TIP: While many people initially gave the Dolphins little chance with a fully fit team, there was near universal agreement that the newcomers would struggle when the toll of injuries and suspensions inevitably occurred. As pressure begins to build, Friday night shapes as their most revealing match to date. Cowboys by 10.



PENRITH PANTHERS



BLUEBET STADIUM

PENRITH NSW / DHARUG

SATURDAY 8 APRIL 2023, KICKOFF 5:30PM AEST

REFEREE: TODD SMITH

TOUCH JUDGES: JON STONE, MATT NOYEN
SENIOR REVIEW OFFICIAL: ASHLEY KLEIN

P T G FG Pts Age						Age P T G FG Pts
4 1 4 27	Dylan EDWARDS	1	FULLBACK	1	Tom TRBOJEVIC	26 4 3 12
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4 3 12 21	Izack TAGO	3	CENTRE	3	Brad PARKER	26 4 2 8
4 3 1 - 14 22	Stephen CRICHTON	4	CENTRE	4	Morgan HARPER	24 1
4 1 4 25	Brian TO'0	5	WING	5	Reuben GARRICK	26 4 3 16 - 44
4 26	Jarome LUAI	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Josh SCHUSTER	21 2
4 1 14 2 35 25	Nathan CLEARY	7	HALFBACK	7	Daly CHERRY-EVANS	34 4 4 - 1 17
4 28	Moses LEOTA	8	FRONT ROW	8	Taniela PASEKA	25 4
4 25	Mitch KENNY	9	HOOKER	9	Lachlan CROKER	26 3
1 31	Matt EISENHUTH	10	FRONT ROW	10	Jake TRBOJEVIC	29 4
3 30	Scott SORENSEN	11	SECOND ROW	11	Haumole OLAKAU'ATU	24 4 4 16
2 2 8 26	Zac HOSKING	12	SECOND ROW	12	Kelma TUILAGI	24 4 1 4
4 28	Isaah YEO	13	LOCK	13	Josh ALOIAI	27 4
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3 1 4 27	Soni LUKE	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Kaeo WEEKES	21 4 1 4
1 23	Lindsay SMITH	15		15	Karl LAWTON	27 1
4 22	Spencer LENIU	16		16	Ethan BULLEMOR	23 4
4 1 4 24	Jaeman SALMON	17		17	Sean KEPPIE	25 4
1 1 4 32	Tyrone PEACHEY	18	RESERVES	18	Toafofoa SIPLEY	28
26	Jack COGGER	19		19	Cooper JOHNS	24 1
23	Eddie BLACKER	20		20	Ray TUAIMALO-VAEGA	22
26	Kurt FALLS	21		21	Samuela FAINU	19
21	Thomas JENKINS	22		22	Aaron WOODS	32
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HEAD TO HEAD 1967-2022

ALL	93	PENRITH 40, MANLY 52, DRAWN 1
VENUE	45	PENRITH 22, MANLY 22, DRAWN 1

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2019	R12	PENRITH 15-12	PANTHERS, 7981
2020	R12	PENRITH 42-12	LOTTOLAND, 2729
2021	R4	PENRITH 46-6	LOTTOLAND, 6076
2021	R8	PENRITH 28-16	CARRINGTON, 5798
2022	R1	PENRITH 28-6	BLUEBET, 16901

BIGGEST WINS

2004	R22	PENRITH 72-12	PENRITH, 13573
1973	R19	MANLY 70-7	PENRITH, 6750

THINGS TO KNOW

- This is the second time in the Panthers history that they have won 6 straight games against Manly. They have never won 7 straight
- Penrith have won 32 of their last 36 games at BlueBet Stadium (Since Round 12, 2019)
- Manly have lost 11 of their last 13 games away from Brookvale

FORM - LAST THREE

	R3	R4	R5
PENRITH	BYE	PAR L 16-17	CAN W 53-12
MANLY	PAR W 34-30	SOU L 12-13	NEW ????

COMING UP - NEXT THREE

	R7	R8	R9
PENRITH	NEWCASTLE (A)	SOUTHS (A)	WESTS TIGERS (H)
MANLY	MELBOURNE (H)	WESTS TIGERS (A)	GOLD COAST (H)

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THE PREVIEW with AJ Lucantonio

Match of the round billing returns to Penrith

It's a battle of two of the NRL's biggest superstars as Nathan Cleary's Penrith Panthers return home to take on Tom Trbojevic's Manly Warringah Sea-Eagles from BlueBet Stadium to kick off an shortened Super Saturday.

The Panthers come into this one after a 53-12 masterclass against the Canberra Raiders. While they'll be the first to admit there were phases of the game that left a lot to points on the board, the attacking masterclass in the second forty was enough to suggest that there is still some hunger left to three-peat. Nathan Cleary continues to showcase his ability as the game's premiere seven, while the likes of Sunia Turuva, Zac Hosking and Izack Tago had their best games of the season. The major question for Ivan Cleary is how you can ignore the form of Hosking with Luke Garner set to return from injury in the coming weeks.

Heading into the clash with Manly, the major conundrum is how do you stop Tommy Turbo. Yes, it's easier said than done. But, when you look back a little to 2021 and the finals series. Melbourne and Souths showcased the best defensive mechanisms to shut down the Manly custodian. The first was to rush up hard on the Manly full-back, the second part was to push the full-back into designated parts of the field.

On the team front, Ivan Cleary has to make some changes. James Fisher-Harris is out with an MCL injury, with Matt Eisenhuth starting up front. Luke Garner and Liam Martin are still missing. The in-form Zac Hosking retains his edge role, with Scott Sorensen on the other edge. Soni Luke returns from the 11 day stand-down on the bench.

Manly were incredibly fortunate in their 32-32 draw with Newcastle in Mudgee. While their attack is getting back to 2021 levels, their defensive scheme is still very poor. Especially their left edge which was targeted several times by Newcastle on Saturday.

To beat Penrith, they'll have to go after Nathan Cleary early and provide effective kick pressure. If they can go after the form half-back in the game, they'll go a long way to victory. Another challenge is to win the forward exchanges, that task is easier with the absence of JFH, but they'll need to be ruthless for the full 80 minutes.

Onto team news, Christian Tuipulotu suffered a knee injury that will see him spend time on the sidelines, alongside Tolu Koula. Jason Saab makes an early return from an ACL injury. Josh Schuster returns at 5/8 replacing Cooper Johns. Karl Lawton is preferred over Tof Sipley on the bench with the latter returning to the reserves.

WHO TO WATCH: In a game where two superstars are already getting the high billing. The player to watch takes a different route. Fresh off a contract extension, Moses Leota

faces the task of leading the Penrith pack against Manly. With the aforementioned absence of JFH, Leota was strong in his absence against Canberra playing a season high 47 minutes running for 162 metres, he's also tackling at a high efficiency of 97% so expect Leota to be in for another big one.

For Manly, we're going to be focusing on Lachlan Croker.
Through a series of events we won't rehash. Croker was planted in the 9 jersey and hasn't looked out of place holding the firm spot for Manly through the last few years of instability at the club. Although, in recent times he is facing challenges from Kaeo Weekes and Gordon Chan Kum Tong for his jersey.

Last week he was caught out in defence missing 9 tackles against the Knights. With the challengers foot steps coming closer, expect a bounce back from Croker.

FAVOURITE: Penrith are favourites with the bookies for this one. Penrith have a good recent record against Manly only losing two matches against the Sea Eagles since 2017 and only losing two matches against Manly at BlueBet since 2010.

MY TIP: The form the Panthers showed last week is a sign that they are getting back to their best no matter what way you look at it. If they can effectively nullify Turbo and target the weaknesses in defence which we know they can. This game will be over quickly, but we have seen a resilient Manly line-up come back at times this season and remain competitive throughout. Penrith by 10.

BRISBANE BRONCOS



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SUNCORP STADIUM MILTON, QLD / YUGGERA-TURRBAL

SATURDAY 8 APRIL 2023, KICKOFF 7:35PM AEST

REFEREE: GRANT ATKINS

TOUCH JUDGES: DAVE MUNRO, DAN MUNROE SENIOR REVIEW OFFICIAL: CHRIS BUTLER

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5 6 24 24	Kotoni STAGGS	3	CENTRE	3	Jarrod CROKER	32
5 3 12 23	Herbie FARNWORTH	4	CENTRE	4	Matthew TIMOKO	23 5 1 4
5 3 12 21	Selwyn COBBO	5	WING	5	Jordan RAPANA	34 2
5 3 12 20	Ezra MAM	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Brad SCHNEIDER	22
5 - 19 2^ 41 33	Adam REYNOLDS	7	HALFBACK	7	Jamal FOGARTY	29 4 - 12 - 24
5 24	Thomas FLEGLER	8	FRONT ROW	8	Josh PAPALI'I	31 2
5 29	Billy WALTERS	9	HOOKER	9	Zac WOOLFORD	27 2
5 1 4 23	Payne HAAS	10	FRONT ROW	10	Joseph TAPINE	29 5
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5 25	Patrick CARRIGAN	13	LOCK	13	Corey HORSBURGH	25 5 2 8
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5 29	Corey JENSEN	16		16	Pasami SAULO	25 5
5 33	Martin TAUPAU	17		17	Corey HARAWIRA-NAERA	28 5 - 2 - 4
30	Jordan PEREIRA	18	RESERVES	18	James SCHILLER	22 2
21	Brendan PIAKURA	19		19	Trey MOONEY	21 1
24	Kobe HETHERINGTON	20		20	Peter HOLA	24
23	Jock MADDEN	21		21	Harley SMITH-SHIELDS	23 5
21	Xavier WILLISON	22		22	Clay WEBB	20
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HEAD TO HEAD 1988-2022

ALL 54 BRISBANE 31 CANBERRA 22, DRAWN 1

VENUE 18 BRISBANE 14, CANBERRA 4

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2018	R16	BRISBANE 26-22	SUNCORP, 30495
2019	R6	CANBERRA 26-22	GIO, 17,93
2020	R14	CANBERRA 36-8	GIO, 1544
2021	R14	CANBERRA 38-16	GIO, 9608
2022	R14	BRISBANE 24-18	SUNCORP, 28142

BIGGEST WINS

1996	R8	BRISBANE 50-16	QEII, 37248
2002	R25	BRISBANE 36-2	QEII, 22502
2009	R21	CANBERRA 56-0	CANBERRA, 10200

THINGS TO KNOW

- Kotoni STAGGS has 48 NRL goals
- · Sebastian KRIS' next match will be his 50th NRL match
- Canberra have only had 3 regular season wins against the Broncos at Suncorp from 17 games (1988, 2004 and 2009)
- Raiders have won just 9 of 33 games in Brisbane
- Raiders have only had 6 seasons previously where they had just 1 or fewer wins after their first 5 games of a season, and on just 2 of those occasions (1997 and 2002) did they manage to make the finals

FORM - LAST THREE

	R3	R4	R5
BRISBANE	SGI W 40-18	DOL W 18-12	WST ?????
CANBERRA	CRO W 24-20	NEW L 14-24	PEN L 12-53

COMING UP - NEXT THREE

	R7	R8	R9
BRISBANE	GOLD COAST (A)	PARRAMATTA (A)	SOUTHS (H)
CANBERRA	ST GEO ILLA (H)	BYE	DOLPHINS (H)

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THE PREVIEW

with Andrew Ferguson

The top of the table Broncos are in strong form to keep their winning run, not just in 2023, but also at home against the Raiders, going strong, when the two sides meet in Round 6.

The Raiders have won just 9 games from 33 visits to Brisbane in their entire history, but even worse is that they've only had 3 regular season wins from 17 games against the Broncos at Suncorp Stadium.

The Broncos are enjoying their best start to a season while the Raiders are enduring one of their worst, this being just the seventh time in their 42 seasons that they have recorded 1 or less wins after their opening 5 games of a season.

The Broncos big men in the middle are boring holes in every opposition defensive line, racking up over 3000 post contact metres, over 200 more than the next best side (Parramatta) and on average, 100 metres more per game than the Raiders.

The Raiders are the second worst side for missing tackles as well as being one of the top 7 sides for conceding penalties. These areas all need to be improved markedly for the Raiders if they are to compete for the full 80 minutes against this impressive Broncos outfit.

Brisbane showed last week that they can score tries rapidly but they also do tend to push passes or get a little panicky/ ahead of themselves when on the attack and can sense that they might be able to score. The bombed a few tries against the Wests Tigers last weekend due to this.

The Broncos come into this game with their squad unchanged from last week while the Raiders welcome back Jarrod Croker at centre and Brad Schneider at five-eighth, with Harley Smith-Shields and Matt Frawley both dropping out of the 17.

WHO TO WATCH: Payne Haas has been unstoppable so far this season and he will be given opportunities to run wider of the ruck where the Raiders defence has been flimsy so far this year. If he doesn't get through the line, he has a magnificent offloading ability which is starting to find Reece Walsh more regular, as the young fullback is getting better

at knowing who to hang off and when.

Adam Reynolds has been putting on an absolute masterclass in 2023 with his kicking game alone, while his calm head and game management is as good as it's ever been. This is allowing Ezra Mam to be free to play his natural game.

For the Raiders, Corey Horsburgh has been playing strong on the edge and has been getting more frequently involved in attacking raids.

The Raiders big men on the bench – Corey Harawira-Naera, Emre Guler and Pasami Saulo have the size, power and ability to match it with these Broncos forwards and they are vital to the Raiders chances in this game.

FAVOURITE: The top of the table and undefeated Broncos will be the favourites here, especially at home against an out-of-sorts Raiders side.

MY TIP: The Raiders defence is a worry and this Broncos side changed up a gear last week. Brisbane to win comfortably, by 24 points.

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GOLD COAST TITANS



CBUS SUPER STADIUM

ROBINA, QLD / YUGAMBEH

SUNDAY 9 APRIL 2023, KICKOFF 4:05PM AEST

REFEREE: PETER GOUGH

TOUCH JUDGES: BELINDA SHARPE, MICHAEL WISE SENIOR REVIEW OFFICIAL: KASEY BADGER

P T G FG Pts Age						Age P T G FG Pts
4 23	Jayden CAMPBELL	1	FULLBACK	1	Tyrell SLOAN	21 4 3 12
4 5 20 21	Alofiana KHAN-PEREIRA	2	WING	2	Mathew FEAGAI	22 4 1 4
2 1 4 27	Brian KELLY	3	CENTRE	3	Moses SULI	25 4
4 2 8 22	Aaron SCHOUPP	4	CENTRE	4	Zac LOMAX	23 4 1 14 - 32
4 2 8 26	Phillip SAMI	5	WING	5	Mikaele RAVALAWA	25 4 3 12
22	Toby SEXTON	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Talatau AMONE	21 1
4 - 15 - 30 23	Tanah BOYD	7	HALFBACK	7	Ben HUNT	33 4 3 12
4 23	Moeaki FOTUAIKA	8	FRONT ROW	8	Francis MOLO	28 4
3 27	Chris RANDALL	9	HOOKER	9	Jacob LIDDLE	26 4 2 8
4 1 4 23	Tino FA'ASUAMALEAUI	10	FRONT ROW	10	Blake LAWRIE	26 4 2 8
4 23	David FIFITA	11	SECOND ROW	11	Ben MURDOCH-MASILA	32 4
4 27	Joe STIMSON	12	SECOND ROW	12	Jaydn SU'A	25 4 1 4
4 32	Isaac LIU	13	LOCK	13	Jack BIRD	28 4
4 25	Erin CLARK	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Moses MBYE	30 4
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2 22	Iszac FA'ASUAMALEAUI	16		16	Toby COUCHMAN	19 3
21	Klese HAAS	17		17	Josh KERR	27 4
2 1 4 25	Sam McINTYRE	18	RESERVES	18	Michael MOLO	26 1
27	Kruise LEEMING	19		19	Tautau MOGA	29
2 20	Sosefo FIFITA	20		20	Zane MUSGROVE	27 3
	Keano KINI	21		21	Jayden SULLIVAN	21 3 1 4
23	Treymain SPRY	22		22	Jaiyden HUNT	25
	Justin HOLBROOK		COACH		Anthony GRIFFIN	

PENALTIES

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HEAD TO HEAD 2007-2023

ALL 28 ST GEO ILLA 18, GOLD COAST 10 VENUE 11 ST GEO ILLA 6, GOLD COAST 5

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2020	R16	GOLD COAST 14-10	NETSTRATA, 2097
2021	R19	GOLD COAST 32-10	CBUS SUPER, 4424
2022	R10 (M)	GOLD COAST 20-16	SUNCORP, 30503
2022	R23	ST GEO ILLA 46-26	WIN, 12348
2023	R2	ST GEO ILLA 32-18	NETSTRATA, 8538

BIGGEST WINS

2018	R3	ST GEO ILLA 54-8	T00W00MBA, 729
2021	R19	GOLD COAST 32-10	CBUS SUPER, 4424

THINGS TO KNOW

- Brian KELLY has 49 NRL tries
- lack BIRD's next match will be his 50th match for St Geo Illa
- The last 8 games between these sides at Cbus has seen each side trading wins. The last time they met at Cbus, Titans won
- The last 160 minutes of game time between these two sides has seen 122 points scored
- The Titans have lost 6 of their last 7 Round 6 games

FORM - LAST THREE

	R3	R4	R5
GOLD COAST	MEL W 38-34	NQL L 12-24	BYE
ST GEO ILLA	BRI L 18-40	CRO L 8-40	DOL ????

COMING UP - NEXT THREE

	R7	R8	R9
GOLD COAST	BRISBANE (H)	DOLPHINS (A)	MANLY (A)
ST GEO ILLA	CANBERRA (A)	SYDNEY (A)	CANTERBURY (H)

SQUAD UPDATE SAT 4:05PM LATE MAIL SUN 3:05PM VISIT LEAGUEUNLIMITED.COM

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THE PREVIEW

with Josh Robertson

For the second time in five weeks, we are going to be treated to a Titans v Dragons battle as this time the Gold Coast will play host to the *Red V*, who will be looking for back to back wins for the first time in 2023.

The Titans have had an up and down run of things this season like most teams. with impressive wins and some very concerning losses. Sporting a 2-wins, 2-losses record, they head into Round 6 coming off a much needed bye.

Prior to their weekend off, the Titans were far from awful in their 24-12 defeat to the North Queensland Cowboys in Townsville. It was a strong performance at times, with David Fifita showing some strong form on the edge, especially in his combination with winger Alofiana Khan-Pereira who scored both the team's tries. Injuries to AJ Brimson and Kieran Foran hurt their performance in the key moments and ultimately saw them fall by twelve to the Cowboys.

Despite the week off, Brimson and Foran have failed to overcome their injury concerns, with Jayden Campbell named to start at fullback and Toby Sexton returning to the side in the five-eighth role. The Titans could be boosted by the introduction of new signing Kruise Leeming who is named on the extended bench.

Another side with a rollercoaster ride of a season has been the St George Illawarra Dragons - they started their season in Round 2 with a big win over the Titans before capitulations against the Broncos and Sharks saw them brought back to earth. Last week though, a big second half with a strong wind at their backs saw the Dragons return to the form they displayed in the Round 2 victory.

The Red V used the conditions perfectly as they scored a very impressive 38-12 victory over a depleted Dolphins side in Wollongong. The game was going to be a tale of two halves - not just given the Dragons' inability of late at the back-end of games - but because of the strong winds in Wollongong. They blitzed the second 40, running in 26 points to run out big winners.

Coach Anthony Griffin has made no changes to the 17 that took apart the Dolphins last weekend, though that side was different to what was named the previous Tuesday. Jayden Sullivan and Zane Musgrove dropped from the side for Talatau Amone and Jack DeBelin's returns - the former pair are listed as reserves for this clash.

WHO TO WATCH: With no Foran or Brimson, the Titans'

attack will be centred around the play of Tanah Boyd who, whilst being a solid performer, has never provided that real "wow" moment during his NRL career to date. The Titans halfback will have to take on a strong role to combine with Sexton and Campbell - which is not a new partnership by any measure, but it is one that will come up against one of the games most experienced halves.

The spotlight has been on Dragons five-eighth Talatau Amone for a long time this year, but not for any good reasons. After making his return to the NRL last week, he can now focus on bringing positives to his team. The Dragons lacked spark in their humbling defeat against the Sharks and last week their attack looked so much better with Amone pairing up with Ben Hunt in the halves. If the Dragons want to succeed then they have to Amone firing alongside Hunt to get the win.

FAVOURITE: The Titans are the favourites for the contest, a slight surprise given the respective performances of the two sides in their last games and the key outs for the Titans.

MY TIP: So much of me wants to tip the Titans but I have to go the Dragons. The losses of Brimson and Foran are the tipping point and the visitors this week looked super strong last time out against the Dolphins. The Gold Coast will want revenge but if it clicks for the Dragons again they'll run out winners. Dragons by 8.







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MCDONALD JONES STADIUM **NEW LAMBTON, NSW / AWABAKAL**

SUNDAY 9 APRIL 2023, KICKOFF 6:15PM AEST

REFEREE: LIAM KENNEDY

TOUCH JUDGES: DREW OULTRAM, DAMIAN BRADY **SENIOR REVIEW OFFICIAL: ADAM GEE**

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4 6 24 22	Dominic YOUNG	2	WING	2	Edward KOSI	24 5 3 12
4 1 4 32	Dane GAGAI	3	CENTRE	3	Viliami VAILEA	20 3 1 4
5 1 4 22	Bradman BEST	4	CENTRE	4	Adam POMPEY	25 5
2 3 12 26	Greg MARZHEW	5	WING	5	Marcelo MONTOYA	27 5 3 12
5 23	Phoenix CROSSLAND	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Te Maire MARTIN	27 4
5 - 8 - 16 27	Jackson HASTINGS	7	HALFBACK	7	Shaun JOHNSON	32 5 2 15 - 38
5 27	Daniel SAIFITI	8	FRONT ROW	8	Addin FONUA-BLAKE	27 5 1 4
4 27	Jayden BRAILEY	9	HOOKER	9	Wayde EGAN	26 4 4 16
5 23	Leo THOMPSON	10	FRONT ROW	10	Bunty AFOA	27 5 1 4
4 1 4 31	Tyson FRIZELL	11	SECOND ROW	11	Jackson FORD	25 4
5 2 8 29	Lachlan FITZGIBBON	12	SECOND ROW	12	Bayley SIRONEN	26 3
2 1 4 25	Jack JOHNS	13	LOCK	13	Tohu HARRIS	31 4
2 30	Kurt MANN	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Dylan WALKER	28 5
5 27	Jack HETHERINGTON	15		15	Joshua CURRAN	24 3 1 4
3 23	Mat CROKER	16		16	Jazz TEVAGA	27 3 1 4
3 25	Brodie JONES	17		17	Tom ALE	24 5
1 24	Enari TUALA	18	RESERVES	18	Dallin WATENE-ZELEZNIAK	28
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VENUE	20	NEWCASTLE 12, WARRIORS 8

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2020	R16	WARRIORS 36-6	SCULLY, 1853
2021	R2	NEWCASTLE 20-16	CENTRAL COAST, 4595
2021	R15	NEWCASTLE 10-6	MCD JONES, 9975
2022	R12	NEWCASTLE 24-16	REDCLIFFE, 4265
2023	R1	WARRIORS 20-12	SKY, 16676

BIGGEST WINS

1995	R9	NEWCASTLE 48-6	MCD JONES, 22136
1999	R25	WARRIORS 42-0	MT SMART, 15385
2007	R20	WARRIORS 52-10	MT SMART, 11301

THINGS TO KNOW

- Jackson HASTINGS has 47 NRL goals
- The Warriors have only ever started a season with 4 or more wins from their opening 5 games just twice previously. On both occasions they went on to play in the finals (2003 and 2018)
- The Warriors have won just 4 of their past 23 'away' games
- The Knights last 13 games at home have seen them win just twice and concede an average of 33 points per game

FORM - LAST THREE

	R3	R4	R5
NEWCASTLE	DOL L 20-36	CAN W 24-14	MAN ????
WARRIORS	NQL W 26-12	CBY W 16-14	CRO ????

COMING UP - NEXT THREE

	R7	R8	R9
NEWCASTLE	PENRITH (H)	NORTH QLD (A)	PARRAMATTA (A)
WARRIORS	NORTH QLD (H)	MELBOURNE (A)	SYDNEY (H)

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THE PREVIEW

with Adam Huxtable

Big improvers of 2023 to do battle in Newcastle

It's certainly fair to say that neither the Newcastle Knights nor the New Zealand Warriors had much expectation about them heading into season 2023, both tipped to be in and around the bottom 4 of the ladder.

Through the first five rounds of the competition, both sides have done just about as much as they possibly could to disprove this notion, and their respective round 5 performances encapsulate all that has been great about the perennial strugglers so far.

The Knights, going into their game against Manly as heavy outsiders, fell to a 10-0 deficit inside 8 minutes. There is no question that the Knights of old fall into a heap and lose by 30, but this group were able to fight back and take a first half lead on their way to a gritty 90-minute draw.

The Warriors are coming off what many are calling their greatest win in the 29-year history of the club. They were down 20 to zip inside 18 minutes and were demonstrating extreme defensive inefficiency on their edges but were able to peg the deficit back to 14 at halftime and make adjustments during the break that put them in a position to win it in the last-minute courtesy of a Shaun Johnson penalty goal.

Considering how similar the Knights and Warriors seasons

have been so far, and how they each came back against quality opposition last start, it's fitting they should both meet this round. While they have both been impressive, neither have been able to produce a solid 80-minute performance yet.

The fact both sides conceded 30+ suggests defence will be a strong point of emphasis for both coaches at training, setting up a low scoring, grind style match. However, it could just as easily be a shootout with both teams mirroring their round 5 performances. Newcastle and the Warriors have shown they can compete in both game types, so the one thing you can be relatively sure of is it'll be close, be it an 8-6 or 38-36 final scoreline.

In team news, Tyson Gamble is out with a concussion for the Knights, replaced at five-eighth by Phoenix Crossland. Kurt Mann returns as the bench utility in the only other change from the side that went the distance against Manly.

For the Warriors, Te-Maire Martin is back from injury and resumes his place at five-eighth, replacing Ronald Volkman, while Bayley Sironen starts in the back-row for the suspended Marata Niukore. Tohu Harris has been named to return from a knee injury, pushing Jazz Tevaga back to the heach

WHO TO WATCH: It has been a running joke amongst Rugby League fans that Dane Gagai has two versions of himself - an average one that takes the field for his club and an elite one that takes the field in origin. This simply hasn't been the case recently; he was a crucial part of the Rabbitohs recent grand final appearance and so far in 2023 it isn't an exaggeration to say he's been the best centre in the competition. Two weeks ago against Canberra he embarrassed young Harley

Smith-Shields and recently did the same to Manly's outside backs, running 18 times for 214 metres while also notching up 2 line break assists, a try assist and a whopping 11 tackle breaks, the latter should be setting off alarm bells in Andrew Webster's head considering how poor the Warriors edge defence was in the opening 20 minutes last week. Overall this season he has been great defensively, making 70 tackles and only missing 7, but 5 of those misses did come last week, which is something he will no doubt be keen to clean up against a threatening Warriors attack.

The Warriors have one of if not the best benches in the NRL, and a big reason for that is having the luxury of playing Jazz Tevaga as an impact player. Tevaga's work and value to his team can be underappreciated in the media considering he plays in a different country, which is especially unfair when you look at performances like the one he had last week and realise they are a regular occurrence. He had 17 runs for 156 metres against Cronulla as well as 3 tackle breaks, playing a huge role in gaining momentum for the Warriors towards the end of the game, while also immense in defence making 41 tackles and only missing 1. Perhaps the most important part of Tevaga's game for the Warriors going forward is his ability to minimise the loss felt when Tohu Harris goes to the bench. While he doesn't have the same passing game as Harris, Tevaga can be just as impactful running the ball and brings an energy that ensures his side doesn't lose a step when their skipper has a rest.

FAVOURITE: The Warriors are 1.5 point favourites at the time of writing.

MY TIP: This is a contender for the match of the round this week, which in itself says a lot about where these teams are at the moment. Warriors by 4 in another classic.

WESTS TIGERS



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EASTER MONDAY 10 APRIL 2023, KICKOFF 4:00PM AEST

REFEREE: BEN CUMMINS

TOUCH JUDGES: DAVE MUNRO, PHIL HENDERSON SENIOR REVIEW OFFICIAL: MATT NOYEN

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2020	R20	PARRAMATTA 28-24	BANKWEST, 7359
2021	R4	PARRAMATTA 36-22	STAD. AUS., 29056
2021	R14	PARRAMATTA 40-12	BANKWEST, 23421
2022	R6	WESTS TIGERS 21-20	COMMBANK, 28336
2022	R17	PARRAMATTA 28-20	LEICHHARDT, 13214

BIGGEST WINS

2001	R11	PARRAMATTA 66-12	LEICHHARDT, 14802
2004	R12	WESTS TIGERS 33-6	LEICHHARDT, 18883

THINGS TO KNOW

- David NOFOALUMA has 99 NRL tries
- Clint GUTHERSON has 98 NRL goals
- The Wests Tigers have lost their last 15 games with Luke Brooks in the side, and in just four of those games did they manage to score more than three tries
- The Tigers have won 85 of their last 244 games since Tim Sheens last tasted a victory as Wests Tigers coach (34.83% success)
- Parramatta have scored 61 tries in their last 12 games against the Tigers (2017-22) an average of five tries per game

FORM - LAST THREE

	R3	R4	R5
WESTS TIGERS	CBY L 22-26	MEL L 12-24	BRI ????
PARRAMATTA	MAN L 30-34	PEN W 17-16	SYD L 20-18

COMING UP - NEXT THREE

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THE PREVIEW with Lachlan McIntyre

Public Holiday Footy for troubled Eels and broken Tigers

The Parramatta Eels and the Wests Tigers will clash in their annual Easter Monday fixture, to be hosted at Sydney Olympic Park this year. The first Monday game of the year, the 4pm kick-off is a lovely late Easter gift for all footy fans.

The Wests Tigers are the home team on paper, with the club spreading home matches very thinly across Sydney venues. They're winless to start the season, and sit alone in 17th at the bottom of the ladder. The club has countless fundamental problems, with scrutiny of the merger growing every week of failure. If scrutiny doesn't lead to systematic change, then the Wests Tigers have a very long road ahead before returning to the top eight, or even just until they get off the bottom spot.

The Tigers finally got the thrashing that they've deserved all season last week against the undefeated Brisbane Broncos. Playing up at Suncorp Stadium in front of nearly 30,000 people, they were defeated 46-12 by the home team. Held scoreless in the first half, the Tigers were lucky that the score didn't end up worse. Coach Tim Sheens deservedly earned the ire of fans after joking in the post-match press conference that he hopes "we'll win the bye anyways in a couple of weeks".

Tim Sheens has made a few significant changes to the

Tigers line-up, with Adam Doueihi's stint at fullback ending in favour of him partnering Brooks in the halves. Charlie Staines will get his opportunity in the number one jersey, with Daine Laurie missing out on the 17 yet again. AJ Kepaoa slots into the leftover wing spot, with Brent Naden returning into the centres. With Tommy Talau injured, Junior Tupou maintains his spot on the wing. Joe Ofahengaue joins the bench at the expense of Justin Matamua.

The Parramatta Eels are facing their own struggles. With just the one win from their opening five rounds, the 2022 Grand Finalists find themselves in 15th with plenty of work to do. They have faced a tough draw to open their 2023 campaign, so the struggling Wests Tigers will be a welcome opposition. That being said, they can't afford to become complacent, or they may find themselves compounding their already disappointing position.

The Eels are coming off an eight point loss to the Sydney Roosters at Moore Park last week. They started off slow, getting blown away early on, and they found themselves facing a 14 point deficit at half time. To Parramatta's credit, they put up a strong fight in the second half, however it wasn't enough to steal the two points. The sin-binning of Will Penisini and Bailey Simonsson in separate first half incidents didn't help their cause, so they'll definitely need to watch their discipline in the coming weeks.

Shaun Lane will make his long-awaited return from a broken jaw this weekend, slotting into the back row. J'maine Hopgood, who has been enjoying a brilliant start to the season, will shift onto the bench. Bailey Simonsson is out through suspension giving Haze Dunster a shot on the wing, and Sean Russell makes an appearance at centre with Waqa Blake dropping to the reserves.

This is the ninth edition of the Eels vs Tigers Easter Monday clash, with the wins split at four apiece. Last year, the Wests Tigers came into the game winless and sprung an ambush to come out one point victors at Parramatta. The Eels will be wary of a surprise Tiger attack, and they'll want to regain the Easter Monday crown in 2023.

WHO TO WATCH: Charlie Staines will start at fullback for the second time this season on Monday. Signed by the Tigers over the off-season, Staines had work to do to assure his spot in the NRL 17. An injury to Ken Maumalo allowed Staines to nail down a wing spot, before a reshuffle in round three saw him start at fullback for the first time at the Tigers. He played a handful of games at fullback for Penrith towards the tail end of 2022, but he still has work to do. A good game this Easter Monday may see him cement his spot at fullback over the off-contract Laurie.

Sean Russell will take to the field for just his fourth NRL game this Monday, picked over Waqa Blake in the centres. The 20 year old has spent much of the past two years playing for Parramatta in reserve grade as a winger, with him yet to take to the field in 2023. This Monday will be his first NRL game since round one, 2022, and his first ever NRL game starting in the centres. Brad Arthur must see plenty of potential in him to give him this shot over the experienced and proven Waqa Blake.

FAVOURITE: The Eels are the strong favourites to deal with a struggling Tigers side.

MY TIP: There's no reason for the Tigers to play any differently to what they've been serving up in the past few rounds. Parramatta by 30.

THE WRAP

NRL 2023 ROUND 5

THURSDAY 30 MARCH, 8:00pm SYDNEY 28 PARRAMATTA 20

MATCH FACTS: SYDNEY 28 (L. Keary 2, D. Hutchison, J. Paulo, D. Tupou tries; S. Walker 4 goals) DEFEATED PARRAMATTA 20 (C. Gutherson, B. Simonsson, M. Sivo tries; M. Moses 4 goals) AT ALLIANZ STADIUM. Date: Thu, 30th March. Kickoff: 8:00 PM. Halftime: Sydney 16-2. Penalties: 5-all. Referee: Grant Atkins. Crowd: 20,886. THE TEAMS: SYDNEY: Tedesco (C), Tupou, Sua'ali'i, Hutchison, Paulo; Keary, Walker; Waerea-Hargreaves, Smith, Collins, Butcher, Butcher, Radley. Int: Turpin, Whyte, Allan, Baker, Thomas. PARRAMATTA: Gutherson (C), Sivo, Penisini, Blake, Simonsson; Brown, Moses; Campbell-Gillard, Hodgson, Greig, Cartwright, Matterson, Hopgood. Int: Doorey, Hands, Murchie, Makatoa.

Despite losing James Tedesco to a concussion, the Sydney Roosters have cruised to a third straight victory, downing the Parramatta Eels 28-20 at Allianz Stadium.

It was a frantic start at Moore Park, and it was the Roosters who had all of the early running. Following a break from Lindsay Collins, Will Penisini was judged to be deliberately offside and sent for a stint in the sin bin. The Eels were nearly made to pay immediately when Luke Keary exposed the short right edge and finds Daniel Tupou who sprinted 25 metres before finding Joseph Suaalii before passing to Egan Butcher. However, the Bunker ruined celebrations when they determined Luke Keary to obstruct Bailey Simonsson. Parramatta quickly got another penalty which allowed Mitch Moses to take a cheap penalty goal to give the Eels a 2-0 lead. However, it wasn't long before the Tri-Colours got their try. Joseph Suaalii broke through before finding James Tedesco. Off the ensuing play, Luke Keary linked up with Sam Walker who got a magical cut-out ball to Jaxson Paulo before flicking it onto Drew Hutchison to score the first try. Walker's conversion gave them a 6-2 lead. Parramatta hung on for dear life with several try-savers denying the Roosters points. The game changed 15 minutes before half-time when James Tedesco was concussed out of the game following a horror high shot from Simonsson. The winger somehow avoided being dismissed for the game but was also dispatched to the sin-bin. Daniel Tupou got another try closer to Anthony Minichello's all-time record of 139 tries when he crossed six minutes later. Parramatta tried to rally back before the break but made the mistake of giving the Roosters a seven-tackle set before the break, Brandon Smith exposed the markers before finding Sam Walker who drew and passed to Luke Keary for his first of 2023 to give the Roosters a 16-2 half-time advantage.

Parramatta hit back straight after the break with a run of consecutive sets after half-time. They were able to cross when Penisini got a magic offload away to Clint Gutherson and the 14-point advantage was cut down to 8. However, the Eels discipline got away from them conceding 4 set restarts in the space of 4 minutes and eventually was made to pay. A lovely set play saw Suaalii combine with Jaxson Paulo who continued his try-scoring run to extend the margin back to 12 points. After a sloppy period of play, the Roosters got beyond two converted tries when Walker added a penalty goal to extend the margin to 14. The match was sealed eight minutes from time when Tupou went on a mega kick return before linking up with Keary who got his second. Parramatta managed to grab two consolation tries when Gutherson and Maika Sivo but it was in vain as the Roosters were able to easily get the victory. The Roosters will most likely be missing Tedesco but will be pleased with the way Suaalii adapted at the back, however, Joey Manu returns and is likely to play in the 1 jumper. For the Eels, they again need to re-evaluate their defensive scheme, they've got 11 days to do it before the match with the Tigers on Easter Monday. AJ LUCANTONIO

FRIDAY 31 MARCH, 6:00pm PENRITH 53 CANBERRA 12

MATCH FACTS: PENRITH 53 (I. Tago 2, S. Turuva 2, N. Cleary, S. Crichton, Z. Hosking, T. Peachey, J. Salmon tries; N. Cleary 8 goals; N. Cleary field goal) DEFEATED CANBERRA 12 (E. Whitehead, H. Young tries; J. Fogarty 2 goals) AT GIO STADIUM. Date: Fri, 31st March. Kickoff: 6:00 PM. Halftime: Penrith 13-6. Penalties: Penrith 6-4. Referee: Adam Gee. Crowd: 15,334. THE TEAMS: CANBERRA: Kris, Hopoate, Timoko, Smith-Shields, Rapana; Frawley, Fogarty; Papalii, Woolford, Tapine, Young, Whitehead (C), Harawira-Naera. Int: Starling, Guler, Saulo, Horsburgh. PENRITH: Edwards, Turuva, Tago, Crichton, To'o; Luai, Cleary (C); Leota, Kenny, Fisher-Harris, Sorensen, Hosking, Yeo. Int: Peachey, Smith, Leniu, Salmon.

It has taken them a while to get going but the Penrith Panthers sounded a premiership warning on Friday, running over the top of the Canberra Raiders 53-12 at GIO Stadium.

The Raiders were well and truly in the contest at halftime, trailing 13-6, but fell away in the second period as the Panthers ran in seven tries. Halfback Nathan Cleary had a hand in pretty much everything while Izack Tago and Sunia Turuva combined for four tries in an electric display on Penrith's left edge. There was drama early in Friday night's game as Penrith was placed under immediate pressure after Cleary had his first kick of the game charged down by Zac Woolford. It gifted Canberra a full set on Penrith's line and with a chance to set the tone early but. as would become a theme throughout the first half, the Raiders barely threatened in the red zone. It was actually off a scrum near halfway that Canberra had its first genuine try-scoring opportunity, with Seb Kris finding a hole after poor defence from Stephen Crichton. He then tried to find speedster Albert Hopoate in support but the winger put the ball down, with the Panthers surviving a close call. It proved a crucial missed opportunity as Cleary, unfazed by the charge down, went back to the boot minutes later and this time his kick sat up perfectly for centre Tago. Tago then found winger Turuva in support for the opening try of the game, with Cleary then adding the extras to make it 6-0 after seven minutes. The execution wasn't always perfect for the defending premiers though and some physicality from Canberra saw the home side repel Penrith after multiple sets defending its own line. In fact, the Panthers' second try of the night came in unconventional fashion - going through 10 sets of hands before Turuva put in a grubber and pounced to push the lead out to 12-0. There was some adversity to come for Penrith though as repeated infringements saw Crichton binned after the centre was penalised for being offside off a scrum. Again, Canberra's attack inside Penrith's 20-metre zone left a lot to be desired but a smart kick from Woolford brought points as Elliott Whitehead dived on the ball to score. The Raiders almost made it two tries in a row as they went back to the left edge, with Hopoate burning the Panthers with his pace and kicking inside. Halfback Jamal Fogarty was chasing in support and had possession of the ball, only to lose it in a desperate tackle from Tago. In the end despite threatening late the Raiders would head into halftime with just the one try while a late Cleary field goal pushed Penrith's lead out to 13-6.

The Panthers were gifted an immediate chance to extend that lead when Jordan Rapana was unable to defuse the kick-off. But as has been the case through the opening round of the season, Penrith was a shadow of its clinical former self as Tago dropped the ball. Tago would make up for it soon after though. A penalty saw the Panthers march up the field and then go back to the left edge, with Cleary putting Scott Sorensen through a hole as Tago backed up in support. It was a quick double for Tago as a series of sets inside Canberra's red zone eventually told, with the Raiders' right edge opening up with ease for the Panthers centre to surge through. Cleary missed his first conversion of the night, leaving the score at 23-6 after 50 minutes. Suddenly the floodgates opened as the Panthers went back-to-back, riding the momentum of a charging run from Brian To'o to kick off the set after points. Raiders fullback Kris then bizarrely watched on as Lindsay Smith chased through to take possession and offload for Cleary to score. Canberra needed something fast and found it in the form of an uncharacteristic error from Panthers fullback Dylan Edwards, who failed to defuse a Hudson Young kick. Young himself was then on the spot to pick up the ball and score, giving the Raiders a glimmer of hope heading into the final 20 minutes. That hope quickly faded though when Rapana handed possession right back

to Penrith off the restart and Edwards made up for his error as he put Zac Hosking over for a try. Tyrone Peachey then celebrated his Penrith return with a try in his first game for the club since 2018, embarrassing some meek Canberra defence in the 72nd minute. Some silky skills from Crichton and a storming run by Jaeman Salmon saw the Panthers score two more before fulltime as the visitors brought up the half-century in an emphatic win. **ANDREW JACKSON**

FRIDAY 31 MARCH, 8:05pm MELBOURNE 18 SOUTHS 10

MATCH FACTS: MELBOURNE 18 (J. King, C. Munster, W. Warbrick tries; N. Meaney 3 goals) DEFEATED SOUTHS 10 (C. Graham, C. Walker tries; L. Mitchell goal) AT ACCOR STADIUM. Date: Fri, 31st March. Kickoff: 8:00 PM. Halftime: Melbourne 12-6. Penalties: Souths 6-5. Referee: Todd Smith. Crowd: TBC. THE TEAMS: SOUTHS: Mitchell, Johnston, Tass, Graham, Thompson; Walker, Ilias; Suluka-Fifita, Cook, Burgess, Koloamatangi, Host, Murray (C). Int: Cartwright, Chee-Kam, Moale, Sele. MELBOURNE: Meaney, Warbrick, Smith, Olam, Coates; Munster, Pezet; Kamikamica, Grant, Welch (C), Loiero, Katoa, King. Int: Garlick, MacDonald, Eisenhuth, Anderson.

Melbourne's stingy defence was at it's usual best as they beat Souths, who were sloppy far too often with ball in hand.

Souths had the lions share of prime field position and so often they had a larger volume of possession inside their oppositions 30 metres, yet could only muster 2 tries for the game. The Storm opened the scoring in the seventh minute when Jonah Pezet put up a kick before the two Souths backs collided mid-air, one of which was due to a collision with Cameron Munster. Josh King swooped in, cleaned up the loose ball and dived over to score. Nick Meaney converted from out wide. The Rabbitohs immediately hit back when Cameron Murray got the ball at the line, got his way through the line and then offloaded to an unmarked Cody Walker who hit the pass at speed and raced away to score a good try. Latrell Mitchell converted. Harry Grant had a possible try denied by the bunker in the 16th minute, but five minutes later, the Storm would not be denied when William Warbrick got one-on-one with Alex Johnson and just ploughed through him to score in the right corner. Meaney added the extras from the sideline. At halftime, the Storm lead 12-6.

Melbourne started the second half looking dead keen to score plenty of points, with Munster spearheading the attack. In the 44th minute, Xavier Coates was put into space down the left side, he got into the clear, and as he approached Mitchell, he kicked low infield where Munster got a perfect bounce, which he gathered and then raced away to score a great try. Meaney again added the extras. Reimis Smith went close to scoring in the 57th minute, but it was Souths who got on the board next when Mitchell help up a beautiful pass for Campbell Graham and the Bunnies centre barged over between two edge defenders. Mitchell failed to convert from the sideline. The Bunker was then put to good use as it reviewed 3 possible tries to Souths and 1 to the Storm, all of which were rightly denied. Souths had a mountain of possession and play was largely confined to Melbourne's half, but Souths last tackle options all game were sloppy, poorly executed or just very slow and easily shut down. Melbourne's defence was unreletenting and kept Souths from scoring again and when the siren sounded, the Storm had won 18-10. ANDREW FERGUSON

SATURDAY 1 APRIL, 3:00pm MANLY 32 NEWCASTLE 32

MATCH FACTS: MANLY 32 (R. Garrick, H. Olakau'atu, B. Parker, K. Tuilagi, C. Tuipulotu, K. Weekes tries; R. Garrick 4 goals) DREW WITH NEWCASTLE 32 (D. Young 4, J. Johns, G. Marzhew tries; J. Hastings 2, L. Miller 2 goals) AT GLEN WILLOW OVAL. Date: Sat, 1st April. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Newcastle 22-16. Penalties: Newcastle 7-5. Referee: Chris Butler. Crowd: 9,024. TEAMS: MANLY: Trbojevic, Tuipulotu, Parker, Harper, Garrick; Johns, Cherry-Evans (C); Paseka, Croker, Trbojevic, Olakau'atu, Tuilagi, Aloiai. Int: Weekes, Trbojevic, Bullemor, Keppie. NEWCASTLE: Miller, Young, Gagai, Best, Marzhew; Gamble, Hastings; Saifiti, Brailey (C), Thompson, Frizell, Fitzgibbon, Johns. Int: Crossland, Hetherington, Croker, Jones.

Manly and Newcastle have played out a tantalising 32-all draw in Mudgee this afternoon, after an absorbing Golden Point period produced no points.

Signs were ominous early in Mudgee, with the Sea Eagles shooting out to a 10-0 lead in as many minutes, Haumole Olakau'atu and Christian Tuipulotu catching the Newcastle defence short. The Knights eventually had some attacking footy and put it to good use, with Leo Thompson coming within touching distance of a try, which was then referred to the Bunker and saw Olakau'atu sin-binned for a professional foul, the opening tryscorer of the game having held Thompson back in the chase for the ball. With a one-man advantage, Newcastle turned on the flair with tries to Greg Marzhew and Jack Johns levelling things up at 10-all after 20 minutes. It looked like things had turned sour again for Newcastle not long after when Lachlan Fitzgibbon was given a 10-minute spell for high contact, but his teammates were having none of it, Dom Young scoring to put the visitors into the lead for the first time in the contest. The sides traded tries over the following ten minutes - Brad Parker taking advantage of space on the left to level things for Manly, then Young bagged his second of the afternoon at the 33-minute mark to reclaim the lead for the Knights

After points came at a breakneck speed in the first half, it was much slower going in the second half. Young picked up his hat-trick try, pushing the visiting side out to a 12-point lead approaching the hour mark. Manly weren't done though - three tries in the space of ten minutes saw them go from 12 points behind to four points ahead. Kelma Tuilagi taking advantage of some poor Newcastle right-side defence for the first of them, before Kaeo Weekes ducked through a gap in the middle to level things - then with ten to go, Reuben Garrick went over in the corner for a 32-28 lead. Manly looked confident to hold that lead until Weekes conceded a penalty and from that set, just 2 minutes from the end of regulation time, Dom Young picked up his fourth try of the afternoon. With scores locked at 32-all after 80 minutes, golden point was next. For Manly it would be the second time in as many weeks, while Newcastle's long record in golden point games stood against them. The first five minutes saw - incredibly - no field goal attempts. Both teams opted for high kicks or, in the case of the final moment before changing ends, running it. Attempts came thick and fast in the following five minutes but neither side could pierce the posts or the line, sharing the spoils 32-all. TIM COSTELLO

SATURDAY 1 APRIL, 5:30pm ST GEO ILLA 38 DOLPHINS 12

MATCH FACTS: ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA 38 (M. Ravalawa 2, B. Hunt, B. Lawrie, J. Liddle, Z. Lomax, T. Sloan tries; Z. Lomax 5 goals) DEFEATED DOLPHINS 12 (J. Isaako, H. Tabuai-Fidow tries; J. Isaako 2 goals) AT WIN STADIUM.

Date: Sat, 1st April. Kickoff: 5:30 PM. Halftime: St George Illawarra 12-8. Penalties: Dolphins 9-7. Referee: Gerard Sutton. Crowd: 16,472.. TEAMS: ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA: Sloan, Feagai, Suli, Lomax, Ravalawa; Amone, Hunt (C); Molo, Liddle, Lawrie, Murdoch-Masila, Su'A, Bird. Int: Mbye, Couchman, Kerr, De Belin. DOLPHINS: Tabuai-Fidow, Isaako, Aitken, Lee, Bostock; Katoa, Milford; Bromwich (C), Marshall-King, Ese'ese, Bromwich, Lemuelu. Gilbert. Int: Wallace. Nicholls. Stone. Teague.

The second half yips are gone for the St George Illawarra Dragons for at least this week, as they ran out 38-12 winners over an injury-hit Dolphins side in Wollongong.

An early penalty goal was what the Dolphins were hoping would add to the scores but from long distance, Jamayne Isaako had it waved away but it wasn't long before the Dolphins winger was on the board when he had no space to work with when he went for the line trying to get it down in the corner. The Dragons hit back soon after when repeated sets began to mount and Jacob Liddle took advantage out of dummy half to get over from close range. The Red 'V' soon took the lead when big man Blake Lawrie had too much strength going to the line to beat the Dolphins defence to score. A strange decision to go for penalty goal just before half time for the visitors closed the scoreline to 12-8.

It was one-way traffic for the second half with the Red 'V' doing something that their opposition couldn't, take advantage of the howling southerly in the Gong. The Dragons opened the scoring not long after the resumption of play when a bouncing ball proved all sorts of issues for Hamiso Taubai-Fidow at the back and Zac Lomax got to it first to score. The defence from the Dolphins was struggling and Ben Hunt strolled through a wide gap in the defence after the visitors were in two minds about what the Dragons were looking to do in attack and Hunt went straight through. Ben Hunt magic put Mikaele Ravalawa over for his first with a long pass out to the right before his second came through some silky hands with Ben Hunt and Jack Bird combining. The Dragons lead 32-6 at this stage. Despite having a player sin binned in between the two Ravalawa tries, the Dolphins turned on the style and flair when Jamayne Isaako was able to get on the outside of the Dragons defence and put on the afterburners before finding the Hammer who had too much speed to get himself over in the corner. The Dragons finished the scoring with under 5 minutes to go when Tyrell Sloan was in open space after an offload and despite some tough and desperate defence Sloan was able to plant the ball down. JOSH ROBERTSON

SATURDAY 1 APRIL, 7:35pm BRISBANE 46 WESTS TIGERS 12

MATCH FACTS: BRISBANE 46 (J. Riki 2, K. Staggs 2, K. Capewell, S. Cobbo, H. Farnworth, P. Haas tries; A. Reynolds 7 goals)

DEFEATED WESTS TIGERS 12 (I. Papali'i, J. Simpkin tries; A. Doueihi 2 goals) AT SUNCORP STADIUM. Date: Sat, 1st April. Kickoff: 6:35 PM. Halftime: Brisbane 28-0. Penalties: Brisbane 8-2. Referee: Chris Sutton. Crowd: 27,533. TEAMS: BRISBANE: Walsh, Arthars, Staggs, Farnworth, Cobbo; Mam, Reynolds (C); Flegler, Walters, Haas, Capewell, Riki, Carrigan. Int: Paix, Palasia, Jensen, Taupau. WESTS TIGERS: Doueihi, Staines, To'a, Kepaoa, Tupou; Wakeham, Brooks; Twal, Koroisau (C), Klemmer, Papali'i, Bateman, Pole. Int: Utoikamanu, Simpkin, Matamua, Blore.

Brisbane have very nearly racked up 50 against a Wests Tigers side that looks to be getting further away from improving every week.

The Broncos were impressive in their unrelenting attack all game, and even though they racked up 46 points, they let several opportunities go begging through either poor handling or pushed passes, meaning they've still got room for improvement, which is scary for the other 16 NRL sides. In the ninth minute the scoring began when the Broncos, despite some rushed and slightly panicky passing to flat footed players, eventually got the ball out to lordan Riki, who stepped inside a defender and then raced 15 metres to score a soft try. Adam Reynolds failed to convert the try. After going close twice, the Broncos finally added another try in the 16th minute when Ezra Mam grubbered on the left side for Kurt Capewell, who chased it down, regathered and scored. Reynolds converted the try. Arthars almost scored himself 2 minutes later, but it was Payne Haas who got the next try, when he scooped up the ball from dummy half and barged over to score a strong try. Reynolds converted again. In the 30th minute, The Tigers were on the attack when a stray pass went behind their backs. Selwyn Cobbo pounced and picked up the ball before racing 87 metres to score. Reynolds converted to make it 22-0. Four minutes later the Broncos scored yet again when Reece Walsh ran to the line then grubbered through for Riki to plant the rolling ball for his second try. Reynolds converted and at halftime lead by a commanding 28 points.

The Tigers finally got on the board 3 minutes into the second half when a Brandon Wakeham kick was taken nicely by Isaiah Papali'l, who then fell over the line to score. Adam Doueihi converted. Any chance of a second half comeback though was quickly snuffed out when Herbie Farnworth strolled through two stationary Tigers defenders on the left side to score a soft try. Reynolds conversion gave the Broncos a 34-6 lead. Reynolds very nearly created a try for Kotoni Staggs on the right side with a grubber behind the line, but the centre couldn't control the ball and knocked it on. It would only take another minute before Staggs would get himself on the board when the Broncos shifted right, created an easy overlap and Staggs strolled in to score. Reynolds added the conversion to bring up 40 for the Broncos. Play from both sides started to lack discipline, with both sides

pushing passes, losing the ball and giving away set restarts. In the 64th minute, Jake Simpkin dived over from dummy half to score. Doueihi converted. A penalty near full time for the Broncos near the Tigers line, allowed Reynolds to put in a grubber which Staggs regathered and scored. Reynolds converted just on fulltime to give the Broncos a commanding 46-12 victory.

ANDREW FERGUSON

SUNDAY 2 APRIL, 4:05pm WARRIORS 32 CRONULLA 30

MATCH FACTS: WARRIORS 32 (J. Curran, W. Egan, S. Johnson, E. Kosi, M. Niukore tries; S. Johnson 6 goals) DEFEATED CRONULLA 30 (R. Mulitalo 2, S. Katoa, W. Kennedy, T. Wilton tries; N. Hynes 5 goals) AT POINTSBET STADIUM. Date: Sun, 2nd April. Kickoff: 4:05 PM. Halftime: Cronulla 26-12. Penalties: Cronulla 7-5. Referee: Ben Cummins. Crowd: 10,878. TEAMS: CRONULLA: Kennedy, Katoa, Ramien, Talakai, Mulitalo; Moylan, Hynes; Rudolf, Brailey, Hamlin-Uele, Nikora, Wilton, Finucane (C). Int: McInnes, Hunt, Williams, Trindall. WARRIORS: Nicoll-Klokstad, Kosi, Vailea, Pompey, Montoya; Volkman, Johnson; Fonua-Blake, Egan (C), Afoa, Ford, Niukore, Tevaga. Int: Walker, Sironen, Ale, Curran

Shaun Johnson has inspired the New Zealand Warriors to one of the club's greatest ever victories after rallying from a 20-point deficit to defeat the Cronulla Sharks 32-30 on Sunday afternoon.

In a match high on entertainment, but unlikely to be remembered fondly by defensive purists, Johnson nailed a late penalty goal to put the Warriors ahead for the first time before the side survived a final scare with Nicho Hynes missing a long-range penalty goal which would have sent the match into golden point. The win was the first time the Warriors prevailed at Cronulla since 2015 and only the sixth victory in 20 visits overall. Wasting little time in capitalising on a Warriors error on just the second tackle of the match. Cronulla second-rower Teig Wilton (1st minute) found himself in the right place to open the scoring in his 50th game for the club. Going further in front in the following set following a break by Briton Nikora resulting in a six-again call, a superblyexecuted left-side shift allowed Ronaldo Mulitalo (5th minute) to take the score out to 12-0. Making the most of an opportunity after Edward Kosi failed to latch onto an intercept, the Sharks produced a mirror image of their second try with Sione Katoa (14th minute) touching down in the right corner. Facing a 20-0 deficit after Nicho Hynes added a penalty goal midway through the half, the Warriors stemmed the one-way flow of points with stand-in captain Wayde Egan (21st minute) pouncing on a bouncing ball to score his fourth try in as many games this season. Will Kennedy (27th minute) claimed his sixth try in five matches with a show-and-go close to the line, while former Cronulla playmaker Johnson kept the visitors in the contest with a well-placed pass to allow Marata Niukore (29th minute) to barge over for his first try in Warriors colours.

Forced to play the first ten minutes of the second half with 12 players after Niukore was sent to the sin bin for a hip drop tackle on halftime, Johnson (45th minute) was rewarded for effort on effort after forcing an error out of Mulitalo with a towering bomb and leading the chase to score. Gaining the ascendancy with Johnson and Ronald Volkman producing multiple repeat sets, Kosi (52nd minute) touched down to narrow the margin to two points. Having conceded three tries either side of half time, the Sharks regained a six-point advantage after Mulitalo (55th minute) claimed his second after Hynes forced a repeat set through his kicking game. Setting up a grandstand finish with Josh Curran (67th minute) crashing over after getting his first involvement during the final quarter, a successful conversion. from Johnson levelled the scores at 30-all. In an enthralling final ten minutes that saw Dale Finucane sent to the sin bin for a hip drop tackle, the Sharks opted to frantically run the ball on the final tackle which resulted in Curran being tackled off the ball. Johnson stepped up to nail the penalty goal but almost went from hero to villain after conceding an offside penalty from the ensuring short kick-off. Hynes ultimately was off target with his penalty attempt, leaving the bulk of the rain-soaked 10,878 fans to lament what could have been as the Warriors secured a 32-30 great escape. ROB CROSBY

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SUNDAY 2 APRIL, 6:15pm CANTERBURY 15 NORTH QLD 14

MATCH FACTS: CANTERBURY 15 (J. Preston 2, J. Addo-Carr tries; M. Burton goal; M. Burton field goal) DEFEATED NORTH QLD 14 (T. Chester, T. Dearden tries; V. Holmes 3 goals) AT ACCOR STADIUM. Date: Sun, 2nd April. Kickoff: 6:15 PM. Halftime: North QLD 8-6. Penalties: North QLD 8-6. Referee: Liam Kennedy. Crowd: 9,626.. TEAMS: CANTERBURY: Perham, Kiraz, Averillo, Alamoti, Addo-Carr; Burton (C), Flanagan; King, Mahoney, Sutton, Faitala-Mariner, Preston, Waddell. Int: Reynolds, Pele, Okunbor, Morrin. NORTH QLD: Chester, Feldt, Holmes, Hiku, Elliot; Dearden, Townsend (C); McLean, Robson, Dunn, Hess, Luki, Taumalolo. Int: Neame, Granville, Taunoa-Brown, Price.

The Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs have come from the clouds to force golden point and 15-14 win against the North Queensland Cowboys, a Burton field goal in golden point all that stood between the two sides in 84 minutes of play.

The Bulldogs performance was made more impressive by the fact that injuries reared the ugly head during the game, starting in the third minute when Raymond Faitala-Mariner succumbed to an HIA which would rule him out for the remainder. The Cowboys would get on the board early, with Peta Hiku making a break to give the side momentum before Tom Dearden kicked into a backfield with no fullback, regathering the ball and touching down for the opening try. Things got worse for the Dogs when in

the 15th minute Jayden Okunbor was sent to the sin bin for a hip drop tackle on Jason Taumalolo. The Cowboys opted to take the two points on offer, extending their lead to 8-points. Despite the one man disadvantage, the Bulldogs were able to hit right back in the 20th minute. Matt Burton put in a beautiful grubber on the 5th tackle close to the line that rookie back-rower Jacob Preston won the race to. They would go the entire 10 minute period without conceding a try in an early moral victory. Unfortunately for Canterbury, the rollercoaster continued when a stray finger from Jacob Preston connected with Max King's eye, forcing the front rower off the field and Preston to get his finger taped in a double blow. Right on half time, Holmes attempted a two point field goal, but was well short, sending the sides to the sheds with the Cowboys leading 8-6.

The Bulldogs defence was on show in the early stages of the second half, turning the Cowboys away despite being faced with consecutive set restarts. The game was well and truly in the balance when Hayze Perham knocked on in the 59th minute, allowing the Cowboys another prime attacking opportunity. They didn't waste it, with Dearden putting Heilum Luki through a gap and the back-rower then offloading for Tom Chester to score his 2nd career try. The conversion made it an 8-point game once again and the Dogs had a huge mountain to climb. They made progress toward doing so in the 68th minute, with Reed Mahoney throwing a great pass from dummy half to put Jacob Preston over for his second try of the night. Burton's conversion was missed, meaning the Bulldogs needed one more try to win the game. The Cowboys tried to extend the lead to 6 with a penalty goal two

minutes later, but a rare miss from Valentine Holmes kept the score at 14-10. Burton's short side chip'n'chase on the Dogs next possession earned them a repeat set, but a pedestrian kick from Flanagan handed possession right back to the Cowboys. With three minutes to play, the Cowboys knocked on 5 metres out from their own line, giving the Bulldogs a prime opportunity to set up a grandstand finish. They would do exactly that; they shifted the ball to the left with 30 seconds to go and found an overlap courtesy of some quick hands from Paul Alamoti to Josh Addo-Carr, the latter grounding the ball in the corner to give Burton a shot to win it from the sideline after the siren. Burton's kick wasn't convincing off the boot but looked to be coming back just enough before it made contact with the left hand upright, rebounding back towards the sideline and sending the game into golden point.

Neither team managed to get themselves into good enough position to kick a field goal throughout the first 4 minute of golden point, and it looked as though another tie might be on the cards when Burton and Addo-Carr produced some magic. Burton kicked early in the tackle count from his own 30 for Addo-Carr, who took possession of the ball and chipped over the Cowboys fullback's head. He looked to be in for all money, but the ball bounced right back over his head and was dived on by Jacob Preston 25 metres out from the line and an inch away from the sideline. The clock was winding down and Burton was in position for the field goal, which he nailed from 30 metres out while on an angle, more than making up for his earlier missed conversion. **ADAM HUXTABLE**



UK WATCH BETFRED CHALLENGE CUP FOURTH ROUND RESULTS

NEWCASTLE 22 (T. Chapelhow, J. Johnson, C. Moore, A. Young tries; J. Miller 3 goals) **DEFEATED ROCHDALE MAYFIELD 12** (B. Metcalf, J. Parr tries; D. Long 2 goals) **AT MAYFIELD SPORTS CENTRE**. Date: Sat, 1st April. Kickoff: 1:00 PM. Halftime: Newcastle 22-6. Penalties: Newcastle 7-1. Referee: Nick Bennett.

KEIGHLEY 36 (M. Agoro 2, K. Dyer-Dixon 2, T. Doyle, B. Gaylor, L. Young tries; D. Parker 2, H. Spence 2 goals) DEFEATED NORTH WALES 14 (D. Morley-Samuels, K. Taylor, B. Wood tries; O. Abel goal) AT COUGAR PARK. Date: Sat, 1st April. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Keighley 18-6. Penalties: Keighley 4-1. Referee: Michael Smaill. Crowd: 862

LONDON 66 (O. Leyland 2, P. Ulberg 2, W. Albert, D. Grant, R. Horsman, B. Leyland, I. Macani, D. Parata, R. Silva, E. Waine tries; O. Leyland 9 goals) **DEFEATED DONCASTER 16** (T. Corion, B. Hey, A. Ollett-Hobson tries; J. Sanderson 2 goals) **AT ROSSLYN PARK.** Date: Sat, 1st April. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: 16-all. Penalties: 3-all. Referee: Scott Mikalauskas.

YORK 24 (D. Kirmond 2, C. Fitzsimmons, M. Harrison, A. Towse tries; J. Glover 2 goals) **DEFEATED SHEFFIELD 22** (C. Aston, J. Bass, M. Chrimes, K. Welham tries; C. Aston 3 goals) **AT LNER COMMUNITY STADIUM**. Date: Sun, 2nd April. Kickoff: 12:30 PM. Halftime: York 20-0. Penalties: Sheffield 5-3. Referee: James Vella.

BATLEY 80 (J. Hodson 4, D. Morton 3, A. McGowan 2, J. Meadows 2, B. White 2, N. Flynn, J. Woods tries; J. Meadows 10 goals) DEFEATED HUNSLET ARLFC 6 (D. Billingham try; J. Gale goal) AT FOX'S BISCUITS STADIUM. Date: Sun, 2nd April. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime: Batley 44-0. Penalties: Batley 6-4. Referee: Bradley Milligan. Crowd: 579.

DEWSBURY 32 (R. Butterworth 2, L. Carr, D. Dixon, O. Greensmith tries; P. Sykes 6 goals) **DEFEATED WIDNES 12** (M. Fozard, A. Lawton tries; J. Owens 2 goals) **AT FLAIR STADIUM**. Date: Sun, 2nd April. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Dewsbury 12-8. Penalties: Dewsbury 6-4. Referee: Liam Rush.

HALIFAX 24 (J. Saltonstall 2, E. Doro, L. Jouffret, J. Maizen tries; J. Keyes 2 goals) **DEFEATED BARROW 18** (D. Langtree 2, R. Corkill tries; J. Sammut 3 goals) **AT THE SHAY STADIUM**. Date: Sun, 2nd April. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Halifax 14-0. Penalties: Halifax 7-4. Referee: Tom Grant. Crowd: 1,474.

BRADFORD 66 (C. Butler 3, T. Holmes 2, B. Jowitt 2, K. Appo, J. Arundel, M. Lawford, F. Rogers tries; M. Lawford 11 goals) DEFEATED MIDLANDS 18 (C. Dunne, K. Moran, M. Welham tries; B. Stead 3 goals) AT ODSAL STADIUM. Date: Sun, 2nd April. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Bradford 18-12. Penalties: Bradford 9-4. Referee: Cameron Worsley. Crowd: 1,003.

FIFTH ROUND DRAW

FIFTH ROUND

Matches to be played 20 - 23 April

Halifax Panthers v Bradford Bulls The Shay Stadium, Halifax

Batley Bulldogs v Keighley Cougars

Fox's Biscuits Stadium, Batley

London Broncos v Dewsbury Rams

York Knights v Newcastle Thunder LNER Community Stadium, York

BETFRED CHAMPIONSHIP

ROUND 8 FIXTURES

ALL TIMES BST (UK)

FRIDAY 7 APRIL

3PM SWINTON v WIDNES Hevwood Road. Sale Referee: Scott MIKALAUSKAS

BARROW v WHITEHAVEN Referee: Cameron WORSLEY Matt Johnson Prestige Stadium, Barrow

NEWCASTLE v SHEFFIELD Referee: Brad MILLIGAN Kingston Park Newcastle

3:30PM BATLEY v FEATHERSTONE Referee: James VELLA Fox's Biscuit Stadium, Batley

5PM TOULOUSE v LONDON Referee: Mike SMAILL (6PM FR) Stade Ernest Wallon, Toulouse

7:30PM YORK v KEIGHLEY Referee: Nick BENNETT

LNER Community Stadium, York

MONDAY 19 APRIL

7:45PM HALIFAX v BRADFORD (ViaPlay) The Shay Stadium, Halifax

BETFRED SUPER LEAGUE

ROUND 7 WRAP

Match wraps by AJ LUCANTONIO. Times are BST.

WIGAN 34 (J. Field 2, A. Miski 2, B. French, T. King, J. Wardle tries; H. Smith 3 goals) DEFEATED LEIGH 6 (T. Briscoe try; B. Reynolds goal) AT LEIGH SPORTS VILLAGE STADIUM. Date: Thu, 30th March. Kickoff: 8:00 PM. Halftime: Wigan 10-6. Penalties: Leigh 5-4. Referee: Liam Moore. Crowd: 9,189. LEIGH: O'Brien, Charnley, Leutele, Hardaker, Briscoe; Reynolds, Lam; Amone, Ipape, Mulhern, O'Donnell, Holmes, Asiata. Int: Nakubuwai, Seumanufagai, Davis, Chamberlain. WIGAN: French, King, Pearce-Paul, Wardle, Miski; Field, Smith; Cooper, Powell, Byrne, Isa, Farrell, Smithies. Int: Ellis, Havard, O'Neill, Shorrocks.

The Wigan Warriors have won their third straight match downing the Leigh Leopards 34-6 in a convincing display to kick off Round 7.

It was Leigh who kicked off the scoring in the seventh minute of play. Tom Briscoe was able to finish off a nice movement down the left-hand side to set the home side up with a 6-0 lead. However, it was all one way traffic for the rest of this encounter. It appeared the Warriors were up against it when Jacob Wardle was sin binned, but six minutes later, Bevan French finished off a set play to slice through the defence. Eight minutes later, Jai Field showcased his strength to finish off a movement and Wigan led 10-6 at half-time.

Five minutes after the resumption, Wardle atoned for his earlier sins when he finished off a Bevan French break following a kick which was charged down. Nine minutes later, Abbas Miski crossed for the first of his two tries when he had enough pace to beat the cover to stroll over in the left corner. Field would add a second try just before the hour mark when he sliced through some would be tacklers to effectively seal the match. Two more Wigan tries through Toby King and Miski concluded a thorough hiding in the derby match.

HULL KR 20 (K. Linnett, L. Senior, S. Sue tries; L. Coote 4 goals)
DEFEATED LEEDS 12 (J. McDonnell, L. Roberts tries; R. Martin 2 goals)
AT SEWELL GROUP CRAVEN PARK. Date: Fri, 31st March. Kickoff: 8:00
PM. Halftime: Hull KR 14-0. Penalties: Hull KR 6-5. Referee: Marcus
Griffiths. HULL KR: Coote, Senior, Wood, Batchelor, Hall; Lewis, Abdull;
Kennedy, Parcell, King, Halton, Linnett, Minchella. Int: Sue, Litten,
Hadley, Luckley. LEEDS: Hooley, Fusitu'a, Newman, Martin, Olpherts;
Austin, Sezer; Holroyd, O'Connor, Tetevano, McDonnell, Bentley, Smith.
Int: Roberts, Lisone, Sangaré, Oledzki.

Hull Kingston Rovers have secured a 20-12 triumph over Leeds Rhinos in their Round 7 clash at Craven Park.

Ireland international Louis Senior crossed for the first try just shy of the 25 minute mark after a bomb from Jordan Abdull was allowed to bounce and Senior gathered to touch down to cross with Lachlan Coote's conversion stretching the advantage to 8-0. Rovers continued to add to their advantage when another Abdull grubber caused confusion at the back for the Rhinos. From there, Sauaso Sue was jolly on the spot to collect their second try and what would be a sizable 14-0 advantage at half-time.

Leeds' start to the second half was an absolute fizzer with the kickoff bouncing over the sideline which allowed Rovers to place further pressure. Kane Linnett crossed off the ensuing set and Leeds were up against it. The Rhinos did bounce back off a kick of their own when Luis Roberts dotted down a grubber kick into the corner, Martin's touchline conversion reducing the gap to 12 points. Coote knocked over another penalty to extend the gap back to 14. James McDonnell claimed the Rhinos' second try with Martin's kick making it 20-12 with six minutes remaining, but that was as close as the visitors got.

ST HELENS 38 (K. Hurrell 2, L. Dodd, W. Hopoate, J. Lomax, T. Makinson, M. Percival tries; M. Percival 5 goals) DEFEATED WAKEFIELD 0 AT TOTALLY WICKED STADIUM. Date: Fri, 31st March. Kickoff: 8:00 PM. Halftime: St Helens 12-0. Penalties: St Helens 4-3. Referee: Chris Kendall. Crowd: 10,304. ST HELENS: Welsby, Makinson, Hurrell, Percival, Hopoate; Lomax, Dodd; Walmsley, Roby, Lees, Sironen, Bell, Knowles. Int: Lussick, McCarthy-Scarsbrook, Royle, Delaney. WAKEFIELD: Dagger, Kershaw, Lyne, Langi, Senior; Smith, Lino; Whitbread, Kay, Battye, Pitts, Ashurst, Crowther. Int: Eseh, Butler, Bowes. Forber.

St Helens have continued their revival with a third straight victory downing Wakefield by 38-0 at home.

It was a true David v Goliath battle and with St Helens' inconsistent start to the season it was anyone's guess how this match was going to go. St Helens crossed inside the first ten minutes when Mark Percival crossed in the seventh minute of play but from there a stale mate reigned until

the final ten minutes of the first half. Two quick tries in the space of four minutes to Will Hopoate and Tom Makinson gave the Saints a 12-0 lead with goalkicking proving to be the headache for the three time premiers.

Four second half tries to the Saints sealed Wakefield's fate with Lewis Dodd crossing first just shy of the hour mark. Konrad Hurrell added a second half double and Johnny Lomax crossed to give the Saints a 38-0 shallacking to keep their hopes of a rare four-peat alive. For Wakefield, this season is looking more and more ugly through every passing game. It's an up hill battle to stay up in Super League for the Wildcats.

WARRINGTON 34 (M. Ashton, B. Currie, J. Drinkwater, M. Dufty, P. Mata'utia, M. Nicholson tries; S. Ratchford 5 goals) DEFEATED HULL FC 6 (B. Dwyer try; J. Clifford goal) AT HALLIWELL JONES STADIUM.
Date: Sat, 1st April. Kickoff: 1:00 PM. Halftime: Warrington 28-0. Penalties: Warrington 3-2. Referee: Aaron Moore. Crowd: 10,797. WARRINGTON: Dufty, Russell, Minikin, Ratchford, Ashton; Williams, Drinkwater; Mikaele, Walker, Vaughan, Nicholson, Currie, Mata'utia. Int: Philbin, Dudson, Thewlis, Thomas. HULL FC: Hoy, Litten, Tuimavave, Sutcliffe, Swift; Lovodua, Clifford; Taylor, Houghton, Satae, Savelio, Griffin, Fash. Int: Lane, Cator, Evans, Dwyer.

The Warrington Wolves have continued their undefeated start to the 2023 with a resounding 34-6 victory over Hull FC at home today.

It was a fast and furious start from the home side crossing the stripe three times in the first quarter of the match. The scoring began in the sixth minute of play when Matty Ashton crossed following a George Williams kick. Five minutes later, Peter Mata'utia crashed over from short range. In the twentieth minute of action, another Williams kick provided a try for Ben Currie. Two more tries were to follow in the first half when Matt Dufty backed up in support to finish off a Williams break from a loose Hull pass. Warrington claimed their fifth try of the half in the final minute when Drinkwater strolled through some poor defence and the Wolves were in total control at 28-0 at half-time.

Hull showed some resistance in the second half only conceding the one and countering it with a try of their own. They crossed just after the hour mark when Brad Dwyer dove across from short range with Jake Clifford bringing them within four converted tries. But, they were unable to come close and a late Matt Nicholson try sealed the deal for Wolves.

CATALANS 22 (T. Johnstone, M. McMeeken, A. Mourgue, P. Séguier tries; A. Keighran 2, A. Mourgue goals) DEFEATED CASTLEFORD 18 (J. Broadbent 2, J. Turner tries; P. McShane 3 goals) AT STADE GILBERT BRUTUS. Date: Sat, 1st April. Kickoff: 5:00 PM. Halftime: Catalans 12-6. Penalties: Catalans 9-2. Referee: Jack Smith. Crowd: 8,109. CATALANS: Mourgue, Davies, Keighran, Laguerre, Johnstone; Rougé, Pearce; McMeeken, Da Costa, Bousquet, Whitley, Séguier, Garcia. Int: Navarrete, Chan, Dezaria, Tomkins. CASTLEFORD: Eden, Faraimo, Sutcliffe, Turner, Fonua; Broadbent, Miller; Massey, McShane, Matagi, Griffin, Mellor, Westerman. Int: Lawler. Edwards. Vete. Smith.

The Catalans Dragons have come from behind in the final minutes of play to snatch victory over the Castleford Tigers.

The Dragons crossed for the first try after just six minutes of play. Paul Segiuer crossed following a grubber from Tom Davies which was batted back in by the winger and dived on by the Frenchman to score the game's first try. Four minutes later, the Tigers responded. Jack Broadbent scooped up an errant offload from Nathan Massey and ran the best part of 20 metres to cross for the game tying try. Adam Keighran added a penalty goal nine minutes later to give the home side an 8-6 lead. This was added to five minutes later. Tom Johnstone finished off some great individual work from Tyrone May to cross outwide and give the hosts a slender 6 point advantage at the change of ends.

Arthur Mourgue crossed a minute after the resumption when he made the Castleford defence look as foolish as their Australian counterparts to give the French side some breathing room to kickstart the second forty. Castleford would respond just before the hour mark. Jordan Turner crossed following some desperate second phase play and some poor defence to reduce the gap to just four points. With just under 10 to go, Broadbent split the Dragons defence wide open and ran 80 metres to score the lead changing try and it appeared Castleford were home. However, a late try from Mike McMeekan was enough to give Catalans a desperate victory and keep in touch with the undefeated Warrington.

HUDDERSFIELD 26 (O. Trout 2, A. Golding, C. McQueen tries; O. Russell 5 goals) DEFEATED SALFORD 16 (M. Costello, K. Watkins, S. Wright tries; M. Sneyd 2 goals) AT SALFORD STADIUM. Date: Sun, 2nd April. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Huddersfield 14-6. Penalties: Huddersfield 10-6. Referee: Ben Thaler. Crowd: 4,764. SALFORD: Brierley, Sio, Cross, Costello, Burgess; Croft, Sneyd; Dupree, Atkin, Ormondroyd, Watkins, Stone, Addy. Int: Vuniyayawa, Hellewell, Wright, Dixon. HUDDERSFIELD: Pryce, Golding, Marsters, Naiqama, Halsall; Connor, Russell; Hill, Peats, English, Rushton, McQueen, Yates. Int: Lolohea, Ikahihifo, Trout, Ashworth.

The Huddersfield Giants have ended a two game losing streak with a 26-16 away victory over the Salford Red Devils at Salford Stadium.

The Giants opened the scoring in the twelfth minute of the game when Jamaican international Ashton Golding picked up a loose pass from Marc Sneyd and raced away to score. Olly Russell added a penalty goal in the twenty-fifth minute when Salford were pinned for being inside the 10 and it was soon 8-0. Salford got themselves back into the match and crossed for a vital try before half-time. Shane Wright crashed over from short range and Sneyd added the extras and it was two points that separated the two sides, albeit for a brief period of the game. Owen Trout crossed for the visitors three minutes out from half-time after backing up a break from Kevin Naiqama and it was 14-6 at the main change.

Salford struck first after the break when Matt Costello finished off a backline movement with an acrobatic finish. Sneyd was unsuccessful and the gap remained four points. Eight minutes later, more poor Salford discipline led Russell to add a penalty goal and extend the gap to a converted try. Victory was assured 14 minutes from time when Trout crossed for his second try following a great short ball from Matty English. Chris McQueen put the game beyond doubt following great leadup work from Naiqama. Salford managed a late consolation try through Kallum Watkins but it was all in vein for the hosts who slump to their second straight defeat and 3-4 on the season. Huddersfield are now 3-3 with a match in hand.

TABLE: ROUND 7	Р	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1. Warrington	7	7	0	0	232	82	150	14
2. Catalans	7	6	1	0	178	108	70	12
3. Wigan	7	5	2	0	192	79	113	10
4. St Helens*	6	4	2	0	132	75	57	8
5. Hull KR	7	4	3	0	152	120	32	8
6. Huddersfield*	6	3	3	0	110	76	34	6
7. Salford	7	3	4	0	156	143	13	6
8. Leeds	7	3	4	0	131	144	-13	6
9. Leigh	7	3	4	0	116	159	-43	6
10. Hull FC	7	2	5	0	108	224	-116	4
11. Castleford	7	1	6	0	74	196	-122	2
12. Wakefield	7	0	7	0	43	218	-175	0

TOP POINTS			P	Ţ	G	F	Pts
1	Stefan RATCHFORD	WTN	7	1	36	-	76
2	Marc SNEYD	SAL	7	2	27	2	64
3	Harry SMITH	WIG	7	2	26	-	60

TOP TRIES			Р	Ţ
1	Tom JOHNSTONE	CAT	7	9
2	Josh CHARNLEY	LEI	7	8
	Liam MARSHALL	WIG	6	8

ROUND 8 FIXTURES

ALL TIMES BST (UK), ALL LIVE ON SKY SPORTS UK, FOX $502\,\mathrm{AU}$ unless otherwise noted

THURSDAY 6 APRIL

8PM CASTLEFORD v WAKEFIELD Referee: Marcus GRIFFITHS Mend-a-Hose Jungle, Castleford

GOOD FRIDAY 7 APRIL

12:30PM HULL FC v HULL KR Referee: Jack SMITH (Fox 505 AU) MKM Stadium, Hull

3PM WIGAN v ST HELENS Referee: Liam MOORE DW Stadium, Wigan

SATURDAY 8 APRIL

2:30PM LEIGH v SALFORD Referee: Aaron MOORE

Leigh Sports Village Stadium, Leigh

5PM CATALANS v WARRINGTON Referee: Chris KENDALL (6PM FR) Stade Gilbert Brutus, Perpignan

SUNDAY 9 APRIL

6PM LEEDS v HUDDERSFIELD Referee: Ben THALER

Headingley Stadium, Leeds

NSWRL TEAMLISTS & RESULTS

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: Match details and teamlists are subject to change. Visit nswrl.com.au for updates.

KNOCK-ON EFFECT NSW CUP - ROUND 6

CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS v SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS

Friday 7 April 1:40pm Accor Stadium, Sydney Olympic Park / Wanngal OFFICIALS TBC

CANTERBURY: 1. Joash Papali'i 2. Jeral Skelton 3. Declan Casey 4. Braidon Burns 5. Blake Wilson 6. Khaled Rajab 7. Karl Oloapu 8. Billy Tsikrikas 9. Brandon Clarke 10. Joshua Kalati 11. Lipoi Hopoi 12. Kitione Kautoga 13. Jack Stringer 14. Bailey Hayward 15. Zac Hetherington 16. Zac Montgomery 17. Jack Todd

SOUTHS: 1. Blake Taaffe 2. Tom Carr 3. Josiah Karapani 4. Jacob Gagai 5. Richie Kennar 6. Dion Teaupa 7. Dean Hawkins 8. Thomas Giles 9. Peter Mamouzelos 10. Brock Gray 11. Ben Lovett 12. Ethan O'Neill 13. Tallis Duncan 14. Maila Chan-Foon 15. Darcy Hardman 16. Yileen Gordon 17. Chase Chapman 18. Hugo Patterson

CANBERRA RAIDERS v SYDNEY ROOSTERS

Friday 7 April 2:45pm Raiders Belconnen, Holt / Ngunnawal OFFICIALS TBC

CANBERRA: 1. Chevy Stewart 2. Utuloa Asouma 3. Harley Smith-Shields 4. Brad Morkos 5. Steven Numambo 6. Noah Ryan 7. Joshua James 8. Trey Mooney 9. Mitchel Souter 10. Peter Hola 11. Jordan Martin 12. Clay Webb 13. Hohepa Puru 14. Toby Thorburn 15. Juwan Compain 16. Rayden Burns 17. Joshua Allen 18. Manase Kaho

SYDNEY: 1. Ethan King 2. Allan Fitzgibbon 3. Ethan Clark-Wood 21. Noel Aukafolau 5. Jade Anderson 6. Joseph Whitikama Temara Taipari 7. Sandon Smith 27. Edenn Rogers-Smith 9. Tyler Moriarty 10. Luke Hodge 11. Elie El Zakhem 12. Siua Wong 13. Tyrell Neiufi 14. Thomas Deakin 16. Riley Meyn 17. Joshua Bevan 20. Tayson Fakaosi 18. Coby Thomas

ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS v NORTH SYDNEY BEARS

Saturday 8 April 1:45pm (NSWRL TV) Collegians Sports Complex / Figtree OFFICIALS TBC

ST GEO ILLA: 1. Paul Turner 2. Alexander Lobb 3. Jackson Shereb 4. Max Feagai 5. Sione Finau 6. Zach Herring 7. Jayden Sullivan 8. Zane Musgrove 9. Connor Muhleisen 10. Viliami Fifita 11. Daniel Russell 12. Jaiyden Hunt 13. Michael Molo 14. Haele Finau 15. Ryan Couchman 16. Aaron Johnson 17. Nick Lui-Toso 18. Treigh Stewart

NORTHS: 1. Josh Bergamin 2. Tuipulotu Katoa 3. Junior Pauga 4. Paul Momirovski 5. Toa Mata'afa 6. Jesse Marschke 7. Ben Stevanovic 8. Kurt De Luis 9. Ben Marschke 10. Phillip Makatoa 11. Dane Aukafolau 12. Sitili Tupouniua 13. Zach Dockar-Clay 14. Tyran Ott 15. Ben Thomas 16. Regan Hughes 17. Reuben Porter

PENRITH PANTHERS v BLACKTOWN WORKERS SEA EAGLES

Saturday 8 April 3:05pm (Fox League) Bluebet Stadium, Penrith / Dharug OFFICIALS TBC

PENRITH: 1. Isaiah longi 2. Thomas Jenkins 3. Matt Stimson 4. Jack Cole 5. Jesse McLean 6. Kurt Falls 7. Jack Cogger 8. Liam Henry 9. Luke Sommerton 10. Eddie Blacker 11. Mavrik Geyer 12. Chris Smith 13. John Faiumu 14. Trent Toelau 15. Sunita Lotoaniu 16. Ativalu Lisati 17. Harrison Hassett 18. Daeon

North Sydney Bears (24) Tries: Ben Stevanovic 2, Paul Momirovski, Josh Bergamin, Tuipulotu Katoa; Goals: Jesse Marschke 2/4 def Sydney Roosters (14) Tries: Allan Fitzgibbon 2, Elie El-Zakham; Goals: Sandon Smith 1/3 at Hills Grammar, Kenthurst / Bediagal

BYE: South Sydney Rabbitohs

LADDER: R5	Р	W	L	D	В	F	А	+/-	Pts
1. Canterbury	5	4	1	0	0	148	68	80	8
2. North Sydney Bears	5	4	1	0	0	116	88	28	8
3. Penrith Panthers	4	3	1	0	1	88	70	18	8
4. Newtown Jets	5	3	2	0	0	126	78	48	6
5. Warriors	5	3	2	0	0	124	98	26	6
6. Western Suburbs	5	3	2	0	0	135	126	9	6
7. Canberra Raiders	5	3	2	0	0	98	96	2	6
8. Parramatta Eels	5	2	2	1	0	100	122	-22	5
9. Blacktown Workers	4	1	3	0	1	86	98	-12	4
10. Sydney Roosters	4	1	3	0	1	88	114	-26	4
11. South Sydney	4	1	3	0	1	68	108	-40	4
12. St George Illawarra	4	0	3	1	1	56	120	-64	3
13. Newcastle Knights	5	1	4	0	0	92	139	-47	2

Amituanai 19. Joe Vaegaau

BLACKTOWN: 1. Jake Toby 2. Clayton Faulalo 3. Fletcher Myers 4. Brad Abbey 5. Ryan Garner 6. Dean Matterson 7. Troy Dargan 8. Morgan Boyle 9. Gordon Chan Kum Tong 10. Ben Condon 11. Jacob Sykes 12. Joshua Stuckey 13. Zac Fulton 14. Joey Tramontana 15. Austin Dias 16. Robert Mafi 17. Jordan Main 18. Denzal Tonise

NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS v WARRIORS

Sunday 9 April 3:45pm McDonald Jones Stadium, New Lambton OFFICIALS TBC

NEWCASTLE: 1. Bailey Hodgson 2. Keanu Wainohu-Kemp 3. Simi Sasagi 4. Enari Tuala 6. Ryan Rivett 7. Liam Sutton 8. David Hollis 9. Temple Kalepo 10. Ben Talty 11. Edward Hampson 12. Oryn Keeley 13. Thomas Cant 15. Toni Tupouniua 16. Sebastian Su'a 17. Cooper Jenkins 18. Chris Slater-Raptis WARRIORS: 1. Taine Tuaupiki 2. Setu Tu 3. Moala Graham-Taufa 4. Ali Leiataua 5. Sanele Aukusitino 6. Ben Farr 7. Ronald Volkman 8. Zyon Maiu'u 9. Paul Hermann Roache 10. Isaiah Vagana 11. Kalani Going 12. Demitric Sifakula 13. James Gavet 14. Selumiela Halasima 15. Tahi Baggaley 16. Paterika Vaivai 17. Maia Sands

WESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES v PARRAMATTA EELS

Monday 10 April 1:40pm (Fox League) Accor Stadium, Sydney Olympic Park / Wanngal OFFICIALS TBC

WESTS: 1. Daine Laurie 2. Jordan Hill 3. Livai Saukuru 4. Triston Reilly 5. Israel Ogden 6. Will Smith 7. Brandon Wakeham 8. Aistasi James 9. Ruatapu Ngatikaura 10. Tukimihia Simpkins 11. Jack Boyling 12. Brandon Mansfield 13. Alex Seyfarth 14. Sione Fainu 15. James Roumanos 16. Liam Harris 17. Jamie Lawler 18. Bruce Ward

PARRAMATTA: 1. Daejarn Asi 2. Isaac Lumelume 3. Waqa Blake 4. Zac Cini 5. Matthew Komolafe 6. Jordan Rankin 7. Jakob Arthur 8. Ofahiki Ogden 9. Mitch Rein 10. Ky Rodwell 11. Toni Mataele 12. Matt Doorey 13. Luca Moretti 14. Jayden Yates 15. Dan Keir 16. Jirah Momoisea 17. Tevita Taumoepenu 18. Niko Apelu

BYE: Newtown Jets

TO	P TRIES		Р	Ţ
1	Allan FITZGIBBON	SYD	4	7
2	Kitione KAUTOGA	CBY, WES	4	6
3	Moala GRAHAM-TAUFA	WAR	4	5
	Jeral SKELTON	CBY	4	5
5	Samuel STONESTREET	NWT	4	4
	Ray TUAIMALO VAEGA	BWSE	4	4
	Brandon TUMETH	WES	3	4

TO	P POINTS		Р	T	G	F	Pts
1	Joash PAPALII	СВУ	5	2	20	-	48
2	Ronald VOLKMAN	WAR	4	-	19	-	38
3	Jesse MARSCHKE	NSB	5	2	14	-	36
4	Jarrod CROKER	CAN	5	-	16	-	32

RESULTS - ROUND 5

Penrith Panthers (24) Tries: Luke Sommerton, Jack Cole, Tom Jenkins, Liam Henry; Goals: Kurt Falls 4/5 def Canberra Raiders (16) Tries: Semi Valemei 2, Chevy Stewart; Goals: Jarrod Croker 2/3 at BlueBet Stadium, Penrith / Dharug

Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (16) Tries: Blake Wilson, Brandon Clarke, Jeral Skelton; Goals: Joash Papalii 2/4 def Newtown Jets (6) Tries: Jacob Gagan; Goals: Niwhai Puru 1/1 at Henson Park, Marrickville / Gadigal

St George Illawarra Dragons (26) Tries: Connor Muhleisen, Jaiyden Hunt, Alexander Lobb, Sione Finau; Goals: Alexander Lobb 5/6 drew with Parramatta Eels (26) Tries: Jack Murchie 2, Haze Dunster, Zac Cini, Jake Arthur; Goals: Jordan Rankin 3/5 at WIN Stadium, Wollongong / Dharawal

Western Suburbs Magpies (22) Tries: Rua Ngatikaura, Brandon Mansfield, Israel Ogden, Triston Reilly; Goals: Will Smith 3/3 def Warriors (10) Tries: Moala Graham-Taufa 2; Goals: Taine Tuaupiki 1/2 at Lidcombe Oval, Lidcombe / Dharug

Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles (36) Tries: Joshua Stuckey 2, Raymond Tuaimalo Vaega 2, Toafofoa Sipley, Clayton Faulalo; Goals: Jake Toby 6/8 def Newcastle Knights (6) Tries: David Armstrong; Goals: Thomas Cant 1/1 at HE Laybutt Sporting Complex, Blacktown / Dharug

U21 JERSEY FLEGG CUP - ROUND 6

CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS v SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS

Friday 7 April 10:00am Belmore Sports Ground, Belmore / Bidjigal OFFICIALS TBC

CANTERBURY: 1. Cameron Lawrence 2. Danny Gabrael 3. Eli Clark 4. Eric Vaafusuaga 6. Sione Moala 7. Joseph O'neil 8. Tim Johannssen 9. Samuel Inoke 11. Harry Hayes 12. Lachlan Vale 13. Luke Smith 14. Reuben Moyle 15. Fahmy Toilalo 16. Noah Johannssen 17. Epeli Sukanaivalu 20. Caleb Laiman

SOUTHS: 1. Tyrone Munro 2. Carson Kaho 3. Terrell Kalo Kalo 4. Jude Saldanha 5. Haizyn Mellars 6. Keahlan Bray 7. Joseph Nohra 8. Louis Grossemy 9. Romano Cook 10. Isaiah Vailalo 11. Thomas Fletcher 12. Cruise Tweedie 13. Jaxson Rahme 14. Drey Mercy 15. William Abou-Arrage 16. James Kokkinos 17. Liam Le Blanc 18. Samuel Jinks 19. Emmanuel Di Bartolo

WESTS TIGERS v PARRAMATTA EELS

Friday 7 April 11:00am Lidcombe Oval, Lidcombe / Dharug OFFICIALS TBC

WESTS TIGERS: 1. Trey Peni 2. Joseph Delle 3. Josh Feledy
4. Compton Fuatimau 5. Jay Kirk 6. Naati Teaupa 8. John
Tuipulotu 9. Jaycob Anjoul 11. Sione Vaihu 12. Finnley Neilsen
13. Cayne Nicholas 14. Bailey Hodges 15. Herman Tofaeono 16.
Jackson Owen 17. Kienan Tempest 18. Tristyn Ball 19. Lachlan
Woodger 20. Cody Kelso

PARRAMATTA: 1. Lindsay Munro 2. Turoa Williams 3. Samuel Loizou 4. William Latu 5. Lene Feterika 6. Ned Hicks 7. Mac Puafisi 8. Brock Parker 9. Jacob Davis 10. Jontay-Junior Betham-Misa 11. Jock Brazel 12. Max Topou 13. Nicholas Lenaz 14. Riley Lack 15. Tyson Chase 16. Nikau Wrathall 17. Noah Reed 18. Lachlan Mears-Crabbe

CANBERRA RAIDERS v MELBOURNE STORM

Friday 7 April 1:00pm Raiders Belconnen, Holt / Ngunnawal OFFICIALS TBC

CANBERRA: 1. Jack Sandford 2. Utuloa Asouma 3. Prinston Esera 4. Regan Carr 5. Livai Kaloutolu 6. Peyton Jenkins 7. Noah Ryan 8. Jermaine Pangai 9. Shaun Packer 10. Tane Kiriona 11. Joshua Billing 12. Kaden Williams 13. Mitchell Spencer 14. Trent Borthwick 15. Tate Rhea 16. Eneseli Kamuta 17. Jack Hartwig 18. Joshua Pokoney

MELBOURNE: 1. Ammaron Gudgeon 2. Matthew Hill 3. Coby Williamson 4. Mitchell Jennings 5. Jackson Lenzo 6. De'ontae

Perese 7. Keagan Russell-Smith 8. Jordan Wilson 9. Gabriel Satrick 10. Poasi Manu 11. Jayden Weir 12. Angus Hinchey 13. Sheldon Diaz 14. Suliasi Prescott 15. Jerry Musu 16. K-Ci Newton-Whare 17. Stanley Huen 18. Tahj Amone 19. Joshua Berryman 20. Che Te Rangi

PENRITH PANTHERS v MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES

Saturday 8 April 1:35pm Bluebet Stadium, Penrith / Dharug OFFICIALS TBC

PENRITH: 1. Liam Ison 2. Luke Philp 3. Daeon Amituanai 4. Samuel Lane 5. Cody Lawson 6. Kristian-Li Mai 7. Ryley Smith 8. Adam Runchel 9. Connor Mason 10. John Sagaga 11. Harrison Hassett 12. Aston Warwick 13. Zac Lipowicz 14. Billy Scott 15. Peter Taateo 16. Riley Wake 17. Angelis Hotere-Papalii 18. Luron Patea 19. Fletcher Haycock 20. Lleyton Finau

MANLY: 1. Blake Metcalfe 2. Cameron Brown 3. Tutonu Junior Wright 4. Iverson Mapu-Satiu 5. Tom Jarrett 6. Jamie Humphreys 7. Harradyn Wilson 8. James Uesele 9. Kobe Fulton 10. Connor Cromarty 11. Kylan Mafoa 12. Zane Dunford 13. Caleb Navale 14. James Malauulu 15. Daniel O'Donnell 16. Cruz Smith 17. Nathaniel Bakon 18. Brayden Ottman

NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS v SYDNEY ROOSTERS

Sunday 9 April 1:45pm McDonald Jones Stadium, New Lambton OFFICIALS TBC

NEWCASTLE: 1. Logan Jones 2. Freeman Forsythe 3. Chris Veaila 4. Jahoiyakira Afoa 5. Luke Pietzner 6. Harry Reid 7. Mitch Henderson 8. Jack Cullen 9. Takarei Kuru 10. Braye Guyan 11. Travis Petersen 12. Jhett Butler 13. Lachlan Williams 14. Declan Pettet 17. Aiden Shepherd 18. Hunta Saunders SYDNEY: 1. Owen Flaherty 2. Jordan Swann 3. Kyron Fekitoa 4. Vaiala Tamati 5. Isaac Guba 6. Tyler Colley 7. Hugo Savala 8. Corey Ross 9. Braith Alexander 10. Nicholas Fenton 11. Phoenix Steinwede 12. Max McCathie 13. Caleb Tohi 14. Alan Holten 17. Angus Fahey 18. Brody Briggs 20. Taylor Mauala 23. Kenny Saad

BYE: Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks, St George Illawarra Dragons

RESULTS - ROUND 5

Penrith Panthers (28) Tries: Kristian Li Mai, Zac Lipowicz, Peter Taateo, Ryley Smith, Aston Warwick, Samuel Lane; Goals: Luke Philp 2/6 def Canberra Raiders (6) Tries: Livai Kaloutolu; Goals: Regan Carr 1/1 at BlueBet Stadium, Penrith / Dharug

Parramatta Eels (32) Tries: Turoa Williams 3, Ned Hicks, Jock Brazel, William Latu; Goals: Mac Puafisi 3/4, Riley Lack 1/1 def St George Illawarra Dragons (16) Tries: Maxwell Pritchard 2, Benjamin Johnson, Thomas Phillips at Ziems Park, Corrimal / Dharawal

Sydney Roosters (38) Tries: Isaac Guba 2, Vaiala Tamati, Hugo Savala, Kyron Fekitoa, Alan Holten, Tyler Colley; Goals: Hugo Savala 5/7 def Melbourne Storm (10) Tries: Ammaron Gudgeon, De'Ontae Perese; Goals: Keagan Russell-Smith 1/2 at Waminda Oval, East Campbelltown / Dharawal

Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles (24) Tries: Jamie Humphreys 2, James Uesele, Una Uasi; Goals: Jamie Humphreys 4/5 def Newcastle Knights (18) Tries: Freeman Forsythe 2, Travis Petersen; Goals: Jahoiyakim Afoa 3/3 at HE Laybutt Sporting Complex, Blacktown / Dharug

Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (15) Tries: Cain Barnes 2, Max Riolo; Goals: Max Riolo 1/3; Field Goals: Manaia Waitere 1 def Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (14) Tries: Lipoi Hopoi, Eli Clark; Goals: Eli Clark 3/3 at PointsBet Stadium, Woolooware / Dharawal

BYE: South Sydney Rabbitohs, Wests Tigers

LADDER: R5	P	W	L	D	В	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1. Sydney Roosters	4	4	0	0	1	140	62	78	10
2. Canterbury	4	3	1	0	1	120	55	65	8
3. Cronulla*	4	4	0	0	0	101	50	51	8
4. Penrith Panthers	4	2	2	0	1	80	63	17	6
5. Parramatta Eels	5	3	2	0	0	100	96	4	6
6. South Sydney Rabbitohs	4	2	2	0	1	68	92	-24	6
7. Wests Tigers	4	2	2	0	1	72	100	-28	6
8. Newcastle Knights	4	1	3	0	1	88	98	-10	4
9. Melbourne Storm	4	1	3	0	1	82	102	-20	4
10. St George Illawarra*	3	1	2	0	1	56	90	-34	4
11. Manly	5	1	4	0	0	106	135	-29	2
12. Canberra Raiders	5	1	4	0	0	70	140	-70	2

^{*}game in hand

RON MASSEY CUP - ROUND 4

WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES ν penrith brothers

Friday 7 April 4:00pm Ringrose Park, Wentworthville / Boolbainora OFFICIALS TBC

RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS v GLEBE DIRTY REDS

Saturday 8 April 3:00pm Lidcombe Oval, Lidcombe / Dharug OFFICIALS TBC

MOUNTIES v KAIVITI SILKTAILS

Saturday 8 April 5:00pm Aubrey Keech Reserve, Hinchinbrook OFFICIALS TBC

HILLS BULLS v CANTERBURY=BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS

Sunday 9 April 3:00pm Crestwood Reserve, Baulkham Hills / Bedigal OFFICIALS TBC

RESULTS - ROUND 3

Ryde Eastwood Hawks (26) Tries: Mitchell Gray, Christian Ma'Anaima, Rob Miller, Jamin Williams; Goals: Tyler Cassel 5 def Mounties (18) Tries: Blake Goodman, Isaac Williams, John Olive, Roman Ioelu; Goals: Liam Christensen 1 at Aubrey Keech Reserve, Hinchinbrook / Dharawal

Hills Bulls (22) Tries: Dion Narayan, Kieran Hayman, Sean Garner, Logan Aldridge; Goals: Brad Keighran 3 def Wentworthville Magpies (10) Tries: Austin Quast, Keaton Walkington-Meads; Goals: Dylan Smith 1 at Kellyville Park, Kellyville / Bediagal

St Marys (30) Tries: Luke Geary 3, Hayden Bonanno 2, Joe Vaegaau; Goals: Jake Rafferty-Butfield 3 def Penrith Brothers (6) Tries: Denzal Tonise; Goals: Isaac Tagaloamatua 1 at St Marys Leagues Stadium, St Marys / Dharug

Ratu Tabusakia **at Waminda Oval, East Campbelltown / Dharawal**

Glebe Dirty Reds (22) Tries: Salesi Malu 3, Riley Travers;

Goals: Devon Makoare-Boyce 3 def Kaiviti Silktails (4) Tries:

BYE: Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs

R3 LADDER	Р	W	L	D	В	F	А	+/-	Pts
1. St Marys	3	3	0	0	0	98	32	66	6
2. Ryde-Eastwood	3	3	0	0	0	90	36	54	6
3. Glebe Dirty Reds	2	2	0	0	1	48	22	26	6
4. Hills Bulls	2	1	1	0	1	34	42	-8	4
5. Kaiviti Silktails	3	1	2	0	0	64	49	15	2
6. Wentworthville	3	1	2	0	0	46	52	-6	2
7. Penrith Brothers	3	1	2	0	0	31	70	-39	2
8. Canterbury	2	0	2	0	1	20	84	-64	2
9. Mounties	3	0	3	0	0	36	80	-44	0

HARVEY NORMAN WOMEN'S PREMIERSHIP - ROUND 10

WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES v WESTS TIGERS

Friday 7 April 12:00pm Ringrose Park, Wentworthville / Boolbainora OFFICIALS TBC

WENTWORTHVILLE: 1. Tyler Pelligra 2. Crystal Ryan 3. Katalina Vave 4. Maddi Finch 5. Beauty Mauafu Autalaga 6. Chloe Leaupepe 7. Kailey Thompson 8. Elsie Albert 9. Sonia Mose 10. Rima Butler 11. Amelia Mafi 12. Jamee Taitoko 13. Montana Fonua 14. Naomi De Bruine 15. Mariah Leger 16. Tyla Amiatu 17. Anna Moa 18. Natalina Suaalii 19. Tamerah Leati 20. Rosemarie Beckett 21. Gloria Kaupa 22. Roswita Kapo 23. Tahleisha Maeva 24. Shilea-T Schaaf

WESTS TIGERS: 1. Rebecca Pollard 2. Ashleigh Werner 3. Harmony Crichton 4. Jessica Whelan 5. Josephine Lenaz 6. Pauline Piliae 7. Emily Curtain 8. Bianca Bennetts 9. Ebony Prior 10. Folau Vaki 11. Ruby-Jean Kennard 16. Hope Tevaga 13. Christian Pio 12. Eliza Siilata 14. Erin Coll 15. Sofaia Vaki 17. Jay Taylor 18. Jessica Kennedy 20. Kiara White

ILLAWARRA STEELERS v NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS

Saturday 8 April 12:00pm Collegians Sports Complex, Figtree / Dharawal

Strong 17. Tiana Kore 18. Salma Nour

OFFICIALS TBC

ILLAWARRA: 1. Emma Tonegato 2. Olivia Vale 3. Jordyn Preston 4. Lily Rogan 5. Teagan Berry 6. Taliah Fuimaono 7. Rachael Pearson 8. Viena Tinao 9. Keeley Davis 10. Kezie Apps 11. Ula-Mari Time-Cribb 12. Anastacia Shum-Cottrell 13. Jade Etherden 14. Rose Tafengatoto 15. April Stevens 16. Josie

NEWCASTLE: 1. Tamika Upton 2. Jordan Glanville 3. Tylah Vallance 4. Jasmine Strange 5. Taylah Gray 6. Shanice Parker 7. Jesse Southwell 8. Tayla Predebon 9. Olivia Higgins 10. Jacinta Carter 11. Yasmin Clydsdale 12. Caitlan Johnston 13. Tiana Davison 14. Bree Chester 15. Tazmyne Luschwitz 16. Kayla Romaniuk 17. Ebony Woodcock

MOUNTIES v SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS

Saturday 8 April 1:00pm

Aubrey Keech Reserve, Hinchinbrook / Dharawal OFFICIALS TBC

MOUNTIES: TBC

SOUTHS: 1. Patricia Raikadroka 2. Paige Knapp 3. Aaliyah Paki 4. Makayla Eli 5. Mollie Tagaloa 6. Pihuka Duff 7. Nikki

Perugini 8. Kahu Cassidy 9. Capri Paekau 10. Charlette Butler 11. Ema Rainima 12. Josephine Maejiirs 13. Rachel Simpson 14. Jenaye Collins 15. Seneti Kilisimasi 16. Cindy Whiteley 17. Mardi Longford 18. Christine Kani

CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS v CENTRAL COAST ROOSTERS

Saturday 8 April 1:00pm Belmore Sports Ground, Belmore / Bidjigal OFFICIALS TBC

CANTERBURY: 1. Abbi Church 2. Georgia Ravics 3. Mahalia Murphy 4. Shenai Lendill 5. Cortez Te Pau 6. Gayle Broughton 7. Tayla Preston 8. Tiana Raftstrand-Smith 9. Rueben Cherrington 10. Holli Wheeler 11. Shannon Muru 12. Monalisa Soliola 13. Kennedy Cherrington 14. Renee Targett 15. Leilani Wilson 16. Sara Sautia 17. Alexis Tauaneai 19. Anneka Wilson 20. Tatiana Finau

CENTRAL COAST: 1. Shannon Rose 2. Carissa Reid 3. Jayme Fressard 4. Isabelle Kelly 5. Charlize Lloyd-Phillips 6. Tarryn Aiken 7. Jocelyn Kelleher 8. Millie Boyle 9. Shawden Burton 10. Otesa Pule 11. Aliyah Nasio 12. Melanie Watherston 13. Keilee Joseph 14. Joeli Morris 15. Shaylee Joseph 16. Madeline Jones 17. Perrine Monsarrat 18. Sarah Dimech 20. Jessikah Repyes

NORTH SYDNEY BEARS v ST GEORGE DRAGONS

Saturday 8 April 2:45pm (NSWRL TV) Collegians Sports Complex / Figtree OFFICIALS TBC

NORTHS: 1. Cassey Tohi-Hiku 2. Jakiya Whitfeld 4. Rikeya Horne 23. Jessica Sergis 16. Grace-Lee Weekes 6. Kirra Dibb 7. Raecene Mcgregor 8. Aliti Namoce 9. Nita Maynard 10. Kalosipani Hopoate 11. Jamilee Bright 12. Vanessa Foliaki 13. Sarah Togatuki 14. Alexandrea Kiriwi 15. Teuila Fotu-Moala 18. Shirley Mailangi 26. Sharliz White

ST GEORGE: 1. Taylah Watson 2. Kise Ah Fa 3. Jaimee-Lee Cotter 4. Ana Fekeila 5. Saane Kolomaka 6. Elizabeth Douglas 7. Georgia Edwards 8. Georgina Brooker 9. Emma Perrin 14. Stephanie Ball 11. Erin Blackwell 12. Grace Clarke 13. Taimani Kolomaka 18. Maddie Dodson 19. Romy Tuckwell 20. Ruthie Mose Aunei 28. Madison Mulhall 16. Keisha Waite

BYE: Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks

RESULTS - ROUND 8

South Sydney Rabbitohs (24) Tries: Patricia Raikadroka 2, Sian Filipo, Paige Knapp, Charlette Butler; Goals: Patricia Raikadroka 1/1, Makayla Eli 1/3 def St George Dragons (4) Tries: Kise Ah Fa at Redfern Oval, Redfern / Gadigal

North Sydney Bears (30) Tries: Rikeya Horne 2, Teuila Fotu-Moala, Grace-Lee Weekes, Nita Maynard; Goals: Kirra Dibb 5/6 def Central Coast Roosters (10) Tries: Millie Boyle, Charlize Lloyd-Phillips; Goals: Tarryn Aiken 1/1 at Hills Grammar, Kenthurst / Bediagal

Newcastle Knights (30) Tries: Jasmin Strange, Tayla Predebon, Kayla Romaniuk, Tamika Upton, Jesse Southwell; Goals: Jesse Southwell 5/5 def Mounties (4) Tries: Kerehitina Matua at Lakeside Sports Complex, Raymond Terrace / Worimi

Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (34) Tries: Mahalia Murphy 3, Shannon Muru 2, Georgia Ravics, Cortez Te Pou; Goals: Tayla Preston 3/7 def Wentworthville Magpies (10) Tries: Elsie Albert, Naomi De Bruine; Goals: Kailey Thompson 1/2 at Accor Stadium, Sydney Olympic Park / Wanngal

Illawarra Steelers (24) Tries: Keeley Davis, Anastacia Shum-Cottrell, Teagan Berry, Olivia Vale, Lily Rogan; Goals: Rachael Pearson 2/5 def Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (22) Tries: Kiana Takairangi, Zali Fay, Quincy Dodd, Tegan Dymock; Goals: Maddie Studdon 3/4 at Collegians Sports Complex, Figtree / Dharawal

BYE: Wests Tigers

LADDER: R9	Р	W	L	D	В	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1. North Sydney	8	6	2	0	1	244	120	124	14
2. Canterbury	8	6	2	0	1	188	119	69	14
3. Illawarra	8	6	2	0	1	168	136	32	14
4. Central Coast	9	6	3	0	0	206	120	86	12
5. Mounties	8	4	4	0	1	178	128	50	10
6. Newcastle	8	4	4	0	1	172	126	46	10
7. Cronulla	9	4	5	0	0	203	162	41	8
8. South Sydney	8	3	5	0	1	128	135	-7	8
9. Wests Tigers	8	3	5	0	1	129	198	-69	8
10. Wentworthville	8	3	5	0	1	130	200	-70	8
11. St George	8	0	8	0	1	34	336	-302	2

SYDNEY SHIELD - ROUND 3

RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS v GLEBE DIRTY REDS

Saturday 8 April 1:00pm Lidcombe Oval, Lidcombe / Dharug OFFICIALS TBC

MOUNTIES v CABRAMATTA TWO BLUES

Saturday 8 April 3:00pm Aubrey Keech Reserve, Hinchinbrook OFFICIALS TBC

HILLS BULLS v MOOREBANK RAMS

Sunday 9 April 1:00pm Crestwood Reserve, Baulkham Hills / Bedigal OFFICIALS TBC

WENTWORTHVILLE UNITED v PENRITH BROTHERS

Sunday 9 April 2:00pm Ringrose Park, Wentworthville / Boolbainora OFFICIALS TBC

BYE: St Marys

RESULTS - ROUND 3

Ryde Eastwood Hawks (30) Tries: Harrison Henson 2, Ryan Joynes, Matthew Curl, Malie-J Townsend; Goals: Salah Masri 1, Unknown scorer x 4 def Mounties (16) Tries: Kyle Whitton 2, Matthew Lewin; Goals: Kaylib Savage 2 at Aubrey Keech Reserve, Hinchinbrook / Dharawal

Wentworthville United (28) Tries: Jason Jana 2, Raymond Maroun, Lewis Habkouk, Oliver Scott; Goals: Joseph Katrib 2, Damian Nati 1, Lewis Habkouk 1 def Hills Bulls (24) Tries: David Baumann, Joshua Rizk, Matthew Knezevic, Lachlan Thomson, Ceiza James; Goals: Joshua Rizk 2 at Kellyville Park, Kellyville / Bediagal

Penrith Brothers (30) Tries: Donovan Boney 3, Michael Pokia 2, Viliami Kuli; Goals: Donovan Boney 2 **def St Marys (14)** Tries: Kaleb Farr, Bailey Nouredine, Filoimalo Tuimaualuga; Goals: Orville Finau 1 **at St Marys Leagues Stadium, St Marys / Dharug**

Glebe Dirty Reds v Cabramatta Two Blues at Wentworth Park, Glebe / Gadigal - postponed due to waterlogged pitch

BYE: Moorebank Rams

R3 LADDER	P	W	L	D	В	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1. Penrith Brothers	3	2	1	0	0	84	54	30	4
2. Cabramatta*	2	2	0	0	0	68	40	28	4
3. St Marys	3	2	1	0	0	90	62	28	4
4. Glebe Dirty Reds*	1	1	0	0	1	30	20	10	4
5. Ryde-Eastwood	3	2	1	0	0	70	66	4	4
6. Wenty United	3	1	2	0	0	76	92	-16	2
7. Hills Bulls	2	0	2	0	1	44	64	-20	2
8. Moorebank Rams	2	0	2	0	1	36	68	-32	2
9. Mounties	3	1	2	0	0	66	98	-32	2

U19 SG BALL CUP - ROUND 2

WARRIORS v MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES

Saturday 8 April 12pm AEST (2pm NZ) Navigation Homes Stadium, Pukekohe / Aotearoa OFFICIALS TBC

WARRIORS: 1. Ratu Naborisi 2. Raphael Sio 3. Patrick Moimoi 4. Siale Faeamani 5. Sio Kali 6. Salesi Piliu 7. Sefanaia Cowley-Lupo 8. Tanner Stowers-Smith 9. Etuate Fukofuka 10. Harry Durbin 11. Kayliss Fatialofa 12. Eddie Ieremia 13. Selumiela Halasima 14. Jeriko Filipi 15. Ben Peni 16. Rodney Tuipulotu Vea 17. Presley Seumanu 18. Julian Drinnan 20. Siale

MANLY: 1. Lehi Hopoate 2. Calvin Levy 3. Teapo Stoltman 4. Maxwell Taotua 5. Josh Clark 6. Broden Konz 7. Jake Fulton 8. Raymond Lole 15. Lenny Plati 10. Devante Mihinui 11. Roy Quiroz-Mapusua 12. Xavier Sofeni 13. Mitchell Taotua 14. Jedd Pratt 16. Hussein Anani 17. Noa Faatui 19. Ajay Puafisi 18. Connor Tandberg

RESULTS - ROUND 9

Sydney Roosters (58) Tries: Kade Maguire 3, Cooper Toy 2, Salesi Foketi 2, Cassius Tia, Ethan Roberts, Javahn Stevenson-Hala, Siaosi Kaliti; Goals: Cassius Tia 7/10 def North Sydney Bears (12) Tries: Matthew Newlyn, Nash Hillier; Goals: Bradley Avery 2/2 at Hills Grammar, Kenthurst / Bediagal

South Sydney Rabbitohs (32) Tries: Brent Hawkins, Leroy Murray, Dane Towns, Jonti Morshead-Feildel, Cooper Mclaren; Goals: Daniel Wright 5/5, Cooper Mclaren 1/1 def St. George Dragons (24) Tries: Araz Nanva, Nicholas Quinn, Corey Ackers, Loko Jnr

Pasifiki Tonga; Goals: Shadi Hammoud 4/4 at Redfern Oval, Redfern / Gadigal

Newcastle Knights (28) Tries: Taj Blackman, Fletcher Sharpe, Kyle Mccarthy, Jye Linnane, Elijah Salesa Leaumoana; Goals: Ethan Ferguson 4/5 def Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles (14) Tries: Maxwell Taotua, Josh Clark; Goals: Teapo Stoltman 3/3 at Lakeside Sports Complex, Raymond Terrace / Worimi

Penrith Panthers (42) Tries: Luron Patea, Luke Hanson, Poutoa Hotere-Papalii, Jenson Tuaoi, Billy Phillips, Riley Pollard, Jirah Liddiard; Goals: Riley Pollard 7/7 def Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (10) Tries: Fanafou Seve, Daniel Corcoran; Goals: Kallum Weatherall-Stacey 1/2 at HE Laybutt Sporting Complex, Blacktown / Dharug

Parramatta Eels (32) Tries: Ethan Sanders 2, Devonte Vaivela 2, Richard Penisini, Matthew Arthur; Goals: Joshua Lynn 3/4, Ethan Sanders 1/2 def Melbourne Storm (14) Tries: Matthew Logopati, Nisifolo Fauonuku, Clayton Tapelu; Goals: Bishop Walker 1/2 at Eric Tweedale Stadium, Merrylands / Dharug

Illawarra Steelers (30) Tries: Wesley Pring 2, Te Umuariki Heremia-Tukere, Kyan Hjaltason, Lyhkan King-Togia; Goals: Ashton Ward 5/6 def Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (8) Tries: Lawson Cotter, Samuel Mcculloc at Sharks Academy Fields, Cronulla / Dharawal

Canberra Raiders (28) Tries: Samuel Gash, Joseph Roddy, Jacob Iosefa, Keahn Skipps, Owen Pattie; Goals: Keahn Skipps 3/4, Samuel Gash 1/2 def Balmain Tigers (0) at Leichhardt Oval,

Lilyfield / Wanngal

Western Suburbs Magpies (42) Tries: Lachlan Galvin 2, Solomone Saukuru, Ofele Lene, Tallyn Da Silva, Faaletino Tavana, Jeremiah Leatigaga, Sosefo Finau; Goals: Zakauri Clarke 5/8 def Warriors (10) Tries: Kayliss Fatialofa, Sialetili Faeamani; Goals: Etuate Fukofuka 1/2 at Navigation Homes Stadium, Pukekohe / Aotearoa

Р	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
9	8	1	0	326	130	196	16
9	8	1	0	270	140	130	16
9	6	1	2	314	158	156	14
9	7	2	0	258	192	66	14
9	6	2	1	280	178	102	13
9	5	2	2	380	170	210	12
9	5	3	1	238	162	76	11
9	5	4	0	222	178	44	10
9	3	6	0	198	240	-42	6
9	3	6	0	170	226	-56	6
8	3	5	0	156	228	-72	6
9	3	6	0	122	268	-146	6
9	2	7	0	149	284	-135	4
9	2	7	0	172	358	-186	4
8	1	7	0	164	227	-63	2
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U19 TARSHA GALE CUP **RESULTS - ROUND 9**

Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (10) Tries: Tia-Jordyn Vasilovski 2; Goals: Brooke Elliott 1/1 def Illawarra Steelers (4) Tries: Ella Fisher at Sharks Academy Fields, Cronulla / Dharawal

Sydney Roosters Indigenous Academy (52) Tries: Ally Bullman 3, Imogen Hei 2, Eliza Lopamaua 2, Skyla Adams, Brooke Talataina, Mia Barber; Goals: Mia Barber 5/7, Ally Bullman 1/3 def St. George Dragons (0) at Mascot Oval, Mascot / Gadigal

North Sydney Bears (14) Tries: Bella Hunt, Sienna Williams, Ruby Watterson; Goals: Keturah Matoe 1/2 def Penrith Panthers (6) Tries: Jaida Staben; Goals: Jaida Staben 1/1 at Hills Grammar, Kenthurst / Bediagal

Newcastle Knights (22) Tries: Leah Ollerton, Tiarna West, Lilly Mcnamara, Charlotte Barwick, Keisha Johnston; Goals: Lilly Mcnamara 1/1 def Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles (4) Tries: Taleenza Nelson at Lakeside Sports Complex, Raymond Terrace / Worimi

Canberra Raiders (24) Tries: Lara Cosgrove 2, Kayla Fleming, Lola Fletcher; Goals: Lara Cosgrove 4/4 def South Sydney Rabbitohs (22) Tries: Cherellyn Tapuai, Shanelle Lyons, Siniva Saanga, Te Ramaarie Muru-Hauraki; Goals: Teora Dennis 2/3, Bree Stone 1/1 at Redfern Oval, Redfern / Gadigal

Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (36) Tries: Tarli Dennis 2, Ebony Raftstrand-Smith, Latisha Smythe, Serenity Mahoni, Charlotte Eather, Noaria Kapua; Goals: Tatiana Finau 4/6 def Parramatta Eels (0) at Kellyville Park, Kellyville / Bediagal

BYE: Wests Tigers

FINAL LADDER	Р	W	L	D	В	F	А	+/-	Pts
1. Canterbury	8	8	0	0	1	284	52	232	18
2. Roosters Indigenous	8	8	0	0	1	256	38	218	18
3. Newcastle Knights	8	6	2	0	1	168	86	82	14
4. Illawarra Steelers	8	4	3	1	1	162	82	80	11
5. Parramatta Eels	8	4	3	1	1	112	124	-12	11
6. Canberra Raiders	8	4	3	1	1	158	176	-18	11
7. Penrith Panthers	8	3	4	1	1	118	124	-6	9
8. Cronulla	8	3	4	1	1	84	172	-88	9
9. North Sydney Bears	8	2	4	2	1	100	128	-28	8
10. Manly	8	2	6	0	1	124	174	-50	6
11. South Sydney	8	2	6	0	1	110	176	-66	6
12. St George Dragons	8	1	6	1	1	70	276	-206	5
13. Wests Tigers	8	1	7	0	1	64	202	-138	4

U17 HAROLD MATTHEWS CUP

RESULTS - ROUND 9

St. George Dragons (30) Tries: Bronson Emery, Tyrus Siana Salanoa, Finau Latu, Ibrahim Charara, Ratu Viliame Koroitamana; Goals: Ibrahim Charara 5/6 def South Sydney Rabbitohs (24) Tries: Matthew Humphries 2, Braethan Bilich, Daniel Lua; Goals: Matthew Humphries 4/4 at Redfern Oval, Redfern / Gadigal

Newcastle Knights (50) Tries: Connor Votano 3, Wil Rosenbaum 2, Lochie Gray 2, Jack Hilliar, Fletcher O'Doherty, Haami Loza: Goals: Connor Votano 5/9 def Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles (6) Tries: Reilly Caswell; Goals: Joshua Weightman 1/1 at Lakeside Sports Complex, Raymond Terrace / Worimi

Parramatta Eels (24) Tries: Lorenzo Talataina, Tyson Sangalang, Zaidas Muagututia, Aidan Kebourian, Lachlan Vella; Goals: Dominic Farrugia 2/5 def Central Coast Roosters (14) Tries: Sean Bullen, Chaice Bayley, Samisoni Talakai; Goals: Chaice Bayley 1/3 at Eric Tweedale Stadium, Merrylands / Dharug

Penrith Panthers (52) Tries: Jaxen Edgar 2, Harry Wald, Casey Mclean, Kye Raven, Heinz Lemoto, Charbel Kheirallah, Danny Johnstone, Jack Attard; Goals: Harry Wald 8/9 def Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (6) Tries: Noah Byrne; Goals: Mitchell Woods 1/1 at HE Laybutt Sporting Complex, Blacktown / Dharug

North Sydney Bears (16) Tries: Brady Mcmillan, Blake Pasfield, Issac Chaker; Goals: Blake Pasfield 2/2 def Sydney Roosters (12) Tries: Toby Rodwell, Kahu Capper; Goals: Toby Rodwell 2/2 at Hills Grammar, Kenthurst / Bediagal

Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (12) Tries: Oliver Lester, Blake Wardrobe; Goals: Nikora Williams 2/2 def Illawarra Steelers (8) Tries: Drew Langdon, Harry Wililo at Sharks Academy Fields, Cronulla / Dharawal

Canberra Raiders (26) Tries: Jonah Anderson, Harry Hudson, Samuel Griffin, Braydan Darmody; Goals: Braydan Darmody 5/5 **def Balmain Tigers (16)** Tries: Marc Tannous, Michael Nassar, Jonah Watson; Goals: Alex Conti 2/3 at Leichhardt Oval, Lilyfield / Wanngal

BYE: Western Suburbs Magpies

P	W	L	D	В	F	А	+/-	Pts
8	6	1	1	1	244	136	108	15
8	6	2	0	1	220	136	84	14
8	6	2	0	1	186	112	74	14
8	6	2	0	1	192	160	32	14
8	6	2	0	1	192	160	32	14
8	5	2	1	1	170	120	50	13
8	5	3	0	1	202	142	60	12
8	4	4	0	1	164	130	34	10
8	4	4	0	1	163	162	1	10
8	3	3	2	1	174	184	-10	10
8	3	5	0	1	162	156	6	8
8	2	6	0	1	136	182	-46	6
8	1	7	0	1	116	201	-85	4
8	1	7	0	1	92	262	-170	4
8	0	8	0	1	94	264	-170	2
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ORL RESULTS

HOSTPLUS CUP

RESULTS - ROUND 4

Burleigh Bears (14) Tries: Ken Maumalo, Guy Hamilton; Goals: Tom Steadman 3/3 def Tweed Seagulls (12) Tries: Ioane Seiuli, Kaleb Ngamanu; Goals: Toby Sexton 2/3 at Piggabeen Sports Complex, Tweed Heads / Bundjalung

Northern Pride (13) Tries: Denzel King, Daniel Hindmarsh-Takyi; Goals: Evan Child 2/2; Field Goals: Evan Child 1 def Townsville Blackhawks (12) Tries: Michael Carroll, Robert Derby; Goals: Thomas Duffy 2/3 at Barlow Park, Cairns / Yidinji

Sunshine Coast Falcons (40) Tries: Tyran Wishart 2, Jack Howarth 2, Young Tonumaipea, Jayden Nikorima, Sualauvi Faalogo; Goals: Tyran Wishart 5/6, Sualauvi Faalogo 1/1 def Western Clydesdales (12) Tries: Cory Mcgrady, Mitchell Watson; Goals: Bessie Aufaga-Toomaga 2/2 at Sunshine Coast Stadium, Bokarina / Kabi Kabi

Souths Logan Magpies (18) Tries: Tyler Coburn, Kobe Hetherington; Goals: Jack Campagnolo 5/5 drew with Norths Devils (18) Tries: Tony Tumusa, Jonathon Reuben, Brendan Piakura; Goals: Connor Broadhurst 3/4 at Logan Metro Sports Park, Crestmead / Yuggera Central Queensland Capras (38) Tries: Kurt Donoghoe 2, Edrick Lee, Aaron Teroi, Samuel Yegip, Brandon Roberts; Goals: Trey Browne 7/7 def Mackay Cutters (26) Tries: Flynn Camilleri 2, Logen Dillon, Sean Mullany, Jake Riley; Goals: Adam Cook 3/5 at BB Print Stadium, South Mackay /

Brisbane Tigers (54) Tries: Max Lehmann 2, Corey Thompson, George Jennings, Ryley Jacks, Marion Seve, Bennett Leslie, Leivaha Pulu, Tristan Hope, Tristan Powell; Goals: Brayden Torpy 5/5, Tristan Hope 2/4 def Ipswich Jets (20) Tries: Ricco Falaniko 2, Timoci Bola, Gordon Whippy; Goals: Mosese Qionomacawa 2/3 at Leo Williams Oval, Carina / Turrbal

Redcliffe Dolphins (36) Tries: Cody Hunter 3, Jeremy Hawkins, Trai Fuller, Valynce Te Whare; Goals: Cody Hunter 6/7 def Wynnum Manly Seagulls (22) Tries: Max Plath 2, Tony Pellow, Matthew Milson; Goals: Josh Rogers 3/4 at Kayo Stadium, Redcliffe / Kabi Kabi

BYE: PNG Hunters

TO	P POINTS		Р	T	G	F	Pts
1	Josh ROGERS	WYN	4	1	22	-	48
2	Tristan HOPE	BNE	4	3	12	-	36
3	Connor BROADHURST	NOR	4	1	15	-	34
	Cody HUNTER	RED	3	3	11	-	34
5	Toby SEXTON	TWD	4	1	14	-	32
6	Trey BROWNE	CQC	4	-	15	-	30
	Sualauvi FAALOGO	SCF	3	4	7	-	30

LADDER: R4	Р	W	L	D	В	F	А	+/-	Pts
1. CQ Capras	4	4	0	0	0	115	74	41	8
2. Burleigh Bears	3	3	0	0	1	80	46	34	8
3. Wynnum Manly	4	3	1	0	0	144	74	70	6
4. Sunshine Coast	3	2	1	0	1	114	50	64	6
5. Souths Logan	3	1	0	2	1	68	54	14	6
6. Northern Pride	3	2	1	0	1	33	48	-15	6
7. Brisbane Tigers	4	2	1	1	0	118	84	34	5
8. PNG Hunters	3	1	1	1	1	78	70	8	5
9. Tweed Seagulls	4	2	2	0	0	92	85	7	4
10. Townsville	4	2	2	0	0	84	83	1	4
11. Redcliffe Dolphins	4	1	1	2	0	76	88	-12	4
12. Norths Devils	4	0	2	2	0	98	110	-12	2
13. Western	3	0	3	0	1	44	86	-42	2
14. Mackay Cutters	4	0	4	0	0	66	126	-60	0
15. Ipswich Jets	4	0	4	0	0	56	188	-132	0

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1	Max LEHMANN	BNE	4	7
2	Robert DERBY	TSV	4	4
	Sualauvi FAALOGO	SCF	3	4
	Deine MARINER	WYN	4	4
	Morea MOREA	PNG	3	4
	Kaleb NGAMANU	TWD	4	4
	Brendan PIAKURA	NOR	4	4
	Jonathon REUBEN	NOR	4	4

BMD PREMIERSHIP

RESULTS - ROUND 4

Burleigh Bears (24) Tries: Felice Quinlan 3, Taylor Fenton 2, Sophie Buller def Tweed Seagulls (10) Tries: Jaime Chapman, Kolora Lomani; Goals: Georgia Elliston 1/1 at Piggabeen Sports Complex, Tweed Heads / Bundjalung

Mackay Cutters (24) Tries: Emma Manzelmann, Makenzie Weale, Zoe Cook, Essay Banu, Libby Surha; Goals: Zoe Cook 2/5 def Central Queensland Capras (16) Tries: Bree Spreadborough, Tylah Phillips, Delaney Claridge; Goals: Mariah Storch 2/3 at BB Print Stadium, South Mackay / Yuwihara

Souths Logan Magpies (22) Tries: Brittany Breayley-Nati, Jodeci Nicholson, Shellie Long, April Ngatupuna, Chantay Kiria-Ratu; Goals: Jodeci Nicholson 1/3 def Norths Devils (12) Tries: Taylor-Adeline Mapusua, Grace Giampino; Goals: Ali Brigginshaw 2/2 at Logan Metro Sports Park, Crestmead / Yuggera

Wynnum Manly Seagulls (42) Tries: Shaniah Power 2, Emily Bass 2, Kim Hunt 2, Shaylee Bent, Amy Turner, Toni Hunt; Goals: Emily Bass 2/5, Kim Hunt 1/4 def Brisbane Tigers (14) Tries: Jamie-Lee Lewis, Keisha-Leigh Coolwell, Patricia Wani; Goals: Jamie-Lee Lewis 1/3 at Leo Williams Oval, Carina / Turrbal

P	W	L	D	F	Α	+/-	Pts
4	4	0	0	118	50	68	8
4	4	0	0	102	38	64	8
4	3	1	0	94	74	20	6
4	2	2	0	100	82	18	4
4	1	2	1	66	94	-28	3
4	1	3	0	44	94	-50	2
4	0	3	1	58	96	-38	1
4	0	4	0	42	96	-54	0
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STANDINGS AFTER ROUND 5

9 points - Shaun Johnson (Warriors), Payne Haas (Broncos)

6 points - Adam Reynolds (Broncos), AJ Brimson (Titans), Ben Hunt (Dragons), Herbie Farnworth (Broncos)

5 points - Haumole Olakau'atu (Sea Eagles), Luke Keary (Roosters), Cameron Munster (Storm), Reece Walsh (Broncos), Nicho Hynes (Sharks), Harry Grant (Storm) 4 points - Dylan Edwards (Panthers), Jacob Preston (Bulldogs), Jared Waerea-Hargreaves (Roosters), J'maine Hopgood (Eels), Jacob Kiraz (Bulldogs), Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow (Dolphins), Isaah Yeo (Panthers), Nick Meaney (Storm), Daly Cherry-Evans (Sea Eagles)

3 points - Corey Horsburgh (Raiders), Sean O'Sullivan (Dolphins), Mitchell Moses (Eels), Nathan Cleary (Panthers), Reed Mahoney (Bulldogs), Tohu Harris (Warriors), Matt Burton (Bulldogs), Josh Schuster (Sea Eagles), Tyson Gamble (Knights), Sam Walker (Roosters), Chad Townsend (Cowboys), Jamayne Isaako (Dolphins), Cameron Murray (Rabbitohs), Damien Cook (Rabbitohs), Jeremy Marshall-King (Dolphins), Lachlan Ilias (Rabbitohs), James Tedesco (Roosters), Lachlan Miller (Knights), Greg Marzhew (Knights), Jeremiah Nanai (Cowboys), William Kennedy (Sharks)

2 points - Tino Fa'asuamaleaui (Titans), Wayde Egan (Warriors), Blake Lawrie (Dragons), Izack Tago (Panthers), Jonah Pezet (Storm), David Fifita (Titans), Jackson Ford (Warriors), Joseph Tapine (Raiders), Brandon Wakeham (Wests Tigers), Dominic Young (Knights), Jacob Liddle (Dragons), Felise Kaufusi (Dolphins), Matt Moylan (Sharks), Ezra Mam (Broncos), Campbell Graham (Rabbitohs), Latrell Mitchell (Rabbitohs), Charnze Nicoll-Klokstad (Warriors), Tolutau Koula (Sea Eagles), Scott Drinkwater (Cowboys), Tom Gilbert (Dolphins), Phillip Sami (Titans), Daniel Saifiti (Knights), Tesi Niu (Dolphins)

1 point - Lindsay Collins (Roosters), Jayden Brailey (Knights), Clinton Gutherson (Eels), Blayke Brailey (Sharks), Moses Leota (Panthers), Jamal Fogarty (Raiders), Jazz Tevaga (Warriors), Marcelo Montoya (Warriors), Ethan Bullemor (Sea Eagles), Cory Paix (Broncos), Josh Addo-Carr (Bulldogs), Mikaele Ravalawa (Dragons), Alofiana Khan-Pereira (Titans), Joseph Manu (Roosters), Mason Teague (Dolphins), Junior Tupou (Wests Tigers), Leo Thompson (Knights), Braydon Trindall (Sharks), Dane Gagai (Knights), Edward Kosi (Warriors), Adam Doueihi (Wests Tigers), Jaxson Paulo (Roosters), Hayze Perham (Bulldogs)

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RESULTS - ROUND 7

Tweed Seagulls (40) Tries: Orlando Metuariki 2, Tom Summer 2, Jiale Litidamu, Jack Hudson, Matthew Barrow, Mason Barber; Goals: Zane Harrison 4/8 def Burleigh Bears (22) Tries: Nayte Saaga 3, Ryder Williams; Goals: Zyroam Tarewa-Helihy 2/3, Nayte Saaga 1/1 at Piggabeen Sports Complex, Tweed Heads / Bundjalung

Mackay Cutters (46) Tries: Bailey Anderson 3, Jaxon Purdue 2, Kai Simon 2, Rory Woodall, Jett Hiscox; Goals: Kai Simon 5/9 def Central Queensland Capras (16) Tries: Mutua Brown 2, Carter Ford; Goals: Ryder Huth 2/3 at BB Print Stadium, South Mackay / Yuwibaba

Souths Logan Magpies (38) Tries: Israel Leota 4, Xavier Atoa, Dylan Gallagher, Phillip Coates, Cairo Rangihuna-Ruri; Goals: Cairo Rangihuna-Ruri 3/8 def Norths Devils (30) Tries: Brandon Norris 3, Zac Herdegen, Riley Jenkins, Jye Fong; Goals: Zac Herdegen 3/6 at Logan Metro Sports Park, Crestmead / Yuggera

Townsville Blackhawks (32) Tries: Aisake Manna 2, Jack Prior, Izaya Leedie, Jamal Shibasaki, Xavier Hellyer; Goals: Xavier Hellyer 4/7 def Northern Pride (16) Tries: Liam O'Brien 2, Cain Hastie; Goals: Noah Blooranta 2/3 at Barlow Park, Cairns / Yidinii

Ipswich Jets (23) Tries: Tyler Peckham-Harris, Lachlan Stuart, Lj Nonu, Saifiti Junior Saifiti; Goals: Saifiti Junior Saifiti 3/4; Field Goals: Izaiah Mafi 1 def Wide Bay Bulls (22) Tries: Adam Khan 2, Luke Adamson 2; Goals: Adam Khan 3/4 at Stafford Park, Hervey Bay / Batiala

Sunshine Coast Falcons (30) Tries: Jack Philp, Jett Elich, Finn Lawson, Jai Bowden, Emerson Jackson, Kallum Murphy; Goals: Finn Lawson 3/6 def Western Clydesdales (26) Tries: Bailey Nash, Jai Purser, Bodhi Sharpley, Bud Smith, Braiden Driscoll; Goals: Brock Sankey 1/1, Braiden Driscoll 1/2, Aaron Hinch 1/2 at Sunshine Coast Stadium, Bokarina / Kabi Kabi

Redcliffe Dolphins (38) Tries: Elijah Rasmussen 2, Jayden Alefaio, Siosifa Kava, Jayden Butt, Aholoka Toia, John Fineanganofo; Goals: John Fineanganofo 4/5, Tauave Leofa 1/1 def Wynnum Manly Seagulls (36) Tries: Coby Black 2, Beni Allen, Harry Armstrong, Jeremy Trappett, Isopo Taunuu; Goals: Coby Black 6/6 at Kayo Stadium, Redcliffe / Kabi Kabi BYE: Brisbane Tigers

FINAL LADDER	Р	W	L	D	В	F	A	+/-	Pts
1. Townsville	6	6	0	0	218	70	148	14	12
2. Redcliffe Dolphins	6	5	1	0	218	104	114	114 12	
3. Wynnum Manly	6	5	1	0	202	132	70	12	10
4. Ipswich Jets	6	5	1	0	187	124	63	12	10
5. Sunshine Coast	6	4	2	0	194	154	40	10	8
6. Tweed Seagulls	6	4	2	0	138	134	4	10	8
7. Mackay Cutters	6	3	2	1	168	144	24	9	8
8. Norths Devils	6	3	3	0	132	124	8	8	8
9. Western Clydesdales	6	3	3	0	150	158	-8	8	7
10. Northern Pride	6	2	3	1	132	158	-26	7	7
11. Souths Logan	6	2	4	0	172	184	-12	6	6
12. Burleigh Bears	6	2	4	0	142	158	-16	6	4
13. Wide Bay Bulls	6	0	6	0	106	201	-95	2	2
14. CQ Capras	6	0	6	0	94	240	-146	2	2
15. Brisbane Tigers	6	0	6	0	76	244	-168	2	0

SEMI FINALS FIXTURES

Saturday 15 April, North Ipswich Reserve, North Ipswich 11:15am - Redcliffe v Wynnum 1:15pm - Townsville v Ipswich

HARVEY NORMAN U19s

RESULTS - ROUND 7

Burleigh Bears (38) Tries: Zali Bettridge 2, Aleyas Manapori, Azariah Wallace, Sienna Laing, Sian Mcneill-Ehrlich, Paige Turner - Rau; Goals: Kaliyah Browning 5/7 def Tweed Seagulls (4) Tries: Sarah Qaranivalu at Piggabeen Sports Complex, Tweed Heads / Bundjalung

Townsville Blackhawks (22) Tries: Jairel-Ellen Martin-Savage 2, Seraseini Sadrata, Eadie Baxter, Maria Wilson; Goals: Hannah De Daunton 1/3 def Northern Pride (10) Tries: Aerielle Hobbler, Mackenzie Stephens; Goals: Aerielle Hobbler 1/2 at Barlow Park, Cairns / Yidinji

Ipswich Jets (68) Tries: Tiresa Elika 3, Heina Navosa 2, Dmaris Setu, Pauleeja Mau, Relna Hosea, Imogene Davidson, Zebadiah Latu Mulumulu, Ariana Henderson, Ella-Jaye Harrison-Leaunoa, Easther Mikaele; Goals: Zebadiah Latu Mulumulu 6/7, Pauleeja Mau 1/1, Imogene Davidson 1/3 def Wide Bay Bulls (4) Tries: Lluana George at Stafford Park, Hervey Bay / Batjala Mackay Cutters (24) Tries: Madison Westecott 2, Ciara Thomson, Jennifer Kimber, Mersades Lawson; Goals: Emily Bella 2/4 def Central Queensland Capras (8) Tries: Harmonie Fauid, Mackayla Oakley at BB Print Stadium, South Mackay / Yuwibara

Souths Logan Magpies (30) Tries: Jaydika Tafua, Chloe Rowe, Tusitina Fale, Olivia-May Ramsay, Talita Whitehouse, Milahn Situa; Goals: Mackenzie Baty-Karauria 1/4, Chloe Rowe 1/1, Milahn Situa 1/1 def Norths Devils (8) Tries: Kaati Taimani, Mia Davies at Logan Metro Sports Park, Crestmead / Yuggera

Sunshine Coast Falcons (22) Tries: Nancy Sullivan, Shannyn Harm, Caitlyn Smith, Lila Parr; Goals: Makayla Everding 3/4 def Western Clydesdales (4) Tries: Breanna Hoskin at Sunshine Coast Stadium, Bokarina / Kabi Kabi

Redcliffe Dolphins (16) Tries: Amy Bird, Aspen Nakao, Abbie Ritchie; Goals: Amy Bird 2/3 def Wynnum Manly Seagulls (4) Tries: Fuatino Ah-Him at Kayo Stadium, Redcliffe / Kabi Kabi

BYE: Brisbane Tigers

FINAL LADDER	Р	W	L	D	В	F	A	+/-	Pts
1. Ipswich Jets	6	6	0	0	179	56	123	14	12
2. Mackay Cutters	6	5	1	0	150	60	90	12	10
3. Brisbane Tigers	6	5	1	0	132	80	52	12	10
4. Sunshine Coast	6	4	2	0	178	94	84	10	10
5. Burleigh Bears	6	4	2	0	146	64	82	10	9
6. Wynnum Manly	6	4	2	0	120	78	42	10	8
7. Redcliffe Dolphins	6	4	2	0	96	86	10	10	8
8. Townsville	6	3	2	1	112	78	34	9	8
9. CQ Capras	6	3	2	1	104	76	28	9	8
10. Tweed Seagulls	6	3	3	0	108	144	-36	8	7
11. Western	6	2	4	0	130	98	32	6	6
12. Souths Logan	6	1	5	0	80	136	-56	4	2
13. Norths Devils	6	0	6	0	66	160	-94	2	2
14. Northern Pride	6	0	6	0	32	184	-152	2	2
15. Wide Bay Bulls	6	0	6	0	28	267	-239	2	2

NRL MATCH REVIEW & JUDICIARY ROUND 5

Player	Club	Grade	Charge	Base	Offence#	Guilty	Early plea	Plea	Result
Bailey SIMONSSON	Parramatta	3	Careless High Tackle	3 matches	1st	3 matches	2 matches	Guilty - early plea	2 matches
Lachlan FITZGIBBON	Newcastle	1	Careless High Tackle	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Herman ESE'ESE	Dolphins	1	Dangerous Contact	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Mikaele RAVALAWA	St George Illawarra	1	Careless High Tackle	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Jack DE BELIN	St George Illawarra	1	Dangerous Contact	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Fonua POLE	Wests Tigers	1	Crusher Tackle	\$2000	1st	\$2000	\$1500	Guilty - early plea	\$1500
Junior TUPOU	Wests Tigers	1	Shoulder Charge	\$2000	1st	\$2000	\$1500	Guilty - early plea	\$1500
Dale FINUCANE	Cronulla	2	Dangerous Contact	2 matches	3rd+	4 matches	3 matches	Guilty - early plea	3 matches
Marata NIUKORE	Warriors	2	Dangerous Contact	2 matches	2nd	3 matches	2 matches	Guilty - early plea	2 matches
Jayden OKUNBOR	Canterbury	2	Dangerous Contact	2 matches	1st	2 matches	1 match	Guilty - early plea	1 match

2023 NRL FIXTURES

Round 1 - Mar 2-5

PAR 12 MEL 16: Thu 7:50PM at Commbank WAR 20 NEW 12: Fri 6:00PM at Wellington PEN 12 BRI 13: Fri 8:05PM at Bluebet MAN 31 CBY 06: Sat 3:00PM at 4 Pines NQL 19 CAN 18: Sat 5:30PM at QLD C.B. CRO 18 SOU 27: Sat 7:35PM at Pointsbet DOL 28 SYD 18: Sun 4:05PM at Suncorp WST 10 GLD 22: Sun 6:15PM at Leichhardt SGI have a bye

Round 2 - Mar 9-12

PEN 16 SOU 10: Thu 7:50PM at Bluebet PAR 26 CRO 30: Fri 6:00PM at Commbank BRI 28 NQL 16: Fri 8:05PM at Suncorp SYD 20 WAR 12: Sat 3:00PM at Allianz DOL 20 CAN 14: Sat 5:30PM at Kayo MEL 12 CBY 26: Sat 7:35PM at AAMI WST 12 NEW 14: Sun 4:05PM at Leichhardt SGI 32 GLD 18: Sun 6:15PM at Netstrata MAN have a bye

Round 3 - Mar 16-19

MAN 34 PAR 30: Thu 7:50PM at 4 Pines NEW 20 DOL 36: Fri 6:00PM at McD Jones SYD 20 SOU 18: Fri 8:05PM at Allianz GLD 38 MEL 34: Sat 3:00PM at Cbus NQL 12 WAR 26: Sat 5:30PM at QLD C.B. BRI 40 SGI 18: Sat 7:35PM at Suncorp CBY 26 WST 22: Sun 4:05PM at Belmore CAN 24 CRO 20: Sun 6:15PM at GIO PEN have a bye

Round 4 - Mar 23-26

PAR 17 PEN 16: Thu 7:50PM at Commbank MEL 24 WST 12: Fri 6:00PM at AAMI DOL 12 BRI 18: Fri 8:05PM at Suncorp NQL 24 GLD 12: Sat 5:30PM at QLD C.B. SOU 13 MAN 12: Sat 7:35PM at Accor WAR 16 CBY 14: Sun 2:00PM at Mt Smart NEW 24 CAN 14: Sun 4:05PM at McD Jones SGI 8 CRO 40: Sun 6:15PM at Netstrata SYD have a bye

Round 5 - Mar 30-Apr 2

SYD 28 PAR 20: Thu 7:50PM at Allianz CAN 12 PEN 53: Fri 6:00PM at GIO SOU 10 MEL 18: Fri 8:05PM at Accor MAN 32 NEW 32: Sat 3:00PM at Mudgee SGI 38 DOL 12: Sat 5:30PM at WIN BRI 46 WST 12: Sat 7:35PM at Suncorp CRO 30 WAR 32: Sun 4:05PM at Pointsbet CBY 15 NQL 14: Sun 6:15PM at Accor GLD have a bye

Round 6 - Easter

MEL v SYD: Thu 6 Apr 7:50PM at AAMI CBY v SOU: Fri 7 Apr 4:00PM at Accor NQL v DOL: Fri 7 Apr 8:00PM at QLD C.B. PEN v MAN: Sat 8 Apr 5:30PM at Bluebet BRI v CAN: Sat 8 Apr 7:35PM at Suncorp GLD v SGI: Sun 9 Apr 4:05PM at Cbus NEW v WAR: Sun 9 Apr 6:15PM at McD Jones WST v PAR: Mon 10 Apr 4:00PM at Accor CRO have a bye

Round 7

DOL v SOU: Thu 13 Apr 7:50PM at Suncorp CRO v SYD: Fri 14 Apr 6:00PM at Pointsbet MAN v MEL: Fri 14 Apr 8:00PM at 4 Pines WAR v NQL: Sat 15 Apr 3:00PM at Mt Smart NEW v PEN: Sat 15 Apr 5:30PM at McD Jones GLD v BRI: Sat 15 Apr 7:35PM at Cbus CAN v SGI: Sun 16 Apr 2:00PM at GIO PAR v CBY: Sun 16 Apr 4:05PM at Commbank WST have a bye

Round 8 - ANZAC Round

SOU v PEN: Thu 20 Apr 7:50PM at Accor PAR v BRI: Fri 21 Apr 8:00PM at Darwin CBY v CRO: Sat 22 Apr 5:30PM at Accor NQL v NEW: Sat 22 Apr 7:35PM at QLD C.B. DOL v GLD: Sun 23 Apr 2:00PM at Suncorp WST v MAN: Sun 23 Apr 4:05PM at Campbelltown SYD v SGI: Tue 25 Apr 4:00PM at Allianz MEL v WAR: Tue 25 Apr 7:00PM at AAMI CAN have a bye

Round 9

CRO v NQL: Thu 27 Apr 7:50PM at Pointsbet PAR v NEW: Fri 28 Apr 6:00PM at Commbank BRI v SOU: Fri 28 Apr 8:00PM at Suncorp CAN v DOL: Sat 29 Apr 3:00PM at Wagga MAN v GLD: Sat 29 Apr 5:30PM at 4 Pines PEN v WST: Sat 29 Apr 7:35PM at Bathurst WAR v SYD: Sun 30 Apr 2:00PM at Mt Smart SGI v CBY: Sun 30 Apr 4:05PM at WIN MEL have a bye

Round 10 - Magic Round

CBY v CAN: Fri 5 May 6:00PM at Suncorp MAN v BRI: Fri 5 May 8:05PM at Suncorp WAR v PEN: Sat 6 May 3:00PM at Suncorp CRO v DOL: Sat 6 May 5:30PM at Suncorp MEL v SOU: Sat 6 May 7:35PM at Suncorp WST v SGI: Sun 7 May 1:50PM at Suncorp SYD v NQL: Sun 7 May 4:00PM at Suncorp GLD v PAR: Sun 7 May 6:25PM at Suncorp NEW have a bye

Round 11 - Indigenous Round

MEL v BRI: Thu 11 May 7:50PM at AAMI CBY v WAR: Fri 12 May 6:00PM at Accor PEN v SYD: Fri 12 May 8:00PM at Bluebet SOU v WST: Sat 13 May 3:00PM at Accor NQL v SGI: Sat 13 May 5:30PM at QLD C.B. CAN v PAR: Sat 13 May 7:35PM at GIO NEW v GLD: Sun 14 May 2:00PM at McD Jones MAN v CRO: Sun 14 May 4:05PM at 4 Pines DOL have a bye

Round 12

BRI v PEN: Thu 18 May 7:50PM at Suncorp SGI v SYD: Fri 19 May 6:00PM at Netstrata SOU v PAR: Fri 19 May 8:00PM at Allianz CRO v NEW: Sat 20 May 3:00PM at Coffs Hbr WST v NQL: Sat 20 May 5:30PM at Leichhardt DOL v MEL: Sat 20 May 7:35PM at Suncorp CBY v GLD: Sun 21 May 2:00PM at Accor CAN v MAN: Sun 21 May 4:05PM at GIO WAR have a bye

Round 13

DOL v SGI: Thu 25 May 7:50PM at Kayo PAR v NQL: Fri 26 May 8:00PM at Commbank WAR v BRI: Sat 27 May 5:30PM at Napier SOU v CAN: Sat 27 May 7:35PM at Accor NEW v MAN: Sun 28 May 4:05PM at McD Jones CBY, CRO, GLD, MEL, PEN, SYD, WST have byes

State of Origin I - Adelaide - Wed 31 May

Round 14

WST v CAN: Fri 2 Jun 8:00PM at Campbelltown WAR v DOL: Sat 3 Jun 3:00PM at Mt Smart GLD v SOU: Sat 3 Jun 5:30PM at Cbus CRO v BRI: Sat 3 Jun 7:35PM at Pointsbet SYD v CBY: Sun 4 Jun 2:00PM at Gosford NQL v MEL: Sun 4 Jun 4:05PM at QLD C.B. PEN v SGI: Sun 4 Jun 6:15PM at Bluebet MAN, NEW, PAR have byes

Round 15

GLD v WST: Thu 8 Jun 7:50PM at Cbus CAN v WAR: Fri 9 Jun 6:00PM at GIO MAN v DOL: Fri 9 Jun 8:00PM at 4 Pines SGI v SOU: Sat 10 Jun 3:00PM at Netstrata BRI v NEW: Sat 10 Jun 5:30PM at Suncorp SYD v PEN: Sat 10 Jun 7:35PM at Allianz MEL v CRO: Sun 11 Jun 4:05PM at AAMI CBY v PAR: Mon 12 Jun 4:00PM at Accor NQL have a bye

Round 16

NQL v PEN: Fri 16 Jun 8:00PM at QLD C.B. NEW v SYD: Sat 17 Jun 3:00PM at McD Jones PAR v MAN: Sat 17 Jun 5:30PM at Commbank WST v MEL: Sat 17 Jun 7:35PM at Campbelltown CRO v CBY: Sun 18 Jun 4:05PM at Pointsbet BRI, CAN, GLD, DOL, SGI, SOU, WAR have byes

State of Origin II - Brisbane - Wed 21 Jun

Round 17

SGI v WAR: Fri 23 Jun 8:00PM at WIN DOL v PAR: Sat 24 Jun 3:00PM at Sun. Coast PEN v NEW: Sat 24 Jun 5:30PM at Bluebet MEL v MAN: Sat 24 Jun 7:35PM at AAMI BRI v GLD: Sun 25 Jun 2:00PM at Suncorp SOU v NQL: Sun 25 Jun 4:05PM at Accor SYD v CAN: Sun 25 Jun 6:15PM at Allianz CBY, CRO, WST have byes

Round 18

CRO v SGI: Thu 29 Jun 7:50PM at Pointsbet WAR v SOU: Fri 30 Jun 6:00PM at Mt Smart MEL v PEN: Fri 30 Jun 8:00PM at Venue TBC CAN v GLD: Sat 1 Jul 3:00PM at GIO NQL v WST: Sat 1 Jul 5:30PM at QLD C.B. BRI v DOL: Sat 1 Jul 7:35PM at The Gabba CBY v NEW: Sun 2 Jul 2:00PM at Accor MAN v SYD: Sun 2 Jul 4:05PM at 4 Pines PAR have a bye

Round 19

WST v CR0: Thu 6 Jul 7:50PM at Commbank SGI v CAN: Fri 7 Jul 8:00PM at WIN PAR v WAR: Sat 8 Jul 5:30PM at Commbank SOU v CBY: Sat 8 Jul 7:35PM at Accor GLD v DOL: Sun 9 Jul 4:05PM at Cbus BRI, MAN, MEL, NEW, NQL, PEN, SYD have byes

State of Origin III - Sydney - Wed 12 Jul

Round 20

NEW v WST: Fri 14 Jul 8:00PM at McD Jones CBY v BRI: Sat 15 Jul 3:00PM at Belmore MAN v NQL: Sat 15 Jul 5:30PM at 4 Pines SYD v MEL: Sat 15 Jul 7:35PM at SCG WAR v CRO: Sun 16 Jul 2:00PM at Mt Smart DOL v PEN: Sun 16 Jul 4:05PM at Kayo PAR v GLD: Sun 16 Jul 6:15PM at Commbank CAN, SGI, SOU have byes

Round 21

SGI v WST: Thu 20 Jul 7:50PM at WIN WAR v CAN: Fri 21 Jul 6:00PM at Mt Smart SOU v BRI: Fri 21 Jul 8:00PM at Sun. Coast GLD v SYD: Sat 22 Jul 3:00PM at Cbus NEW v MEL: Sat 22 Jul 5:30PM at McD Jones NQL v PAR: Sat 22 Jul 7:35PM at QLD C.B. PEN v CBY: Sun 23 Jul 2:00PM at Bluebet CRO v MAN: Sun 23 Jul 4:05PM at Pointsbet DOL have a bye

Round 22

BRI v SYD: Thu 27 Jul 7:50PM at The Gabba WST v SOU: Fri 28 Jul 6:00PM at Tamworth MEL v PAR: Fri 28 Jul 8:00PM at Venue TBC CAN v NEW: Sat 29 Jul 3:00PM at GIO SGI v MAN: Sat 29 Jul 5:30PM at WIN PEN v CRO: Sat 29 Jul 7:35PM at Bluebet CBY v DOL: Sun 30 Jul 2:00PM at Bundaberg GLD v NQL: Sun 30 Jul 4:05PM at Cbus WAR have a bve

Round 23

SYD v MAN: Thu 3 Aug 7:50PM at SCG GLD v WAR: Fri 4 Aug 6:00PM at Cbus PEN v MEL: Fri 4 Aug 8:00PM at Bluebet NQL v BRI: Sat 5 Aug 3:00PM at QLD C.B. DOL v NEW: Sat 5 Aug 5:30PM at Optus SOU v CRO: Sat 5 Aug 7:35PM at Optus PAR v SGI: Sun 6 Aug 2:00PM at Commbank CAN v WST: Sun 6 Aug 4:05PM at GIO CBY have a bye

Round 24

MAN v PEN: Thu 10 Aug 7:50PM at 4 Pines CRO v GLD: Fri 11 Aug 6:00PM at Pointsbet BRI v PAR: Fri 11 Aug 8:00PM at The Gabba SOU v SGI: Sat 12 Aug 3:00PM at Cairns WST v WAR: Sat 12 Aug 5:30PM at Hamilton SYD v DOL: Sat 12 Aug 7:35PM at Allianz MEL v CAN: Sun 13 Aug 2:00PM at AAMI NEW v CBY: Sun 13 Aug 4:05PM at McD Jones NQL have a bye

Round 25

NQL v CRO: Thu 17 Aug 7:50PM at QLD C.B. WAR v MAN: Fri 18 Aug 6:00PM at Mt Smart PAR v SYD: Fri 18 Aug 8:00PM at Commbank WST v DOL: Sat 19 Aug 3:00PM at Commbank GLD v PEN: Sat 19 Aug 5:30PM at Cbus SGI v MEL: Sat 19 Aug 7:35PM at WIN NEW v SOU: Sun 20 Aug 2:00PM at McD Jones CAN v CBY: Sun 20 Aug 4:05PM at GIO BRI have a bye

Round 26

PEN v PAR: Thu 24 Aug 7:50PM at Bluebet WAR v SGI: Fri 25 Aug 6:00PM at Mt Smart DOL v NQL: Fri 25 Aug 8:00PM at Suncorp MEL v GLD: Sat 26 Aug 3:00PM at AAMI SYD v WST: Sat 26 Aug 5:30PM at Allianz CAN v BRI: Sat 26 Aug 7:35PM at GIO CBY v MAN: Sun 27 Aug 2:00PM at Accor NEW v CRO: Sun 27 Aug 4:05PM at McD Jones SOU have a bye

Round 27

BRI v MEL: Thu 31 Aug 7:50PM at Suncorp MAN v WST: Fri 1 Sep 6:00PM at 4 Pines SOU v SYD: Fri 1 Sep 8:00PM at Accor DOL v WAR: Sat 2 Sep 3:00PM at Suncorp PEN v NQL: Sat 2 Sep 5:30PM at Bluebet SGI v NEW: Sat 2 Sep 7:35PM at Netstrata GLD v CBY: Sun 3 Sep 2:00PM at Cbus CRO v CAN: Sun 3 Sep 4:05PM at Pointsbet PAR 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