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### THE EDITOR'S WORD

How good is Magic Round?

By all accounts, the carnival atmosphere, so many footy fans all in one place, and yes - the quality of the footy on show - will keep drawing people to this event for years to come.

While there's already chatter about where the round might end up in future years, there's no doubting the success of the event in Brisbane so far - and if ticket sales are anything to go by, this weekend will be no different. Read on over the page for a quick snapshot of what to expect.

Further in we have analysis from Andrew Ferguson showing Melbourne's phenomenal pointscoring feats so far in 2022 and how the side compares to the Dave Brown-led 1935 Easts side.

Enjoy the festivities and happy reading.

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### MAGICINTHEAIR

#### YOUR QUICK GUIDE TO BRISBANE'S MASSIVE WEEKEND OF FOOTY!

elcome to Magic Round Brisbane! Eight games in three days awaits as Suncorp Stadium plays host to the tenth round of the 2022 NRL season.

The concept - borrowed from the English Super League who began the concept of 'Magic Weekend' back in 2007 - had its first iteration in Australia in 2019 when Brisbane hosted Magic Round. After the COVID-19 pandemic sunk hopes to hold the event in 2020, the round came back with a vengeance in 2021, bringing a huge weekend of action to the Queensland capital.

#### THE SCHEDULE

The Bulldogs and Knights kick off action at 6pm on Friday, followed by the Sea Eagles and Broncos to round out opening night.

On Saturday, the Warriors and Rabbitohs get things going at 3pm, with Gold Coast v St George Illawarra wedged in the middle at 5:30pm, finishing up with a mouth-watering showdown between the last two premiers - Melbourne and Penrith - as the 7:45pm nightcap.

Sunday's triple header gets underway at 1:50pm, the Sharks and Raiders first up. The Roosters and Eels are Sunday's free-to-air match at 4:05pm before the Wests Tigers and Cowboys close proceedings at 6:25pm.

#### THE FUN AND GAMES

There'll be plenty to do both inside and outside Suncorp Stadium throughout the weekend. Kids Zones, Chill Zones, Food Trucks and Bars will all be available on the exterior of the ground, while a range of activations including exclusive seating areas will be available inside. A full event guide is available on the NRL website.

#### THE HISTORY

2019's inaugural event was held over four days - a Thursday match attracted a small crowd involving the Titans, then crowds of 41,000 piled in on Friday and Saturday before 34,500 finished the round on Sunday, making a 134,677 aggregate crowd for the weekend.

After skipping 2020 due to the pandemic, 2021's event was reduced to three days, with Friday attracting 41,367 fans, Saturday 45,122 and Sunday 43,537 for an total event crowd of more than 130,000.

With Saturday already sold out and limited tickets available for Friday and Sunday, 2022 Magic Round is set to break all kinds of records.

#### STILL TO COME...

The NRL still has a few themed rounds ahead:

- R12: Indigenous Round 26-29 May
- R16: Beanies for Brain Cancer Round 30 Jun-3 Jul
- R20: Women in League Round 28-31 Jul

































#### **LU PLAYER OF THE YEAR**

#### AFTER NRL ROUND 9

15 points - Daly Cherry-Evans (Sea Eagles)

14 points - Cameron Munster (Storm)

12 points - Nicho Hynes (Sharks)

11 points - Mitchell Moses (Eels)

10 points - Jahrome Hughes (Storm)

9 points - Ben Hunt (Dragons), Ryan Papenhuyzen (Storm)

8 points - Joseph Manu (Roosters), Jackson Hastings (Wests Tigers), AJ Brimson (Titans), Isaah Yeo (Panthers)

7 points - Siosifa Talakai (Sharks), James Tedesco (Roosters), Payne Haas (Broncos), Harry Grant (Storm)

6 points - Jarome Luai (Panthers), Clinton Gutherson (Eels), Nathan Cleary (Panthers), Dylan Edwards (Panthers), Addin Fonua-Blake (Warriors), Damien Cook (Rabbitohs), Jack Wighton (Raiders), Josh Curran (Warriors)

5 points - Kotoni Staggs (Broncos), Tino Fa'asuamaleaui (Titans), Peta Hiku (Cowboys), Scott Drinkwater (Cowboys), Shaun Johnson (Warriors), Kieran Foran (Sea Eagles), Valentine Holmes (Cowboys), Jeremiah Nanai (Cowboys), Adam Reynolds (Broncos), Cameron Murray (Rabbitohs), Jake Clifford (Knights)

4 points - Jason Taumalolo (Cowboys), Junior Paulo (Eels), Dane Gagai (Knights), Kurt Capewell (Broncos), Liam Martin (Panthers), Reed Mahoney (Eels), Taylan May (Panthers),

Reuben Cotter (Cowboys), Sam Walker (Roosters), Viliame Kikau (Panthers), Ronaldo Mulitalo (Sharks)

3 points - Josh Addo-Carr (Bulldogs), Tom Gilbert (Cowboys), Mikaele Ravalawa (Dragons), Will Kennedy (Sharks), Chad Townsend (Cowboys), Daejarn Asi (Cowboys), Moses Suli (Dragons), Stephen Crichton (Panthers), Matt Frawley (Raiders), Sean O'Sullivan (Panthers), Siosiua Taukeiaho (Roosters), Jesse Ramien (Sharks), Herbie Farnworth (Broncos), Keaon Koloamatangi (Rabbitohs), Haumole Olakau'atu (Sea Eagles), Luke Keary (Roosters), Albert Kelly (Broncos)

2 points - Martin Taupau (Sea Eagles), Isaiah Papali'i (Eels), Kyle Feldt (Cowboys), Lachlan Ilias (Rabbitohs), Liam Knight (Rabbitohs), Luke Brooks (Wests Tigers), Selwyn Cobbo (Broncos), Dale Finucane (Sharks), Kalyn Ponga (Knights), Reece Walsh (Warriors), Thomas Burgess (Rabbitohs), Josh Papali'i (Raiders), Dylan Brown (Eels), Joseph Tapine (Raiders), Tom Trbojevic (Sea Eagles), Tyson Frizell (Knights), Adam Elliott (Raiders), Patrick Carrigan (Broncos), Jeremy Marshall-King (Bulldogs), Izack Tago (Panthers), Jaydn Su'A (Dragons), Blayke Brailey (Sharks), Kodi Nikorima (Warriors), Jai Arrow (Rabbitohs), Luke Thompson (Bulldogs), Dylan Walker (Sea Eagles), Greg Marzhew (Titans), Ken Maumalo (Wests Tigers), Luke Garner (Wests Tigers), Tyrell Sloan (Dragons), Luciano Leilua (Wests Tigers), Phillip Sami (Titans), Nick Meaney (Storm), Matt Moylan (Sharks)

1 point - Ben Trbojevic (Sea Eagles), Josh Mcguire (Dragons), Cameron McInnes (Sharks), Cody Walker (Rabbitohs), Teig Wilton (Sharks), Matt Burton (Bulldogs), Kelma Tuilagi (Wests Tigers), Jock Madden (Wests Tigers), Nathan Brown (Eels), Matthew Timoko (Raiders), Corey Waddell (Bulldogs), Latrell Mitchell (Rabbitohs), Hudson Young (Raiders), Dominic Young (Knights), Max King (Bulldogs), Tom Dearden (Cowboys), Matt Dufty (Bulldogs), Reagan Campbell-Gillard (Eels), Matt Eisenhuth (Panthers), David Nofoaluma (Wests Tigers), Nelson Asofa-Solomona (Storm), Xavier Coates (Storm), Aiden Tolman (Sharks), Marcelo Montoya (Warriors), Josh Aloiai (Sea Eagles), Shaun Lane (Eels)





1 v 2. 2021 CHAMPS v 2020 CHAMPS. CLEARY v MUNSTER. PENRITH v MELBOURNE IS SET TO IGNITE MAGIC ROUND ON SATURDAY.

### The new 'Don Bradman' side?

#### ARE MELBOURNE ON TRACK TO BE THE NEW 'EASTS OF 1935'? ANDREW FERGUSON

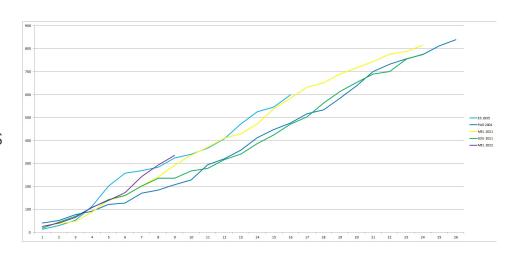
Last weekend the Melbourne Storm produced yet another thumping victory, which saw them reach 335 points scored for the year thus far after just 9 games.

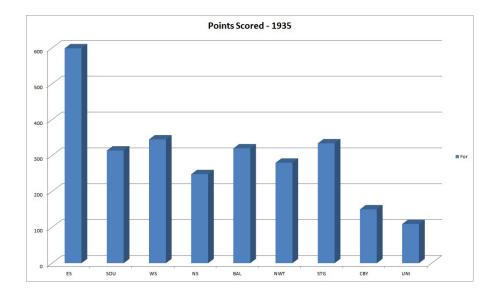
Any major point scoring proficiency by a team will automatically bring out the comparisons against the Don Bradman of teams - the 1935 Eastern Suburbs side, which contained Immortal Dave Brown.

That Easts side scored 599 points after 16 Regular Season games – scoring at an absurd 37.44 points per game – in a time when tries were worth 3 points. In fact, if that 1935 side had 4 point tries, they would've scored 730 points in the regular season at a ridiculous 45.6 points per game!

Last years Melbourne Storm side came very close to being the first side to outscore the 1935 Easts outfit, but alas they fell 15 points shy of the mark.

In 2022 though, they are tracking to become the greatest attacking side ever! This chart shows the 4 greatest scoring teams in the NRL history – Easts (1935), Parramatta (2001), Melbourne (2021) and Souths (2021) and compares them with the 2022 Storm side. -->





The 1935 Easts side were so dominant, when you look at their scoring prowess compared to all the other sides competing in 1935, they scored double or more points than half of the other sides in the Premiership.

When you look at the same chart for the current season, you find that the Melbourne Storm have current scored at least twice as many points than 8 of the other 15 sides. -->

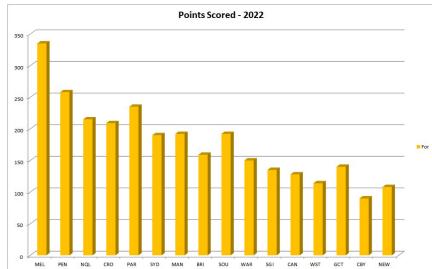


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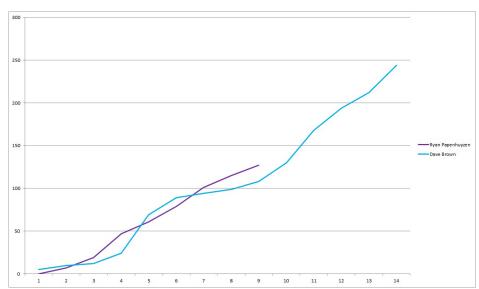
Now while we are talking about Bradman, we cannot ignore the 'Bradman of League' himself, Dave Brown. In 1935, Brown scored 38 tries (still a Premiership record for most tries in a season) and 65 goals for 244 points in just 15 games. That's over 16 points per game!

Ryan Papenhuyzen this year is currently scoring at a rate of 14 points per game, however after both men had played 9 games each in their respective season, Papenhuyzen is clearly ahead. Brown though had a few games in the back end of the 1935 season where he piled on points, which will make it hard for Papenhuyzen to keep in touch, let alone stay in front - especially with 'Paps' missing the coming month with hamstring and PCL injuries.

#### But can the Storm keep up the momentum and become the new Don Bradman side?

The 1935 Easts side had 4 of their remaining 7 games producing scores of 40 points or more – giving them 8 40+ scores from their 16 Premiership games (1 x 80's, 2 x 60's, 3 x 50's, 2 x 40's).

The Storm have 3 tough games in a row, starting at Magic Round this weekend when they take on joint ladder leaders and defending Premiers Penrith. Next week they take on the high-flying Cowboys in Townsville before playing rivals Manly in Round 12. Then comes the Origin period



with a continuation of tough games, with depleted squads, against the Sydney Roosters, Brisbane, Manly (again) and the 4th place Cronulla Sharks. This period could very likely see their scoring rate quickly get reeled in.

After Origin though, they play the currently out-of-form Canberra, the indifferent Souths, a poor-performing Warriors side and an erratic Titans outfit, before a tricky run home against Penrith, Brisbane, Sydney and Parramatta.

It looks unlikely that they will be able to continue this incredible scoring rate for the remainder of the season. But we will just have to wait and see!

### THE WRAP NRL 2022 ROUND 9

#### THURSDAY 5 MAY, 7:50PM BRISBANE 32 SOUTH SYDNEY 12

#### SCORERS

BRISBANE BRONCOS (32) Tries: Corey Oates, Adam Reynolds, Selwyn Cobbo (2), Herbie Farnworth; Conversions: Adam Reynolds (5/5); Penalty Goals: Adam Reynolds (1/1) def SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS (12) Tries: Taane Milne (2); Conversions: Blake Taaffe (2/2)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

Venue: Accor Stadium; Crowd: 9242; Halftime Score: South Sydney 6 Brisbane 12; LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match: 3 points - Adam Reynolds, 2 points - Patrick Carrigan, 1 points - Selwyn Cobbo

#### **FINAL TEAMLISTS**

SOUTHS: 1. Blake Taaffe 2. Alex Johnston 3. Isaiah Tass 4. Campbell Graham 19. Taane Milne 6. Cody Walker 7. Lachlan Ilias 8. Tevita Tatola 9. Damien Cook 24. Davvy Moale 11. Keaon Koloamatangi 12. Jai Arrow 13. Cameron



BRISBANE: 1. Te Maire Martin 2. Corey Oates 3. Kotoni Staggs 4. Herbie Farnworth 5. Selwyn Cobbo 6. Tyson Gamble 7. Adam Reynolds 8. Corey Jensen 9. Billy Walters 10. Patrick Carrigan 11. TC Robati 12. Jordan Riki 13. Kobe Hetherington

INTERCHANGE 14. Cory Paix 15. Rhys Kennedy 16. Thomas Flegler 17. Keenan Palasia 18TH PLAYER 18. Brenko Lee





#### REYNOLDS RETURNS IN STYLE AS BRONCOS BURST BUNNIES' BUBBLE

Lachlan Ilias will only continue to improve and in the long-term, the decision to part ways with Adam Reynolds may have been the right one.

But all we can judge South Sydney on is what we see now - and that is a team in desperate need of a cool head in the halves. Unfortunately for last year's grand finalists, that cool head was on the other side of the field, guiding the Brisbane Broncos to a 32-12 upset win at Accor Stadium on Thursday night.

Reynolds had his hand - and boot - in everything, setting up two tries, scoring one and kicking for over 500 metres in a masterclass. All the talk head into Thursday night's meeting between the Rabbitohs and Broncos was about him. Reynolds has said all the right things throughout the week, that this was "just another game", that coming up against his former teammates "doesn't really matter". But when the Broncos halfback surged onto a Patrick Carrigan offload to score under the posts, you could just see it in the way Reynolds celebrated, the way he beat his chest

Sure, this was never just about Reynolds but it meant just a bit more than "just another game". You could see it from the opening set of the game, when Reynolds touched the ball on almost every play, stamping his authority on the occasion early. It was not just Reynolds though. The entire Broncos team lifted around him, upping the intensity in defence to hold a usually lethal South Sydney side to just one try in the first half. Kobe Hetherington was in the thick of it, with try-saving plays to force errors from both Cameron Murray and Jai Arrow while a last-ditch effort from Herbie Farnworth saw Taane Milne spill the ball with the line in sight. And those efforts in defence were rewarded on the scoreboard, with Reynolds putting the ball in the air for winger Corey Oates, who came down with it to score the opening try in the 14th minute. Reynolds then took it upon himself to score off the Carrigan offload and give Brisbane a commanding 12-0 lead.

South Sydney eventually capitalised on poor ball security from Brisbane late as a well-executed scrum play saw Milne go over in the 38th minute. But execution was lacking for the Rabbitohs otherwise throughout Thursday night, with Cody Walker and Damien Cook both coming up with errors early in the second half. The Broncos then re-established their lead as Selwyn Cobbo pounced after Blake Taaffe fumbled a Reynolds kick. An error from Brisbane fullback Te Maire Martin invited South Sydney back into the contest though and the Rabbitohs took full advantage, with Milne grabbing his second. Fortunately for the Broncos, the Rabbitohs relinquished any momentum it had gained with that try as Tevita Tatola coughed it up off the restart and a penalty then saw Reynolds extend the lead to eight.

Reynolds was at it again moments later, passing to Oates off a scrum as the winger burst through a few tackles and then linked with Herbie Farnworth to set up Brisbane's fourth try of the night. Reynolds' ghost did not just haunt the Rabbitohs when he was setting up tries for the opposition team. It lingered every time a pass went to ground, when those left-side raids South Sydney made so lethal instead broke down and went awry. Like it did when Walker coughed it up in the 74th minute and this time it led directly to points as Cobbo sprinted away to seal the win in emphatic fashion. **ANDREW JACKSON** 

#### FRIDAY 6 MAY, 6:00PM CANBERRA 14 CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN 4

#### SCORERS

CANBERRA RAIDERS (14) Tries: Elliott Whitehead, Matt Frawley; Conversions: Jarrod Croker (1/2); Penalty Goals: Jarrod Croker (2/2) def CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS (4) Tries: Matt Burton; Conversions: Matt Burton (0/1)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

Venue: GIO Stadium Canberra; Crowd: 12890; Halftime Score: Canberra 10 Canterbury-Bankstown 0; LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match: 3 points - Matt Frawley, 2 points - Adam Elliott, 1 points - Matt Burton

#### FINAL TEAMLISTS

CANBERRA: 1. Charnze Nicoll-Klokstad 2. Nick Cotric 3. Jarrod Croker 4. Matthew Timoko 5. Jordan Rapana 6. Matt Frawley 7. Brad Schneider 8. Josh Papali'i 9. Adam Elliott 10. Joseph Tapine 11. Hudson Young 12. Elliott Whitehead 15. Corey Harawira-Naera

INTERCHANGE 13. Ryan Sutton 14. Tom Starling 16. Sebastian Kris 17. Corey Horsburgh 18TH PLAYER 18. Harry Rushton

CANTERBURY: 1. Matt Dufty 2. Brent Naden 3. Aaron Schoupp 4. Jake Averillo 5. Josh Addo-Carr 6. Matt Burton 7. Kyle Flanagan 8. Luke Thompson 9. Jeremy Marshall-King 10. Paul Vaughan 11. Corey Waddell 12. Tevita Pangai Junior 13. Josh Jackson

INTERCHANGE 14. Bailey Biondi-Odo 15. Joe Stimson 16. Max King 17. Ava Seumanufagai 18TH PLAYER 23. Jayden Okunbor





#### RAIDERS SNAP LOSING STREAK WITH GRITTY WIN OVER BULLDOGS

The Canberra Raiders are back in the winners circle for the first time in five weeks, taking advantage of a lion's share of possession to see themselves to a 10-point victory over the Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs at GIO Stadium.

The first half was an incredibly one-sided affair, with plenty of Bulldogs errors gifting the Raiders enough field position to win five matches. The Canterbury defence held firm however, forcing Nick Cotric to commit a double movement.

It looked as if the Bulldogs would somehow get themselves on the board first in the resultant set, with Matt Burton getting through the line far too easily before linking up with Josh Addo-Carr in support, who cruised to the line. The try was awarded, but the bunker intervened and correctly ruled that Corey Waddell obstructed Adam Elliott in the lead-up.

The call gave the Raiders yet another set on the Bulldogs line, and this time they took full advantage, with English back-rower Elliott Whitehead winding up from 15 metres out to cruise past Aaron Schoupp on his way to the line. The conversion attempt from Croker was unsuccessful, making it a 4-0 ballgame after 20 minutes.

The Bulldogs turned in some strong defensive efforts and were able to win back some field position, but a poor pass from Flanagan to Naden in the 31st minute relieved all the pressure.

In the ensuing set, Matt Frawley was able to take advantage of some pathetically soft Bulldogs defence. First, he took on the Dogs front-line, easing his way past Jeremy Marshall-King, before selling Matt Dufty a dummy to no one, and he was over the line virtually untouched from 20-odd metres out.

The Raiders would take a 10-0 lead into the break, but their fans were far from confident considering the club's recent history of squandering half-time advantages.

For a while in the second half, it appeared Raiders fans' nightmares were materialising once again. They had the bulk of possession and field position from the 40th-50th minute, but were only able to put two points on the board courtesy of a penalty goal.

Five minutes later the Raiders forced a dropout, and with 25 minutes to go it appeared they were finally closing out a match in mature fashion. However, Burton went short on the drop kick and it was recovered by Naden. Two tackles later, Burton put in an early kick for Addo-Carr, who gathered in the ball and put in another kick that was again recovered by the Dogs, who all of a sudden were only 10 metres away from the Raiders line and looking dangerous.

When Matt Burton muscled his way over in that same set, even the most staunch Raiders fan was dreading the next 20 minutes.

Five minutes later, the defining moment of the match came when Addo-Carr was unable to ground Burton's kick in the in-goal area, instead knocking it on. It proved to be an 8-point turnaround when the next Raiders possession resulted in another penalty goal, giving us the eventual final scoreline of 14-4. **JUSTIN DAVIES** 

#### FRIDAY 6 MAY, 7:55PM PARRAMATTA 22 PENRITH 20

#### **SCORERS**

PARRAMATTA EELS (22) Tries: Clinton Gutherson, Reed Mahoney, Ryan Matterson, Dylan Brown; Conversions: Mitchell Moses (3/4) def PENRITH PANTHERS (20) Tries: Dylan Edwards, Taylan May (2), Spencer Leniu; Two Point Field Goals: Nathan Cleary (0/1); Conversions: Nathan Cleary (2/4)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

Venue: BlueBet Stadium; Crowd: 21548; Halftime Score: Penrith 10 Parramatta 10; LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match: 3 points - Clinton Gutherson, 2 points - Reed Mahoney, 1 points - Viliame Kikau

#### **FINAL TEAMLISTS**

**PENRITH:** 1. Dylan Edwards 24. Brian To'o 3. Izack Tago 4. Stephen Crichton 5. Taylan May 6. Jarome Luai 7. Nathan Cleary 22. Moses Leota 9. Apisai Koroisau 10. James Fisher-Harris 11. Viliame Kikau 12. Liam Martin 13. Isaah



PARRAMATTA: 1. Clinton Gutherson 2. Hayze Perham 3. Viliami Penisini 4. Tom Opacic 5. Bailey Simonsson 6. Dylan Brown 7. Mitchell Moses 8. Reagan Campbell-Gillard 9. Reed Mahoney 10. Junior Paulo 11. Shaun Lane 12. Isaiah Papali'i 13. Nathan Brown

INTERCHANGE 14. Makahesi Makatoa 15. Ryan Matterson 16. Oregon Kaufusi 17. Bryce Cartwright 18TH PLAYER 18. Wiremu Greig





#### MISSION IMPOSSIBLE: EELS TOO SLIPPERY FOR PANTHERS

The Parramatta Eels become the first side since Canberra in July 2019 to defeat the Penrith Panthers at BlueBet Stadium downing their arch-rivals 22-20 in an absolute thriller and submitting Penrith to their first loss of the season.

Penrith had all of the early possession and it took a Hayze Perham error for the first points to come. Dylan Edwards burrowed over after clever lead-up work from Api Koroisau and with Cleary's conversion, Penrith enjoyed an early 6-0 lead. However, Parramatta was quick to rebound and settle into the arm-wrestle, un-nerving the Penrith side through the resounding defence from their big forwards in Paulo and Papali'i. With repeated sets through poor Penrith discipline, a clever blindside play from Will Penisini and Clint Gutherson saw the captain cross for the Eels.

This game was full of controversy late in the opening 40 and the game's first contentious moment when Reed Mahoney appeared to be tackled short of the line. Bunker official Ashley Klein ruled that Mahoney was taken off the ball by Jaeman Salmon and due to Dylan Edwards committing to the tackled player and the gap presented, the bunker awarded a penalty try. With the chip shot from in front, Moses converted and the Eels had a 10-6 lead.

Penrith thought they levelled up almost immediately when Brian To'o crossed but the bunker took it off the board citing obstruction on Dylan Brown. Penrith had its own contentious moment when Villiame Kikau appeared to knock the ball on but was missed by both the referee and the sideline official. Off the ensuing Cleary linebreak, Penrith shifted it left and Kikau put it on the boot and Taylan May continued his purple patch of form to cross and level the scores at half-time.

Parramatta struggled coming out of the break, continuously being held inside Parramatta's end. The game's turning point was a Kikau charge down which allowed Penrith to be camped inside the Parramatta 20. Off the back of the possession, Kikau again turned provider and May crossed for his second. History showed that Penrith would run on a succession of points, but you never discount Parramatta in season 2022.

When the possession count swung back to the Eels, Gutherson again turned provider and Ryan Matterson put a vicious step past Dylan Edwards to cross for the Eels. Moses converted and Parramatta retook the lead. Off the next set, a mid-field bomb was left uncontested by Edwards, which saw Dylan Brown pounce to cross, although To'o caught him lacking and nearly bombed the try, the try was confirmed and the Eels led by 8. A late try to interchange forward Spencer Leniu got Penrith fans on the edge of their seats, but Cleary missed a two-point field goal which allowed Parramatta to hang on for the victory. AJ LUCANTONIO

#### SATURDAY 7 MAY, 3:00PM MANLY-WARRINGAH 36 WESTS TIGERS 22

#### SCORERS

MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES (36) Tries: Ben Trbojevic (2), Reuben Garrick (2), Christian Tuipulotu, Daly Cherry-Evans, Josh Aloiai; Conversions: Reuben Garrick (4/7) def WESTS TIGERS (22) Tries: Luke Garner, Tyrone Peachey, Oliver Gildart, Joe Ofahengaue; Conversions: Jackson Hastings (3/4)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

Venue: 4 Pines Park; Crowd: 17385; Halftime Score: Manly-Warringah 14 Wests Tigers 0; LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match: 3 points - Daly Cherry-Evans, 2 points - Luke Garner, 1 points - Ben Trboievic

#### FINAL TEAMLISTS

MANLY: 1. Tom Trbojevic 2. Christian Tuipulotu 19. Morgan Harper 4. Tolutau Koula 5. Reuben Garrick 6. Kieran Foran 7. Daly Cherry-Evans 8. Sean Keppie 9. Lachlan Croker 16. Josh Aloiai 3. Ben Trbojevic 15. Ethan Bullemor 13. Jake Trbojevic INTERCHANGE 10. Martin Taupau 14. Dylan Walker 17. Toafofoa Sipley 18. Kurt De Luis 18TH PLAYER 20. Kaeo Weekes



WESTS TIGERS: 1. Starford To'a 2. Asu Kepaoa 3. Oliver Gildart 4. Luke Garner 5. Ken Maumalo 6. Luke Brooks 7. Jackson Hastings 8. James Tamou 9. Jake Simpkin 10. Zane Musgrove 11. Kelma Tuilagi 12. Alex Seyfarth 13. Joe Ofahengaue INTERCHANGE 14. Tyrone Peachey 15. Alex Twal 16. Thomas Mikaele 17. Stefano Utoikamanu 18TH PLAYER 19. Jock Madden



#### MANLY TAKE COMFORTABLE WIN OVER SPIRITED TIGERS AT SOLD OUT BROOKVALE

Playing in front of their biggest home crowd in eight years, the Manly Sea Eagles have left the Brookvale faithful happy following their 36-22 victory over a spirited Wests Tigers side.

Things didn't start well for the Tigers as Daly Cherry-Evans opening kick off was regathered by the Sea Eagles who dominated field position and territory throughout the opening ten minutes. The Tigers thought they had weathered the storm and through the opening twenty-five minutes when it looked as if they had opened the scoring only for it to be knocked back overturned by the bunker for an obstruction

The bright moment for the Tigers didn't last as the Sea Eagles were able to get momentum and just over a minute later, the Sea Eagles were able to open the scoring when Ben Trbojevic got his way over the line after Manly were able to get a quick play the ball to create space.

Discipline issues were hurting the Tigers and referee Adam Gee had reached his limit as the Tigers gave away one penalty too many and Stefano Utoikamanu was sent to the sin bin. The Sea Eagles took advantage of the extra man as Reuben Garrick scored out wide but failed to convert his own try.

The Sea Eagles added a third try on the stroke of half time, again using the advantage of the extra man when Christian Tuipulotu scored out wide after the Tigers defence was caught short. Garrick added his first conversion of the afternoon to give the home side a 14-0 lead at the break.

Daly Cherry-Evans showed he is still one of the best halves in the competition when he was put into open space by Tolutau Kouala and DCE raced away, putting on the moves on Starford To'a beating him all ends up to score. Garrick's poor day with the boot continued as he missed the conversion.

The Tigers spirit was going to keep them in the contest and it was a solo effort from Luke Garner that got them back into the contest. Jackson Hastings conversion from out wide closed the gap to just 12 points.

It was second time lucky for the Tigers on their second try after Tyrone Peachey redeemed himself when he chased through a deflected kick after only 60 seconds before having an effort overturned by the hunker

The gap had closed to just a converted try but an error from the kick-off gave Manly possession of the ball and it wasn't long before Josh Aloiai was able to get over under the posts. The conversion from in front pushed the margin back to 12.

Ben Trbojevic added a second as he was able to just get the ball to the line after the Tigers defence was caught out. Garrick added the conversion to extend the lead to three converted tries.

The Tigers weren't done with yet adding a try to Englishman Oliver Gildart but a missed conversion put any hopes of a comeback to bed. Both sides added tries in the final five minutes with Reuben Garrick scoring a double for the Sea Eagles whilst Joe Ofahengaue scored just before full time for the Tigers. **JOSH ROBERTSON** 

#### THE WRAP NRL 2022 ROUND 9

#### SATURDAY 7 MAY, 5:30PM **SYDNEY 44 GOLD COAST 16**

SYDNEY ROOSTERS (44) Tries: James Tedesco (3), Joseph Suaalii (2), Siosiua Taukeiaho, Daniel Tupou (2); Conversions: Sam Walker (5/6), Paul Momirovski (1/2) def GOLD COAST TITANS (16) Tries: Beau Fermor, Sam Lisone, Herman Ese'ese; Conversions: Toby Sexton (2/3); Penalty Goals: Toby Sexton (0/1)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

Venue: BB Print Stadium; Crowd: 5527; Halftime Score: Sydney 24 Gold Coast 10; LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match: 3 points - James Tedesco, 2 points - Luke Keary, 1 points - Joseph Manu

#### FINAL TEAMLISTS

SYDNEY: 1. James Tedesco 2. Daniel Tupou 3. Paul Momirovski 4. Joseph Manu 5. Joseph Suaalii 6. Sam Walker 7. Luke Keary 8. Jared Waerea-Hargreaves 9. Sam Verrills 10. Lindsay Collins 11. Angus Crichton 16. Nat Butcher 13. Victor Radley



INTERCHANGE 12. Sitili Tupouniua 14. Drew Hutchison 15. Fletcher Baker 17. Siosiua Taukeiaho 18TH PLAYER 18. Lachlan Lam

GOLD COAST: 1. AJ Brimson 2. Greg Marzhew 3. Brian Kelly 4. Patrick Herbert 5. Corey Thompson 6. Will Smith 7. Toby Sexton 8. Moeaki Fotuaika 9. Erin Clark 10. Isaac Liu 11. Kevin Proctor 12. Beau Fermor 13. Tino Fa'asuamaleaui



INTERCHANGE 14. Tanah Boyd 15. Sam Lisone 16. Herman Ese'ese 17. Sam McIntyre 18TH PLAYER 18. Jamayne Isaako

#### MIGHTY ROOSTERS TOO MUCH FOR STRUGGLING TITANS

It was the James Tedesco show as the Roosters defeated the Titans by 28 points

It was a strange old first half in Mackay between the Sydney Roosters and the Gold Coast Titans. The Titans started off in the best way possible, with a try in the second minute after an error from Joseph Suaalii gave Beau Fermor a chance to give his side the lead. It took the Roosters just four minutes to equalise through James Tedesco. The Roosters performed a sweeping play to the right with Luke Keary digging into the line, which gave Tedesco room to move before he passed the ball to Manu, who broke a few tackles before returning the ball back on his inside for Tedesco to score his 100th try in the NRL. The game ebbed and flowed for a bit with errors from both sides until Lindsay Collins was sent to the sin-bin for a shoulder charge on Corey Thompson. The Titans trailed by just two points and this was a good an opportunity as any to get back in front. However, the Titans failed to take their opportunity and the Roosters started to gain some momentum and score minutes later as they moved the ball down the right edge in similar fashion to their first try. This time it was Tedesco who took the line on and scored with ease as he broke through the Titans defence for his second try. The Roosters kept their foot on the pedal as Joseph Suaalii was able to redeem himself after a blunder that led to the Titans first try. The Roosters once again attacked down the right edge before Keary through a cut out ball to his winger who barged his way over to score in the corner. A few sets later the Roosters grabbed their fourth try. They once again went down the right edge on last tackle and with Taukeiaho at first receiver, the Titans weren't expecting anything special. The forward through the dummy and then burrowed his way over. Sam Walker made his fourth consecutive sideline conversion to put the Roosters up by 20 points. However, the Titans were able to grab a try just before the half-time break as a Will Smith kick ricochet off Angus Crichton and fell at the feet of Sam Lisone who picked the ball up and ran it over the try line to bring the Titans within 14 at the half time break.

The Titans came out of the blocks in perfect fashion. They got on the scoresheet first as Herman Ese'ese barged his way over for the Titans third try. Unfortunately, for the Titans, this was as close as they were going to get to the Roosters. The game went without a try for the next 20 minutes until an intercept from Sam Walker swung the momentum in the Roosters direction. Moments later, Luke Keary delivered a pin-point kick to his winger, Daniel Tupou who leapt high and brought the ball down to score in the corner. The Roosters couldn't be stopped now. They took no time in getting back down into the Titans own end and they decided to attack down that right flank once again. Tedesco received the ball at first receiver, tucked the ball under his wing and charged through a tackle to score his third of the night, just his fourth hattrick in the NRL. The 'home' side marched their way back down into Titans' territory as the Titans continued to fail at preventing the Roosters from gaining territory. This time, the Roosters attack down the left flank and it was Keary's halves partner, Sam Walker who delivered the try this time with a great pass over the top of the Titans defence which found Tupou who scored in the corner for his second. The Titans unfortunately put the following kick-off out on the full, allowing the Roosters entry into their own end once again. They followed the trend of the match and attacked the Titans right-edge defence again and came up with another try as a Keary cut out ball found Suaalii on the wing, who charged for the corner and scored gracefully for his second try of the night. The Roosters turned it on tonight and that'll hurt Titans' fans. There will be plenty of talk about their performance on the Gold Coast this week as they still managed to have a fair share of the ball but failed to convert that into any points, just as their opponents did. LACHY MACCORQUODALE

#### SATURDAY 7 MAY, 7:35PM **NORTH QUEENSLAND 36 NEWCASTLE 16**

NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS (36) Tries: Tom Dearden, Valentine Holmes, Kyle Feldt, Murray Taulagi, Jeremiah Nanai, Heilum Luki; Conversions: Valentine Holmes (6/6) def NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS (16) Tries: Dominic Young, Jacob Saifiti, Chris Randall; Conversions: Kalyn Ponga (2/3)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

Venue: Queensland Country Bank Stadium; Crowd: 14463; Halftime Score: North Queensland 12 Newcastle 16; LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match: 3 points - Chad Townsend, 2 points -Reuben Cotter, 1 points - Kalyn Ponga

#### FINAL TEAMLISTS

NORTH QLD: 1. Scott Drinkwater 2. Kyle Feldt 3. Valentine Holmes 4. Peta Hiku 5. Murray Taulagi 6. Tom Dearden 7. Chad Townsend 8. Jordan McLean 9. Reece Robson 10. Reuben Cotter 11. Tom Gilbert 12. Jeremiah Nanai 13. Jason Taumalolo INTERCHANGE 14. Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow 15. Heilum Luki 16. Coen Hess 17. Griffin Neame 18TH PLAYER 18. Jamayne Taunoa-Brown



NEWCASTLE: 1. Kalyn Ponga 2. Edrick Lee 3. Enari Tuala 4. Bradman Best 5. Dominic Young 6. Tex Hoy 7. Phoenix Crossland 8. David Klemmer 9. Chris Randall 10. Daniel Saifiti 14. lack Johns 12. Lachlan Fitzgibbon 13. Leo Thompson



INTERCHANGE 15. Jacob Saifiti 16. Mathew Croker 17. Pasami Saulo 18. Simi

Sasagi 18TH PLAYER 21. Brayden Musgrove

#### COWBOYS ASSERT DOMINANCE OVER DEPLETED KNIGHTS

North Queensland have come back from a poor first half to defeat a depleted Newcastle Knights side 36-16 at Queensland Country Bank Stadium and maintain their place as one of the most improved teams in 2022.

Newcastle was up against it with four changes midweek, before a gameday withdrawal of Tyson Frizell with a 'non-COVID' illness. Their start was appalling with poor discipline leading to the game's opening try. Tom Dearden continued his great form by taking the ball to the line and with momentum, Dearden found the line and with Holmes conversion, the Cowboys had an early lead.

Newcastle worked their way back into the game and thanks to the magic work of Kalyn Ponga, he tapped it onto Dom Young and the winger crossed for the Knights first try in 193 minutes.

Ponga's missed kick saw them trail by two points. Fifteen minutes later, a lovely ball from Scott Drinkwater over the head of Edrick Lee found Kyle Feldt and Feldt continued his recent try-scoring form to lead 12-4

Newcastle had the perfect entry into half-time with two quickfire tries. First was when Ponga placed a perfect grubber kick for Jacob Saifiti which came off the post and the Knights were trailing by just two points.

Minutes later, it was a great leadup play from Tex Hoy who got it away to Chris Randall who burrowed over to score and the Knights had a shock 16-12 lead at half-time.

North Queensland had the perfect start to the second half when they piled on two quick unanswered tries in a rather bizarre fashion. Chad Townsend misfired the kick, but Murray Taulagi caught it and went through a gap bigger than Sydney Heads and the Cowboys tied the game back up, with Holmes' conversion, North Queensland regained a slender two-point advantage.

Off the next set, no one wanted the ball on the last tackle, but they shifted it right, and the Cowboys hit the Knights with the double whammy. Newcastle fell asleep on the right-hand side and Holmes crossed and converted his try to lead by 8.

Jeremiah Nanai might have a stint on Dancing with the Stars in the off-season, after showcasing his silky skills by stepping past multiple Knights defenders after his trademark bomb take and the Knights were imploding.

The Cowboys finished their air-raid when Heilum Luki took an uncontested bomb and ran it around under the post to give us the final score of 36-16.

Newcastle has now lost seven on the trot, they open the NRL's Magic Round when they take on the Bulldogs. Whilst the Cowboys close out the weekend with a dual with the Tigers. AJ LUCANTONIO

#### SUNDAY 8 MAY, 2:00PM MELBOURNE 42 ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA 6

#### **SCORERS**

MELBOURNE STORM (42) Tries: Ryan Papenhuyzen (2), Nick Meaney, Jahrome Hughes, Cameron Munster, Nelson Asofa-Solomona, Trent Loiero; Conversions: Ryan Papenhuyzen (2/2), Nick Meaney (4/5); Penalty Goals: Ryan Papenhuyzen (0/1), Nick Meaney (1/1) def ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS (6) Tries: Jack de Belin; Conversions: Zac Lomax (1/1) MATCH INFORMATION

Venue: AAMI Park; Crowd: 11723; Halftime Score: Melbourne 12 St George Illawarra 0; LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match: 3 points - Cameron Munster, 2 points - Nick Meaney, 1 points - Harry Grant

#### **FINAL TEAMLISTS**

MELBOURNE: 1. Ryan Papenhuyzen 2. Nick Meaney 3. Reimis Smith 4. Justin Olam 5. Xavier Coates 6. Cameron Munster 7. Jahrome Hughes 8. Jesse Bromwich 9. Harry Grant 10. Nelson Asofa-Solomona 11. Felise Kaufusi 12. Kenny Bromwich 13. Josh King



ST GEO ILLA: 1. Moses Mbye 2. Mathew Feagai 3. Moses Suli 4. Zac Lomax 5. Mikaele Ravalawa 14. Talatau Amone 7. Ben Hunt 8. Francis Molo 9. Andrew McCullough 11. Tariq Sims 6. Jack Bird 12. Josh Mcguire 13. Jack de Belin

INTERCHANGE 15. Blake Lawrie 16. Aaron Woods 17. Tyrell Fuimaono 18. Jayden Sullivan 18TH PLAYER 20. Jack Gosiewski





#### STORM DOMINANCE SENDS THEM TO THE TOP

The Melbourne Storm have confirmed their spot back on top of the NRL ladder with a dominant 42-6 win over the St George Illawarra Dragons.

In an even first half, the Dragons were matching it early on with the home side though it was the Storm who crossed for what looked to be two tries only to have them overturned by the bunker with the first ruled out for an obstruction whilst the second was ruled to have been a knock-on.

A missed penalty goal attempt from Ryan Papenhuyzen also cost Melbourne a chance to take and early lead whilst the Dragons had an effort denied by the bunker when Mikaele Ravalawa grounded the ball on the touch in-goal line.

The Storm opened the scoring after 20 minutes when Ryan Papenhuyzen went himself at the line and scored and it was third time lucky for the Storm. Extending their lead ten minutes later, the Storm pounced on an error from the Dragons and turned defence into attack racing away to score through Nick Meaney.

It might have been a tight affair in the first half, but it was anything but in the second half as the Melbourne Storm turned on the style and flair in the second half.

A careless play from the Dragons yet again put the Storm onto the attack and it was Nick Meaney who set things up kicking infield for a hobbling Ryan Papenhuyzen to chase through and score. Papenhuyzen left the field with a hamstring injury to go with a knee injury so Meaney took over the conversion duties successfully.

Adding a penalty go to 20 ahead, the Storm didn't stop with the scoring as some great work from Cam Munster to find Jahrome Hughes in open space with a pinpoint kick after Xavier Coates kept the ball alive.

The Dragons defence had been exhausted by the Storm who were able to make easy metres up field and Cam Munster used the fragility as he ran hard and straight at the line to score. The Storm then did the same thing a few minutes later when Nelson Asofa-Solomona was able to charge over at the line.

The Storm held a 36-0 lead when the Dragons were able to get a consolation try through Jack De Belin

Melbourne put the cherry on top when Trent Loiero charged through to score from close range.

The victory takes the Storm to the top of the NRL ladder on points difference ahead of the Panthers who the Storm meet at Magic Round on Saturday night whilst the Dragons take on the Titans. **IOSH ROBERTSON** 

#### SUNDAY 8 MAY, 4:05PM CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND 39 WARRIORS 10

#### **SCORERS**

CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS (29) Tries: Nicho Hynes, Teig Wilton, Connor Tracey (2), Jesse Ramien; Field Goals: Nicho Hynes (1/1); Conversions: Nicho Hynes (4/5) def WARRIORS (10) Tries: Dallin Watene-Zelezniak, Viliami Vailea; Conversions: Reece Walsh (1/2)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

Venue: PointsBet Stadium; Crowd: 9915; Halftime Score: Cronulla-Sutherland 12 Warriors 10; LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match: 3 points - Nicho Hynes, 2 points - Dale Finucane, 1 points - Teig Wilton

#### **FINAL TEAMLISTS**

CRONULLA: 1. Will Kennedy 2. Sione Katoa 3. Jesse Ramien 4. Siosifa Talakai 22. Connor Tracey 6. Matt Moylan 7. Nicho Hynes 8. Toby Rudolf 9. Blayke Brailey 13. Dale Finucane 11. Briton Nikora 12. Teig Wilton 15. Cameron McInnes INTERCHANGE 10. Aiden Tolman 14. Jack Williams 16. Wade Graham 19. Andrew Fifita 18TH PLAYER 21. Mawene Hiroti



**WARRIORS:** 1. Reece Walsh 2. Dallin Watene-Zelezniak 3. Viliami Vailea 4. Rocco Berry 5. Adam Pompey 6. Daejarn Asi 7. Shaun Johnson 8. Addin Fonua-Blake 9. Wayde Egan 10. Matt Lodge 11. Euan Aitken 12. Eliesa Katoa 13. Jazz Tevaga



INTERCHANGE 14. Jack Murchie 15. Ben Murdoch-Masila 16. Bunty Afoa 17. Aaron Pene 18TH PLAYER 18. Bayley Sironen

#### STOIC SHARKS EMBARRASS DISGRACEFUL WARRIORS

The Cronulla Sharks spent almost an hour playing with 12 men - and a further 10 minutes when down to 11 men later - due to Will Kennedy getting sent off and Jesse Ramien sin binned, yet they not only held on, but increased their lead while defending heroically to belt the Warriors 29-10 at Pointsbet Stadium.

The Sharks opened the scoring in the 7th minute when Jesse Ramien made a break down the right side, before getting a good ball inside to Will Kennedy who then drew the defender before linking with Nicho Hynes who raced 30 metres to score. Hynes converted his try.

In the 17th minute Reece Walsh stepped Kennedy, who then flung out his arm and collected Walsh with a sloppy coat hanger. Walsh was unaffected and got straight to his feet, but the referee did not hesitate in sending off Kennedy.

In the set following Kennedy's dismissal, the Warriors swung the ball right, taking advantage of the extra man advantage they had, leading to a try to Dallin Watene-Zelezniak in the corner. Walsh failed to convert from out wide.

Four minutes later the Warriors took the lead when Walsh received an offload, ran around to the left and through a gap, before he was ankle-tapped by Sione Katoa. As Walsh fell forward he got a good offload away to Daejarn Asi, who grubbered to the left side where Viliami Vailea got a good bounce and scored out wide. Walsh converted from out wide to give the Warriors a 10-6 lead.

The Sharks hit back 9 minutes before halftime when Tieg Wilton received a lovely flat ball in the line, he hit the line and spun before crashing over for a good try. Hynes converted to give the Sharks a 2 point lead.

Six minutes after play resumed from the halftime break, Hynes skipped clear of a tackle, passed to Siosifa Talakai, who drew the cover defender before getting a lovely ball to Connor Tracey who scored untouched in the corner. Hynes failed to convert from out wide.

In the 55th minute Jesse Ramien was sent to the sin bin after he hit Euan Aitken with a shoulder charge to the head, which resulted in Aitken leaving the field for an HIA which he ultimately failed.

The Sharks dominated possession and field position for the following ten minutes, denying the Warriors a chance to get back into the game despite having 2 extra men on the field.

Shortly after Ramien returned to the field, the Sharks crossed again when Hynes threw a long, looping ball over the top to Tracey, who ran in and around to score nearer to the posts. Hynes converted.

In the 74th minute Hynes calmly potted a field goal to give the Sharks a 13 point lead.

But the misery didn't end there for the Warriors as Hynes sent Ramien in for a try, which he converted to give the Sharks an impressive and dominant 19 point victory. **ANDREW FERGUSON** 

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#### **FRIDAY 13 MAY 2022**



CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS v NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS SUNCORP STADIUM. 6:00PM



MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES v Brisbane Broncos

SUNCORP STADIUM, 8:05PM





#### **SATURDAY 14 MAY 2022**



WARRIORS v SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS SUNCORP STADIUM. 3:00PM



GOLD COAST TITANS V ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS SUNCORP STADIUM, 5:30PM



MELBOURNE STORM v PENRITH PANTHERS SUNCORP STADIUM, 7:45PM





#### **SUNDAY 15 MAY 2022**



CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS
v CANBERRA RAIDERS
SUNCORP STADIUM, 1:50PM



SYDNEY ROOSTERS V
PARRAMATTA EELS
SUNCORP STADIUM, 4:05PM



WESTS TIGERS v North Queensland Cowboys Suncorp Stadium, 6:25PM







#### MATCH REVIEW & JUDICIARY NRL ROUND 9

Player	Club	Grade	Charge	Base	2022 Offence	Guilty	Early plea	Plea	Result
Joe STIMSON	Canterbury	1	Dangerous Contact	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Tevita PANGAI JUNIOR	Canterbury	1	Contrary Conduct	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Jeremy MARSHALL-KING	Canterbury	1	Dangerous Contact	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Ryan MATTERSON	Parramatta	1	Contrary Conduct	\$1500	1st	\$1500	\$1000	Guilty - early plea	\$1000
Lindsay COLLINS	Sydney	2	Careless High Tackle	2 matches	1st	2 matches	1 match	Guilty - early plea	1 match
Tom GILBERT	North Queensland	1	Careless High Tackle	\$1500	2nd	\$2500	\$1800	Guilty - early plea	\$1800
Francis MOLO	St George Illawarra	1	Crusher Tackle	\$2000	2nd	2 matches	\$3000	Guilty - early plea	\$3000
Will KENNEDY	Cronulla	3	Careless High Tackle	3 matches	1st	3 matches	2 matches	Guilty - early plea	2 matches
Jesse RAMIEN	Cronulla	3	Careless High Tackle	3 matches	2nd	4 matches	3 matches	Guilty - early plea	3 matches
Toby RUDOLF	Cronulla	1	Crusher Tackle	\$2000	1st	\$2000	\$1500	Guilty - early plea	\$1500

### NRL 2022 LADDER & STATS AFTER ROUND 9

PRE	MIERSHIP LADDER				Hom	е					,	Away	1						To	ital			
Pos	Team	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	PD	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	PD	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	Pts	PD
1.	Melbourne Storm	6	5	1	-	229	76	+153	3	3	-	-	106	34	+72	9	8	1	-	335	110	16	+225
2.	Penrith Panthers	6	5	1	-	188	78	+110	3	3	-	-	70	32	+38	9	8	1	-	258	110	16	+148
3.	North Queensland Cowboys	5	3	2	-	100	60	+40	4	3	1	-	115	53	+62	9	6	3	-	215	113	12	+102
4.	Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks	5	5	-	-	129	52	+77	4	1	3	-	80	86	-6	9	6	3	-	209	138	12	+71
5.	Parramatta Eels	4	2	2	-	104	98	+6	5	4	1	-	131	84	+47	9	6	3	-	235	182	12	+53
6.	Sydney Roosters	4	3	1	-	98	62	+36	5	2	3	-	92	82	+10	9	5	4	-	190	144	10	+46
7.	Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles	4	4	-	-	100	58	+42	5	1	4	-	92	134	-42	9	5	4	-	192	192	10	+0
8.	Brisbane Broncos	5	3	2	-	93	87	+6	4	2	2	-	66	82	-16	9	5	4	-	159	169	10	-10
9.	South Sydney Rabbitohs	5	4	1	-	140	98	+42	4	-	4	-	52	75	-23	9	4	5	-	192	173	8	+19
10.	Warriors	4	3	1	-	82	78	+4	5	1	4	-	68	153	-85	9	4	5	-	150	231	8	-81
11.	St George Illawarra Dragons	5	3	2	-	75	90	-15	4	1	3	-	60	130	-70	9	4	5	-	135	220	8	-85
12.	Canberra Raiders	5	3	2	-	90	93	-3	4	-	4	-	38	108	-70	9	3	6	-	128	201	6	-73
13.	Wests Tigers	3	1	2	-	51	64	-13	6	1	5	-	63	132	-69	9	2	7	-	114	196	4	-82
14.	Gold Coast Titans	4	2	2	-	52	68	-16	5	-	5	-	88	156	-68	9	2	7	-	140	224	4	-84
15.	Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs	3	1	2	-	38	60	-22	6	1	5	-	52	145	-93	9	2	7	-	90	205	4	-115
16.	Newcastle Knights	4	1	3	-	36	123	-87	5	1	4	-	72	119	-47	9	2	7	-	108	242	4	-134

#### **TOP TRYSCORERS**

Rank	Player	Team	Р	T
1	Ryan PAPENHUYZEN	Melbourne	9	12
2	Xavier COATES	Melbourne	8	10
	Taylan MAY	Penrith	7	10
4	Jahrome HUGHES	Melbourne	9	7
	Jeremiah NANAI	North Qld	9	7
	Corey OATES	Brisbane	9	7

#### **TOP GOALKICKERS**

Rank	Player	Team	Р	G	Att	%
1	Ryan PAPENHUYZEN	Melbourne	9	39	47	83%
2	Valentine HOLMES	North Qld	9	35	43	81%
3	Mitchell MOSES	Parramatta	9	33	42	79%
4	Reuben GARRICK	Manly	9	28	35	80%
5	Nicho HYNES	Cronulla	9	27	42	64%
6	Nathan CLEARY	Penrith	6	26	33	79%
7	Reece WALSH	Warriors	8	24	27	89%
8	Sam WALKER	Sydney	9	23	32	72%
9	Blake TAAFFE	Souths	5	21	24	88%
	Adam REYNOLDS	Brisbane	8	21	26	81%

#### **TOP POINTSCORERS**

Rank	Player	Team	Р	Т	G	FG	Pts
1	Ryan PAPENHUYZEN	Melbourne	9	12	39	1	127
2	Valentine HOLMES	North Qld	9	4	35	1	87
3	Mitchell MOSES	Parramatta	9	3	33	1	79
4	Reuben GARRICK	Manly	9	5	28	-	76
5	Nicho HYNES	Cronulla	9	2	27	2	64
6	Nathan CLEARY	Penrith	6	1	26	-	56
7	Adam REYNOLDS	Brisbane	8	3	21	-	54
	Sam WALKER	Sydney	9	2	23	-	54
9	Stephen CRICHTON	Penrith	9	6	13	-	50
10	Reece WALSH	Warriors	8	-	24	-	48
11	Blake TAAFFE	Souths	5	1	21	-	46
12	Zac LOMAX	St Geo Illa	9	1	20	1	45
13	Nick MEANEY	Melbourne	8	6	10	-	44
14	Xavier COATES	Melbourne	8	10	-	-	40
	Taylan MAY	Penrith	7	10	-	-	40
16	Brad SCHNEIDER	Canberra	8	-	18	-	36
17	Jake CLIFFORD	Newcastle	8	2	12	-	32
	Clinton GUTHERSON	Parramatta	9	6	4	-	32
	Toby SEXTON	Gold Coast	9	-	16	-	32

+ denotes 2 point field goal

#### **AVG HOME CROWD**

Club	Average
Brisbane	26,651
Parramatta	22,086
Penrith	19,798
Newcastle	18,438
South Sydney	17,253
Melbourne	15,517
Manly	15,622
North Qld	14,689
St Geo Illa	14,351
Canberra	12,856
Gold Coast	12,709
Sydney	12,616
Canterbury	11,385
Wests Tigers	10,486
Cronulla	10,282
Warriors	7,400



### CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS



### NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS

Adam O'BRIEN

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Age P T G FG Pts						Age	Р	T	G I	FG Pts
26 9 1 4	Matthew DUFTY	1	FULLBACK	1	Kalyn PONGA	24	7	2	2	- 12
26 7 1 4	Brent NADEN	2	WING	2	Edrick LEE	29	4	-	-	
21 <b>7</b>	Jake AVERILLO	3	CENTRE	3	Enari TUALA	23	9	3	-	- 12
20 5	Aaron SCHOUPP	4	CENTRE	4	Bradman BEST	20	9	2	-	- 8
26 9 5 20	Josh ADDO-CARR	5	WING	5	Dominic YOUNG	20	6	4	-	- 16
22 9 1 6 - 16	Matt BURTON	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Tex HOY	22	3	1	-	- 4
23 5 - 5 - 10	Kyle FLANAGAN	7	HALFBACK	7	Adam CLUNE	26	7	-	-	
27 9	Luke THOMPSON	8	FRONT ROW	8	David KLEMMER	28	5	-	-	
26 9 2 8	Jeremy MARSHALL-KING	9	HOOKER	9	Chris RANDALL	26	9	1	-	- 4
31 9	Paul VAUGHAN	10	FRONT ROW	10	Daniel SAIFITI	26	7	-	-	
25 <b>8</b>	Corey WADDELL	11	SECOND ROW	11	Mitchell BARNETT	28	3	-	-	
26 8 1 4	Tevita PANGAI JUNIOR	12	SECOND ROW	12	Lachlan FITZGIBBON	28	3	-	-	
31 8	Josh JACKSON	13	LOCK	13	Leo THOMPSON	21	9	-	-	
20 7	Bailey BIONDI-ODO	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Phoenix CROSSLAND	21	9	-	-	
26 6 1 4	Joe STIMSON	15		15	Jacob SAIFITI	26	9	1	-	- 4
25 9	Max KING	16		16	Pasami SAULO	23	1	-	-	
20 4	Chris PATOLO	17		17	Matt CROKER	22	3	-	-	
22	Josh COOK	19	RESERVES	18	Simi SASAGI	21	4	-	-	
20	Jackson TOPINE	20		19	Sauaso SUE	30	4	-	-	
23 4 1 4	Brandon WAKEHAM	21		20	Braydon MUSGROVE	24	-	-	-	
25 4 2 8	Jayden OKUNBOR	22		21	Jaron PURCELL	21	-	-	-	
28	Raymond FAITALA-MARINER	23		22	Krystian MAPAPALANGI	19	-	-	-	
18	Paul ALAMOTI	24		23	Kobe RUGLESS	20	-	-	-	
30 6	Ava SEUMANUFAGAI	25		24	Ben TALTY	23	-	-	-	

**COACH** 

**PENALTIES** 

**SCRUMS** 

Trent BARRETT

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#### #NRLBULLDOGSKNIGHTS

#### MATCH DETAILS

DATE Friday 13 May 2022
KICKOFF 6:00PM AEST
VENUE Suncorp Stadium

Milton QLD

WATCH Fox League & Kayo Sports

LISTEN ABC Sport, Triple M, NRL Nation, MIX Canberra

LIVE BLOG LeagueUnlimited.com

#### MATCH OFFICIALS

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Michael WISE

NRL BUNKER Adam GEE



#### **HEAD TO HEAD**

ALL 51 CANTERBURY 27 NEWCASTLE 23 DRAW 1
SUNCORP 1 MATCH: CANTERBURY 0 NEWCASTLE 1

#### LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2019	R9	Newcastle 22-10	Suncorp, 12646
2019	R17	Canterbury 20-14	McD Jones, 17757
2020	R11	Canterbury 18-12	McD Jones, 3521
2021	R1	Newcastle 32-16	McD Jones, 19555
2021	R23	Newcastle 22-16	Cbus Super, 2343

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

1995	R13	Newcastle 42-0	McD Jones, 25229
2004	R25	Canterbury 52-6	Stadium Aus, 20043

#### **NOTABLES**

Billy TSIKRIKAS (CBY) turns 27 on May 11

Trent BARRETT (CBY) currently has the worst coaching record among current NRL coaches, winning only 32.1% of 106 matches (CBY & MAN)

#### **NEXT WEEK: ROUND 11**

CANTERBURY play WESTS TIGERS at LEICHHARDT, Fri 6:00pm NEWCASTLE host BRISBANE at McDONALD JONES, Thu 7:50pm

Match stats courtesy of







#### THE PREVIEW

#### with Emile El-Azar

Magic Round time! One of the true highlights of the NRL season, and I personally can't wait to get up to Brisbane for it to savour every minute of every game.

Kicking off this festival of Rugby League is the battle for the bottom, The Canterbury Bankstown Bulldogs up against the Newcastle Knight, in the most appropriate of timeslots, the Friday 6pm "we hate the fans" kickoff. The mere existence of this permanent timeslot is an insult to anyone that has ever spent their hard-earned money on attending an NRL game.

The Bulldogs come into this game after one of their most pathetic performances yet, managing to play a previously hopelessly out of form Canberra back into the winners circle. The Dogs really needed to follow up their previous week's victory over the Sydney Roosters with another strong performance, however this was not forthcoming.

The Knights come into this game on the back of 7 straight losses, the latest being a 20 point loss to the North Queensland Cowboys. The last 3 games alone, they have lost by the combined score of 125-20, although it must be said that two of those games were against the Melbourne Storm, and the March Premiers, Parramatta.

In team news. I give up. Bulldogs coach Trent Barrett changed a winning team, reverting it back to the previously losing formula, that in turn put in their worst performance of the season. To keep it on topic, only one change this week with Chris Patolo coming in for Ava Seumanufagai on the bench. Otherwise, the same 13 that took the park last week get to go again ,without any consequences.

For Newcastle, Adam Clune and Mitchell Barnett come straight back into the starting lineup, who will both be welcome returns. Edrick Lee is selected, however will need to pass NRL concussion protocols to take his place. The only real change to the starting 13 for Newcastle is at halfback.

Last time these 2 teams met was in Round 23 of 2021, on the Gold Coast (of course), with the Knights running out 22-16 winners. Of note that there are only 5 Bulldogs survivors from the starting lineup that day, and 6 Knights survivors.

Of interest is to see which of these two teams really want this win, it actually may be an enthralling matchup of two desperate teams. The skill levels and fitness levels may be low, but I'm intrigued to see what they can serve up to kick off Magic Round.

**FAVOURITE:** At the time of writing, Canterbury was \$1.71 favourites.

MY TIP: I've seen too much of Canterbury and I know what's going to happen here. Congratulations Newcastle fans, your team will be played right back into form after an awful last 7 weeks. Enjoy it. Newcastle by 10.

### **TEAMLIST TUESDAY**ALL THE GRADES. IN ONE SPOT

Before they go in this magazine, teamlists for every grade, every week appear on LeagueUnlimited.com - including:

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- Hastings Deering Colts
- **BMD Premiership**

### MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES



### BRONCOS

Age P T G FG Pts						Age P T G FG Pts
25 5 2 8	Tom TRBOJEVIC	1	FULLBACK	1	Te Maire MARTIN	26 3
21 5 3 12	Christian TUIPULOTU	2	WING	2	Corey OATES	27 9 7 28
20 2 2 8	Ben TRBOJEVIC	3	CENTRE	3	Kotoni STAGGS	23 9 3 1 - 14
19 6	Tolutau KOULA	4	CENTRE	4	Herbie FARNWORTH	22 8 6 24
24 9 5 28 - 76	Reuben GARRICK	5	WING	5	Selwyn COBBO	19 9 4 16
31 9 2 8	Kieran FORAN	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Tyson GAMBLE	25 3
33 9 3 1 2 16	Daly CHERRY-EVANS	7	HALFBACK	7	Adam REYNOLDS	31 8 3 21 - 54
26 4 1 4	Josh ALOIAI	8	FRONT ROW	8	Corey JENSEN	28 6
25 9 1 4	Lachlan CROKER	9	HOOKER	9	Billy WALTERS	28 9
23 8	Sean KEPPIE	10	FRONT ROW	10	Payne HAAS	22 7
23 7 5 20	Haumole OLAKAU'ATU	11	SECOND ROW	11	Kurt CAPEWELL	28 7 1 - 1 5
22 6 1 4	Ethan BULLEMOR	12	SECOND ROW	12	Jordan RIKI	22 8
28 9	Jake TRBOJEVIC	13	LOCK	13	Patrick CARRIGAN	24 5
27 8	Dylan WALKER	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Cory PAIX	22 5 1 4
30 6 1 4	Andrew DAVEY	15		15	Kobe HETHERINGTON	23 8
32 7	Martin TAUPAU	16		16	Thomas FLEGLER	22 4
27 5	Toafofoa SIPLEY	17		17	Keenan PALASIA	25 9
26 1	Kurt DE LUIS	18	RESERVES	18	Brenko LEE	26 1
23 7 2 8	Morgan HARPER	19		19	TC ROBATI	20 6
20	Kaeo WEEKES	20		20	Rhys KENNEDY	27 5 1 4
22	James ROUMANOS	21		21	Ezra MAM	19
21 1	Josh SCHUSTER	22		22	Jordan PEREIRA	29
19	Jamie HUMPHREYS	23		23	Ryan JAMES	30 6
	Jacob SYKES	24		24	Jake TURPIN	25 6
	Jacon STRES				Jane IOM III	

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Kevin WALTERS

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#### #NRLMANLYBRONCOS

#### MATCH DETAILS

DATE Friday 13 May 2022
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VENUE Suncorp Stadium
Milton OLD

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NRL BUNKER Chris BUTLER



#### **HEAD TO HEAD**

ALL 48 MANLY 24 BRISBANE 23 DRAW 1 SUNCORP 24 MATCHES: MANLY 10 BRISBANE 14

#### LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2018	R10	Manly 38-24	Suncorp, 31118
2018	R25	Brisbane 48-16	Suncorp, 41538
2019	R9	Brisbane 26-10	Suncorp, 41388
2020	R5	Manly 20-18	Central Coast, 178
2021	R10 (M)	Manly 50-6	Suncorp, 41367

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

1988	R1	Brisbane 44-10	Suncorp, 17451
2015	R13	Brisbane 44-10	Suncorp, 28691
2021	R10 (M)	Manly 50-6	Suncorp, 41367

#### **NOTABLES**

Reuben GARRICK (MAN) needs 2 tries for 50 NRL & club tries Herbie FARNWORTH (BRI) - 50th NRL game

#### **NEXT WEEK: ROUND 11**

MANLY play PARRAMATTA at COMMBANK, Fri 7:55pm BRISBANE play NEWCASTLE at MCDONALD JONES, Thu 7:50pm

Match stats courtesy of

### RUGBY LEAGUE





#### THE PREVIEW

#### with Andrew Jackson

New-look Broncos hope for Magic Round revenge against Manly

The last time the Broncos and Sea Eagles met at Magic Round, Tom Trbojevic scored a double in a 50-6 demolition job that made a mockery of Brisbane's brittle defence.

But in the space of a year plenty has changed. Of course, Brisbane has a new No. 7 - and he put in his best performance in Broncos colours last week to spark an upset win over his former side.

Brisbane's sudden resurgence though is down to more than just the signature of Adam Reynolds.

Sure, the 2014 premiership-winning halfback was the headline act in last Thursday's victory over South Sydney, but he was not alone.

Patrick Carrigan made an immediate impact in his return from injury while Selwyn Cobbo once again proved why the Broncos are in such a hurry to get him extended at Red Hill.

More than anything, the Broncos showed the defensive resolve that has so often deserted them in the past, like it did last year in Magic Round against the Sea Eagles.

And Brisbane did it without two its most important players - Payne Haas and Kurt Capewell - with both forwards set to return this week in a timely boost.

Manly will be yet another stern test of Brisbane's resolve, coming off a 36-22 win over a resilient Tigers outfit.

For all their talent on paper, the Sea Eagles are yet to really put together a complete 80-minute performance like the one from Magic Round last year.

Injuries have played their part but with Tom Trbojevic well and truly settled in, the Sea Eagles are eventually bound to click in attack and prove they are genuine premiership contenders.

Josh Schuster put on a show in last year's 44-point win over Brisbane, scoring a try and setting up another while running for over 130 metres.

But the crafty edge forward looks set to miss another week with a calf injury, although the return of Haumole Olakau'atu eases the pain there for Manly.

WHO TO WATCH: It seems like it will only be a matter of time before Tolutau Koula finally has the breakout game of his rookie career. Koula showed glimpses of his blistering speed last week against the Tigers, making a break before setting up Daly Cherry-Evans in a long-range effort. Brisbane boasts plenty of genuine game-breakers in its backline and despite his relative inexperience, Koula has the speed and footwork to be that for Manly should Trbojevic be well-contained.

Speaking of Trbojevic, Penrith provided the early blueprint for shutting down the Manly fullback in the season-opener. Sean O'Sullivan kicked Trbojevic out of the game and Broncos halfback Adam Reynolds has the ability to do the same. Reynolds' pinpoint kicking was one of the key differences between South Sydney and Brisbane last week and will only be more important this week given his opposite number. Daly Cherry-Evans also boasts one of the best boots in the game but he will more than meet his match in Reynolds, who has the variety to really test Manly's back three.

FAVOURITE: The Sea Eagles are favourites but bookies are tipping a close one.

MY TIP: Brisbane is riding a wave of confidence and having disappointed in its last start at Magic Round, look for the Reynolds-led Broncos to redeem themselves. Brisbane by 7.

#### **MEMBERSHIP TRACKER**

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### NEW ZEALAND WARRIORS



### SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS

Age P T G FG Pts						Age P T G FG Pts
19 8 - 24 - 48	Reece WALSH	1	FULLBACK	1	Blake TAAFFE	23 5 1 21 - 46
26 4 4 16	Dallin WATENE-ZELEZNIAK	2	WING	2	Alex JOHNSTON	27 9 6 24
19 3 2 8	Viliami VAILEA	3	CENTRE	3	Jaxson PAULO	22 5 1 4
23 8 3 12	Adam POMPEY	4	CENTRE	4	Campbell GRAHAM	22 9 3 12
26 5 2 8	Marcelo MONTOYA	5	WING	5	Taane MILNE	26 8 3 12
21 2	Daejarn ASI	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Cody WALKER	32 9 4 16
31 7 - 2 2 6	Shaun JOHNSON	7	HALFBACK	7	Lachlan ILIAS	21 9
26 9	Addin FONUA-BLAKE	8	FRONT ROW	8	Tevita TATOLA	25 9
25 9 3 12	Wayde EGAN	9	HOOKER	9	Damien COOK	30 9 3 12
26 <b>7</b>	Matt LODGE	10	FRONT ROW	10	Thomas BURGESS	30 8 1 4
26 9 3 12	Euan AITKEN	11	SECOND ROW	11	Keaon KOLOAMATANGI	23 9 4 16
30	Tohu HARRIS	12	SECOND ROW	12	Jacob HOST	25 7
26 <b>7</b>	Jazz TEVAGA	13	LOCK	13	Jai ARROW	26 9
26 7	Aaron PENE	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Kodi NIKORIMA	28 5^ 1 4
31 4	Ben MURDOCH-MASILA	15		15	Davvy MOALE	19 5
25 9	Bunty AFOA	16		16	Siliva HAVILI	29 6
24 3	Jack MURCHIE	17		17	Liam KNIGHT	27 6
22 7 1 4	Eliesa KATOA	18	RESERVES	18	Peter MAMOUZELOS	21
20 5	Rocco BERRY	20		19	Isaiah TASS	22 3 2 8
26	Pride PETTERSON-ROBATI	21		20	Josh MANSOUR	31 5 2 8
23 4 1 4	Edward KOSI	22		21	Shaq MITCHELL	26 1
23	Junior RATUVA	23		22	Dean HAWKINS	23
19	Ronald VOLKMAN	24		23	Trent PEOPLES	23 1
21	Freddy LUSSICK	25		24	Josiah KARAPANI	20
					^ played 5 matches for Warriors	
	Nathan BROWN		СОАСН		Jason DEMETRIOU	

**PENALTIES** 

**SCRUMS** 

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#### #NRLWARRIORSSOUTHS

#### **MATCH DETAILS**

DATE Saturday 14 May 2022

KICKOFF 3:00PM AEST VENUE Suncorp Stadium

Milton QLD

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LIVE BLOG LeagueUnlimited.com

#### MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE Ben CUMMINS TOUCH JUDGES Darian FURNER Nick PELGRAVE

NRL BUNKER Gerard SUTTON



#### **HEAD TO HEAD**

ALL 37 WARRIORS 19 SOUTHS 18
SUNCORP FIRST MEETING AT VENUE

#### **LAST FIVE MEETINGS**

2018	R12	<b>Souths 30-10</b>	Mt Smart, 15958
2019	R5	<b>Souths 28-24</b>	Sunshine Coast, 11912
2019	R24	<b>Souths 31-10</b>	Mt Smart, 15295
2020	R6	<b>Souths 40-12</b>	Bankwest, 437
2021	R19	<b>Souths 60-22</b>	Sunshine Coast, 7569

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

2006 R16 Warriors 66-0 Stadium Aust, 6597 2021 R19 Souths 60-22 Sunshine Coast. 7569

#### **NOTABLES**

Shaun JOHNSON (WAR) needs 3 goals for 450 NRL goals Euan AITKEN (WAR) needs 1 try for 50 NRL tries Rocco BERRY (WAR) turns 21 on May 17 Campbell GRAHAM (SOU) - 100th NRL game

#### **NEXT WEEK: ROUND 11**

WARRIORS play ST GEO ILLA at NETSTRATA JUBILEE, Sat 3:00pm SOUTHS host CANBERRA at APEX OVAL DUBBO, Sun 2:00pm

Match stats courtesy of







#### THE PREVIEW

#### with Adam Huxtable

Warriors and Souths Look For Magic Reversal in Form After Shocking Round 9 Performances

Neither of these sides have any excuse for losing in the way that they did last week.

The Warriors were away from home and significant underdogs against the Sharks, and based on that information, predictably lost by more than 3 converted tries.

Their performance goes from slightly below expectations to a historically embarrassing one when you consider the Sharks had a man sent off in the 16th minute and another sin binned in the 53rd minute

They failed to score a single point during the period in which they were playing against 11-men. They made just two line-breaks throughout the entire match. The Sharks made 45 tackle breaks to the Warriors 18. The Sharks outgained the Warriors by an average of 6 metres per set.

I could keep listing these mind-boggling stats until the Cows come home. The point is that the Warriors were beyond terrible last week, their performance considered by some to be more embarrassing then when they conceded 70 on ANZAC day.

Last Thursday, Souths lost by 20 at home to the Broncos, who vastly outplayed them and were clearly the better team. It isn't the first time this year they've lost a game in which they were heavily favoured in, the other prominent one being against the Tigers a few weeks ago.

However, during that game against the Tigers, Souths could at least find solace in the fact that they were out-completed by more than 20% and only had 43% of the ball. Not desirable stats by any means, but ones that you could say are easier to correct than a more fundamental problem of poor red-zone attack.

The Rabbitohs do not have any of these excuses for their pitiful performance against Brisbane. They frequently looked lost while attacking the opposition line, only looking threatening after multiple repeat sets and still blowing most of those opportunities when they arose.

They had 53% of the ball and completed at a rate 2% higher than Brisbane, making 6 less errors, but still came nowhere near beating them even without Haas and Capewell.

It certainly spells trouble for the Redfern based club, who will be without Cam Murray this week after the lock sustained an injury last week. Isaiah Tass has been dropped for Jaxson Paulo in the centres, while Tom Burgess returns at prop, pushing Davvy Moale to the bench. Jai Arrow shifts to lock to cover Murray, with Jacob Host returning at second row. Kodi Nikorima will make his club debut from the bench, ironically against the team he was contracted to just a week ago.

For the Warriors, Marcelo Montoya returns from suspension, pushing Adam Pompey to centre and Rocco Berry out of the side. Tohu Harris' long awaited return from injury pushes Eli Katoa to the reserves.

WHO TO WATCH: Tohu Harris is so so important to the success of this Warriors forward pack. He has been named in the second-row, a position he started in for 5 out of his 15 starts last season, and his inclusion no doubt gives the Warriors the edge in the battle of the big men, especially with Cam Murray missing. Last year, he averaged a whopping 41 tackles per game, which is more than any Warrior has made so far this year. His presence in defence alone will allow his fellow forwards to focus some energy into actually running the ball, which is something the Warriors desperately need as they rank dead last in total metres gained so far this year.

For the Rabbitohs, Jaxson Paulo gets another chance to start in the centres this week following the exclusion of Isaiah Tass from the team. It's a position that has very low job security at the moment as Souths' edges continue to struggle in both attack and defence. Paulo's defensive numbers in his last start against Penrith were not pretty, missing 3 tackles and making just 6, however he was playing on the wing against a very good side in that game, and he has historically been more reliable when playing in his preferred position, making 8 tackles and missing none against Melbourne just two weeks earlier while wearing number 3. The matchup this week is sort of a dream for Paulo, the Warriors last week let in multiple tries down their right edge while defending against 12-men. This could be the game for Souths attack to finally get itself right, and Paulo stands to be a major beneficiary if that does occur.

FAVOURITE: Souths are favoured by 6.5 points over the Warriors in this one.

MY TIP: Souths have just been so underwhelming so far this season, and I really don't expect to see that change, especially with someone as influential as Cam Murray out. The Warriors are one of the few teams with a worse form guide at the moment, but the return of Tohu Harris cannot be understated. Warriors by 4.

#### GOLD COAST TITANS



### ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA **DRAGONS**

Age P T G FG Pts						Age P T G FG Pts
22 3	Jayden CAMPBELL	1	FULLBACK	1	Moses MBYE	28 9 2 8
24 5 5 20	Phillip SAMI	2	WING	2	Mathew FEAGAI	21 6 2 8
25 8 4 16	Brian KELLY	3	CENTRE	3	Moses SULI	23 8
25	Esan MARSTERS	4	CENTRE	4	Zac LOMAX	22 9 1 20 1 45
25 5^ 2 1 - 10	Jamayne ISAAKO	5	WING	5	Mikaele RAVALAWA	24 9 3 12
23 8 1 4	AJ BRIMSON	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Talatau AMONE	20 9
21 9 - 16 - 32	Toby SEXTON	7	HALFBACK	7	Ben HUNT	32 9 1 4
22 9	Moeaki FOTUAIKA	8	FRONT ROW	8	Francis MOLO	27 9 1 4
24 9 2 8	Erin CLARK	9	HOOKER	9	Andrew McCULLOUGH	32 8 1 4
30 4	Jarrod WALLACE	10	FRONT ROW	10	Jack DE BELIN	31 9 1 4
31 8	Isaac LIU	11	SECOND ROW	11	Jack BIRD	27 8 4 1 - 18
23 8 3 12	Beau FERMOR	12	SECOND ROW	12	Josh McGUIRE	32 4
22 9 2 8	Tino FA'ASUAMALEAUI	13	LOCK	13	Tariq SIMS	32 8 1 4
21 3	Tanah BOYD	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Jayden SULLIVAN	20 2 1 4
28 8 1 4	Sam LISONE	15		15	Blake LAWRIE	25 9
27 2 1 4	Herman ESE'ESE	16		16	Aaron WOODS	31 6
24 2	Sam McINTYRE	17		<b>17</b>	Tyrell FUIMAONO	26 2
25 9 4 16	Greg MARZHEW	18	RESERVES	18	George BURGESS	30 4
31 4	Corey THOMPSON	19		19	Cody RAMSEY	22 3
21	Paul TURNER	20		20	Jack GOSIEWSKI	27 3 1 4
25 7	Jaimin JOLLIFFE	21		21	Tyrell SLOAN	19 3 1 4
26	Aaron BOOTH	22		22	Josh KERR	26 6
19	Sosefo FIFITA	23		23	Jackson FORD	24 3
33 8	Kevin PROCTOR	24	COACH	24	Tautau MOGA	27
	^ played 1 match for Brisbane					
	Justin HOLBROOK				Anthony GRIFFIN	

**PENALTIES** 

**SCRUMS** 

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#### #NRLTITANSDRAGONS

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TOUCH JUDGES Nick MOREL

Tyson BROUGH

NRL BUNKER Alan SHORTALL



#### **HEAD TO HEAD**

ALL 25 GOLD COAST 9 ST GEO ILLA 16
SUNCORP 2 MATCHES: GOLD COAST 0 ST GEO ILLA 2

#### **LAST FIVE MEETINGS**

2019	R21	St Geo Illa 40-28	Netstrata, 6532
2019	<b>R25</b>	St Geo Illa 24-16	Cbus Super, 11274
2020	R6	St Geo Illa 20-8	Suncorp, 1930
2020	R16	Gold Coast 14-10	Netstrata, 2097
2021	R19	Gold Coast 32-10	Cbus Super, 4424

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

 2021
 R19
 Gold Coast 32-10
 Cbus Super, 4424

 2018
 R3
 St Geo Illa 54-8
 Toowoomba, 7297

#### **NOTABLES**

Corey THOMPSON (GLD) turns 32 on May 15 Josh McGUIRE (SGI) - 250th NRL game

#### **NEXT WEEK: ROUND 11**

GOLD COAST host CRONULLA at CBUS SUPER, Sun 4:05pm ST GEO ILLA host WARRIORS at NETSTRATA JUBILEE, Sat 3:00pm

Match stats courtesy of







#### THE PREVIEW

#### with Lachlan McIntyre

Two finals hopefuls battle it out in a clash to find form

On a sold out magic round Saturday, the St George Illawarra Dragons will meet the Gold Coast Titans in the second game of the day's triple header. Despite neither team really having the home advantage up in Brisbane, support for both clubs will be high as football fans from around the world descend on Suncorp Stadium.

The Titans will be hoping that some magic rubs off on them this weekend, with the past month bringing nothing but the harsh reality of footy to their fans. Playing last week's game all the way up in Mackay, the change of scenery seemed only to worsen their problems. The 44 points to 16 loss to the Roosters is their 5th loss in a row, and they will be desperate to end that streak this Saturday.

For the Gold Coast to find their third win of the season, however, they will need to fix some defensive issues that have been prevalent in the past month of competition. The Roosters ran in some easy tries in round 9, even when they were down to 12 men. The Dragons can and will make them pay for defensive lapses.

Titans coach Justin Holbrook has opted for a number of changes to last week's 17, with a few players returning from injury. Young gun Jayden Campbell retakes his fullback spot, pushing Brimson into the number 6 role. Esan Marsters finds his way back into the team in the centres, at the expense of Patrick Herbert. Big forward Kevin Proctor has been dropped in favour of Jarrod Wallace.

Phillip Sami returns on the wing, and Jamayne Isaako takes the other wing, pushing Corey Thompson and Greg Marzhew out of the team. Jaimin Jollife has been named on the reserves as question marks remain over his fitness.

For the Dragons, their short-lived run of wins came to a crashing end last Sunday, with the now competition leaders the Storm putting on a dominant display against them. The 42 points to 6 scoreline will be slightly disheartening for St George, but they have a good opportunity this week to refind that form line against the struggling Titans. They can take some encouragement from their resilient goal line defence early on in the game, in the face of Melbourne's weight of possession.

An hour before last week's game kicked off, a number of late changes were made by coach Anthony Griffin, with young Talatau Amone being allowed the opportunity in the halves. He has named the same 17 this Tuesday that started the game last Sunday, and will be hoping that they can find a result for the club. George Burgess has been named as the 18th man.

Neither of these teams have ever won a match at Magic Round in its short history. For one of these clubs, that trend will continue this weekend.

WHO TO WATCH: Jayden Campbell returns to the Gold Coast line-up for the first time since Round 3, starting at fullback for the fourth game this season. After suffering a rib injury in his team's loss to the Raiders, he has been overlooked for the past few weeks by coach Holbrook despite reportedly making a full recovery. Now being given another chance, he will be eager to show that he deserves that number 1 jersey for many weeks into the future.

Playing in every game so far this season for the Dragons, Talatau Amone has been named to partner star halfback Ben Hunt in the halves. With a late shift seeing him thrown in at five-eighth last week, and having alternated between the interchange bench and starting half throughout the season, he will want to nail this spot down as his. A win this weekend against the Titans will certainly help his

**FAVOURITE:** The two teams are hard to split, but the Dragons are favourites to extend Gold Coast's run of losses

MY TIP: Consistency is something both of these teams lack, which makes predicting a result a hard job. However, I think the Titans can break their losing streak in a close one. Titans by 4.

#### **MONDAY'S EXPERT**

The key info in one spot

At the end of each NRL round, get all the match info, judiciary news, our POTY standings, crowd data and ratings info as it comes to hand - all in one place on LeagueUnlimited.com

#### MELBOURNE STORM



### PENRITH PANTHERS

Age P T G FG Pts						Age P T G FG Pts
24 8 6 10 - 44	Nick MEANEY	1	FULLBACK	1	Dylan EDWARDS	26 9 2 8
20 2	Dean IEREMIA	2	WING	2	Taylan MAY	20 7 10 40
26	Marion SEVE	3	CENTRE	3	Izack TAGO	20 9 6 24
28 9 6 24	Justin OLAM	4	CENTRE	4	Stephen CRICHTON	21 9 6 13 - 50
21 8 10 40	Xavier COATES	5	WING	5	Brian TO'0	23 3
27 8 4 16	Cameron MUNSTER	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Jarome LUAI	25 9 3 12
27 9 7 28	Jahrome HUGHES	7	HALFBACK	7	Nathan CLEARY	24 6 1 26 - 56
33 7 2 8	Jesse BROMWICH	8	FRONT ROW	8	Moses LEOTA	26 2
24 6 3 12	Harry GRANT	9	HOOKER	9	Apisai KOROISAU	29 9 1 4
26 9 1 4	Nelson ASOFA-SOLOMONA	10	FRONT ROW	10	James FISHER-HARRIS	26 8
29 9 1 4	Felise KAUFUSI	11	SECOND ROW	11	Viliame KIKAU	27 9 3 12
30 8	Kenny BROMWICH	12	SECOND ROW	12	Liam MARTIN	25 8 4 16
27 9 1 4	Josh KING	13	LOCK	13	Isaah YEO	27 9 1 4
25 8 1 4	Brandon SMITH	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Mitch KENNY	24 7 1 4
22 5	Tyran WISHART	15		15	Scott SORENSEN	29 8 1 4
21 9 2 8	Trent LOIERO	16		16	Spencer LENIU	21 9 4 16
29 5	Chris LEWIS	17		17	Jaeman SALMON	23 9
22	Cooper JOHNS	18	RESERVES	18	Robert JENNINGS	26
27	Jordan GRANT	19		19	Christopher SMITH	28 1
29	Tom EISENHUTH	20		20	J'maine HOPGOOD	22 1
25	Jayden NIKORIMA	21		21	Sean O'SULLIVAN	23 3
20 6	Alec MacDONALD	22		22	Matt EISENHUTH	29 8
27	Tui KAMIKAMICA	23		23	Soni LUKE	26 <b>2</b>
24	Will WARBRICK	24		24	Charlie STAINES	21 8 2 8
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COACH

**PENALTIES** 

**SCRUMS** 

Ivan CLEARY

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Craig BELLAMY

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#### **#NRLSTORMPANTHERS**

#### MATCH DETAILS

DATE Saturday 14 May 2022 KICKOFF 7:45PM AEST

VENUE Suncorp Stadium

Milton QLD

WATCH Nine Network & 9Now

Fox League & Kayo Sports

LISTEN ABC Sport, Triple M Newcastle

LIVE BLOG LeagueUnlimited.com

#### MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE Ashley KLEIN
TOUCH JUDGES Wyatt RAYMOND

**Nick BEASHEL** 

NRL BUNKER Grant ATKINS



#### **HEAD TO HEAD**

ALL 39 MELBOURNE 28 PENRITH 11
SUNCORP 2 MATCHES: MELBOURNE 1 PENRITH 1

#### LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2020	R6	Penrith 21-14	Campbelltown, 115
2020	GF	Melbourne 26-20	Stadium Aust, 37303
2021	R3	Penrith 12-10	BlueBet, 14077
2021	<b>R20</b>	Melbourne 37-10	Suncorp, none
2021	PF	Penrith 10-6	Suncorp, 29011

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

2002	<b>R20</b>	Penrith 36-16	Penrith, 7524
2004	R17	Melbourne 66-14	Olympic Pk, 9042
2005	R5	Penrith 36-16	Penrith, 14844

#### **NOTABLES**

Reimis SMITH (MEL) turns 25 on May 13
Tui KAMIKAMICA (MEL) turns 28 on May 18
Nathan CLEARY (PEN) needs 1 goal for 450 NRL & club goals, and 3 tries for 50 NRL & club tries
J'maine HOPGOOD (PEN) turns 23 on May 11

#### **NEXT WEEK: ROUND 11**

MELBOURNE play NORTH QLD at QLD COUNTRY BANK, Sat 5:30pm PENRITH play SYDNEY at the SCG, Sat 7:35pm

Match stats courtesy of







#### THE PREVIEW

#### with Jason Hosken

Title hot-shots take centre stage at Magic Round

Buckle up league fans, this is bigger than just one versus two. It's a Brisvegas jackpot where Magic Round's showpiece has landed at a heaving Suncorp Stadium.

Because after Melbourne and Penrith it's just daylight, right?

Ever since Craig Bellamy's outfit broke the hearts of Ivan Cleary and his young team in the 2020 grand final, the rivalry has escalated.

Now on Saturday night, they meet for the first time since the Panthers bundled Bellamy's big boys from last year's title race.

Since 2017, these two have been like cat and mouse - tit for tat. The last eight are split four apiece and of those, neither has triumphed with consecutive victories, while four of the last five have been decided by seven points or less.

Now in the midst of a slashing six game winning streak, the Storm are on another planet. Since falling to the Eels in round three, they have accumulated 270 points at 45 per match while conceding just 52 at a misley 8.7 per match.

With 10 tries in the Storm's unbeaten run, Ryan Papenhuyzen has returned to career best form. But in a blow to Melbourne and over 50,000 paying fans, injury has done what his opponents couldn't and stopped the fullback dead in his tracks.

Former Bulldog Nick Meaney fills his boots while Dean Ieremia comes onto the wing. With centre Reimis Smith also injured, Marion Seve gets another chance in the top grade.

Last week at the foot of the mountains, the locals were on track for nine straight wins, but a couple of costly errors let the Eels off the hook. Now as they prepare to combat a lengthy list of Storm matchups, for Penrith, there's no time to mope.

A loss here would be the Panthers' first back-to-back defeat since last June. And with the Roosters and a resurgent Cowboys to follow, Ivan Cleary will be desperate to restore the winning habit.

Compared to Melbourne, Penrith's backline is good to go. Scott Sorensen is the only change up front, rejoining the bench at the expense of Matt Eisenhuth.

WHO TO WATCH: Leaner and meaner after a sub-par 2021, Cameron Munster is rapidly making up lost ground. Over the past five rounds with three tries, eight line-breaks and just as many try-assists, the Queenslander has burned brighter than Venus.

Now as he prepares to face Nathan Cleary and Jarome Luai for the first time since last season's preliminary final exit, there will be no shortage of motivation to rain on their parade.

For the otherside, no one will be more motivated than Dylan Edwards. Last week's decision not to contest a second half bomb was not only unusual, it gifted Parramatta two competition points. It was a tough price for the reliable fullback to pay, who with the most run metres this season, is the man who often sets Penrith's attack on the front foot.

FAVOURITE: With Papenhuyzen parked up, Penrith are now odds-on.

MY TIP: With the season's three leading try scorers among both sides, a shootout beckons. But given both sides have conceded just 110 points across the opening nine rounds, an Origin-style scrap is the reality. Sadly for Melbourne, the absence of their golden-tipped star looks to be Penrith's rabbit in the hat. Panthers by 12.







### CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS



### CANBERRA RAIDERS

Age P T G FG Pts						Age P T G FG Pts
25 9 2 27 2 64	Nicho HYNES		FULLBACK	1_	Charnze NICOLL-KLOKSTAD	26 9 2 8
24 8 5 20	Sione KATOA	2	WING	2	Nick COTRIC	23 7 1 4
25 3 3 12	Connor TRACEY	3	CENTRE	3	Matthew TIMOKO	22 9 3 12
25 9 5 20	Siosifa TALAKAI	4	CENTRE	4	Sebastian KRIS	23 3 1 4
22 7 6 24	Ronaldo MULITALO	5	WING	5	Jordan RAPANA	32 7 1 4
30 9 1 - 1 5	Matt MOYLAN	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Matt FRAWLEY	27 4 1 4
22 5	Braydon TRINDALL	7	HALFBACK	7	Brad SCHNEIDER	21 8 - 18 - 36
26 9	Toby RUDOLF	8	FRONT ROW	8	Josh PAPALII	29 <b>9</b>
23 9 1 4	Blayke BRAILEY	9	HOOKER	9	Adam ELLIOTT	27 9
33 8 1 4	Aiden TOLMAN	10	FRONT ROW	10	Joseph TAPINE	28 9 1 4
24 8 1 4	Briton NIKORA	11	SECOND ROW	11	Hudson YOUNG	23 7 2 8
22 8 4 16	Teig WILTON	12	SECOND ROW	12	Elliott WHITEHEAD	32 7 1 4
30 7	Dale FINUCANE	13	LOCK	13	Corey HARAWIRA-NAERA	26 9 1 1 - 6
28 8	Cameron McINNES	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Tom STARLING	23 9 1 4
25 5	Jack WILLIAMS	15		15	Ryan SUTTON	26 5
31 2	Wade GRAHAM	16		16	Xavier SAVAGE	20 3
26 4	Royce HUNT	<b>17</b>		<u>17</u>	Corey HORSBURGH	24 9
23 1	Mawene HIROTI	18	RESERVES	18	Harry RUSHTON	21 2
32 8	Andrew FIFITA	19		19	Trey MOONEY	19
23	Luke METCALF	20		20	Sam WILLIAMS	31
27	Lachlan MILLER	21		21	Peter HOLA	22
26	Jayden BERRELL	22		22	James SCHILLER	20 <b>2</b>
	Jesse COLQUHOUN	23		23	Emre GULER	24 6
23	Tom HAZELTON	24		24	Albert HOPOATE	21
	Craig FITZGIBBON		COACH		Ricky STUART	

**PENALTIES** 

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#### **#NRLSHARKSRAIDERS**

#### MATCH DETAILS

DATE Sunday 15 May 2022 KICKOFF 1:50PM AEST

VENUE Suncorp Stadium

Milton QLD

WATCH Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN ABC Sport, Nine Radio
LIVE BLOG LeagueUnlimited.com

#### **MATCH OFFICIALS**

REFEREE Liam KENNEDY
TOUCH JUDGES Jon STONE

Drew OULTRAM

NRL BUNKER Matt NOYEN



#### **HEAD TO HEAD**

ALL 78 CRONULLA 39 CANBERRA 39 SUNCORP FIRST MEETING AT VENUE

#### **LAST FIVE MEETINGS**

2020	R20	Canberra 38-28	Netstrata, 2783
2020	QF	Canberra 32-20	GIO, 9602
2021	R2	Canberra 12-10	Netstrata, 3145
2021	R18	Canberra 34-18	Cbus Super, 3874
2022	R1	Canberra 24-19	GIO, 15224

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

1994	R16	Canberra 56-12	Bruce, 11901
1982	R10	Cronulla 44-5	Seiffert, 11955

#### **NOTABLES**

Wade GRAHAM (CRO) needs 3 tries for 50 NRL tries Joseph TAPINE (CAN) - 150th NRL game Nick COTRIC (CAN) needs 3 tries for 50 club tries Josh PAPALI'I (CAN) turns 30 on May 13 Corey HARAWIRA-NAERA (CAN) turns 27 on May 18

#### **NEXT WEEK: ROUND 11**

CRONULLA play GOLD COAST at CBUS SUPER, Sun 4:05pm CANBERRA play SOUTHS at APEX OVAL DUBBO, Sun 2:00pm

Match stats courtesy of







#### THE PREVIEW

#### with AJ Lucantonio

**Sharks circle inconsistent Raiders** 

The Sunday triple-header of matches as part of the NRL's Magic Round kicks off when the Cronulla Sutherland Sharks 'host' the Canberra Raiders at Suncorp Stadium. These sides met back in Round 1 where Canberra held on to defeat the Sharks 24-19 in a back and forth encounter. However, both sides have had contrasting fortunes since the opening round, with Cronulla firmly inside the top eight, while Canberra continues to fade away in the second half of matches.

Well, Canberra didn't fade away last weekend against the Bulldogs holding on for a scrappy 14-4 victory. But, they're going to have to lift their performance by a considerable margin if they want to compete with the top side of the NRL Telstra Premiership. They had a lot of ball in the opposition 20 and let's be realistic, they didn't convert their quality possession into points.

Matt Frawley eased into Jack Wighton's vacant 6 jumpers, showcasing brilliant organisation before scoring a neat solo try by making Matt Dufty fall for a dummy to no one. Hudson Young as well is continuing to thrive on the left edge for the Raiders since his return from injury, his dynamic runs and brutal defence could have the Shark's right-hand defence in disarray. Jarrod Croker left the field in sad circumstances when he hurt his shoulder saving a Matt Dufty try, he'll be on the sidelines and his place is set to be taken by Sebastian Kris. Xavier Savage is added to the bench to replace Kris.

Cronulla on the other hand was brave and gutsy defeating a woeful Warriors side 29-10. They played the best part of an hour without the services of Will Kennedy who was sent off after an old-fashioned coat hanger and even playing a period of the second half with 11 men due to Jesse Ramien's sin-bin for an awful high shot.

Nicho Hynes had his best performance for the Sharks showcasing excellent game management to help get Cronulla through the period where they were down to 11 men. Teig Wilton is another goer in the Sharks pack that is getting better with every passing game. For Cronulla to get revenge after their shock opening-round loss to the Raiders, they'll need to match Canberra's forward intensity and test what will be an inexperienced left edge with yet another change. Will Kennedy and Jesse Ramien are both on the sidelines serving suspensions so there'll be a backline reshuffle. Nicho Hynes shifts to fullback with Connor Tracey shifting to his more accustomed centre role. Ronaldo Mulitalo returns to the wing, and Braidon Trindall returns to halfback. Aidan Tolman is named back at prop, Dale Finucane starts at lock and Cam McInnes shifts to the bench. Royce Hunt replaces Andrew Fifita on the interchange.

WHO TO WATCH: Well, the pre-season injury to recruit Jamal Fogarty left the Raiders in a whole lot of trouble, but the shining light on a down season has been the emergence of rookie half Brad Schneider. Schneider has taken the number seven jumper by the scruff of the neck this season, taking the responsibility as the dominant kicker while Jack Wighton runs the footy and takes it to the line. Now with Wighton's suspension, it's a really good chance to see how Schneider runs the footy team on his own without the services of the former Dally M Medal winner.

Blayke Brailey is showcasing the faith Cronulla had in him when they let his brother walk on a lucrative contract at the turn of the decade. Brailey's defence and leadership at a young age are a testament to him. Having not missed any more than 5 tackles in a game this season, expect Brailey to be at his defensive best against a tough and resilient Raiders pack.

FAVOURITE: Cronulla is the overwhelming favourite in this one.

MY TIP: Cronulla will account for the Raiders in this one, even with the outside backs decimated through suspension. They just have too much talent to overrun the Raiders who are still without the services of Jack Wighton. Although I expect Canberra to show a lot of fight and resilience, so I expect it to be closer than a lot of people are suggesting. Sharks by 8.



### SYDNEY ROOSTERS



### PARRAMATTA EELS

Age P T G FG Pts						Age P T G FG Pts
29 9 5 20	James TEDESCO	1	FULLBACK	1	Clinton GUTHERSON	27 9 6 4 - 32
30 8 6 24	Daniel TUPOU	2	WING	2	Hayze PERHAM	22 4 2 8
25 7 2 2 - 12	Paul MOMIROVSKI	3	CENTRE	3	Will PENISINI	19 9 1 4
25 9 6 24	Joseph MANU	4	CENTRE	4	Tom OPACIC	27 6 1 4
18 4 3 12	Joseph SUAALII	5	WING	5	Bailey SIMONSSON	24 9 1 4
19 9 2 23 - 54	Sam WALKER	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Dylan BROWN	21 9 4 16
30 9	Luke KEARY	7	HALFBACK	7	Mitchell MOSES	27 9 3 33 1 79
33 9	Jared WAEREA-HARGREAVES	8	FRONT ROW	8	Reagan CAMPBELL-GILLARD	28 9
25 5	Connor WATSON	9	HOOKER	9	Reed MAHONEY	24 9 4 16
30 7 1 4	Sio Siua TAUKEIAHO	10	FRONT ROW	10	Junior PAULO	28 8
26 9	Angus CRICHTON	11	SECOND ROW	11	Shaun LANE	27 7 2 8
24 9 4 16	Sitili TUPOUNIUA	12	SECOND ROW	12	Isaiah PAPALII	23 9 3 12
24 9 1 4	Victor RADLEY	13	LOCK	13	Nathan BROWN	29 8 1 4
27 9 1 4	Drew HUTCHISON	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Makahesi MAKATOA	29 9
22 8	Fletcher BAKER	15		15	Ryan MATTERSON	27 7 2 8
24 9 2 8	Nat BUTCHER	16		16	Oregon KAUFUSI	22 9
22 3	Daniel SULUKA-FIFITA	17		17	Bryce CARTWRIGHT	27 4
23	Lachlan LAM	18	RESERVES	18	Wiremu GREIG	22 1
19	Naufahu WHYTE	19		19	Jakob ARTHUR	19 4
24	Ben MARSCHKE	20		20	Mitch REIN	32 2
24	Ben THOMAS	21		21	Sean RUSSELL	19 1 3 12
33 4 2 8	Kevin NAIQAMA	22		22	Samuel LOIZOU	19
25 1	Adam KEIGHRAN	23		23	Elie EL ZAKHEM	24
20	Tukupa HAU TAPUHA	24		24	Brendan HANDS	22
	Trent ROBINSON		СОАСН		Brad ARTHUR	

**PENALTIES** 

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#### **#NRLROOSTERSEELS**

#### **MATCH DETAILS**

DATE Sunday 15 May 2022

KICKOFF 4:05PM AEST VENUE Suncorp Stadium

Milton QLD

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#### MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE Adam GEE

TOUCH JUDGES Phil HENDERSON

**Kasey BADGER** 

NRL BUNKER Ashley KLEIN



#### **HEAD TO HEAD**

ALL 135 SYDNEY 67 PARRAMATTA 63 DRAW 5

RP FIRST MEETING AT THE VENUE

#### LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2018	R25	<b>Sydney 44-10</b>	ANZ, 11543
2019	R3	Sydney 32-18	ANZ, 13367
2020	R6	Sydney 24-10	Bankwest 579
2021	R9	Parramatta 31-18	<b>Bankwest 25,711</b>
2021	R20	Sydney 28-0	<b>BB Print, 4926</b>

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

1982 PF Parramatta 33-0 S.C.G., 24637 2014 R2 Sydney 56-4 Allianz, 13269

#### **NOTABLES**

James TEDESCO (SYD) needs 1 try for 100 club tries

#### **NEXT WEEK: ROUND 11**

SYDNEY host PENRITH at the SCG, Sat 7:35pm
PARRAMATTA host MANLY at COMMBANK. Fri 7:55pm

Match stats courtesy of







#### THE PREVIEW

#### with Rob Crosby

Contenders or pretenders? Sydney rivals put credentials to the test

The Sydney Roosters and the Parramatta Eels find themselves in strange positions among the current NRL hierarchy.

Establishing a reputation as one of the best teams of the past decade, the Roosters have underperformed over the opening third of the season, while being impossible to write off given their history.

In contrast, the Eels have claimed the two biggest scalps in the premiership - away from home - yet questions remain over their ability to perform at the business end of the season.

The Saturday night encounter between Melbourne and Penrith may be the showpiece of Magic Round, however the Sunday afternoon meeting of Sydney's East and West should give rival teams plenty to ponder in the weeks to come.

Coming into the contest with an above average record to sit in sixth on the premiership ladder, the Sydney Roosters will be hoping to break away from the pack of teams on ten competition points and overtake their opponents into the top four.

Returning to form with a dominant 44-16 win over the Titans at their home away from home in Mackay last Saturday, coach Trent Robinson has enjoyed a 75 per cent success rate over the Eels with nine wins from 12 clashes since taking the helm in 2013.

Recalling utility Connor Watson in place of injured hooker Sam Verrills, Daniel Suluka-Fifita is the new man on the bench after Lindsay Collins accepted a one-match ban.

Holding the distinction as one of four teams alongside the Tigers, Rabbitohs and Storm to boast a 100 per cent success rate in Magic Round, captain James Tedesco will bring up a century of appearances for the club on Sunday afternoon.

Coming off a major high after becoming the first team in three years to leave the foot of the mountains with two points, the Parramatta Eels will be out to consolidate their standing as a premiership heavyweight.

Rising to the occasion last Friday to down the Panthers 22-20 in one of games of the season, coach Brad Arthur will be hoping his players can continue a strong record in the pandemic era at Suncorp Stadium following four wins from five visits.

Sticking with the same group of players that got the job done last week, the Eels have experienced mixed fortunes during Magic Round with the Storm flexing their attacking muscles in 2019 before making amends in Jake Arthur's debut against the Warriors last year.

WHO TO WATCH: Holding the distinction as one of a select group of active players with three premierships to their name, Roosters playmaker Luke Keary has yet to recapture his past heights upon returning from major knee surgery. Missing all bar three matches last season due to a dreaded ACL tear, the 30-year-old has managed nine try-assists and seven forced drop outs alongside Sam Walker in a partnership pundits expected to challenge for the title. Gaining a reputation as a big game specialist for his feats in the 2018 decider, the Roosters will need Keary to step up and guide the side to victory against the highly credentialed Eels.

Pressing his case for a representative recall four years on from his sole appearance for NSW, Eels front-rower Reagan Campbell-Gillard will be determined to make his presence known against the Roosters pack. Producing strong numbers with over 150 running metres on average to go with a 94 per cent tackle efficency rate, the Rooty Hill junior has ranked among the top forwards in the league over the first third of the season for run metres. Last experiencing the Origin arena, without making an appearance, as part of the Blues bubble in 2020, Campbell-Gillard will give himself every chance of going from blue and gold to sky blue with another strong showing on Sunday.

FAVOURITE: Despite winning a paltry one time against their poultry opponents in the past five years, the Eels are fancied to get the job done in Magic Round.

MY TIP: If historical precedents mean anything, the Roosters are in trouble after going win-loss in their past nine appearances at Suncorp Stadium. On the other hand, people can come up with statistics to prove anything... forfty per cent of all people know that. Eels by 2.

#### WESTS TIGERS



### NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS

Todd PAYTEN

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Age P T G FG Pts						Age P T G FG Pts
21 6	Starford TO'A	1	FULLBACK	1	Scott DRINKWATER	24 5 3 12
22 2	Asu KEPAOA	2	WING	2	Kyle FELDT	30 9 6 24
25 8 1 4	Oliver GILDART	3	CENTRE	3	Valentine HOLMES	26 9 4 35 1 87
26 8 1 4	Luke GARNER	4	CENTRE	4	Peta HIKU	29 9
27 7 6 24	Ken MAUMALO	5	WING	5	Murray TAULAGI	23 9 4 16
27 9 2 8 1 25	Luke BROOKS	6	FIVE-EIGHTH	6	Tom DEARDEN	21 9 5 20
26 6 - 8 1 17	Jackson HASTINGS	7	HALFBACK	7	Chad TOWNSEND	31 9
33 7 1 4	James TAMOU	8	FRONT ROW	8	Jordan McLEAN	30 9
20 5	Jake SIMPKIN	9	HOOKER	9	Reece ROBSON	23 9
26 9 1 4	Zane MUSGROVE	10	FRONT ROW	10	Reuben COTTER	23 7
23 7	Kelma TUILAGI	11	SECOND ROW	11	Tom GILBERT	21 9 1 4
25 8 1 4	Luciano LEILUA	12	SECOND ROW	12	Jeremiah NANAI	19 9 7 28
26 9 1 4	Joe OFAHENGAUE	13	LOCK	13	Jason TAUMALOLO	28 9
30 6 1 4	Tyrone PEACHEY	14	INTERCHANGE	14	Hamiso TABUAI-FIDOW	20 6 2 8
25 9	Alex TWAL	15		15	Heilum LUKI	21 9 3 12
23 8	Alex SEYFARTH	16		16	Coen HESS	25 7
21 4	Stefano UTOIKAMANU	17		17	Griffin NEAME	21 7 1 4
25 <b>5</b>	Jacob LIDDLE	18	RESERVES	18	Jamayne TAUNOA-BROWN	25 3
22 6	Jock MADDEN	19		19	Jake GRANVILLE	33 6
24 6	Thomas MIKAELE	20		20	Connelly LEMUELU	23
27	Fa'amanu BROWN	21		21	Ben CONDON	21
26	Junior PAUGA	22		22	Emry PERE	23
19	Junior TUPOU	23		23	Ben HAMPTON	30
	Tuki SIMPKINS			24	Brendan ELLIOT	28

**COACH** 

**PENALTIES** 

**SCRUMS** 

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#### #NRLTIGERSCOWBOYS

#### MATCH DETAILS

DATE Sunday 15 May 2022
KICKOFF 6:25PM AEST
VENUE Suncorp Stadium

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SUNCORP FIRST MEETING AT VENUE

#### **LAST FIVE MEETINGS**

2019	R14	Wests Tigers 27-26	1300Smiles, 11692
2019	R20	Wests Tigers 28-4	Leichhardt, 10016
2020	R6	Wests Tigers 36-20	Campbelltown, 104
2021	R5	North Qld 34-30	Leichhardt, 9433
2021	<b>R22</b>	Wests Tigers 24-16	QLD C.B., 12663

#### **BIGGEST WINS**

2005	QF	Wests Tigers 50-6	Telstra, 26463
2007	R20	Wests Tigers 54-10	Leichhardt, 17101
2014	<b>R22</b>	North Old 64-6	1300Smiles, 12317

#### **NOTABLES**

Stefano UTOIKAMANU (WST) turns 22 on May 15 Scott DRINKWATER (NQL) turns 25 on May 15

#### **NEXT WEEK: ROUND 11**

WESTS TIGERS host CANTERBURY at LEICHHARDT, Fri 6:00pm NORTH OLD host MELBOURNE at OLD COUNTRY BANK, Sat 5:30pm

Match stats courtesy of







#### THE PREVIEW

#### with Josh Robertson

The final game of Magic Round on Sunday night sees the North Queensland Cowboys look to keep their spot in the NRL top four when they take on the Wests Tigers.

Despite their sluggish and uninspired start to the season, the Wests Tigers have found their spirit in recent weeks and despite not bringing the wins in consistently, the Tigers have managed to show that they won't be easy beats going forward.

Last weekend, the Tigers fell to a 36-22 defeat at the hands of the Manly Sea Eagles at Brookvale Oval in a game where it looked like that the Tigers at one stage were going to be blown off the park. Trailing 18-0 at one stage, the Tigers looked as if Manly were going to blow them off the park but a near comeback saw them back into the contest before Manly put the game beyond doubt.

The Tigers are boosted by the return of Luciano Leilua which has seen Alex Seyfarth dropped to the bench whilst Thomas Mikaele who suffered a head knock last week dropped to the reserves. Ken Maumalo who was also taken out of last weeks game with concussion has been named to start.

Surprise packets of the NRL season, the North Queensland Cowboys come into magic round sitting in third sport and will close the gap between them and second spot if they take victory. The Cowboys have six wins this season from their nine matches and have surprised many with the nature of some of their victories.

Last weekend, the North Queensland Cowboys kept their strong form going this season with their 36-16 victory over the Newcastle Knights in Townsville last week. Although dominant on the scoreboard, the Cowboys were up against it during the first half of clash after trailing 16-12 to the Knights at the break. The second half was dominant by the Cowboys who ran in 24 unanswered points and were denied two more tries that could have pushed the lead well beyond 20 points.

Todd Payten has gone with an unchanged line-up this week following the performance of his side with Scott Drinkwater keeping his fullback role with Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow set to come off the bench for the third match in a row.

WHO TO WATCH: Departing Tigers Centre Luke Garner has had a strong season shifting from the second row to the centres for Michael Maguire this season. The Panthers-bound 26 year-old was a key player last week for the Tigers scoring an individual effort an being a key cog in attack and defence. Garner can have a strong game and needs to have it here in a backline with some fragility.

Jeremiah Nanai has been one of the best performers for North Queensland this season and coming up against a strong second row performer in Luciano Leilua, the Cowboys youngster will need to be on song. Nanai has been a favourite of fans right across the NRL and he possesses the game that can single-handedly change the game for his side and the Tigers will need to watch out for that.

**FAVOURITE:** The Cowboys are the favourites for the contest.

MY TIP: The Tigers have a strong record at Magic Round but the Cowboys come into the contest with better form and it's hard to see them losing on the weekend. The Tigers will no doubt have a lot of spirit and the game will be closer than ladder standings would show but the North Queenslanders have the x-factor that should see the Cowboys home. Cowboys by 10

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### **SWRL TEAMLISTS & RESULTS**

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#### KNOCK-ON EFFECT NSW CUP - ROUND 10

NORTH SYDNEY BEARS v BLACKTOWN WORKERS SEA EAGLES Saturday 14 May 12:10pm, North Sydney Oval, North Sydney; Referee: Keiren Irons; Sideline Officials: Cameron Paddy. Liam Nicholls NORTHS: 1. Josh Bergamin 2. Kevin Naigama 3. Adam Keighran 4. Billy Smith 5. Tom Carr 6. Jesse Marschke 7. Sandon Smith 8. Tukupa Hau Tapuha 9. Ben Marschke 10. Terrell May 11. Jordin Leiu 12. Jacob Preston 13. Egan Butcher 14. Kieran Hayman 15. Ben Thomas 16. Jerry Key 17. Michael Fenn 18. Regan Hughes BWSE: 1. Jake Toby 2. Bilal Maarbani 3. Alfred Smalley 4. Masi Paulo Fidow 5. Raymon Vaega 6. Jamie Humphreys 7. Ben Stevanovic 8. Bruce Ward 9. James Segeyaro 10. William Swann 11. Zac Fulton 12. Luke Hodge 13. Adam Fearnley 14. Joey Tramontana 15. Robert Mafi 16. Robbie Graham 17. Jordan Main 18. Bailey Cantrill

BYES: Canberra Raiders, Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs, Mounties, Newcastle Knights, Newtown Jets, Parramatta Eels, Penrith Panthers, St George Illawarra Dragons, South Sydney Rabbitohs, Western Suburbs Magpies

#### **ROUND 9 RESULTS**

**Penrith Panthers (25)** Tries: Rob Jennings 2, Thomas Jenkins, Eddie Blacker; Goals: Kurt Falls 4; Field Goals: Sean O'Sullivan 1 **def Parramatta Eels (8)** Tries: Sean Russell, Jayden Yates **at BlueBet Stadium** 

Western Suburbs Magpies (30) Tries: Israel Ogden 2, Johnny Mitsias, Fa'amanu Brown, Tom Freebairn; Goals: Jock Madden 5 def Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles (26) Tries: Jake Toby 4, Jacob Sykes; Goals: Masi Paulo Fidow 3 at 4 Pines Park

Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (26) Tries: Jayden Okunbor, Bailey Biondi-Oto, Josh Stuckey, Zach Docker-Clay, Declan Casey; Goals: Brandon Wakeham 3 def St George Illawarra Dragons (6) Tries: Braxton Wheeler; Goals: Kamren Cryer 1 at Centenary Field

South Sydney Rabbitohs (37) Tries: Izaac Thompson 4, Jack Campagnolo 2, Davvy Moale; Goals: Dean Hawkins 4; Field Goals: Peter Mamouzelos 1 def Newcastle Knights (24) Tries: Luke Huth, Dylan Phythian, Honeti Tuha; Goals: Dylan Phythian 1 at Ironmark High Performance Centre

Newtown Jets (40) Tries: Samuel Stonestreet 3, Jonaiah Lualua 2, Luke Metcalf, Kayal Iro, Jayden Berrell; Goals: Braydon Trindall 4 def North Sydney Bears (28) Tries: Vuate Karawalevu 3, Renouf Atoni, Ben Thomas; Goals: Tom Carr 4 at North Sydney Oval

BYES: Canberra Raiders. Mounties

#### **LADDER AFTER ROUND 9**

Pos	Team	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1	Penrith Panthers	9	8	1	0	301	104	197	16
2	Newtown Jets	9	7	2	0	268	184	84	14
3	North Sydney Bears	8	6	2	0	206	176	30	14
4	South Sydney Rabbitohs	9	6	3	0	239	154	85	12
5	Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs	9	6	3	0	226	144	82	12
6	Parramatta Eels	9	5	4	0	214	159	55	10
7	Canberra Raiders	8	4	4	0	197	218	-21	10
8	St George Illawarra Dragons	9	4	5	0	188	266	-78	8
9	Newcastle Knights	9	3	6	0	184	231	-47	6
10	Mounties RLFC	8	1	7	0	132	218	-86	4
11	Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles	8	1	7	0	104	226	-122	4
12	Western Suburbs Magpies	9	1	8	0	132	311	-179	2

#### JERSEY FLEGG CUP (U21) - ROUND 10

BYES: Canberra Raiders, Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs, Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks, Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles Newcastle Knights, Parramatta Eels, Penrith Panthers, St George Illawarra Dragons, South Sydney Rabbitohs, Sydney Roosters, Victoria Thunderbolts, Wests Tigers

#### **ROUND 5 CATCH-UP**

SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS v ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS Saturday 14 May 11:00am, Ironmark High Performance Centre, Redfern; Referee: Bradley Kiehne; Sideline Officials: Benjamin Seppala, Adam Sirianni SOUTHS: 1. Terrell Kalo Kalo 2. Carson Kaho 3. Leon Te Hau 4. Ryan Garner 5. Tyrone Munro 6. Dion Teaupa 7. Keahlan Bray 8. Thomas Giles 9. Romano Cook 10. Isaiah Vailalo 11. Oscar Mezzomo 12. Louis Grossemy 13. Tallis Duncan 14. Joshua Rizk 15. Dranza Hawe-De-Thierry 16. Trent Griffiths 17. Marco Moretti 18. Cruise Tweedie **ST GEO ILLA**: 1. Callum Gromek 2. Cooper Roberts 3. Hayden Budd 4. Ben Johnson 5. Treigh Stewart 6. Zach Herring 7. Braxton Wallace 8. Bryce Magnone 9. Sam Hooper 10. Dallas Collins 11. Harley Sanchez 12. Duke Grant 13. Jackson Shereb 14. Declan Purcell 15. Callum Perryman 17. Clive Brett 19. Toby Couchman 23, Jacob Webster

#### **ROUND 7 CATCH-UP**

CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS v VICTORIA THUNDERBOLTS Saturday 14 May 1:30pm, Belmore Sports Ground, Belmore; Referee: Jack Bird; Sideline Officials: Ethan Murray, Isaac El-Hassen CANTERBURY: TBC VICTORIA: TBC

#### **ROUND 9 RESULTS**

Penrith Panthers (40) Tries: Isaiah longi 2, Cody Lawson 2, Mavrik Geyer, Daeon Amituanai, Niwhai Puru; Goals: Niwhai Puru 6 def Parramatta Eels (32) Tries: Dantoray Lui 2, Turoa Williams, Lary Muagututia, Corev Fenning, Ethan Sanders; Goals: Corey Fenning 4 at BlueBet Stadium

Wests Tigers (30) Tries: Finnley Neilsen, Jay Kirk, Jahream Bul, James Valevatu, Tray Lolesio, Samuel Kamu; Goals: Kade Hill 3 def Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles (24) Tries: Sanele Aukusitino, Cameron Brown, Viliami Fifita, Flynn Angeles-Corke; Goals: Jamie Humphreys 1 at 4 Pines Park

St George Illawarra Dragons (16) Tries: Campbell Watchirs, Benjamin Johnson, Callum Gromek; Goals; Sam Hooper 2 drew with Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (16) Tries: Compton Fuatimau, loash Papalii, Samuel Kanaan; Goals: Eli Clark 2 at Centenary Field

Newcastle Knights (36) Tries: Lachlan O'Brien, David Armstrong, Harry Croker, Mitch Henderson, James Johnson, Tevita Toloi; Goals: Thomas Cant 6 def South Sydney Rabbitohs (10) Tries: Carson Kaho, Romano Cook: Goals: Dion Teaupa 1 at Ironmark High Performance Centre

Sydney Roosters (26) Tries: Zac Montgomery, Robert Toia, Thomas Deakin, Jacob Preston, Tevita Masima; Goals: Jack Mossman 3 def Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (14) Tries: Noah Lester, Ryan Rivett, Samuel Healey; Goals: Ryan Rivett 1 at PointsBet Stadium

BYES: Canberra Raiders, Victoria Thunderbolts

#### **LADDER AFTER ROUND 9**

Pos	Team	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1	Sydney Roosters	9	7	2	0	294	146	148	14
2	Newcastle Knights	9	7	2	0	191	136	55	14
3	Penrith Panthers	9	6	3	0	294	196	98	12
4	St George Illawarra Dragons	8	4	2	2	186	168	18	10
5	Wests Tigers	9	5	4	0	192	210	-18	10
6	Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks	9	4	4	1	234	192	42	9
7	Victoria Thunderbolts	7	3	4	0	152	188	-36	8
8	Canberra Raiders	8	3	5	0	181	250	-69	8
9	Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs	8	3	4	1	146	183	-37	7
10	Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles	9	3	6	0	190	242	-52	6
11	Parramatta Eels	9	3	6	0	186	239	-53	6
12	South Sydney Rabbitohs	8	1	7	0	140	236	-96	2

#### HARVEY NORMAN WOMEN'S PREMIERSHIP

#### **ROUND 3 RESULTS**

Newcastle Knights (34) Tries: Caitlan Johnston 3, Jesse Southwell, Sophie Higgins, Shannon Evans; Goals: Jesse Southwell 5 def South Sydney Rabbitohs (20) Tries: Shirley Mailangi 2, Monique Donovan, Monicga Mo'Ale; Goals: Akira Kelly 2 at Ironmark High Performance Centre

Central Coast Roosters (10) Tries: Shawden Burton, Jazlyn Evans; Goals: Jess Gentle 1 drew Mounties RLFC (10) Tries: Gayle Broughton, Keeley Davis; Goals: Olivia Vale 1 at Morry Breen Oval

North Sydney Bears (34) Tries: Luisa Yaranamua, Pier Pritchard, Taylor-Adeline Mapusua, Katrina Phippen, Angelina Teakaraanga-Katoa, Jamilee Bright; Goals: Kirra Dibb 5 def Wests Tigers (6) Tries: Emily Curtain; Goals: Emily Curtain 1 at North Sydney Oval

St Marys (12) Tries: Elsie Albert, Sarah Togatuki; Goals: Ashlee Harrison 2 def Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (10) Tries: Teagan Berry, Tiana Penitani; Goals: Rueben Cherrington 1 at NSWRL Centre of Excellence BYE: Wentworthville Magpies

#### LADDER AFTER ROUND 3

Pos	Team	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1	North Sydney Bears	2	2	0	0	72	6	66	6
2	Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks	3	2	1	0	56	16	40	4
3	Newcastle Knights	3	2	1	0	64	46	18	4
4	Wests Tigers	3	2	1	0	38	48	-10	4
5	St Marys	3	2	1	0	36	62	-26	4
6	Mounties RLFC	3	1	1	1	28	32	-4	3
7	Central Coast Roosters	2	0	1	1	14	26	-12	3
8	Wentworthville Magpies	2	0	2	0	26	42	-16	2
9	South Sydney Rabbitohs	3	0	3	0	30	86	-56	0

#### RON MASSEY CUP

#### **ROUND 8 RESULTS BYE: Mounties**

**St Marys (20)** Tries: Raymond Leosa, Luke Sommerton, Pat Hollis, Logan Dickson; Goals: Jake Rafferty-Butfield 2 **def Glebe Dirty Reds (18)** Tries: Jackson Stewart, Manaia Rudolph, Devon Makoare-Boyce; Goals: Manaia Rudolph 3 **at St Marys Leagues Stadium** 

Hills Bulls (30) Tries: Samuel Tavita 2, Brad Keighran, Maile Li, Taniela Lasalo; Goals: Brad Keighran 5 def Ryde-Eastwood Hawks (10) Tries: Samuel Radovu, Angus McElroy; Goals: Jamin Williams 1 at Crestwood Oval Kaiviti Silktails (28) Tries: Viliame Tutuvuli 2, Osea Natoga, TBA 2; Goals: TBA 4 def Wentworthville Magpies (22) Tries: Nicholas Walker, Austin Quast, TBA 2; Goals: Clayton Faulalo 3 at Ringrose Park Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles (18) Tries: Richard Holani, Tyran Pettit-Young, Steven Taupau Sako; Goals:

Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles (18) Tries: Richard Holani, Tyran Pettit-Young, Steven Taupau Sako; Goals: Donovan Boney 3 def Western Suburbs Magpies (16) Tries: Andrew Kazzi, Puna Fotu, Nautu'a Masima; Goals: Nautu'a Masima 1, Rydge Smith 1 at HE Laybutt Sporting Complex

#### **LADDER AFTER ROUND 8**

Pos	Team	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1	Hills Bulls	6	6	0	0	167	72	95	14
2	St Marys	7	6	1	0	198	122	76	14
3	Glebe Dirty Reds	7	5	2	0	224	134	90	12
4	Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles	6	3	3	0	130	184	-54	8
5	Kaiviti Silktails	5	2	3	0	112	117	-5	6
6	Mounties	5	2	3	0	98	130	-32	6
7	Wentworthville Magpies	5	1	4	0	106	120	-14	4
8	Ryde-Eastwood Hawks	8	2	6	0	160	218	-58	4
9	Western Suburbs Magpies	5	0	5	0	54	152	-98	2

#### **ROUND 3 CATCH-UP MATCH**

WESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES v KAIVITI SILKTAILS Saturday 14 May 2:00pm, Lidcombe Oval, Lidcombe; Referee: Matt Noyen; Sideline Officials: Ben Teague, Cameron Mitchell

#### SYDNEY SHIELD

#### **ROUND 8 RESULTS BYE:** Brothers Penrith

St Marys (52) Tries: Kaleb Farr 2, Sadee Sub Laban 2, Jesse Abbott 2, Henry Truly Togise, Obed Kharwin, Meni Luke; Goals: Kaleb Farr 8 def Moorebank Rams (0) at St Marys Leagues Stadium

Sydney Roosters (50) Tries: Michael White 2, Tyler Colley, Michael Coleman, Manueli lewaqai, Toesami Toevai, Samuela Yalisaya, TBA 2; Goals: Tyler Colley 7 def Wentworthville United (30) Tries: Becker Akl 2, Liam O'Brien, Taringa Maungaati, Kyle Simsic, TBA 1; Goals: Liam O'Brien 3 at Ringrose Park

Ryde-Eastwood Hawks (28) Tries: Mason Ward 2, Noah Ryan, Kyle McLean, Kirk Patton; Goals: Joshua Vella 4 def Hills Bulls (24) Tries: Michael Cheer, Jacob Harrington, Viliami Kuli, Thomas Menzies; Goals: Mitchell Hyde 4 at Crestwood Oval

#### **LADDER AFTER ROUND 8**

Pos	Team	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1	St Marys	7	7	0	0	304	44	260	16
2	Ryde-Eastwood Hawks	7	6	1	0	188	172	16	12
3	Hills Bulls	6	3	3	0	150	132	18	8
4	Sydney Roosters	5	2	3	0	148	172	-24	8
5	Moorebank Rams	5	2	3	0	74	132	-58	6
6	Penrith Brothers	5	0	5	0	66	162	-96	4
7	Wentworthville United	5	0	5	0	84	200	-116	2

#### **ROUND 3 CATCH-UP MATCH**

MOOREBANK RAMS v RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS Saturday 14 May 6:30pm, Hammondville Oval, Moorebank; Referee: Karra-Lee Nolan; Sideline Officials: Daniel Luttringer, Blake Williams

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#### COUNTRY v CITY WEEKEND

#### **SATURDAY 14 MAY**

Under 16s (10.30am 4 Pines Park) Referee: Cody Simmons; Sideline Officials: Bryce Hotham, Ryan Micallef COUNTRY: Riley Buchanan (Northern Rivers Titans), Samuel Carr (Northern Tigers), Harry Chadburn (Northern Rivers Titans), Archie Duncombe (Monaro Colts), Lachlan Greatz (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Zane Harrison (Northern Rivers Titans), Harry Hudson (Monaro Colts), Ezekiel Kennedy (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Aaron Keppie (Macarthur Wests Tigers), Drew Langdon (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Kimball Liufau (Macarthur Wests Tigers), Callum McMenemy (Macarthur Wests Tigers), Riley Oitmann (Macarthur Wests Tigers), Amazon-Paul Pua'avase (Macarthur Wests Tigers), Zachariah Taufa (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Broc Thomas (Central Coast Roosters), Harry Wald (Western Rams), Lewis Sargent-Wilson (Illawarra South Coast Dragons). Coach: Aaron Hertsch. CITY: Jaxson Allen (Sydney Roosters), Alex Challenor (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Lachlan Dooner (Sydney Roosters), Jaxen Edgar (Penrith Panthers), Zach Fittler (Sydney Roosters), Nathaniel Gallagher (Western Suburbs Magpies), Jacob Halangahu (St George Dragons), Jack Hilliar (Newcastle Knights), Tom Kirk (Illawarra Steelers), Simione Laiafi (Manly Warringah Sea Eagles), Finau Latu (St George Dragons), Luke Laulilli (Western Suburbs Magpies), Hokafonu Lemoto (Penrith Panthers), Zaidas Muagututia (Parramatta Eels), Toby Rodwell (Sydney Roosters), Jordan Uta (Parramatta Eels), Connor Votano (Newcastle Knights), Baxter Warner (Sydney Roosters), Mitchell Woods (Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs). Coach: Kyle Churchill.

Under 18s (12.10pm 4 Pines Park) Referee: Ethan Klein; Sideline Officials: Jake Walsh, Harrison Baysarri COUNTRY: Taj Blackman (Newcastle Maitland Region Knights), Taye Cochrane (North Coast Bulldogs), Bryce Davis (Central Coast Roosters), Shane Davis-Caldwell (North Coast Bulldogs), Noah Goodman (Central Coast Roosters), Kane Graham (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Kyan Hjaltason (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Oscar Holt (North Coast Bulldogs), Oliver Juras (Central Coast Roosters), Remi Mant (Macarthur Wests Tigers), Kyle McCarthy (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Nick Murphy (Western Rams), Jack Piccirilli (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Joshua Power (North Coast Bulldogs), Wesley Pring (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Joseph Roddy (Riverina Bulls), Thomas Fisher (Macarthur Wests Tigers), Vaenuku Vatuvei (Illawarra South Coast Dragons). Coach: Kurt Hancock. CITY: Michael Abdow (Sydney Roosters), Taj Brailey (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Samuela Fainu (Manly Warringah Sea Eagles), Joshua Feledy (Manly Warringah Sea Eagles), Ethan Ferguson (Newcastle Knights), Charlie Guymer (Parramatta Eels), Harrison Hassett (Penrith Panthers), Myles Martin (Newcastle Knights), Jordi Mazzone (Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs), Samuel Mcculloch (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Jordan Miller (Western Suburbs Magpies), Joash Papalii (Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs), Venasiotangifetaua Patuki Case (Sydney Roosters), Ethan Sanders (Parramatta Eels), Chevy Stewart (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Ethan Strange (Sydney Roosters), Siteni Taukamo (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Lajuan Vito (Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs), Coach: Stephen O'Dea.

Women's Open Age (2pm 4 Pines Park) Referee: Jake Sutherland; Sideline Officials: Luke Saldern, Patrick Mackey COUNTRY: Teagan Berry (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Sam Bremner (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Keele Browne (Wests Tigers), Shawden Burton (Central Coast Roosters), Abbi Church (St Marys Saints), Phoebe Desmond (Newcastle Knights), Kirra Dibb (North Sydney Bears), Vanessa Foliaki (St Marys Saints), Jayme Fressard (Central Coast Roosters), Olivia Higgins (Newcastle Knights), Rikeya Horne (St Marys Saints), Melanie Howard (Newcastle Knights), Caitlan Johnston (Newcastle Knights), Jocelyn Kelleher (Central Coast Roosters), Olivia Kernick (Central Coast Roosters), Bobbi Law (Newcastle Knights), Kaitlyn Phillips (Brisbane Broncos), Tayla Predebon (Newcastle Knights). Coach: Ruan Sims CITY: Shaylee Bent (Wynnum Manly Seagulls), Jaime Chapman (Tweed Heads Seagulls), Kennedy Cherrington (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Emily Curtain (Wests Tigers), Jocephy Daniels (Mounties), Leianne Fiaoo (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Filomina Hanisi (Mounties), Fatafehi Hanisi (Mounties), Talei Holmes (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Tommaya Kelly-Sines (Mounties), Shirley Mailangi (Mounties), Taina Naividi (Mounties), Aliti Namoce (North Sydney Bears), Christian Pio (Wests Tigers), Tayla Preston (Wests Tigers), Maddie Studdon (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Mareva Swann (Mounties), Renee Targett (North Sydney Bears). Coach: Darrin Borthwick

Wheelchair Rugby League (4pm Niagara Park Stadium, Central Coast) COUNTRY: squad to be confirmed CITY: Joseph Abboud (Manly Warringah Sea Eagles), Jeremy Ayoub (St George Illawarra Dragons), Cory Cannane (St George Illawarra Dragons), Craig Cannane (St George Illawarra Dragons), William Derederenalagi (Parramatta Eels), Edge Iole (St George Illawarra Dragons), Liam Luff (Parramatta Eels), Jessie Mowczan (Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks), Tosso Solusi (West Tigers). Coach: Brad Turnbull.

#### **SUNDAY 15 MAY**

Physical Disability Rugby League (9.45am Leichhardt Oval) COUNTRY: Siang Beh (Sydney Roosters), Daniel Brodie (Newtown Jets), Geoff Clarke (South Sydney Rabbitohs), Byron Daley (Wests Tigers), Denzel Edwards (Newtown Jets), Joe Egan (Sydney Roosters), Tristan Gibbs (Sydney Roosters), Allan Ross (Wests Tigers), Chris Sansom (Newtown Jets). Colby Sansom (Sydney Roosters), Alex Smith (South Sydney Rabbitohs), Fady Taiba (Wests Tigers), Ben Taprell (South Sydney Rabbitohs), Jake Vukobratovich (South Sydney Rabbitohs). Drew Gibbs (Able body), Sam Aquilina (Able body). Coach: David Smith. CITY: Jack Bryant (South Sydney Rabbitohs), Kayla Coppe (South Sydney Rabbitohs), Hayden Coulton (Sydney Roosters), Todd Dorward (Newtown Jets), Che Forusek (Newtown Jets), Adam Hills (South Sydney Rabbitohs), Siaosi Lampiati (Newtown Jets), Rylee Lowe (Sydney Roosters), Fletcher Netting (South Sydney), Noah Pittas (Wests Tigers), Joel Pragnell (Sydney Roosters), Tim Ragg (Wests Tigers), Andrew Saliba (Newtown Jets), Jonathan Smith (South Sydney Rabbitohs). Steve Cremona (Able body), Rob Mumford (Able body). Coach: Craig Anderson.

Women's Police (11am Leichhardt Oval) Referee: Paul Eden; Sideline Officials: Robert Morey, Brendan Mani COUNTRY: Brittany Bedford (Easts), Jessica Brooks (Easts), Casey Gardiner (Country North), Anja

Halstead (Country South), Nicole Holmes (Bankstown), Hayley Joseph (Country North), Sandra Laughlin (Country South), Maddie Martin (Easts), Jess O'Brien (Country North), Allanha Pomering (Macarthur), Marita Shoulders (Country South), Gabrielle Suckling (Easts), Miah Sullivan (Country North), Maggie Townsend (Country North), Brooke Walker (Macarthur), Kiara White (Bankstown), Bianca Wright (Country South). Coach: Nathan Simpson. CITY: Kristy Bridge (Macarthur), Sohryn Carter (Bankstown), Morgan Davey (Easts), Maddie Duncan (Easts), Mel Dunn (Macarthur), Jayme Emphelstone (Bankstown), Nerida Gregory (Bankstown), Dana Griffin (Macarthur), Joss Haddad (Bankstown), Kiera Harvey (Bankstown), Katerina Hinton (Country North), Jacoda Links (Bankstown), Judy May Pollard (Macarthur), Cassandra Mileto (Bankstown), Elise Ryan (Country South), Michelle Shakespeare (Macarthur), Ana-Lise Sio (Macarthur). Coach: Mitch Osborne.

Men's Police (12.25pm Leichhardt Oval) Referee: Tom Stindl; Sideline Officials: Robert Morey, Brendan Mani COUNTRY: Hayden Ashcroft (Easts). Trent Barrett (Macarthur), Callum Blinco (Parramatta), Reece Chappell (Easts), Dane Clarke (Bankstown), Jackson Clarke (Easts), Rhys Dombkins (Easts), Rhys Fagerland Brent Nellies (Macarthur), (Country South), Connor O'Bierne (Manly), Josh Parrish (Manly), Joel Patterson (Penrith), Sam Paul (Manly), Sam Press (Manly), Bailey Schultz (Country North), Brayden Sharrock (Country South), (Country North), Blake Turner (Parramatta). Coach: Shane Cribb. CITY: Talaisi Alo (Penrith), Franelle Betham Misa (Parramatta), Charlie Buttrose (Easts), Marcus Creais (Manly), Andrew Dargin (Bankstown), Jack Davey (Macarthur), Carlin Deane (Easts), Blake Draper (Macarthur), Jaydon Fa'avae-eli (Macarthur), David Farkas (Easts), Scott Hartigan (Parramatta), Brock Jamieson (Macarthur), Mathewson Johns (Bankstown), Alex Maher (Easts), Jack Mitchell (Macarthur), 15. Johnno Palmer (Macarthur), Haydn Peacock (Bankstown). Coach: Marty Hyde.

Men's Open Age (2pm Leichhardt Oval) Referee: Damian Brady; Sideline Officials: Cameron Turner, Mitchell Stone COUNTRY: Mitchell Andrews (Western Rams), Kayne Brennan (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Jake Brisbane (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Matthew Delbanco (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Donte Efaraimo (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Blair Grant (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Ron Leapai (Monaro Colts), James Luff (Riverina Bulls), Toby McIntosh (Northern Rivers Titans), Darby Medlyn (Monaro Colts), Bradley Prior (Monaro Colts), Keiran Rankmore (Illawarra South Coast Dragons), Oliver Regan (Northern Rivers Titans), Richard Roberts (North Coast Bulldogs), Dillon Rota (Monaro Colts), Zac Saddler (monaro Colts), Caleb Ziebell (Northern Rivers Titans), Connor Ziebell (Northern Rivers Titans). Coach: Terry Campese. CITY: Edward Aiono (St Marys Saints), Niko Apelu (Wentworthville Magpies), Clayton Faulalo (Wentworthville Magpies), Keiran Hayman (Hills District Bulls), Patrick Hollis (St Marys Saints), Brad Keighran (Hills District Bulls), Semisi Kioa (Mounties), Raymond Lesoa (St Marys Saints), Eli Levido (Glebe Dirty Reds), Lopeti Mafi (Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles), Cleveland McGhie (Ryde-Eastwood Hawks), D'rhys Miller (Western Suburbs Magpies), Eli Roberts (Hills District Bulls), Manaia Rudolph (Glebe Dirty Reds), Steven Tavita (Hills District Bulls), Denzal Tonise (Hills District Bulls), Caleb Uele (Glebe Dirty Reds), Joe Vaegaau (St Marys Saints). Coach: Brett Cook.

### **ORL TEAMLISTS & RESULTS**

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#### HOSTPLUS CUP - ROUND 8

#### TOWNSVILLE BLACKHAWKS v PNG HUNTERS

Friday 13 May 7:00pm, Jack Manski Oval, Kirwan; Referee: Kasey Badger; Sideline Officials: Taylor Worth, Josh Eaton

**TOWNSVILLE:** 1. Jaelen Feeney 2. Jordan Lipp 4. Michael Bell 5. Kalifa Faifai Loa 6. Aaron Moore 7. Robert Lui 8. Joe Boyce 9. Josh Chudleigh 10. Emry Pere 11. Nathan Barrett 12. Patrick Kaufusi 13. Riley Price 14. Kyle Laybutt 15. Zachery McMinn 16. Cade Maloney 17. Tom Hancock 18. Edene Gebbie 19. Hamilton Taia 22. Taniela Sadrugu **PNG:** 1. Matthew Jesse 2. Terry Wapi 3. Brandon Nima 4. Rodrick Tai 5. Solo Wane 6. Mark Tony 7. Kingstimer Paraia 8. Dilbert Isaac 9. Wartovo Puara 10. Sylvester Namo 11. Sherwin Tanabi 12. Keven Appo 13. Junior Rop 15. Emmanuel Waine 16. Kitron Laka 17. Samuel Yegip 18. Anthony Worot 19. Inridan Pat 20. Gilimo Paul

#### TWEED SEAGULLS v NORTHERN PRIDE

Saturday 14 May 3:00pm, Tugun RLFC, Tugun; Referee: Ben Watts; Sideline Officials: Jake Stanton, Mark Bohan

**TWEED**: 1. Jaline Graham 2. Sosefo Fifita 3. Lee Turner 4. Scott Galeano 5. Ryland Jacobs 6. Will Brimson 7. Lindon McGrady 8. JJ Collins 9. Craig Garvey 10. Lamar Manuel-Liolevave 11. Joshua Patston 12. Reuben Porter 13. Braden Robson 14. Blake Scott 15. Harrison Muller 16. Ioane Seiuli 17. Daniel Ross 18. Charlie Murray **PRIDE**: 1. Julian Christian 2. Mark Rosendale 3. Shawn Bowen 4. Gideon Gela-Mosby 5. Robert Derby 6. Tom Steadman 7. Matt Egan 8. Nick Lui-Toso 9. Jayden Hodges 10. Paea Pua 11. Kenneth Fonoti 12. Ewan Moore 13. Terrence Casey-Douglas 14. Chris Ostwald 15. Lata Fakalelu 16. Ash Little 17. Whyatt Barnes 19. Jahoiyakira Afoa 20. Bernard Lewis

#### WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS v IPSWICH JETS

Saturday 14 May 3:00pm, BMD Kougari Oval, Manly West; Referee: Daniel Schwass; Sideline Officials: Matt Colclough, Jacob Whitehouse

WYNNUM: 1. Ben Farr 2. Sione Hopoate 3. Matthew Lyons 4. Dredin Sorensen McGee 5. Tom Farr 6. Max Plath 7. Sam Scarlett 9. Tristan Hope 10. Epel Kapinias 12. Zac Hosking 13. Luke Bateman 14. Kalolo Saitaua 15. Harrison Graham 16. Lachlan Lee 17. Max Elliott 18. Luke Gale 19. Caleb Daunt IPSWICH: 1. Ningarra Barker 2. Ratu Jope Rotavisoro 3. Dominic Macumboy 4. Denzel Burns 5. Ricco Falaniko 6. Joel Holdsworth 7. Lachlan Cooper 8. Blake Lenehan 9. Rhys Jacks 10. Nathaniel Neale 11. Mitch Harsant 12. Tyler Coburn 13. Nicholas Flocas 14. Joshua Williams 15. Todd White 16. Hugh Sedger 17. Owen McCarron 18. Gerome Burns 19. Corey Kurnoth 20. Onosai Auina

#### NORTHS DEVILS v CENTRAL QLD CAPRAS

Saturday 14 May 5:30pm, Bishop Park, Nundah; Referee: Ziggy Przeklasa-Adamski; Sideline Officials: Steve Kanowski, Marcus Fitzgerald

NORTHS: 1. Matthew Milson 2. Brayden McGrady 3. Jacob Gagan 4. Tony Tumusa 5. Jared Chambers 6. Connor Broadhurst 7. Jack Ahearn 8. Jerome Veve 9. Kierran Moseley 10. Moses Noovao-McGreal 11. Brendan Frei 12. Leivaha Pulu 13. Michael Sio 14. Liam Horne 15. Jayden Stephens 16. Viko Puliuvea 17. Rashaun Denny 18. Tauaalo Vaipulu 19. Glenn McGrady CAPRAS: 1. Blake Moore 2. Curtis Dansey Smaller 3. Jesse Jennings 5. Jedidiah Simbiken 6. Radean Robinson 7. Jack Madden 8. Bailey Butler 9. Trey Browne 10. Tyler Szepanowski 11. Ethan O'neill 12. Nixon Putt 13. Jamie Hill 14. Brandon Clarke 15. Lachlan Hubner 17. McKenzie Yei 18. Aaron Teroi 19. Harrison Leonard

#### REDCLIFFE DOLPHINS v SOUTHS LOGAN MAGPIES

Saturday 14 May 6:00pm, Moreton Daily Stadium, Redcliffe; Referee: Chris Sutton; Sideline Officials: Isaac Freeman, Michael Wise

REDCLIFFE: 1. Trai Fuller 2. Setu Tu 3. Jayden Corrigan 4. Jack Aiken 5. Edward Burns 6. Bryce Donovan 7. Cody Hunter 8. Dunamis Lui 10. Lachlan Timm 11. Pride Petterson-Robati 12. Jeremiah Simbiken 13. Nathan Watts 14. Sam Elliott 15. Jackson Frei 18. Jarrett Boland 19. Benjamin King 21. Shane Pumipi 22. Sheldon Pitama SOUTHS LOGAN: 1. Tristan Sailor 2. Jordan Pereira 3. Ethan Quai-Ward 4. Brenko Lee 5. Richard Pandia 6. Ezra Mam 7. Harradyn Wilson 8. Tyrone Amey 9. Christian Hazard 10. Logan Bayliss-Brow 11. Kelly Tate 12. Fabien Paletua-Kiri 13. Rory Ferguson 14. Brad Frith 15. Jacob Elmore 16. Raiden Fonoti 17. Instin Fai

#### **BURLEIGH BEARS v MACKAY CUTTERS**

Saturday 14 May 7:00pm, Pizzey Park, Miami; Referee: Jarrod Cole; Sideline Officials: Jack Klein, Jack Ebert **BURLEIGH**: 1. Taine Tuaupiki 2. Alofiana Khan-Pereira 3. Sami Sauiluma 4. Kea Pere 5. Tony Francis 6. Joshua Rogers 7. Guy Hamilton 8. Tristan Powell 9. Pat Politoni 10. Apiata Noema-Matenga 11. Jacob Allick 12. Hayden Schwass 13. Sam Coster 14. Aaron Booth 15. Iszac Fa'asumaleaui 16. Doryaan Hape Apiata 17. Dylan Kelly **MACKAY**: 1. Kyle Krisanski-Kennedy 2. Jake Riley 3. Andre Niko 4. Blake Paskins 5. Kane Bradley 6. Henri Stocks 7. Brandon Finnegan 8. Jayden Morgan 9. Kyle Schneider 10. Ross Bella 11. Luke Webley 12. Hiale Roycroft 13. Sean Mullany 14. Laitia Moceidreke 15. Luke Ingram 16. Zac Patch 17. Matthew Vessey 18. Sam Fa'apito 19. Mitch Fogarty 20. Tom Sly

#### SUNSHINE COAST FALCONS v BRISBANE TIGERS

Sunday 15 May 2:10pm, Sunshine Coast Stadium, Bokarina; Referee: Belinda Sharpe; Sideline Officials: Jarrod Cole, Ben Watts

FALCONS: 1. Luke Poiselli 2. Nat McGavin 3. Grant Anderson 4. Kane Jackson 5. Blake Wilson 6. Jack

Wright 7. Daniel Atkinson 9. Tyson Smoothy 10. Max Bailey 11. Jack Gibbons 12. Louis Geraghty 13. Patrice Siolo 14. Sam Burns 15. Thomas Rafter 16. Campbell Duffy 17. Ryan Turner 18. Darryn Schonig 20. Jake Maizen 21. Lazarus Vaalepu 22. Wyatt Reynolds **BRISBANE**: 1. Gerard Beale 2. Bessie Aufaga-Toomaga 3. Marion Seve 4. Bernard Gregorius 5. Solomona Faataape 6. Jayden Nikorima 7. Darren Nicholls 8. Wesley Lolo 9. Haele Finau 10. William Samuel 11. Bronson Garlick 12. Dan Russell 13. Jack Svendsen 14. Blake Barbuto 15. Bennett Leslie 16. Darius Farmer 17. George Fai 18. Joseph Gilmour

#### **ROUND 7 RESULTS**

Norths Devils (28) Tries: Brendan Frei 2, Brayden McGrady 2, Matthew Milson; Goals: Connor Broadhurst 4 def PNG Hunters (24) Tries: Solo Wane, Brandon Nima, Terry Wapi, Kingstimer Paraia; Goals: Kingstimer Paraia 4 at Clive Berghofer Stadium

Central Qld Capras (34) Tries: Curtis Dansey-Smaller 2, Jedidiah Simbiken 2, Bailey Butler, Jesse Jennings, Brandon Clarke; Goals: Trey Browne 2, Blake Moore 1 def Northern Pride (10) Tries: Gideon Gela-Mosby, Shawn Bowen; Goals: Julian Christian 1 at Browne Park

Burleigh Bears (38) Tries: Alofiana Khan-Pereira 2, Sami Sauiluma 2, Taine Tuaupiki, Aaron Booth, Sam Coster; Goals: Josh Rogers 5 def Souths Logan Magpies (16) Tries: Justin Fai, Jordan Pereira, Richard Pandia; Goals: Harradyn Wilson 2 at Davies Park

**BYE:** Brisbane Tigers, Ipswich Jets, Mackay Cutters, Redcliffe Dolphins, Sunshine Coast Falcons, Townsville Blackhawks, Tweed Seagulls, Wynnum Manly Seagulls

#### **LADDER AFTER ROUND 7**

Pos	Team	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1_	Sunshine Coast Falcons	6	5	1	0	158	84	74	12
2	Burleigh Bears	6	5	1	0	160	92	68	12
3	Central Qld Capras	6	5	1	0	156	106	50	12
4	Norths Devils	6	5	1	0	161	113	48	12
5	Brisbane Tigers	6	4	1	1	146	96	50	11
6	Townsville Blackhawks	6	4	2	0	132	120	12	10
7	Mackay Cutters	6	3	3	0	138	118	20	8
8	Wynnum Manly Seagulls	6	3	3	0	154	134	20	8
9	Tweed Seagulls	6	2	4	0	116	112	4	6
10	Northern Pride	6	2	4	0	108	130	-22	6
11	Souths Logan Magpies	6	1	4	1	126	164	-38	5
12	PNG Hunters	6	1	5	0	76	142	-66	4
13	Redcliffe Dolphins	6	1	5	0	83	155	-72	4
14	Ipswich Jets	6	0	6	0	88	236	-148	2

#### HASTINGS DEERING COLTS - ROUND 6

#### TWEED SEAGULLS v NORTHERN PRIDE

Saturday 14 May 12:30pm, Tugun RLFC, Tugun; Referee: Dylan Lawrence; Sideline Officials: Cameron Wegner, Zac Schwass

TWEED: 1. Jaylan De Groot 2. Malakhi Donovan 3. Kaleb Ngamanu 4. Caleb Hodges 5. Brent Barnes 6. Jack Field 7. Thomas Weaver 8. Jack Cullen 9. Taine Ujdur-Berghan 10. Ben Liyou 11. Ryan Foran 12. Klese Haas 13. Charlie Murray 14. Jordan Stewart 16. Khyan Weir 17. Jesse Jackson 18. Brock Priestley 20. Max Liles PRIDE: 1. Bronson Ryan 2. Sami Raivaroro 3. Jarvis Yeatman 4. Shaun Stephens 5. Ronald Lewis 6. Dmitri Ahwang 7. Ryan Flegler 8. Corey Kennedy 9. Billy Vincent 10. Anderson Kuna 11. Samuel Cramp 12. Lachlon Rayson 13. Ricky Wardle 14. Taj Walker 15. Jack Thomas 16. Tom Spark 17. Jerome Singapu 19. Thomas

#### WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS v IPSWICH JETS

Saturday 14 May 1:10pm, BMD Kougari Oval, Manly West; Referee: Matt Gannon; Sideline Officials: Aidan Maxwell, Bailey Sheppard

WYNNUM: 1. Jordan Davies 2. Luke Philp 3. Grand Hagai 4. Blake Anders 5. Germaine Bulsey 6. Blake Moore 7. Will Parslow 8. Caius Faatili 9. Shaun Packer 10. Felix Faatili 11. Ethan Malt 12. Kobe Martin 13. Nathan Ward 14. Zaen Edmonds 15. Cooper Hewett 16. Jake Parker 17. Ryan Jackson IPSWICH: 1. Kedan Chan-Tung 2. Cameron Bundock 3. Kaylis Barrott 4. Trent Richardson 5. Nathan Stephensen 6. Jordan Afamasaga 7. Ryan Balint 8. Samson Sauaso 9. Zachery Alley 10. Lucky Pokipoki 11. Samuel Inoke 12. Benjamin Charles 13. Ngiyaani Waters 14. Ky Rashleigh 15. Mika Iakopo 17. Ezekiel Figota 18. Kealhan Obrien 19. Harrison Midgley 20. Yorel Alapaki 21. James Durheim

#### TOWNSVILLE BLACKHAWKS v WESTERN CLYDESDALES

Saturday 14 May 2:00pm, Jack Manski Oval, Kirwan; Referee: Conor Wilson; Sideline Officials: Andrew Edmonds, Thomas Dungavell

**TOWNSVILLE**: 1. Dylan White 2. Jacob Mene 3. Ragarive Wavik 4. Zac Laybutt 5. Ethan Hagarty 6. Jake Bourke 7. Thomas Duffy 8. Cruz Smith 9. Jai Hansen 10. Tyson Chase 11. Kulikefu Finefeuiaki 12. William Latu 13. Cameron Bateup 14. Joel Baldwin 15. Edward Hampson 16. Adam Mitchell 17. Tyreice Baira-Gela 18. David Mills-Prior 19. Tai Laidlow **CLYDESDALES**: 1. Kaelin Brandon 2. Lachlan Ghee 3. Shayden Lavatai 4. Alexander Brighton 6. Elliott Speed 7. Reily Land 8. Nathaniel Cowan 9. Hayden Ensbey 10. Noah Brady

12. Alex Donn 13. Brody Gilchrist 15. Max Brady 16. Kevin Sheppard 17. Darryl Erepia 18. Udom Wala 20. Cooper Tate-Roche

#### NORTHS DEVILS v CENTRAL OLD CAPRAS

Saturday 14 May 2:40pm, Bishop Park, Nundah; Referee: Nick McEwen; Sideline Officials: Jacob Funk, Harrison Lea

NORTHS: 1. Declan Haydon 2. Izaac Onn 3. Leighton Milburn 4. Blayden Dodd 5. William Curran 6. Joshua Pese 7. Hayden Rowbotham 8. Thomas McKenzie 9. Isaac Hawes 10. Levi Moger 11. Harry Walters 12. Kye Jenkins 13. Zach Brooks 14. Johnson Murray 15. Tristan Voll 16. Tahrell Feaveai 17. Lebron Tuala CAPRAS: 1. Peyton Jenkins 2. Carter Wight 4. Herman Seumanufagai 5. Jye Marriott 6. Thallon Peters 7. Laish Salam 8. Ilami Buli 9. Cooper Marshall 10. Tate Beak 11. Kurtis Farr 12. Joseph Callanan 13. Samuel Strohfeldt 14. Marcus Tanner 15. Keinan Smith 16. Mitchell Leard-Lamont 17. Jeremy McLachlan 18. Kelly Shadlow

#### REDCLIFFE DOLPHINS v SOUTHS LOGAN MAGPIES

Saturday 14 May 3:00pm, Moreton Daily Stadium, Redcliffe; Referee: Jeremy Meadows; Sideline Officials: Connor Baker, Emma Maguire

REDCLIFFE: 1. Blake Dawes 2. William Dobson 3. Eric Vaafusuaga 4. Ali Leiataua 5. Jaxon Knott 6. Connor Williams 7. Will Cahill 8. Otukinekina Kepu 9. Logan Cox 10. Levi Wilson 11. Braith Major 12. Zyon Maiu'u 13. Nicholas Ingram 14. Tuhirangi Ratana 15. Noah Lutui 16. Marcus Spence 17. Brock Kehl SOUTHS LOGAN: 1. Lachlan Mead 2. Henry Abdul-Rahman 3. Fe'ao Maka 4. Fa'ata'ape Timai 5. Connor Williams 6. Brayden Paix 7. Ezra Teuila 8. Benjamin Smith 9. Callum Eggerling 10. Ricardo Evenis 11. Rhys Sparey 12. Tuarae Rawhiti 13. Cruise Ten 14. Max Pakai 15. Jett Trembath 16. Caleb Evans 17. Bradley Zampech

#### **BURLEIGH BEARS v MACKAY CUTTERS**

Saturday 14 May 5:15pm, Pizzey Park, Miami; Referee: Cody Kwik; Sideline Officials: Tori Wilkie, Jaykob Brown

BURLEIGH: 1. Tawera Toia 2. Kalani Skipps 3. Carn Connell 4. Hunter Ploegsma 5. Xavier Asi 6. Dion Samuela 7. Boston Tagg 8. T.J Devery 9. Lachlan Adamson 10. Samuel Shannon 11. Adam Christensen 12. Sam McIntyre 13. Ben Kay 14. Matthew Canning 15. Isaac Matalavea-Booth 16. K-Ci Newton-Whare 17. Joseph Shannon

MACKAY: 1. Brenton Baira 2. Kahlani Mooney 3. Matt Mcgowan 4. Flynn Camilleri 5. Corey Shepherd 6. Daniel Kelly 7. Bailey Black 8. Blake Coombes 9. Luke-David Wells-Talamaivao 10. Asher O'Donnell 11. Baden Robinson 12. Hugh Arthur 13. Ethan Sweet 14. Jack Hoffmann 15. Noah Cookson 16. Mason Simpson 17. Jayden Rodwell 18. Ethan Roberts 19. Patrick Hoare 21. Teokotai Packer

#### SUNSHINE COAST FALCONS v BRISBANE TIGERS

Sunday 15 May 12:20pm, Sunshine Coast Stadium, Bokarina; OFFICIALS

FALCONS: 1. Joseph Lowe 2. Cameron Hanson 3. Brendan Siebuhr 4. Taine Couper 5. Jake Keating 6. Lucas Bell 7. Jai Smoothy 9. Danny Heenan 10. Blake Woodford 11. Jayden Taufa 12. Jordan Heke 13. Sam Reid 14. Garlen Peace 15. Riley Boaza 16. Jimi Parsons 17. Blake Ginman 18. Kaleb Sutton BRISBANE: 1. Lachlan West 2. Sione Finau 3. Ezraa Coulston 4. Jude Saldanha 5. Ariki Wallace 6. Tony Thompson 7. Jonah Glover 8. Jordan Penquitt 9. Justin Smith 10. Tyrone Gunn-James 11. Simon Pratt 12. Lewis Gibb 13. Madison Beckett 14. Brad Russell 15. Casey Morgan 16. Brock Ashton 17. Wian Joubert 18. Liam Fitzsimmons

#### **ROUND 5 RESULTS**

Norths Devils (58) Tries: Hayden Rowbotham 3, Izaac Onn 2, Declan Haydon 2, Tristan Voll, Harry Walters, Kye Jenkins; Goals: Blayden Dodd 9 def Western Clydesdales (12) Tries: Max Brady 2; Goals: Elliott Speed 2 at Clive Berghofer Stadium

Central Qld Capras (80) Tries: Mitchell Leard-Lamont 2, Cooper Marshall 2, Thallon Peters 2, Marcus Tanner 2 Coby Williamson, Kurtis Farr,, Jye Marriott, Joseph Callanan, Carter Wight, ; Goals: Jye Marriott 12 def Northern Pride (10) Tries: Jack Thomas, Ronald Lewis; Goals: Jahoiyakim Afoa 1 at Browne Park Souths Logan Magpies (48) Tries: Callum Eggerling, Tuarae Rawhiti, Rhys Sparey, Fe'ao Maka, Cruise Ten, Fa'ata'ape Timai, Benjamin Smith, Brad Zampech; Goals: Brayden Paix 8 def Burleigh Bears (20) Tries: Boston Tagg, Adam Christensen, Sam McIntyre, Matthew Canning; Goals: Dion Samuela 2 at Davies Park BYE: Brisbane Tigers, Ipswich Jets, Mackay Cutters, Redcliffe Dolphins, Sunshine Coast Falcons, Townsville Blackhawks, Tweed Seagulls, Wynnum Manly Seagulls

#### **LADDER AFTER ROUND 5**

Pos	Team	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1	Central Qld Capras	4	4	0	0	186	56	130	10
2	Townsville Blackhawks	4	4	0	0	129	58	71	10
3	Redcliffe Dolphins	4	3	1	0	144	57	87	8
4	Sunshine Coast Falcons	4	3	1	0	142	56	86	8
5	Brisbane Tigers	4	3	1	0	148	80	68	8
6	Norths Devils	3	2	1	0	112	56	56	6
7	Wynnum Manly Seagulls	4	2	2	0	122	98	24	6
8	Souths Logan Magpies	4	2	2	0	96	88	8	6
9	Tweed Seagulls	3	1	2	0	70	78	-8	4
10	Mackay Cutters	4	1	3	0	50	104	-54	4
11	Burleigh Bears	4	1	3	0	94	152	-58	4
12	Ipswich Jets	4	1	3	0	74	148	-74	4
13	Northern Pride	4	0	4	0	52	218	-166	2
14	Western Clydesdales	4	0	4	0	56	226	-170	2

#### BMD PREMIERSHIP

#### **ROUND 6 RESULTS**

Wynnum Manly Seagulls (12) Tries: Felila Kia, Tawana Togo, Roxette Murdoch def Brisbane Tigers (6) Tries: Ali Brigginshaw; Goals: Emily Veivers 1 at BMD Kougari Oval

Central Qld Capras (22) Tries: Kailah Rogers, Tamika Upton, Bree Spreadborough, Kristine Vaalepu; Goals: Mariah Storch 3 def Tweed Seagulls (10) Tries: Brooke Saddler, Chantay Kiria-Ratu; Goals: Zara Canfield 1 at Browne Park

North Queensland Gold Stars (24) Tries: Romy Teitzel, Lauren Moss, Katie Green, Destiny Brill, Shaniah Power: Goals: Romy Teitzel 2 def West Brisbane Panthers (4) Tries: Luisa Sekona at Frank Lind Oval Burleigh Bears (44) Tries: Felice Quinlan 3, Karina Brown 2, Lily-Rose Kolc, Hailee-Jay Maunsell, Ashlee Quinlan; Goals: Rylee Jorgensen 5, Ashlee Harvey 1 def Souths Logan Magpies (12) Tries: Sera Koroi, Dilyza Leugaimafa; Goals: Baylee Davies 2 at Davies Park

#### **LADDER AFTER ROUND 6**

Pos	Team	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	+/-	Pts
1	Central Qld Capras	6	6	0	0	110	52	58	12
2	Burleigh Bears	6	4	2	0	157	84	73	8
3	North Queensland Gold Stars	6	4	2	0	148	90	58	8
4	Wynnum Manly Seagulls	6	3	3	0	84	82	2	6
5	Brisbane Tigers	6	2	4	0	68	76	-8	4
6	West Brisbane Panthers	6	2	4	0	84	109	-25	4
7	Souths Logan Magpies	6	2	4	0	84	172	-88	4
8	Tweed Seagulls	6	1	5	0	66	136	-70	2

#### **UK WATCH**

#### **CHALLENGE CUP**

#### SEMI FINAL RESULTS

at Elland Road, Leeds

Wigan Warriors (20) Tries: Liam Marshall 2. Cade Cust. Liam Farrell: Goals: Harry Smith 2 def St Helens (18) Tries: Konrad Hurrell, Jonny Lomax, James Roby; Goals: Tommy Makinson 3 Huddersfield Giants (25) Tries: Josh Jones, Innes Senior, Jermaine McGillvary, Owen Trout; Goals: Olly Russell 4; Field Goals: Theo Fages 1 def Hull Kingston Rovers (4) Tries: Shaun Kenny-Dowall

#### BETFRED CHALLENGE CUP - FINAL

SATURDAY 28 MAY

Wigan Warriors v Huddersfield Giants

3:00PM BST / SUN 12:00AM AEST Tottenham Hotspur Stadium, London

#### **SUPER LEAGUE**

#### **ROUND 12 FIXTURES**

THURSDAY 12 MAY

8:00pm Huddersfield Giants v Wigan Warriors FRIDAY 13 MAY

St Helens v Hull FC 8:00pm

SATURDAY 14 MAY

5:00pm

Catalans Dragons v Warrington Wolves SUNDAY 15 MAY

2:30nm

Toulouse Olympique v Wakefield Trinity 3:00pm Salford Red Devils v Leeds Rhinos 3:30pm Castleford Tigers v Hull KR

#### Venue

John Smith's Stadium, Huddersfield

Totally Wicked Stadium, St Helens

Stade Gilbert Brutus, Perpignan

Stade Ernest Wallon, Toulouse AJ Bell Stadium, Salford Mend-A-Hose Jungle, Castleford

#### CHAMPIONSHIP

#### **ROUND 11 FIXTURES**

FRIDAY 13 MAY

7:45pm London Broncos v Newcastle Thunder SUNDAY 15 MAY

3:00pm

Barrow Raiders v Workington Town Bradford Bulls v York City Knights Dewshury Rams v Featherstone Rovers Halifax Panthers v Sheffield Eagles Widnes Vikings v Whitehaven RLFC

**MONDAY 16 MAY** 

7:45pm Batley Bulldogs v Leigh Centurions

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