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NRL 2024 LADDER & STATS LEADERS

LAD	DER - ROUND 17			ŀ	10 M	E						A W A	Υ							TOTA	I <i>L</i>			
POS	TEAM	Р	W			F		PD	Р	W		D	F		PD	P	W	L	D	В	F	A	Pts	PD
1.	MELBOURNE	9	8	1	-	260	167	93	6	4	2	-	140	120	20	15	12	3	-	2	400	287	28	+113
2.	PENRITH	7	5	2	-	146	106	40	8	5	3	-	196	128	68	15	10	5	-	2	342	234	24	+108
3.	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND	7	5	2	-	189	146	43	8	5	3	-	179	145	34	15	10	5	-	2	368	291	24	+77
4.	SYDNEY	8	5	3	-	216	106	110	8	5	3	-	264	179	85	16	10	6	-	1	480	285	22	+195
5.	CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN	7	7	-	-	201	96	105	8	1	7	-	114	155	-41	15	8	7	-	2	315	251	20	+64
6.	DOLPHINS	7	3	4	-	175	157	18	8	5	3	-	196	174	22	15	8	7	-	2	371	331	20	+40
7.	NORTH QUEENSLAND	6	3	3	-	156	166	-10	10	6	4	-	241	229	12	16	9	7	-	1	397	395	20	+2
8.	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA	7	5	2	-	202	164	38	8	3	5	-	120	188	-68	15	8	7	-	2	322	352	20	-30
9.	MANLY-WARRINGAH	8	6	2	-	213	147	66	7	1	5	1	138	176	-38	15	7	7	1	2	351	323	19	+28
10.	BRISBANE	7	4	3	-	192	152	40	8	3	5	-	159	178	-19	15	7	8	-	2	351	330	18	+21
11.	NEWCASTLE	8	4	4	-	144	164	-20	7	3	4	-	138	165	-27	15	7	8	-	2	282	329	18	-47
12.	CANBERRA	7	4	3	-	150	178	-28	8	3	5	-	152	213	-61	15	7	8	-	2	302	391	18	-89
13.	WARRIORS	9	5	3	1	198	181	17	7	2	5	-	146	194	-48	16	7	8	1	1	344	375	17	-31
14.	SOUTH SYDNEY	8	4	4	-	158	192	-34	6	1	5	-	128	206	-78	14	5	9	-	3	286	398	16	-112
15.	GOLD COAST	8	2	6	-	190	212	-22	6	2	4	-	115	164	-49	14	4	10	-	3	305	376	14	-71
16.	PARRAMATTA	8	4	4	-	179	193	-14	7	-	7	-	130	245	-115	15	4	11	-	2	309	438	12	-129
17.	WESTS TIGERS	7	3	4	-	146	142	4	8	1	7	-	113	256	-143	15	4	11	-	2	259	398	12	-139

TOP TRYSCORERS

Rank	Player	Team	Р	T
=1	Alofiana Khan-Pereira	Gold Coast	11	14
=1	Deine Mariner	Brisbane	13	14
3	Dominic Young	Sydney	12	12

HOME CROWD AVERAGES

Club	Average			
Brisbane	41,175			
Warriors	23,643			
Dolphins	21,548			
Newcastle	21,043			
Sydney	21,041			
Parramatta	20,242			
Melbourne	19,634			
North Qld	19,227			
Canterbury	18,680			

Club	Average
Penrith	18,507
Manly	16,111
Souths	15,258
St Geo Illa	14,978
Gold Coast	14,875
Canberra	14,359
Wests Tigers	13,747
Cronulla	11,550

TOP POINTSCORERS

Rank	Player	Team	P	T	G	FG	Pts
1	Jamayne Isaako	Dolphins	15	9	52	1	141
2	Nick Meaney	Melbourne	14	5	60	-	140
3	Valentine Holmes	North Qld	14	8	51		134
=4	Zac Lomax	St Geo Illa	13	11	41	0/2	130
=4	Sam Walker	Sydney	14	4	57	-	130
6	Matt Burton	Canterhury	14	8	39	1	111

CROWD WATCH - ROUND 17

Timeslot	Match	Venue	Crowd
Fri 8:00pm	Canterbury v Cronulla	Accor	15,765
Sat 3:00pm	Warriors v Brisbane	Go Media	22,711
Sat 5:30pm	Newcastle v Parramatta	McD. Jones	27,424
Sat 7:35pm	Melbourne v Canberra	AAMI	14,127

TOP GOALKICKERS

Rank	Player	Team	P	G/A	%
1	Nick Meaney	Melbourne	14	60 / 75	80%
2	Sam Walker	Sydney	14	57 / 67	85%
3	Jamayne Isaako	Dolphins	15	52 / 72	72%
4	Valentine Holmes	North Qld	14	51 / 66	77%
5	Nicho Hynes	Cronulla	12	46 / 52	88%
=6	Zac Lomax	St Geo Illa	13	41 / 52	79%
=6	Reuben Garrick	Manly	13	41 / 54	76%

Timeslot	Match	Venue	Crowd		
Sun 2:00pm	St Geo Illa v Dolphins	Netstrata	8,052		
Sun 4:05pm	Penrith v North Qld	Bluebet	15,777		
Sun 6:15pm	Sydney v Wests Tigers	Allianz	14,711		
	AGGREGATE 118,567 AGGREGATE 2,470,698	Avg 16,938 Avg 19,302			



NRL MATCH REVIEW & JUDICIARY ORIGIN II, ROUND 17

Player	Club	Grade	Charge	On Who	Base	Offence #	Guilty	Early plea	Plea	RESULT
Valentine HOLMES	QLD (N Qld)	1	Careless High Tackle	Payne HAAS	10% M-F	1st	10% of M-F	7% of M-F	Guilty - early plea	7% OF MATCH FEE
Latrell MITCHELL	NSW (Souths)	1	Careless High Tackle	Xavier COATES	10% M-F	1st	10% of M-F	7% of M-F	Guilty - early plea	7% OF MATCH FEE
Liam MARTIN	NSW (Penrith)	1	Dangerous Contact	Daly CHERRY-EVANS	10% M-F	1st	10% of M-F	7% of M-F	Guilty - early plea	7% OF MATCH FEE
Viliame KIKAU	Canterbury	1	Careless High Tackle	Blayke BRAILEY	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Toby SEXTON	Canterbury	1	Crusher Tackle	Braydon TRINDALL	\$2000	1st ^	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Oregon KAUFUSI	Cronulla	1	Crusher Tackle	Blake WILSON	\$2000	1st ^	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Kotoni STAGGS	Brisbane	1	Dangerous Contact	Roger TUIVASA-SHECK	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Elliott WHITEHEAD	Canberra	1	Dangerous Contact	Shawn BLORE	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Albert HOPOATE	Canberra	1	Careless High Tackle	Jack HOWARTH	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Kurt DONOGHOE	Dolphins	2	Careless High Tackle	Francis MOLO	2 matches	3rd+	4 matches	3 matches	Guilty - early plea	3 MATCHES
Jaxon PURDUE	North Qld	1	Dangerous Contact	Daine LAURIE	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Nat BUTCHER	Sydney	1	Dangerous Contact	David KLEMMER	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Adam DOUEIHI	Wests Tigers	1	Dangerous Contact	Dom YOUNG	\$1500	1st	\$1000	\$750	Guilty - early plea	\$750
John BATEMAN	Wests Tigers	1	Careless High Tackle	Angus CRICHTON	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000

[#] Offences counted for the previous twelve months. ^ Denotes 3 year incident free discount

 $^{\,\}sim\,$ Development player - is able to opt for a 1 match suspension instead of monetary fine

NRL ROUND 17 WRAP

THIRD TIME LUCKY AS BURTON PILOTS DOGS HOME

AJ LUCANTONIO

Matt Burton's third attempt at field goal was the one that mattered most in the first period of Golden Point, as the Bulldogs scored a critical victory over the Cronulla Sharks, who have now dropped four of their last five matches.

Cronulla started poorly, failing to get through their first set and were left defending their own try line for the best part of the opening five minutes. Despite a sloppy pass from Reed Mahoney out of dummy half. Canterbury capitalised on all the early field position from the visitors' mistakes as Viliame Kikau recovered the pass and grubber kicked ahead. Two Sharks players bumped into each-other and allowed Kikau to score the opening try of the evening.

Cronulla kept making errors and conceding penalties leading Canterbury on another excursion in their red-zone. Ten minutes after Kikau's effort, they were under their own sticks again. Reed Mahoney fooled the defence, as they slid on Kikau, Mahoney dummied and snuck over for the Dogs' second try. Matt Burton added the extras for a 12-0 lead.

Canterbury soon joined the party of poor discipline which cruelled them last weekend, conceding two quick penalties allowing the Sharks down the field. After making a mistake in the opening set, Cam McInnes made amends with a lovely short pass to Briton Nikora who crashed across to continue his recent purple patch of good form. Nicho Hynes converted to cut the Bulldogs lead in half.

Cronulla's attacking execution from that point on left a lot to be desired. Kayal Iro and Jesse Ramien seemed to be catching a cold when the ball was in the Sharks attacking red-zone as each attacking possession was seemingly passing them by. Canterbury were answering every Cronulla question, holding the Sharks to the lone Nikora try at the break. Things were getting heated at the break as the game's serial pest Mahoney tried to ruffle up Hynes leading to a stern warning from referee Gerard Sutton at the break.

It was a frantic start to the second half, as both sides broke the defensive line. However in the greasy conditions, the movements were coming up just short with errors and forward passes cruelling point-scoring chances on both sides. After the miscues. The Sharks went scheming down the blind-slide, finally utilising Ramien who got it out to Sione Katoa who sprinted down the sideline. Katoa was able to be the dragging cover defence to go over for the first try of the second stanza.

After a lull where the Bulldogs dominated possession but once again came up empty. Cronulla were starting to become more expansive and were breaking through the Dogs middle. Following a Hynes half-break, Braydon Trindall went to the air. Mulitalo took the ball un-contested and was was somehow able to get boot to ball. Trindall was there to pick it up and cross to give the Sharks the lead for the first time in the contest.



Cronulla's poor discipline was giving the Dogs chance after chance in the red-zone but it appeared the winning moment wasn't going to come. A late Bailey Hayward grubber kick saw Toby Rudolf give away his third penalty of the evening. This allowed Burton to take a gift two points and level the scores at 14-14. Burton tried two, two-point field goals but missed by agonising margins sending the game to Golden Point.

Both sides had their chances in Golden Point. Cronulla had their first chance after a Sam Hughes error in the Dogs' first set. Hynes' miss from directly in front gave the Dogs a fresh set. Some offloads gave the home side field position, and Burton made sure it was third time lucky when he slotted it off the upright to give the Bulldogs the win to stay in pace for a top 4 spot.

CANTERBURY	15	-	14	CRONULLA					
Viliame KIKAU		T		Sione KATOA					
Reed MAHONEY				Briton NIKORA					
				Braydon TRINDALL					
Matt BURTON	3/3	G	1/3	Nicho HYNES					
Matt BURTON		FG							
	TEAMSHEETS								
Jacob KIRAZ	4	FB	1	William KENNEDY					
Blake WILSON	2	W	2	Sione KATOA					
Bronson XERRI	3	C	3	Jesse RAMIEN					
Stephen CRICHTON (c)	23	C	4	Kayal IRO					
Jeral SKELTON	5	W	5	Ronaldo MULITALO					
Matt BURTON	6	FE	6	Braydon TRINDALL					
Toby SEXTON	7	НВ	7	Nicho HYNES					
Max KING	8	FR	8	Toby RUDOLF					
Reed MAHONEY	9	HK	9	Blayke BRAILEY					
Samuel HUGHES	10	FR	10	Oregon KAUFUSI					
Viliame KIKAU	11	2R	11	Briton NIKORA					
Jaeman SALMON	12	2R	12	Siosifa TALAKAI					
Bailey HAYWARD	13	L	13	Cameron McINNES (c)					
Blake TAAFFE	1	В	14	Jack WILLIAMS					
Josh CURRAN	15	В	15	Royce HUNT					
Kurtis MORRIN	16	В	16	Thomas HAZELTON					
Lipoi HOPOI	17	В	21	Teig WILTON					
Cameron CIRALDO		НС		Craig FITZGIBBON					

Date: Fri, 28th June. Kickoff: 8:00 PM. Halftime: Canterbury 12-6. Penalties: Canterbury 8-4. Referee: Gerard Sutton. Crowd: 15,765.

WARRIORS WRESTLE PAST BUCKING BRONCOS

JUSTIN DAVIES

New Zealand Warriors picked up a vital win in their 32-16 result against Brisbane Broncos at a heaving Mt Smart Stadium on Saturday afternoon.

The Warriors bounced back well and get a win that helps to revive their stuttering form after the thrashing against the Titans. Chanel Harris-Tavita picked up a brace while halves partner Te Maire Martin controlled the play well all afternoon.

Warriors wanted a fast start after last weekend and got what they needed. They built the pressure with their kicking game then Chanel Harris-Tavita sliced through to make it 6-0.

They kept their foot on the gas in front of another huge crowd. Adam Pompey was cut down by a brilliant tackle but Te Maire Martin scooped it up, threw a dummy and slammed it down.

The hosts added their third score of the half from another kick. It was punched through low, deflected off a Bronco and Harris-Tavita won the race to touch down and make it 16-0.

Broncos did pull one back late in the half through Deine Mariner. The kick was put up high and it was dropped by the Warriors and Deine Mariner was there to get the four-pointer.

The visitors looked much more themselves in the second half. Ezra Mam led from the front with a 40/20 and they went within inches of scoring from a fantastic Selwyn Cobbo run which was judged a knock on.

Brisbane did bring it back to 16-10 after a late six again call. They spread the ball to the right, Tristian Sailor with a well timed pass which allowed Mariner to pick up his second try.

Warriors absorbed the Broncos best punch in the second half and struck themselves. Te Maire Martin stabbed through a kick which Roger Tuivasa-Sheck swanned onto and made it 22-10.

The Broncos wouldn't go quietly into the night in this important game. Xavier Willison just said give me the ball, the big prop just kept pumping his legs until he scored the four-pointer.



The Warriors just kept them at arms length though in the final stanza. Te Maire Martin unfurled another high kick which Dallin Watene-Zelezniak plucked out of the air with ease to touch down.

Freddy Lussick put the icing on the victory for the Warriors. It was a wraparound play started by Mitch Barnett who found the interchange man to go over untouched for 30-16.

WARRIORS	32	-	16	BRISBANE				
Chanel HARRIS-TAVITA	2	T	2	Deine MARINER				
Freddy LUSSICK				Xavier WILLISON				
Te Maire MARTIN								
Roger TUIVASA-SHECK								
Dallin WATENE-ZELEZNIAK								
Adam POMPEY	3/6	G	2/3	Kotoni STAGGS				
Chanel HARRIS-TAVITA	1/1							
TEAMSHEETS								
Charnze NICOLL-KLOKSTAD	1	FB	1	Tristan SAILOR				
Dallin WATENE-ZELEZNIAK	2	W	2	Jesse ARTHARS				
Roger TUIVASA-SHECK	3	C	3	Kotoni STAGGS (c)				
Adam POMPEY	4	C	4	Selwyn COBBO				
Marcelo MONTOYA	5	W	5	Deine MARINER				
Chanel HARRIS-TAVITA	6	FE	6	Ezra MAM				
Te Maire MARTIN	7	НВ	7	Jock MADDEN				
Addin FONUA-BLAKE	8	FR	8	Corey JENSEN				
Wayde EGAN	9	HK	14	Tyson SM00THY				
Mitchell BARNETT	12	FR	10	Xavier WILLISON				
Marata NIUKORE	11	2R	11	Brendan PIAKURA				
Kurt CAPEWELL	17	2R	12	Jack GOSIEWSKI				
Dylan WALKER	15	L	13	Kobe HETHERINGTON				
Jackson FORD	10	В	9	Billy WALTERS				
Tohu HARRIS (c)	13	В	15	Fletcher BAKER				
Freddy LUSSICK	14	В	16	Josiah KARAPANI				
Jazz TEVAGA	16	В	17	Martin TAUPAU				
Andrew WEBSTER		НС		Kevin WALTERS				

Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 5:00 PM. Halftime: Warriors 16-6. Penalties: Brisbane 7-4. Referee: Todd Smith. Crowd: 22.711.

NRL ROUND 17 WRAP

EELS STAY BOTTOM OF THE LADDER AS KNIGHTS TAKE IMPORTANT HOME WIN

JOSH ROBERTSON

The Newcastle Knights have kept the Parramatta Eels at the bottom of the NRL ladder with a 34-26 win in a game filled with bunker interventions and missed opportunities in front of over 27,000 fans.

Despite having mountains of possession early on, the Knights had to stand and watch the Eels open the scoring through Blaize Talagi as a repeat set for the Blue and Gold paid off and they were able to spread the ball right and score. Mitch Moses converted for a 6-0 lead.

Maika Sivo was the first to be denied by Wyatt Raymond in the bunker when he was ruled to have been brought down short off the line by referee Peter Gough and with no evidence to overturn the bunker upheld the live call. The Knights though were able to hit the scoreboard with debutant Will Pryce who charged through off a Daniel Saifiti offload.

The Eels hit back soon after as Mitch Moses went left from the scrum and showed that he has speed as he left the Knights defence clutching at the air to score wide out. The conversion was successful and the Eels had a 12-6 lead.

The bunker denied Maika Sivo a second try as he tried to claim a try that looked nothing close to being one before the Knights went up the other end as the hosts spread the ball and Greg Marzhew went over for his first of the night. Jackson Hastings missed the conversion and the score went to 12-10 which is stayed at for the Half time break.

Not long after half time, the Knights went over again as the Blue and Gold defence were caught napping as Marzhew went through out wide for his second. The Knights winger thought he had his third try of the night minutes later but not for the first time Wyatt Raymond had to intervene and overturn the try after the Knights kick chasers were offside and became involved when Talagi lost the ball.

Just a few minutes later, the home side again were given the four points by referee Peter Gough when Bradman Best got his way to the line BUT yet again Wyatt Raymond had to overturn the live decision when Bradman Best was never close to getting the ball down.

The two denials for the Knights were to hurt even more as the Eels went bang bang in quick succession when Blaize Talagi picked up his second of the game when the Knights couldn't clean up a kick and then Mitch Moses again stood up to score. Both conversions were pushed away.

The Novocastrians put themselves back in front when Enari Tuala was in the right spot to pounce on a loose ball after Dane Gagai's kick was fumbled by the Eels and Tuala was on the spot to score. Jackson Hastings conversion put the Knights up 22-20.

Tuala thought he had a second a few minutes later when the Knights kept the ball alive off a last tackle kick but yet again despite it being awarded live, the try had to be disallowed by Wyatt Raymond in the bunker with Fletcher Sharpe only keeping possession by pinning it against the leg of a teammate standing in front of him.



The Knights did score next which came when the Eels turned the ball over and Bradman Best had to race 80m away to score untouched. The conversion from close range was good for Jackson Hastings and the Knights restored an 8 point lead.

Things weren't over as the Eels had an unlikely last tackle combinations which saw Junior Paulo combine with Bryce Cartwright and back again as Paulo burst over to score close to the posts. The Eels closed the gap to two when Mitch Moses converted.

The Knights sealed things in the dying minutes when Bradman Best again swooped on an Eels error came after spreading the ball right and Best though struggling got to the line to score two tries late to seal the 34-26 win.

NEWCASTLE	34	-	26	PARRAMATTA
Bradman BEST	2	T	2	Mitchell MOSES
Greg MARZHEW	2		2	Blaize TALAGI
Will PRYCE				Junior PAULO
Enari TUALA				
Jackson HASTINGS	5/6	G	3/5	Mitchell MOSES
	TE	AMSHEET	S	
Fletcher SHARPE	1	FB	1	Clinton GUTHERSON (c)
Enari TUALA	2	W	2	Maika SIVO
Dane GAGAI	3	C	3	Will PENISINI
Bradman BEST	4	C	4	Sean RUSSELL
Greg MARZHEW	5	W	5	Blaize TALAGI
Will PRYCE	6	FE	6	Dylan BROWN
Jackson HASTINGS	7	HB	7	Mitchell MOSES
Jacob SAIFITI	8	FR	8	Reagan CAMPBELL-GILLARD
Phoenix CROSSLAND	9	HK	9	Brendan HANDS
Daniel SAIFITI	15	FR	15	Makahesi MAKATOA
Tyson FRIZELL (c)	11	2R	11	Shaun LANE
Kai PEARCE-PAUL	16	2R	12	Bryce CARTWRIGHT
Adam ELLIOTT	13	L	13	Joe OFAHENGAUE
Jayden BRAILEY	14	В	10	Junior PAULO
Brodie JONES	17	В	14	Matthew ARTHUR
Mat CROKER	18	В	16	Matt DOOREY
Jack HETHERINGTON	19	В	17	Ryan MATTERSON
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Adam O'BRIEN		НС		Trent BARRETT

Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 5:30 PM. Halftime: Parramatta 12-10. Penalties: Newcastle 5-4. Referee: Peter Gough. Crowd: 27,424.

STORM WIN UGLY AGAINST SLOPPY RAIDERS

ANDREW FERGUSON

Cold and greasy conditions greeted both sides at AAMI Park on Saturday night, where it was the Storm who adapted vastly better, winning 16-6.

The first half saw Melbourne dominate field position and were also more disciplined, however it took 37 minutes before the first points were scored, when Bronson Garlick fired a stellar flat ball to his lead runner Josh King, who juggled the ball that he wasn't expecting to receive, then noticed there was no one near him, so he fell over the line to score untouched near the posts. Tyran Wishart converted.

The Storm almost had 2 other tries in the first half, with the bunker denying both. In the 12th minute Grant Anderson put in a chip and chase and dived to plant the ball for a try but he didn't get a hand on it.

In the 25th minute Sualauvi Faalogo dived to score in the comment but lost the ball midair due to a great cover tackle from Albert Hopoate.

At halftime, Melbourne held a tight 6-0 lead.

Kaeo Weekes, who had a horror first half, made up for it inside the opening 90 seconds of the second half, when he fielded a Storm kick near his own line, busted through two defenders, then used his speed and step to race 95 metres to score a scintillating try. Jordan Rapana converted to level the scores.

Melbourne hit back just 4 minutes later when Garlick at dummy half and close to the Raiders line, dummied left and then passed right to Shawn Blore who crashed over to score. Wishart added the extras.

Melbourne ran a similar play on the other side 4 minutes later when Jack Howarth on a ruck run, steam rolled over the defender to score a strong try. Wishart failed to convert.

A Jordan Rapana fumble in his own in-goal very nearly produced a try for William Warbrick, but the Bunker found a Storm knock-on in the lead-up.

Melbourne received a penalty deep in the Raiders half in the 64th minute and Tyran Wishart had a shot at the penalty goal, but missed from the relatively easy angle.



In the 72nd minute, a Wishart grubber into the Raiders in-goal very nearly produced a try for Xavier Coates, but it was also denied by the Bunker. Coates came out of the play with an injured leg and limped off the field.

A number of players, mostly Raiders, copped head knocks and head cuts from a rather well behaved contest. Eventually the Storm held on to win 16-6.

MELBOURNE	16	-	6	CANBERRA
Shawn BLORE		T		Kaeo WEEKES
Jack HOWARTH				
Josh KING				
Tyran WISHART	2/4	G	1/1	Jordan RAPANA
	TE	AMSHEET	S	
Sualauvi FA'ALOGO	22	FB	1	Jordan RAPANA
Will WARBRICK	2	W	2	Albert HOPOATE
Grant ANDERSON	3	C	3	Matthew TIMOKO
Jack HOWARTH	4	C	20	Adam COOK
Xavier COATES	5	W	5	Xavier SAVAGE
Tyran WISHART	6	FE	6	Ethan STRANGE
Jahrome HUGHES (c)	7	НВ	7	Kaeo WEEKES
Tui KAMIKAMICA	8	FR	8	Josh PAPALII
Bronson GARLICK	15	HK	9	Tom STARLING
Josh KING	10	FR	10	Joseph TAPINE
Shawn BLORE	11	2R	11	Hudson YOUNG
Eliesa KATOA	12	2R	12	Elliott WHITEHEAD (c)
Nelson ASOFA-SOLOMONA	16	L	13	Morgan SMITHIES
Trent LOIERO	13	В	14	Danny LEVI
Christian WELCH	14	В	15	Ata MARIOTA
Joe CHAN	17	В	16	Trey MOONEY
Kane BRADLEY	21	В	17	Jordan MARTIN
Craig BELLAMY		НС		Ricky STUART

Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 7:35 PM. Halftime: Melbourne 6-0. Penalties: Melbourne 5-4. Referee: Grant Atkins. Crowd: 14,127.

NRL ROUND 17 WRAP

SAINTS SOAR WITH SECOND HALF SURGE

ROBERT CROSBY

The St George Illawarra Dragons posted five unanswered tries to turn a halftime deficit into a 26-6 victory over the Dolphins on Sunday afternoon.

In a match where points were at a premium for the first 40 minutes, the Dragons grew in confidence with and without the ball after halftime to move back into the top eight for the first time since the opening round.

With neither side able to make a dent on the scoreboard during the opening quarter, the Dragons looked to break the deadlock midway through proceedings only for Mathew Feagai to put a foot on the sideline after strong defensive pressure by Trai Fuller and Herbie Farnworth.

With the scores still locked at 0-all heading into the final moments of the first half, the Dragons elected to add a penalty through Kyle Flanagan after knocking back the chance to do so earlier in the half.

The Dolphins capitalised on an error with seconds remaining in the half with Tesi Niu (39th minute) finishing off a right-side shift to send the visitors to the sheds leading 6-2 after Jamayne Isaako's successful conversion.

A try to Raymond Faitala-Mariner (46th minute) following the resumption of play levelled the scores at 6-all, while at the other end of the field the Dolphins were left to rue a missed opportunity when Connelly Lemuelu failed to adequately ground the ball over the try line.

The Dragons pushed further ahead with Christian Tuipulotu (53rd minute) scoring his first try in the Red V off a scrum and Tyrell Sloan (58th minute) supporting an offload to give the hosts a 16-6 buffer heading into the final guarter.

Proving just as effective without the ball by withstanding goal-line pressure following a well-executed 40/20 by Isaiya Katoa, a barge over effort by Jack de Belin (65th minute) sealed the result before Jacob Liddle (68th minute) swooped on a loose ball to the delight of 8,052 supporters braving the cold at Kogarah.



ST GEO ILLA	26	-	6	DOLPHINS
Jack DE BELIN		T		Tesi NIU
Raymond FAITALA-MARINER				
Jacob LIDDLE				
Tyrell SLOAN				
Christian TUIPULOTU				
Kyle FLANAGAN	3/6	G	1/1	Jamayne ISAAKO
		BIN		Kurt DONOGHOE
	TE	AMSHEET	S	
Tyrell SLOAN	1	FB	21	Trai FULLER
Christian TUIPULOTU	19	W	2	Jamayne ISAAKO
Moses SULI	3	C	3	Jake AVERILLO
Max FEAGAI	4	C	4	Herbie FARNWORTH
Mathew FEAGAI	5	W	5	Tesi NIU
Kyle FLANAGAN	6	FE	6	Kodi NIKORIMA
Ben HUNT (c)	7	НВ	7	Isaiya KATOA
Francis MOLO	8	FR	8	Jesse BROMWICH (c)
Jacob LIDDLE	9	HK	9	Jeremy MARSHALL-KING
Jack DE BELIN	10	FR	14	Felise KAUFUSI
Raymond FAITALA-MARINER	11	2R	11	Connelly LEMUELU
Jaydn SU'A	12	2R	12	Euan AITKEN
Tom EISENHUTH	13	L	13	Max PLATH
Blake LAWRIE	14	В	10	Kenny BROMWICH
Ben MURDOCH-MASILA	15	В	15	Mark NICHOLLS
Toby COUCHMAN	16	В	17	Tevita PANGAI JUNIOR
Luciano LEILUA	17	В	20	Kurt DONOGHOE
Shane FLANAGAN		HC		Wayne BENNETT

Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime: Dolphins 6-2. Penalties: St George Illawarra 9-4. Referee: Adam Gee. Crowd: 8,052.

COWBOYS SOAK IN THE RAIN AND WIN OVER PANTHERS

RHYS SULLIVAN

The Cowboys have claimed a 16-6 win over the Panthers at a soaked BlueBet Stadium in a match decimated by a lack of Origin stars.

The Panthers started with a poor mistake as they kicked the ball out on the full, but didn't go punished as a Kyle Feldt try was rubbed out due to an obstruction. But it wouldn't be long before North Queensland did get the first points, as Scott Drinkwater fired a lovely looping cut out to put Feldt over in the corner.

Drinkwater was soon sent to the bin for a professional foul, but almost immediately Feldt took an intercept and put the Cowboys back in attacking position. That same set the Panthers were stripped for numbers despite having the man advantage and Braidon Burns made it 12-0.

But possession would slowly swing to the Panthers, and after Sunia Turuva was denied a try by some great scramble defence Penrith set up shop inside the Cowboys 10. They received 5 penalties in as many sets, which included Jaxon Purdue being sin binned for a trip, and eventually North Queensland cracked with Brad Schneider getting a try to bring the game back to 12-6. Chad Townsend missed a field goal in the dying stages and the score remained at the break.

The second half turned into a slog fest, with both sides coming to grips with increasingly wet conditions. Eventually the bounce of the ball went the way of the Cowboys, with a deflected grubber being taken 70 metres by Drinkwater before Purdue crossed on the next play to take the lead to 16-6.

From there they controlled the game, with the Panthers making mistakes at the back end of the match gruelling any chance of a comeback.

The win lifts the Cowboys to 7th on the table while the Panthers remain second, but now four points adrift of Melbourne.



PENRITH	6	-	16	NORTH QLD
Brad SCHNEIDER		T		Braidon BURNS
				Kyle FELDT
				Jaxon PURDUE
Paul ALAMOTI	1/1	G	1/2	Jake CLIFFORD
			1/1	Scott DRINKWATER
		BIN		Scott DRINKWATER
				Jaxon PURDUE
	TE	AMSHEET	S	
Daine LAURIE	14	FB	1	Scott DRINKWATER
Sunia TURUVA	2	W	2	Kyle FELDT
Izack TAGO	3	C	3	Jaxon PURDUE
Paul ALAMOTI	4	C	4	Viliami VAILEA
Casey McLEAN	21	W	5	Braidon BURNS
Jack COLE	6	FE	6	Jake CLIFFORD
Brad SCHNEIDER	18	HB	7	Chad TOWNSEND (c)
Moses LEOTA	8	FR	8	Jordan McLEAN
Mitch KENNY	9	HK	9	Harrison EDWARDS
James FISHER-HARRIS	10	FR	10	Jason TAUMALOLO
Scott SORENSEN	11	2R	11	Heilum LUKI
Liam HENRY	16	2R	12	Kulikefu FINEFEUIAKI
Matt EISENHUTH	17	L	13	Sam McINTYRE
Isaah YEO (c)	13	В	14	Tom CHESTER
Lindsay SMITH	15	В	15	Jake GRANVILLE
Luron PATEA	20	В	16	Thomas MIKAELE
Trent TOELAU	23	В	17	Griffin NEAME
Ivan CLEARY		НС		Todd PAYTEN

Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 4:05 PM. Halftime: North Qld 12-6. Penalties: Penrith 9-4. Referee: Liam Kennedy. Crowd: 15,777.

NRL ROUND 17 WRAP

ROOSTERS DE-CLAW TAME TIGERS

ANDY P

In a dominant performance from siren-to-siren, the Sydney Roosters have comfortably accounted for the Wests Tigers 40-6 at Allianz Stadium on Sunday night to close off the NRL's seventeenth round.

Coming off a bye with back-to-back victories under their belt, there was some promise that we would have a cracker of a game to finish round 17, but it became apparent early on that this was not to be the case. With some emotion around Teddy playing his 150th for the club and Trent Robinson notching up 300 games as coach, the Roosters came out firing early.

They looked to be aiming attacks down their right side, seizing on the Tigers' left side, which was seeming to jam up and display an uneven line of defence. The Tigers were staying in the game to a degree, even getting down to the Roosters line, but it would be the story of their night, as they continued to give the ball back from errors right when they were looking dangerous. It proved costly, as the Roosters would quickly take advantage of the weak defensive line and march back down to the Tigers quarter.

What would be the first of many tries came at the 14-minute mark after some slick movement through the hands on the Rooster's right gave Dominic Young the space he needed to go over the line. Rattled, the Tigers would allow the big Brit another chance after Conor Watson found some space in the middle. It ended with Young taking his second try at the 16-minute mark.

A penalty for a high shot from Brent Naden on Angus Crichton gave the Roosters the ball at halfway, and a quick bust down their right saw them swing it back in for Terrell May in the middle, coming in too big and too quick, pushing the score out to 16 - 0 after Sam Walker's conversion.

Even though the score looked ominous, the Tigers were still in the game, but their defensive line was opening up canyons for the Roosters to jog through. Still unable to pull it together, a kick on the Roosters line after a sustained attack reaped the reward for an ever-present Luke Keary, and the score looked painful for Tigers fans at 20 - 0, thirty-three minutes in. The first half had both teams relatively even across the stats, but with 4 line breaks to zip for the Roosters and 25 missed tackles by the Tigers against only 11 from the Roosters, it was clearly their defence that was the issue. They did have several chances, which they butchered every time they got to the line, and they were thankful the halftime hooter rang.

The Tigers' second half opened with a different tact of swinging the ball quickly, which may have shown some hope was on the horizon for the young Tigers. But it was to go nowhere again, with Jahream Bula getting to the Rooster's red zone only to pass after being tackled, and the wind went out of the Tiger's sails again. It was clear the Tigers were not going to get roaring, and after some goal-line attacks, the gaps opened up in the 51st minute with Daniel Tupou going over. It only went from bad to worse for the Tigers after some tension was started up in the middle by Api Koroisau against Linday Collins, which resulted in Api lifting Collins beyond what the officials were happy with, and he had a 10-minute rest for his troubles. The 12-man team soon turned to 11, with Adam Doueihi sent to the sin bin after a hip drop on Dominic Young in the 63rd minute, which saw James Tedesco go over only a minute later.



The attrition rate of players meant a tired team was giving even more yawing gaps for the relentless Roosters, and Victor Radley came to the try party in the 66th minute, followed by Daniel Tupou again in the 69th. The 40-0 score line sent the Roosters off to sleep early, and some lazy errors allowed the Tigers to finally take advantage down their end of the field, with Founa Pole scoring with Api converting, stopping a clean sheet, but still not hiding the shellacking they had just been dished out. No communication or commitment to a defensive line was the Tigers' Achilles heel, and the failure to nip it in the bud meant they would be chasing their tales for the rest of the game.

The Roosters would likely be celebrating a little more if it wasn't for Joesph Manu getting a fractured hand around the 37th minute, and Coach Robinson won't be happy with the lads allowing a late try when they were clearly in the ascendancy.

SYDNEY	40	-	6	WESTS TIGERS
Daniel TUPOU	2	T		Fonua POLE
Dominic YOUNG	2			
Luke KEARY				
Terrell MAY				
Victor RADLEY				
James TEDESCO				
Sam WALKER	4/8	G	1/1	Apisai KOROISAU
		BIN		Adam DOUEIHI
				Apisai KOROISAU
		AMSHEET	_	I
James TEDESCO (c)	1	FB	1	Jahream BULA
Daniel TUPOU	2	W	2	Solomona FAATAAPE
Sitili TUPOUNIUA	3	C	3	Brent NADEN
Joseph MANU	4	C	4	Adam DOUEIHI
Dominic YOUNG	5	W	5	Luke LAULILII
Luke KEARY	6	FE	6	Lachlan GALVIN
Sam WALKER	7	НВ	7	Aidan SEZER
Jared WAEREA-HARGREAVES	8	FR	8	Stefano UTOIKAMANU
Brandon SMITH	9	HK	9	Apisai KOROISAU (c)
Terrell MAY	10	FR	10	Fonua POLE
Angus CRICHTON	11	2R	11	Reuben PORTER
Victor RADLEY	12	2R	12	Samuela FAINU
Connor WATSON	13	L	13	Justin MATAMUA
Spencer LENIU	14	В	15	Sione FAINU
Naufahu WHYTE	15	В	16	Alex SEYFARTH
Nat BUTCHER	16	В	17	David KLEMMER
Lindsay COLLINS	17	В	21	John BATEMAN
Trent ROBINSON		НС		Benji MARSHALL

Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 6:15 PM. Halftime: Sydney 20-0. Penalties: Wests Tigers 8-7. Referee: Zbignew Przeklasa-Adamski. Crowd: 14,711.

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LEAGUEUNLIMITED POTY STANDINGS

AFTER ROUND 17 & ORIGIN II

Our writers issue points every game for who they judge as the best player on the field. Includes points accumulated during State of Origin series.

25 points - Daly Cherry-Evans (Sea Eagles 22, Maroons 3)

18 points - Dylan Edwards (Panthers)

17 points - Jahrome Hughes (Storm)

14 points - Reece Walsh (Broncos)

13 points - Ben Hunt (Dragons), Mitchell Moses (Eels 10, Blues 3)

12 points - Zac Lomax (Dragons), Te Maire Martin (Warriors), Sam Walker (Roosters), James Tedesco (Roosters), Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow (Dolphins 10, Maroons 2)

11 points - AJ Brimson (Titans), Isaiya Katoa (Dolphins), Nicho Hynes (Sharks), Angus Crichton (Roosters 9, Blues 2)

10 points - Apisai Koroisau (Wests Tigers), Isaah Yeo (Panthers), Scott Drinkwater

9 points - Ronaldo Mulitalo (Sharks), Matt Burton (Bulldogs), Tyrell Sloan (Dragons), Reece Robson (Cowboys), Jamal Fogarty (Raiders), Keaon Koloamatangi (Rabbitohs), Latrell Mitchell (Rabbitohs 8, Blues 1)

8 points - Keano Kini (Titans), Jarome Luai (Panthers), Reed Mahoney (Bulldogs)

7 points - Selwyn Cobbo (Broncos), Terrell May (Roosters), Jacob Kiraz (Bulldogs), Eliesa Katoa (Storm), Clinton Gutherson (Eels), Ezra Mam (Broncos), Shaun Johnson (Warriors), Brian To'o (Panthers)

6 points - Joseph Manu (Roosters), Tom Dearden (Cowboys), Xavier Coates (Storm), Viliame Kikau (Bulldogs), Dallin Watene-Zelezniak (Warriors), Dylan Brown (Eels), William

5 points - Adam Reynolds (Broncos), Dane Gagai (Knights), Damien Cook (Rabbitohs), Kieran Foran (Titans), Jackson Hastings (Knights), Blayke Brailey (Sharks), Bradman Best (Knights), Kaeo Weekes (Raiders), Harry Grant (Storm), Dylan Lucas (Knights), David Fifita (Titans), Connor Watson (Roosters), Lachlan Galvin (Wests Tigers), Patrick Carrigan (Broncos), Josh Curran (Bulldogs), Haumole Olakau'atu (Sea Eagles), Kalyn Ponga (Knights), Jaydn Su'A (Dragons 4, Maroons 1)

4 points - Jordan Rapana (Raiders), Cody Walker (Rabbitohs), Chad Townsend (Cowboys), Kodi Nikorima (Dolphins), Reuben Cotter (Cowboys), Ryan Papenhuyzen (Storm), Josh Addo-Carr (Bulldogs), Dominic Young (Roosters), Trai Fuller (Dolphins), David Armstrong (Knights), Ethan Strange (Raiders), Jackson Ford (Warriors), Tyran Wishart (Storm), Zac Hosking (Raiders), Victor Radley (Roosters)

3 points - Teig Wilton (Sharks), Jamayne Isaako (Dolphins), Charnze Nicoll-Klokstad (Warriors), Zac Laybutt (Cowboys), Stephen Crichton (Bulldogs), Bryce Cartwright (Eels), Tyson Gamble (Knights), Sione Katoa (Sharks), Cameron Munster (Storm), Elliott Whitehead (Raiders), Connor Tracey (Bulldogs), Jacob Preston (Bulldogs), Thomas Flegler (Dolphins), Josh King (Storm), Thomas Hazelton (Sharks), Matthew Timoko (Raiders), Roger Tuivasa-Sheck (Warriors), Kayal Iro (Sharks), Jesse Marschke (Dragons), Max Plath (Dolphins), Wayde Egan (Warriors), Morgan Smithies (Raiders), Junior Paulo (Eels), Jeremiah Nanai (Cowboys), Euan Aitken (Dolphins), Cameron Murray (Rabbitohs), Jack Cogger (Knights), Nathan Cleary (Panthers), Jack de Belin (Dragons), Addin Fonua-Blake (Warriors), Daniel Atkinson (Sharks), Stefano Utoikamanu (Wests Tigers), Adam Elliott

2 points - Sualauvi Faalogo (Storm), Tom Trbojevic (Sea Eagles), Ben Trbojevic (Sea Eagles), Jake Trbojevic (Sea Eagles), Luke Garner (Panthers), Taine Tuaupiki (Warriors), Isaiah Papali'i (Wests Tigers), Jock Madden (Broncos), Tommy Talau (Sea Eagles), Braydon Trindall (Sharks), Siosifa Talakai (Sharks), Payne Haas (Broncos), Joseph Tapine (Raiders), Deine Mariner (Broncos), Corey Waddell (Sea Eagles), Luke Keary (Roosters), Jayden Campbell (Titans), William Warbrick (Storm), Scott Sorensen (Panthers), Izack Tago (Panthers), Jack Williams (Sharks), Jahream Bula (Wests Tigers), Jake Clifford (Cowboys), Chanel Harris-Tavita (Warriors), Sandon Smith (Roosters), Lehi Hopoate (Sea Eagles), J'maine Hopgood (Eels), Jacob Liddle (Dragons), Nathan Brown (Sea Eagles), Samuela Fainu (Wests Tigers), Billy Walters (Broncos), Lindsay Collins (Roosters)

1 point - Greg Marzhew (Knights), Royce Hunt (Sharks), Briton Nikora (Sharks), Bronson Garlick (Storm), Harrison Edwards (Bulldogs), Jesse McLean (Panthers), Kulikefu Finefeuiaki (Cowboys), Cameron McInnes (Sharks), Alofiana Khan-Pereira (Titans), Jack Wighton (Rabbitohs), Jye Gray (Rabbitohs), Luciano Leilua (Dragons), Adam Doueihi (Wests Tigers), Mitchell Barnett (Warriors), Herbie Farnworth (Dolphins), Luke Brooks (Sea Eagles), Nick Meaney (Storm), Brad Schneider (Panthers), Brandon Smith (Roosters), Murray Taulagi (Cowboys), Bronson Xerri (Bulldogs), Valentine Holmes (Cowboys), Asu Kepaoa (Wests Tigers), Thomas Burgess (Rabbitohs), Aidan Sezer (Wests Tigers), Rocco Berry (Warriors), Justin Olam (Wests Tigers), Tyson Frizell (Knights), Griffin Neame (Cowboys), Kurtis Morrin (Bulldogs), Jack Bostock (Dolphins), Tristan Sailor (Broncos), Josh Kerr (Dolphins), James Fisher-Harris (Panthers), Mikaele Ravalawa (Dragons), Taylan May (Panthers), Brodie Jones (Knights), Erin Clark (Titans), Jack Cole (Panthers), Braidon Burns (Cowboys), Daniel Saifiti (Knights), Charlie Staines (Wests Tigers), Nat Butcher (Roosters), Jesse Arthars (Broncos), Reuben Garrick (Sea Eagles), Jason Taumalolo (Cowboys), Blake Wilson (Bulldogs), Sam Verrills (Titans)

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JUL 25	Thu 7:45pm	NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	McDonald Jones Stadium
JUL 27	Sat 11:05am	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS	Pointsbet Stadium
JUL 27	Sat 12:45pm	BRISBANE BRONCOS	PARRAMATTA EELS	Suncorp Stadium
JUL 28	Sun 12:00pm	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	GOLD COAST TITANS	WIN Stadium
JUL 28	Sun 1:45pm	WESTS TIGERS	CANBERRA RAIDERS	Campbelltown Sports Stadium
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AUG 3	Sat 12:45pm	GOLD COAST TITANS	WESTS TIGERS	Cbus Super Stadium
AUG 4	Sun 12:00pm	PARRAMATTA EELS	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	Allianz Stadium
AUG 4 AUG 4	Sun 1:45pm	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	BRISBANE BRONCOS	Allianz Stadium
AUG 4	Sun 6:10pm	NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	Queensland Country Bank Stadium
ROUND 3				
AUG 10	Sat 11:05am	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	WESTS TIGERS	Industree Group Stadium
AUG 10	Sat 12:45pm	CANBERRA RAIDERS	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	GIO Stadium Canberra
AUG 11	Sun 12:00pm	NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS	PARRAMATTA EELS	Totally Workwear Stadium
AUG 11	Sun 1:45pm	BRISBANE BRONCOS	GOLD COAST TITANS	Totally Workwear Stadium
AUG 11	Sun 6:10pm	NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	McDonald Jones Stadium
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AUG 17	Sat 11:05am	BRISBANE BRONCOS	CANBERRA RAIDERS	Totally Workwear Stadium
AUG 17	Sat 12:45pm	NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS	GOLD COAST TITANS	Queensland Country Bank Stadium
AUG 18	Sun 12:00pm	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	WIN Stadium
AUG 18	Sun 1:45pm	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	Pointsbet Stadium
AUG 18	Sun 6:10pm	WESTS TIGERS	PARRAMATTA EELS	Campbelltown Sports Stadium
ROUND 5				
AUG 24	Sat 11:05am	PARRAMATTA EELS	NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	Eric Tweedale
AUG 24	Sat 12:45pm	CANBERRA RAIDERS	NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS	GIO Stadium Canberra
AUG 25	Sun 12:00pm	GOLD COAST TITANS	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	Chus Super Stadium
AUG 25	Sun 1:45pm	WESTS TIGERS	BRISBANE BRONCOS	Leichhardt Oval
AUG 25	Sun 6:10pm	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	WIN Stadium
ROUND 6				
AUG 31	Sat 11:05am	GOLD COAST TITANS	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	Chus Super Stadium
AUG 31	Sat 12:45pm	PARRAMATTA EELS	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	CommBank Stadium
SEP1	Sun 12:00pm	NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	WESTS TIGERS	McDonald Jones Stadium
SEP1	Sun 1:45pm	BRISBANE BRONCOS	NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS	Totally Workwear Stadium
SEP1	Sun 6:10pm	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	CANBERRA RAIDERS	Allianz Stadium
ROUND 7				
SEP 7	Sat 11:05am	NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS	WESTS TIGERS	Queensland Country Bank Stadium
SEP 7	Sat 12:45pm	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	CANBERRA RAIDERS	Netstrata
SEP 8	Sun 12:00pm	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	Pointsbet Stadium
SEP 8	Sun 1:45pm	PARRAMATTA EELS	GOLD COAST TITANS	Eric Tweedale
SEP 8	Sun 6:10pm	NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	BRISBANE BRONCOS	McDonald Jones Stadium
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SEP 12	Thu 7:45pm	WESTS TIGERS	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	Leichhardt Oval
SEP 14	Sat 12:00pm	BRISBANE BRONCOS	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	Cbus Super Stadium
SEP 14	Sat 1:45pm	GOLD COAST TITANS	NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	Chus Super Stadium
SEP 15	Sun 12:00pm	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS	Industree Group Stadium
SEP 15	Sun 1:45pm	CANBERRA RAIDERS	PARRAMATTA EELS	GIO Stadium Canberra
ROUND 9				
SEP 19	Thu 7:45pm	CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	WESTS TIGERS	Pointsbet Stadium
SEP 19	Sat 1:30pm	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	BRISBANE BRONCOS	Queensland Country Bank Stadium
SEP 21	Sat 3:15pm	NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS	NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	Queensland Country Bank Stadium
SEP 21	Sun 1:30pm	CANBERRA RAIDERS	GOLD COAST TITANS	CommBank Stadium
SEP 22	Sun 3:15pm	PARRAMATTA EELS	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	CommBank Stadium
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Newcastle Knights 6 CLUBS

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4 CLUBS

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MEN'S STATE OF ORIGIN II WRAP

BLUE-WASH

ANDREW FERGUSON

New South Wales produced a near perfect first half of State of Origin football to lead 34-0 at the break, the biggest ever halftime lead in Origin history.

Queensland fought back admirably in the second half, scoring 18-8 but the mountain they had to climb to win this match was too great.

Three repeat sets for New South Wales on the Queensland line eventually was too much and in the 11th minute, Mitch Moses was out on the right side, shaped to hit the trailing runner with a pass, but held the pass up before sending a lovely short ball to his lead runner Liam Martin, who straightened his run as he received the pass, busted through the line and scored. Zac I omax converted.

A lovely piece of draw and pass by Latrell Mitchell gave the unmarked Brian To'o a narrow corridor, and he dived over in the corner to bag the Blue's second try in the 19th minute. Lomax added the extras.

The points started to flow for the Blues from this point as their mountain of possession and field position was too much for the Maroons defence. In the 24th minute, a flat-footed Moses kicked to the right corner where Lomax leapt high, took the catch over his head cleanly and planted the ball down for a spectacular try. Lomax failed to convert his own try. Five minutes later, Moses at first receiver grubbered through and To'o pounced on the ball to score his second try. Lomax converted from the sideline.

In the 32nd minute Angus Crichton backed into the line and then flicked a pass to Dylan Edwards who made a break before sending the ball to Latrell Mitchell who scored out wide. Lomax converted from the left sideline again.

On the stroke of halftime, the Blues crossed once more when Stephen Crichton sent a good ball out to the unmarked Lomax who dived over to score untouched. Lomax converted and at halftime. New South Wales held a 34-0 lead.

Tempers got the better of players 10 minutes into the second half, with referee Ashley Klein sending both Liam Martin and Patrick Carrigan to the sin bin. Three minutes later, Queensland finally got on the board when Jeremiah Nanai stormed onto a lovely short ball from Daly Cherry-Evans, barging over to score. Valentine Holmes converted.

The Maroons crossed again just 5 minutes later when Murray Taulagi got into some space on the short side before kicking downtown, where Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow got a nice bounce, which he regathered cleanly to score. Holmes converted.

The Blues struck back in the 62nd minute when Dylan Edwards got outside his defender and then past him with pace to score on the right side. Lomax failed to convert.

In the 70th minute, Cherry-Evans sent a long cut-out pass to the unmarked Taulagi, who crossed for a try which Holmes converted, giving some respectability to the scoreboard in a largely lopsided contest.

New South Wales cruising to a 38-18 victory in front of 90084 spectators.

Trell Mit is HIM!Illustration by The Biggest Tiger

38 - 18

Melbourne Cricket Ground, Melbourne / Wurundjeri

NSW	38	-	18	QLD
Zac LOMAX	2	Т		Jeremiah NANAT
Brian TO'O	2	•		Hamiso TABUAI-FIDOW
Dylan EDWARDS	_			Murray TAULAGI
Liam MARTIN				
Latrell MITCHELL				
Zac LOMAX	5/7	G	3/3	Valentine HOLMES
Liam MARTIN		BIN		Patrick CARRIGAN
	TE	AMSHEET	S	
Dylan EDWARDS	1	FB	1	Reece WALSH
Brian TO'O	2	W	2	Xavier COATES
Latrell MITCHELL	3	С	3	Valentine HOLMES
Stephen CRICHTON	4	С	4	Hamiso TABUAI-FIDOW
Zac LOMAX	5	W	5	Murray TAULAGI
Jarome LUAI	6	FE	6	Tom DEARDEN
Mitchell MOSES	7	НВ	7	Daly CHERRY-EVANS (c)
Jake TRBOJEVIC (c)	8	FR	8	Reuben COTTER
Reece ROBSON	9	HK	9	Ben HUNT
Payne HAAS	10	FR	10	Lindsay COLLINS
Liam MARTIN	11	2R	11	Jaydn SU'A
Angus CRICHTON	12	2R	12	Jeremiah NANAI
Cameron MURRAY	13	L	13	Patrick CARRIGAN
Connor WATSON	14	В	14	Harry GRANT
Isaah YEO	15	В	15	Moeaki FOTUAIKA
Haumole OLAKAU'ATU	16	В	16	Felise KAUFUSI
Spencer LENIU	17	В	17	Kurt CAPEWELL
'				
Michael MAGUIRE		НС		Billy SLATER

Date: Wed, 26th June. Kickoff: 8:05 PM. Halftime: NSW 34-0. Penalties: QLD 9-7. Referee: Ashley Klein. Crowd: 90,084.



Women's State of Origin III Wrap

QUEENSLAND REIGN SUPREME AGAIN WITH IMPRESSIVE WIN OVER POOR NSW

JOSH ROBERTSON

Queensland have sealed their second straight Women's Origin series with an impressive 22-6 win in tough conditions in Townsville over New South Wales.

Things could not have started any worse for NSW as a lost ball on just their second touch in possession gave QLD and straight from the scrum some good work from Tarryn Aiken put Evania Pelite through for Queensland to go up 6-0.

Queensland added a penalty goal inside ten minutes to push their lead out to 8-0.

New South Wales couldn't put anything together as ill-discipline and poor ball security cost them and as Julia Robinson was able to go over after Emma Tonegato spilt a grubber kick from Tarryn Aiken and Robinson was on the spot to score. The conversion from wide out was successful from Lauren Brown and the Maroons lead 14-0 which they took into the break.

The Blues needed to get their stuff together and what looked to be a good platform in their first set was pushed back the other way when Ali Brigginshaw nailed a 40/30 kick to put Queensland into good field position. The Queenslanders picked up two more points through a penalty goal to lead 16-0.

Things peated out a little bit as the Blues continued to try and fight back but again poor decision making again cost them as they dropped the ball at least twice within a couple of metres of the Maroons line. The Sky Blues finally did score and it came through a piece of luck when NSW were caught short of numbers and a Tarryn Aiken pass needed to be intercepted by Jaime Chapman and she did racing 90m to score.

NSW still struggled to get any momentum in attack as they fought to get back into the game but couldn't do it and eventually Queensland sealed the win just shy of half time when Tazmin Rapana scored from close range and after Lauren Brown's conversion, the Maroons sealed their 22-6 win.

22 - 6

Queensland Country Bank Stadium, Townsville / Wulgurukaba

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QLD	22	-	6	NSW
Tazmin GRAY		T		Jaime CHAPMAN
Evania PELITE				
Julia ROBINSON				
Lauren BROWN	4/4	G	1/1	Rachael PEARSON
Romy TEITZEL	1/1			
	TE	AMSHEET	S	
Tamika UPTON	1	FB	1	Emma TONEGATO
Julia ROBINSON	2	W	2	Jaime CHAPMAN
Shenae CIESIOLKA	3	C	3	Jessica SERGIS
Evania PELITE	4	C	4	Isabelle KELLY (c)
Emmanita PAKI	5	W	5	Tiana PENITANI
Tarryn AIKEN	6	FE	6	Corban BAXTER
Ali BRIGGINSHAW (c)	7	HB	7	Rachael PEARSON
Shannon MATO	8	FR	8	Millie ELLIOTT
Lauren BROWN	9	HK	9	Olivia HIGGINS
Jessika ELLISTON	10	FR	10	Caitlan JOHNSTON
Tazmin GRAY	11	2R	11	Kezie APPS
Romy TEITZEL	12	2R	12	Yasmin CLYDSDALE
Keilee JOSEPH	13	L	13	Olivia KERNICK
Emma MANZELMANN	14	В	14	Taliah FUIMAONO
Makenzie WEALE	15	В	15	Keeley DAVIS
Sophie HOLYMAN	16	В	16	Grace KEMP
Chelsea LENARDUZZI	17	В	17	Sarah TOGATUKI
Tahnee NORRIS		НС		Kylie HILDER

Date: Thu, 27th June. Kickoff: 7:45 PM. Halftime: QLD (W) 14-0. Penalties: NSW (W) 9-8. Referee: Belinda Sharpe. Crowd: 22,819.



PARRAMATTA SOUTH SYDNEY EELS RABBITOHS



VENUE	Commbank Stadium (Western Sydney Sta	dium)		Liam KENNEDY		RE	FERI	Έ	
LOCATION	Burramattagal Parramatta, NSW			Belinda SHARPE, Dave MUNRO	TO!	UCH.	JUDG	ES	
DAY & TIME	Thu 4 Jul 2024 7:50pm AEST			Adam GEE	ı	NRL E	BUNK	ER	
Age P T G	FG Pts				Age	Р	Т (G F	G Pts
29 12 1 21	- 46 Clinton GUTHERSON	1 FULL	BACK 1	Latrell MITCHELL	27	10	7 2	9 -	- 86
	Jake TAGO	2 WI	ING 2	Alex JOHNSTON	29	9	4		- 16
21 14 4 -	- 16 WIII PENISINI	3 CEN	ITRE 3	Taane MILNE	29	11	2		. 8
22 14 1 3	- 10 Sean RUSSELL	4 CEN	ITRE 4	Richard KENNAR	29	5	4		- 16
- 11 8 -	- 32 Blaize TALAGI	5 W1	ING 5	Jacob GAGAI	28	7	4		- 16
24 15 4 -	- 16 Dylan BROWN	6 FIVE-E	EIGHTH 6	Jack WIGHTON	31	12	3		- 12
29 7 4 17	- 50 Mitchell MOSES	7 HALF	BACK 7	Cody WALKER	34	13	3		- 14
30 15	Reagan CAMPBELL-GILLARD	8 FRON	T ROW 8	Davvy MOALE	21	13	2		. 8
25 10	Brendan HANDS	9 HOO	KER 9	Damien COOK	33	13	3		- 12
30 15 2 -	- 8 Junior PAULO	10 FRON	T ROW 10	Sean KEPPIE	26	11	1		. 4
29 11	Ryan MATTERSON	11 SECON	ID ROW 11	Cameron MURRAY	26	9	1		. 4
29 11 2 -	- 8 Bryce CARTWRIGHT	12 SECON	ID ROW 12	Jai ARROW	28	9	1	-	. 6
29 15 2 -	- 8 Shaun LANE	13 L0	CK 13	Keaon KOLOAMATANGI	26	14	4		- 16
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28 15 1 -	- 4 Joe OFAHENGAUE	15	15	Tallis DUNCAN	22	10			
24 1	Matt DOOREY	16	16	Thomas BURGESS	32	14	3		- 12
	Charlie GUYMER	17	17	Michael CHEE-KAM	32	10	1		. 4
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31 7	Makahesi MAKATOA	19	19	Liam LE BLANC	19	1	_		
24 3	Wiremu GREIG	20	20	Fletcher MYERS	-	-	_		
25 8 4 -	- 16 Morgan HARPER	21	21	Adam CHRISTENSEN	-	-	-		
24 7	Luca MORETTI	22	22	Thomas FLETCHER	-	-	-		
46 112	Trent BARRETT	COA	CHES	Ben HORNBY	44	8			-
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	TOTAL	PARRAMATTA	SOUTH SYDNEY	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	135	56	76	3
COMMBANK	4	1	3	0
LIAM KENNEDY	0	0	0	0

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2021	Round 21	SOUTH SYDNEY 40-12	Cbus Super	0
2022	Round 16	SOUTH SYDNEY 30-12	Accor	10102
2022	Round 22	SOUTH SYDNEY 26-0	CommBank	22958
2023	Round 12	PARRAMATTA 36-16	Allianz	27432
2024	Round 12	SOUTH SYDNEY 42-26	Accor	15202

BIGGEST WINS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2002	Round 22	PARRAMATTA 54-0	Parramatta	10148
2011	Round 22	SOUTH SYDNEY 56-6	ANZ	13908

STATE OF PLAY: 2024 SEASON

TEAM	POSITION	PLAYED	BYES	W-L-D	FOR	AGAINST
PARRAMATTA	16TH	15	2	4-11-0	309	438
SOUTH SYDNEY	14TH	14	3	5-9-0	286	398

RECENT FORM

TEAM	ROUND 15	RESULT	ROUND 16	RESULT	ROUND 17	RESULT
PARRAMATTA	SYDNEY	L 18-28	BYE		NEWCASTLE	L 26-34
SOUTH SYDNEY	BRISBANE	W 22-12	MANLY	W 14-0	BYE	

NEXT FOUR MATCHES

TEAM	ROUND 19	ROUND 20	ROUND 21	ROUND 22
PARRAMATTA	GOLD COAST (A)	BYE	MELBOURNE (H)	WARRIORS (A)
SOUTH SYDNEY	DOLPHINS (A)	WESTS TIGERS (H)	CANBERRA (A)	CRONULLA (A)

THINGS TO KNOW

- Trent Barrent has won just 6 of his last 42 games as coach (by comparison, the Wests Tigers have won 8 of their last 42 games).
- Souths have won their last four games, Parramatta has won just four of their 15 games so far in 2024
- Maika SIVO has scores 98 NRL tries
- Reagan CAMPBELL-GILLARD has played 99 club games for Parramatta

MATCH PREVIEW

Kelly HOLLIS

Can the Eels slide into the winners' circle against the rejuvenated Rabbitohs?

The Parramatta Eels will be looking to bounce back after a tough loss to the Newcastle Knights last week. Despite a stellar performance from Mitchell Moses, who backed up his man-of-the-match effort for NSW in the Origin series with two tries and three goals, the Eels fell short in a 34-26 defeat. The match saw Parramatta lead at halftime, but a late surge from the Knights, including three tries in the final 15 minutes, sealed their fate.

The Eels were also on the wrong end of a couple of contentious calls, with a questionable try awarded against them and a potential try for Blaze Talagi disallowed. Matt Arthur, son of the former coach, made an impressive debut and is expected to retain his spot on the bench.

Parramatta will be without star winger Maika Sivo, who has succumbed to a hamstring injury and is expected to spend a few weeks on the sideline. This sees Jake Tago debut alongside back-rower Charlie Guymer, who will also make his debut off the bench after he replaces Makahesi Makatoa.

The South Sydney Rabbitohs, on the other hand, are on a four-game winning streak, having climbed from last place after Magic Round to just outside the top eight.

The return of key players like Latrell Mitchell and Cameron Murray has revitalised the team, particularly in defence, where they've conceded only 24 points in three games. Latrell Mitchell's influence has been profound, contributing to 11 tries in six games.

In this upcoming clash at CommBank Stadium, Parramatta will aim to end their three-game losing streak and secure a win against a formidable Rabbitohs side. The Eels have yet to beat the Bunnies at Commbank since it opened in 2019, and the Rabbitohs have won seven of their eight past games against the side from Parramatta.

As a result, South Sydney will be looking to extend not only this winning streak against Parramatta but their 2024 streak to five consecutive victories and continue their climb up the ladder.

WHO TO WATCH: After scoring a double against Newcastle, Blaize Talagi will be one to watch as the Eels take on the Bunnies this weekend. He has scored at least one try in his last six games, so expect him to cross the line at least once at Commbank on Thursday night.

With the return of Cam Murray, Keaon Koloamatangi will return to his favoured position for this game. With four tries to his name for the 2024 season and an average of 161 run metres, expect him to come out of the blocks firing.

FAVOURITE: Coming off the bye and having a four-game winning streak, the Rabbitohs are going into this match as slight favourites.

MY TIP: It will most likely be close, but it's hard to go against a Bunnies side that's in form at the moment. Rabbitohs by 6.

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Match stats courtesy of





CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS TITANS

GOLD COAST



VENUE	ex Coffs Harbour International Stadium Ziggy PRZEKLASA-ADAMSKI			REFEREE				
LOCATION	Gumbaynggirr Coffs Harbour, NSW			Chris SUTTON, Kieren IRONS	TOU	ICH JU	DGES	
DAY & TIME	Fri 5 Jul 2024 6:00pm AEST			Ashley KLEIN	N	RL BU	NKER	
Age P T G	FG Pts				Age	P T	G	FG Pt
27 15 4 -	- 16 William KENNEDY	1 FULL	BACK 1	Keano KINI	20	8 3	4	- 20
23 8 1 4	1 13 Daniel ATKINSON	2 W	ING 2	Alofiana KHAN-PEREIRA	22 1	11 14	-	- 56
27 15 3 -	- 12 Jesse RAMIEN	<i>3</i> CEN	ITRE 3	Brian KELLY	28 1	14 2	10	- 28
24 12 1 -	- 4 Kayal IRO	4 CEN	ITRE 4	Phillip SAMI	26	7 3	-	- 12
24 15 10 -	- 40 Ronaldo MULITALO	5 W	ING 5	Sosefo FIFITA	21	9 3	-	- 12
24 10 6 7	- 38 Braydon TRINDALL	6 FIVE-I	EIGHTH 6	AJ BRIMSON	25	9 5	-	- 20
28 12 1 46	1 97 Nicho HYNES	7 HALF	BACK 7	Kieran FORAN	33 1	11 1	-	- 4
25 15 5 -	- 20 Thomas HAZELTON	8 FRON	T ROW 8	Moeaki FOTUAIKA	24 1	12 -	-	
25 15 3 -	- 12 Blayke BRAILEY	9 HOO	KER 9	Sam VERRILLS	25 1	14 1	-	- 4
24 15 2 -	- 8 Oregon KAUFUSI	10 FRON	T ROW 10	Erin CLARK	26 1	14 1	-	- 4
26 13 3 -	- 12 Briton NIKORA	11 SECON	ID ROW 11	David FIFITA	24 1	11 4	-	- 16
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30 14 1 -	- 4 Cameron McINNES	<i>13</i> L0	ск 13	Chris RANDALL	28 1	14 2	-	- 8
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22	Jesse COLQUHOUN	18 RESE	RVES 18	Tanah BOYD	23	7 2	12	1 33
	Tom RODWELL	19	19	Iszac FA'ASUAMALEAUI	22	1 -	-	
29 6	Braden HAMLIN-UELE	20	20	Jacob ALICK	24	4 -	-	
22 8 1 -	- 4 Tuku HAU TAPUHA	21	21	Ken MAUMALO	29		-	
29	Jayden BERRELL	22	22	Jaylan DE GROOT	-		-	
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	TOTAL	CRONULLA	GOLD COAST	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	26	17	8	1
C.EX COFFS	2	2	0	0
Z PRZEKLASA-ADAMSKI	0	0	0	0

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2020	Round 14	CRONULLA 30-18	Netstrata	1701
2021	Round 12	CRONULLA 38-10	BCU Stadium	7362
2022	Round 11	CRONULLA 25-18	Cbus Super	9882
2022	Round 15	CRONULLA 18-10	C.ex Coffs	9058
2023	Round 24	CRONULLA 36-6	Pointsbet	9753

BIGGEST WINS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2017	Round 19	GOLD COAST 30-10	Cbus Super	14333
2020	Round 8	CRONULLA 40-10	Cbus Super	1995
2023	Round 24	CRONULLA 36-6	Pointsbet	9753

STATE OF PLAY: 2024 SEASON

TEAM	POSITION	PLAYED	BYES	W-L-D	FOR	AGAINST
CRONULLA	3RD	15	2	10-5-0	368	291
GOLD COAST	15TH	14	3	4-10-0	305	376

RECENT FORM

TEAM	ROUND 15	RESULT	ROUND 16	RESULT	ROUND 17	RESULT
CRONULLA	DOLPHINS	L 28-30	BYE		CANTERBURY	L 14-15
GOLD COAST	W TIGERS	L 10-18	WARRIORS	W 66-6	BYE	

NEXT FOUR MATCHES

TEAM	ROUND 19	ROUND 20	ROUND 21	ROUND 22
CRONULLA	WESTS TIGERS (H)	BYE	NORTH QLD (A)	SOUTH SYDNEY (H)
GOLD COAST	PARRAMATTA (H)	MANLY (A)	DOLPHINS (A)	BRISBANE (H)

THINGS TO KNOW

- Sharks have won all 3 of their games at Coffs Harbour, 2 of them against the Titans.
- Sharks have won their last 9 games against the Titans
- David FIFITA has scored 49 NRL tries
- Jesse RAMIEN has scored 48 tries for Cronulla

Match stats courtesy of



MATCH PREVIEW

Josh ROBERTSON

Friday action returns to the New South Wales North Coast as the Cronulla Sharks look to return to the winners circle up against the Gold Coast Titans.

The Sharks started the season fast but have been out of form in recent weeks have won just one of their past five matches to find themselves trying to keep themselves in the NRL top four. The performances for the Sharks have been concerning after their fans pumped their tyres about how good they were for winning against the Storm and Roosters, they were brought back to earth against the Panthers losing 42-0 and then only picking 1 win in the four games after that over the Broncos.

The performance from the Sharks will have been demoralising as they came from 12-0 down against the Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs to fall to a 15-14 defeat after they lead 14-12. The big concern for the Shire side is that they started slowly but then both in regular time and golden point their star playmaker Nicho Hynes couldn't seal the game with a field goal from close range.

A delayed concussion for Sharks winger Sione Katoa sees him ruled out with Daniel Atkinson coming onto the wing. The only other change is Tom Hazelton has been named to start with Toby Rudolf benched after an ill-disciplined performance last week.

Prior to having the bye, the Gold Coast Titans left the NRL world stunned following their 66-6 win over the New Zealand Warriors on the Gold Coast a couple of weeks ago. The Titans have languished towards the bottom of the NRL ladder sitting currently in 15th spot on the ladder with just for wins to their name for the season where they have struggled but already put through some strong performances this season.

The win prior to the bye for the Gold Coast left many in surprise and many fans asking where has this been as they ran riot in a 60-point thrashing over the Warriors. Things just went right for the Gold Coast where they were able to run in 11 tries including 4 to Alofiana Khan-Pereira. The performance was probably one of the best for the Titans especially putting a bad show in the week prior at Leichhardt Oval.

The Titans have had mixed news on the injury front with Jayden Campbell ruled out with a hand injury but in positive news, QLD origin star AJ Brimson is back in the side with a groin injury whilst Jojo Fifita also returns after missing the Warriors game through illness. The other change sees Mo Fotuaika returning from Origin with Josiah Pahulu dropping back to the bench and Jacob Alick dropping to the reserves.

WHO TO WATCH: Naturally there is going to be a lot of focus on Nicho Hynes because there has been a lot of focus on his "clutchness" given that twice in recent weeks, the NSW representative had two chances to make important plays for Cronulla went a miss with a tough missed conversion from the sideline against the Dolphins and then a simple field goal from in front going wide. The pressure has been plied onto Hynes shoulders for a while and an indifferent Origin performance prior adds more interest.

The return of AJ Brimson to the Titans team is going to bring a big focus on his performances and how the Gold Coast are going to perform against the Sharks. The return of Brimson into the side is the boost that the Gold Coast need with Jayden Campbell out. A game like this is a big test for the Titans and having Brimson in might be a big boost up against a Sharks side looking without confidence.

FAVOURITE: Cronulla are well backed to return to the winners circle.

MY TIP: Despite having a good record in their three appearances in Coffs Harbour, the Sharks have been too shaky of a team in recent weeks and the Titans will have a tonne of confidence after their win against the Warriors a fortnight ago and are arguably strengthened with returning players. Titans by 4.

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BRISBANE PENRITH BRONCOS PANTHERS



VENUE	Suncorp Stadium (Lang Park)			Grant ATKINS			NS REFEREE					
LOCATION	Yuggera-Turrbal Milton, QLD			Phil HENDERSON, Jarrod COLE						GES		
DAY & TIME	Fri 5 Jul 2024 8:00pm AEST				Ger	ard SUTTON		NRL	BUN	IKER		
Age P T G	FG Pts						Age	Р	Т	G	FG	Pts
21 9 9 17	- 70 Reece WALSH	1 FU	LLBACK	1	Dylan EDWARDS		28	12	8	27	-	86
29 9 3 -	- 12 Corey OATES	2	WING	2	Sunia TURUVA		21	14	11	-	-	44
21 13 14 -	- 56 Deine MARINER	3 C	ENTRE	3	Izack TAGO		22	14	5	-	-	20
22 14 5 -	- 20 Selwyn COBBO	4 C	ENTRE	4	Paul ALAMOTI		20	9	4	9	-	34
25 10 4 -	- 16 Jesse ARTHARS	5	WING	5	Brian TO'O		25	13	8	-	-	32
21 14 7 -	- 28 Ezra MAM	6 FIVI	-EIGHTH	6	Jack COLE		21	7	1	-	-	4
24 9 2 5	1 19 Jock MADDEN	7 HA	LFBACK	7	Jarome LUAI		27	13	3	-	-	12
30 15	Corey JENSEN	8 FRO	NT ROW	8	Moses LEOTA		28	14	1	-	-	4
30 14 2 -	- 8 Billy WALTERS	9 H	DOKER	9	Mitch KENNY		26	13	1	-	-	4
24 9 2 -	- 8 Payne HAAS	10 FRO	NT ROW	10	James FISHER-HARRIS		28	13	2	-	-	8
22 11 2 -	- 8 Brendan PIAKURA	11 SEC	OND ROW	11	Scott SORENSEN		31	9	2	-	-	8
25 15	Kobe HETHERINGTON	12 SEC	OND ROW	12	Liam MARTIN		27	12	1	-	-	4
26 14 1 -	- 4 Patrick CARRIGAN	13	LOCK	13	Isaah YEO		29	14	1	-	-	4
24 15 2 -	- 8 Tyson SM00THY	14 INTE	RCHANGE	14	Daine LAURIE		24	9	-	-	-	-
21 11 2 -	- 8 Xavier WILLISON	15		15	Lindsay SMITH		24	15	2	-	-	8
22 4	- Josiah KARAPANI	16		16	Liam HENRY		22	13	2	-	-	8
34 4	Martin TAUPAU	17		<i>17</i>	Matt EISENHUTH		31	11	-	-	-	-
26 7	Tristan SAILOR	18 RE	SERVES	18	Brad SCHNEIDER		23	7	3	1	-	14
28 1	Josh ROGERS	19		19	Luron PATEA		-	1	-	-	-	-
24	Cory PAIX	20		<i>20</i>	Trent TOELAU		24	4	-	-	-	-
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	TOTAL	BRISBANE	PENRITH	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	62	35	26	1
SUNCORP	19	11	8	0
GRANT ATKINS	2	0	2	0

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2022	Round 6	PENRITH 40-12	BlueBet	19406
2023	Round 1	BRISBANE 13-12	BlueBet	17125
2023	Round 12	PENRITH 15-4	Suncorp	33343
2023	Grand Final	PENRITH 26-24	Accor	81947
2024	Round 3	PENRITH 34-12	BlueBet	20089

BIGGEST WINS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
1997	Round 16	BRISBANE 54-12	QEII	13921
2000	Round 22	BRISBANE 48-6	QEII	24912
2022	Round 6	PENRITH 40-12	BlueBet	19406

STATE OF PLAY: 2024 SEASON

TEAM	POSITION	PLAYED	BYES	W-L-D	FOR	AGAINST
BRISBANE	10TH	15	2	7-8-0	351	330
PENRITH	2ND	15	2	10-5-0	342	234

RECENT FORM

	TEAM	ROUND 15	RESULT	ROUND 16	RESULT	ROUND 17	RESULT
E	BRISBANE	CRONULLA	L 12-22	SOUTHS	L 12-22	WARRIORS	L 16-32
	PENRITH	MANLY	W 32-22	NEWCASTLE	W 26-18	NORTH QLD	L 6-16

NEXT FOUR MATCHES

TEAM	ROUND 19	ROUND 20	ROUND 21	ROUND 22
BRISBANE	ST GEO ILLA (H)	NEWCASTLE (A)	CANTERBURY (H)	GOLD COAST (A)
PENRITH	(BYE)	DOLPHINS (H)	ST GEO ILLA (A)	NEWCASTLE (H)

THINGS TO KNOW

- Penrith have won 13 of their last 15 games at Suncorp Stadium
- From 1988-2019 Penrith won 19 of 54 against the Broncos (35.19%) from 2020 to present they have 7 of 8 games (87.50%)

Match stats courtesy of



MATCH PREVIEW

Tim COSTELLO

It's a Grand Final rematch but the stakes are vastly different this time.

We arrive at Suncorp Stadium on Friday night with plenty of issues to contend with for both clubs. For the hosts and 2023 runners-up Brisbane, it's injury after injury and a form slump that has seen them plummet out of the eight and now looking like a long shot at a top four berth that seemed possible - if not likely - just a month ago.

Adam Reynolds is still some weeks away from a return that would stabilise the Broncos' gameplay - a revolving door of halves options since his injury not helping a Broncos spine lay a platform for a side decimated by injury and rep duty.

The news is good for both sides on the returnee front this week though. The hosts will welcome back Origin trio Reece Walsh, Payne Haas and Patrick Carrigan, who were all missing for the thoroughbreds' trip across to Auckland. That 32-16 loss was Brisbane's fourth in a row and now leaves them without a victory since they pipped Manly in Magic Round nearly two months ago.

There is some shift in the teamsheet for Brisbane in addition to the returning Origin stars, with Kotoni Staggs (personal reasons) out of the 17.

Mariner moves to centre with Oates returning from injury on the wing. Gosiewski and Baker both drop out for the Origin players returning, but both sustained injuries and would have been omitted regardless.

Penrith meanwhile, are at risk of losing touch with competition leaders Melbourne. Falling at home to the Cowboys last Saturday, the reigning champs were also missing the bulk of their Origin contingent, with only lock Isaah Yeo backing up from the Blues' big win in Melbourne the Wednesday before.

While not as bad as Brisbane's recent run, the Origin period has been somewhat brutal for the Panthers, who have recorded losses to mid-table sides North Queensland and St George Illawarra, while accounting for sides battling for spots like Newcastle and Manly in the same month.

The premiers welcome back Edwards, To'o., Luai and Martin, with Yeo set to start after being benched last weekend.

Schneider, Patea, Toelau and McLean all make way with Henry and Laurie on the bench.

WHO TO WATCH: Just 9 days after Origin II and only 12 days ahead of the third game, the Origin fullbacks are set to meet once more. Dylan Edwards has been in elite form for the best part of three seasons now and shone on the rep stage last Wednesday. His return to the Penrith teamsheet is much-needed after they lacked impact in the loss to North Queensland.

Walsh has only played a single game since being knocked out cold in Origin I - that of course being Origin II - so it's hard to get a read on where his head is currently at. The Sua'ali'i tackle would no doubt have shaken him up and after a disappointing performance in the second contest, he'll want to up his confidence with a big performance against the Panthers here.

FAVOURITE: Penrith have the comfortable backing from the bookmakers on Friday.

MY TIP: All signs point to Penrith but that could just be the reason we see Brisbane get up. The Broncos have a knack of getting up off the canvas when the odds are stacked against them - much like this week. The inclusion of Walsh, Carrigan and Haas to lift the hosts to a surprising home win. **Broncos by 2**.

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CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS WARRIORS



VENUE	Accor Stadium (Stadium Australia)		Chris BUTLER					
LOCATION	Wanngal Sydney Olympic Park, NSW		Drew OULTRAM, Daniel LUTTRINGER			TOUCH JUDGES		
DAY & TIME	Sat 6 Jul 2024 3:00pm AEST			Adam GEE	NR	L BUN	KER	
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28 12 3 -	- 12 Connor TRACEY	1 FULL	BACK 1	Charnze NICOLL-KLOKSTAD	28 11	4	-	- 16
22 15 6 -	- 24 Jacob KIRAZ	2 WI	ING 2	Dallin WATENE-ZELEZNIAK	28 14	8	-	- 32
23 10 3 -	- 12 Bronson XERRI	3 CEN	ITRE 3	Roger TUIVASA-SHECK	31 11	3	-	- 12
23 13 6 -	- 24 Stephen CRICHTON	4 CEN	ITRE 4	Adam POMPEY	25 11	2	21	- 50
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23 6 - 4	- 8 Toby SEXTON	7 HALF	BACK 7	Te Maire MARTIN	28 12	4	-	- 16
27 14	Max KING	8 FRON	TROW 8	Addin FONUA-BLAKE	28 15	6	-	- 24
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31 10 1 -	- 4 Kurt MANN	14 INTERC	CHANGE 14	Freddy LUSSICK	23 7	1	-	- 4
25 15 2 -	- 8 Josh CURRAN	15	15	Dylan WALKER	29 11	1	-	- 4
24 13	Kurtis MORRIN	16	16	Jazz TEVAGA	28 11	1	-	- 4
22 4	Lipoi HOPOI	17	17	Jackson FORD	26 16	3	-	- 12
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25 8 2 -	- 8 Blake TAAFFE	21	21	Ali LEIATAUA	21 1	1	-	- 4
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	TOTAL	CANTERBURY	WARRIORS	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	43	21	20	2
ACCOR	10	5	4	1
CHRIS BUTLER	1	0	1	0

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2020	Round 15	WARRIORS 20-14	ANZ	2631
2021	Round 22	WARRIORS 24-10	Moreton Daily	3332
2022	Round 22	WARRIORS 42-18	Mt Smart	16212
2023	Round 4	WARRIORS 16-14	Mt Smart	18595
2023	Round 11	WARRIORS 24-12	Accor	14294

BIGGEST WINS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2004	Round 26	CANTERBURY 54-10	Ericsson	9930
2019	Round 1	WARRIORS 40-6	Mt Smart	18795

STATE OF PLAY: 2024 SEASON

TEAM	POSITION	PLAYED	BYES	W-L-D	FOR	AGAINST
CANTERBURY	5TH	15	2	8-7-0	315	251
WARRIORS	13TH	16	1	7-8-1	344	375

RECENT FORM

TEAM	ROUND 15	RESULT	ROUND 16	RESULT	ROUND 17	RESULT
CANTERBURY	BYE		SYDNEY	L8-26	CRONULLA	W 15-14
WARRIORS	MELBOURNE	L 24-38	GOLD COAST	L 6-66	BRISBANE	W 32-16

NEXT FOUR MATCHES

TEAM	ROUND 19	ROUND 20	ROUND 21	ROUND 22
CANTERBURY	BYE	NORTH QLD (A)	BRISBANE (A)	CANBERRA (H)
WARRIORS	BYE	CANBERRA (A)	WESTS TIGERS (H)	PARRAMATTA (H)

THINGS TO KNOW

- Warriors have won their last 6 games and 8 of their last 10 games against the Bulldogs
- Bulldogs have won their last 6 games at Accor Stadium, their best streak at the ground since their run of 10 wins in 2012.
- Kurt CAPEWELL has played 149 NRL games
- Jacob KIRAZ has played 49 NRL games.
- Matt BURTON has kicked 149 goals for Canterbury

Match stats courtesy of



MATCH PREVIEW

Andy P

Warriors, beware; dangerous Bulldogs on the premises.

Super Saturday opens with the Canterbury Bulldogs hosting the New Zealand Warriors at Accor Stadium, which has become a fortress for a team defying the odds in 2024.

The home side has continued to perform better than expected while the Warriors are still trying to find the form that gave birth to the cries of 'Up the Wahs' last year.

Scraping by last week in a 15-14 nailbiter against the Cronulla Sharks, Bulldogs coach Cameron Ciraldo was pleased his boys stayed in the fight. But with 45 missed tackles, the second-best defensive team in the comp will want to lift their game this week in training to be ready for a Warriors outfit who enjoyed the taste of victory last round.

On paper, it would be easy to say the Bulldogs shouldn't have won last week, but resilience and a desire to win is getting them over the line when it matters. A lack of errors and Matt Burton's boot kept the Dogs in the fight. And it was good to see that even after two field goal misses, Mat Burton had the confidence to make it a third time lucky and give the Doggies a win over the Cronulla, giving them every chance to be in the finals this year.

After a stint on the sideline through concussion protocols, zippy full-back Connor Tracy will be back in number 1. Kurt Mann has served his two-game suspension and will take to the game from the bench.

After what was an embarrassing effort the round before, Warriors coach Webster was keen for his team not to walk by that result, and it seemed to work with the Warriors clicking in the halves, which allowed the team to build momentum in the middle through players like Addin Founa-Blake and Mitch Barnett. The boot of Te Maire Martin and his cool head in the number 7 jersey was vital in the 32-16 win against the undermanned Broncos.

A bonus from the Warrior's victory against the Broncos was no injuries, and Webster has named the same 17 to tackle the Doggies at Accor on Saturday.

WHO TO WATCH: Connor Tracy and Jacob Kiraz are lighting on the return kick, with Kiraz leading the league on return meters. These two workhorses show no fear, while Kiraz is dangerous, being in the top ten of the league for line breaks as well.

Matt Burton's kicking game is one of the best in the league, finding the big meters to finish their sets, allowing his team the time to get their defensive line set for the opposition's fresh set of six. Burton's sky-high bombs will be a feature, and he would love to test the Warriors' back three with it.

Josh Curran, Sam Hughes, and Max King had big games last week. Curran has been showing great, consistent form, quietly going about his duties in attack and defence. You can be sure the tough backrower will be fired up against his old team and likely inspire the pack around him.

Say what you will about Reed Mahoney's pest persona, but he backs it up with his workload and kicking from the dummy half, which will be ideal for their speedsters to jam the Warriors down in their red zones early.

Te Maire Martin and Chanel Harris-Tavita both clicked nicely last round, and they have likely found their groove; Martin's kicking game will be a good tussle against Burton, with the ever-present death from above of Dallin Watene-Zelezniak ready to finish off as he puts his big fast frame up against the Doggies back three.

Addin Founa-Blake and Mitch Barnett had big post-contact meters last game, and it's not suprising seeing that AFB leads this in the league and Barnett is in the top five behind him. These boys will garner plenty of attention from the Dogs pack as they will want to slow them down to stop any spark of momentum from the Warriors in the middle.

FAVOURITE: The Bulldogs' unbeatable run at home and gritty defence have made them a favourite, and the lopsided performances of the Warriors may reflect these odds.

MY TIP: I like the Warriors, but the Bulldogs are in the right zone mentally, and their defence has been too good. Sure, they missed tackles in a big way last week, but this will be addressed, and the team will put another notch on Accor. **Bulldogs by 8**.

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WESTS MELBOURNE STORM



VENUE	Leichhardt Oval										Pete	r GOUG	Н	R	EFE	REE		
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	TOTAL	WESTS TIGERS	MELBOURNE	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	37	12	25	0
LEICHHARDT	13	8	5	0
PETER GOUGH	0	0	0	0

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2020	Round 19	MELBOURNE 50-22	Sunshine Coast	4121
2021	Round 15	MELBOURNE 66-16	Sunshine Coast	5328
2022	Round 1	MELBOURNE 26-16	CommBank	10025
2023	Round 4	MELBOURNE 24-12	AAMI	11669
2023	Round 16	MELBOURNE 28-6	Campbelltown	8517

BIGGEST WINS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2001	Round 5	WESTS TIGERS 40-10	Leichhardt	11206
2001	Round 18	MELBOURNE 64-0	Colonial	10683

STATE OF PLAY: 2024 SEASON

TEAM	POSITION	PLAYED	BYES	W-L-D	FOR	AGAINST
WESTS TIGERS	17TH	15	2	4-11-0	259	398
MELBOURNE	1ST	15	2	12-3-0	400	287

RECENT FORM

TEAM	ROUND 15	RESULT	ROUND 16	RESULT	ROUND 17	RESULT
WESTS TIGERS	GOLD COAST	W 18-10	CANBERRA	W 48-24	SYDNEY	L 6-40
MELBOURNE	WARRIORS	W 38-24	DOLPHINS	W 30-24	CANBERRA	W 16-6

NEXT FOUR MATCHES

TEAM	ROUND 19	ROUND 20	ROUND 21	ROUND 22	
WESTS TIGERS	CRONULLA (A)	SOUTH SYDNEY (A)	WARRIORS (A)	NORTH QLD (H)	
MELBOURNE	(BYE)	SYDNEY (H)	PARRAMATTA (A)	ST GEO ILLA (H)	

THINGS TO KNOW

- · Storm have won just 6 of their 15 matches played at Leichhardt Oval
- Tigers last 3 games at Leichhardt Oval has seen them win all 3 by a combined score of 116-34
- · Nick MEANEY has kicked 199 NRL goals
- Fonua POLE ha splayed 49 club games for Wests Tigers

Match stats courtesy of



MATCH PREVIEW

Andrew FERGUSON

Will the Tigers crash?

Clever heading that, because it has two meanings you see. There's the obvious one, that is, will the Tigers crash under the relentless effectiveness of the Melbourne Storm, as they have done in all of their last 6 contests, which has seen Melbourne win all 6 with a combined score of 218-94 (or an average score of 36-15)?

The Storm come into this game having now won 4 straight matches since the bye and now sit atop the Premiership ladder. The first three of those wins were not very Melbourne-y, in that they conceded a lot of points each time: beating Newcastle 36-28, Warriors 38-24 and Dolphins 30-24 – but last week in the miserly Melbourne weather, they were more like the Storm we've grown accustomed to, beating Canberra 16-6.

Scoring points hasn't been an issue for the Storm in 2024, reaching 30 in a game in 7 matches already, however their defence has been far from acceptable for coach Craig Bellamy, one would imagine, conceding 20+ points in a game on 9 occasions.

Now the other crash, is whether the Wests Tigers will crash the Storm party? And here's why there's some substance to that question. Melbourne have played at 43 venues in the NRL and World Club Challenge and have a 41% or better success rate at 35 of those grounds.

And none of those 35 venues are Leichhardt Oval. Nope. Leichhardt is an outlier for the Storm. They've played 15 NRL games there for just 6 wins. They won their first ever visit to the ground in 1998 against Balmain, lost to the OG Tigers the following year. Then won in 2005 (after 4 losses prior), won back-to-back games in 2011-12 (after 3 losses prior) and have won their last 2 games in 2016-17 (after 2 losses prior).

The Storm have never won 3 straight at Leichhardt.

The Tigers had a second short-lived rally before the Roosters demolished them as per usual last week. Defensively the Tigers are markedly improved. Parramatta, Titans and Souths have all conceded more points per game thus far and the Raiders are less than half a point per game better than the Tigers in defence in 2024. The Tigers attack though is meek at best and in that area, they are comfortably last.

This week the Tigers will see Solomona Faataape move from the wing to replace Brent Naden at centre. Charlie Staines will fill the wing vacancy. John Bateman will move from the bench into the back row, replacing Reuben Porter who drops out of the 17. Heath Mason fills the opening on the bench.

For the Storm, they will be without the injured Xavier Coates, whose place will be filled by Kane Bradley. Ryan Papenhuyzen returns to the fullback role, pushing excitement machine Sualauvi Fa'alogo to the bench. Trent Loiero and Nelson Asofa-Solomona will switch places with the former moving to Lock and the latter to the bench.

WHO TO WATCH: Sualauvi Fa'alogo coming off the bench against some weary defenders could be a recipe for disaster for the Tigers. Also watch for Bronson Garlick to feed crash balls to Nelson Asofa-Solomona when he's the lead runner close to the Tigers line. For the Tigers, John Bateman and Alex Seyfarth have been disappointing with their form of late and need to return some of that faith that has been shown them to keep them in the Tigers 17. Bateman needs to run straighter and Seyfarth needs to keep out of the sin bin.

FAVOURITE: Obviously the Storm. Their attack hasn't been too severely impacted in recent weeks with the impacts of injuries and origin, but their defensive structures have broken down a few times, which has resulted in those high scoring games that they've won of late. Tigers simply lack experience, but they don't lack in the effort department anymore.

MY TIP: Storm to win here but they'll do it the hard way and find a way to keep the Tigers somewhat in the match for far longer than they otherwise should. **Storm b y 16**.

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NORTH QUEENSLAND MANLY-WARRINGAH COVBOYS SEA EAGLES



VENUE	Queensland Country Bank Stadium (North Queensland Stadium)							Tode	d SMI1	TH	F	REFE	REE														
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	TOTAL	NORTH QLD	MANLY	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	35	15	20	0
QLD C. BANK	2	0	2	0
TODD SMITH	0	0	0	0

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2020	Round 11	MANLY 24-12	QLD C. Bank	7127
2021	Round 14	MANLY 50-18	4 Pines	6801
2021	Round 25	MANLY 46-18	QLD C. Bank	14336
2022	Round 15	NORTH QLD 28-26	4 Pines	9226
2023	Round 20	NORTH QLD 19-8	4 Pines	13240

BIGGEST WINS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
1996	Round 7	MANLY 46-4	Brookvale	5227
2015	Round 19	NORTH QLD 30-12	Brookvale	7643

STATE OF PLAY: 2024 SEASON

TEAM	POSITION	PLAYED	BYES	W-L-D	FOR	AGAINST
NORTH QLD	7TH	16	1	9-7-0	397	395
MANLY	9TH	15	2	7-7-1	351	323

RECENT FORM

TEAM	ROUND 15	RESULT	ROUND 16	RESULT	ROUND 17	RESULT
NORTH QLD	CANBERRA	W 34-16	BYE		PENRITH	W 16-6
MANLY	ST GEO ILLA	W 30-14	SOUTHS	L 0-14	BYE	

NEXT FOUR MATCHES

TEAM	ROUND 19	ROUND 20	ROUND 21	ROUND 22
NORTH QLD	BYE	CANTERBURY (H)	CRONULLA (H)	WESTS TIGERS (A)
MANLY	NEWCASTLE (H)	GOLD COAST (H)	SYDNEY (A)	BYE

THINGS TO KNOW

- Manly have won their last 4 matches against the Cowboys in QLD. The last time they lost to the Cowboys in QLD was in 2016.
- Cowboys on their home ground have conceded 228 points in theirs last 8 games, an average of 28.5 pts per game, with all 8 of those opponents reaching a score of 20.
- Luke BROOKS has scored 47 NRL tries
- Valentine HOLMES has kicked 348 NRL goals
- Josh ALOIAI has played 149 NRL games
- Valentine HOLMES has kicked 297 goals for North Queensland
- Heilum LUKI has played 49 club games for North Queensland

Match stats courtesy of



MATCH PREVIEW

Rob CROSBY

Two points for the taking in Townsville

One point is all that separates the North Queensland Cowboys and Manly Sea Eagles on the premiership ladder as the two teams prepare to face off in Townsville on Saturday night.

Returning home with high spirits after an upset win over the defending premiers last week, the North Queensland Cowboys will welcome six representative stars back into their line-up.

Stunning Penrith 16-6 at the foot of the mountains last Sunday, coach Todd Payten has opted for greater mobility on the bench with mid-season recruit Harrison Edwards preferred over Thomas Mikaele.

The Cowboys have won eight of their 14 meetings against the Sea Eagles over the past decade and will be hoping to post three straight victories for the first time since 2016.

Surging into the top eight off the back of five wins from their past six matches, the Cowboys have accrued nine wins – with two byes still in hand – and six of their final eight matches scheduled on home soil

Heading to Townsville refreshed following their second bye of the season, the Manly Sea Eagles will be boosted by the return of strike weapon Tom Trbojevic in an uncustomary position at club level.

Coach Anthony Seibold has selected Trbojevic, the 2021 Dally M Player of the Year, at centre in a backline reshuffle that sees Tolutau Koula shift to fullback and Lehi Hopoate drop to the bench.

Josh Aloiai, having completed a two-match suspension, will make his 150th appearance in first grade in the front-row.

The Sea Eagles hold a favourable record at all Townsville venues with eight wins from 16 visits during the 2000s and have won both of their prior visits to Queensland Country Bank Stadium in the pandemic-impacted years of 2020 and 2021.

WHO TO WATCH: The value of an experienced halfback has never been more apparent and in Chad Townsend the Cowboys have a player capable of going deep into September.

Ranked third for try-assists (17) and leading the league in field goals (3), the 33-year-old playmaker has stood tall in the absence of his representative teammates to get the Cowboys home in matches few expected them to win.

Set to depart Townsville at season's end to return to Sydney, look for Townsend to be heavily involved as the Cowboys strive to back up the resolve shown last week.

The last time Tom Trbojevic lined up for Manly in the centres came just over eight years ago – incidentally against the Cowboys in North Queensland.

Regarded among the best attacking players of the modern era, the 27-year-old has been shifted from his preferred fullback role following two months on the sidelines with another hamstring injury.

Producing some of the finest work of his career as a centre on the representative stage, only time will tell whether the positional shift allows Trbojevic to remain injury-free or curtails his attacking prowess.

FAVOURITE: The Cowboys are expected to prove too strong for a Sea Eagles side that have managed just one win away from 4 Pines Park this season.

MY TIP: The Cowboys are in a position to finish in the top four and this is the type of game they will need to win if they hope to do so. Cowboys by 7.

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SYDNEY ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS



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	TOTAL	SYDNEY	ST GEO ILLA	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	50	27	22	1
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ASHLEY KLEIN	4	3	1	0

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2022	Round 7	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA 14-12	SCG	35273
2022	Round 18	SYDNEY 54-26	Central Coast	15721
2023	Round 8	SYDNEY 27-26	Allianz	40191
2023	Round 12	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA 24-22	Netstrata	9007
2024	Round 8	SYDNEY 60-18	Allianz	40727

BIGGEST WINS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2005	Round 21	ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA 44-6	WIN	19512
2024	Round 8	SYDNEY 60-18	Allianz	40727

STATE OF PLAY: 2024 SEASON

TEAM	POSITION	PLAYED	BYES	W-L-D	FOR	AGAINST
SYDNEY	4TH	16	1	10-6-0	480	285
ST GEO ILLA	8TH	15	2	8-7-0	322	352

RECENT FORM

TEAM	ROUND 15	RESULT	ROUND 16	RESULT	ROUND 17	RESULT
SYDNEY	PARRAMATTA	W 28-18	CANTERBURY	W 26-8	WTIGERS	W 40-6
ST GEO ILLA	MANLY	L14-30	BYE		DOLPHINS	W 26-6

NEXT FOUR MATCHES

TEAM	ROUND 19	ROUND 20	ROUND 21	ROUND 22
SYDNEY	BYE	MELBOURNE (A)	MANLY (H)	DOLPHINS (A)
ST GEO ILLA	BRISBANE (A)	BYE	PENRITH (H)	MELBOURNE (A)

THINGS TO KNOW

- Roosters have won 19 of their last 25 games against the Dragons.
- Over the last 15 Roosters-Dragons clashes, the Roosters have averaged 30 pts a game.
- Luke KEARY has scored 47 NRL tries

Match stats courtesy of



MATCH PREVIEW

AJ LUCANTONIO

JWH enters the history books as Dragons seek revenge

It will be a history making occasion at Allianz Stadium this Sunday as Jared Waerea-Hargraves becomes the most capped Rooster in history as the Roosters take on the Dragons.

In the Roosters' proud history, only four players have played 300 club games for the club. On Sunday, JWH adds yet another chapter to his storied legacy. The Roosters have been great to watch with the ball, averaging 30 points a game showcasing the attacking transition under Justin Holbrook's keen eye in 2024. Sam Walker has matured beyond his years with a strong 2024, while James Tedesco has been superb at the back, while Dom Young and Daniel Tupou have defied the club's centre shortage to cross for fur this season

Minds will be drawn back to ANZAC Day where the Roosters unleashed a 60 point massacre on the Dragons. However, given the Dragons form revival since that point, a closer contest is expected between the two teams. So, expect the Roosters to be aggressive up front, especially with the quadruple impact of May, Whyte, Leniu and Butcher coming off the pine. The major concern is at centre with Sitili Tupouniua and Michael Jennings getting the call to cover for the mass casualties at the position. Expect these two to try and outmuscle their opposite number but up against Mosese Suli, that's easier said than done.

Onto St George Illawarra, it's been a season of unpredictability in the way they play. One week, they play well against a side they're expected to lose to, while the next play poorly in a match they have a decent chance of winning. The classic example is a fortnight ago, Manly were down to 13 fit players and still found a way to defeat the Dragons. While last week at Kogarah,

It's easy to see the Dragons will be out for revenge after the aforementioned 60 point shellacking in April. The physical battle will be where it is won and lost for the Red V I feel. Expect big showings from their starting forwards and some much needed impact and starch coming off the bench, looking to frustrate the Roosters into mistakes. Suli may fancy himself out wide in the face of a weaker match-up so expect their left-edge to be a target zone for the Dragons. On the team front, Zac Lomax returns replacing the injured Mat Feagai. Elsewhere, the team is settled with Jack Bird an outside chance to return in the reserves.

WHO TO WATCH: The focus on the Roosters has to be on JWH in his milestone match. What more needs to be said about one of the greatest front-rowers of the modern era. Yes, he can be a loose cannon but the impact, energy and leadership he brings will go down in Roosters culture. His footwork in the middle third hasn't wavered at his age and is still a handful for opposition defences. Expect JWH to fire in what will be an emotional day at the Stadium.

In a game vital to St George Illawarra's finals chances. It is time for Tyrell Sloan to inject life into the future of the Dragons spine. The club has made a big investment in Sloan and it is time for a big return on said investment. With Ben Hunt coming towards the end of his career, Sloan will soon become the leader of the spine and attacking output. He has shown glimpses and promise all the way through his career, but has lacked that big standout game which will allow him to kick on and go stride for stride. Watch for this afternoon to be that game.

FAVOURITE: Roosters are heavy favourites in this clash at Allianz Stadium. The Dragons are winless at the venue in their two most recent clashes.

MY TIP: The omens are on the Roosters side in this one, but I think they have just a bit too much strike power to get home in this one. With JWH's record breaking knock serving as great motivation, it's hard to see this match as anything other than a Roosters victory. I expect the Dragons to show fight all the way to the final whistle and demonstrate improvement on ANZAC Day though. Roosters by 12.

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CANBERRA NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS



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	TOTAL	CANBERRA	NEWCASTLE	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	58	30	26	2
GIO	28	20	7	1
GERARD SUTTON	2	0	2	0

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2022	Round 23	CANBERRA 28-22	McD. Jones	16768
2023	Round 4	NEWCASTLE 24-14	McD. Jones	15106
2023	Round 22	NEWCASTLE 28-6	GIO GIO	15487
2023	Elimination Final	NEWCASTLE 30-28	McD. Jones	29548
2024	Round 1	CANBERRA 28-12	McD. Jones	22378

BIGGEST WINS

YEAR	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
1994	Round 18	CANBERRA 52-16	Marathon	22945
2002	Round 4	NEWCASTLE 52-6	EnergyAustralia	17256

STATE OF PLAY: 2024 SEASON

TEAM	POSITION	PLAYED	BYES	W-L-D	FOR	AGAINST
CANBERRA	12TH	15	2	7-8-0	302	391
NEWCASTLE	11TH	15	2	7-8-0	282	329

RECENT FORM

TEAM	ROUND 15	RESULT	ROUND 16	RESULT	ROUND 17	RESULT
CANBERRA	NORTH QLD	L16-34	W TIGERS	L 24-48	MELBOURNE	L 6-16
NEWCASTLE	PENRITH	L18-26	BYE		PARRAMATTA	W 34-26

NEXT FOUR MATCHES

TEAM	ROUND 19	ROUND 20	ROUND 21	ROUND 22
CANBERRA	BYE	WARRIORS (H)	SOUTH SYDNEY (H)	CANTERBURY (A)
NEWCASTLE	MANLY (A)	BRISBANE (H)	BYE	PENRITH (A)

THINGS TO KNOW

- Knights have had just 7 wins from 28 visits to GIO Stadium against the Raiders.
- · Canberra have conceded 305 points in their last 10 games
- Tyson FRIZELL has played 249 NRL games
- Mat CROKER has played 49 NRL games.
- Kalyn PONGA has scored 49 tries for Newcastle

Match stats courtesy of



MATCH PREVIEW

Rhys SULLIVAN

The return of Kalyn Ponga looks set to buoy a Knights side looking to crack the top 8 when they take on the flagging Canberra Raiders.

The Raiders are coming off a 16-6 loss to the Knights, their 4th loss in 5 matches. Tom Starling was a wall in defence with 52 tackles, while Kaeo Weekes had a mixed bag - scoring a try but also making three errors. Adam Cook was strong as well, but the team lacked performances from stars Xavier Savage, Jordan Rapana and Matthew Timoko.

By contrast the Knights took a much needed 34-26 win against the Eels, snapping a three game losing streak between their first two byes. Bradman Best was at his dominant... best... with two tries, two try assists, 8 tackle breaks and an absurd 357 running metres. Greg Marzhew recorded a double, Jackson Hastings picked up two line break assists and Dane Gagai staked his claim for a Maroons recall with 8 tackle breaks of his own.

Ricky Stuart has opted for major changes to the Raiders side in a bid to revive their season, notably Kaeo Weekes making his move to fullback permanent with Jordan Rapana sliding back to the wing and Adam Cook replacing him at halfback. Simi Sasagi joins the interchange in place of Jordan Martin, who has entered concussion protocols after failing a HIA on debut.

Newcastle welcome back superstar Kalyn Ponga at fullback, who hasn't played since picking up a Lisfrancinjury in Round 7.

Elsewhere Leo Thompson returns at prop after being a late withdrawal last week with an Achilles problem and Dylan Lucas has overcome a hamstring issue to take his place on the bench.

Hooker Phoenix Crossland is in concussion protocol so Jayden Brailey starts and Fletcher Sharpe fills the bench utility role.

The Knights have slowly brought their defence above the league average, now conceding just under 22 points a game.

Their attack is still a struggle, scoring less than 19 per match. By comparison, Canberra score just over 20 points a game but their defence is much worse, conceding slightly more than 26 each time they take the field.

WHO TO WATCH: Kaeo Weekes' move to fullback feels like a make or break decision in the Raiders season. He's been good this season - with 5 tries and 3 try assists through 8 appearances - but he wasn't a traditional halfback, forcing just one drop out while averaging 112 running metres a game.

Fullback suits him better, and Ricky Stuart is giving him the chance to stake his claim before he potentially turns to NSW U/19s star Chevy Stewart.

Obviously there's one man to watch for Newcastle: Kalyn Ponga. Ponga's start to the season was not exactly flash, with just one try to go along with 4 try assists in his first 6 games before suffering a foot injury in Round 7. But one thing is obvious - Newcastle play their best when Ponga is wearing the number one jersey.

As the Knights push for finals football, Ponga returning to even shades of the form that won him last years Dally M Medal would be vital.

FAVOURITE: Newcastle are the most backed in this one.

MY TIP: Just on a morale level, the return of Ponga is invaluable for the Knights. If he can come back with form as well, they might be irresistible. **Knights by 12**.

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KNOCK ON EFFECT NSW CUP ROUND 18

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PARRAMATTA EELS V SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS

Thu 4 Jul 5:20PM at CommBank Stadium, Parramatta / Burramattagal Referee: Wyatt Raymond; Sideline Officials: Cameron Turner, Karra-Lee Nolan

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24	16	9	-	-	36	Zac CINI	1	1	Jye GRAY	20	4	3	-	-	12
-	5	1	-	-	4	Lorenzo MULITALO	2	2	Leon TE HAU	20	6	2	-	-	8
21	6	6	-	-	24	Samuel LOIZOU	3	3	Brandon MANSFIELD	-	7	2	-	-	8
25	8	3	-	-	12	Morgan HARPER	4	4	Fletcher MYERS	-	8*	4	-	-	16
26	13	10	-	-	40	Isaac LUMELUME	5	5	Leonard SKELTON	22	11	3	-	-	12
23	9	5	14	1	49	Daejarn ASI	6	6	Bayleigh BENTLEY-HAPE	-	11	3	-	-	12
-	14	5	27	-	74	Ethan SANDERS	7	7	Dion TEAUPA	22	9	-	13	-	26
31	11	1	-	-	4	Makahesi MAKATOA	8	8	Liam LE BLANC	19	7	-	-	-	-
-	15	-	-	-	-	Meni LUKE	9	9	Ryan GRAY	26	14	5	-	-	20
24	11	-	-	-	-	Wiremu GREIG	10	10	Yileen GORDON	37	15	1	-	-	4
-	16	2	-	-	8	Dan KEIR	11	11	Thomas FLETCHER	-	2	-	-	-	-
-	3	-	-	-	-	Jock BRAZEL	12	12	Adam CHRISTENSEN	-	13	1	-	-	4
24	9	-	-	-	-	Luca MORETTI	13	13	Chase CHAPMAN	23	15	2	-	-	8
									8 matches for Newcastle *						
21	2	1	-	-	4	Ryley SMITH	14	14	Matt FRENCH	24	11	2	-	-	8
-	16	1	-	-	4	Brock PARKER	15	15	Henry O'KANE	22	6	-	-	-	-
-	3	-	-	-	-	Saxon PRYKE	16	16	Gordon WHIPPY	-	5		-	-	-
-	14	1	-	-	4	Reece ALDERTON	17	17	Billy TSIKRIKAS	29	7	2	-	-	8
								18	Maila CHAN-FOON	-	11	2	-	-	8
								19	Tevita TAUMOEPENU	-	9	-	-	-	-
								21	Jude SALDANHA	-	5	4	-	-	16
46	84	-	-	-	-	Nathan CAYLESS			Joe O'CALLAGHAN	-	41	-	-	-	-

NEWTOWN JETS V WESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES

Sat 6 Jul 3:00PM at Henson Park, Marrickville / Gadigal-Wanngal Referee: Jake Sutherland; Sideline Officials: Martin Jones, Ben Teague

Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts	NEWTOWN			WESTERN SUBURBS	Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts
19	8	6	-	-	24	Liam ISON	1	1	Brent NADEN	28	3	-	-	-	-
-	16	5	-	-	20	Tom RODWELL	2	2	Solomon ALAIMALO	28	8	4	-	-	16
-	11	6	-	-	24	Chris VEA'ILA	3	3	Livai SAUKURU	-	6	2	-	-	8
26	8	1	-	-	4	Jackson FERRIS	4	4	Josh FELEDY	19	12	5	-	-	20
19	-	-	-	-	-	Siteni TAUKAMO	5	5	Alexander LOBB	22	9	3	21	-	54
22	8	1	-	-	4	Khaled RAJAB	6	6	Latu FAINU	19	2	1	-	-	4
22	15	3	23	1	59	Niwhai PURU	7	7	Jayden SULLIVAN	22	3	1	-	-	4
22	6	2	-	-	8	Tuku HAU TAPUHA	8	8	Tim JOHANNSSEN	-	8	1	-	-	4
29	10	-	-	-	-	Jayden BERRELL	9	9	Tallyn DA SILVA	19	9	1	10	-	24
22	5	-	-	-	-	Jesse COLQUHOUN	10	10	Reuben PORTER	27	9	2	-	-	8
-	10	3	-	-	12	Kyle PICKERING	11	11	Tanous SUKKAR	20	10	-	-	-	-
25	13	6	-	-	24	Billy BURNS	12	12	Lachlan BROEDERLOW	-	6	-	-	-	-
-	16	2	-	-	8	Blake HOSKING	13	13	Kit LAULILII	19	12	-	-	-	-
-	14	1	-	-	4	Rhys DAKIN	14	14	Declan CASEY	24	14	5	1	-	22
-	13	1	-	-	4	Jordin LEIU	15	15	Zakauri CLARKE	-	3	1	1	-	6
27	14	2	-	-	8	Billy MAGOULIAS	17	16	Jordan MILLER	-	12	2	-	-	8
-	16	5	-	-	20	Samuel HEALEY	18	17	Cayne NICHOLAS	-	6	-	-	-	-
								18	Bailey HODGES	-	7	3	-	-	12
								19	Herman TOFAEONO	-	3	-	-	-	-
39	40	-	-	-	-	George NDAIRA			Aaron PAYNE	41	16	-	-	-	-
33	40	_	_	_	<u> </u>	deorge NDAINA			Adiviliative	41	10	_	_	_	÷

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Last met: 2024 R12 - Parramatta 32-24 at Accor

	TOTAL	PARRAMATTA	SOUTHS	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	8	7	1	0
COMMBANK	2	1	1	0

HEAD TO HEAD since 2014

Last met: 2024 R3 - Newtown 25-24 at Lidcombe

	TOTAL	NEWTOWN	WESTS	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	17	9	6	2
HENSON	8	5	3	0

CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS V WARRIORS

Sat 6 Jul 12:40PM at Accor Stadium, Sydney Olympic Park / Wanngal Referee: Damian Brady; Sideline Officials: Luke Saldern, Tom Cambourn

Age	Р	Т	G	FG	Pts	CANTERBURY			WARRIORS	Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts
-	12	1	4	-	12	Joash PAPALII	1	1	Taine TUAUPIKI	24	8	4	26	-	68
-	4	4	-	-	16	Jonathan SUA	2	2	Setu TU	25	10	3	-	-	12
-	11	5	-	-	20	Jordan SAMRANI	3	3	Ali LEIATAUA	21	7	2	-	-	8
25	15	4	-	-	16	Hayze PERHAM	4	4	Moala GRAHAM-TAUFA	22	12	9	-	-	36
-	15	6	13	-	50	Eli CLARK	5	5	Edward KOSI	25	13	5	-	-	20
25	3	1	2	-	8	Blake TAAFFE	6	6	Ben FARR	23	15	5	8	-	36
-	11	1	-	-	4	Joseph O'NEILL	7	7	Luke HANSON	-	10	4	-	-	16
28	9	4	-	-	16	Poasa FA'AMAUSILI	8	8	Demitric SIFAKULA	20	5	-	-	-	-
27	10	1	-	-	4	Jake TURPIN	9	9	Makaia TAFUA	-	8	3	-	-	12
22	6	-	-	-	-	Chris PATOLO	10	10	Bunty AFOA	27	2	-	-	-	-
21	10	7	-	-	28	Kitione KAUTOGA	11	11	Jacob LABAN	20	6	2	-	-	8
-	13	4	-	-	16	Harry HAYES	12	12	Selumiela HALASIMA	-	7	3	-	-	12
-	9	-	-	-	-	Jack TODD	13	13	Kalani GOING	27	16	-	-	-	-
-	10	-	-	-	-	Romano COOK	14	14	Eddie IEREMIA-TOEAVA	-	16	2	-	-	8
28	-	-	-	-	-	Ryan SUTTON	15	15	Maia SANDS	-	15	2	-	-	8
29	9	1	-	-	4	Liam KNIGHT	16	16	Tanner STOWERS-SMITH	20	14	1	-	-	4
-	9	3	-	-	12	Lachlan VALE	17	17	Walter FIFITA	-	2	-	-	-	-
								18	Harry DURBIN	-	8	1	-	-	4
60	43	-	-	-	-	Michael POTTER			David TANGATA-TOA	42	66	-	-	-	-

SYDNEY ROOSTERS V ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS

Sun 7 Jul 11:30AM at Allianz Stadium, Moore Park / Gadigal Referee: Clayton Wills; Sideline Officials: Jake Sutherland, Bradley Kiehne

Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts	SYDNEY			ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA	Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts
-	3	2	-	-	8	Jade ANDERSON	1	1	Lyhkan KING-TOGIA	-	5	1	-	-	4
22	4	1	-	-	4	Lewis MURPHY	2	2	Cooper ROBERTS	-	4	3	-	-	12
-	1	-	-	-	-	Xavier CHATFIELD-MOOKA	3	3	Jackson SHEREB	-	11	-	-	-	-
-	9	3	-	-	12	Kyron FEKITOA	4	4	Hayden BUCHANAN	-	2	1	-	-	4
-	4	7	-	-	28	Tyreece TAIT	5	5	Savelio TAMALE	-	16	8	-	-	32
19	6	4	4	1	25	Jake ELLIOTT	6	6	Fa'amanu BROWN	29	4	1	4	-	12
-	-	-	-	-	-	TBC	7	7	Jonah GLOVER	-	14	4	20	-	56
-	9	-	-	-	-	Xavier VA'A	15	8	Viliami FIFITA	23	10	-	-	-	-
-	9	-	-	-	-	Tyler MORIARTY	9	9	Connor MUHLEISEN	23	12	-	-	-	-
21	9	-	-	-	-	Siua WONG	24	10	Alec TUITAVAKE	23	15	2	-	-	8
-	5	-	-	-	-	Max McCATHIE	11	11	Dylan EGAN	-	16	3	-	-	12
-	8	-	-	-	-	Salesi FOKETI	12	12	Daniel RUSSELL	28	12	2	-	-	8
-	-	-	-	-	-	TBC	13	13	Michael MOLO	27	8	-	-	-	-
18	5	-	-	-	-	De La Salle VA'A	10	14	Haele FINAU	23	16	5	-	-	20
-	13	6	29	-	82	Hugo SAVALA	14	16	Joshua CORIC	-	15	1	-	-	4
-	13	-	-	-	-	Taylor LOSALU	16	17	Loko Jnr PASIFIKI TONGA	-	1	-	-	-	-
19	5	-	-	-	-	Blake STEEP	17	18	Hamish STEWART	-	3	-	-	-	-
															_
								19	Tom FREEBAIRN	29	9	2	-	-	8
															_
37	16	-	-	-	-	Brett MORRIS			Ben WOOLF	-	16	-	-	-	_
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HEAD TO HEAD

Last met: 2023 R11 - 14-all draw at Belmore

	TOTAL	CANTERBURY	WARRIORS	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	15	10	4	1
ACCOR	0	0	0	0

HEAD TO HEAD since 2023

Last met: 2024 R8 - Sydney 19-18 at Collegians

	TOTAL	SYDNEY	ST GEO ILLA	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	3	1	2	0
ALLIANZ	0	0	0	0

CANBERRA RAIDERS V NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS

Sun 7 Jul 1:40PM at GIO Stadium Canberra, Bruce / Ngunnawal Referee: Cameron Turner; Sideline Officials: Nick Beashel, Luke Heckendorf

Р	T	G	FG	Pts	CANBERRA			NEWCASTLE	Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts
8	4	-	-	16	Chevy STEWART	1	1	Connor VOTANO	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-	-	-	-	Atini TUIALII	2	2	Laitia MOCEIDREKE	23	14	9	-	-	36
9	12	-	-	48	James SCHILLER	3	3	Thomas JENKINS	23	10	3	-	-	12
11	3	-	-	12	Prinston ESERA	4	4	Krystian MAPAPALANGI	21	8	3	-	-	12
13	9	-	-	36	Jed STUART	5	5	Kyle McCARTHY	-	14	9	-	-	36
12	4	-	-	16	Manaia WAITERE	6	6	Zach HERRING	-	13	1	-	-	4
8	4	3	-	22	Mitch HENDERSON	7	7	Jack COGGER	26	4	-	-	-	-
8	2	-	-	8	Luke WEBLEY	8	8	Paul BRYAN	-	14	-	-	-	-
13	1	-	-	4	Adrian TREVILYAN	9	9	Riley JONES	22	10	-	-	-	-
6	-	-	-	-	Emre GULER	10	10	Brock GREACEN	-	6	1	-	-	4
15	4	-	-	16	Mitchell SPENCER	11	11	Thomas CANT	22	12	5	12	-	44
8	2	-	-	8	Noah MARTIN	12	12	Jermaine McEWEN	-	1	-	-	-	-
15	3	-	-	12	Hohepa PURU	13	13	Jaxson RAHME	-	15	-	-	-	-
3	-	-	-	-	Owen PATTIE	14	14	Jacob DAVIS	-	2	-	-	-	-
5	1	-	-	4	Jake CLYDSDALE	15	15	Sebastian SU'A	-	13	-	-	-	-
13	2	-	-	8	Peter TAATEO	16	16	Callan BURGESS	-	16	-	-	-	-
3	1	-	-	4	Josh BILLING	17	17	Clay WEBB	21	7	-	-	-	-
29	-	-	-	_	Brock SHEPPARD			Ron GRIFFITHS	-	16	-	-	-	-
	3 9 11 13 12 8 8 13 6 15 8 15 3 5	9 12 11 3 13 9 12 4 8 4 8 2 13 1 6 - 15 4 8 2 15 3 3 - 5 1 13 2	3	3	3 48 11 3 - 12 13 9 - 36 12 4 - 16 8 4 3 - 22 8 2 - 8 13 1 - 4 6 16 8 2 - 8 15 3 - 12 3 - 12 3 - 12	3	3 - - - Atini TUIALII 2 9 12 - - 48 James SCHILLER 3 11 3 - - 12 Prinston ESERA 4 13 9 - - 36 Jed STUART 5 12 4 - - 16 Manaia WAITERE 6 8 4 3 - 22 Mitch HENDERSON 7 8 2 - - 8 Luke WEBLEY 8 13 1 - - 4 Adrian TREVILYAN 9 6 - - - - Emre GULER 10 15 4 - - 16 Mitchell SPENCER 11 8 2 - - 8 Noah MARTIN 12 15 3 - - 12 Hohepa PURU 13 3 - -	3 - - - Atini TUIALII 2 2 9 12 - - 48 James SCHILLER 3 3 11 3 - - 12 Prinston ESERA 4 4 13 9 - - 36 Jed STUART 5 5 12 4 - - 16 Manaia WAITERE 6 6 8 4 3 - 22 Mitch HENDERSON 7 7 8 2 - - 8 Luke WEBLEY 8 8 13 1 - - 4 Adrian TREVILYAN 9 9 6 - - - - Emre GULER 10 10 15 4 - - 16 Mitchell SPENCER 11 11 8 2 - - 8 Noah MARTIN 12 12 15	3	3	3	3	3	3

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Last met: 2024 R1 - Canberra 38-22 at McDonald Jones

	TOTAL	CANBERRA	NEWCASTLE	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	7	6	1	0
GIO	1	1	0	0

NORTH SYDNEY BEARS V BLACKTOWN WORKERS SEA EAGLES

Sun 7 Jul 3:00PM at North Sydney Oval, North Sydney / Cammeraygal Referee: Kieren Irons; Sideline Officials: Daniel Luttringer, Mitchell Stone

Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts	NORTH SYDNEY			BLACKTOWN	Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts
-	13	7	-	-	28	Jake TOBY	1	1	Jahoiyakim AFOA	21	1	-	-	-	-
25	11	2	-	-	8	Tuipulotu KATOA	2	2	Watson HELETA	-	12	14	-	-	56
22	14	8	-	-	32	Dean IEREMIA	3	3	Noel AUKAFOLAU	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	6	1	-	-	4	Israel OGDEN	4	4	Jaxson PAULO	24	5	7	3	-	34
-	12	11	-	-	44	Allan FITZGIBBON	5	5	Raymond TUAIMALO VAEGA	24	9	6	-	-	24
-	15	4	51	-	118	Kieran HAYMAN	6	6	Jamie HUMPHREYS	-	15	4	27	-	70
-	3	-	-	-	-	Coby THOMAS	7	7	Tylor BUNTING	-	3	1	-	-	4
28	15	1	-	-	4	Kurt DE LUIS	8	8	James UESELE	-	10	-	-	-	-
24	14	3	-	-	12	Ruatapu NGATIKAURA	9	9	Kobe RUGLESS	-	10	1	-	-	4
23	14	2	-	-	8	Ativalu LISATI	10	10	Zane DUNFORD	-	10	-	-	-	-
-	4	-	-	-	-	Luke HODGE	11	11	Brad PARKER	27	14	3	-	-	12
-	13	2	-	-	8	Matt STIMSON	12	12	Ben CONDON	23	15	4	-	-	16
-	15	4	-	-	16	Ben TALTY	13	13	Dean MATTERSON	26	9	-	-	-	-
-	11	2	-	-	8	Jayden YATES	14	14	Ben SEUFALE	-	3	-	-	-	-
-	10	-	-	-	-	Regan HUGHES	15	15	Devante MIHINUI	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	11	-	-	-	-	Phillip MAKATOA	16	16	Eparama NAVALE	-	3	-	-	-	-
-	10	-	-	-	-	Josh BEVAN	17	17	Kayne KALACHE	26	2	-	-	-	-
								18	Harrison GERAGHTY	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	27	-	-	-	-	Pat WEISNER			Wayne LAMBKIN	-	69	-	-	-	-

HEAD TO HEAD since 2017

Last met: 2024 R13 - Norths 28-22 at HE Laybutt

	TOTAL	NORTHS	BLACKTOWN	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	13	7	6	0
NORTH SYDNEY	6	3	3	0

NSW CUP ROUND 17 RESULTS

BYE: Blacktown

PENRITH 30 (D. Amituanai 3, A. Kepaoa, Z. Lamont, N. Murphy, T. Peachey tries; B. Scott goal) DEFEATED WESTS 6 (D. Casey try; T. Da Silva goal) at Lidcombe Oval. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime: Penrith 20-0. Referee: Daniel Luttringer: Wests: Staines, Alaimalo, Saukuru, Feledy, Kirk; Casey (C), Mason; Laulilli, Da Silva, Johannssen, Sukkar, Broederlow, Tofaeono. Int: Nicholas, Tumeth, Miller; Hodges. Penrith: Tongi, Murphy, Kepaoa, Fale, Amituanai; Peachey (C), Lamont; Dias, Sommerton, Geyer, Hassett, Lipowicz, Price. Int: Scott, Apelu, Wake, Letoi.

SYDNEY 32 (T. Tait 4, K. Fekitoa, M. Jennings tries; S. Smith 4 goals) DEFEATED NEWTOWN 18 (T. Hau Tapuha, K. Pickering, T. Rodwell tries; M. Hiroti 3 goals) at Wentworth Park. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 2:30 PM. Halftime: Newtown 18-4. Referee: Damian Brady. Sydney: Fekitoa, Anderson, Jennings, Tait, McKeon; Elliott, Smith (C); Wong, Moriarty, Losalu, Steinwede, Foketi, Steep. Int: Savala, McCathie, Va'a, Fakaosi. Newtown: Atkinson, Rodwell, Vea'ila, Hiroti, Stonestreet; Rajab, Puru; Hamlin-Uele, Berrell, Hau Tapuha, Pickering, Burns, Hosking. Int: Colquhoun, Leiu, Magoulias, Healey.

WARRIORS 24 (T. Tuaupiki 2, M. Pasikala, S. Tu tries; T. Tuaupiki 4 goals) DEFEATED CANBERRA 18 (C. Horsburgh, N. Martin, C. Stewart tries; M. Henderson 3 goals) at Go Media Stadium. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 2:40 PM. Halftime: Warriors 16-8. Penalties: Canberra 8-6. Referee: Martin Jones. Warriors: Tuaupiki, Pasikala, Tu, Ieremia-Toeava, Kosi; Farr, Hanson; Sifakula, Tafua, Afoa, Laban, Halasima, Ale. Int: Going (C), Sands, Stowers-Smith, Fifita. Canberra: Stewart, Tuialii, Schiller, Esera, Stuart; Waitere, Henderson; Guler, Trevilyan, Horsburgh, Spencer, Martin, Puru (C). Int: Taateo, Clydsdale, Pattie, Billing.

PARRAMATTA 30 (I. Lumelume 2, J. Tago 2, M. Harper, R. Smith tries; E. Sanders 2, D. Asi goals) DEFEATED NEWCASTLE 8 (T. Cant, B. Greacen tries) at McDonald Jones Stadium. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kicofff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Parramatta 20-0. Referee: Cameron Turner: Newcastle: Armstrong, Moceidreke, Jenkins, Mappaplangi, McCarthy; Herring, Cogger; Greacen, Jones, Bryan, Cant (C), Webb, Rahme. Int: Davis, Su'a, Burgess, McEwen. Parramatta: Cini, Mulitalo, Tago, Harper, Lumelume; Asi, Sanders; Moretti, Luke, Parker, Keir (C), Brazel, Guymer. Int: Pryke, Alderton, Smith, Spicer.

ST GEO ILLA 32 (C. Roberts 2, F. Brown, H. Buchanan, J. Glover, S. Tamale tries; F. Brown 4 goals) DEFEATED SOUTHS 18 (B. Tsikrikas 2, L. Te Hau tries; D. Teaupa 3 goals) at Redfern Oval. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: St Geo Illa 16-0. Referee: Jake Sutherland. Souths: Bentley-Hape, Te Hau, Mansfield, Skelton, Saldanha; Teaupa, Gray; Le Blanc, Mamouzelos (C), Tsikrikas, Chanon, Christensen, Whippy. Int: Gordon, Chapman, French, Taumoepenu. St Geo Illa: King-Togia, Tamale, Shereb, Buchanan, Roberts; Brown, Glover; Flifta, Muhleisen, Molo, Egan, Stewart, Tuitavake. Int: Finau, Coric, Pasfiki Tonga, Freebairn.

NORTHS 18 (A. Fitzgibbon, R. Smith tries; K. Hayman 5 goals) DEFEATED CANTERBURY 10 (H. Hayes 2 tries; E. Clark goal) at North Sydney Oval. Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickofff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: 10-all. Referee: Karra-Lee Nolan. Norths: Toby, Fitzgibbon, Ieremia, Smith, Katoa; Hayman, Stevanović; De Luis (C), Ngatikaura, Moeroa, Stimson, Lisati, Talty. Int: Hughes, Yates, Makatoa, Bevan. Canterbury: Papalii, Sua, Samrani, Perham, Clark; Hutchison, O'Neill; Fa'amausili, Turpin (C), Patolo, Kautoga, Hayes, Todd. Int: Cook, Knicht, Vale, Underhill.

ROUND 17 LADDER	P	W	L	D	В	F	A	Diff	Pts
1. NORTH SYDNEY BEARS	15	11	3	1	2	378	283	95	27
2. CANBERRA RAIDERS	15	9	4	2	2	444	266	178	24
3. WARRIORS	16	10	5	1	1	340	315	25	23
4. CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS	15	9	6	0	2	394	318	76	22
5. NEWTOWN JETS	16	9	6	1	1	405	304	101	21
6. BLACKTOWN WORKERS SEA EAGLES	16	9	7	0	1	412	390	22	20
7. PENRITH PANTHERS	16	8	7	1	1	356	328	28	19
8. ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	16	8	8	0	1	340	297	43	18
9. PARRAMATTA EELS	16	8	8	0	1	371	406	-35	18
10. NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	16	7	9	0	1	369	424	-55	16
11. SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS	15	4	10	1	2	278	388	-110	13
12. SYDNEY ROOSTERS	16	4	11	1	1	295	402	-107	11
13. WESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES	16	2	14	0	1	268	529	-261	6

MOST TRIES

Rank	Player	Team	P	Т
1	Watson Heleta	Blacktown	12	14
=2	James Schiller	Canberra	9	12
=2	Clayton Faulalo	Blacktown	16	12

MOST GOALS

Rank	Player	Team	P	G/A	%
1	Adam Cook	Canberra	14	57 / 74	77%
2	Kieran Hayman	Norths	15	51 / 61	84%
3	Will Pryce	Newcastle	13	40/50	80%

MOST POINTS

Rank	Player	Team	P		G	FG	Pts
1	Adam Cook	Canberra	14	3	57	-	126
2	Kieran Hayman	Norths	15	4	51	-	118
3	Will Pryce	Newcastle	13	5	40	1	101

NSWRL TEAMLISTS and RESULTS

HARVEY NORMAN WOMEN'S PREMIERSHIP ROUND 1

MOUNTIES RLFC VILLAWARRA STEELERS Sat July 6 2024, 11:00am at Aubrey Keech Reserve, Hinchinbrook / Dharawal MOUNTIES: 1. Brooke Wilkins 2. Jacinta Tui 4. Terisa Lemauga Nafatali 5. Crystal Ryan 6. Imogen Lowe 7. Hollie Massey 8. Sarah Boyle 9. Janaya Bent 11. Janelle Williams 13. Sonia Mose 14. Georgia Clements 16. Piper Sutton 17. Teina Clark 18. Oriana Epati 19. Kimberly Nikua 20. Kahu Cassidy 22. Breeze E'e 23. Lara George ILLAWARRA: 1. Jessica Patea 2. Alice Gregory 3. Mia-Rose Walsh 4. Lily Rogan 5. Maria Paseka 6. Riley Scott 7. Caitlin Moran 8. Mackenzie Lear 9. Kaarla Cowan 10. Tayla Curtis 11. Olivia Vale 12. Jordyn Preston 13. Hope Millard 14. Tayleah Handcock 15. Brielle Luccitti 16. Tiarna West 17. Ula-Mari Time-Cribb 18. Zali Yeo 19. Jayme Millard Referee: Olivia Lawne; Sideline Officials: Brodie Rushby, Matt Galvin

CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS V NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS Sat July 6 2024, 11:00am at Belmore Sports Ground, Belmore / Bidjigal CANTERBURY: 1. Natalia Webb 2. Abby Aros 3. Sarahcen Oliver 4. Litia Fusi 5. Summer Van Gelder 6. Shaquaylah Mahakitau-Monschau 7. Ambryn Murphy-Haua 8. Paea Uilou 9. Elifasa Leilua 10. Grace Giampino 11. Shaniece Monschau 12. Shannon Muru 13. Latisha Smythe 14. Waimarie Martin 15. Macie Carlile 16. Sarai Pule 17. Nanise Vakacavu 19. Ellie Williamson 20. Hana Laufale 21. Abigayle Sekitoga NEWCASTLE: 1. Lucy Spain 2. Tyla Brown 3. Ava Osland 4. Carissa Reid 5. Tamika Bull 6. Matilda Jones 7. Melanie Howard 8. Rima Butler 9. Joeli Morris 10. Lexi Beagan 11. Chelsea Lehman 12. Leilani Ahsam 13. Viena Tinao 14. Leah Ollerton 15. Lacie Quigley 16. Kyra Simon 17. Tori Brazier

Referee: William Damato; Sideline Officials: Tate Hoobin, Matthew Gomes

WESTS TIGERS V CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS Sat July 6 2024, 2:00pm at Wests Tigers Centre of Excellence, Concord / Wanngal WESTS TIGERS: 1. Tiana-Lee Thorne 2. Claudia Nielsen 3. Tess Staines 4. Harmony Crichton 5. Rebecca Pollard 7. Brooke Talataina 8. Natasha Penitani 9. Darcy Eade 10. Naomi Bott 11. Shaianne McGlone 12. Folau Vaki 13. Imogen Gobran 14. Patricia Raikadroka 15. Jae Patu 16. Claudia Brown 17. Cheyenne Baker 18. Josephine Lenaz 19. Sophie Curtain 20. Jessica Kennedy 21. Ilisia Haumono 22. Claire Kennedy CRONULLA: 1. Tia-Jordyn Vasilovski 2. Raiden Crowe 3. Joy Levy 4. Elizabeth Lomu-Stewart 5. Keilamarita Pouri-lane 6. Angie Tucker 7. Annika Picker 8. Koreti Leilua 9. Sienna Stewart 10. Ahlivia Ingram 11. Brooke Elliott 12. Jaydika Tafua 13. Stephanie Faulkner 15. Luti Maile 16. Ariana Harden 18. Kirra Smith

Referee: Jabri Daizli: Sideline Officials: Jack Bird, Mitchell Stone

U21 JERSEY FLEGG CUP ROUND 18

CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS V WESTS TIGERS Sat July 6 2024, 12:30pm at Henson Park, Marrickville / Gadigal-Wanngal CRONULLA: 1. Adrian Sandy 2. Kristian Dixon 3. Michael Gabrael 4. John-Paul Donevski 5. Te Wehi Waitere 6. Taj Ford 7. Riley Pollard 8. Jai Davies 9. Chaz Jarvis 10. Salesi Ataata 11. Max Mccarthy 12. Dylan Coutts 13. Samuel McCulloch 14. Joshua Latham 15. Felix Faatili 16. Lachlan Crouch 17. Ethan Cocco 18. Jacob Taulani 19. Lachlan Crouch WESTS TIGERS: 1. Faaletino Tavana 2. Navren Willett 3. Xavier Tauaifaiga 4. Te Umuariki Heremia-Tukere 5. Maxwell Taotua 6. Kyle King 7. Naati Teaupa 8. Vaka Aho 9. Kobie Wilson 10. Chris Faagutu 11. Sione Vaihu 12. Finnley Neilsen 13. Noah Johannssen 14. Archie Duncombe 15. Mitchell Taotua 16. Metuisela Taungatua 17. Tristyn Ball 18. Iverson Matai 19. Heith Pritchard

Referee: Micheal Ford; Sideline Officials: Martin Jones, Ben Teague

PENRITH PANTHERS V KAIVITI SILKTAILS Sat July 6 2024, 1:00pm at BlueBet Stadium, Penrith / Dharug

PENRITH: 1. Jaxen Edgar 2. Poutoa Hotere-papalii 3. Angelis Hotere-Papalii 4. Samuel Lane 5. Jirah Liddiard 6. Blake Moore 7. Zach Lamont 8. Jakeb Vailolo 9. Bayden Moran 10. Siotame Hansen 11. Riley Wake 12. Lachlan Blackburn 13. Aston Warwick 14. Jenson Tuaoi 15. Ahmani Leilua 16. Judah Galuvao 17. Luke Philp 18. Jett Cleary 19. Tim Carson 20. Josh Ruxton 21. Noah Nailagoliva 22. Cooper Ferrari KAIVITI: 1. Aisake Manna 2. Tevita Wanisi 3. Mitchell Poulter 4. Sevanaia Tovutos 5. Bill Taria 6. Orisi Bari 7. Jone Lee 8. Adrea Ramabuke 9. Seru Kalouvivalu 10. Alipate Qoro 11. Ratu Kaveni Rosau 12. Fenton Williams 13. Akuila Qoro 14. Senivalati Vunibola 15. George Satakala 16. Josefa Rateri 17. Jeremaia Keteca 18. Sulio Loka 19. Gabriel Rawamila 20. Sakenasa Naikawakawavesi 21. Sisa Vuniwaqa 22. Bale Vetaukula 23. Rusiate Bainivalu 24. Ame Bautolu

Referee: Brayden Hunt; Sideline Officials: Bradley Kiehne, Blake Williams

MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES V MELBOURNE STORM Sat July 6 2024, 1:30pm at 4 Pines Park, Brookvale / Cammeraygal MANLY: 1. Blake Metcalfe 2. Kallum Weatherall-Stacey 3. Oliver Lawry 4. Alton Naiyep 5. Una Uasi 6. Dylan Christensen 7. Travis May 8. Kylan Mafoa 9. Daniel O'Donnell 17. Campbell Munn 11. Broden Konz 12. Ryan James 13. Nicholas Lenaz 14. William Lane 15. Carsen Patu 16. Jesse Jackson 18. Mason Peut 20. TJ Herring MELBOURNE: 1. Matthew Hill 2. Bradley Avery 3. De'ontae Perese 4. Hugo Peel 5. Maanaima Amosa 6. Stanley Huen 7. Joshua Berryman 8. K-Ci Newton-Whare 10. Sheldon Diaz 12. Amare Milford 13. Angus Hinchey 14. Jak Goulding 15. Nicholas Stonestreet 17. Chase Paterson 18. Braydon Seu-Easthope Referee: Mitchell Pitscheider; Sideline Officials: Robert Morey, Isaac El-Hassen

ROUND 17 RESULTS

CANBERRA RAIDERS (34) Tries: Regan Carr 2, Jesse Limon 2, Ethan Alaia, Trae Bennetto; Goals: Trae Bennetto 4/6, Jesse Limon 1/1 DEF WARRIORS (24) Tries: Cassius Cowley, Kayliss Fatialofa, Sialetili Faeamani, Rapheal Sio; Goals: Tallan Egan 4/4 at Go Media

CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS (18) Tries: Chaz Jarvis, Riley Pollard, Max Mccarthy; Goals: Riley Pollard 3/3 DEF SYDNEY ROOSTERS (6) Tries: Jackson Pennell; Goals: Josh Durkin 1/1 at Wentworth Park, Glebe / Gadigal

MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES (48) Tries: Nepote Taufa 2, Devante Mihinui 2, Kylan Mafoa, Broden Konz, Travis May, Jesse Jackson, Una Uasi; Goals: Kallum Weatherall-Stacey 3/6, Oliver Lawry 3/3 DEF KAIVITI SILKTAILS (8) Tries: Bili Taria, Akuila Qoro at

PENRITH PANTHERS (62) Tries: Jaxen Edgar 2, Poutoa Hotere-Papalii, Jett Cleary, Angelis Hotere-Papalii, Bayden Moran, Siotame Hansen, Aston Warwick, Samuel Lane, Jakeb Vailalo, Francis Manuleleua; Goals: Jirah Liddiard 9/11 DEF WESTS TIGERS (0) at

SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS (20) Tries: Carson Kaho 2, Dane Towns, Zane Rugless; Goals: Emmanuel Di Bartolo 2/4 DEF ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS (18) Tries: Jack Quine, Nicholas Quinn, Nicholas Tsougranis, Cyrus Stanley-Traill; Goals: Ashton Ward 1/4 at

NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS (34) Tries: Myles Martin, Wilson De Courcey, Malachi Smith, Jeremy Trappett, Jack Hilliar, Sosaia Latu; Goals: Liam Sutton 5/6 DEF PARRAMATTA EELS (18) Tries: Mohamed Alameddine, Damascus Neemia, Joshua Lynn, Te Hurinui Twidle; Goals: Te Hurinui Twidle 1/4 at McDonald Jones Stadium, New Lambton / Awabakal

CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS (24) Tries: Danny Gabrael, Ragarive Wavik, Jordi Mazzone, Logan Spinks, Jed Reardon; Goals: Mitchell Woods 2/5 DEF MELBOURNE STORM (0) at AAMI Park, Melbourne / Wurundjeri

SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS V CENTRAL COAST ROOSTERS Sat July 6 2024, 3:00pm at Redfern Oval, Redfern / Gadigal SOUTH SYDNEY: 1. Daisy Gordon 2. Paige Knapp 3. Kiana Takairangi 4. Ema Rainima 5. Shanelle Lyons 6. Tarnayar Hinch 7. Maddie Studdon 8. Nancy Sullivan 9. Sian Filipo 10. Janaya Trapman 11. Mary Latu 12. Jazmon Tupou Witchman 13. Jade Etherden 14. Mikayla

Langer 15. Sienna Morgan 16. Josephine Maejiirs 17. Abbie Ritchie 18. Jenaye Collins 19. Anastacia Shum-Cottrell 20. Chloe Buttigieg CENTRAL COAST: 1. Sharni Waters 2. Ashley Ketuu 4. Sharlize Campbell 5. Mele Ketuu 7. Olivia Glanville 9. Taylah Fuiava 10. Phoenix Lamese 12. Melanie Watherston 14. Molly Pittman 17. Taylah Juckes

Referee: Curtis Robinson: Sideline Officials: Tom Stindl, Callum Richardson

MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES V PARRAMATTA EELS Sat July 6 2024, 3:00pm at 4 Pines Park, Brookvale / Cammeraygal MANLY: 1. Georgina Pratley 2. Anna Kina Tabuai-dingley 3. Shontelle Stowers 4. Aleksandra Tunufai 5. Lavinia Tauhalaliku 6. Matisse Bettridge 7. Tayla Montgomery 8. Alianna Tonuu 9. Alicia Weir 10. Jayjay Taylor 11. Makayla Eli 12. Kyla Gordon 13. Aaliyah Paki 14. Rebecca Riley 15. Toru Arakua 16. Laikha Clarke 17. Nicole Nathan 19. Taytana Pati Ah-Cheung PARRAMATTA: 1. Yasmine Baker 2. Debbie Doueihi 3. Bella Sandford 4. Rory Owen 5. Shaye Shipton 6. Tallara Bamblett 7. Sarah Dimech 8. Tafao Asaua 9. Chelsea Makira 10. Tyla Amiatu 11. Chloe Jackson 12. Tahleisha Maeva 13. Rysh'e Fa'amausili 14. Raphaella Perigo 15. Losalio Sita Payne 16. Alysha Bell 17. Ashlee Pottinger 18. Kyanna Lokeni 19. Laila Dimech 20. Aliti Namoce

Referee: Isaac El-Hassen; Sideline Officials: Mitchell Pitscheider, Robert Morey

WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES V ST GEORGE DRAGONS Sun July 7 2024, 11:15am at Ringrose Park, Wentworthville / Boolbainora WENTWORTHVILLE: 1. Caitlin Turnbull 2. Hope Schuster 3. Maddi Finch 4. Carly Abbott 5. Danielle Seckold 6. Anneka Wilson 7. Kasey Quye 8. Naomi De Bruine 9. Sarah Colman 10. Breanna Eales 11. Chantel Tugaga 12. Leilani Wilson 13. Sade Schaumkel 14. Lily Mock 15. Zali Waihape 16. Teliya Hetaraka 17. Alofa Schuster 18. Elianna Suluvale ST GEORGE: 1. Katrina Phippen 2. Brittany Constable 3. Heidi Regan 4. Jaimee-Lee Cotter 5. Mia Barber 6. Georgia Toevai 7. Madison-Lee Kelly 8. Analei Netzler 9. Bianca Cutrupi 10. Grace Li 11. Grace Clarke 12. Stephanie Ball 13. Alafou Fatu 14. Hope Hutchins 15. Taimani Kolomaka 16. Eugenia Dennison 17. Breanna Wood 18. Erin Blackwell 19. Sarah Archer

Referee: Ryan Micallef; Sideline Officials: Curtis Robinson, Olivia Lawne

PARRAMATTA EELS V SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS Sat July 6 2024, 3:00pm at New Era Stadium, Cabramatta / Cabrogal PARRAMATTA: 1. Apa Twidle 2. Mohamed Alameddine 3. Ántioch Faitala-mariner 4. Araz Nanva 5. Ollie Mccarthy 6. Matthew Hunter 7. Joshua Lynn 8. Sam Tuivaiti 9. Yehya Ayache 10. Teancum Brown 11. Raffaele De Stradis 12. Dom DeStradis 13. Saxon Pryke 14. Patrick Spence 15. Max Topou 16. Tyrese Lokeni 17. Damascus Neemia SOUTH SYDNEY: 1. Emmanuel Di Bartolo 2. Hayden Molkentien 3. Carson Kaho 4. Zane Rugless 5. Dane Towns 6. Mark Nosa 7. Jack Field 8. Toby Sullivan 9. Jordan Plath 10. Palu Tausala 11. Noah Reed 12. Joshua Alhazim 13. Louis Grossemy 14. Daniel Wright 15. Jarvis Leafa 16. Tyrese Dungay 17. Jason Hallie 18. Kayde King 19. Archie Donnelly 20. Samuel Taylor 21. Daniel Matakaiongo 22. Tyrese Dungay

Referee: Brandon Mani; Sideline Officials: Joel Pitscheider, Ethan Murray

CANBERRA RAIDERS V NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS Sun July 7 2024, 12:00pm at GIO Stadium Canberra, Bruce / Ngunnawal CANBERRA: 1. Trae Bennetto 2. Jesse Limon 3. Regan Carr 4. Siamani Leuluai 5. Izayah Petricevich 6. Jalen Afamasaga 7. Keahn Skipps 8. Jordan Uta 10. Mitchell Prest 11. Jaxon Lavender 12. Joseph Roddy 13. Delahía Wigmore 14. Ethan Alaia 15. Tane Kiriona 16. Tahrell Feaveai 17. Jayden Ford 18. Jai Purser 19. Caleb Garvie NEWCASTLE: 1. Fletcher Hunt 2. Jeremy Trappett 3. Wilson De Courcey 4. Logan Aoake 5. Sosaia Latu 6. Haami Loza 7. Liam Sutton 8. Rory Whitby 9. Malachi Smith 10. Jack Cullen 11. Elijah Leaumoana 12. Jayden Harris 13. Myles Martin 14. Taj Blackman 15. Blake Woodford 16. Kane Graham 17. Taj Ridley 18. Te Kaio Cranwell Referee: Gage Miles; Sideline Officials: Nick Beashel, Luke Heckendorf

CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS V WARRIORS Sun July 7 2024, 12:00pm at Belmore Sports Ground, Belmore / Bidjigal CANTERBURY: 1. Taye Cochrane 2. Jordi Mazzone 3. Danny Gabrael 4. Sosaia Kaufusi 5. Ratu Rinakama 6. Ragarive Wavik 7. Joseph Teaupa 8. Larry Muagututia 9. Reuben Moyle 10. Jack Underhill 11. Logan Spinks 12. Jed Reardon 13. Bud Smith 14. Patrick Young 15. Fahmy Toilalo 16. Callum Donaldson 17. Elijah Mataale WARRIORS: 1. Tallan Egan 2. Motu Pasikala 3. Alvin Chong Nee 4. Sialetili Faeamani 5. Raphael Sio 7. Cassius Cowley 8. Tobias Crosby 9. Jeriko Filipi 10. Rodney Tuipulotu Vea 11. Kayliss Fatialofa 12. Augustino Filipo 13. Etuate Fukofuka 14. Maui Winitana-Patelesio 15. Paea Sikuvea 18. Jesse Soric Referee: Blake Williams; Sideline Officials: Tom Cambourn, Tate Hoobin

SYDNEY ROOSTERS V ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS Sun July 7 2024, 12:15pm at Wentworth Park, Glebe / Gadigal SYDNEY: 1. Cathane Hill 2. Cooper Toy 3. Lachlan Dooner 4. Turoa Williams 5. Xavier Chatfield-Mooka 6. Josh Durkin 7. Reece Foley 8. Lafi Tuinauvai 9. Alan Holten 10. Zack Visconti 11. Jackson Pennell 12. Ethan Roberts 13. Luke Jack 14. Christian Abal 15. Watasoni Waqanisaravi 16. Peter Benjamin Uini 17. Noah Goodman ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA: 1. Ben Rumble 2. Ethan Cliff 3. Kye Wright 4. Benjamin Lavender 5. Jesse Williams 6. Tyler Peckham-Harris 7. Ashton Ward 8. Jett Liu 9. Kyan Hjaltason 10. Jacob Webster 11. Nicholas Tsougranis 12. Jack Quinn 13. Finau Latu 14. Jack Quinn 15. Ethan Arena 16. Travis Barrett-Hancock 17. Cyrus Stanley-Traill 18. Toby Miller 19. Ryan Hutchinson

Referee: Adam Sirianni; Sideline Officials: Jack Bird, Louis Mathesor

ROUND 17 LADDER	P	W	L	D	В	F	Α	Diff	Pts
1. CANBERRA RAIDERS	16	13	3	0	1	468	242	226	28
2. CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS	16	11	5	0	1	424	223	201	24
3. NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS	16	10	5	1	1	364	294	70	23
4. PENRITH PANTHERS	16	10	6	0	1	403	254	149	22
5. MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES	16	10	6	0	1	397	284	113	22
6. WESTS TIGERS	16	10	6	0	1	357	350	7	22
7. SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS	16	7	8	1	1	230	392	-162	17
8. SYDNEY ROOSTERS	16	7	9	0	1	326	288	38	16
9. ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS	16	7	9	0	1	398	371	27	16
10. MELBOURNE STORM	16	7	9	0	1	326	350	-24	16
11. CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS	15	6	8	1	1	298	327	-29	15
12. PARRAMATTA EELS	16	6	10	0	1	294	342	-48	14
13. WARRIORS	16	5	10	1	1	276	424	-148	13
14. KAIVITI SILKTAILS	15	0	15	0	1	174	594	-420	2

LEAGUES CLUBS AUSTRALIA RON MASSEY CUP ROUND 14

WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES V CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS Sun July 7 2024, 3:00 pm at Ringrose Park, Wentworthville / Boolbainora

WENTWORTHVILLE: 1. Austin Quast 2. Josh Minhinnick 3. Chris Tupou 4. Mose Feilo 5. Daniel Lotu 7. Liam O'Brien 8. Adam Spicer 9. Kruz Niutili-Schmidt 10. Beni Valu 11. Ilaitia Qoro 12. James Gammidge 13. Blake Cook 15. George Sukanaivalu 16. Bill Salameh 17. Henry Raiwalui 18. Liam Davidson 19. Robbie Graham 21. Denzal Tonise CANTERBURY: 1. Blake Forder 2. Trentham Petersen 3. Hamish Wilson 4. Daniel Corcoran 5. William Afualo 6. Bronson Reuben 7. Cody Fuz 8. Epeli Sukanaivalu 9. Zaidas Muagututia 10. Jirah Momoisea 11. Lajuan Vito 12. Josh Maree 13. Oliva Smith 14. Mitchell Rogers 15. Sione Siulua 16. Lleyton Borg 17. Fanafou Seve

Referee: Luke Saldern; Sideline Officials: Billy Greatbach, Ethan Klein

RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS V ST MARYS Sun July 7 2024, 3:00pm at TG Millner Field, Marsfield / Wallumettagal RYDE-EASTWOOD: 1. Curtis Wilson 2. Ryan Garner 3. Hymel Hunt 4. Steven Taupau Sako 5. Nick Mougios 6. Zane Camroux 7. Noah Ryan 8. John Tuivaiti 9. Jake Kusto 10. Aden Perry 11. Tyler Cassell 12. Joshua Finau 13. Christian Ma'anaima 14. Raymond Maroun 15. Samuel McGregor 16. Bruce Ward 17. William Swann ST MARYS: 1. William Fakatoumafi 2. Christian Crichton 3. Semisi Kioa 4. Tony Satini 5. Jamin Williams 6. Todd Sapienza 7. Zac Greene 8. Joe Vaegaau 9. Reece Goldsmith 10. Mitchell Butfield 11. Steven Tavita 12. Anton Iaria 13. Jake Rafferty-Butfield 14. Fred Pupu 16. Niko Apelu 17. Quinn Ma'aelopa 22. Adam Runchel

Referee: Mitchell Currie; Sideline Officials: Patrick Mackey, John Woods

BYES: Penrith Brothers, Mounties RLFC, Glebe Dirty Reds, Hills Bulls

ROUND 3 (RESCHEDULED FIXTURE)

MOUNTIES RLFC V HILLS BULLS

Sat 6 Jul 1:00PM at Aubrey Keech Reserve, Hinchinbrook / Dharawal

ROUND 13 RESULTS

GLEBE DIRTY REDS (50) Tries: Craig Garvey 2, Iverson Fuatimau 2, Connor Moore 2, Joseph Whitikama Temara Taipari, Casey Morgan, Dillion Adrole, Adam Batty; Goals: Joseph Whitikama Temara Taipari 5/8 DEF BROTHERS PENRITH (8) Tries: Shaun Fitzgerald, Baley Borthwick at Wentworth Park, Glebe / Gadigal

CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS (14) Tries: Lajuan Vito, William Afualo, Bronson Reuben; Goals: Cody Fuz 1/3 DEF MOUNTIES (12) Tries: Ryan Jeffery, Abiarthur Toi Tuilaepa; Goals: Roman Ioelu 2/2 at Hammondville Oval, Moorebank / Dharawal

RYDE EASTWOOD HAWKS (24) Tries: John Tuivaiti, James Valevatu, Aden Perry, Noah Ryan; Goals: Zane Camroux 4/4 DEF HILLS DISTRICT BULLS (20) Tries: Taniela Lasalo, Caleb Tohi, Coby Thomas; Goals: Brad Keighran 3/3, Jordan Rankin 1/1 at Crestwood Oval, Baulkham Hills / Bediagal

ST. MARY'S SAINTS (22) Tries: William Fakatoumafi 2, Tony Satini, Semisi Kioa; Goals: Zac Greene 2/2, Jake Rafferty-Butfield 1/2 DEF WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES (20) Tries: Henry Raiwalui, James Gammidge, Austin Quast, Daniel Lotu; Goals: Liam O'Brien 2/4 at Ringrose Park, Wentworthville / Boolbainora

ROUND 13 LADDER	P	w	L	D	В	F	Α	Diff	Pts
1. ST MARYS	11	9	2	0	2	314	215	99	22
2. GLEBE DIRTY REDS	12	8	4	0	1	361	258	103	18
3. RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS	11	6	4	1	2	242	234	8	17
4. WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES	11	6	5	0	2	294	188	106	16
5. MOUNTIES RLFC	11	5	5	1	1	222	256	-34	13
6. CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS	11	3	8	0	2	208	312	-104	10
7. PENRITH BROTHERS	12	4	8	0	1	220	335	-115	10
8. HILLS BULLS	11	3	8	0	1	210	273	-63	8

SYDNEY SHIELD ROUND 14

CABRAMATTA TWO BLUES V MOOREBANK RAMS Sat July 6 2024, 5:00pm at New Era Stadium, Cabramatta / Cabrogal CABRAMATTA: 1. Nicholas Pantelis 2. Noah Totoa 3. Kakapuna Fotu 4. Jack Clutterbuck 5. Billy Karikari 6. Darcy Brettle 7. Damien Nati 8. Dontaye Pritchard 9. Ali Hammoud 10. Adam King 12. James Khoo 13. Massimo Mari 14. Antonios Zacharia 15. Lachlan Whitton 16. Quincy Kalo Kalo 17. Peter Assaf 17. Peter Assaf MOOREBANK: 1. Braye Porter 2. Diego Bravo-Graham 4. Alexander Lawrence 5. Kobi Elguindy 6. Vincent Valentinetti 7. Aston Pollard 8. Tyler Kakuleni 9. Jordan Mcgrath 11. Nathan Vaeluaga 12. Sosaia Alatini 13. Lachlan Mifsud 14. Joshua Breen 15. Bailey Myers 16. Peteru Pritchard 17. Elvis John Oloaga 20. Joel Shields 21. Tyrus Siana Salanoa 22. Abdallah El Ters 23. David Poulivaati 26. David Leota 47. Daniel Mohammed Referee: Billy Greatbach; Sideline Officials: Brandon Mani, Ethan Murray

WENTWORTHVILLE UNITED V MANLY LEAGUES Sun July 7 2024, 1:00pm at Ringrose Park, Wentworthville / Boolbainora WENTY UNITED: 1. Liam Davidson 2. Josh Delailoa 3. Emosi Alamoti 4. Elias Abou-Mrad 5. Isikeli Laqekoro 6. Jaydn Field 7. Zachary Coom 8. Will Epere 9. Ayden Carling 10. Koevy Lemusu 11. Michael Geddes 12. Mose Feilo 13. Kye Simsic 14. Deon Iro 15. David Oxley 16. Joshua Hey 17. Michael Tupou 18. Bostyn Ligaliga MANLY: 1. Munga Baruani 2. Lachlan Burt 3. Gabe Stuart 4. Jerome Van Der Heide 5. Nepote Taufa 6. Joshua Buttenshaw 7. Leroy Murray 8. Taulauniuotagaloa Mariota 9. Thomas Thelander 10. Dylan Turner 11. Jake Watmough 12. Apolosi Laiafi 13. Nicholas Bilsborough 14. Will Golden 15. Fakavale Tonga 16. Cruz Smith 17. Nash Hillier 18. Wiremu Tibbutt

Referee: Ethan Klein; Sideline Officials: Micheal Ford, Ryan Micallef

RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS V ST MARYS Sun July 7 2024, 1:00pm at TG Millner Field, Marsfield / Wallumettagal RYDE-EASTWOOD: 1. Matthew Curl 2. John Connolly 3. Johnny Lee Gabrael 4. Vaiala Tamati 5. Josh Rizk 6. Nicholas Ferris 7. Adam Rizk 8. Ryan Joynes 9. Lachlan Garner 10. Tyson Chase 11. Tuarae Rawhiti 12. Elijah Pettit Young 13. Tangi Hokai 14. Jason Mignacca 18. Penaia Leveleve 19. Moussa Kabalan ST MARYS: 1. Masi Paulo Fidow 2. Logan Dickson 3. Mason Iaria 4. Immanuel Tagaloamatua 5. Samuel Curtain 6. Joseph Nohra 7. Sadee Sub Laban 8. Viliami Pupu 9. Filo Tuimauagula 10. Chance Te Atua 11. Henry Tuiafiso 12. Leroy Magalogo 13. Riley Stokes 14. Cooper Egan 15. Vincennes Fialelei Ausage 16. Mccann Livingston 17. Jedd Gordon 18. Sione Lino 22. Kaleb Farr Referee: Dillian Wells; Sideline Officials: Patrick Mackey, John Woods

BYES: Penrith Brothers, Mounties RLFC, Glebe Dirty Reds, Hills Bulls

ROUND 12 (RESCHEDULED FIXTURE)

GLEBE DIRTY REDS V MOUNTIES RLEC

Sun 7 Jul 1:55PM at Wentworth Park, Glebe / Gadigal

ROUND 13 RESULTS
GLEBE DIRTY REDS (36) Tries: Iobe Taukeisalili 2, Jacob Tautaiolefua, Emery Jolliffe, Byron Strickland, Temesia Jilivecevece, Daniel Cutrupi; Goals: Jacob Tautaiolefua 2/4, Levi Conti 2/3 DEF MANLY LEAGUES CLUB (28) Tries: Lachlan Burt, Jake Watmough, Thomas Thelander, Nash Hillier, Jaydan Wharerau Minovski; Goals: Lachlan Burt 4/4 at 4 Pines Park, Brookvale / Cammeraygal

BROTHERS PENRITH (28) Tries: Warren Smith 2, Joseph Malula Buhendwa 2, Siaosi Sisifa; Goals: Siaosi Sisifa 3/4, Kye Raven 1/1 DEF CABRAMATTA TWO BLUES (20) Tries: Quincy Kalo Kalo 2, Noah Totoa, Lawson Moffitt; Goals: Damian Nati 2/4 at Parker Street Oval, Penrith / Dharug

MOUNTIES (38) Tries: Nathan Davis, Sonny Bristow, Thomas Menzies, Isaac Williams, Isaac Chapman, Kyle Whitton; Goals: Kaylem Falaniko 7/7 DEF MOOREBANK RAMS (18) Tries: Tyrus Siana Salanoa, Vincent Valentinetti, Nathan Vaeluaga; Goals: Vincent Valentinetti 3/3 at Hammondville Oval, Moorebank / Dharawal

HILLS DISTRICT BULLS (28) Tries: Sunia Naruma 2, Tom Watson, Alex Fonoti, Markkuz Ofanoa; Goals: Michael White 4/5 DEF RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS (24) Tries: Adam Rizk 2, Josh Rizk, Elijah Pettit-Young, Matthew Curl; Goals: Josh Rizk 2/5 at Crestwood Oval, Baulkham Hills / Bediagal

WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES (23) Tries: Mose Feilo, Emosi Alamoti, Liam Davidson, Isikeli Lagekoro; Goals: Dylan White 3/4; Field Goals: Liam Davidson 1 DEF ST. MARY'S SAINTS (4) Tries: Sione Lino at Ringrose Park, Wentworthville / Boolbainora

ROUND 13 LADDER	Р	W	L	D	В	F	A	Diff	Pts
1. WENTWORTHVILLE UNITED	11	8	2	1	2	319	213	106	21
2. MOUNTIES RLFC	11	8	3	0	1	346	194	152	18
3. RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS	11	6	4	1	2	370	247	123	17
4. ST MARYS	11	6	5	0	2	325	301	24	16
5. HILLS BULLS	12	6	6	0	1	282	388	-106	14
6. PENRITH BROTHERS	12	5	6	1	1	261	276	-15	13
7. CABRAMATTA TWO BLUES	11	4	6	1	2	268	284	-16	13
8. GLEBE DIRTY REDS	11	5	6	0	1	289	276	13	12
9. MANLY LEAGUES	11	4	7	0	2	256	334	-78	12
10. MOOREBANK RAMS	11	2	9	0	2	214	417	-203	8

QRL TEAMLISTS and RESULTS

HOSTPLUS CUP - ROUND 17 BYE: Burleigh

NORTHERN PRIDE V CENTRAL QUEENSLAND CAPRAS

Sat 6 Jul 3:00PM at Barlow Park, Cairns / Yidinji Referee: Josh Eaton; Sideline Officials: Matt Gannon, Guy Millar

Age	Р	Т	G	FG	Pts	NORTHERN			CENTRAL	Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts
-	8	9	-	-	36	Lachlan WEST	1	1	Blake MOORE	24	14	3	7	-	26
22	1	3	-	-	12	Robert DERBY	2	2	Bob TENZA	-	14	10	-	-	40
27	9	9	-	-	36	Will PARTRIDGE	3	3	Cooper MARSHALL	23	12	2	-	-	8
23	4	2	-	-	8	Tom CHESTER	4	4	Robert JENNINGS	28	10	2	-	-	8
-	13	7	-	-	28	Jenson TAUMOEPEAU	5	5	Edrick LEE	31	13	5	-	-	20
26	9	5	-	-	20	Jake CLIFFORD	6	6	Anthony MILFORD	29	7	3	-	-	12
-	14	2	61	-	130	Thomas DUFFY	7	7	Jack MADDEN	31	14	2	-	-	8
31	14	-	-	-	-	Ash LITTLE	8	8	Tyler SZEPANOWSKI	25	7	-	-	-	-
24	14	2	1	-	10	Kyle SCHNEIDER	9	9	Trey BROWNE	25	13	3	35	-	82
28	4	-	-	-	-	Nick LUI-TOSO	10	10	Harrison LEONARD	25	11	-	-	-	-
24	13	5	-	-	20	Ewan M00RE	11	11	Larson DOYLE	-	8	1	-	-	4
-	12	8	-	-	32	Dane AUKAFOLAU	12	12	Tom FARR	24	3	1	-	-	4
25	14	1	-	-	4	Evan CHILD	13	13	Lachlan HUBNER	24	12	1	-	-	4
-	12	5	-	-	20	Dantoray LUI	14	14	Aaron MOORE	23	13	1	-	-	4
-	7	2	-	-	8	Josh ALLEN	15	15	Aaron TEROI	28	6	-	-	-	-
-	6	-	-	-	-	Kaiden LAHRS	16	16	Michael WAQA	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	11	-	-	-	-	Marly BITUNGANE	17	17	Zev JOHN	26	13	4	-	-	16
27	1	-	-	-	-	Matthew EGAN	18	18	Kurtis FARR	21	2	-	-	-	-
								19	Manu SENT	-	1	-	-	-	-
_	40	-	-	-	-	Eric SMITH			Lionel HARBIN	47	76	-	-	-	-

HEAD TO HEAD since 2012

Last met: 2023 R14 - 12-all Draw at Barlow

	TOTAL	NORTHERN	CENTRAL QLD	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	17	8	7	2
BARLOW PARK	6	5	0	1

TWEED SEAGULLS V MACKAY CUTTERS

Sat 6 Jul 5:00PM at Piggabeen Sports Complex, Tweed Heads / Bundjalung Referee: Nick Pelgrave; Sideline Officials: Steve Kanowski, Dylan Lawrence

Age	P	Т	G	FG	Pts	TWEED			MACKAY	Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
31	14	3	42	-	96	Lindon McGRADY	1	1	Rayden BURNS	-	14	5	-	-	20
21	12	8	-	-	32	Kaleb NGAMANU	2	2	Dario TAKITAKI	-	6	2	-	-	8
25	6	1	-	-	4	Lee TURNER	3	3	Josh SMITH	-	14	9	-	-	36
27	12	11	-	-	44	Brayden McGRADY	4	4	Mahe FONUA	31	14	3	-	-	12
-	5	2	-	-	8	Malakhi DONOVAN	5	5	Brent ANDERSON	-	5	3	-	-	12
24	13	6	-	-	24	Tom STEADMAN	6	6	Kauri AUPOURI-PUKETAPU	-	12	2	2	-	12
21	6	-	-	-	_	Thomas WEAVER	7	7	Riley DEAN	22	14	3	45	-	102
28	13	-	-	-	-	Lamar LIOLEVAVE	8	8	Josh HONAN	-	7	1	-	-	4
21	12	1	-	-	4	Vaka SIKAHELE	9	9	Jai HANSEN	-	14	-	-	-	-
27	11	-	-	-	-	Jerome VEVE	10	10	John RADEL	-	14	2	-	-	8
-	7	2	-	-	8	Jacob McCUDDEN	11	11	Jamal SHIBASAKI	19	12	7	-	-	28
25	14	1	-	-	4	Joseph VUNA	12	12	Hiale ROYCROFT	27	13	-	-	-	-
-	14	4	-	-	16	Harry CROKER	13	13	Brandon RUSSELL	25	12	3	-	-	12
-	11	2	-	-	8	Oskar BRYANT	14	14	Xavier KERRISK	-	4	1	-	-	4
22	9	-	-	-	-	Iszac FA'ASUAMALEAUI	15	15	Tom McNULTY	-	7	-	-	-	-
-	12	2	-	-	8	Jackson OWEN	16	16	D'Jazirhae PUA'AVASE	-	13	-	-	-	-
24	10	3	-	-	12	Ioane SEIULI	17	17	Ross BELLA	28	11	2	-	-	8
-	7	-	-	-	-	Jayden WRIGHT	18	18	Ethan SWEET	-	3	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	Parker BRYANT	19								
-	1	-	-	-	-	Tyrone HARDING	20								
51	34	-	-	-	-	David PENNA			Michael COMERFORD	-	34	-	-	-	-

HEAD TO HEAD since 2008

Last met: 2023 R14 - Tweed 32-28 at BB Print

	TOTAL	TWEED	MACKAY	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	26	15	7	4
PIGGABEEN	8	5	3	0

MOST GOALS

Rank	Player	Team	P	G/A	%
1	Thomas Duffy	Northern	14	61/85	72%
=2	Cody Hunter	Sun Coast	13	49/61	80%
=2	Bryce Donovan	Wynnum	14	49 / 63	78%

WESTERN CLYDESDALES V TOWNSVILLE BLACKHAWKS

Sat 6 Jul 6:30PM at Tully Showgrounds, Tully / Jirrbal Referee: Ben Watts; Sideline Officials: Dylan Cassidy, Taylor Worth

Age	Р	Т	G	FG	Pts	WESTERN			TOWNSVILLE	Age	Р	Т	G	FG	Pts
-	5	-	-	-	-	Dylan WHITE	1	1	Lennix TOVO	-	8	6	-	-	24
-	13	6	-	-	24	Levi HELLEUR-ATIGA	2	2	Jake RILEY	26	3	1	-	-	4
-	10	8	31	-	94	Corey FENNING	3	3	McKenzie BAKER	-	15	2	-	-	8
-	13	3	-	-	12	Esom IOKA	4	4	Gehamat SHIBASAKI	25	13	4	-	-	16
-	8	4	-	-	16	Kaden BUHSE	5	5	Dudley DOTOI	-	9	5	-	-	20
-	8	1	-	-	4	Mac PUAFISI	6	6	Kyle LAYBUTT	28	14	1	-	1	5
-	5	-	-	-	-	Kai DUGGAN	7	7	Bailey BIONDI-ODO	22	7	3	1	-	14
-	11	-	-	-	-	Neihana OLDHAM	8	8	Richard HOLANI	-	12	-	-	-	-
22	12	5	-	-	20	Taniela OTUKOLO	9	9	Toby THORBURN	-	11	2	-	-	8
26	13	-	-	-	-	Blake LENEHAN	10	10	James TAMOU	35	13	1	-	-	4
-	13	2	-	-	8	Lopeti MAFI	11	11	Edward HAMPSON	-	15	2	-	-	8
-	9	1	3	-	10	Luke ROULAND	12	12	Patrick KAUFUSI	30	14	3	-	-	12
-	13	-	-	-	-	Takai MOKOHAR	13	13	Tyreece TONGA	-	3	-	-	-	-
-	12	2	-	-	8	Drew TIMMS	14	14	Lachlan LERCH	-	4	-	-	-	-
-	7	2	-	-	8	Tahj AMONE	15	15	Morgan McWHIRTER	23	11	-	-	-	-
26	7	-	-	-	-	Todd WHITE	16	16	Cade MALONEY	29	12	-	-	-	-
-	5	-	-	-	-	Penisimani TEAUPA	17	17	Jayden SHARP	23	2	-	-	-	-
_	2	-	-	-	-	Blake CULLEN	18								
57	33	-	-	-	-	Jason ALCHIN			Terry CAMPESE	39	15	-	-	-	-

HEAD TO HEAD since 2023

Last met: 2023 R16 - Townsville 42-12 at Sullivan

	TOTAL	WESTERN	TOWNSVILLE	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	1	0	1	0
TULLY SHOWGROUND	0	0	0	

SOUTHS LOGAN MAGPIES V WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS

Sun 7 Jul 2:10PM at BMD Kougari Oval, Manly West / Quandamooka Referee: Jordan Morel; Sideline Officials: Dan Munroe, Cody Kwik

Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts	SUNSHINE COAST			IPSWICH	Age	P	Т	G	FG	Pts
26	5	1	11	-	26	Tristan SAILOR	1	1	Matthew MILSON	26	13	5	-	-	20
24	6	1	-	-	4	Jack SMITH	2	2	Stanford TALITA	-	5	3	-	-	12
24	14	4	-	-	16	Ethan QUAI-WARD	3	3	Sefa ROACHE-FAIMALO	-	9	4	-	-	16
-	9	6	-	-	24	Kienan TEMPEST	4	4	Connor BROADHURST	30	14	5	3	-	26
20	10	5	-	-	20	Denzel SAMOA	5	5	Fua SCHWALGER	-	13	8	-	-	32
25	14	4	-	-	16	Radean ROBINSON	6	6	Kurt FALLS	27	14	6	-	-	24
26	5	-	12	1	25	Brandon FINNEGAN	7	7	Bryce DONOVAN	29	14	3	49	-	110
29	13	-	-	-	-	Pride PETTERSON-ROBATI	8	8	Zac HETHERINGTON	-	13	-	-	-	-
20	12	6	-	-	24	Blake MOZER	14	14	Oliver PASCOE	24	10	-	-	-	-
-	13	3	-	-	12	Va'a SEMU	10	10	Darius FARMER	25	9	-	-	-	-
25	13	2	-	-	8	Kobe TARARO	11	11	Justin FRAIN	25	6	1	-	-	4
23	6	-	-	-	-	Tyler COBURN	12	12	Luke GALE	24	14	4	-	-	16
25	14	2	-	-	8	Rory FERGUSON	13	13	Joshua STUCKEY	25	14	4	-	-	16
27	12	1	-	-	4	William SAMUEL	15	15	Nathan WARD	-	2	-	-	-	-
-	4	3	-	-	12	Harry WALTERS	16	16	Ethan MALT	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	4	2	-	-	8	Te McDONALD	17	19	Cameron BUKOWSKI	-	2	-	-	-	-
22	13	1	-	-	4	Callum EGGERLING	18	21	Brendan FREI	27	2	-	-	-	-
								18	Harry ARMSTRONG	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	36	-	-	-	-	Karmichael HUNT			Mathew HEAD	42	37	-	-	-	-

HEAD TO HEAD since 1981

Last met: 2023 SF - Wynnum 30-24 at Logan Metro

	TOTAL	SOUTHS LOGAN	WYNNUM-MANLY	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	59	21	37	1
KOUGARI OVAL	27	12	14	1

MOST POINTS

Rank	Player	Team	Р	T	G	FG	Pts
1	Thomas Duffy	Northern	14	2	61	-	130
2	Gerome Burns	Norths	11	7	43	1	115
3	Bryce Donovan	Wynnum	14	3	49	-	110

SUNSHINE COAST FALCONS V IPSWICH JETS

Sun 7 Jul 2:30PM at Sunshine Coast Stadium, Bokarina / Kabi Kabi Referee: Lachlan Sutton; Sideline Officials: Jack Ebert, Marcus Fitzgerald

Age	Р	Т	G	FG	Pts	SUNSHINE COAST			IPSWICH	Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts
23	7	3	-	-	12	Zacariah MILES	1	1	Ono SO'OIALO	31	1	-	-	-	-
26	13	5	-	-	20	Scott GALEANO	2	2	Ken MAUMALO	29	11	3	-	-	12
-	4	-	-	-	-	Taine COUPER	3	3	Dominic MACUMBOY	26	10	2	-	-	8
-	2	1	-	-	4	Harrison McINDOE	4	4	Mathew LYONS	26	3	4	-	-	16
-	5	1	-	-	4	Ammaron GUDGEON	5	5	Brandon ROBERTS	25	2	2	5	-	18
-	-	-	-	-	-	Corey HERDEGEN	6	6	Dray NGATUERE-WROE	25	9	2	-	-	8
22	13	2	49	-	106	Cody HUNTER	7	7	Kyle FOXWELL	-	13	2	1	-	10
32	6	1	-	-	4	Chris LEWIS	18	8	TBC	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	10	1	-	-	4	Danny HEENAN	9	9	Rhys JACKS	34	12	1	-	-	4
25	13	1	-	-	4	Lazarus VAALEPU	10	10	Clayton MACK	24	13	-	-	-	-
26	12	2	-	-	8	Louis GERAGHTY	11	11	Bradley ZAMPECH	-	4	2	-	-	8
	6	1	-	-	4	Javvier PITOVAO	12	12	Kalin ROPATA	-	4	-	-	-	-
28	11	3	-	-	12	Sam BURNS	13	13	Arama HAU	19	12	5	-	-	20
-	11	-	-	-	-	Kyle PATERSON	14	14	Samuel INOKE	-	8	-	-	-	-
-	13	5	-	-	20	Caius FAATILI	15	15	Brandon CLARKE	23	4	-	-	-	-
-	9	4	-	-	16	Thallon PETERS	16	16	Brett GREINKE	30	8	-	-	-	-
23	-	-	-	-	-	Kaleb SUTTON	17								
-	-	-	-	-	-	Cruz LASIKE	19	18	Chayse CAVANAGH	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	Jed BIGNELL	20								
-	-	-	-	-	-	Riley MOORE	21								
-	57	-	-	-	-	Brad HENDERSON			Tye INGEBRIGTSEN	-	4	-	-	-	-

HEAD TO HEAD since 1996

Last met: 2023 R20 - Sunshine Coast 24-10 at Sunshine Coast

	TOTAL	SUNSHINE COAST	IPSWICH	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	27	12	13	2
SUNSHINE COAST	13	6	6	1

NORTHS DEVILS V PNG HUNTERS

Sun 7 Jul 2:30PM at Bishop Park, Nundah / Turrbal Referee: Tyson Brough; Sideline Officials: Isaac Freeman, Nathan Cornick

Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts	SOUTHS LOGAN			WYNNUM	Age	Р	Т	G	FG	Pts
23	13	14	12	-	80	Jordan LIPP	1	1	Sanny WABO	-	12	8	-	-	32
26	2	1	1	-	6	Andre NIKO	2	2	Brandon NIMA	27	13	5	-	-	20
22	5	4	-	-	16	Tesi NIU	3	3	Clent LAMA	-	9	5	15	-	50
23	11	7	-	-	28	Blake PASKINS	4	4	Alex MAX	-	9	9	-	-	36
-	13	14	-	-	56	Manase KAHO	5	5	Solo WANE	25	13	2	-	-	8
26	13	3	-	-	12	Julian CHRISTIAN	6	6	Finley GLARE	-	11	4	6	-	28
31	6	-	-	-	-	Jack AHEARN	7	7	Joshua LAU	-	11	2	-	-	8
-	9	3	-	-	12	Cooper JENKINS	8	8	Valentine RICHARD	-	10	4	-	-	16
30	13	1	-	-	4	Kierran MOSELEY	9	9	Judah RIMBU	22	13	8	-	-	32
22	12	1	-	-	4	Tukimihia SIMPKINS	10	10	Anthony WOROT	28	8	-	-	-	-
21	9	3	-	-	12	Oryn KEELEY	11	11	Whallan TAU-LOI	-	11	3	-	-	12
23	13	4	-	-	16	Jeremiah SIMBIKEN	12	12	Benjamin KELLY	-	10	3	-	-	12
20	12	2	-	-	8	Mason TEAGUE	13	13	Ila ALU	29	12	-	-	-	_
-	1	-	-	-	-	Zakaria McGUIRE	14	14	Junior ROP	29	5	2	-	-	8
-	10	2	-	-	8	James FLACK	15	15	Koso BANDI	-	11	-	-	-	-
27	10	3	-	-	12	Sam ELLIOTT	16	16	Jordan PAT	26	12	2	-	-	8
27	7	1	-	-	4	George FAI	17	17	Sakias KOMATI	-	5	2	-	-	8
-	-	-	-	-	-	Declan HAYDON	18	18	Joshua MIRE	-	4	-	-	-	-
								19	Jamie MAVOKO	28	8	2	28	-	64
-	32	-	-	-	-	David ELLIOTT			Paul AITON	39	13	-	-	-	-

HEAD TO HEAD since 2014

Last met: 2023 R22 - Norths 40-30 at Bishop

	TOTAL	NORTHS	PNG	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	14	9	5	0
BISHOP PARK	8	6	2	0

MOST TRIES

Rank	Player	Team	Р	T
=1	Jordan Lipp	Norths	13	14
=1	Manase Kaho	Norths	13	14
=3	Coby Williamson	Brisbane	11	11
=3	Brayden McGrady	Tweed	12	11

BRISBANE TIGERS V REDCLIFFE DOLPHINS

Sun 7 Jul 3:00PM at Totally Workwear Stadium, Coorparoo / Turrbal Referee: Belinda Sharpe; Sideline Officials: Nick Morel, Tori Wilkie

Age	Р	T	G	FG	Pts	BRISBANE			REDCLIFFE	Age	Р	Т	G	FG	Pts
24	6	-	-	-	-	Tahj WOOD	1	1	Latrell SIEGWALT	-	11	2	-	-	8
-	11	11	-	-	44	Coby WILLIAMSON	2	2	Elijah ANDERSON	25	2	-	-	-	-
-	2	1	-	-	4	Tony THOMPSON	3	3	Steven NUMAMBO	-	10	6	-	-	24
-	7	2	-	-	8	Saimone AHOMANA	4	4	Valynce TE WHARE	23	14	4	-	-	16
24	2	3	-	-	12	Ricco FALANIKO	5	5	Brenton BAIRA	21	7	8	20	-	72
32	13	2	-	-	8	Ryley JACKS	6	6	John FINEANGANOFO	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	5	-	-	-	-	Keagan RUSSELL-SMITH	7	7	Joshua JAMES	23	14	3	34	2	82
-	5	-	-	-	-	Samuel WALLIS	8	8	Nathan WATTS	27	14	1	-	-	4
27	9	3	20	-	52	Tristan HOPE	9	9	Sheldon PITAMA	27	14	2	-		8
34	13	2	-	-	8	Leivaha PULU	10	10	Jarrod WALLACE	32	8	5	-	-	20
-	5	-	-	-	-	Asher O'DONNELL	11	11	Jackson FREI	26	14	2	-	-	8
27	5	-	-	-	-	Moses NOOVAO-McGREAL	12	12	Jaron PURCELL	-	13	2	-	-	8
-	-	-	-	-	-	TBC	13	13	Max BAILEY	27	12	2	-	-	8
-	11	1	-	-	4	Jontay-Junior BETHAM-MISA	14	14	Brent WOOLF	26	11	2	-	-	8
33	10	-	1	-	2	Bennett LESLIE	15	15	Jarrett BOLAND	26	8	1	-	-	4
36	12	1	-	-	4	Chris McQUEEN	16	16	Lachlan LEWIS	-	3	-	-	-	-
-	13	2	-	-	8	Jack NATAPU	17	17	James WALSH	-	5	4	-	-	16
27	9	1	-	-	4	Thomas RAFTER	18	18	Ob TAWHA	-	11	5	-	-	20
_	36	-	_	_	_	Matt CHURCH		_	Ben TE'0	37	35	-	_	_	-

HEAD TO HEAD since 1973

Last met: 2023 R13 - Redcliffe 38-22 at Totally Workwear

	TOTAL	BRISBANE	REDCLIFFE	DRAWN
ALL MATCHES	62	22	39	1
TOTALLY WORKWEAR	27	13	14	0

ROUND 16 RESULTS

BYE: Centra

NORTHERN 20 (R. Derby 3, L. West tries; T. Duffy 2 goals) DEFEATED MACKAY 12 (R. Bella, R. Dean tries; K. Aupouri-Puketapu 2 goals) at Barlow Park. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Northern 10-0. Referee: Matt Gannon. Northern: West, Derby, Partridge, Lui, Woodhouse; Egan, Duffy; Little, Schneider (C), Bitungane, Moore, Aukafolau, Child. Int: King-Smith, Casey-Douglas, Lahrs, Teutau. Mackay: Burns, Anderson, Smith, Fonua, Takitaki; Dean, Aupouri-Puketapu; Honan, Hansen, Radel, Shibasaki, Roycroft (C), Russell. Int: Kerrisk, McNulty, Pua'avase, Bella.

SUNSHINE COAST 14 (C. Lewis, T. Peters tries; C. Hunter 3 goals) DEFEATED WYNNUM 10 (F. Schwalger 2 tries; B. Donovan goal) at BMD Kougari Oval. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Sunshine Coast 8-6. Referee: Jarrod Cole. Wynnum: Milson, Talita, Roache-Faimalo, Broadhurst, Schwalger; Falls, Donovan (C); Hetherington, Pascoe, Farmer, Frain, Gale, Stuckey. Int: Bukowski, Ward. Malt, Frei. Sunshine Coast: Miles, Camilleri. McIndoe, Galeano, Gudgeon; Polselli, Hunter; Lewis, Heenan, Vaalepu, Geraghty, Peters, Burns (C). Int: Paterson, Hill, Faatili, Couper.

NORTHS 36 (S. Elliott 2, J. Gagan, M. Kaho, K. Moseley, A. Niko tries; J. Lipp 5, A. Niko goals) DEFEATED TOWNSVILLE 10 (P. Kaufusi, J. Riley tries; B. Biondi-Odo goal) at Jack Manski Oval. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 5:00 PM. Halftime: Norths 24-0. Referee: Josh Eaton. Townsville: Tovo, Riley, Baker, Shibasaki, Dotoi; Laybutt (C), Biondi-Odo; Holani, Thorburn, Tamou, Hampson, Kaufusi, Tonga. Int: Sharp, Lerch, McWhirter, Maloney, Norths: Lipp, Niko, Paskins, Gagan, Kaho; Christian, Ahearn; Jenkins, Moseley (C), Simpkins, Keeley, Simbiken, Teaque. Int: McCluire, Duffy, Elliott, Fai.

BURLEIGH 56 (B. Butler, S. Coster, S. Gardiner, G. Hamilton, M. Koellner, J. Patston, P. Politoni, C. Toia, M. Watson tries; G. Hamilton 10 goals) DEFEATED WESTERN 18 (C. Fenning 2, E. Ioka tries; C. Fenning 3 goals) at Father Ranger Oval. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 6:00 PM. Halftime: Burleigh 24-0. Referee: Jack Ebert. Western: White, Helleur-atiga, Fenning, Ioka, Buhse; Puafisi, Duggan; Pere (C), Otukolo, Lenehan, Mafi, Amone, Mokohar. Int: Timms, Rouland, White, Teaupa. Burleigh: Toia, Watson, Sauiluma (C), Pere, O'Meley; Gardiner, Hamilton; Butler, Politoni, Koellner, Patston, Schwass, Coster. Int: Geyer; Murray, Sheldon, O'Neill.

SOUTHS LOGAN 27 (H. Walters 3, E. Quai-Ward, D. Samoa tries; C. Black 2, B. Finnegan goals; B. Finnegan field goal) DEFEATED BRISBANE 26 (R. Falaniko 2, C. Williamson 2, T. Thompson tries; T. Hope 3 goals) at Davies Park. Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime: Brisbane 20-12. Referee: Ben Watts. Souths Logan: Robinson, Smith, Quai-Ward, Tempest, Samos, Black, Finnegan; Petterson-Robati, Eggerling, Semu, Tararo, Coburn, Ferguson (C). Int: Paraia, Samuel, Walters, Fai. Brisbane: Wood, Williamson, Thompson, Ahomana, Falaniko; Jacks (C), Russell-Smith; Wallis, Hope, Pulu, O'Donnell, Noovao-McGreal, MacDonald. Int: Betham-Misa, Leslie, McQueen, Natapu.

REDCLIFFE 58 (B. Baira 2, J. Wallace 2, J. Frei, S. Numambo, S. Pitama, J. Purcell, J. Walsh, B. Woolf tries; B. Baira 9 goals) DEFEATED TWEED 12 (H. Croker 2 tries; L. McGrady 2 goals) at Kayo Stadium. Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 2:10 PM. Halftime: Redcliffe 24-6. Penalties: 5-all. Referee: Jordan Morel. Redcliffe: Siegwalt, Dobson, Numambo, Te Whare, Baira; O'Sullivan, James; Watts, Pitama, Wallace, Purcell, Frei, Bailey (C). Int: Woolf, Boland, Lewis, Walsh. <u>Tweed</u>: McGrady (C), HARDING, Ngamanu, Turner, Donovan; Steadman, Weaver; Burton, Sikahele, Liolevave, Vuna, Croker, Owen. Int: Marks, Wright, Stephenson, Veve.

PNG 28 (A. Max 2, F. Glare, V. Richard, J. Rimbu tries; J. Mavoko 4 goals) DEFEATED IPSWICH 22 (A. Hau, M. Lyons, D. Ngatuere-Wroe, B. Roberts tries; B. Roberts 3 goals) at North Ipswich Reserve. Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: PNG 28-4. Referee: Lachlan Sutton. Ipswich: So'oialo, Maumalo, Macumboy, Lyons, Roberts; Ngatuere-Wroe, Foxwell; Stimson, Jacks (C), Mack, Zampech, Ropata, Hau. Int: Inoke, Kali, Greinke, Clarke. PNG: Wabo, Nima, Lama, Max, Wane; Glare, Mavoko; Richard, Rimbu, Worot, Tau-Loi, Kelly, Rop (C). Int: Kai, Bandi, Pat, Komati.

ROUND 16 LADDER	P	W	L	D	В	F	A	Diff	Pts
1. NORTHS DEVILS	13	10	3	0	3	431	198	233	26
2. NORTHERN PRIDE	14	11	3	0	2	452	232	220	26
3. BURLEIGH BEARS	15	10	5	0	1	439	264	175	22
4. REDCLIFFE DOLPHINS	14	9	5	0	2	392	262	130	22
5. WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS	14	8	5	1	2	362	328	34	21
6. SUNSHINE COAST FALCONS	13	8	5	0	2	322	247	75	20
7. CENTRAL QUEENSLAND CAPRAS	14	7	5	2	2	296	290	6	20
8. PNG HUNTERS	13	7	6	0	2	384	371	13	18
9. BRISBANE TIGERS	13	5	7	1	3	288	323	-35	17
10. MACKAY CUTTERS	14	6	8	0	2	322	365	-43	16
11. SOUTHS LOGAN MAGPIES	14	6	8	0	2	323	424	-101	16
12. TOWNSVILLE BLACKHAWKS	15	7	8	0	1	274	394	-120	16
13. TWEED SEAGULLS	14	5	9	0	2	308	419	-111	14
14. IPSWICH JETS	13	1	12	0	3	220	430	-210	8
15. WESTERN CLYDESDALES	13	1	12	0	3	236	502	-266	8

SUMMER INTERNATIONALS WRAP with ROB McHUGH

WOMEN'S TEST: ENGLAND 42 FRANCE 0 AT STADE ERNEST WALLON

England's women kicked off the doubleheader of mid-season internationals at Toulouse's Stade Ernest-Wallon with a comfortable win over France, thanks to a magnificent performance from 17-year-old Isabel Rowe of the Wigan

France can be proud of their performance, which was more competitive than last year's 64-0 defeat and a sign that the game is beginning to move in the right direction in France.

England only needed four minutes to open the scoring, as Anna Davis opened the scoring on the right wing. Jodie Cunningham's pass cut out centre, Amy Hardcastle, finding Davis, who stepped inside off her wing to score. However, Rowe missed the conversion, so the score stayed at 4-0. England extended their lead in the eighth minute, again cutting the left side of the French defence to shreds, as would become a theme on the day. Good play from Zoe Harris, who had an excellent game, released Amy Hardcastle who was too fast and strong for France's right-edge defence and she barged over to score. Rowe's kick hit the post, meaning that England's lead extended to 8-0.

York Valkyrie full-back, Georgie Hetherington, scored England's next try in the 22nd minute. Harris was the creator again, throwing the final pass to Hetherington as the French defence parted, allowing Hetherington to stroll through and score from close range. Rowe was on target with her first successful goal of the game to make the score 14-0. Harris went from creator to scorer for England's next score in the 24th minute, as they scored back-toback tries. However, all of the work was done in the build-up by Hardcastle, who held off two defenders, including a remarkable hand-off with her left arm, which sent a French defender flying. Hardcastle passed inside to Harris who scored a well-deserved try. Rowe was on target with the conversion to make the score 20-0, which is how it

England quickly extended their lead in the second half, scoring in the 49th minute and Harris was involved again. Harris's bullet pass released Paige Travis, who barged over from close range. Rowe was on target with the kick to make the score 26-0 to England. Davis scored England's next try, with England exploiting France's porous left edge once again. Hardcastle was involved again, drawing in the French defence who, by this stage, were so occupied with the threat of her running game, neglected to shut down the pass to the wing, giving Davis the space to score.

Eboni Partington scored England's penultimate try, this time down England's left wing. France will be disappointed with their effort in defence, with England playing the ball close to the touchline and exploiting the blindside, where Partington went through a gap in the defensive line to touchdown. Emily Rudge scored the final try of the night, taking in a short pass from the impressive Rowe to round off the scoring, and a good win for a confident England

FRANCE	0	-	42	ENGLAND
		ī	2	Anna DAVIES
		-	_	Amy HARDCASTLE
				Zoe HARRIS
				Georgie HETHERINGTON
				Eboni PARTINGTON
				Emily RUDGE
				Paige TRAVIS
		G	5/8	Isabel ROWE
	TE	AMSHEET	ΓS	
Manon SAMARRA	1	FB	1	Georgie HETHERINGTON
Chahrazad HIMOUDI	2	W	2	Eboni PARTINGTON
Cristina SONG PUCHE	3	C	3	Caitlin BEEVERS
Amael VILANOVE	4	C	4	Amy HARDCASTLE
Perle RAMAZEILLES	5	W	5	Anna DAVIES
Justine ROSES	6	FE	6	Zoe HARRIS
Lisa DIRAISON	7	НВ	7	Isabel ROWE
Élisa AKPA (c)	8	FR	8	Liv WOOD
Mahault POMMIER	9	HK	9	Keara BENNETT
Salomé SÉGALA	10	FR	10	Shona HOYLE
Inés LEGOUT	11	2R	11	Paige TRAVIS
Stacy BESSIERE	12	2R	12	Emily RUDGE
Leïla BESSAHLI	13	L	13	Jodie CUNNINGHAM (c)
Noemie SAMUEL	14	В	14	Katie MOTTERSHEAD
Perrine MONSERATT	15	В	15	Vicky WHITFIELD
Haoua KESSELY	16	В	16	Zoe HORNBY
Tallis KURESA	17	В	17	Bella SYKES
Romain MAILLOT		HC		Stuart BARROW

Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 3:30 PM. Halftime: England (W) 20-0. Penalties: 4-all. Referee: Geoffrey Poumes.

MEN'S TEST: ENGLAND 40 FRANCE 8 AT STADE ERNEST WALLON

England eventually registered a comfortable win over France in a mid-season which was part of the celebrations of 90 years of Rugby League in France.

France came into the game on a run of 22 successive defeats and, although they eventually succumbed to a heavy defeat, there were moments early in the game where it appeared that they may pull off a shock.

After a fast start, France took an early lead. England debutant, Matty Nicholson, produced an error which gave France good field position. They took full advantage, as Arthur Mourgue kicked behind England winger, Ash Handley, and Fouad Yaha got on the end of the kick to produce a good finish, giving France an early lead. Mourgue kicked the extras to give France an early 6-0 lead. England's forward pack was struggling to match the intensity of the French pack early on, as experienced duo, Romain Navarette and Julian Busquets set the tone in the early exchanges. When Luke Thompson was caught offside, it gave Mourgue a chance to extend France's lead, which he gratefully accepted, to give Les Bleus an early 8-0 led. However, two excellent positional kicks from Harry Smith gave England their first real field position of the game and it did not take them long to take control of the contest. Full-back, Jack Welsby, who was England's best player on the night, scored their first try. Welsby broke down the short-side before offloading to winger Johnstone, who returned the ball to Welsby, who dived into the corner to score England's first try of the game. Smith kicked the goal from the touchline to bring England back within two points.

Welsby was then involved in the next England try, as they scored from back-to-back sets. Welsby passed to Harry Newman who ran at the French line and dummied, before eventually releasing the ball to Leeds Rhinos teammate, Handley, who bumped off defender, Mourgue, before scoring in the corner. Smith missed the kick, giving England a 10-8 lead, and putting them in front for the first time in the game. England soon scored again, which was their third try in six minutes and Johnstone was heavily involved in the build-up again. Receiving the ball on the left wing, Johnstone cut inside, skirting his way around six French defenders before throwing a long, looping pass to Newman, who passed the ball out to Handley who touched down for his second try of the game. Smith was off target again, limiting England's lead to six points, at 14-8. Johnstone then grabbed his first try of the night in the 32nd minute. England worked the ball well from left to right, before switching the direction of attack back to the left through the hands of Elliot Minchella, who impressed at loose forward, Smith and George Williams, who then floated a lovely pass out to Johnstone who scored a simple try. Smith's missed conversion meant England led 18-8 at halftime. England's greater strength off the bench had been instrumental in overcoming France's early onslaught.

The second half began scrappily, as both sides were slow to get into their stride. However, England opened their account in the 58th minute as youngster, Matty Nicholson atoned for his earlier error, getting on the end of a good kick through the defence to score an international try on debut. Smith missed another kick, but England were now in full control. England only needed four minutes to score their next try of the game, as the influential Welsby scored his second of the night. The try was created by impressive second rower, Ben Currie, who broke through the line before passing to Welsby to score. Smith, who had something of a Jekyll and Hyde performance - brilliant in general play, but inconsistent from the kicking tee - was on target this time to put the result beyond any doubt. Mikey Lewis started the game on the bench and was introduced in the unfamiliar position of hooker, but his natural running game added fresh impetus to the England attack. Lewis created a try for Williams, producing a brilliant step to break through the French line on halfway before passing inside to Williams for a simple score. Smith added the conversion to make the score 34-8 with six minutes to go.

There was still time for the impressive Johnstone to score a second try of the night, touching down with the final play of the game, stepping inside off his wing to score after good build-up play from Smith. Smith ended his night on a high, slotting the conversion from the touchline to round off the scoring for England. England will ultimately be pleased with their work. For France, it represents an improvement on last year's heavy defeat.

FRANCE	8	-	40	ENGLAND
Fouad YAHA		T	2	Ash HANDLEY
			2	Tom JOHNSTONE
			2	Jack WELSBY
				Matthew NICHOLSON
				George WILLIAMS
Arthur MOURGUE	2/2	G	4/8	Harry SMITH
	TE	AMSHEE1	ſS	
Arthur MOURGUE	1	FB	1	Jack WELSBY
Fouad YAHA	2	W	2	Tom JOHNSTONE
Matthieu LAGUERRE	3	C	3	Sam W00D
Enzo GRIFFIER	4	C	4	Harry NEWMAN
Hakim MILOUDI	5	W	5	Ash HANDLEY
César ROUGÉ	6	FE	6	George WILLIAMS (c)
Théo FAGES	7	НВ	7	Harry SMITH
Romain NAVARRETE	8	FR	8	Luke THOMPSON
Alrix DA COSTA	9	HK	9	Bradley O'NEILL
Julian BOUSQUET	10	FR	10	Matty LEES
Mickaël GOUDEMAND	11	2R	11	Ben CURRIE
Paul SÉGUIER	12	2R	12	Matthew NICHOLSON
Benjamin GARCIA (c)	13	L	13	Elliot MINCHELLA
Ugo TISON	14	В	14	Mikey LEWIS
Tiaki CHAN	15	В	15	James HARRISON
Justin SANGARÉ	16	В	16	Tyler DUPREE
Franck MARIA	17	В	17	Oliver WILSON
Laurent FRAYSSINOUS		НС		Andy LAST

MEN'S BETFRED CHAMPIONSHIP

ROUND 13 RESULTS

DONCASTER 18 (B. Faraimo, T. Halliday, R. Lyne tries; C. Robinson 3 goals) DEFEATED SWINTON 8 (J. Purcell try; D. Abram 2 goals) at Millennium Stadium. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 6:30 PM. Halftime: Swinton 8-0. Penalties: 9-all. Referee: Cameron Worsley. Crowd: 1,056. Doncaster: Guzdek, Faraimo, Lyne, Tali, Halliday; Hall, Robinson; Knowles-Tagg, Lovodua, Matagi, Ferres, Pauli, Wilde. Int: Hey, Foster, Boas, Mafi. Swinton: Purcell, Chrimes, Spedding, Hatton, Williams; Stevens, Abram; Wood, Burns, Walker, Vaughan, Cox, Hall. Int: Roby, Case, Brown, Badrock.

TOULOUSE 20 (P. Marcon, R. Rennie, R. Rivett tries; J. Shorrocks 4 goals) DEFEATED FEATHERSTONE 0 at Stade Ernest Wallon. Date: Sat, 29th June. Kickoff: 9:00 PM. Halftime: Toulouse 14-0. Penalties: Toulouse 12-9. Referee: Ryan Cox. Crowd: 4,907. Toulouse: Ashall-Bott, Ulberg, Rennie, Jussaume, Marcon; Rivett, Shorrocks; Belmas, Gahan, Hansen, Stefani, Peyroux, Marion. Int: Pélissier; Roumanos, Armitage, Biscarro. Featherstone: Aekins, Gale, Turner, Minikin, Eden; Patton, Lacans; Nakubuwai, Bowes, Kamano, Hardcastle, Day, Addy. Int: Jones, Springer, England, Wynne.

HALIFAX 38 (C. Graham 2, E. Barber, M. Gee, L. Jouffret, J. Keyes, B. Tibbs tries; L. Jouffret 5 goals) DEFEATED WHITEHAVEN 18 (L. Hanneghan 2, R. Corkill tries; J. Carter 3 goals) at The Shay Stadium. Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 1:00 PM. Halftime: Whitehaven 14-6. Penalties: 4-all. Referee: Kevin Moore. Halifax: Woodburn-Hall, McComb, Barber, Tibbs, Graham; Jouffret, Keyes; Tangata, O'Brien, Fairbank, Kavanagh, Gee, Lannon. Int: Davies, Widdop, Boyer, Larroyer: Whitehaven: Maizen, Romeo, Evans, Teare, Boafo; Carter, Hanneghan; Graham, Newton, Ainley, McCarron, Corkill, King. Int: Doran, Castle, High, Worthington.

WAKEFIELD 36 (D. Olpherts 3, J. Griffin, J. Pitts, O. Pratt, L. Walmsley tries; M. Jowitt 2, L. Walmsley 2 goals)
DEFEATED BARROW 0 at Northern Competitions Stadium. Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 2:00 PM. Halftime:
Wakefield Trinity 16-0. Penalties: Barrow 11-6. Referee: Marcus Griffiths. Crowd: 2,245. Barrow: Cresswell,
Bulman, Costello, Broadbent, Shaw; Walker, Johnston; Gillam, Wood, Silva, Greenwood, Stack, Worthington. Int:
Smith, Wilkinson, Clarke, Walker: Wakefield: Jowitt, McGillvary, Croft, Pratt, Olpherts; Gale, Kay; Bowden, Hood,
Atoni, Ashurst, Griffin, Pitts. Int: Walmsley, Uele, Smith, Bain.

BRADFORD 38 (Z. Fulton 2, J. Davies, T. Holmes, M. Lehmann, J. Lilley, M. Souter tries; J. Lilley 5 goals) DEFEATED DEWSBURY 12 (R. Dixon, O. Restall tries; P. Sykes, C. Turner goals) at FLAIR Stadium. Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Bradford 16-6. Penalties: Bradford 14-10. Referee: Andy Sweet. <u>Dewsbury</u>: Turner, Carr, Walker, O'Connor, Restall; Sykes, Hookem; Beckett, Butterworth, Walker, Graham, Billington, Collinson. Int: Dixon, Morris, Davies, Bibby. <u>Bradford</u>: McGowan, Taufua, Gill, Myers, Lehmann; Holmes, Lilley; Appo, Souter, Baldwinson, Davies, Fulton, Hallas. Int: Scurr, Peposhi, Ott, Pele.

BATLEY 24 (G. Senior 2, D. Morton, L. Walshaw tries; J. Woods 4 goals) DEFEATED WIDNES 16 (M. Butt, M. Fozard, J. Owens tries; T. Gilmore 2 goals) at DCBL Stadium. Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Batley 12:10. Penalties: Widnes 8-6. Referee: Matthew Lynn. Crowd: 2,476. Widnes: Owens, Butt, Fleming, Brand, Brookes; Roby, Gilmore; Kirk, Johnstone, Murray, Lloyd, Wilde, Gregson. Int: Fozard, Langtree, Roberts, Brogan. Batley: Hooley, Morton, Buchanan, Senior, Burton; White, Woods; Brown, Moore, Cooper, Manning, Walshaw, Putt. Int: Burton, Ward, Mitsias, Kibula.

SHEFFIELD 18 (J. Farrell, A. Thackeray, K. Welham tries; C. Aston 3 goals) DEFEATED YORK 10 (A. Hingano, B. Ward tries; W. Dagger goal) at LNER Community Stadium. Date: Sun, 30th June. Kickoff: 3:00 PM. Halftime: Sheffield 12-0. Penalties: York 6-4. Referee: Scott Mikalauskas. York: Dagger, Brown, Williams, Keinhorst, Ward; Harris, Hingano; Santi, Jubb, Thompson, Field, Bailey, Gannon. Int: Fitzsimmons, Teanby, Michael, Daley. Sheffield: Marsh, Jones-Bishop, Welham, Glover, Dawson-Jones; Aston, Thackeray; Battye, Halafihi, Clark, Foster, Farrell, Hodgson. Int: Dickinson, Bower, Gwaze, Wood..

ROUND 13 TABLE	Р	W	L	D	В	F	Α	Diff	Pts
1. WAKEFIELD TRINITY	13	13	0	0	0	486	142	344	26
2. SHEFFIELD EAGLES	13	10	3	0	0	354	217	137	20
3. TOULOUSE OLYMPIQUE	13	9	4	0	0	370	190	180	18
4. BRADFORD BULLS	13	9	4	0	0	345	218	127	18
5. WIDNES VIKINGS	13	7	5	1	0	315	245	70	15
6. FEATHERSTONE ROVERS	13	6	7	0	0	330	283	47	12
7. BATLEY BULLDOGS	13	6	7	0	0	205	286	-81	12
8. DONCASTER RLFC	13	5	7	1	0	237	325	-88	11
9. YORK KNIGHTS	13	5	8	0	0	285	297	-12	10
10. WHITEHAVEN RLFC	13	4	7	2	0	266	358	-92	10
11. HALIFAX PANTHERS	13	5	8	0	0	270	377	-107	10
12. BARROW RAIDERS	13	5	8	0	0	219	377	-158	10
13. SWINTON LIONS	13	4	9	0	0	260	332	-72	8
14. DEWSBURY RAMS	13	1	12	0	0	164	459	-295	2

MOST TRIES

Rank	Player	Team	P	T
1	Lachlan Walmsley	Wakefield	12	15
=2	Zac Fulton	Bradford	11	10
=2	Derrell Olpherts	Wakefield	12	10
=2	Maxime Stefani	Toulouse	13	10
=2	Kieran Gill	Bradford	13	10

MOST GOALS

Rank	Player	Team	P	G	%
1	Max Jowitt	Wakefield	12	60/77	78%
2	Jordan Lilley	Bradford	13	53 / 72	74%
3	Jake Shorrocks	Toulouse	12	51 / 63	81%

MOST POINTS

Rank	Player	Team	Р	T	G	FG	Pts
1	Max Jowitt	Wakefield	12	8	60	-	152
2	Jordan Lilley	Bradford	13	3	53	3	121
3	Jake Shorrocks	Toulouse	12	3	51	-	114

ROUND 14 FIXTURES ALL TIMES BST

TIME	MATCH	VENUE	REFEREE
Fri 7:30pm	SHEFFIELD v HALIFAX	Olympic Legacy Park	Cameron WORSLEY
Sat 6:00pm	TOULOUSE v BRADFORD	Stade Ernest Wallon	James VELLA
Sun 3:00pm	DEWSBURY v DONCASTER	FLAIR Stadium	Matty LYNN
	FEARTHERSTONE v WHITEHAVEN	Millennium Stadium	Kevin M00RE
	SWINTON v WIDNES	Heywood Road	Liam RUSH
	WAKEFIELD v BATLEY	DIY Kitchens Stadium	Scott MIKALAUSKAS
	YORK v BARROW	LNER Community Stadium	Ryan COX

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MEN'S BETFRED SUPER LEAGUE

ROUND 16 FIXTURES

ALL TIMES BST

TIME	MATCH	VENUE	REFEREE
Fri 8:00pm	ST HELENS v CASTLEFORD	Totally Wicked Stadium	Tom GRANT
	WARRINGTON v HUDDERSFIELD	Halliwell Jones Stadium	Jack SMITH
	WIGAN v LEIGH	The Brick Community Stadium	Aaron MOORE
Sat 3:00pm	LEEDS v LONDON	AMY Headingley Stadium	Marcus GRIFFITHS
Sat 5:30pm	HULL KR v CATALANS	Sewell Group Craven Park	Liam M00RE
Sun 3:00pm	SALFORD v HULL FC	Salford Stadium	Chris KENDALL

WOMEN'S BETFRED SUPER LEAGUE

ROUND 7 FIXTURES

ALL TIMES BST

TIME	MATCH	VENUE
Sat 12:30pm	LEEDS v ST HELENS	AMT Headingley Stadium
Sat 2:00pm	FEATHERSTONE v WIGAN	Millennium Stadium
Sun 12:00pm	WARRINGTON v HUDDERSFIELD	Victoria Park
	YORK v BARROW	LNER Community Stadium

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ROUND 1 MAR 3RD MAR 3RD MAR 7TH MAR 8TH MAR 9TH MAR 9TH MAR 10TH BYE: WESTS	Sun 6:30pm Sun 8:30pm Thu 8:00pm Fri 8:00pm Fri 8:05pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 6:35pm Sun 3:05pm	MANLY SYDNEY NEWCASTLE WARRIORS MELBOURNE PARRAMATTA GOLD COAST DOLPHINS	SOUTHS BRISBANE CANBERRA CRONULLA PENRITH CANTERBURY ST GEO ILLA NORTH QLD	36 - 24 20 - 10 12 - 28 12 - 16 8 - 0 26 - 8 4 - 28 18 - 43	Allegiant Allegiant McDonald Jones Go Media Stadium AAMI Park CommBank Cbus Super Suncorp Stadium	40,746 22,378 24,076 20,169 29,171 14,537 23,477	ROUND 8 APR 25TH APR 25TH APR 25TH APR 26TH APR 27TH APR 27TH APR 27TH APR 28TH APR 28TH BYE: CANTEL	Thu 4:00pm Thu 4:00pm Thu 7:50pm Fri 8:00pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 7:35pm Sun 2:00pm Sun 4:05pm RBURY	ANZAC ROUND WARRIORS ST GEO ILLA MELBOURNE MANLY WESTS TIGERS NORTH QLD DOLPHINS CANBERRA	GOLD COAST SYDNEY SOUTHS PARRAMATTA BRISBANE PENRITH NEWCASTLE CRONULLA	24 - 27 18 - 60 54 - 20 32 - 18 10 - 34 20 - 26 14 - 18 0 - 40	Go Media Stadium Allianz Stadium AAMI Park 4 Pines Park Campbelitown QLD Country Bank Suncorp Stadium GIO Stadium Canb.	23.,912 40,727 25,149 17,385 17,351 20,960 18,033 15,820
ROUND 2 MAR 14TH MAR 15TH MAR 15TH MAR 16TH MAR 16TH MAR 16TH MAR 17TH MAR 17TH BYE: GOLD CO	Thu 7:00pm Fri 6:00pm Fri 8:05pm Sat 3:00pm Sat 4:30pm Sat 7:35pm Sun 4:05pm Sun 5:15pm	BRISBANE CRONULLA PENRITH CANBERRA NORTH QLD MELBOURNE MANLY DOLPHINS	SOUTHS CANTERBURY PARRAMATTA WESTS TIGERS NEWCASTLE WARRIORS SYDNEY ST GEO ILLA	28 - 18 25 - 6 26 - 18 32 - 12 21 - 20 30 - 26 21 - 14 38 - 0	Suncorp Stadium Pointsbet Stadium Bluebet Stadium GIO Stadium Canb. QLD Country Bank AAMI Park 4 Pines Park Kayo Stadium	35,507 12,928 21,522 16,968 18,986 21,927 17,284 10,011	ROUND 9 MAY 2ND MAY 3RD MAY 3RD MAY 4TH MAY 4TH MAY 4TH MAY 5TH MAY 5TH BYE: PARRAI	Thu 7:50pm Fri 6:00pm Fri 8:00pm Sat 3:00pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 7:35pm Sun 2:00pm Sun 4:05pm	SOUTHS MANLY BRISBANE CANTERBURY GOLD COAST NORTH QLD NEWCASTLE CRONULLA	PENRITH CANBERRA SYDNEY WESTS TIGERS MELBOURNE DOLPHINS WARRIORS ST GEO ILLA	12 - 42 24 - 26 18 - 40 22 - 14 20 - 22 26 - 28 14 - 8 20 - 10	Accor Stadium 4 Pines Park Suncorp Stadium Accor Stadium Cbus Super QLD Country Bank McDonald Jones Pointsbet Stadium	8,155 10,215 40,190 17,068 13,096 20,967 16,094 9,731
ROUND 3 MAR 21ST MAR 22ND MAR 22ND MAR 23RD MAR 23RD MAR 24TH MAR 24TH BYE: DOLPHI	Thu 8:00pm Fri 8:00pm Fri 8:05pm Sat 3:00pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 7:35pm Sun 4:05pm Sun 6:15pm NS	MULTICULTURAL RO PENRITH WARRIORS SYDNEY CANTERBURY ST GEO ILLA WESTS TIGERS PARRAMATTA NEWCASTLE	UND BRISBANE CANBERRA SOUTHS GOLD COAST NORTH QLD CRONULLA MANLY MELBOURNE	34 - 12 18 - 10 48 - 6 32 - 0 24 - 46 32 - 6 28 - 24 14 - 12	Bluebet Stadium Apollo Projects Allianz Stadium Belmore Netstrata Jubilee Leichhardt Oval CommBank McDonald Jones	20,089 17,249 37,594 12,037 9,252 15,990 20,354 21,889	ROUND 10 MAY 9TH MAY 10TH MAY 10TH MAY 11TH MAY 11TH MAY 12TH MAY 12TH MAY 12TH BYE: CANBE	Thu 7:50pm Fri 6:00pm Fri 8:00pm Sat 3:00pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 7:35pm Sun 2:00pm Sun 4:05pm	DOLPHINS PENRITH PARRAMATTA WESTS TIGERS ST GEO ILLA MELBOURNE SYDNEY GOLD COAST	MANLY CANTERBURY BRISBANE NEWCASTLE SOUTHS CRONULLA WARRIORS NORTH QLD	30 - 24 16 - 10 14 - 30 14 - 20 28 - 14 18 - 25 38 - 18 20 - 18	Suncorp Stadium Bluebet Stadium CommBank Scully Netstrata Jubilee AAMI Park Allianz Stadium Cbus Super	14,059 21,525 17,393 10,107 7,517 18,670 16,517 12,125
ROUND 4 MAR 28TH MAR 29TH MAR 29TH MAR 30TH MAR 30TH MAR 31ST MAR 31ST APR 1ST BYE: MELBOU	Thu 8:00pm Fri 4:05pm Fri 7:05pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 6:35pm Sun 6:05pm Sun 6:15pm Mon 4pm JRNE	EASTER SYDNEY SOUTHS BRISBANE ST GEO ILLA GOLD COAST WARRIORS CRONULLA PARRAMATTA	PENRITH CANTERBURY NORTH QLD MANLY DOLPHINS NEWCASTLE CANBERRA WESTS TIGERS	16 - 22 20 - 16 38 - 12 20 - 12 14 - 30 20 - 12 36 - 22 16 - 17	Allianz Stadium Accor Stadium Suncorp Stadium WIN Stadium Cbus Super Go Media Stadium Pointsbet Stadium CommBank	25,898 35,275 45,793 16,215 13,898 24,112 12,692 28,608	WOMEN'S S' ROUND 11 MAY 17TH MAY 17TH MAY 18TH MAY 18TH MAY 18TH MAY 19TH MAY 19TH MAY 19TH MAY 19TH BYE: ST GEO	Fri 6:00pm Fri 8:05pm Sat 3:00pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 7:45pm Sun 1:50pm Sun 4:05pm Sun 6:25pm	BRISBANE - THURSDA MAGIC ROUND CANBERRA MANLY GOLD COAST CRONULLA SOUTHS WARRIORS MELBOURNE WESTS TIGERS	Y 16 MAY: NSW won 2 CANTERBURY BRISBANE NEWCASTLE SYDNEY NORTH QLD PENRITH PARRAMATTA DOLPHINS	24-20 12-13 24-28 38-30 22-28 22-20 48-16 12-24	Stadium (25,472) Suncorp Stadium	DAY 1 50,971 DAY 2 50,708 DAY 3 47,517
APR 4TH APR 5TH APR 5TH APR 6TH APR 6TH APR 6TH APR 7TH APR 7TH BYE: CRONUL ROUND 6	Thu 8:00pm Fri 6:00pm Fri 8:05pm Sat 3:00pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 6:35pm Sun 4:05pm Sun 6:15pm	MELBOURNE CANTERBURY NEWCASTLE SOUTHS MANLY DOLPHINS NORTH QLD CANBERRA	BRISBANE SYDNEY ST GEO ILLA WARRIORS PENRITH WESTS TIGERS GOLD COAST PARRAMATTA	34 - 32 30 - 26 30 - 10 4 - 34 32 - 18 26 - 16 35 - 22 41 - 8	AAMI Park Accor Stadium McDonald Jones Accor Stadium 4 Pines Park Suncorp Stadium QLD Country Bank G10 Stadium Canb.	20,698 7,169 9,448 13,181 17,381 22,051 18,870 13,907	ROUND 12 MAY 23RD MAY 24TH MAY 24TH MAY 25TH MAY 25TH MAY 25TH MAY 25TH MAY 26TH MAY 26TH BYE: NEWCA	Thu 7:50pm Fri 6:00pm Fri 8:00pm Sat 3:00pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 7:35pm Sun 6:05pm STI E	INDIGENOUS ROUN CANTERBURY NORTH QLD MANLY CANBERRA CRONULLA SOUTHS BRISBANE WARRIORS	ST GEO ILLA WESTS TIGERS MELBOURNE SYDNEY PENRITH PARRAMATTA GOLD COAST DOLPHINS	44 - 12 42 - 28 26 - 20 16 - 44 0 - 42 42 - 26 34 - 36 24 - 20	Accor Stadium QLD Country Bank 4 Pines Park GIO Stadium Canb. Pointsbet Stadium Accor Stadium Suncorp Stadium Go Media Stadium	15,442 15,957 17,211 18,049 13,500 15,202 42,221 23,116
APR 11TH APR 12TH APR 12TH APR 13TH APR 13TH APR 13TH APR 14TH APR 14TH APR 14TH BYE: PENRITI	Thu 7:50pm Fri 6:00pm Fri 8:00pm Sat 5:00pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 7:35pm Sun 4:05pm H	NEWCASTLE MELBOURNE BRISBANE WARTORS PARRAMATTA SOUTHS WESTS TIGERS CANBERRA	SYDNEY CANTERBURY DOLPHINS MANLY NORTH QLD CRONULLA ST GEO ILLA GOLD COAST	20 - 22 16 - 14 28 - 14 22 - 22 27 - 20 22 - 34 12 - 24 21 - 20	McDonald Jones AAMI Park Suncorp Stadium Go Media Stadium CommBank Accor Stadium Campbelltown GIO Stadium Canb.	21,940 16,065 46,224 23,076 14,433 12,207 17,141 11,738	ROUND 13 MAY 30TH MAY 31ST JUN 1ST JUN 1ST JUN 2ND BYE: WARRIO	Thu 7:50pm Fri 8:00pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 7:35pm Sun 4:05pm RS, BRISBANE, GOLI	PARRAMATTA NEWCASTLE PENRITH DOLPHINS SYDNEY D COAST, MELBOURNE, N			CommBank McDonald Jones Bluebet Stadium Kayo Stadium Allianz Stadium	11,665 21,204 12,025 10,024 13,811
ROUND 7 APR 18TH APR 19TH APR 19TH APR 20TH APR 20TH APR 20TH APR 21ST APR 21ST BYE: SOUTHS	Thu 7:50pm Fri 6:00pm Fri 7:30pm Sat 3:00pm Sat 5:30pm Sat 7:35pm Sun 2:00pm Sun 4:05pm	SYDNEY ST GEO ILLA PARRAMATTA PENRITH GOLD COAST BRISBANE CANTERBURY CRONULLA	MELBOURNE WARRIORS DOLPHINS WESTS TIGERS MANLY CANBERRA NEWCASTLE NORTH QLD	12 - 18 30 - 12 16 - 44 22 - 6 30 - 34 34 - 10 36 - 12 42 - 6	Allianz Stadium WIN Stadium TIO (Darwin) Carrington Cbus Super Suncorp Stadium Accor Stadium Pointsbet Stadium	17,714 13,111 11,094 12,000 13,336 37,286 17,784 12,415	ROUND 14 JUN 7TH JUN 8TH JUN 8TH JUN 8TH JUN 9TH JUN 9TH JUN 9TH JUN 10TH		NEWCASTLE - THURS ST GEO ILLA GOLD COAST NORTH QLD BRISBANE MELBOURNE PENRITH CANTERBURY			WIN Stadium (25,872 WIN Stadium Cbus Super QLD Country Bank Suncorp Stadium AAMI Park Bluebet Stadium Accor Stadium	9,969 14,434 19,623 41,004 20,269 20,101 45,496

ROUND 15		BEANIES FOR BRAI	N CANCER ROUND				ROUND 22				
JUN 13TH	Thu 7:50pm	CRONULLA	DOLPHINS	28 - 30	Pointsbet Stadium	8,035	AUG 1ST	Thu 7:50pm	WESTS TIGERS	NORTH QLD	Leichhardt Oval
JUN 14TH	Fri 6:00pm	CANBERRA	NORTH QLD	16 - 34	GIO Stadium Canb.	9,671	AUG 2ND	Fri 8:00pm	WARRIORS	PARRAMATTA	Go Media Stadium
JUN 14TH	Fri 8:00pm	SOUTHS	BRISBANE	22 -12	Accor Stadium	12,207	AUG 2ND	Fri 6:00pm	DOLPHINS	SYDNEY	HBF
JUN 15TH	Sat 3:00pm	WESTS TIGERS	GOLD COAST	18 - 10	Leichhardt Oval	8,147	AUG 3RD	Sat 3:00pm	GOLD COAST	BRISBANE	Chus Super
JUN 15TH	Sat 7:30pm	WARRIORS	MELBOURNE	24 - 38	Go Media Stadium	24,495	AUG 3RD	Sat 5:30pm	MELBOURNE	ST GEO ILLA	AAMI Park
JUN 15TH	Sat 7:35pm	PARRAMATTA	SYDNEY	18 - 28	CommBank	20,072	AUG 3RD	Sat 7:35pm	CRONULLA	SOUTHS	Pointsbet Stadium
JUN 16TH	Sun 2:00pm	MANLY	ST GEO ILLA	30 - 14	4 Pines Park	17,187	AUG 4TH	Sun 2:00pm	PENRITH	NEWCASTLE	Bluebet Stadium
JUN 16TH	Sun 4:05pm	NEWCASTLE	PENRITH	18 - 26	McDonald Jones	27,966	AUG 4TH	Sun 4:05pm	CANTERBURY	CANBERRA	Belmore
BYE: CANTE	RBURY						BYE: MANLY				
ROUND 16							ROUND 23				
JUN 21ST	Fri 8:00pm	DOLPHINS	MELBOURNE	24 - 30	Suncorp Stadium	25,167	AUG 8TH	Thu 7:50pm	SOUTHS	MELBOURNE	Accor Stadium
JUN 22ND	Sat 3:00pm	GOLD COAST	WARRIORS	66 - 6	Cbus Super	22,702	AUG 9TH	Fri 6:00pm	GOLD COAST	CRONULLA	Chus Super
JUN 22ND	Sat 5:30pm	SYDNEY	CANTERBURY	26-8	Industree	16,868	AUG 9TH	Fri 8:00pm	PARRAMATTA	PENRITH	CommBank
JUN 22ND	Sat 7:35pm	SOUTHS	MANLY	14 - 0	Accor Stadium	10,576	AUG 10TH	Sat 3:00pm	CANBERRA	MANLY	GIO Stadium Canb.
JUN 23RD	Sun 4:05pm	WESTS TIGERS	CANBERRA	48 - 24	Campbelltown	10,106	AUG 10TH	Sat 5:30pm	NORTH QLD	BRISBANE	QLD Country Bank
BYE: NUKIH Q	LU, PARKAMAI IA, CH	KUNULLA, BRISBANE, ST	GEO ILLA, PENRITH, NE	WUASILE			AUG 10TH	Sat 7:35pm	ST GEO ILLA	CANTERBURY	Netstrata Jubilee
STATE OF OD	TOTALTT - MEI DOLLD	NE - WEDNESDAY 26	JUNE: NSW won 38-18	ot the MCC (Of	084)		AUG 11TH AUG 11TH	Sun 2:00pm Sun 4:05pm	DOLPHINS Newcastle	WARRIORS Wests tigers	Suncorp Stadium McDonald Jones
•					ountry Bank (22,819)		BYE: SYDNE		NEWGASILE	MESIS HIGERS	MICDOLIAIN JOHES
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ROUND 17							ROUND 24				
JUN 28TH	Fri 8:00pm	CANTERBURY	CRONULLA	15 - 14	Accor Stadium	15,765	AUG 15TH	Thu 7:50pm	PENRITH	MELBOURNE	Bluebet Stadium
JUN 29TH	Sat 5:00pm	WARRIORS	BRISBANE	32 - 16	Go Media Stadium	22,711	AUG 16TH	Fri 6:00pm	MANLY	WARRIORS	4 Pines Park
JUN 29TH	Sat 5:30pm	NEWCASTLE	PARRAMATTA	34 - 26	McDonald Jones	27,424	AUG 16TH	Fri 8:00pm	SYDNEY	PARRAMATTA	Allianz Stadium
JUN 29TH	Sat 7:35pm	MELBOURNE	CANBERRA	16-6	AAMI Park	14,127	AUG 17TH	Sat 3:00pm	CANTERBURY	DOLPHINS	Salter
JUN 30TH	Sun 2:00pm	ST GEO ILLA	DOLPHINS	26-6	Netstrata Jubilee	8,052	AUG 17TH	Sat 5:30pm	NORTH QLD	CANBERRA	QLD Country Bank
JUN 30TH	Sun 4:05pm	PENRITH	NORTH QLD	6-16	Bluebet Stadium	15,777	AUG 17TH	Sat 7:35pm	WESTS TIGERS	SOUTHS	Campbelltown
JUN 30TH	Sun 6:15pm	SYDNEY	WESTS TIGERS	40 - 6	Allianz Stadium	14,711	AUG 18TH	Sun 2:00pm	ST GEO ILLA	GOLD COAST	WIN Stadium
	OAST, MANLY, SOU					,	AUG 18TH	Sun 4:05pm	CRONULLA	NEWCASTLE	Pointsbet Stadium
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ROUND 18											
JUL 4TH	Thu 7:50pm	PARRAMATTA	SOUTHS		CommBank		ROUND 25				
JUL 5TH	Fri 6:00pm	CRONULLA	GOLD COAST		C.ex Coffs		AUG 22ND	Thu 7:50pm	WESTS TIGERS	MANLY	Leichhardt Oval
JUL 5TH	Fri 8:00pm	BRISBANE	PENRITH		Suncorp Stadium		AUG 23RD	Fri 8:00pm	WARRIORS	CANTERBURY	Go Media Stadium
JUL 6TH	Sat 3:00pm	CANTERBURY	WARRIORS		Accor Stadium		AUG 23RD	Fri 8:00pm	BRISBANE	PARRAMATTA	Suncorp Stadium
JUL 6TH	Sat 5:30pm	WESTS TIGERS	MELBOURNE		Leichhardt Oval		AUG 24TH	Sat 3:00pm	CANBERRA	PENRITH	GIO Stadium Canb.
JUL 6TH	Sat 7:35pm	NORTH QLD	MANLY		QLD Country Bank		AUG 24TH	Sat 5:30pm	MELBOURNE	DOLPHINS	AAMI Park
JUL7TH	Sun 2:00pm	SYDNEY	ST GEO ILLA		Allianz Stadium		AUG 24TH	Sat 7:35pm	SOUTHS	NEWCASTLE	Accor Stadium
JUL7TH	Sun 4:05pm	CANBERRA	NEWCASTLE		GIO Stadium Canb.		AUG 25TH	Sun 2:00pm	GOLD COAST	SYDNEY	Cbus Super
BYE: DOLPH	INS						AUG 25TH	Sun 4:05pm	ST GEO ILLA	CRONULLA	WIN Stadium
							BYE: NORTH	QLD			
ROUND 19											
JUL 11TH	Thu 7:50pm	DOLPHINS	SOUTHS		Kayo Stadium		ROUND 26				
JUL 12TH	Fri 8:00pm	CRONULLA	WESTS TIGERS		Pointsbet Stadium		AUG 29TH	Thu 7:50pm	NORTH QLD	MELBOURNE	QLD Country Bank
JUL 13TH	Sat 5:30pm	GOLD COAST	PARRAMATTA		Cbus Super		AUG 30TH	Fri 6:00pm	CANTERBURY	MANLY	Accor Stadium
JUL 13TH	Sat 7:35pm	BRISBANE	ST GEO ILLA		Suncorp Stadium		AUG 30TH	Fri 8:00pm	PENRITH	SOUTHS	Bluebet Stadium
JUL 14TH	Sun 4:05pm	MANLY	NEWCASTLE		4 Pines Park		AUG 31ST	Sat 3:00pm	PARRAMATTA	ST GEO ILLA	CommBank
BYE: NORTH ((LD, CANTERBURY, W	/ARRIORS, SYDNEY, ME	LBOURNE, PENRITH, CA	NBERRA			AUG 31ST	Sat 5:30pm	DOLPHINS	BRISBANE	Suncorp Stadium
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DOLLAND OO							SEP 1ST	Sun 4:05pm	SYDNEY	CANBERRA	Allianz Stadium
ROUND 20	Fu: 0.00mm	CANDEDDA	WADDIODO		CIO Ctadium Canh		BYE: WESTS	HIGERS			
JUL 19TH	Fri 8:00pm Sot 3:00pm	CANBERRA	WARRIORS WESTS TIGEDS		GIO Stadium Canb.		סטווגום פי				
JUL 20TH	Sat 3:00pm	SOUTHS NEWCASTLE	WESTS TIGERS Brisbane		Industree McDonald Jones		ROUND 27	Thu 7.50	BRISBANE	MELBOURNE	Cuncom Ctadius
JUL 20TH JUL 20TH	Sat 5:30pm Sat 7:35pm	NEWCASTLE Melbourne	SADNEA		McDonald Jones AAMI Park		SEP 5TH SEP 6TH	Thu 7:50pm Fri 6:00pm	WESTS TIGERS	PARRAMATTA	Suncorp Stadium Campbelltown
JUL 201H JUL 21ST	Sat 7:35pm Sun 2:00pm	PENRITH	DOLPHINS		AAMI Park Bluebet Stadium		SEP 6TH	Fri 8:00pm Fri 8:00pm	SOUTHS	SYDNEY	Campbelltown Accor Stadium
JUL 21ST	Sun 4:05pm	MANLY	GOLD COAST		4 Pines Park		SEP 7TH	Sat 3:00pm	ST GEO ILLA	CANBERRA	Netstrata Jubilee
JUL 21ST	Sun 4:05pm Sun 6:15pm	NORTH QLD	CANTERBURY		4 Pines Park QLD Country Bank		SEP 7TH	Sat 5:30pm	CANTERBURY	NORTH QLD	Netstrata Judilee Accor Stadium
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ROUND 21		NRLW KICKOFF V	NEKEEND				SEP 8TH	Sun 4:05pm	NEWCASTLE	DOLPHINS	McDonald Jones
JUL 26TH	Fri 8:00pm	WARRIORS	WESTS TIGERS		Go Media Stadium		BYE: WARRI			-	
JUL 26TH	Fri 8:00pm	PARRAMATTA	MELBOURNE		CommBank						
JUL 27TH	Sat 3:00pm	BRISBANE	CANTERBURY		Suncorp Stadium		FINALS WEE	K 1 - SEP 13-15			
JUL 27TH	Sat 5:30pm	NORTH QLD	CRONULLA		QLD Country Bank		QF1		1V4		
JUL 27TH	Sat 7:35pm	SYDNEY	MANLY		Allianz Stadium		EF1		5 V 8		
JUL 28TH	Sun 2:00pm	ST GEO ILLA	PENRITH		WIN Stadium		QF2		2 V 3		
JUL 28TH	Sun 4:05pm	DOLPHINS	GOLD COAST		Suncorp Stadium		EF 2		6 V 7		
JUL 28TH	Sun 6:15pm	CANBERRA	SOUTHS		GIO Stadium Canb.						
BYE: NEWCA	STLE						FINALS WEE	K 2 - SEP 20-21			
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							SF2		LQF2VWEF2		
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