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# THE EDITOR'S WORD

TIM COSTELLO

For all the off-field drama we're so often seeing reported in NRL land, it was a refreshing and meaningful weekend of rugby league in Round 7, with a good mix of entertaining games, incredible performances and respectful reflection on the occasion of ANZAC Day.

Our rugby league stars have been shining in recent weeks - Big T's cover-star Siosifa Talakai among some of the great individual showings on a weekend that saw plenty of chatter about upcoming representative selections.

Melbourne's blistering win over the Warriors, Adam Reynolds guiding Brisbane to a superb win, Ben Hunt's steady hand for the Dragons... how good is rugby league?

Enjoy this edition of The Front Row. Happy reading!

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# THE BIG PICTURE

A PERFORMANCE FOR THE AGES FROM CRONULLA CENTRE SIOSIFA TALAKAI -  
WHAT A HALF OF FOOTY!



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# LU PLAYER OF THE YEAR

AFTER NRL ROUND 7

11 points - Mitchell Moses (Eels)

9 points - Jahrome Hughes (Storm), Ryan Papenhuyzen (Storm), Nicho Hynes (Sharks), Cameron Munster (Storm), Daly Cherry-Evans (Sea Eagles)

8 points - AJ Brimson (Titans), Isaah Yeo (Panthers)

7 points - Joseph Manu (Roosters), Payne Haas (Broncos), Siosifa Talakai (Sharks)

6 points - Ben Hunt (Dragons), Jack Wighton (Raiders), Addin Fonua-Blake (Warriors), Jackson Hastings (Wests Tigers), Damien Cook (Rabbitohs), Jarome Luai (Panthers), Dylan Edwards (Panthers), Josh Curran (Warriors)

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

4 points - Taylan May (Panthers), Jason Taumalolo (Cowboys), Ronaldo Mulitalo (Sharks), Sam Walker (Roosters), Dane Gagai (Knights), Junior Paulo (Eels)

3 points - Moses Suli (Dragons), Jesse Ramien (Sharks), Herbie Farnworth (Broncos), Haumole Olakau'atu (Sea Eagles), Keaon Koloamatangi (Rabbitohs), Stephen Crichton (Panthers), Nathan Cleary (Panthers), Mikaele Ravalawa (Dragons), Albert Kelly (Broncos),

Viliame Kikau (Panthers), James Tedesco (Roosters), Will Kennedy (Sharks), Siosiaua Taukeiaho (Roosters), Harry Grant (Storm), Clinton Gutherson (Eels), Tom Gilbert (Cowboys), Sean O'Sullivan (Panthers)

2 points - Jaydn Su'A (Dragons), Reed Mahoney (Eels), Scott Drinkwater (Cowboys), Tom Trbojevic (Sea Eagles), Martin Taupau (Sea Eagles), Lachlan Ilias (Rabbitohs), Liam Knight (Rabbitohs), Josh Papali'i (Raiders), Kotoni Staggs (Broncos), Matt Moylan (Sharks), **Luke Brooks (Wests Tigers)**, Dylan Brown (Eels), Adam Reynolds (Broncos), Izack Tago (Panthers), Phillip Sami (Titans), Kodi Nikorima (Warriors), Jai Arrow (Rabbitohs), Blayne Brailey (Sharks), Tyson Frizell (Knights), Isaiah Papali'i (Eels), Luke Thompson (Bulldogs), Tyrell Sloan (Dragons), Ken Maumalo (Wests Tigers), Liam Martin (Panthers), Luciano Leilua (Wests Tigers), Kurt Capewell (Broncos), Dylan Walker (Sea Eagles)

1 point - Reece Walsh (Warriors), Matt Eisenhuth (Panthers), Selwyn Cobbo (Broncos), Latrell Mitchell (Rabbitohs), Hudson Young (Raiders), Kalyn Ponga (Knights), David Nofoaluma (Wests Tigers), Dominic Young (Knights), Max King (Bulldogs), Shaun Lane (Eels), Kyle Feldt (Cowboys), Tom Dearden (Cowboys), Matthew Timoko (Raiders), Josh Aloiai (Sea Eagles), Matt Dufty (Bulldogs), Kelma Tuilagi (Wests Tigers), Marcelo Montoya (Warriors), Luke Keary (Roosters), Nathan Brown (Eels), Aiden Tolman (Sharks), Reagan Campbell-Gillard (Eels), Nelson Asofa-Solomona (Storm), Corey Waddell (Bulldogs), Xavier Coates (Storm), Jock Madden (Wests Tigers), Greg Marzheuw (Titans)



# THE WRAP

## NRL 2022 ROUND 7

THURSDAY 21 APRIL, 7:50PM

### CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND 34 MANLY-WARRINGAH 22

#### SCORERS

**CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS (34)** Tries: Siosifa Talakai (2), Ronaldo Mulitalo (2), Will Kennedy, Teig Wilton; Conversions: Nicho Hynes (4/6); Penalty Goals: Nicho Hynes (1/1) **def** **MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES (22)** Tries: Haumole Olakau'atu, Christian Tuipulotu, Taniela Paseka, Lachlan Croker; Conversions: Reuben Garrick (3/4)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

**Venue:** PointsBet Stadium; **Crowd:** 9611; **Halftime Score:** Cronulla 32 Manly 0  
**LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:** 3 points - Siosifa Talakai, 2 points - Kieran Foran, 1 point - Ronaldo Mulitalo

#### FINAL TEAMLISTS

**CRONULLA:** 1. Will Kennedy 2. Sione Katoa 3. Jesse Ramien 4. Siosifa Talakai 5. Ronaldo Mulitalo 6. Matt Moylan 7. Nicho Hynes 8. Toby Rudolf 9. Blayne Brailey 10. Aiden Tolman 11. Briton Nikora 12. Teig Wilton 13. Cameron McInnes

**INTERCHANGE** 14. Braydon Trindall 15. Jack Williams 16. Royce Hunt 17. Andrew Fifita **18TH PLAYER** 18. Lachlan Miller

**MANLY:** 1. Reuben Garrick 2. Jason Saab 3. Brad Parker 4. Morgan Harper 5. Christian Tuipulotu 6. Kieran Foran 7. Daly Cherry-Evans 8. Toafofoa Siple 9. Lachlan Croker 12. Andrew Davey 11. Haumole Olakau'atu 15. Karl Lawton 13. Jake Trbojevic

**INTERCHANGE** 10. Taniela Paseka 14. Dylan Walker 16. Ethan Bullemor 19. Tolutau Koula **18TH PLAYER** 18. Ben Trbojevic



### TALAKAI TERRORISES SEA EAGLES IN STRANGE CONTEST

Cronulla Sharks led by a blistering first half performance won 34-22 against Manly Sea Eagles tonight at Shark Park.

It was the Siosifa Talakai show for the Sharks in the first half. The backrower turned centre scored a brace and set up another three in a scintillating first half from the Sharks which had them leading 32-0 at the break.

There must've been a vortex at the southern end of Shark Park. 54 of the 56 points scored tonight were at the northern end of the stadium which contained the hearty souls who were on the hill. Sharks scored six tries while the Sea Eagles scored four in the tiled field position.

The first half was a marker laid down by the Sharks after their disappointment in Melbourne last week. The shire side looked likely to score every time they sent the ball to their left side attack of Talakai and Ronaldo Mulitalo. The pair produced four tries and had the faithful in raptures on a soggy night.

Talakai has been a revelation since his switch to the backline. The powerhouse showed off his full range of skills in the first half to earn the Man of the Match honours by the hooter sound. He just sliced through the Sea Eagles defense for his pair of tries, showed soft hands then put in a deft kick for Will Kennedy to make it 26-0.

Tieg Wilton added another score late in the half. He steamed onto a wonderful pass to make it 32-0 at the break. Cronulla were on fire so much that the fire alarm was sounding around Shark Park as the teams headed to the sheds.

Sea Eagles used the wind to their advantage. The visitors who usually have a sublime record in the shire were blown away. Christian Tuipulotu found the line in the 44th minute before a pair of tries to Taniela Paseka and Haumole Olakau'atu brought them back within 16 points.

Sensing the momentum had shifted. The Sea Eagles tried to continue to pile on the points and create one of the great comebacks in the NRL era. Their cause was helped when Lachlan Croker burrowed over from close range after some confirmation from the bunker, suddenly it was 32-22.

The game started to get frayed with both teams trying to take home the two points. Sea Eagles also were decimated with injuries losing Dylan Walker, Andrew Davey and Taniela Paseka during the contest. Sharks did lose William Kennedy late in the contest but did take home the two points. **JUSTIN DAVIES**

FRIDAY 22 APRIL, 7:55PM

### BRISBANE 34 CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN 14

#### SCORERS

**BRISBANE BRONCOS (34)** Tries: Corey Oates, Adam Reynolds, Cory Paix, Selwyn Cobbo (2), Rhys Kennedy; Conversions: Adam Reynolds (5/6) **def** **CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS (14)** Tries: Josh Addo-Carr (2), Matt Dufty; Conversions: Kyle Flanagan (1/2), Matt Burton (0/1)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

**Venue:** Suncorp Stadium; **Crowd:** 23243; **Halftime Score:** Brisbane 6 Canterbury 10  
**LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:** 3 points - Payne Haas, 2 points - Adam Reynolds, 1 point - Selwyn Cobbo

#### FINAL TEAMLISTS

**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 14. Billy Walters 10. Payne Haas 11. Kurt Capewell 12. Jordan Riki 13. Kobe Hetherington

**INTERCHANGE** 9. Cory Paix 15. Rhys Kennedy 16. Thomas Flegler 17. Keenan Palasia **18TH PLAYER** 18. Delouise Hoeter

**CANTERBURY:** 1. Matt Dufty 2. Jayden Okunbor 3. Aaron Schoupp 4. Jacob Kiraz 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. Billy Tsikrikas **18TH PLAYER** 20. Jackson Topine



### BRONCOS TURN ON SECOND HALF RAMPAGE AGAINST COURAGEOUS BULLDOGS

The Brisbane Broncos have turned on a 25-minute masterclass downing a courageous Canterbury side 34-14 at Suncorp Stadium.

Canterbury came into this match in the worst possible way with a COVID cluster at their facility seeing four players ruled out on top of their injury toll seeing Jacob Kiraz and Billy Tsikrikas making their first-grade debuts.

After an opening 20 minutes which saw both sides throwing the ball around, Canterbury pounced as possession slowly favoured the Dogs and they were rewarded when Matt Burton took it to the line and found Aaron Schoupp who got a lovely offload away to Josh Addo-Carr and the Bulldogs opened the scoring. Kyle Flanagan's sideline conversion saw the Dogs lead 6-0. Five minutes later, the Bulldogs trotted in for another try as Matt Burton linked up well with Josh Addo-Carr again and the Dogs were starting to produce what we were expecting.

However, the Bulldogs conceded right on half-time as a well-executed play saw Corey Oates comes from the left wing to the middle of the field and the winger crashed over to score for the Broncos on the stroke of half-time and cut the Bulldogs' margin down to 4. Straight after half-time, the Dogs struck back again when Tevita Pangai Jr got a lovely ball away to Matt Dufty who outpaced the defence to score for the blue and whites and extend the margin to 8 points.

This is when Brisbane's high octane attack came into gear, off the back of a heavy set restart count in their favour, Cory Paix ducked over from acting half and Brisbane cut into the Bulldogs' margin to trail by just two points. Five minutes later, a chip and chase from Adam Reynolds gave the Fox a nightmare of a bounce as Jordan Riki picked it up and found his skipper to cross for the try that gave his side the lead by 18-14.

Another five minutes passed and Brisbane and Adam Reynolds drew in the Bulldogs' defence and Selwyn Cobbo crossed for the Broncos. Cobbo crossed again inside the final ten minutes taking the ball of the Fox to cross for a spectacular try in the corner. Another piece of Cobbo brilliance sparked their last try, as the Broncos shifted again to the left and Cobbo kicked the ball back in play which found Rhys Kennedy who crossed for the Broncos to seal the 20 point victory as the Bulldogs ran out of gas in the final washup.

Canterbury was far from disgraced in a week where everything was against them, they showed up and played for around 55 minutes, an effort which can be excused considering the COVID forced changes. But their task doesn't get easier when they take on competition powerhouses, the Sydney Roosters next weekend. Brisbane meanwhile has a tough encounter against the competition's most improved side the Cronulla Sharks. **AJ LUCANTONIO**



**SATURDAY 23 APRIL, 5:30PM**

## **NORTH QUEENSLAND 30 GOLD COAST 4**

### SCORERS

**NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS (30)** Tries: Tom Dearden, Murray Taulagi, Scott Drinkwater, Jeremiah Nanai, Heilum Luki; Conversions: Valentine Holmes (4/5); Penalty Goals: Valentine Holmes (1/1) **def GOLD COAST TITANS (4)** Tries: Jamayne Isaako; Conversions: Toby Sexton (0/1)

### MATCH INFORMATION

**Venue:** QLD Country Bank Stadium; **Crowd:** 14547; **Halftime Score:** North Queensland 16 Gold Coast 4; **LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:** 3 points - Peta Hiku, 2 points - Scott Drinkwater, 1 points - Valentine Holmes

### 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 16. Reuben Cotter 15. Tom Gilbert 12. Jeremiah Nanai 13. Jason Taumalolo

**INTERCHANGE** 10. Coen Hess 11. Heilum Luki 14. Jake Granville 17. Griffin Neame **18TH PLAYER** 19. Brendan Elliot

**GOLD COAST:** 1. Jamayne Isaako 4. Patrick Herbert 3. Brian Kelly 11. David Fifita 5. Greg Marzhew 6. AJ Brimson 7. Toby Sexton 16. Jaimin Jolliffe 9. Erin Clark 10. Isaac Liu 19. Kevin Proctor 12. Beau Fermor 13. Tino Fa'asuaumaleaui

**INTERCHANGE** 8. Moeaki Fotuauka 14. Will Smith 15. Sam Lisone 17. Jarrod Wallace **18TH PLAYER** 18. Paul Turner



## **COWBOYS PUT OUT THE TITANS**

The Cowboys looked solid and consistent while the Titans were ill-disciplined, disorganised and one-dimensional in a match won 30-4 by the North Queensland side in Townsville tonight.

The Cowboys got the scoreboard attendant working in the 7th minute when Valentine Holmes used his footwork and speed to get outside David Fifita, then drawing Greg Marzhew before getting a good ball to Murray Taulagi in space, who got a good ball back inside to Tom Dearden in support and the half raced 20 metres to score. Holmes converted.

The Titans replied in the 16th minute when they spread the ball right to Fifita, who shrugged off Holmes, who had rushed up to try and shut down the play. Fifita then drew Taulagi before putting Jamayne Isaako over for a try. Toby Sexton failed to convert.

In the 22nd minute Scott Drinkwater put in a rushed grubber on the short side at the line, where it ricochets and Taulagi regathered it and dived down low to get over the line and score. Holmes converted from touch.

Seven minutes before halftime, the Cowboys scored again this time off the back of a scrum where Drinkwater picked up the ball, 30 metres from the Titans line, where he ran left, got outside Fifita and then sliced through the gap to score in the corner. Holmes narrowly misses the conversion. Two minutes before the break, Erin Clark attempted to barge over to score, but he was held up. At halftime the Cowboys led 16-4.

10 minutes after play resumed Jeremiah Nanai was sin binned for a dangerous tackle, in what could be argued was a tough call. 3 minutes after the home side copped another rough call after a short drop out by the Cowboys didn't go the distance, but Kyle Feldt allowed it to bounce and then miraculously kept himself in the field of play before regathering it up as it passes the 10 metres, but the touch judge mistakenly put his flag up too early, awarding a scrum to the Titans.

Within a minute after returning to the field, Nanai scored after Chad Townsend put a little chip over the defence, Nanai ran through, leapt and took it cleanly and uncontested to score. Holmes converted from the right sideline.

Inside the final 11 minutes and the Cowboys started to lift even more. An escort penalty against the Titans in the 69th minute saw Holmes kick a penalty goal. Just over 2 minutes later Heilum Luki went on a stepping, straightening run before getting caught by 2 defenders, but he kept going forward. A third defender tried to stop him but he wrestled his arm free and managed to get to the line, where he crashed over and scored a powerful try. Holmes again converted.

The Titans became more and more frustrated, ill-disciplined and sloppy but fortunately for them, did not concede any more points. **ANDREW FERGUSON**

**SATURDAY 23 APRIL, 7:35PM**

## **WESTS TIGERS 23 SOUTH SYDNEY 22**

### SCORERS

**WESTS TIGERS (23)** Tries: David Nofaloama (2), Ken Maumalo, Luke Brooks; Field Goals: Jackson Hastings (0/1), Luke Brooks (1/1), Jock Madden (0/1); Two Point Field Goals: Jackson Hastings (0/1); Conversions: Jackson Hastings (3/4) **def SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS (22)** Tries: Cody Walker, Alex Johnston, Josh Mansour, Keon Koloamatangi; Field Goals: Jai Arrow (0/1); Conversions: Blake Taaffe (3/4)

### MATCH INFORMATION

**Venue:** CommBank Stadium; **Crowd:** 14251; **Halftime Score:** Wests Tigers 12 South Sydney 10; **LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:** 3 points - Jackson Hastings, 2 points - Keon Koloamatangi, 1 points - David Nofaloama

### FINAL TEAMLISTS

**WESTS TIGERS:** 1. Daine Laurie 2. David Nofaloama 17. Luke Garner 4. Starford To'a 5. Ken Maumalo 6. Luke Brooks 7. Jackson Hastings 8. James Tamou 19. Jacob Liddle 10. Zane Musgrove 18. Alex Seyfarth 12. Luciano Leilua 13. Joe Ofahengauae

**INTERCHANGE** 14. Jock Madden 15. Alex Twal 16. Thomas Mikaele 20. Oliver Gildart **18TH PLAYER** 21. Tyrone Peachey

**SOUTHS:** 1. Blake Taaffe 2. Alex Johnston 3. Taane Milne 4. Campbell Graham 5. Josh Mansour 6. Cody Walker 7. Lachlan Ilias 8. Tevita Tatola 9. Damien Cook 10. Hame Sele 11. Keon Koloamatangi 12. Jai Arrow 13. Cameron Murray

**INTERCHANGE** 14. Thomas Burgess 15. Jacob Host 16. Davvy Moale 17. Liam Knight **18TH PLAYER** 19. Isaiah Tass



## **TIGERS ROAR AS THEY PROVE WINNING IS NO FLUKE**

After stunning so many last week, the Wests Tigers have proved winning was no fluke following their 23-22 victory over the South Sydney Rabbitohs at CommBank Stadium.

The Tigers were under pressure early on but they were able to withstand that pressure when they turned defence into attack when Daine Laurie threw a beautiful cut out pass that found David Nofaloama who had too much strength close to the line to score. The try wasn't the only pain the Rabbitohs felt from that play with Taane Milne sent to the sin bin after making forceful high contact with Laurie as he passed the ball. Despite having a player in the sin bin, the next 10 minutes was about the only time in the half that Souths were able to dominate running in two tries in the space of five minutes. The first of the Bunnies try was a case of right place right time for the Red & Green as Alex Johnston tried to force his way to the line but was stopped but not before getting an offload away that Cody Walker was on the spot to clean up. The Bunnies took an unlikely lead five minutes later when Alex Johnston was able to score out wide after the Rabbitohs looked as if they had the extra man when the space was created. Blake Taaffe couldn't take advantage by adding the extra two points. Having Taane Milne return from the sin bin was the catalyst for momentum shifting again and the Tigers were back in control of the game with a dominance in possession and field position. Despite all that field position and dominance, the Tigers could only manage the one try and that came when the Tigers took advantage of having a 3-on-1 overlap and scored out wide through Ken Maumalo. The Rabbitohs trailing by 2, had a big chance right on the stroke of half-time when referee Ziggy Przeklasa-Adamski used the sin bin for the second time tonight when Alex Twal was given his marching orders for a professional foul. Souths had a chance but an error cost them the chance to take the lead just before half time and went into the break trailing by 2.

Starting with the extra man, The Rabbitohs took advantage of the extra man although it took almost nine minutes to take advantage when Josh Mansour chased through a kick and got it down just in time to score. Blake Taaffe's conversion extended the Bunnies lead to 4. Off the back of an error, the Tigers had prime field position with a centrefield scrum on the Souths 10m line and they took advantage straight away as the Souths defence was left in all sorts and David Nofaloama took advantage out wide to score. Jackson Hastings hit the post with the conversion and scores remained locked up at 16-16. Souths scrappy play cost them dearly when a wayward pass from Lachlan Ilias was swooped upon by Luke Brooks who only had open CommBank Stadium turf in front of him to race away and put the Tigers back into the lead by 6 after Jackson Hastings converted the try.

The pattern of the game meant that there were multiple twists left, and that happened when Keon Koloamatangi scored inside the final ten minutes and Blake Taaffe converted to level the scores again. Both sides had good chances to take advantage, the Tigers were able to get their field goal attempts off the boot but were denied whilst the Bunnies made errors and then arguably cost themselves the game when Jai Arrow idiotically tried to take the field goal attempt that cost Souths field position. A bad piece of luck against Souths, gave the Tigers a final chance inside the final minute when an accidental offside was ruled after Damien Cook's chargedown came off Jai Arrow and back to the Rabbitohs number 9. The Tigers took advantage of the good field position when Luke Brooks took his shot and nailed it securing the 23-22 victory for the Wests Tigers.

Next week, the Rabbitohs are playing host to the Sea Eagles in Gosford on Friday night, whilst the Wests Tigers will be confident of a third straight win when they travel to Wollongong to take on the Dragons. **JOSH ROBERTSON**

# THE WRAP

## NRL 2022 ROUND 7

SUNDAY 24 APRIL, 2:00PM

### PARRAMATTA 39 NEWCASTLE 2

#### SCORERS

**PARRAMATTA EELS (39)** Tries: Shaun Lane, Hayze Perham, Dylan Brown, Isaiah Papali'i (2), Viliame Penisini; Field Goals: Mitchell Moses (1/2); Conversions: Mitchell Moses (5/6); Penalty Goals: Mitchell Moses (2/2) **def** **NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS (2)** Penalty Goals: Jake Clifford (1/1)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

**Venue:** McDonald Jones Stadium; **Crowd:** 25169; **Halftime Score:** Parramatta 14 Newcastle 2; **LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:** 3 points - Mitchell Moses, 2 points - Reed Mahoney, 1 points - Shaun Lane

#### FINAL TEAMLISTS

**NEWCASTLE:** 1. Kalyn Ponga 2. Edrick Lee 3. Dane Gagai 4. Bradman Best 5. Enari Tuala 6. Jake Clifford 7. Adam Clune 8. David Klemmer 9. Chris Randall 10. Jacob Saifiti 11. Tyson Frizell 12. Brodie Jones 13. Kurt Mann **INTERCHANGE** 14. Daniel Saifiti 15. Phoenix Crossland 16. Leo Thompson 17. Simi Sasagi **18TH PLAYER** 18. Sauaso Sae



**PARRAMATTA:** 1. Clinton Gutherson 2. Hayze Perham 3. Viliame Penisini 6. Dylan Brown 5. Bailey Simonsson 17. Jakob Arthur 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. Makenzie Makatoa 15. Ryan Matterson 16. Oregon Kaufusi 18. Bryce Cartwright **18TH PLAYER** 20. Wiremu Greig



### EELS BOUNCE BACK IN STYLE TO DESTROY KNIGHTS

The Parramatta Eels have put the disappointment of last week's loss behind them, bouncing back to beat the Newcastle Knights 39 points to 2 at McDonald Jones Stadium on Sunday.

Despite the hefty scoreline, it was the Knights who got on the board first, with Gutherson kicking a dropout out on the full and Clifford knocking the penalty goal over in the 9th minute.

The Eels wasted no time hitting the front after that, capitalising on a relieving penalty with a Reed Mahoney short ball to Shaun Lane, who trundled his way over the line.

The match was quite an arm wrestle for the next 20 minutes, with Nathan Brown dropping it to let the Knights off the hook and Tuala kicking it dead to give the Eels a 7 tackle set in the 25th minute.

Five minutes later the Eels finally got on the board again and it was through Shaun Lane once more, this time the lanky back rower got a last second offload away to an unmarked Hayze Perham, who went in for the try.

The Eels posted one more penalty goal before the break, making it a 14-2 scoreline at half time.

It took the Eels 7 minutes to post their first points of the second half, with Reed Mahoney identifying some slow marker defence to make a 10 metre run close to the line before hitting Dylan Brown (who was playing centre for the day) to crash over for his 3rd of the season so far.

The Eels kicked a penalty goal 5 minutes later, before a poor Clifford kick was fielded on the full in goal by Gutherson, which saw the Eels march down the field easily. Mahoney opted to go short to Papali'i with a crash ball on the last, and it looked like it was going nowhere before the Tigers bound back-rower wrestled his way to the line.

The Eels were back on the attack 5 minutes later, with Moses forcing a dropout that Clifford kicked out on the full. The Eels took the tap, and Papali'i again muscled his way to the line and it was again poor defence from Newcastle.

Simi Sasagi dropped the ball in the Knights next set, giving the Eels another golden opportunity. They took full advantage, with Moses putting in an early kick that Edrick Lee got to first but failed to ground, gifting Will Penisini his first try of the season.

With 10 seconds to go, Mitch Moses nailed a disrespectful field goal to make the final score 39-2.

Next week, the Eels take on the Cowboys in Darwin on Saturday night, while Newcastle have it all to do against Melbourne at home on Sunday Arvo. **ADAM HUXTABLE**

SUNDAY 24 APRIL, 4:05PM

### PENRITH 36 CANBERRA 6

#### SCORERS

**PENRITH PANTHERS (36)** Tries: Stephen Crichton (3), Isiah Yeo, Taylan May, Viliame Kikau; Field Goals: Nathan Cleary (0/1); Conversions: Nathan Cleary (5/6); Penalty Goals: Nathan Cleary (1/1) **def** **CANBERRA RAIDERS (6)** Tries: Joseph Tapine; Conversions: Brad Schneider (1/1)

#### MATCH INFORMATION

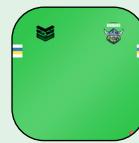
**Venue:** BlueBet Stadium; **Crowd:** 20612; **Halftime Score:** Penrith 14 Canberra 6; **LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:** 3 points - Nathan Cleary; 2 points - Stephen Crichton; 1 points - Isiah Yeo

#### FINAL TEAMLISTS

**PENRITH:** 1. Dylan Edwards 2. Charlie Staines 3. Izack Tago 4. Stephen Crichton 5. Taylan May 6. Jarome Lui 7. Nathan Cleary 8. Matt Eisenhuth 9. Apisai Koroisau 10. James Fisher-Harris 11. Viliame Kikau 12. Liam Martin 13. Isiah Yeo **INTERCHANGE** 15. Scott Sorensen 16. Spencer Leniu 17. Jaeman Salmon 22. Soni Luke **18TH PLAYER** 18. Robert Jennings



**CANBERRA:** 1. Jordan Rapana 2. Nick Cotric 3. Matthew Timoko 4. Semi Valemei 5. Xavier Savage 6. Jack Wighton 7. Brad Schneider 8. Josh Papali'i 9. Tom Starling 10. Joseph Tapine 11. Corey Harawira-Naera 18. Hudson Young 16. Adam Elliott **INTERCHANGE** 13. Ryan Sutton 14. Charnze Nicoll-Klokstad 15. Harry Rushton 17. Corey Horsburgh **18TH PLAYER** 19. Matt Frawley



### PENRITH PUT ON SECOND HALF MASTERCLASS AGAINST TRYING RAIDERS

Penrith remains undefeated in season 2022 with a second-half masterclass downing Canberra 36-6 at a packed Bluebet Stadium this afternoon extending their undefeated streak at home.

Penrith was on the attack from the outset looking to maintain their fortress record at home. With the bulk of possession through a heavy penalty count in their favour, Penrith pounced inside the opening 15 minutes when Dylan Edwards created the overlap and allowed Stephen Crichton to dive in for the premiers and with Cleary's conversion, the premiers had an early lead.

However, they weren't having it their own way for much longer. After a mishandled kickoff from Matt Eisenhuth, Canberra hit back when Joe Tapine crashed over after lovely lead up work from Tom Starling and with the conversion, we were back level.

14 minutes later, it was the lead-up work of debutant Soni Luke who found Isiah Yeo and the Penrith skipper crossed over for the premiers to retake the lead. Cleary's conversion extended the margin back out to six points.

Canberra's poor discipline allowed Cleary to add another penalty goal to give Penrith a 14-6 half-time advantage. After halftime, Canberra was staying with the premiers, but eventually, the lopsided possession would see them concede a flood of points.

The onslaught started in the 55th minute when Crichton outmuscled the defence to get to the line despite the on-field decision of NO TRY. Crichton's double gave Penrith a 12 point lead.

Off the next set, Cleary's grubber kick looked certain to grab his hattrick before Xavier Savage took him off the ball. The bunker was quick to rule a PENALTY try for the Penrith outside back as Crichton is firming for the NSW centre spot vacated by Latrell Mitchell's injury.

Ten minutes later, Cleary created another overlap and saw Taylan May continue his try-scoring run to put the margin out to 24 points. Viliame Kikau concluded the onslaught moments later when he received a lovely pass from Jarome Lui to barge over for the premiers.

Canberra would take a lot away from this game, keeping it close to the premiers for 55 minutes, however the switch off in the last 25 minutes will be of major concern to Ricky Stuart.

Next week they take on the renewed Warriors. Penrith will look to continue their undefeated start when they take on the inconsistent Titans. **AJ LUCANTONIO**



MONDAY 25 APRIL, 4:00PM

## ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA 14 SYDNEY 12

### SCORERS

**ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS (14)**

Tries: Francis Molo, Jaydn Su'A; Conversions: Zac Lomax (2/2); Penalty Goals: Zac Lomax (1/1)

**def SYDNEY ROOSTERS (12)**

Tries: Sitili Tupouniua, Joseph Manu; Conversions: Sam Walker (2/2)

### MATCH INFORMATION

**Venue:** Sydney Cricket Ground; **Crowd:** 35273; **Halftime Score:** St George Illawarra 14 Sydney 0; **LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:** 3 points - Ben Hunt, 2 points - Jaydn Su'A, 1 points - Joseph Manu

### FINAL TEAMLISTS

**ST GEO ILLA:** 1. Moses Mbye 2. Mathew Feagai 3. Moses Suli 4. Zac Lomax 5. Mikaele Ravalawa 6. Jack Bird 7. Ben Hunt 8. Francis Molo 9. Andrew McCullough 10. George Burgess 11. Josh Mcguire 12. Jaydn Su'A 13. Jack de Belin

**INTERCHANGE** 11. Tariq Sims 14. Talatau Amona 17. Blake Lawrie 20.

Aaron Woods **18TH PLAYER** 18. Tautau Moga

**SYDNEY:** 1. James Tedesco 2. Daniel Tupou 3. Paul Momirovski 4. Joseph Manu 5. Joseph Suaalii 6. Sam Walker 7. Luke Keary 17. Siosiaua Taukeiaho 9. Sam Verrills 10. Lindsay Collins 11. Angus Crichton 12. Sitili Tupouniua 16. Nat Butcher

**INTERCHANGE** 8. Jared Waerea-Hargreaves 13. Victor Radley 16. Drew Hutchison 17. Fletcher Baker **18TH PLAYER** 22. Adam Keighran



## HUNT THE HERO IN ANZAC DAY NAIL BITER

A man of the match display from Ben Hunt has inspired the St George Illawarra Dragons to claim their first win on ANZAC Day in four years with a 14-12 victory over the Sydney Roosters.

Having a hand in both of his side's tries and kicking with distinction throughout, the tenacious halfback was a deserving recipient of the Ashton-Collier Spirit of ANZAC Medal as the joint venture extended their dominance in the annual fixture to 12 wins from 20 clashes.

Getting off to a strong start with Hunt kicking early to give the Dragons ascendancy, a powerful run from Francis Molo (12th minute) exposed Lindsay Collins and Sitili Tupouniua through the middle of the field to give the home side first points.

Growing in confidence after repelling several attacking raids from the Roosters - including a No Try against Sam Walker for an obstruction - second-rower Jadyn Su'A (25th minute) was on the spot to capitalise on a spilt bomb from Paul Momirovski to extend the lead out to 12-0.

Finishing the first half well on top of their opponents, an ultimately decisive late penalty goal to Zac Lomax saw the joint venture take a 14-0 lead to the change of ends.

Losing Jack Bird with an elbow injury at halftime, the Dragons woes were compounded when Su'A suffered a serious lower leg injury mere minutes into the resumption of play.

Making the Dragons pay for reckless passing on the last tackle, Tupouniua (45th minute) finished off a scintillating passage of play stemming from a break by James Tedesco on halfway.

Narrowing the margin to two points heading into the final stages of the match, teenage young gun Joseph Suaalii stepped up with a classy flick pass to send Joseph Manu (68th minute) over for his sixth try of the season.

Managing to hold off several attacking raids during the closing minutes, a late 40/20 from Hunt saw the Dragons prevail 14-12 to the delight of 35,273 supporters at the Sydney Cricket Ground.

Next week, the Dragons return to Wollongong on Sunday afternoon against the Tigers, while the Roosters face the Bulldogs at Homebush on Saturday evening.

**ROB CROSBY**

MONDAY 25 APRIL, 7:00PM

## MELBOURNE 70 WARRIORS 10

### SCORERS

**MELBOURNE STORM (70)** Tries: Jahrome Hughes (2), Ryan Papenhuyzen (2), Xavier Coates (4), Nick Meaney (2), Harry Grant, Jesse Bromwich, Justin Olam; Conversions: Ryan Papenhuyzen (5/8), Nick Meaney (2/3), Harry Grant (0/1), Cameron Munster (0/1); Penalty Goals: Ryan Papenhuyzen (2/2) **def WARRIORS (10)** Tries: Dallin Watene-Zelezniak, Wayde Egan; Conversions: Reece Walsh (1/2)

### MATCH INFORMATION

**Venue:** AAMI Park; **Crowd:** 22696; **Halftime Score:** Melbourne 16 Warriors 10; **LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:** 3 points - Ryan Papenhuyzen, 2 points - Cameron Munster, 1 points - Jahrome Hughes

### 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

**INTERCHANGE** 14. Brandon Smith 16. Trent Loiero 17. Tepai Moeroa 18. Chris Lewis

**18TH PLAYER** 15. Tyrann Wishart

**WARRIORS:** 1. Reece Walsh 2. Dallin Watene-Zelezniak 3. Jesse Arthars 4. Adam Pompey 5. Edward Kosi 6. Chanel Harris-Tavita 7. Shaun Johnson 8. Addin Fonua-Blake 9. Wayde Egan 10. Matt Lodge 11. Euan Aitken 13. Josh Curran 20. Jazz Tevaga

**INTERCHANGE** 12. Bayley Sironen 15. Bunty Afoa 16. Aaron Pene 18. Taniela Otukolo **18TH PLAYER** 18. Rocco Berry



## PAPENHUYZEN MASTERCLASS

Ryan Papenhuyzen was simply untouchable as he helped steer the Storm to just the 10th score of 70+ by a team since 1908, Melbourne winning 70-10 over the Warriors at AAMI Park on ANZAC Day.

The Storm opened the scoring in the eighth minute when Edward Kosi dropped a ball with the open tryline in front of him. Ryan Papenhuyzen sweeping across in defence, picked up the loose ball 8 metres from his own line, ran up the wing, passed inside to Jahrome Hughes who raced 70 metres to score untouched. Papenhuyzen's sideline conversion hit the upright and was waved away. Six minutes later the Warriors hit back with a tidy short-side play where Chanel Harris-Tavita threw a stunning long ball to Dallin Watene-Zelezniak and he runs down the narrow corridor to dive over in the corner. Reece Walsh failed to convert from the sideline. In the 23rd minute, Hughes piled more misery onto Kosi, when he put in a grubber which the Warriors winger fumbled. Xavier Coates was on the spot to ground the ball for a gift four-pointer. Just 4 minutes later and Nick Meaney raced away to give the Storm a two-try lead. Papenhuyzen converted to make the margin 10 points. Shaun Johnson produced some magic in the next Warriors set when he chipped early in the set. The ball bounced horribly for Papenhuyzen but perfectly for Wayde Egan who cleaned up the loose ball and dived over near the posts. Walsh converted. Papenhuyzen landed a penalty goal right on half time to give the Storm a 16-10 lead.

The second half started with a Papenhuyzen penalty goal after just a minute. In the 46th minute, Melbourne's attack was doing nothing on the last when the ball ended up in Nelson Asofa-Solomona's hands. He casually put up a kick that Papenhuyzen caught brilliantly above his head to score. Papenhuyzen converted, but only after Watene-Zelezniak was stretchered off after a freak accident in back play saw him fall into Asofa-Solomona's leg. The Warriors restart went dead in-goal and from the penalty on halfway, the Storm went on the attack. Cameron Munster dummied inside and then floated a long ball over the edge defenders who rushed up, where he found Meaney perfectly who scored in the left corner. Papenhuyzen converted. Another Kosi dropped ball gave the Storm a fresh set which they promptly turned into points three minutes after their last try. Papenhuyzen ran himself, fought his way out of a tackle, slipped, but kept on his feet enough to reach out and dunk the ball over the line for a try. Harry Grant failed to convert the try while Papenhuyzen tended to some soreness in his leg. The points kept coming for the Storm in the 59th minute when Harry Grant barged over from dummy half to score. Papenhuyzen converted. Two minutes later he broke through the Warriors right side defence, came to the fullback and grubbered to the wing where Coates followed the ball and waited for the right bounce before diving over to score in the corner. Papenhuyzen failed to convert from touch.

In the 67th minute Papenhuyzen produced a double pump before delivering a perfect long ball to the unmarked Coates, who strolled in to score untouched. Papenhuyzen converted from in front to bring up the 50 points. The points continued to come in the 70th minute when Hughes kicked for the corner and turned Kosi around. Coates came flying down on the kick chase and miraculously planted the ball down before it rolled into touch. Munster failed to convert from touch. In the 73rd minute Munster put Hughes into a gap, who then stepped to beat Walsh to score under the posts. Meaney added the extras from in front. The Storm crossed yet again in the 77th minute when Jesse Bromwich carried a hit up and a few Warriors defenders over the line to score. Meaney converted. With just over a minute to go, Grant put Munster through a gap who then got a good ball to Justin Olam who set sail for the sideline, and despite being tackled, the defender slipped off, Olam crawled and slammed the ball down over for a try to bring up 70 points. Meaney failed to convert.

**ANDREW FERGUSON**

# THE PROGRAMME

NRL ROUND 8 GAME DAY COMPANION  
TEAM LISTS · MATCH DETAILS & STATS · PREVIEWS

## THURSDAY 28 APRIL 2022



**BRISBANE BRONCOS v  
CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS**  
SUNCORP STADIUM, 7:55PM



## FRIDAY 29 APRIL 2022



**GOLD COAST TITANS  
v PENRITH PANTHERS**  
CBUS SUPER STADIUM, 6:00PM



**SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS v  
MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES**  
CENTRAL COAST STADIUM, 7:55PM



## SATURDAY 30 APRIL 2022



**WARRIORS v  
CANBERRA RAIDERS**  
MORETON DAILY STADIUM, 3:00PM



**CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS  
v SYDNEY ROOSTERS**  
ACCOR STADIUM, 5:30PM



**PARRAMATTA EELS v  
NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS**  
TIO STADIUM (DARWIN), 7:35PM AEST / 7:05PM ACST



## SUNDAY 1 MAY 2022



**NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS  
v MELBOURNE STORM**  
McDONALD JONES STADIUM, 2:00PM



**ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS  
v WESTS TIGERS**  
WIN STADIUM, 4:05PM





# NRL 2022 LADDER & STATS

AFTER ROUND 7

## PREMIERSHIP LADDER

		Home							Away							Total							
Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	PD	P	W	L	D	F	A	PD	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts	PD
1.	<b>Penrith Panthers</b>	5	5	-	-	168	56	+112	2	2	-	-	52	28	+24	7	7	-	-	220	84	<b>14</b>	+136
2.	<b>Melbourne Storm</b>	5	4	1	-	187	70	+117	2	2	-	-	56	32	+24	7	6	1	-	243	102	<b>12</b>	+141
3.	<b>Parramatta Eels</b>	3	2	1	-	100	63	+37	4	3	1	-	109	64	+45	7	5	2	-	209	127	<b>10</b>	+82
4.	<b>Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks</b>	4	4	-	-	100	42	+58	3	1	2	-	73	70	+3	7	5	2	-	173	112	<b>10</b>	+61
5.	<b>North Queensland Cowboys</b>	4	2	2	-	64	44	+20	3	2	1	-	80	49	+31	7	4	3	-	144	93	<b>8</b>	+51
6.	<b>Sydney</b>	3	2	1	-	54	46	+8	4	2	2	-	80	66	+14	7	4	3	-	134	112	<b>8</b>	+22
7.	<b>Manly</b>	3	3	-	-	64	36	+28	4	1	3	-	70	94	-24	7	4	3	-	134	130	<b>8</b>	+4
8.	<b>South Sydney</b>	3	3	-	-	88	44	+44	4	-	4	-	52	75	-23	7	3	4	-	140	119	<b>6</b>	+21
9.	Brisbane	4	2	2	-	77	80	-3	3	1	2	-	34	70	-36	7	3	4	-	111	150	<b>6</b>	-39
10.	St George Illawarra	4	2	2	-	63	84	-21	3	1	2	-	54	88	-34	7	3	4	-	117	172	<b>6</b>	-55
11.	Warriors	3	2	1	-	61	58	+3	4	1	3	-	58	124	-66	7	3	4	-	119	182	<b>6</b>	-63
12.	Gold Coast Titans	3	2	1	-	48	50	-2	4	-	4	-	72	112	-40	7	2	5	-	120	162	<b>4</b>	-42
13.	Wests Tigers	3	1	2	-	51	64	-13	4	1	3	-	35	84	-49	7	2	5	-	86	148	<b>4</b>	-62
14.	Newcastle	3	1	2	-	34	73	-39	4	1	3	-	56	83	-27	7	2	5	-	90	156	<b>4</b>	-66
15.	Canberra	4	2	2	-	76	89	-13	3	-	3	-	18	87	-69	7	2	5	-	94	176	<b>4</b>	-82
16.	Canterbury	2	-	2	-	22	48	-26	5	1	4	-	48	131	-83	7	1	6	-	70	179	<b>2</b>	-109

## TOP TRYSCORERS

Rank	Player	Team	P	T
1	<b>Ryan PAPHUYZEN</b>	<b>Melbourne</b>	7	10
2	Taylan MAY	Penrith	5	8
3	Xavier COATES	Melbourne	6	7
4	Stephen CRICHTON	Penrith	7	6
	Joseph MANU	Sydney	7	6
	Ken MAUMALO	Wests Tigers	6	6
	Ronaldo MULITALO	Cronulla	6	6
	Jeremiah NANAI	North Qld	7	6
	Corey OATES	Brisbane	7	6

## TOP POINTSCORERS

Rank	Player	Team	P	T	G	FG	Pts
1	<b>Ryan PAPHUYZEN</b>	<b>Melbourne</b>	7	10	30	1	101
2	Mitchell MOSES	Parramatta	7	3	30	1	73
3	Valentine HOLMES	North Qld	7	3	24	-	60
4	Reuben GARRICK	Manly	7	3	21	-	54
5	Stephen CRICHTON	Penrith	7	6	13	-	50
6	Nicho HYNES	Cronulla	7	1	22	-	48
7	Sam WALKER	Sydney	7	2	18	-	44
8	Nathan CLEARY	Penrith	4	-	21	-	42
9	Zac LOMAX	St Geo Illa	7	1	17	1	39
10	Reece WALSH	Warriors	6	-	19	-	38
11	Adam REYNOLDS	Brisbane	6	2	14	-	36
12	Taylan MAY	Penrith	5	8	-	-	32
13	Jake CLIFFORD	Newcastle	7	2	11	-	30
14	Xavier COATES	Melbourne	6	7	-	-	28
	Clinton GUTHERSON	Parramatta	7	5	4	-	28
	Brad SCHNEIDER	Canberra	6	-	14	-	28
	Toby SEXTON	Gold Coast	7	-	14	-	28
18	Nick MEANEY	Melbourne	6	4	5	-	26
	Blake TAAFFE	Souths	3	-	13	-	26

+ denotes 2 point field goal

## AVG HOME CROWD

Club	Average
<b>Brisbane</b>	<b>29,129</b>
Parramatta	22,086
South Sydney	19,924
Penrith	19,360
Newcastle	19,285
St Geo Illa	16,641
Melbourne	16,276
North Qld	14,758
Manly	14,741
Sydney	12,616
Canberra	12,485
Canterbury	12,305
Gold Coast	12,244
Wests Tigers	10,486
Cronulla	10,374
Warriors	7,937

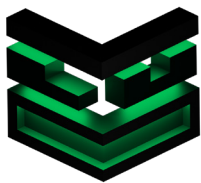
## TOP GOALKICKERS

Rank	Player	Team	P	G	Att	%
1	<b>Ryan PAPHUYZEN</b>	<b>Melbourne</b>	7	30	35	86%
	<b>Mitchell MOSES</b>	<b>Parramatta</b>	7	30	37	81%
3	Valentine HOLMES	North Qld	7	24	30	80%
4	Nicho HYNES	Cronulla	7	22	36	61%
5	Reuben GARRICK	Manly	7	21	24	88%
	Nathan CLEARY	Penrith	4	21	26	81%
7	Reece WALSH	Warriors	6	19	21	90%
8	Sam WALKER	Sydney	7	18	25	72%
9	Zac LOMAX	St Geo Illa	7	17	23	74%

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# BRISBANE BRONCOS



# CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS

Age P T G FG Pts

26	1	-	-	-	-	Te Maire MARTIN	<b>1</b>
27	7	6	-	-	24	Corey OATES	<b>2</b>
23	7	2	-	-	8	Kotoni STAGGS	<b>3</b>
22	6	4	-	-	16	Herbie FARNWORTH	<b>4</b>
19	7	2	-	-	8	Selwyn COBBO	<b>5</b>
25	1	-	-	-	-	Tyson GAMBLE	<b>6</b>
31	6	2	14	-	36	Adam REYNOLDS	<b>7</b>
28	4	-	-	-	-	Corey JENSEN	<b>8</b>
28	7	-	-	-	-	Billy WALTERS	<b>9</b>
22	6	-	-	-	-	Payne HAAS	<b>10</b>
28	6	-	-	1	1	Kurt CAPEWELL	<b>11</b>
22	6	-	-	-	-	Jordan RIKI	<b>12</b>
23	6	-	-	-	-	Kobe HETHERINGTON	<b>13</b>

22	3	1	-	-	4	Cory PAIX	<b>14</b>
27	3	1	-	-	4	Rhys KENNEDY	<b>15</b>
22	2	-	-	-	-	Thomas FLEGLER	<b>16</b>
25	7	-	-	-	-	Keenan PALASIA	<b>17</b>

26	1	-	-	-	-	Brenko LEE	<b>18</b>
29	-	-	-	-	-	Jordan PEREIRA	<b>19</b>
20	5	-	-	-	-	TC ROBATI	<b>20</b>
19	-	-	-	-	-	Ezra MAM	<b>21</b>
22	-	-	-	-	-	Ethan QUAI-WARD	<b>22</b>
22	-	-	-	-	-	Logan BAYLISS	<b>23</b>
30	6	-	-	-	-	Ryan JAMES	<b>24</b>

Kevin WALTERS

FULLBACK

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CENTRE

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FIVE-EIGHTH

HALFBACK

FRONT ROW

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FRONT ROW

SECOND ROW

SECOND ROW

LOCK

INTERCHANGE

RESERVES

COACH

PENALTIES

SCRUMS

Age P T G FG Pts

1	Will KENNEDY	24	7	4	-	-	16
2	Sione KATOA	24	6	5	-	-	20
3	Jesse RAMIEN	24	7	2	-	-	8
4	Siosifa TALAKAI	24	7	5	-	-	20
5	Ronaldo MULITALO	22	6	6	-	-	24
6	Matt MOYLAN	30	7	-	-	1	1
7	Nicho HYNES	25	7	1	22	-	48
8	Toby RUDOLF	26	7	-	-	-	-
9	Blayne BRAILEY	23	7	1	-	-	4
10	Aiden TOLMAN	33	6	1	-	-	4
11	Briton NIKORA	24	6	1	-	-	4
12	Teig WILTON	22	6	3	-	-	12
13	Dale FINUCANE	30	6	-	-	-	-

14	Jack WILLIAMS	25	3	-	-	-	-
15	Cameron McINNIS	28	6	-	-	-	-
16	Royce HUNT	26	3	-	-	-	-
17	Andrew FIFITA	32	7	-	-	-	-

18	Braydon TRINDALL	22	4	-	-	-	-
19	Wade GRAHAM	31	-	-	-	-	-
20	Matt IKUVALU	28	2	1	-	-	4
21	Mawene HIROTI	23	1	-	-	-	-
22	Lachlan MILLER	27	-	-	-	-	-
23	Luke METCALF	23	-	-	-	-	-
24	Franklin PELE	21	-	-	-	-	-

Craig FITZGIBBON

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## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Thursday 28 April 2022
KICKOFF	7:50PM AEST
VENUE	Suncorp Stadium Milton QLD
WATCH	Nine Network & 9Now, Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC Sport, NRL Nation, Triple M
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Ashley KLEIN
TOUCH JUDGES	Michael WISE Darian FURNER
NRL BUNKER	Grant ATKINS

## HEAD TO HEAD

OVERALL (60)	BRISBANE 38 CRONULLA 22
AT SUNCORP (21)	BRISBANE 15 CRONULLA 6

## LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2019	R7	Brisbane 29-6	Suncorp, 27638
2019	R16	Brisbane 24-22	PointsBet, 10964
2020	R12	Cronulla 36-26	Suncorp, 7390
2021	R16	Brisbane 26-18	Suncorp, 13840
2021	R24	Cronulla 24-16	Suncorp, 8618

## BIGGEST WINS

1991	R10	Brisbane 40-2	Lang, 17546
2009	R15	Cronulla 46-12	Toyota, 8117

## NOTABLES

Siosifa TALAKAI (CRO) - 50th NRL game  
Jesse RAMIEN (CRO) turns 25 on Wed 27 Apr

## NEXT WEEK: ROUND 9

BRISBANE play SOUTHS at ACCOR, THU 7:50PM  
CRONULLA host WARRIORS at POINTSBET, SUN 4:05PM

Match stats courtesy of

# RUGBY LEAGUE project



# THE PREVIEW

with Josh Robertson

Thursday night Football heads to Suncorp Stadium where two big winners will be looking to continue their momentum from last week as the Brisbane Broncos take on the Cronulla Sharks.

Things have been up and down for the Brisbane Broncos this season with a handful of good performances mixed with heavy defeats and some near misses so far across seven rounds. Last weekend, it was a bit of a struggle for the Broncos for the first hour of their contest against a heavily depleted Bulldogs side which summed up their season so far.

Taking a 34-14 victory, things weren't as easy the scoreboard suggested for the Broncos with the understrength Bulldogs side pushing Brisbane for the best part of an hour where Canterbury were able to lead despite being significantly under strength. The Broncos though kicked up a gear where the Bulldogs couldn't and ran in five tries in 25 minutes to run away comfortable winners.

Broncos coach Kevin Walters has had the gift of team stability this week, naming the same 17 that ran out victors last weekend over the Cowboys. The only change is Delouise Hoeter is out of the squad having been 18th man last week.

Coming into the contest sitting in 4th spot, the Cronulla Sharks have lost just two games this season and arguably their performance in their loss to the Storm would have seen them beat almost any other team in the competition.

Last weekend, the Cronulla Sharks left many shocked with their first half performance when they ran out to a 32-0 lead at the break against an in-form Manly Sea Eagles side. The Sharks were impressive during their opening 40 minutes in particular the efforts of big man Siosifa Talakai in the centres who single handedly dominated Eagles centre Morgan Harper. The second half efforts of the Sharks would be a concern given that they allowed Manly to run in 22 unanswered points in the second half before a Nicho Hynes penalty goal confirmed the 34-22 victory for the Shire side.

In a boost for the Sharks, Dale Finucane returns from a head knock which pushes Cameron McInnes back to the bench and Braydon Trindall into the reserves list. Wade Graham has been named by Craig Fitzgibbon on the reserves bench but it is very unlikely that the veteran will return from injury this week.

**WHO TO WATCH:** Broncos' halfback Adam Reynolds came to the club with much fanfare having been one of the stars of the game for a long time. It was a struggle for Reynolds in the early weeks having missed Round 1 due to COVID but the past few weeks have shown a glimpse of what he can do for the Broncos. Reynolds caused issues for the Panthers a fortnight ago despite the big loss and a clever kicking game can play havoc with the Sharks.

Having been a stop-gap solution in the centres, Siosifa Talakai has been a star for the Sharks in the centres absolutely dominating anybody in front of him and setting a brilliant combination with Ronaldo Multalo. Talakai possesses size and strength which gives any defensive line nightmares but also has speed and a beautiful passing game that can rip the opponents to pieces as shown last week. The Broncos will need to mark him heavily if they want to keep the Sharks quiet.

**FAVOURITE:** The Sharks are heavy favourites for victory on Thursday night

**MY TIP:** It's hard to go past the Sharks, the Broncos have been ok but they could only dominate late over the Bulldogs whilst the Sharks went bang early against Manly. The Broncos will be in the contest and can push the Sharks as they did Penrith for a good part of their game a fortnight ago, but Cronulla possess the X Factor where the Broncos still don't quite have that extra spark. Sharks by 10.

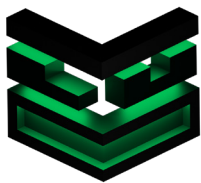
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# GOLD COAST TITANS



# PENRITH PANTHERS

Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts		
23	6	1	-	-	4	AJ BRIMSON	<b>1</b>
24	5	5	-	-	20	Phillip SAMI	<b>2</b>
25	6	4	-	-	16	Brian KELLY	<b>3</b>
25	7	-	-	-	-	Patrick HERBERT	<b>4</b>
24	7	3	-	-	12	Greg MARZHEW	<b>5</b>
29	7	-	-	-	-	Will SMITH	<b>6</b>
21	7	-	14	-	28	Toby SEXTON	<b>7</b>
22	7	-	-	-	-	Moeaki FOTUAIKA	<b>8</b>
24	7	2	-	-	8	Erin CLARK	<b>9</b>
30	6	-	-	-	-	Isaac LIU	<b>10</b>
22	7	2	-	-	8	David FIFITA	<b>11</b>
23	6	2	-	-	8	Beau FERMOR	<b>12</b>
22	7	2	-	-	8	Tino FA'ASUAMALEAUI	<b>13</b>
21	1	-	-	-	-	Tanah BOYD	<b>14</b>
28	6	-	-	-	-	Sam LISONE	<b>15</b>
27	-	-	-	-	-	Herman ESE'ESE	<b>16</b>
33	6	-	-	-	-	Kevin PROCTOR	<b>17</b>
25	5^	2	1	-	10	Jamayne ISAAKO	<b>18</b>
30	4	-	-	-	-	Jarrold WALLACE	<b>19</b>
24	1	-	-	-	-	Sam McINTYRE	<b>20</b>
25	-	-	-	-	-	Esan MARSTERS	<b>21</b>
21	-	-	-	-	-	Paul TURNER	<b>22</b>
31	2	-	-	-	-	Corey THOMPSON	<b>23</b>
22	3	-	-	-	-	Jayden CAMPBELL	<b>24</b>

^ played 1 match for Brisbane

Justin HOLBROOK

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Age P T G FG Pts

<b>1</b>	Dylan EDWARDS	26	7	1	-	-	4
<b>2</b>	Charlie STAINES	21	7	2	-	-	8
<b>3</b>	Izack TAGO	20	7	5	-	-	20
<b>4</b>	Stephen CRICHTON	21	7	6	13	-	50
<b>5</b>	Taylan MAY	20	5	8	-	-	32
<b>6</b>	Jarome LUAI	25	7	2	-	-	8
<b>7</b>	Nathan CLEARY	24	4	-	21	-	42
<b>8</b>	Matt EISENHUTH	29	6	-	-	-	-
<b>9</b>	Api KOROISAU	29	7	1	-	-	4
<b>10</b>	James FISHER-HARRIS	26	6	-	-	-	-
<b>11</b>	Viliame KIKAU	27	7	3	-	-	12
<b>12</b>	Liam MARTIN	25	6	4	-	-	16
<b>13</b>	Isaah YEO	27	7	1	-	-	4
<b>14</b>	Soni LUKE	26	1	-	-	-	-
<b>15</b>	Scott SORENSEN	29	7	1	-	-	4
<b>16</b>	Spencer LENIU	21	7	3	-	-	12
<b>17</b>	Jaeman SALMON	23	7	-	-	-	-
<b>18</b>	Robert JENNINGS	26	-	-	-	-	-
<b>19</b>	Chris SMITH	46	1	-	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	J'maine HOPGOOD	22	1	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	Lindsay SMITH	22	1	-	-	-	-
<b>22</b>	Mitch KENNY	24	6	1	-	-	4
<b>23</b>	Christian CRICHTON	25	-	-	-	-	-
<b>24</b>	Sean O'SULLIVAN	23	3	-	-	-	-

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## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Friday 29 April 2022
KICKOFF	6:00PM AEST
VENUE	Cbus Super Stadium Robina QLD
WATCH	Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC Sport, Triple M, NRL Nation
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Peter GOUGH
TOUCH JUDGES	Drew OULTRAM Jon STONE
NRL BUNKER	Gerard SUTTON

## HEAD TO HEAD

OVERALL (22)	GOLD COAST 7 PENRITH 15
AT CBUS (10)	GOLD COAST 4 PENRITH 6

## LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2018	R22	Penrith 17-16	Cbus, 11283
2019	R5	Gold Coast 30-24	Cbus, 8680
2019	R17	Penrith 24-2	BlueBet, 10317
2020	R11	Penrith 22-14	Cbus, 5095
2021	R10	Penrith 48-12	Suncorp, 43537

## BIGGEST WINS

2015	R2	Penrith 40-0	Carrington, 6240
2015	R7	Gold Coast 32-6	Cbus, 9244

## NOTABLES

The Titans have only won one of the last eight clashes between these clubs, and only 4 of the last 15.

This match marks Penrith's first interstate trip of 2022, and their first visit to Queensland since the 2021 NRL Grand Final.

## NEXT WEEK: ROUND 9

GOLD COAST play SYDNEY at MACKAY, SAT 5:30PM  
PENRITH host PARRAMATTA at BLUEBET, FRI 7:55PM

Match stats courtesy of

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# THE PREVIEW

with AJ Lucantonio

Inconsistent Titans look to match it with the competition benchmark

The Gold Coast Titans will be looking to improve on their inconsistent start to season 2022, but their task becomes much harder taking on the undefeated Penrith Panthers to kick off Friday Night Football in Round 8 of the season.

Gold Coast has had an indifferent season thus far with the side not being able to put together a full 80 minutes this season with most games being a tale of two halves. They possess one of the youngest spines in the competition and it's safe to say that it's posed plenty of problems thus far this season with a lack of continuity in the way that the Titans are playing. They were pencilled in by man to make the finals this season and if they continue, many will be left with egg on their faces.

Last weekend was a disaster for a multitude of reasons. Going down 30-4 over a Cowboys side that Justin Holbrook's men have had a huge amount of success against in recent seasons. The one baffling selection was moving David Fifita into the centres, it seemed a panic move to try and give Fifita some dynamic attacking opportunities taking from Craig Fitzgibbon's decision to move Siosifa Talakai into the centres. However, Valentine Holmes made easy pickings of the million dollars Fifita last weekend. Thankfully, Justin Holbrook has seen the light and shifted their strike player back to the second row with Phillip Sami returning onto the wing and Patrick Herbert shifting back to the centres. Kevin Proctor shifts back to the bench with Jaimen Jolliffe ruled out. The big shake-up is their spine, the Brimson at 6 experiment is over with AJ shifting to fullback and Will Smith playing 5/8.

On the other hand, Penrith is looking like a dominant force once again. The only concern that is noticeable is their slow starts. Opposition teams are troubling Penrith in the early stages more recently with Brisbane and Canberra frightening Penrith in the opening stages. Penrith blows teams apart in lightning raids in the second 40 minutes and gets away with a victory by more than 14 points.

The Panthers followed the script last weekend, being in the contest with Canberra for 55 minutes before blowing the Green Machine off the park in the last 25 minutes to walk away 36-6 winners. Nathan Cleary looks like the man that could dethrone Daly Cherry-Evans in the race for the Australian halfback spot for the end of season World Cup, while Dylan Edwards is the most underrated fullback in the game. Unsung heroes such as Scott Sorenson and Matt Eisenhuth continue to plough away doing the little things that only the most passionate of fans could identify and be proud of. Penrith once again name the same side with Soni Luke retained on the bench.

**WHO TO WATCH:** One player that has yet to fully reach his potential in season 2022 is AJ Brimson. It's safe to say Brimson is yet to fully reach the form that saw him snag a QLD origin birth. While he's the most dangerous player in the Titans attack, his passing game is arguably his biggest weakness so far with his passes hitting the deck and seeing the Titans attack stalemating. Back at his more preferred position of fullback expect AJ to be at his best as they look to unsettle the Penrith side.

The biggest surprise so far this season for Penrith has been the emergence of Izack Tago. Tago has had a big impact to start season 2022 with the local junior all but sealing the Penrith centre spot. So far this season, Tago is averaging 138m a game as well as scoring 5 tries this season. His combination with Taylan May gives nightmares to even the most experienced backs in the game. Look for Tago to continue his hot start to 2022.

**FAVOURITE:** No surprises here with Penrith being the raging favourites to continue their flawless start to 2022. Penrith's record on the Gold Coast also suggests that they should win comfortably but they need to be on their toes as in 2019, the winless Titans sprung a 30-26 upset win.

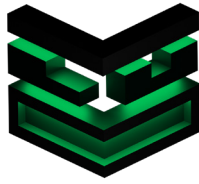
**MY TIP:** Penrith is just on an extreme hot streak at the moment that will in all likelihood continue until origin just like last season. Gold Coast will try their hardest, but the Panthers just have too much class and will get over the top of the Titans in this one. Penrith by 20.

## TEAMLIST TUESDAY

ALL THE GRADES, IN ONE SPOT

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# SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS



# MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES

Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts	
22	3	-	13	-	26	Blake TAAFFE <b>1</b>
27	7	5	-	-	20	Alex JOHNSTON <b>2</b>
22	1	1	-	-	4	Isaiah TASS <b>3</b>
22	7	3	-	-	12	Campbell GRAHAM <b>4</b>
31	4	2	-	-	8	Josh MANSOUR <b>5</b>
32	7	3	-	-	12	Cody WALKER <b>6</b>
21	7	-	-	-	-	Lachlan ILIAS <b>7</b>
25	7	-	-	-	-	Tevita TATOLA <b>8</b>
30	7	3	-	-	12	Damien COOK <b>9</b>
30	7	-	-	-	-	Thomas BURGESS <b>10</b>
23	7	3	-	-	12	Keaon KOLOAMATANGI <b>11</b>
26	7	-	-	-	-	Jai ARROW <b>12</b>
24	7	1	-	-	4	Cameron MURRAY <b>13</b>
29	4	-	-	-	-	Siliva HAVILI <b>14</b>
25	2	-	-	-	-	Hame SELE <b>15</b>
19	3	-	-	-	-	Davvy MOALE <b>16</b>
27	5	-	-	-	-	Liam KNIGHT <b>17</b>
23	-	-	-	-	-	Trent PEOPLES <b>18</b>
22	4	1	-	-	4	Jaxson PAULO <b>19</b>
27	-	-	-	-	-	Richie KENNAR <b>20</b>
23	-	-	-	-	-	Dean HAWKINS <b>21</b>
21	-	-	-	-	-	Peter MAMOUZELOS <b>22</b>
20	-	-	-	-	-	Josiah KARAPANI <b>23</b>
26	-	-	-	-	-	Shaquai MITCHELL <b>24</b>

Jason DEMETRIOU

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**SCRUMS**

	Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
<b>1</b>	24	7	3	21	-	54
<b>2</b>	21	7	-	-	-	-
<b>3</b>	25	6	-	-	-	-
<b>4</b>	19	4	-	-	-	-
<b>5</b>	20	3	1	-	-	4
<b>6</b>	31	7	1	-	-	4
<b>7</b>	33	7	1	1	2	8
<b>8</b>	23	6	-	-	-	-
<b>9</b>	25	7	1	-	-	4
<b>10</b>	32	5	-	-	-	-
<b>11</b>	26	7	2	-	-	8
<b>12</b>	22	4	1	-	-	4
<b>13</b>	28	7	-	-	-	-
<b>14</b>	27	6	-	-	-	-
<b>15</b>	20	-	-	-	-	-
<b>16</b>	26	-	-	-	-	-
<b>17</b>	27	3	-	-	-	-
<b>18</b>	23	6	2	-	-	8
<b>19</b>	30	-	-	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	22	-	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	21	-	-	-	-	-
<b>22</b>	20	-	-	-	-	-
<b>23</b>	20	-	-	-	-	-
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## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Friday 29 April 2022
KICKOFF	7:55PM AEST
VENUE	Central Coast Stadium Gosford NSW
WATCH	Nine Network & 9Now Fox League & Kayo
LISTEN	ABC Sport, Nine Radio, NRL Nation
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Grant ATKINS
TOUCH JUDGES	Chris SUTTON Wyatt RAYMOND
NRL BUNKER	Chris BUTLER

## HEAD TO HEAD

OVERALL (147)	SOUTH SYDNEY 70 MANLY 77
AT CEN. COAST (4)	SOUTH SYDNEY 2 MANLY 2

## LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2019	R17	Souths 21-20	ANZ, 13434
2019	SF	Souths 34-26	ANZ, 32127
2020	R15	Souths 56-16	ANZ, 4712
2021	R2	Souths 26-12	Lottoland, 3218
2021	PF	Souths 36-16	Suncorp, 26249

## BIGGEST WINS

1975	R22	Manly 54-0	Brookvale, 11734
2020	R15	Souths 56-16	ANZ, 4712

## NOTABLES

Cody WALKER (SOU) - 150th NRL game  
Reuben GARRICK (MAN) needs 2 goals for 250 NRL goals

## NEXT WEEK: ROUND 9

SOUTHS host BRISBANE at ACCOR, THU 7:50PM  
MANLY host WESTS TIGERS at 4 PINES, SAT 3:00PM

Match stats courtesy of

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# THE PREVIEW

with Adam Huxtable

Souths, Manly look to steady ship on the Coast after poor Round 7 performances

These two sides met in last years preliminary final, and were clearly among the best four teams in the competition when they did so. This season, while both putting on some respectable performances and showing glimpses of 2021's magic at times, it is fair to say that Souths and Manly are not currently genuine contenders for the premiership.

This is backed up by last Round's performances. Manly were finished after about half an hour, conceding 6 tries in the first forty, with 5 of them scored or assisted by a monster in human form, also known as Siosifa Talakai. Despite a spirited effort in the second half that saw some respectability added to the scoreline, the Gullies went down for their first loss since Round 2. The Rabbitohs continued their tradition of keeping games against the Tigers much closer than they should be, although this time Tom Burgess couldn't bail them out as the joint venture sunk South Sydney with a final minute field goal courtesy of club legend Luke Brooks. It was a terrible result for Souths, who have now lost to two non-contending teams in the Broncos and Tigers. Considering all this, there is clearly no hope of the Rabbitohs or Sea Eagles making a premiership push, it's basically season over for the both of them with a best case scenario of maybe a week two finals exit.

Or is it?

On the surface, things may seem bad, however if you look a little deeper there is actually a lot of reason for positivity.

For Manly, sure they got romped in the first half against one of the greatest individual 40 minute performances of all time. They were then able to rally and win the second half 22-0, with young gun Koula neutralising Talakai with his opportunity in the centres. They also have one of the roughest injury/suspension tolls in the league, with Olakau'atu, Aloiai and Schuster missing for last week and this week as well as superstar fullback Tom Trbojevic. In recent weeks, Manly have shown us that they have the ability to handle the lesser sides and go with the better ones for periods, even with all the obstacles. It is at the very least proof of some building blocks for genuine success.

It certainly hasn't been a pretty few weeks of footy for Souths. Since they put arch-rivals the Roosters to the sword in Round 3, they've been seen past by Penrith, scraped home against the Dragons, looked shaky against the Dogs and lost to the Tigers. There is one main reason for this patchy month; they simply can't stop making errors. They lead the league in errors made with 99, a whopping fourteen more than the Roosters in second place with 85, and over the last 3 weeks are averaging over 14 per game. Needless to say, it is hard to put points on the board, and therefore win games, when you can't hold on to the ball. This makes it even more impressive that in the last 3 weeks, Souths have been able to score 24, 36 and 22 points respectively while winning 2 out of 3. As frustrating as the errors are, you'd much rather be completing at 70% and scoring tries than completing at 90% with a directionless attack. The fact they only lost to the Tigers by a field goal, despite making 13 more errors than them while also having to finish the game with 14 men, should provide some encouragement to fans of the Red and Green.

All of that being said, they don't hand out premierships for encouraging signs and promising building blocks. If either side wants to come close to contending this year, they need to start somewhere, and what better platform than a statement win in prime time against last years prelim final opponent? The Rabbitohs are a game behind Manly and are only in 8th on for and against, making it slightly more important for them at this stage, but Manly will want to avoid falling into the scrap heap currently taking place below them on the table while also keeping pace with Easts.

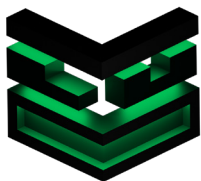
**WHO TO WATCH:** It will be interesting to see what Isaiah Tass can do with his first opportunity to start a first grade match in the centres. The suspended Taane Milne hasn't been setting the world on fire recently for Souths, last week making 9 tackles and missing two while being the only Rabbitohs outside back to not record a tackle break. His performances open the door right up for Tass to potentially lock down the centre spot for the immediate future, or at least give Demetriou a selection headache when Milne is available again. Tass debuted against Canterbury and only played 17 minutes off the bench, however he was able to score a try, break the line and make 4 tackle breaks during that time. He will be looking to continue the trend of opposition centres dominating Manly's edge defence.

From a suspended centres replacement to a dropped centres replacement, Tolutau Koula has been superb this year for Manly in his first season getting a taste of the top grade. After Morgan Harper was left at sea last week in the first half against Cronulla, Des got the hook out and put young Koula on the job, one which he did with tremendous poise, not allowing Talakai to have nearly the same impact in the second forty. While his number weren't mind blowing (6 runs for 52 metres and 3 tackle breaks), Koula has certainly not looked out of place whenever he has been called upon by the Sea Eagles, and with Harper already dropped due to form this is a golden opportunity for him to put in another impressive performance to cement his spot as Manly's starting centre. Him and the aforementioned Tass have been named opposite each other, however you never know where they'll line up on the field until they get out there.

**FAVOURITE:** Souths are 3.5 point favourites over the Sea Eagles in this one.

**MY TIP:** A genuine toss of the coin job this one. It's a shame both sides will be without their star fullbacks. You can make a case for both of them, I'll make it for Souths; despite all the errors, they have still either won or been in every game bar the Panthers one. If they hold the ball, they'll get past them, and I'll back them to do so considering it's probably been a point of emphasis at training all week. Souths by 8.

# NEW ZEALAND WARRIORS



# CANBERRA RAIDERS

Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts	
19	6	-	19	-	38	Reece WALSH <b>1</b>
20	3	-	-	-	-	Rocco BERRY <b>2</b>
23	6	3	-	-	12	Jesse ARTHARS <b>3</b>
23	6	2	-	-	8	Adam POMPEY <b>4</b>
19	1	-	-	-	-	Viliani VAILEA <b>5</b>
23	7	-	-	-	-	Chanel HARRIS-TAVITA <b>6</b>
31	5	-	2	1	5	Shaun JOHNSON <b>7</b>
26	7	-	-	-	-	Addin FONUA-BLAKE <b>8</b>
25	7	2	-	-	8	Wayde EGAN <b>9</b>
26	5	-	-	-	-	Matt LODGE <b>10</b>
26	7	2	-	-	8	Euan AITKEN <b>11</b>
25	6	-	-	-	-	Bayley SIRONEN <b>12</b>
19	5	-	-	-	-	Jazz TEVAGA <b>13</b>
19	2	-	-	-	-	Taniela OTUKOLO <b>14</b>
25	7	-	-	-	-	Bunty AFOA <b>15</b>
22	5	1	-	-	4	Eliesa KATOA <b>16</b>
24	1	-	-	-	-	Jack MURCHIE <b>17</b>
23	4	1	-	-	4	Edward KOSI <b>18</b>
31	2	-	-	-	-	Ben MURDOCH-MASILA <b>20</b>
21	-	-	-	-	-	Daejarn ASI <b>21</b>
26	-	-	-	-	-	Pride PETTERSON-ROBATI <b>21</b>
23	-	-	-	-	-	Junior RATUVA <b>23</b>
19	-	-	-	-	-	Valingi KEPU <b>24</b>
24	-	-	-	-	-	Jackson FREI <b>25</b>

Nathan BROWN

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	Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
<b>1</b>	Jordan RAPANA	32	5	1	-	4
<b>2</b>	Nick COTRIC	23	5	1	-	4
<b>3</b>	Matt TIMOKO	22	7	2	-	8
<b>4</b>	Semi VALEMEI	23	7	3	-	12
<b>5</b>	Xavier SAVAGE	20	2	-	-	-
<b>6</b>	Jack WIGHTON	29	7	2	-	8
<b>7</b>	Brad SCHNEIDER	21	6	-	14	28
<b>8</b>	Josh PAPALII	29	7	-	-	-
<b>9</b>	Tom STARLING	23	7	1	-	4
<b>10</b>	Joseph TAPINE	27	7	1	-	4
<b>11</b>	Hudson YOUNG	23	5	1	-	4
<b>12</b>	Elliott WHITEHEAD	32	6	-	-	-
<b>13</b>	Ryan SUTTON	26	3	-	-	-
<b>14</b>	Charnze NICOLL-KLOKSTAD	26	7	2	-	8
<b>15</b>	Corey HARAWIRA-NAERA	26	7	1	1	6
<b>16</b>	Adam ELLIOTT	27	7	-	-	-
<b>17</b>	Corey HORSBURGH	24	7	-	-	-
<b>18</b>	Harry RUSHTON	21	1	-	-	-
<b>19</b>	Matt FRAWLEY	27	4	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	Jarrold CROKER	31	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	Emre GULER	24	6	-	-	-
<b>22</b>	Trey MOONEY	19	-	-	-	-
<b>23</b>	James SCHILLER	20	2	-	-	-
<b>24</b>	Peter HOLA	22	-	-	-	-

Ricky STUART

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# #NRLWARRIORSRAIDERS

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Saturday 30 April 2022
KICKOFF	3:00PM AEST
VENUE	Moreton Daily Stadium Redcliffe QLD
WATCH	Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC Sport, NRL Nation MIX Canberra, Triple M
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Chris BUTLER
TOUCH JUDGES	Tyson BROUGH Nick MOREL
NRL BUNKER	Steve CHIDDY

## HEAD TO HEAD

OVERALL (46)	WARRIORS 21 CANBERRA 25
AT M. DAILY (0)	FIRST MEETING AT VENUE

## LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2019	R25	Warriors 24-20	GIO, 13331
2020	R2	Canberra 20-6	Cbus, none
2020	R19	Canberra 26-14	GIO, 3900
2021	R3	Warriors 34-31	GIO, 13456
2021	R24	Canberra 28-16	Mackay, 4079

## BIGGEST WINS

2000	R5	Canberra 56-12	GIO, 8170
2014	R9	Warriors 54-12	Eden, 18165

## NOTABLES

Euan AITKEN (WAR) needs 2 tries for 50 NRL tries  
Bayley SIRONEN (WAR) - 50th NRL game  
Shaun JOHNSON (WAR) needs 3 goals for 450 NRL goals  
Nick COTRIC (CAN) needs 3 tries for 50 club tries  
Peter HOLA (CAN) turns 23 on Wed 27 Apr

## NEXT WEEK: ROUND 9

WARRIORS play CRONULLA at POINTSBET, SUN 4:05PM  
CANBERRA host CANTERBURY at GIO, FRI 6:00PM

Match stats courtesy of

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# THE PREVIEW

## with Hamish Parker

Desperation mounts as teams look to bounce back

It will be the Warriors playing the Raiders this Saturday afternoon in Redcliffe. Both teams are looking to get a valuable two points on the board after devastating losses last weekend which saw both of these teams combined concede an astounding 106 points. Even more concerning, both sides put in valiant first half efforts, only to completely capitulate in the second half against arguably the competitions two best teams. The Warriors were up against Melbourne in their traditional ANZAC Day clash, with the Raiders playing Penrith.

The Warriors' last win was in round 5 against the Cowboys and they will be hoping to right the wrongs of last week's embarrassing 70-10 defeat at the hands of the Storm. The men from the nation's capital on the other hand haven't won since round 3 and are languishing in 15th spot on the ladder, only ahead of the Bulldogs. With plenty to play for on each side of the ball on Saturday, this game has the potential to shape their season.

In team news, Warriors coach Nathan Brown has made a number of changes to his side from last week. Rocco Berry comes in on the wing for Dallin Watene-Zelezniak. Edward Kosi had a night to forget on ANZAC Day which has seen Brown react by pushing him to the reserves, with Villiami Vailea being his replacement. Bayley Sironen replaces an injured Josh Curran, who will be a huge loss to this side given his form so far this season. Eliesa Katoa makes his return via the bench. Jack Murchie also comes onto the interchange to face his former club.

Ricky Stuart on the other hand, has just made some minor adjustments to his side. The captain Elliott Whitehead returns in a major boost to the team, which sees Corey Harawira-Naera move to the bench. Ryan Sutton starts at lock which will also see Adam Elliott shift back to the bench. Harry Rushton is the man to drop back to the reserves.

**WHO TO WATCH:** The barnstorming Addin Fonua-Blake has been terrorising opposition this year with his strong hit-ups. The front-rower has cemented himself as the leader of this Warriors pack and has earned himself the club captaincy. His inconsistency is seemingly a thing of the past and after a dreadful week for the club following their recent drubbing, Fonua-Blake will need to rally his troops to follow his example. Especially after the loss of Josh Curran this week, a lot of responsibility will rest on Fonua-Blake's shoulders.

Tom Starling is one of the most quick-footed hookers in the competition, and after the Warriors showed signs of some pretty flimsy defence in their last game, look for Starling to be sniffing around the middle for opportunities to dart from dummy-half. If Starling plays near his best football in this match-up, it could be another long day at the office for the Warriors.

**FAVOURITE:** The Raiders are slight favourites to win this one, but the bookies can barely separate the two sides.

**MY TIP:** Coming into this game, I would have thought that the Warriors were good value to win this one. But, at the same time, there have been a vast number of team changes this week that almost seem like a knee-jerk reaction from the coach. This is especially given that the team was named the day after they played Melbourne. The loss of Josh Curran is huge too, but then again, their spine for the majority of the season has remained in-tact for this week which should give them some level of stability. It's just the Raiders' team stability that stands out to me despite the fact that they lost last week. It shows that the coach has faith in his players to get the job done. At the same time though, the Raiders will be heading up from an increasingly colder Canberra into the warmer Redcliffe weather. Could that have a bearing on this contest? This one's a real toss of the coin and it seems at the moment whenever you tip them, it backfires. The Raiders, you would have to think though, should be a little more desperate for the win. Raiders by 8.



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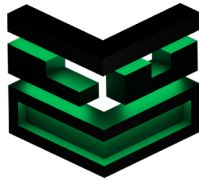
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# CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS



# SYDNEY ROOSTERS

Age P T G FG Pts

26	7	1	-	-	4	Matt DUFTY	<b>1</b>
26	6	1	-	-	4	Brent NADEN	<b>2</b>
20	7	-	-	-	-	Aaron SCHOUPE	<b>3</b>
21	5	-	-	-	-	Jake AVERILLO	<b>4</b>
26	7	3	-	-	12	Josh ADDO-CARR	<b>5</b>
22	7	-	4	-	8	Matt BURTON	<b>6</b>
23	3	-	5	-	10	Kyle FLANAGAN	<b>7</b>
26	7	-	-	-	-	Luke THOMPSON	<b>8</b>
26	7	2	-	-	8	Jeremy MARSHALL-KING	<b>9</b>
30	7	-	-	-	-	Paul VAUGHAN	<b>10</b>
25	6	-	-	-	-	Corey WADDELL	<b>11</b>
26	6	1	-	-	4	Tevita PANGAI JUNIOR	<b>12</b>
31	7	-	-	-	-	Josh JACKSON	<b>13</b>
20	5	-	-	-	-	Bailey BIONDI-ODO	<b>14</b>
26	4	1	-	-	4	Joe STIMSON	<b>15</b>
24	7	-	-	-	-	Max KING	<b>16</b>
30	4	-	-	-	-	Ava SEUMANUFAGAI	<b>17</b>
22	-	-	-	-	-	Josh COOK	<b>19</b>
20	-	-	-	-	-	Jackson TOPINE	<b>20</b>
25	3	1	-	-	4	Jayden OKUNBOR	<b>21</b>
20	-	-	-	-	-	Reece HOFFMAN	<b>22</b>
26	1	-	-	-	-	Billy TSIKRIKAS	<b>23</b>
18	-	-	-	-	-	Paul ALAMOTI	<b>24</b>
22	-	-	-	-	-	Tuipulotu KATOA	<b>25</b>

Trent BARRETT

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Age P T G FG Pts

29	7	1	-	-	4	James TEDESCO	<b>1</b>
33	3	2	-	-	8	Kevin NAIQAMA	<b>2</b>
25	6	2	1	-	10	Paul MOMIROVSKI	<b>3</b>
25	7	6	-	-	24	Joseph MANU	<b>4</b>
18	2	-	-	-	-	Joseph SUAALII	<b>5</b>
19	7	2	18	-	44	Sam WALKER	<b>6</b>
30	7	-	-	-	-	Luke KEARY	<b>7</b>
33	7	-	-	-	-	Jared WAEREA-HARGREAVES	<b>8</b>
23	2	-	-	-	-	Sam VERRILLS	<b>9</b>
25	7	-	-	-	-	Lindsay COLLINS	<b>10</b>
26	7	-	-	-	-	Angus CRICHTON	<b>11</b>
24	7	3	-	-	12	Sitili TUPOUNIUA	<b>12</b>
24	7	1	-	-	4	Victor RADLEY	<b>13</b>
26	6	1	-	-	4	Drew HUTCHISON	<b>14</b>
22	7	-	-	-	-	Fletcher BAKER	<b>15</b>
24	7	2	-	-	8	Nat BUTCHER	<b>16</b>
30	5	-	-	-	-	Sio Siva TAUKEIAHO	<b>17</b>
23	-	-	-	-	-	Lachlan LAM	<b>18</b>
22	3	-	-	-	-	Daniel SULUKA-FIFITA	<b>19</b>
24	-	-	-	-	-	Ben MARSCHKE	<b>20</b>
19	-	-	-	-	-	Naufahu WHYTE	<b>21</b>
25	-	-	-	-	-	Adam KEIGHAN	<b>22</b>
26	-	-	-	-	-	Renouf ATONI	<b>23</b>
26	-	-	-	-	-	Tom CARR	<b>24</b>

Trent ROBINSON

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SCRUMS

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Saturday 30 April 2022
KICKOFF	5:30PM AEST
VENUE	Accor Stadium Sydney Olympic Park NSW
WATCH	Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC Sport, Nine Radio, NRL Nation
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Ben CUMMINS
TOUCH JUDGES	Phil HENDERSON Ziggy PRZEKLASA-ADAMSKI
NRL BUNKER	Adam GEE

## HEAD TO HEAD

OVERALL (177)	SYDNEY 92 CANTERBURY 80 DRAW 5
AT ACCOR (19)	SYDNEY 8 CANTERBURY 11

## LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2018	R7	Sydney 6-0	ANZ, 11309
2019	R14	Sydney 38-12	SCG, 8217
2019	R19	Sydney 20-12	ANZ, 10586
2020	R5	Sydney 42-6	Bankwest, 366
2021	R17	Sydney 22-16	Bankwest, none

## BIGGEST WINS

1935	R6	Sydney 87-7	Sydney Sports Grd
2010	R3	Canterbury 60-14	ANZ, 19738

## NOTABLES

Tui KATO A turns 23 and Luke THOMPSON turns 27 on Wed 27 Apr, and Max KING turns 25 on Wed 4 May (all CBY)

James TEDESCO (SYD) needs 2 tries for 100 NRL tries and 50 club tries

## NEXT WEEK: ROUND 9

CANTERBURY play CANBERRA at GIO, FRI 6:00PM  
SYDNEY host GOLD COAST at MACKAY, SAT 5:30PM

Match stats courtesy of

# RUGBY LEAGUE

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# THE PREVIEW

with Andrew Jackson

An off-season spending spree might have been a reason for optimism in Belmore, but if early season form is anything to go by, the Bulldogs are very much a work in progress.

And at this stage, until Reed Mahoney and Viliame Kikau arrive next year, Canterbury-Bankstown will remain in wooden spoon contention as opposed to contending for a top-eight spot.

The Bulldogs, as they did the week prior against South Sydney, showed promising signs early in their game with Brisbane before slipping away dramatically in the closing stages.

It meant that Trent Barrett's men have just the one win to their name in 2022 – a close call against the Cowboys.

Pressure continues to mount on Barrett, who likely only has this season to prove that he is the coach to take the Bulldogs forward and get the most out of the new additions.

At the moment though, Barrett has done little to quell the concerns and a loss on Saturday will see his record while at the club drop to 4-32.

That would, according to AAP, see Barrett match foundation coach Ed Courtney's 12.5 per cent record while in charge of the Bulldogs in 1935.

Ava Seumanufagai, Brent Naden and Jake Averillo all return in a boost, although exciting youngster Jacob Kiraz drops out, no longer available to be selected.

On the other side of the field is a Roosters side that in all honesty has been just as disappointing as the Bulldogs.

Expectations were high of the Roosters this season, with many tipping the Tricolours to be a strong premiership threat but early on they have looked anything but.

Their wins have been hardly convincing outside of a 28-4 victory over North Queensland and even then the Roosters benefited from three sin-bins.

Last week only further raised doubts over the Roosters' premiership credentials, falling 14-12 in an upset defeat to the Dragons.

Daniel Tupou is out suspended this week, replaced on the wing by Kevin Naiqama.

While not at risk of dropping out of the top eight just yet, the Roosters face the Panthers, Eels, Sharks and Storm (all current top-four sides) in their next seven games after the Bulldogs clash.

So, they don't need to just win on Saturday, they need to make a statement and build some momentum with an eye towards those games.

**WHO TO WATCH:** The Roosters boast one of the best forward packs in the league on paper but that is one area the Bulldogs can more than match them on their best day.

And new recruit Tevita Pangai Junior could be the man to spark an upset on Saturday. Not only does Pangai Junior's offloads make him a threat in attack, he also has the aggressive streak in him to take it to the Roosters pack and lift the intensity.

You can expect a strong response early from the Roosters after last week's shock defeat and it is important Pangai Junior leads from the front in inspiring a Bulldogs response.

The Roosters have a clear advantage this week when it comes to strike out wide, with Joey Manu the main man to shut down on Saturday.

Manu had six tackle busts, three linebreaks and over 160 run metres in last week's defeat to the Dragons, building on what has been an impressive opening to the 2022 season for him.

Given the Bulldogs' defensive vulnerabilities on the edge, Manu could be in for a field day.

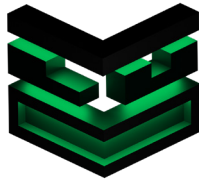
**FAVOURITE:** Despite a last-start defeat, the Roosters are strong favourites.

**MY TIP:** The fact that the Roosters lost last week spells trouble for the Bulldogs.

It will have Trent Robinson demanding an immediate response and Barrett's troops will be on the wrong end of it. Roosters by 36.



# PARRAMATTA EELS



# NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS

Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts		
27	7	5	4	-	28	Clinton GUTHERSON	<b>1</b>
22	2	1	-	-	4	Hayze PERHAM	<b>2</b>
19	7	1	-	-	4	Will PENISINI	<b>3</b>
21	7	3	-	-	12	Dylan BROWN	<b>4</b>
24	7	1	-	-	4	Bailey SIMONSSON	<b>5</b>
19	3	-	-	-	-	Jakob ARTHUR	<b>6</b>
27	7	3	30	1	73	Mitchell MOSES	<b>7</b>
28	7	-	-	-	-	Reagan CAMPBELL-GILLARD	<b>8</b>
24	7	3	-	-	12	Reed MAHONEY	<b>9</b>
28	6	-	-	-	-	Junior PAULO	<b>10</b>
27	5	2	-	-	8	Shaun LANE	<b>11</b>
23	7	3	-	-	12	Isaiah PAPALII	<b>12</b>
29	6	1	-	-	4	Nathan BROWN	<b>13</b>
29	7	-	-	-	-	Makahesi MAKATOA	<b>14</b>
27	5	1	-	-	4	Ryan MATTERSON	<b>15</b>
22	7	-	-	-	-	Oregon KAUFUSI	<b>16</b>
27	3	-	-	-	-	Bryce CARTWRIGHT	<b>17</b>
22	1	-	-	-	-	Wiremu GREIG	<b>18</b>
31	2	-	-	-	-	Mitch REIN	<b>19</b>
27	5	1	-	-	4	Tom OPACIC	<b>20</b>
22	-	-	-	-	-	Ky RODWELL	<b>21</b>
-	-	-	-	-	-	Solomone NAIDUKI	<b>22</b>
24	-	-	-	-	-	Elie EL ZAKHEM	<b>23</b>
21	-	-	-	-	-	Luca MORETTI	<b>24</b>

Brad ARTHUR

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Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts		
24	3	2	-	-	8	Scott DRINKWATER	<b>1</b>
30	7	2	-	-	8	Kyle FELDT	<b>2</b>
26	7	2	21	-	50	Valentine HOLMES	<b>3</b>
29	7	-	-	-	-	Peta HIKU	<b>4</b>
23	7	3	-	-	12	Murray TAULAGI	<b>5</b>
21	7	3	-	-	12	Tom DEARDEN	<b>6</b>
31	7	-	-	-	-	Chad TOWNSEND	<b>7</b>
30	7	-	-	-	-	Jordan McLEAN	<b>8</b>
23	7	-	-	-	-	Reece ROBSON	<b>9</b>
25	5	-	-	-	-	Coen HESS	<b>10</b>
21	7	1	-	-	4	Heilum LUKI	<b>11</b>
19	7	5	-	-	20	Jeremiah NANAI	<b>12</b>
28	7	-	-	-	-	Jason TAUMALOLO	<b>13</b>
33	6	-	-	-	-	Jake GRANVILLE	<b>14</b>
21	7	1	-	-	4	Tom GILBERT	<b>15</b>
23	5	-	-	-	-	Reuben COTTER	<b>16</b>
21	5	1	-	-	4	Griffin NEAME	<b>17</b>
25	3	-	-	-	-	Jamayne TAUNOA-BROWN	<b>18</b>
20	4	1	-	-	4	Hamiso TABUAI-FIDOW	<b>19</b>
23	-	-	-	-	-	Connelly LEMUELU	<b>20</b>
21	-	-	-	-	-	Ben CONDON	<b>21</b>
23	-	-	-	-	-	Emry PERE	<b>22</b>
28	-	-	-	-	-	Brendan ELLIOT	<b>23</b>
30	-	-	-	-	-	Ben HAMPTON	<b>24</b>

Todd PAYTEN

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# #NRLEELSCOWBOYS

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE Saturday 30 April 2022  
KICKOFF 7:35PM AEST / 7:05PM ACST  
VENUE TIO Stadium  
Darwin NT  
WATCH Fox League & Kayo Sports  
LISTEN ABC Sport, Nine Radio, Triple M  
LIVE BLOG LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE Todd SMITH  
TOUCH JUDGES Dave MUNRO  
Nick PELGRAVE  
NRL BUNKER Ashley KLEIN

## HEAD TO HEAD

OVERALL (43) PARRAMATTA 22 NORTH QLD 20 DRAW 1  
AT TIO (2) PARRAMATTA 1 NORTH QLD 1

## LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2018	R14	Parramatta 20-14	TIO, 8393
2018	R24	North Qld 44-6	1300Smiles, 25095
2019	R10	North Qld 17-10	1300Smiles, 12493
2020	R8	Parramatta 42-4	Bankwest, 6730
202	R23	Parramatta 32-16	Cbus, 3013

## BIGGEST WINS

2001	R21	Parramatta 62-0	Pirtek, 13192
2015	R20	North Qld 46-4	1300Smiles, 13767

## NOTABLES

Mitchell MOSES (PAR) needs 1 goal for 400 NRL goals  
Chad TOWNSEND (NQL) - 200th NRL game

## NEXT WEEK: ROUND 9

PARRAMATTA play PENRITH at BLUEBET, FRI 7:55PM  
NORTH QLD host NEWCASTLE at QLD COUNTRY BANK, SAT 7:35PM

Match stats courtesy of

**RUGBY LEAGUE**  
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# THE PREVIEW

with Rob Crosby

Cowboys or men: can North Queensland be the real deal?

Rugby league returns to the top end on Saturday evening as the Parramatta Eels and the North Queensland Cowboys face off in a contest set to put both team's credentials to the test.

Sitting comfortably in 3rd on the premiership ladder with five wins over the opening seven rounds, the Parramatta Eels will be vying to keep the points flowing after an emphatic performance over the ANZAC weekend.

Making a mockery of the Knights with a 39-2 demolition in Newcastle last Sunday, the Eels have averaged approximately 30 points this season to rank second only to the reigning premiers in attack.

Winning six out of 14 matches against North Queensland during Brad Arthur's coaching tenure, Dylan Brown has been retained in the centres with Jakob Arthur holding his place in an unchanged team at five-eighth.

Holding an impressive record of six wins from seven appearances in Darwin over the years, only three current players (Clinton Gutherson, Mitchell Moses and Nathan Brown) remain from the side's sole loss at TIO Stadium - incidentally occurring against the Cowboys - five years ago.

Rounding out the first third of the season with a win-loss record few envisioned two months ago, the North Queensland Cowboys will be striving to make a statement by claiming a heavyweight scalp.

Coming into the clash in winning form after dismantling the Titans 30-4 at home last Saturday, coach Todd Payten has retained the same squad with speedster Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow a chance of being a late inclusion after being named as part of the extended squad.

Winning two of their previous three visits to Darwin over the past decade, the visitors will have added motivation to perform with co-captain Chad Townsend making his 200th appearance in first grade.

Surprising many with wins over the Raiders (twice), Broncos and Titans to sit in 5th position, the Cowboys have enjoyed their longest stretch inside the top eight since last qualifying for the finals five years ago.

**WHO TO WATCH:** A lot has changed for Reed Mahoney since debuting against North Queensland four years ago in Darwin. Emerging as one of the game's premier number nines renowned for his work rate and support play, the 24-year-old Queenslanders has been a key performer for the Eels with three tries and three try assists as well as 36 tackles on average each week. Set to farewell the blue and gold faithful at season's end after agreeing to terms on a lucrative deal with Canterbury, look for Mahoney to remain focussed on the task of breaking the club's long-standing premiership drought.

Finding new life in the centres after struggling to cement a position upon his return from the NFL, Valentine Holmes has enjoyed the best football of his career in Cowboys colours. Taking to the number three jersey with a more mature mindset from the wunderkind that dazzled at Cronulla, the 26-year-old premiership winner has produced 27 tackle breaks, five line breaks and three tries to go along with 139 running metres on average this season. Averaging close to a try every two games, yet never scoring against Parramatta previously, look for Holmes to get the better of his inexperienced opposite with a four-pointer.

**FAVOURITE:** Chasing three straight wins against the Cowboys for the first time since 2011, the Eels are expected to have too much class on the night.

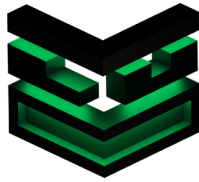
**MY TIP:** With both sides prevailing with one win apiece in clashes held at TIO Stadium, the Cowboys will rate their chances of breaking the Darwin deadlock and making a statement as more than also-rans. Cowboys by 8.

## MONDAY'S EXPERT

The key info in one spot

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# NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS



# MELBOURNE STORM

Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts	
24	5	2	-	-	8	Kalyn PONGA <b>1</b>
29	2	-	-	-	-	Edrick LEE <b>2</b>
21	2	-	-	-	-	Simi SASAGI <b>3</b>
20	7	2	-	-	8	Bradman BEST <b>4</b>
23	7	3	-	-	12	Enari TUALA <b>5</b>
24	7	2	11	-	30	Jake CLIFFORD <b>6</b>
26	6	-	-	-	-	Adam CLUNE <b>7</b>
28	3	-	-	-	-	David KLEMMER <b>8</b>
26	7	-	-	-	-	Chris RANDALL <b>9</b>
25	5	-	-	-	-	Daniel SAIFITI <b>10</b>
30	7	1	-	-	4	Tyson FRIZELL <b>11</b>
23	4	-	-	-	-	Brodie JONES <b>12</b>
29	6	-	-	-	-	Kurt MANN <b>13</b>
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21	7	-	-	-	-	Phoenix CROSSLAND <b>14</b>
25	7	-	-	-	-	Jacob SAIFITI <b>15</b>
21	7	-	-	-	-	Leo THOMPSON <b>16</b>
30	3	-	-	-	-	Sauaso SUE <b>17</b>
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22	2	1	-	-	4	Tex HOY <b>18</b>
23	-	-	-	-	-	Pasami SAULO <b>19</b>
24	-	-	-	-	-	Jack JOHNS <b>19</b>
24	-	-	-	-	-	Braydon MUSGROVE <b>20</b>
21	-	-	-	-	-	Dylan LUCAS <b>22</b>
21	-	-	-	-	-	Jaron PURCELL <b>23</b>
19	-	-	-	-	-	Krystian MAPAPALANGI <b>24</b>

Adam O'BRIEN

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Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts	
23	7	10	30	1	101	Ryan PAPHUYZEN <b>1</b>
24	6	4	5	-	26	Nick MEANEY <b>2</b>
24	7	1	-	-	4	Reimis SMITH <b>3</b>
28	7	4	-	-	16	Justin OLAM <b>4</b>
21	6	7	-	-	28	Xavier COATES <b>5</b>
27	6	2	-	-	8	Cameron MUNSTER <b>6</b>
27	7	5	-	-	20	Jahrome HUGHES <b>7</b>
32	5	2	-	-	8	Jesse BROMWICH <b>8</b>
24	4	3	-	-	12	Harry GRANT <b>9</b>
26	7	-	-	-	-	Nelson ASOFA-SOLOMONA <b>10</b>
29	7	1	-	-	4	Felise KAUFUSI <b>11</b>
30	6	-	-	-	-	Kenneath BROMWICH <b>12</b>
27	7	1	-	-	4	Josh KING <b>13</b>
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25	6	1	-	-	4	Brandon SMITH <b>14</b>
22	3	-	-	-	-	Tyran WISHART <b>15</b>
21	7	1	-	-	4	Trent LOIERO <b>16</b>
26	7	-	-	-	-	Tepai MOEROA <b>17</b>
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29	4	-	-	-	-	Chris LEWIS <b>18</b>
26	-	-	-	-	-	Marion SEVE <b>19</b>
20	6	-	-	-	-	Alec MacDONALD <b>20</b>
27	-	-	-	-	-	Jordan GRANT <b>21</b>
19	-	-	-	-	-	Jack HOWARTH <b>22</b>
26	-	-	-	-	-	Bronson GARLICK <b>23</b>
22	-	-	-	-	-	Cooper JOHNS <b>24</b>

Craig BELLAMY

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## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Sunday 1 May 2022
KICKOFF	2:00PM AEST
VENUE	McDonald Jones Stadium New Lambton NSW
WATCH	Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC Sport, Triple M
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Liam KENNEDY
TOUCH JUDGES	Keiren IRONS Belinda SHARPE
NRL BUNKER	Grant ATKINS

## HEAD TO HEAD

OVERALL (44)	NEWCASTLE 15 MELBOURNE 29
AT McD JONES (18)	NEWCASTLE 10 MELBOURNE 8

## LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2018	R15	Melbourne 28-10	McDonald Jones 14803
2019	R14	Melbourne 34-4	AAMI 16313
2020	R5	Melbourne 26-12	Central Coast 194
2020	R12	Melbourne 26-16	Sunshine Coast 5837
2021	R18	Melbourne 48-4	Cbus, 3874

## BIGGEST WINS

2000	R2	Newcastle 38-6	McDonald Jones, 16155
2001	R19	Newcastle 48-16	McDonald Jones, 21367
2006	R7	Melbourne 52-6	Olympic, 9084

## NOTABLES

Daniel and Jacob SAIFITI (NEW) both turn 26 on Sun 1 May  
Jesse BROMWICH (MEL) turns 33 on Tue 3 May

## NEXT WEEK: ROUND 9

NEWCASTLE play NORTH QLD at QLD COUNTRY BANK, SAT 7:35PM  
MELBOURNE host ST GEO ILLA at AAMI, SUN 2:00PM

Match stats courtesy of

# RUGBY LEAGUE project



# THE PREVIEW

with Lachlan McIntyre

Melbourne look to back up a stunning 70 point display against an undermanned Newcastle

The Newcastle Knights will host the high-flying Melbourne Storm in this round's early Sunday afternoon fixture. The two teams have dramatically different form lines heading into the weekend, and twelve positions on the ladder lay between them. Hopefully this won't be the one-sided affair it appears on paper to be.

After an undeniably positive start to the season, the Newcastle Knights are staring down the barrel of a sixth straight loss. In 14th position on the ladder, it's a very steep uphill battle facing them if they're to fight for the finals. Facing a Parramatta side fresh off a shock loss to the Tigers, the Knights showed very little of anything in a very disappointing performance, going down 39 points to 2.

When Newcastle did get good field position and substantial attacking opportunities, they were sloppy and error-riddled, proving easy for the Eels to hold out for the full 80 minutes. They will need to get their act together against an arguably better defensive outfit in the Storm this weekend, or a repeat of last week for the Knights is very much foreseeable.

Despite falling into a losing streak, more than 25,000 fans showed up to cheer on Newcastle against Parramatta. The good turnout was most likely at least in part due to the recent re-signing of fullback Kalyn Ponga by the club. However after the game, Ponga, along with coach Adam O'Brien, apologised to their fans over the performance. With Newcastle hosting again this weekend, it'll be interesting to see if 25,000 people are still eager to get out and watch their club play, especially against a top team like Melbourne.

Something that is very much against Newcastle is their long and growing list of injured and/or suspended players. A total of nine players are unavailable this week, and not until round ten will any of them become available again. Forwards Lachlan Fitzgibbon, Mitch Barnett, Mat Croker, and Jirah Momoisea will all be sorely missed, while the promising outside back Dom Young, winger Hymel Hunt and strike weapon Dane Gagai are all out.

As for the Storm, confidence will be very high heading into this one. Running in an incredible 13 tries against New Zealand, Newcastle will certainly struggle to hold out their attacking weapons. They do have a slightly quicker turn around than the Knights due to their clash on Easter Monday, although it wasn't exactly a hard slog for them last time out.

Leading 16-10 at halftime, the tries just kept flowing in the second. Xavier Coates crossed for his first four try haul of his career, while Jahrome Hughes, Ryan Papenhuyzen, and Nick Meaney all scored doubles. Despite having the game wrapped up with 20 minutes to go, the Storm showed that they play for the full 80, piling on six tries in the final quarter of the game.

With a top of the table clash with Penrith just a few weeks away, the Storm will need to keep this run of form going. The more confidence in their line attack and defence that Melbourne can garner over the next few weeks could make a huge difference when they really need to perform at their best. That being said, Melbourne should be wary of injuries. With a much smaller casualty ward than the Knights, and with no changes to their starting 13 from last week, they'll want to maintain that advantage before their round 10 meeting with the Panthers.

The Storm have won their last 10 games against the Knights, and if everything goes to script, should make it 11 this Sunday.

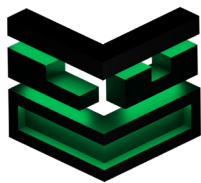
**WHO TO WATCH:** Kalyn Ponga has quite a bit of pressure on him at the moment. Having signed with Newcastle until the end of 2027 before last weekend's game, some may have thought that this might've given the Knights some motivation. What happened though was that Ponga didn't play the full 80 minutes, and the Knights slumped to an embarrassing loss. As the captain and marquee player at the Knights, some responsibility lies with Ponga to get the team out of this losing streak and put up a fight this weekend against Melbourne.

Justin Olam has started the 2022 season strongly for the Storm. The Kumuls centre has scored four tries in the past three games, a pattern that Melbourne would appreciate he keep up. However it's his strong running game that contributes the most to the Storm outfit, with Olam running for over 200m last time out against the Warriors. With a world cup on the horizon, it's very important to Papua New Guinea's hopes that Olam continues to impress in the centre spot that he has made his own over the past few years.

**FAVOURITE:** Melbourne Storm are the strong favourite to extend the Knights losing streak this Sunday.

**MY TIP:** Worrying signs for Newcastle in the last few weeks, and with a lack of experience in the side, they are going to struggle to get back on the right track. Only misery for them this weekend. Storm by 30.

# ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS



# WESTS TIGERS

Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts	
28	7	2	-	-	8	Moses MBYE <b>1</b>
21	4	2	-	-	8	Mathew FEAGAI <b>2</b>
23	6	-	-	-	-	Moses SULI <b>3</b>
22	7	1	17	1	39	Zac LOMAX <b>4</b>
24	7	3	-	-	12	Mikaele RAVALAWA <b>5</b>
27	7	4	1	-	18	Jack BIRD <b>6</b>
32	7	-	-	-	-	Ben HUNT <b>7</b>
27	7	1	-	-	4	Francis MOLO <b>8</b>
32	6	1	-	-	4	Andrew McCULLOUGH <b>9</b>
30	3	-	-	-	-	George BURGESS <b>10</b>
32	6	1	-	-	4	Tariq SIMS <b>11</b>
32	2	-	-	-	-	Josh McGUIRE <b>12</b>
31	7	-	-	-	-	Jack DE BELIN <b>13</b>
20	7	-	-	-	-	Talatau AMONE <b>14</b>
25	6	-	-	-	-	Blake LAWRIE <b>15</b>
31	4	-	-	-	-	Aaron WOODS <b>16</b>
26	-	-	-	-	-	Tyrell FUIMAONO <b>17</b>
27	-	-	-	-	-	Tautau MOGA <b>18</b>
24	3	-	-	-	-	Jackson FORD <b>19</b>
26	6	-	-	-	-	Josh KERR <b>20</b>
19	3	1	-	-	4	Tyrell SLOAN <b>21</b>
22	3	-	-	-	-	Cody RAMSEY <b>22</b>
27	3	1	-	-	4	Jack GOSIEWSKI <b>23</b>
20	-	-	-	-	-	Jayden SULLIVAN <b>24</b>

Anthony GRIFFIN

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	Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
<b>1</b>	21	4	-	-	-	-
<b>2</b>	28	7	5	-	-	20
<b>3</b>	26	6	-	-	-	-
<b>4</b>	25	5	-	-	-	-
<b>5</b>	27	6	6	-	-	20
<b>6</b>	27	7	1	8	1	21
<b>7</b>	26	4	-	4	1	9
<b>8</b>	33	5	1	-	-	4
<b>9</b>	25	4	-	-	-	-
<b>10</b>	26	7	1	-	-	4
<b>11</b>	23	6	-	-	-	-
<b>12</b>	25	7	1	-	-	4
<b>13</b>	26	7	-	-	-	-
<b>14</b>	22	5	-	-	-	-
<b>15</b>	25	7	-	-	-	-
<b>16</b>	24	4	-	-	-	-
<b>17</b>	23	6	-	-	-	-
<b>18</b>	20	4	-	-	-	-
<b>19</b>	30	5	-	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	19	-	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	20	-	-	-	-	-
<b>22</b>	23	-	-	-	-	-
<b>23</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Michael MAGUIRE

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# #NRDRAGONSTIGERS

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Sunday 1 May 2022
KICKOFF	4:05PM AEST
VENUE	WIN Stadium Wollongong NSW
WATCH	Nine Network & 9Now Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC Sport, Nine Radio, Triple M
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Gerard SUTTON
TOUCH JUDGES	Kasey BADGER Nick BEASHEL
NRL BUNKER	Ashley KLEIN

## HEAD TO HEAD

OVERALL (40)	ST GEO ILLA 20 WESTS TIGERS 20
AT WIN (5)	ST GEO ILLA 1 WESTS TIGERS 4

## LAST FIVE MEETINGS

2018	R23	St Geo Illa 20-16	Leichhardt, 18387
2019	R24	Wests Tigers 42-14	SCG, 9136
2020	R1	Wests Tigers 24-14	WIN, 9137
2021	R8	Wests Tigers 16-8	WIN, 12323
2021	R12	Wests Tigers 34-18	Bankwest, 9982

## BIGGEST WINS

2004	R15	St Geo Illa 50-0	Jubilee, 16915
2019	R24	Wests Tigers 42-14	SCG, 9136

## NOTABLES

Tyrone PEACHEY (WST) needs 1 try for 50 NRL tries

## NEXT WEEK: ROUND 9

ST GEO ILLA play MELBOURNE at AAMI, SUN 2:00PM  
WESTS TIGERS play MANLY at 4 PINES, SAT 3:00PM

Match stats courtesy of

**RUGBY LEAGUE**  
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# THE PREVIEW

with Jason Hosken

Dragons host Tigers in a battle of the giant killers

A little over two weeks ago this clash looked about as enticing as a Tasmanian grown mango.

With only one victory between them after the opening five rounds, there was little to suggest either the Dragons or Tigers were nearing a jackpot, let alone in duplicate against some of the competition's high-flyers.

Two match clinching field-goals within the space of five days has breathed life into Michael Maguire. While Anthony Griffin was all chest after his Dragons topped the Roosters at the SCG.

Now this Sunday in Wollongong, they meet in what could be the match of the round.

Despite talk of a broken arm, Griffin has named Jack Bird in the halves while Josh McGuire's form resurgence has been rewarded with a starting spot. But as they shoot for three straight before a daunting road trip to Melbourne, the Dragons will have to do it without injured powerhouse Jaydn Su'A.

Also chasing a hat-trick of wins, Wests should be oozing with confidence knowing they've had St George-Illawarra's measure in the past four contests, including the last two at WIN Stadium.

Macguire isn't one to get ahead of himself, but a win here could potentially become five on the trot. With a fragile Sea Eagles next on the schedule followed by the Cowboys in Magic Round, Wests are well placed to write the wrongs of a winless opening five rounds.

On the downside, the Tigers will be without Daine Laurie. A knee injury will keep the scheming fullback parked up for some time with centre Starford To'a named in his place.

Oliver Gildart and Luke Garner will start in the centres, while upfront, the return of Kelma Tuilagi will help counter the Dragons' power though mid-field.

**WHO TO WATCH:** With just a single try assist to his name in the past fortnight, statistics alone don't do Jackson Hastings justice. Having left for Salford several years ago, the once maligned playmaker is now the unlikely saviour of Maguire's teetering ship.

Among a number of flashy teammates, Hastings is the calming influence. When a boring kick is needed to pin the opposition in a corner, it's Hastings. And when structure beckons, it's Hastings - the inspiration behind the Tigers' revival.

The same goes for Ben Hunt, three Dally M votes in the biggest home-and-away clash of the season says as much. Even if the No.7 is only half as good this week, the Dragons will still pose a major threat.

A match defining 40-20 on top of his side's only two try assists was Hunt at his best, and this week against Hastings, his nous and finishing qualities will once again be under the microscope.

**FAVOURITE:** St George-Illawarra are favourites, not that it will concern the giant killing Tigers. Underdog status clearly fuels Maguire's preparation.

**MY TIP:** Despite Saints' stunning upset over the Roosters, there's a wave of momentum about the Tigers. And tipping against a side coming off wins over two legitimate top-four candidates spells danger, especially against a side backing up from a torrid Anzac Day clash. Tigers by 4.



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# NSWRL TEAMLISTS & RESULTS

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## KNOCK-ON EFFECT NSW CUP - ROUND 8

**CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS v NORTH SYDNEY BEARS** Saturday 30 April 12:40pm, Accor Stadium, Sydney Olympic Park; Referee: Damian Brady; Sideline Officials: Jake Sutherland, Liam Nicholls  
**CANTERBURY:** 1. Creedence Toia 2. Lachlan Hughes 3. Jacob Kiraz 4. Paul Alamoti 5. Isaac Lumelume 6. Zach Dockar-Clay 7. Bailey Hayward 8. Billy Tsirikas 9. Josh Cook 10. Phillip Makatoa 11. Harrison Edwards 12. Jackson Topine 13. Kurtis Morrin 14. Ryan Gray 15. Reece Hoffman 16. Joshua Stuckey 17. Malachai Retchford 19. Lipoi Hopoi  
**NORTHS:** 1. Josh Bergamin 2. Vuate Karawalevu 3. Adam Keighran 4. Lalotoa Mataafa 5. Tom Carr 6. Ronald Volkman 7. Sandon Smith 8. Tukupa Hau Tapuha 9. Ben Marschke 10. Terrell May 11. Jordn Leiu 12. Naufahu Whyte 13. Renouf Atoni 14. Fa'amanu Brown 15. Jerry Key 16. Michael Fenn 17. Jacob Preston

**SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS v BLACKTOWN WORKERS SEA EAGLES** Saturday 30 April 3:00pm, Ironmark High Performance Centre, Redfern; Referee: Daniel Luttringer; Sideline Officials: Luke Heckendorf, Patrick Mackey

**SOUTHS:** 1. Jacob Gagai 2. Richard Kennar 3. Jaxson Paulo 4. Josiah Karapani 5. Isaac Thompson 6. Jack Campagnolo 7. Dean Hawkins 8. Hugo Patterson 9. Peter Mamouzelos 10. Shaq Mitchell 11. Trent Peoples 12. Maila Chan-Foon 13. James Haddon 14. Jake Tago 15. Yileen Gordon 16. Tyson Hodge 17. Darcy Hardman 18. Nick Mougios 19. Marc Zaurrini  
**BWSE:** 1. Jake Toby 2. Lorenzo Multalo 3. Alfred Smalley 4. Masi Paulo Fidow 5. Raymon Vaega 6. Eiden Ackland 7. Dylan White 8. William Swann 9. Tyrann Ott 10. Bruce Ward 11. Luke Hodge 12. Kenny Soumpholphakdy 16. Adam Fearnley 14. Joey Tramontana 13. Richard Holani 18. Bailey Cantrill 15. Jordan Main 17. Robert Mafi

**PENRITH PANTHERS v NEWTOWN JETS** Saturday 30 April 3:00pm, St Marys Leagues Stadium; Referee: Cameron Paddy; Sideline Officials: Rickey McFarlane, Cameron Mitchell

**PENRITH:** 1. Sunia Turuva 2. Christian Crichton 3. Robert Jennings 4. Matt Stimson 5. Thomas Jenkins 6. Kurt Falls 7. Sean O'Sullivan 8. Eddie Blacker 9. Mitch Kenny 10. Lindsay Smith 11. Preston Riki 12. Chris Smith 13. J'maine Hopgood 14. Jarrod Brackenhofer 15. John Faiumu 16. Liam Henry 17. Mavrik Geyer  
**NEWTOWN:** 1. Kade Dykes 2. Jonaiah Lualua 3. Mawene Hiroti 4. Kayal Iro 5. Matt Ikuvalu 6. Lachlan Miller 7. Luke Metcalf 8. Thomas Hazelton 9. Jayden Berrell 10. Franklin Pele 11. Jesse Colquhoun 12. Reubenn Rennie 13. Tyler Slade 15. Addison Demetriou 17. Vincent Rennie 18. Tyla Tamou 21. Caleb Uele 19. Dylan O'Connor

**NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS v MOUNTIES** Sunday 1 May 11:30am, McDonald Jones Stadium, New Lambton; Referee: Darian Furner; Sideline Officials: Daniel Luttringer, Ben Teague

**NEWCASTLE:** 1. McKenzie Baker 2. Brayden Musgrove 3. Heath Gibbs 4. Krystian Mapapalangi 5. Chris Veaila 6. Tex Hoy 7. Dylan Phythian 8. Ben Talty 9. Liam Wilkinson 10. Pasami Saulo 11. Jack Johns 12. Dylan Lucas 13. Jaron Purcell 14. Kobe Rugless 15. Wyatt Shaw 16. Daniel Ticehurst 17. Jyris Glamuzina 18. Luke Huth 19. Nicholas O'Meley 21. Honeti Tuha  
**MOUNTIES:** 1. Brad Abbey 2. Watson Heleta 3. Tim Simona 4. James Tuitahi 5. Tuipulotu Katoa 6. Jarrett Subloo 7. Coby Thomas 8. Haimona Hiroti 9. Josh Daley 10. Kayne Kalache 11. Dean Matterson 12. Dane Aukafolau 13. Josh Carr 15. Stuart Mason 16. Ben Petauuaine Seufale 17. Matthew French 20. Zac Hetherington

**ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS v WESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES** Sunday 1 May 1:40pm, WIN Stadium, Wollongong; Referee: Wyatt Raymond; Sideline Officials: Damian Brady, Cameron Paddy;

**ST GEO ILLA:** 1. Treigh Stewart 2. Jonathon Reuben 3. Ethan Clark-Wood 4. Sam McCann 5. Alexander Lobb 6. Kamren Cryer 7. Max Batty 8. Poasa Faamausili 9. Connor Muhleisen 10. Jayden Hunt 11. Shalom O'Fou 12. Jackson Shereb 13. Michael Molo 14. Brad Dietz 15. Daniel Alvaro 16. Joshua Coric 17. Jack Boyling 18. Tristian Alvarado  
**WESTS:** 1. Junior Tupou 2. Trey Peni 3. Junior Pauga 5. Israel Ogden 6. Tyrone Peachey 7. Zane Camroux 8. Austin Dias 9. Ruatapu Ngatikaura 10. Fonua Pole 11. Henry O'Kane 12. Kitone Kautoga 13. Thomas Freebairn 14. Aden Perry 15. Felix Smith 16. Joseph Taipari 17. Aistasi James 18. Ben Stevanovic 19. Billy Stapleton 20. Ray Jankovic 21. Frank Kuresa 22. Logan Dillon

**PARRAMATTA EELS v CANBERRA RAIDERS** Sunday 1 May 3:00pm, Kellyville Park, Kellyville; Referee: Nathan Loveday; Sideline Officials: Mitchell Stone, John Woods

**PARRAMATTA:** 1. Jordan Rankin 2. Matthew Komolafe 3. Zac Cini 4. Samuel Loizou 5. Josh Minhinick 6. Brendan Hands 7. Jack Williams 8. Tevita Taumoepenu 9. Mitch Rein 10. Wiremu Greig 11. Elie El Zakheim 12. Dan Keir 13. Ky Rodwell 14. Jayden Yates 15. Keaton Walkington-Mead 16. David Hollis 17. Ryan Jones  
**CANBERRA:** 2. James Schiller 3. Jarrod Croker 4. Brad Morkos 5. Albert Hopoate 6. Joshua James 7. Sam Williams 8. Ata Mariota 9. Matt Frawley 10. Emre Guler 11. Trey Mooney 12. Clay Webb 13. Harry Rushton 14. Zac Woolford 15. Peter Hola 17. Juwan Compain

## ROUND 7 RESULTS

**Newtown Jets (34)** Tries: Addison Demetriou 2, Tom Hazelton, Franklin Pele, Matt Ikuvalu, Kade Dykes; Goals: Mawene Hiroti 5 **def Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles (16)** Tries: Alfred Smalley, Luke Hodge, Masi Paulo Fidow; Goals: Masi Paulo Fidow 2 **at Henson Park**

**Parramatta Eels (26)** Tries: Matt Komolafe 3, Jordan Rankin, Jayden Yates; Goals: Jordan Rankin 3 **def Newcastle Knights (8)** Tries: David Armstrong, Honeti Tuha **at McDonald Jones Stadium**

**Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (18)** Tries: Harrison Edwards 2, Malachi Retchford; Goals: Jake Averillo 3 **def Mounties RLFC (10)** Tries: Tui Katoa, Josh Carr; Goals: Jarrett Subloo 1 **at Belmore Sports Ground**

**Penrith Panthers (44)** Tries: Tom Jenkins 2, Rob Jennings, Eddie Blacker, Liam Henry, Christian Crichton, J'maine Hopgood, Sunia Turuva; Goals: Kurt Falls 6 **def Canberra Raiders (12)** Tries: Jarrod Croker, Peter Hola; Goals: Jarrod Croker 2 **at BlueBet Stadium**

**St George Illawarra Dragons (30)** Tries: Josh Kerr, Jackson Ford, Brad Deitz, Cody Ramsey, Alex Lobb, Tyrell Sloan; Goals: Kamren Cryer 3 **def North Sydney Bears (14)** Tries: Tom Carr, Lachlan Lam, Vuate Karawalevu; Goals: Tom Carr **at North Sydney Oval**

**South Sydney Rabbitohs (34)** Tries: Richie Kennar 2, Nick Mougios, Maila Chan-Foon, Jacob Gagai, Peter Mamouzelos; Goals: Dean Hawkins 5 **def Western Suburbs Magpies (4)** Tries: Zane Camroux **at Lidcombe Oval**

## LADDER AFTER ROUND 7

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Penrith Panthers	7	6	1	0	250	84	166	12
2	Newtown Jets	7	6	1	0	216	130	86	12
3	North Sydney Bears	6	5	1	0	160	124	36	12
4	Parramatta Eels	7	5	2	0	202	106	96	10
5	Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs	7	5	2	0	188	120	68	10
6	South Sydney Rabbitohs	7	4	3	0	176	128	48	8
7	Canberra Raiders	7	3	4	0	169	214	-45	6
8	St George Illawarra Dragons	7	3	4	0	136	224	-88	6
9	Newcastle Knights	7	2	5	0	136	172	-36	4
10	Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles	6	1	5	0	66	170	-104	4
11	Mounties RLFC	7	1	6	0	110	184	-74	2
12	Western Suburbs Magpies	7	0	7	0	86	239	-153	0

## JERSEY FLEGG CUP (U21) - ROUND 8

**PENRITH PANTHERS v CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS** Saturday 30 April 1:00pm, St Marys Leagues Stadium; Referee: Charlie Suters; Sideline Officials: Rickey McFarlane, Cameron Mitchell

**PENRITH:** 1. Isaiah Longi 2. Daeon Amituanai 3. William Fakatoumahi 4. Kristian-Li Mai 5. Cody Lawson 6. Jack Cole 7. Niwhai Puru 8. Hanna El-nachar 9. Connor Mason 10. Bradley Fearnley 11. Zac Lipowicz 12. Jack Garrod 13. Hohepa Puru 14. Braith Alexander 15. Daniel Sykes 16. Iai Tuia 17. Elone Taufa 19. Addison Williams 20. Tyreece Tonga 21. Bailey Nouredine  
**CRONULLA:** 1. Kane Ball 2. Trentham Petersen 3. Jordan Samrani 4. Noah Lester 5. Samuel Stonestreet 6. Mania Waitere 7. Ryan Rivett 8. Jack Martin 9. Samuel Healey 10. Rhys Dakin 11. Thomas Rodwell 12. Toby Boothroyd 13. Blake Hosking 14. Alec Brennan 15. Toataua Porima 16. Douglas Levi 17. Tully Wilton 18. Ryan Dodson 19. Cody Fuz 21. Thomas De Meio 22. Marco Talagi

**SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS v MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES** Saturday 30 April 1:15pm, Ironmark High Performance Centre, Redfern; Referee: Luke Saldern; Sideline Officials: Luke Heckendorf, Patrick Mackey

**SOUTHS:** 1. Chaise Robinson 2. Tyrone Munro 3. Terrell Kalo Kalo 4. Leon Te Hau 5. Carson Kaho 6. Dion Teaupa 7. Joseph Nohra 8. Thomas Giles 9. Romano Cook 10. Isaiah Vailalo 11. Byron Parnell 12. Louis Grossey 13. Tallis Duncan 14. Joshua Rizk 15. Cruise Tweedie 16. Trent Griffiths 17. Jacob Karam 18. Lathan Hutchinson-Walters 19. Marco Moretti 20. Keahlan Bray  
**MANLY:** 1. Luke Tucker 2. Sunia Siasau 3. Jason Smyth 4. Fletcher Myers 5. Ashton Kolinisau 6. Flynn Angles-Corke 7. Jamie Humphreys 8. Viliani Fifita 9. Gordon Chan Kum Tong 10. James Uesele 11. Iverson Mapu-Satiu 12. Siva Fotu 13. Zac Fulton 14. Oliver Clements 16. Sosaia Moala 17. Feao Tongia 19. Seturi Iakopo 22. Toroa Rapana

**CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS v SYDNEY ROOSTERS** Saturday 30 April 3:15pm, Accor Stadium, Sydney Olympic Park; Referee: Louis Matheson; Sideline Officials: Jack Bird, Paul Eden

**CANTERBURY:** 3. Eli Clark 4. Harry Hayes 5. Compton Fuatimau 6. Khaled Rajab 8. Joshua Kalati 9. Luke Roulund 10. Samuel Hughes 11. Lachlan Vale 14. Joash Papali'i 15. Solomon Torrens 16. Charlie Lennon 23. Mosese Pope 26. Luke Smith  
**SYDNEY:** 1. Ethan King 2. Jack Smith 3. Jordan Swann 4. Vaiala Tamati 5. Tevita Masima 6. Ronald Volkman 7. Luke Knight 8. Andre Wright 9. Michael Coleman 10. Zac Montgomery 11. Riley Meyn 12. Corey Ross 13. Jack Stringer 14. Alan Holten 15. Tayson Fakaosi 16. Connagh Takairangi 17. Cooper Page-Wilson 18. Hugo Savala 19. Phoenix Steinwede

**ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS v WESTS TIGERS** Sunday 1 May 11:00pm, Ziem's Park, Corrimal; Referee: Micheal Ford; Sideline Officials: Liam Nicholls, Gage Miles

**ST GEO ILLA:** 1. Callum Gromek 2. Cooper Roberts 3. Hayden Budd 4. Ben Johnson 5. John Wesley Vunga 6. Zach Herring 7. Braxton Wallace 8. Aaron Johnson 9. Sam Hooper 10. Dallas Collins 11. Harley Sanchez 12. Duke Grant 13. Declan Purcell 14. Mackenzie Roche 15. Phoenix Vetenibua-Finnerty 16. Bryce Magnone 17. Callum Perryman 18. Harry Rudd 19. Thomas Phillips  
**WESTS TIGERS:** 1. Jahream Bula 2. Jay Kirk 3. Kurt Picken 4. Sam Kamu 5. Marlie Townsend 6. Jamie Lawler 7. Kade Hill 8. Christian Ma'anaima 9. James Valevatu 10. Tukimihia Simpkins 11. Sione Fainu 12. Jackson Owen 13. Justin Matamua 14. Michael Tannous 15. Oluwafemi Sanya 16. Cougar Wheeler 17. Cayne Nicholas 18. Elifasa Leilua 19. Jacob Anjoul

**NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS v VICTORIA THUNDERBOLTS** Sunday 1 May 12:30pm, St John Oval, Charlestown; Referee: Robert Morey; Sideline Officials: Lachlan Greenfield, Tate Hoobin

**NEWCASTLE:** 1. David Armstrong 3. Harry Neville 4. James Johnson 5. Keanu Wainohu-Kemp 6. Mitch Henderson 7. Noah Ryan 8. Paul Bryan 9. Riley Jones 10. Brock Greacen 11. Harry Croker 12. Thomas Cant 13. Lachlan O'Brien 14. Tevita Toloi 15. Max Bradbury 16. Oryn Keeley 17. Ethan Campbell 18. Harry Fraser  
**VICTORIA:** 1. Sualauvi Faalogo 2. Ron Toala 3. Lodoviko Cokanauto 4. Ammaron Gudgeon 5. Tiraa Ua 6. Sione Nau 7. Jonah Pezet 8. Adidis Karora 9. Cole Geyer 10. Sheldon Diaz 11. Jayden Weir 12. Jared Nauma 13. Braith Lawrence-Foye 14. Aidan Connell 15. Anthony Bucca 16. Tahj Amone 17. Jerry Musu 18. Tristan Kini 19. Nat Latu

**PARRAMATTA EELS v CANBERRA RAIDERS** Sunday 1 May 1:15pm, Kellyville Park, Kellyville; Referee: Jack Bird; Sideline Officials: Mitchell Stone, John Woods

**PARRAMATTA:** 1. Corey Fenning 2. Joshua Tuipulotu 3. Charlie Guymur 4. Jabriel Kalache 5. Turoa Williams 6. Dantoray Lui 7. Ethan Sanders 8. Peter Taateo 9. David Tui 10. Taylor Maula 11. Felix Niutuli-Schmidt 12. Lachlan Blackburn 13. Brock Parker 14. Nicholas Lenaz 15. Nikau Wrathall 16. Larry Muagututia 17. Reece Alderton  
**CANBERRA:** 1. Rayden Burns 2. Temple Beauchamp 3. Sione Vuki 4. Josh Smith 5. Steven Numambo 6. Thomas Casey 7. Sione Moala 8. Eneseli Kamuta 9. Mitchel Souter 10. Carsil Vaikai 11. Kaden Williams 12. Noah Gafa 13. Mitchell Prest 14. Jack Bishop 15. Aiden Kawiri 16. Tane Kiriona 17. Jed Stuart

## ROUND 7 RESULTS

**Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles (24)** Tries: Gordon Chan Kum Tong 2, Kao Weekes 2; Goals: Jamie Humphreys 4 **def Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (22)** Tries: Kane Ball, Jordan Samrani, Noah Lester, Tom Rodwell; Goals: Ryan Rivett 3 **at PointsBet Stadium**

**St George Illawarra Dragons (24)** Tries: Cooper Roberts 2, Mackenzie Roche, Dallas Collins; Goals: Sam Hooper 3, Treigh Stewart 1 **def Sydney Roosters (12)** Tries: Luke Knight, Tayson Fakaosi; Goals: Ronald Volkman 2 **at Collegians Sports Complex**

**Newcastle Knights (27)** Tries: Harvey Neville, James Johnson, Riley Jones, Thomas Cant, Kobe Rugless; Goals: Thomas Cant 3 **def Parramatta Eels (20)** Tries: Lachlan Blackburn, Nikau Wrathall, Ethan Sanders; Goals: Corey Fenning 4 **at Cessnock Sports Ground**

**Penrith Panthers (64)** Tries: William Fakatoumahi 3, Isaiah Long 2, Niwhai Puru, Cody Lawson, Brad Fearnley, Daniel Sykes, Deon Amutuani, Braith Alexander; Goals: Niwhai Puru 10 **def Canberra Raiders (16)** Tries: Steven Numambo, Eneseli Kamuta, Mitchel Souter; Goals: Mitchel Souter 2 **at BlueBet Stadium**

**Wests Tigers (22)** Tries: Christian Maanaima, Henry O'Kane 2, Livi Saukuru; Goals: Kade Hill 3 **def South Sydney Rabbitohs (12)** Tries: Carson Kaho, Penioni Tohi; Goals: Joseph Nohra 2 **at Lidcombe Oval**

## LADDER AFTER ROUND 7

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Sydney Roosters	7	5	2	0	232	128	104	10
2	Newcastle Knights	7	5	2	0	143	126	17	10
3	Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks	7	4	2	1	204	130	74	9
4	St George Illawarra Dragons	6	4	1	1	160	128	32	9
5	Penrith Panthers	7	4	3	0	218	148	70	8
6	Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs	6	3	3	0	126	131	-5	6
7	Parramatta Eels	7	3	4	0	148	169	-21	6
8	Victoria Thunderbolts	6	3	3	0	152	176	-24	6
9	Wests Tigers	7	3	4	0	138	176	-38	6
10	Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles	7	2	5	0	146	200	-54	4
11	Canberra Raiders	7	2	5	0	151	244	-93	4
12	South Sydney Rabbitohs	6	1	5	0	118	180	-62	2

## HARVEY NORMAN WOMEN'S PREMIERSHIP - ROUND 2

**SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS v CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS** Friday 29 April 5:35pm, Central Coast Stadium, Gosford; Referees: Brandon Mani; Sideline Officials: Ben Teague, Callum Richardson

**SOUTHS:** 1. Terrie Ann Kelly 2. Brittany Constable 3. Monique Donovan 4. Patricia Raikadroka 5. Nikki Perugini 6. Akira Kelly 7. Te Aroha Hapuku 8. Christina Paulie 9. Rikka Lamb 10. Ellie Johnston 11. Tia Cook 12. Shannon Muru 13. Sharna Piccinelli 14. Stacey Markham 15. Ryshe Fa'amausili 16. Seneti Kilisimasi 17. Charlotte Booth 18. Cindy Whiteley 19. Mariah Leger **CRONULLA:** 1. Sam Bremner 2. Ella Barker 3. Andie Robinson 4. Brooke Anderson 5. Brandii Davis Welsh 6. Corban Baxter 7. Maddie Studdon 8. Kennedy Cherrington 9. Quincy Dodd 10. Holli Wheeler 11. Monalisa Soliola 12. Talei Holmes 13. Keeley Kopara 14. Zali Hopkins 15. Claudia Foster 16. Ally Weir 17. Rueben Cherrington 18. Natasha Penitani

**NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS v MOUNTIES** Saturday 30 April 1:30pm, St John Oval, Charlstown; Referee: Lachlan Greenfield; Sideline Officials: Robert Morey, Tate Hoobin

**NEWCASTLE:** 1. Shannon Evans 2. Anika Butler 3. Christa Smith 4. Carissa Reid 5. Jorja Holden 6. Bobbi Law 7. Melanie Howard 8. Caitlan Johnston 9. Monica-Lee Morris 10. Kayla Romaniuk 11. Bree Chester 12. Chantelle Graham 13. Harmony Liddell 14. Kyra Simon 15. Sophie Higgins 16. Jordan Glanville 17. Tayla Predebon 18. Kiara Naicoko **MOUNTIES:** 1. Gayle Broughton 2. Olivia Vale 3. Jocyphy Daniels 4. Mareva Swann 5. Haylee Hifo 6. Sereana Naitokotoka 7. Matilda Power 8. Tommaya Kelly-Sines 9. Keeley Davis 10. Alexandra Sulusi 11. Jamie Anne Wright 12. Jade Etherden 13. Simaima Taufa 15. Viena Tinao 16. Filomina Hanisi 17. Karol-Ann Tanevesi 20. Fatafehi Hanisi

**ST MARYS v WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES** Sunday 1 May 11:00am, St Marys Leagues Stadium, St Marys; Referee: Paul Eden; Sideline Officials: Curtis Robinson, Adam Sirianni

**ST MARYS:** 1. Abbi Church 2. Steffi Tootoo 3. Majayda Darcy 4. Rikeya Horne 5. Hannah Rando 6. Kimberly Nikua 7. Ashlee Harrison 8. Elsie Albert 9. Rebecca Riley 10. Teina Clark 11. Ula-Mari Time-Cribb 12. Chantel Tugaga 13. Sarah Togatuki 14. Jenaye Collins 15. Kilisitina Lolesio 16. Erin Blackwell 17. Georgina Brooker 19. Janaya Bent 20. Jemma Crane 21. Tahina Booth 22. Amy Tietjens **WENTWORTHVILLE:** 1. Desiree Miller 2. Melanie Hokai 3. Breeze Ee 4. Grace Sullivan 5. Lucie Whitehead 6. Janiya Brown 7. Kailey Thompson 8. Rima Butler 9. Naomi Sooaemalelagi 10. Georgia Lotawa 11. Amelia Mafi 12. Lekiella Brown 23. Kaitlyn Andrews 14. Jacinta Kiraz 15. Sarah Chahine 17. Anna Moa 19. Malanata Kalisimasi 18. Kristen Cawthorne 13. Montana Fonua

**CENTRAL COAST ROOSTERS v WESTS TIGERS** Sunday 1 May 1:00pm, Morry Breen Oval, Kanwal; Referee: Brayden Hunt; Sideline Officials: Nathan Hillier, Jack Fisher

**CENTRAL COAST:** TBC **WESTS TIGERS:** 1. Jessica Whelan 2. Bec Pollard 3. Keele Browne 4. Tess Staines 5. Josephine Lenaz 6. Tayla Preston 7. Emily Curtain 8. Bianca Bennetts 9. Sophie Curtain 11. Christian Pio 12. Najvada George 13. Kezie Apps 14. Ebony Prior 15. Jasmine Lepua 16. Shekinah Edwards 17. Jessica Kennedy 21. Ana Fekeila 23. Sarah Boyle 24. Ahwina Akuhata

**BYE:** North Sydney Bears

## ROUND 1 RESULTS

**Newcastle Knights (18)** Tries: Anika Butler 2, Christa-Lee Smith, Bree Chester; Goals: Mel Howard 1 **def Wentworthville Magpies (12)** Tries: Rima Butler, Malanata Kilisimasi; Goals: Desiree Miller 2 **at Cessnock Sports Ground**

**Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (10)** Tries: Ella Barker, Talei Holmes; Goals: Maddie Studdon 1 **def Mounties RLFC (4)** Tries: Haylee Hifo **at Aubrey Keech Reserve**

**Wests Tigers (16)** Tries: Emily Curtain, Rebecca Pollard, Tess Staines; Goals: Emily Curtain 2 **def South Sydney**

**Rabbitohs (10)** Tries: Shannon Muru, Moniqca Mo'Ala; Goals: Akira Kelly 1 **at CommBank Stadium**  
**North Sydney Bears (38)** Tries: Vanessa Foliaki 2, Pier Pritchard, Luisa Yaranamua, Taylor Adeline Mapusua, Kirra Dibb, Tyla Gambell; Goals: Kirra Dibb 5 **def St Marys (0)** **at North Sydney Oval**  
**BYE:** Central Coast Roosters

## LADDER AFTER ROUND 1

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	North Sydney Bears	1	1	0	0	38	0	38	2
2	Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks	1	1	0	0	10	4	6	2
3	Wests Tigers	1	1	0	0	16	10	6	2
4	Newcastle Knights	1	1	0	0	18	12	6	2
5	Central Coast Roosters	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
6	Mounties RLFC	1	0	1	0	4	10	-6	0
7	South Sydney Rabbitohs	1	0	1	0	10	16	-6	0
8	Wentworthville Magpies	1	0	1	0	12	18	-6	0
9	St Marys	1	0	1	0	0	38	-38	0

## RON MASSEY CUP ROUND 6 RESULTS

**BYE:** Kaiviti Silktales  
**Glebe Dirty Reds (58)** Tries: James Coyne 4, Mike Pearsall 2, Angus Ernst, Johnathan Tufuga, Jackson Garlick, TBC x 2; Goals: Eli Levido 4, Manaia Rudolph 2 **def Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles (18)** Tries: Lufusi Tapaatoutai, Will Swann, Feao Tongia, Inoke Siolaa; Goals: Jermaine Ma'u 1 **at Henson Park**

**St Marys (32)** Tries: Anthony Layoun, Trent Toelau, Sam McKendry, Eddy Aiono, Geoff Daniela, Thomas Romer; Goals: Jake Rafferty-Butfield 4 **def Western Suburbs Magpies (10)** Tries: Aisake Sadranu, D'Rhys Miller; Goals: Rydge Smith 1 **at Lidcombe Oval**

**Wentworthville Magpies (38)** Tries: Max Lehmann 2, Nick Walker, Clayton Fualalo 2, Kyle Cassel, TBC x 1; Goals: Clayton Fualalo 4, Niko Apelu 1 **def Ryde-Eastwood Hawks (14)** Tries: Reggie Alofipo, Mason Ward; Goals: Mason Ward 3 **at Ringrose Park**

**Hills Bulls (32)** Tries: Leva Li, Maile Li, Kieran Hayman 2, Denzal Tonise, Jake Brennan; Goals: Brad Keighran 4 **def Mounties (10)** Tries: Joel Hughes, Eparama Navale; Goals: Liam Christensen 1 **at Crestwood Oval**

## LADDER AFTER ROUND 6

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Glebe Dirty Reds	5	5	0	0	184	76	108	12
2	St Marys	5	4	1	0	150	88	62	10
3	Hills Bulls	4	4	0	0	99	40	59	10
4	Wentworthville Magpies	3	1	2	0	68	64	4	4
5	Ryde-Eastwood Hawks	6	2	4	0	134	158	-24	4
6	Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles	5	2	3	0	112	168	-56	4
7	Kaiviti Silktales	3	0	3	0	54	79	-25	2
8	Mounties	4	1	3	0	78	112	-34	2
9	Western Suburbs Magpies	3	0	3	0	20	114	-94	2

## ROUND 7 FIXTURES

**BYE:** Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles  
**WESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES v MOUNTIES** Saturday 30 April 2:00pm, Lidcombe Oval, Lidcombe; Referee: Tom Cambourn; Sideline Officials: Clayton Wills, Karra-Lee Nolan

**ST MARYS v WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES** Sunday 1 May 3:00pm, St Marys Leagues Stadium, St Marys; Referee: Mitchell Currie; Sideline Officials: Tom Stindl, Dillian Wills

**RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS v KAIVITI SILKTAILS** Sunday 1 May 3:00pm, TG Milner Field, Marsfield; Referee: Jake Sutherland; Sideline Officials: Cameron Turner, Tom Cambourn

**HILLS BULLS v GLEBE DIRTY REDS** Sunday 1 May 3:00pm, Crestwood Oval, Baulkham Hills; Referee: Clayton Wills; Sideline Officials: Brendan Mani, Adam Reid

## SYDNEY SHIELD ROUND 6 RESULTS

**BYE:** Sydney Roosters  
**Ryde-Eastwood Hawks (36)** Tries: Vikilif Hopoi, Vaka Fieteki Aho, Josh Boumelhem, Kirk Patton 2, Trent Borthwick; Goals: Joshua Vella 6 **def Wentworthville United (24)** Tries: Becker Akl, Arthur Melhem, Liam O'Brien, TBC x 1; Goals: Liam O'Brien 4 **at Ringrose Park**

**Hills Bulls (34)** Tries: Tui Afualo 2, Tom Menzies 2, Sean Walpole, Michael Cheer; Goals: Mitch Hyde 5 **def Moorebank Rams (12)** Tries: Richard Chan-Hampton, Montel Sione Lisala; Goals: TBC x 2 **at Crestwood Oval**

**St Marys (58)** Tries: Sadee Sub Laban 3, Kaleb Farr 3, Muong Dut, Jermaine Cook, Justice Leota, Immanuel Tagaloamatua; Goals: Immanuel Tagaloamatua 7, Kaleb Farr 2 **def Penrith Brothers (6)** Tries: Siaso Sisia; Goals: Jared Farkas 1 **at Penrith Rugby Park**

## LADDER AFTER ROUND 6

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	St Marys	5	5	0	0	198	34	164	12
2	Ryde-Eastwood Hawks	5	4	1	0	112	126	-14	8
3	Hills Bulls	4	2	2	0	102	86	16	6
4	Sydney Roosters	3	1	2	0	76	94	-18	6
5	Moorebank Rams	4	2	2	0	74	80	-6	4
6	Wentworthville United	3	0	3	0	44	96	-52	2
7	Penrith Brothers	4	0	4	0	48	138	-90	2

## ROUND 7 FIXTURES

**BYE:** Moorebank Rams  
**RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS v SYDNEY ROOSTERS** Sunday 1 May 1:00pm, TG Milner Field, Marsfield; Referee: Cameron Turner; Sideline Officials: Brad Kiehn, Ethan Murray

**ST MARYS v WENTWORTHVILLE UNITED** Sunday 1 May 1:00pm, St Marys Leagues Stadium, St Marys; Referee: Paul Eden; Sideline Officials: Curtis Robinson, Adam Sirianni

**HILLS BULLS v PENRITH BROTHERS** Sunday 1 May 1:00pm, Crestwood Oval, Baulkham Hills; Referee: Karra-Lee Nolan; Sideline Officials: Brendan Mani, Adam Reid

# NSWRL JUNIOR REPS GRAND FINALS

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## SG BALL CUP (U19) 2022 GRAND FINAL

### SYDNEY ROOSTERS v PENRITH PANTHERS

Saturday 30 April, 2:30pm

Commbank Stadium, Parramatta

Referee: Ethan Klein; Sideline Officials: Jake Walsh, Harrison Bayssari

**SYDNEY:** 1. Benjamin Dufficy 2. Siaoisi Kaliti 3. Kyrton Fekitoa 4. Robert Toia 5. Xavier Chatfield-Mooka 6. Ethan Strange 7. Cassius Tia 9. Tyler Moriarty 10. Lafi Tuinauvai 11. Max McCathie 12. Michael Abdow 13. Joshua Wong

Interchange: 14. Benaiah Ioelu 15. Venasiotangifetaua Patuki Case 16. Salesi Foketi 17. Darcy Clifton

**PENRITH:** 1. Luke Hanson 2. Jesse McLean 3. Samuel Lane 4. Angelis Hotere-Papalii 5. Jimmy Donnelly 6. Keagan Russell-Smith 7. Isaiya Katoa 8. Kyson Kingi 9. Ryley Smith 10. John Sagaga 11. Aston Warwick 12. Harrison Hassett 13. Mason Teague

Interchange: 14. Billy Scott 15. Delahia Wigmore 16. Jakeb Vailalo 17. Riley Wake; Reserves: 20. Peteru Pritchard 21. Ethan Hutchings 24. Joshua Belfanti 25. Fletcher Haycock 26. Bayden Moran 27. Moustafa Dirani

## TARSHA GALE CUP (U19) 2022 GRAND FINAL

### SYDNEY ROOSTERS INDIGENOUS ACADEMY v NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS

Saturday 30 April, 11:00am

Commbank Stadium, Parramatta

Referee: Blake Williams; Sideline Officials: Todd Pieters, Zac Fares

**ROOSTERS INDIGENOUS:** 1. Jada Taylor 2. Charlize Lloyd-Phillips 3. Maddie Binding 4. Elizabeth Lomu-Stewart 5. Zoe Cass 6. Aneka Wilson 7. Tayla Montgomery 8. Milly Lupo 9. Ally Bullman 10. Kalosipani Hopoate 11. Otesa Pule 12. Leilani Wilson 13. Ilesha Duckett

Interchange: 14. Jessica Whitehead 15. Indee Brown 16. Joiful Fotu-Moala 17. Zali Fulton; Reserves: 19. Teisha Saunders 20. Mia Barber

**NEWCASTLE:** 1. Kyah Watters 2. Alyssa Shoulders 3. Shanti Evans 4. Mia Middleton 5. Kasey Gaukroger 6. Jesse Southwell 7. Matilda Jones 8. Mercydes Metcalf 9. Sophie Clancy 10. Ebony Woodcock 11. Jules Kirkpatrick 12. Tori Brazier 13. Kayla Waldron

Interchange: 14. Lucy Green 15. Lilly Davies 16. Lexi Beagan 17. Georgia Chapple; Reserves: 18. Tiarna West 19. Leah Ollerton 20. Madison Marmion 21. Ruby Forrest 22. Isabella Thwaites 23. Sienna Limpic 24. Alex Holliday

## HAROLD MATTHEWS CUP (U17) 2022 GRAND FINAL

### WESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES v CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS

Saturday 30 April, 12:45pm

Commbank Stadium, Parramatta

Referee: Benjamin Seppala; Sideline Officials: Corey Fisher, Matthew Gomes

**WESTS:** 1. Luke Laulilii 2. Nathaniel Gallagher 3. William Craig 4. Daniel Waqa 5. Tajh Colquhoun 6. Heath Mason 7. Luke Keppie 8. Jordan Miller 9. Tallyn Da Silva 11. Jeremiah Leatigaga 12. Lachlan Galvin 13. Kit Laulilii

Interchange: 14. Kohan Lewis 15. Ewan Xeureb 16. Thomas Pati 17. Denzel Schaafhausen-Mino; Reserves: 18. Heith Pritchard

**CRONULLA:** 1. Chevy Stewart 2. Kurt Montgomery 3. Albert Litisoni 4. Richard Whalebone 5. Tanna Featherstone 6. Ashton Simmonds 7. Bryce Sait 8. Lachlan Araullo 9. Blake Woodger 10. Jai Davies 11. Joshua Sidoti 12. Max McCarthy 13. Alex Challenor

Interchange: 14. Lochi McMartin-Catlett 15. Ngarotata Enoka 16. Alex Mcfadden 17. Lama Afu; Reserves: 18. Jayze Tuigamala 19. Viliami Hikila 20. Jasper Catton 21. Chris Christodoulou 22. Nicholas Pantelis

## WEEK 2 FINALS RESULTS

All matches played at Netstrata Jubilee Stadium

### U19 TARSHA GALE CUP

**Sydney Roosters Indigenous Academy (22)** Tries: Jada Taylor, Kalosipani Hopoate, Zoe Cass, Ally Bullman, Elizabeth Lomu-Stewart; Goals: Ally Bullman 1 **def** **Wests Tigers (8)** Tries: Losana Lutu; Goals: Imogen Gobran 2

**Newcastle Knights (16)** Tries: Mia Middleton 2, Sophie Clancy; Goals: Sophie Clancy 2 **def** **Parramatta Eels (14)** Tries: Petesa Lio, Tahleisha Maeva, Ruby-Jean Kennard; Goals: Alysha Bell 1

### U19 SG BALL CUP

**Sydney Roosters (32)** Tries: Siaoisi Kaliti 2, Kyrton Fekitoa, Cassius Toa, Ethan Strange, Xavier Chatfield-Mooka; Goals: Ben Dufficy 4 **def** **Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs (12)** Tries: Lajuan Vito, Jarvis Leafa; Goals: Jonathan Sua 2

**Penrith Panthers (25)** Tries: Keagan Russell-Smith, Aston Warwick, Angelis Hotere-Papalii, Harrison Hassett; Goals: Keagan Russell-Smith 3; Field Goals: Isaiya Katoa 1 **def** **Newcastle Knights (6)** Tries: Mitch Henderson; Goals: Liam Sutton 1

### U17 HAROLD MATTHEWS CUP

**Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks (14)** Tries: Josh Sidoti, Chevy Stewart, Jay McLaughlin; Goals: Chevy Stewart 1 **def** **Sydney Roosters (12)** Tries: Cooper Toy, Toby Rodwell; Goals: Lachlan Dooner 2 **at Netstrata Jubilee Stadium**

**Western Suburbs Magpies (20)** Tries: Lachlan Galvin 2, Luke Keppie, Tallyn Da Silva; Goals: Tajh Colquhoun 2 **def** **Canberra Raiders (16)** Tries: Noah Martin, Owen Hromow; Goals: Samuel Gash 4 **at Netstrata Jubilee Stadium**



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## SUPER LEAGUE

### ROUND 10 RESULTS

**Castleford Tigers (30)** Tries: Mahe Fonua, Joe Westerman, Derrell Olpherts 2, Jake Trueman, Jason Qareqare; Goals: Paul McShane 3 **def St Helens (10)** Tries: James Bell, Jumah Sambou; Goals: Shay Martyn 1 **at Mend-A-Hose Jungle**

**Leeds Rhinos (25)** Tries: Brad Dwyer 2, Tom Briscoe, James Donaldson; Goals: Rhyse Martin 4; Field Goals: Kruise Leeming 1 **def Toulouse Olympique XIII (14)** Tries: Junior Vaivai, Matty Russell, Paul Marcon; Goals: Tony Gigot 1 **at Headingley Stadium**

**Warrington Wolves (32)** Tries: Ben Currie, Josh Thewlis 3, Connor Wrench, Toby King; Goals: Riley Dean 4 **def Huddersfield Giants (10)** Tries: Luke Yates, Innes Senior; Goals: Ollie Russell 1 **at Halliwell Jones Stadium**

**Hull Kingston Rovers (32)** Tries: Kane Linnett 2, Ryan Hall, Ethan Ryan 2, Shaun Kenny-Dowall, Lachlan Cootie; Goals: Lachlan Cootie 2 **def Wakefield Trinity (10)** Tries: Lewis Murphy, Jacob Miller; Goals: Mason Lino 1 **at Sewell Group Craven Park**

**Wigan Warriors (30)** Tries: Jai Field 2, Harry Smith, Liam Farrell, Kaide Ellis; Goals: Harry Smith 5 **def Salford Red Devils (24)** Tries: Ken Sio, Alex Gerrard, Matty Costello, King Vuniyayawa; Goals: Ryan Brierley 4 **at DW Stadium**

**Hull FC (14)** Tries: Chris Satae, Jordan Lane; Goals: Jake Connor 3 **def Catalans Dragons (8)** Tries: Mitch Pearce, Fouad Yaha **at MKM Stadium**

### LADDER AFTER ROUND 10

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	St Helens	10	8	2	0	258	96	162	16
2	Wigan Warriors	10	8	2	0	248	186	62	16
3	Catalans Dragons	10	7	3	0	186	144	42	14
4	Hull FC	10	6	4	0	195	172	23	12
5	Hull Kingston Rovers	10	6	4	0	202	192	10	12
6	Huddersfield Giants	10	5	4	1	226	176	50	11
7	Castleford Tigers	10	5	5	0	227	214	13	10
8	Warrington Wolves	10	5	5	0	228	218	10	10
9	Salford Red Devils	10	3	7	0	200	276	-76	6
10	Wakefield Trinity	10	3	7	0	166	266	-100	6
11	Leeds Rhinos	10	2	7	1	149	217	-68	5
12	Toulouse Olympique XIII	10	1	9	0	154	282	-128	2

## BETFRED SUPER LEAGUE - ROUND 11

All times BST

### THURSDAY 28 APRIL

8:00pm SKY Wakefield Trinity v Huddersfield Giants **Venue** Be Well Support Stadium, Wakefield

### FRIDAY 29 APRIL

7:30pm Catalans Dragons v Castleford Tigers **Venue** Stade Gilbert Brutus, Perpignan  
 8:00pm SKY Warrington Wolves v Wigan Warriors **Venue** Halliwell Jones Stadium, Warrington  
 8:00pm Leeds Rhinos v Hull KR **Venue** Headingley Stadium, Leeds  
 St Helens v Salford Red Devils **Venue** Totally Wicked Stadium, St Helens

### SATURDAY 30 APRIL

3:00pm Hull FC v Toulouse Olympique **Venue** MKM Stadium, Hull

## CHAMPIONSHIP

### ROUND 9 RESULTS

**Sheffield Eagles (34)** Tries: Vila Halafih, Ben Jones-Bishop 3, Joel Farrell, Anthony Thackeray; Goals: Izaak Farrell 5 **def Newcastle Thunder (20)** Tries: Isaac Nokes, Gideon Bofo, Lewis Peachey, Alex Sutton; Goals: Jake Shorrocks 2 **at Millennium Stadium**

**Dewsbury Rams (19)** Tries: Ollie Greensmith 2, Reiss Butterworth; Goals: Paul Sykes 3; Field Goals: Michael Knowles 1 **def Workington Town (18)** Tries: Alex Clegg, Alex Young, Caine Barnes; Goals: Jamie Doran 3 **at Tetley's Stadium**

**Halifax Panthers (40)** Tries: Louis Joffret, Adam Tangata, Joe Arundel, Lachlan Walmsley 2, Kyle Wood, Zach McComb 2; Goals: Joe Keyes 4 **def Barrow Raiders (18)** Tries: Tee Ritson, Jarrad Stack, Josh Wood, Luke Cresswell; Goals: Jake Carter 1 **at The Shay Stadium**

**Leigh Centurions (64)** Tries: Aaron Smith 2, Caleb Aekins, Nene MacDonald, Tom Nisbet, Joe Mellor, Kai O'Donnell, Ben Reynolds, Krisnan Inu 3; Goals: Krisnan Inu 9, Ed Chamberlain 1 **def London Broncos (0)** **at Leigh Sports Village Stadium**

**Batley Bulldogs (38)** Tries: Lucas Walshaw, Michael Ward, Luke Hooley, Josh Hodson, Jonny Campbell 2, Alistair Leak; Goals: Tom Gilmore 5 **def Widnes Vikings (10)** Tries: Oliver Davies, Sam Wilde; Goals: Ste Tyrer 1 **at DCBL Stadium**

**York City Knights (30)** Tries: Brendan O'Hagan, Levi Edwards, Liam Harris 2, James Glover; Goals: Liam Harris 5 **def Whitehaven RLFC (12)** Tries: Ryan King, Jez Litten; Goals: Nikau Williams 2 **at LNER Community Stadium**

**Featherstone Rovers (32)** Tries: Ben Hellewell 2, Mark Kheirallah, Ryley Jacks 3; Goals: Craig Hall 4 **def Bradford Bulls (18)** Tries: Elliott Hall, David Foggin-Johnston, AJ Wallace; Goals: Dec Patton 3 **at Odsal Stadium**

### LADDER AFTER ROUND 9

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Featherstone Rovers	9	8	0	1	290	114	176	17
2	Leigh Centurions	9	8	1	0	338	80	258	16
3	York City Knights	9	7	2	0	226	142	84	14
4	Batley Bulldogs	8	5	2	1	210	131	79	11
5	Barrow Raiders	9	5	3	1	171	212	-41	11
6	Sheffield Eagles	8	5	3	0	228	132	96	10
7	Halifax Panthers	9	5	4	0	230	152	78	10
8	Widnes Vikings	9	4	5	0	201	200	1	8
9	Bradford Bulls	9	4	5	0	176	195	-19	8
10	Newcastle Thunder	9	4	5	0	160	210	-50	8
11	Whitehaven RLFC	9	3	6	0	144	254	-110	6
12	Dewsbury Rams	9	2	7	0	113	284	-171	4
13	London Broncos	9	0	8	1	82	246	-164	1
14	Workington Town	9	0	9	0	106	323	-217	0

## BETFRED CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND 10

All times BST

### FRIDAY 29 APRIL

8:00pm Leigh Centurions v Sheffield Eagles **Venue** Leigh Sports Village Stadium, Leigh

### SATURDAY 30 APRIL

3:00pm Newcastle Thunder v Halifax Panthers **Venue** Kingston Park, Newcastle

### SUNDAY 24 APRIL

2:00pm Workington Town v Batley Bulldogs **Venue** Derwent Park, Workington  
 3:00pm Featherstone Rovers v Widnes Vikings **Venue** Millennium Stadium, Featherstone  
 London Broncos v Dewsbury Rams **Venue** Cherry Red Records Stadium, London  
 Whitehaven RLFC v Bradford Bulls **Venue** LEL Arena, Whitehaven

### MONDAY 25 APRIL

7:45pm PS Barrow Raiders v York City Knights **Venue** Matt Johnson Prestige Stadium, Barrow

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## HOSTPLUS CUP - ROUND 6

### REDCLIFFE DOLPHINS v TOWNSVILLE BLACKHAWKS

Saturday 30 April 12:15pm, Moreton Daily Stadium, Redcliffe; Referee: Jarrod Cole; Sideline Officials: Jack Klein, Mark Bohan

**REDCLIFFE:** 1. Trai Fuller 2. Setu Tu 4. Justin Worley 5. Edward Burns 6. Bryce Donovan 7. Adam Cook 8. Dunamis Lui 10. Lachlan Timm 11. Jarrett Boland 12. Jeremiah Simbiken 13. Sheldon Pitama 14. Garrett Smith 15. Nathan Watts 16. Otukinekina Kepu 17. Jayden Corrigan 19. Benjamin King 21. Shane Pumpi 24. Tahj Wood **TOWNSVILLE:** 1. Tomas Chester 2. Iosefo Baleiwairiki 4. Michael Bell 5. Kalifa Faifai Loa 6. Aaron Moore 7. Robert Lui 8. Riley Price 9. Josh Chudleigh 10. Emry Pere 11. Nathan Barrett 12. Patrick Kaufusi 13. Zachery McMinn 14. Jordan Lipp 15. Cade Maloney 16. Jordan Kenworthy 17. Tom Hancock 18. Hamilton Taia 22. Taniela Sadrugu

### TWEED SEAGULLS v WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS

Saturday 30 April 3:00pm, Piggabeen Sports Complex, Tweed Heads West; Referee: Matt Noyen; Sideline Officials: Jacob Whitehouse, Steve Kanowski

**TWEED:** 1. Jaline Graham 2. Ryland Jacobs 3. Lee Turner 4. Scott Galeano 5. Sosefo Fifita 6. Will Brimson 7. Lindon McGrady 8. JJ Collins 9. Craig Garvey 11. Joshua Patston 12. Reuben Porter 13. Braden Robson 14. Blake Scott 15. Daniel Ross 16. Harrison Muller 17. Ioane Seiuli 18. Charlie Murray **WYNNUM:** 1. Ben Farr 2. Sione Hopoate 3. Matthew Lyons 4. Dredin Sorensen McGee 5. Tom Farr 6. Max Plath 7. Sam Scarlett 9. Harrison Graham 10. Epele Kapinias 11. Matiu Love-Henry 12. Zac Hosking 13. Luke Bateman 14. Kalolo Saitaua 15. Tristan Hope 16. Lachlan Lee 17. Bailey Hartwig 18. Luke Gale 19. Caleb Daunt

### MACKAY CUTTERS v BRISBANE TIGERS

Saturday 30 April 6:30pm, BB Print Stadium, Mackay; Referee: Ben Watts; Sideline Officials: Jack Ebert, Zane Wright

**MACKAY:** 1. Kyle Krisanski-Kennedy 2. Laitia Moceidreke 3. Andre Niko 4. Blake Paskins 5. Kane Bradley 6. Daejarn Asi 7. Brandon Finnegan 8. Luke Ingram 9. Kyle Schneider 10. Ross Bella 11. Luke Webley 12. Ben Condon 13. Jayden Morgan 14. Sean Mullany 15. Zac Patch 16. Matthew Vessey 17. Hiale Roycroft 18. Jake Riley 19. Henri Stocks 20. Mitch Fogarty 21. Sam Faapito **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. Alec Macdonald 14. Blake Barbuto 15. Jack Svendsen 16. Jordan Grant 17. George Fai 18. Darius Farmer 19. Brayden Torpy 20. Bennett Leslie 21. Dray Ngatuere-Wroe

### SUNSHINE COAST FALCONS v IPSWICH JETS

Sunday 1 May 2:10pm, Sunshine Coast Stadium, Bokarina; Referee: Tyson Brough; Sideline Officials: Matt Colclough, Dan Munroe

**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. Campbell Duffy 11. Jack Gibbons 12. Louis Geraghty 13. Patrice Siolo 14. Sam Burns 15. Max Bailey 16. Lazarus Vaalepu 17. Thomas Rafter 18. Darryn Schonig 19. Ryan Turner 20. Wyatt Reynolds 21. Jake Maizen 22. Kauri Aupouri-Puketapu **IPSWICH:** 1. Ono So'Oialo 2. Ratu Jope Rotavisoro 3. Dominic Macumboy 4. Denzel Burns 6. Ningarra Barker 7. Lachlan Cooper 8. Blake Lenehan 9. Rhys Jacks 10. Nathaniel Neale 11. Tyler Coburn 12. Joel Holdsworth 13. Nicholas Flocas 14. Mitch Harsant 15. Corey Kurnoth 16. Dominic Ayoub 17. Joshua Williams 19. Todd White 20. Kedan Chan-Tung

**BYES:** Burleigh Bears, Central Qld Capras, Northern Pride, Norths Devils, PNG Hunters, Souths Logan Magpies

## ROUND 5 RESULTS

**Sunshine Coast Falcons (30)** Tries: Jack Gibbons, Blake Wilson, Jack Howarth, Darryn Schonig, Daniel Atkinson; Goals: Tyson Smoothy 5 **def** **Mackay Cutters (10)** Tries: Kyle Krisanski-Kennedy, Laitia Moceidreke; Goals: Brandon Finnegan 1 **at Sunshine Coast Stadium**

**Norths Devils (36)** Tries: Matthew Milson, Ben Nakubuwai, Rashaun Denny, Brayden McGrady, Jacob Gagan, Connor Broadhurst, Michael Sio; Goals: Tyrone Roberts 4 **def** **Ipswich Jets (32)** Tries: Ngangarra Barker 2, Ono So'Oialo, Tyler Coburn, Blake Lenehan; Goals: Ono So'Oialo 5, Denzel Burns 1 **at North Ipswich Reserve**

**Northern Pride (30)** Tries: Connelly Lemuelu 2, Kenneth Fonoti, Gideon Gela-Mosby, Paea Pua, Robert Derby; Goals: Mark Rosendale 2, Evan Child 1 **def** **Redcliffe Dolphins (18)** Tries: Setu Tu 2, Jeremiah Simbiken, Justin Worley; Goals: Adam Cook 1 **at Barlow Park**

**Townsville Blackhawks (17)** Tries: Josh Chudleigh, Rob Lui, Kalifa Faifai-Loa; Goals: Michael Bell 2; Field Goals: Michael Bell 1 **def** **Tweed Seagulls (4)** Tries: Lee Turner **at Jack Manski Oval**

**Brisbane Tigers (28)** Tries: Solomone Faataape 3, Jayden Nikorima, George Fai, Bernard Gregorius; Goals: Bessie Toomaga 2 **def** **Central Qld Capras (14)** Tries: Jesse Jennings, Jonus Pearson, Jedidiah Simbiken; Goals: Trey Browne 1 **at Villanova Park**

**Souths Logan Magpies (24)** Tries: Tristan Sailor, Richard Pandia, Brenko Lee, Ethan Quai-Ward; Goals: Harradyn Wilson 4 **def** **Wynnum Manly Seagulls (18)** Tries: Luke Bateman 2, Harrison Graham; Goals: Ben Farr 3 **at BMD Kougari Oval**

**Burleigh Bears (34)** Tries: Taine Tuapiki, Sami Sauluma, Josh Rogers, Tristan Powell, Guy Hamilton, Sam Coster; Goals: Josh Rogers 5 **def** **PNG Hunters (0)** **at Pizzey Park**

## LADDER AFTER ROUND 5

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Brisbane Tigers	5	4	0	1	134	72	62	9
2	Burleigh Bears	5	4	1	0	122	76	46	8
3	Sunshine Coast Falcons	5	4	1	0	110	66	44	8
4	Norths Devils	5	4	1	0	133	89	44	8
5	Central Qld Capras	5	4	1	0	122	96	26	8
6	Townsville Blackhawks	5	3	2	0	103	92	11	6
7	Wynnum Manly Seagulls	5	2	3	0	116	100	16	4
8	Tweed Seagulls	5	2	3	0	82	74	8	4
9	Mackay Cutters	5	2	3	0	114	106	8	4
10	Northern Pride	5	2	3	0	98	96	2	4
11	Souths Logan Magpies	5	1	3	1	110	126	-16	3
12	PNG Hunters	5	1	4	0	52	114	-62	2
13	Redcliffe Dolphins	5	1	4	0	55	126	-71	2
14	Ipswich Jets	5	0	5	0	70	188	-118	0

## HASTINGS DEERING COLTS - ROUND 4

### TWEED SEAGULLS v WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS

Saturday 30 April 1:00pm, Piggabeen Sports Complex, Tweed Heads West; Referee: Drew Oultram; Sideline Officials: Jaykob Brown, Harrison Lea

**TWEED:** 1. Jaylan De Groot 2. Brent Barnes 3. Kaleb Ngamanu 4. Malakhi Donovan 5. Jordan Tuigamala 6. Taine Ujdur-Berghan 7. Jack Field 8. Jack Cullen 9. Oskar Bryant 10. Ben Liyou 11. Jayden Wright 12. Brock Priestley 13. Charlie Murray 14. Cooper Many 15. Jordan Stewart 16. Khyan Weir 17. Ryan Foran 18. Jesse Jackson **WYNNUM:** 1. Jordan Davies 2. Luke Philp 3. Blake Anders 4. Grand Hagai 5. Jack Bowyer 6. Corey Herdegen 7. Will Parslow 8. Caius Faatili 9. Shaun Packer 10. Felix Faatili 11. Ethan Malt 12. Kobe Martin 13. Nathan Ward 14. Braydon Seu-Easthope 15. Cooper Hewett 16. Zaen Edmonds 17. Charlie Kwock-Sun Barker 18. Ryan Jackson

### MACKAY CUTTERS v BRISBANE TIGERS

Saturday 30 April 2:15pm, BB Print Stadium, Mackay; Referee: Jeremy Meadows; Sideline Officials: Kaden Tindal, Levi Balkin

**MACKAY:** 1. Brenton Baira 2. Jordan Hill 3. Matt MCGowan 4. Flynn Camilleri 5. Harley Proctor 6. Corey Shepherd 7. Bailey Black 8. Jayden Rodwell 9. Daniel Kelly 10. Blake Coombes 11. Ethan Sweet 12. Hugh Arthur 13. Jack Hoffmann 14. Luke-David Wells-Talamaivao 15. Noah Cookson 16. Asher O'Donnell 17. Phoenix Heke 18. Ethan Roberts 19. Tyreeq Salleh-Meadows 20. Kahlani Mooney 21. Teokotai Packer **BRISBANE:** 1. Lachlan West 2. Sione Finau 3. Ezraa Coulston 4. Jude Saldanha 5. Arika Wallace 6. Tony Thompson 7. Jonah Glover 8. Casey Morgan 9. Justin Smith 10. Jordan Penquitt 11. Simon Pratt 12. Tyrone Gunn-James 13. Madison Beckett 14. Brad Russell 15. Lewis Gibb 16. Wian Joubert 17. James Keding 18. Liam Fitzsimmons

### REDCLIFFE DOLPHINS v TOWNSVILLE BLACKHAWKS

Saturday 30 April 6:00pm, Moreton Daily Stadium, Redcliffe; Referee: Jordan Morel; Sideline Officials: Isaac Freeman, Chaz Avery-Dancey

**REDCLIFFE:** 1. Will Cahill 2. William Dobson 3. Eric Vaafusuaga 4. Ali Leiatua 5. Jaxon Knott 6. Connor Williams 7. Cody Hunter 8. Tuhirangi Ratana 9. Logan Cox 10. Levi Wilson 11. Braith Major 12. Nicholas Ingram 13. Rhys Timms 14. Noah Lutui 15. Jesse Tu'inukuafe 16. Blake Dawes 17. Izaac Jackson 19. Marcus Spence **TOWNSVILLE:** 1. Dylan White 2. Jacob Mene 3. Ragarive Wavik 4. Zac Laybutt 5. Ethan Hagarty 6. Jake Bourke 7. Maverick Pegoraro 8. D'jazirhae Pua'avase 9. Joel Baldwin 10. Tyson Chase 11. Edward Hampson 12. William Latu 13. Cameron Bateup 14. Jai Hansen 15. Tyreece Baira-Gela 16. Marly Bitungane 17. Braye Porter 18. Tai Laidlow 19. David Mills-Prior

### SUNSHINE COAST FALCONS v IPSWICH JETS

Sunday 1 May 10:50am, Sunshine Coast Stadium, Bokarina; Referee: Lachlan Sutton; Sideline Officials: Chaz Avery-Dancey, Dylan Cassidy

**FALCONS:** 1. Joseph Lowe 2. Jake Keating 3. Brendan Siebuhr 4. Taine Couper 5. Mason Peut 6. Jai Smoothy 7. Lucas Bell 9. Danny Heenan 10. Blake Woodford 11. Jake Zammit 12. Riley Boaza 13. Sam Reid 14. Garlen Peace 15. Jayden Taufa 16. Leyton Ey 17. Jimi Parsons 18. Zacari Short 19. Jackson Ricotta **IPSWICH:** 1. Kedan Chan-Tung 2. Cameron Bundock 3. Kaylis Barrott 4. Soakai Taufa 5. Mamakumai Naiyep 6. Jordan Afamasaga 7. Ryan Balint 8. Cameron Campbell 9. Zachery Alley 10. Josiah Mauga 11. Mika Iakopo 12. Samuel Inoke 13. Ngiyaani Waters 14. Ky Rashleigh 16. Riley Adamson 17. Samson Sauaso 18. Benjamin Charles 21. Lucky Pokipoki

**BYES:** Burleigh Bears, Central Qld Capras, Northern Pride, Norths Devils, Souths Logan Magpies, Western Clydesdales

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## ROUND 3 RESULTS

**Sunshine Coast Falcons (24)** Tries: Mason Peut, Lucas Bell, Brendan Siebuhr, Jake Keating, Joseph Lowe; Goals: Jai Smoothy 2 **def Mackay Cutters (4)** Tries: Jordan Hill **at Sunshine Coast Stadium**

**Norths Devils (44)** Tries: Harry Walters, Tristan Voll 2, Levi Moger, Poasi Manu, Trent Casey, Isaac Onn; Goals: Blayden Dodd 3, Hayden Rowbotham 2 **def Ipswich Jets (22)** Tries: Kedan Chan-Tung, Jordan Afamasaga, Samuel Inoke, Kaylis Barrott, Mamakumai Naiyep; Goals: Ryan Balint 1 **at North Ipswich Reserve**

**Redcliffe Dolphins (60)** Tries: Cody Hunter 4, Jaxon Knott 2, Levi Wilson, Rhys Timms, Eric Vaafusuaga, Logan Cox, Tuhirangi Ratana-Leef; Goals: Cody Hunter 7, Will Cahill 1 **def Northern Pride (12)** Tries: Sami Raivaroro, Malique Douthat; Goals: Sterling Addo-Nona 2 **at Barlow Park**

**Wynnum Manly Seagulls (34)** Tries: Luke Philp 2, Nathan Ward, Will Parslow, Kobe Martin, Cooper Hewett; Goals: Jack Bowyer 5 **def Souths Logan Magpies (12)** Tries: Tuarae Rawhiti 2, Denzel Samoa **at BMD Kougari Oval**

**Townsville Blackhawks (20)** Tries: William Latu 2, Jacob Mene, Ragarive Wavik; Goals: Dylan White 2 **def Tweed Seagulls (10)** Tries: Taine Ujdur-Berghan, Jack Field; Goals: Taine Ujdur-Berghan 1 **at Jack Manski Oval**

**Central Qld Capras (40)** Tries: Brandon Clarke 3, Lash Salam, Thallon Peters, William Lewis, Mitchell Leard-Lamont; Goals: Jye Marriott 6 **def Brisbane Tigers (22)** Tries: Ezra Coulston, Tea-Rani Woodman Tuhoro, Jonah Glover, Arika Wallace; Goals: Jonah Glover 3 **at Villanova Park**

**Burleigh Bears (48)** Tries: Isaac Matalavea-Booth 3, Sam McIntyre, Sam Shannon, Adam Christensen, Hunter Ploegsma, Joshiah Pahulu; Goals: Dion Samuela 8 **def Western Clydesdales (20)** Tries: Max Brady, Hayden Ensbey, Lachlan Ghee, Lachlan Williamson; Goals: Elliott Speed 1, Lachlan Williamson 1 **at Pizze Park**

## LADDER AFTER ROUND 3

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Sunshine Coast Falcons	3	3	0	0	136	26	110	6
2	Redcliffe Dolphins	3	3	0	0	132	44	88	6
3	Townsville Blackhawks	3	3	0	0	116	46	70	6
4	Central Qld Capras	3	3	0	0	106	46	60	6
5	Brisbane Tigers	3	2	1	0	112	66	46	4
6	Tweed Seagulls	2	1	1	0	50	36	14	2
7	Norths Devils	2	1	1	0	54	44	10	2
8	Wynnum Manly Seagulls	3	1	2	0	80	78	2	2
9	Souths Logan Magpies	3	1	2	0	48	68	-20	2
10	Burleigh Bears	3	1	2	0	74	104	-30	2
11	Mackay Cutters	3	1	2	0	36	68	-32	2
12	Northern Pride	3	0	3	0	42	138	-96	0
13	Ipswich Jets	3	0	3	0	44	142	-98	0
14	Western Clydesdales	3	0	3	0	44	168	-124	0

## BMD PREMIERSHIP - ROUND 5

### TWEED SEAGULLS v WYNNUM MANLY SEAGULLS

Saturday 30 April 11:30am, Piggabeen Sports Complex, Tweed Heads West; Referee: Kailey Beattie; Sideline Officials: Alyssa Donaldson, Bailey Sheppard

**TWEED:** 1. Jetaya Faifua 2. Bridget Hoy 3. Paremo Gallagher 4. Atlanta Peters 5. Alani Sullivan 6. Jada Ferguson 7. Tarryn Aiken 8. Jessika Elliston 9. Lailee Phillips 10. Brianna Clark 11. Lailee Phillips 12. Zara Canfield 13. Georgia Hale 14. Matekino Kahukoti-Gray 15. Carly McGrath 16. Cobie-Jane Morgan 17. Serena Martin 18. Jelena Betham **WYNNUM:** 1. Layne Bennett 2. Tawana Togo 3. Felila Kia 4. Jazmon Tupou Witchman 5. Emily Bass 6. Jayde Herdegen 7. Ellie Williamson 8. Crystal Papalii 9. Patrice Chambers 10. Essay Banu 11. Roxy Murdoch 12. Shaylee Bent 13. Rease Casey 14. Emma Barnes 15. Lesa Mataafa 16. Jayda Lofipo 17. Madeline Burton

### BURLEIGH BEARS v BRISBANE TIGERS

Saturday 30 April 12:45pm, Pizze Park, Miami; Referee: TBC; Sideline Officials: Ben Cavanagh, Will Jackson

**BURLEIGH:** 1. Tarnisha Lyons 2. Te Ata Moana 3. Sunny Gerrard 4. Ayla Ovari 5. Codi Dalley 6. Zahara Temara 7. Ashlee Harvey 8. Jasmin Kemp 9. Lily-Rose Kolc 10. Laikha Clarke 11. Tazmin Gray 12. River Smallley 13. Sophie Buller 14. Chante Temara 15. Dannii Perese 16. Jonel Lavender 17. Rilee Jorgensen **BRISBANE:** 1. Cassie Ormsby 2. Kaitlyn Andersen 3. Jessica Carey 4. Shellie Long 5. Keisha-Leigh Coolwell 6. Grace Griffin 7. Ellen Nussey 9. Lucy Cuppari 10. Canecia Sims 11. Emily Veivers 12. Nicole Gusman 13. Jamie-Lee Lewis 14. Tara Reinke 15. Tanika Marshall 16. Ashlea Nolan 17. Narikah Orchard 18. Chanelle Kohika-Skipper 20. Lavinia Kitai

### SOUTHS LOGAN MAGPIES v WEST BRISBANE PANTHERS

Saturday 30 April 3:00pm, Noffke Park, Meadowbrook; Referee: Tori Wilkie; Sideline Officials: Oliver Barker, Bayden Sawyers

**SOUTHS LOGAN:** 1. Shae Yvonne De La Cruz 2. Baylee Davies 3. Melaine Williams 4. Evania Pelite 5. Rialeigh Baty 6. Mackenzie Baty 7. Jhana Magele 9. Oshanis Whakatau 10. Stephanie Hancock 11. Jasmine Fogavini

12. Dilyza Leugaimafa 13. Sara Sautia 15. Sera Koroi 16. China Polata 17. Jessikah Reeves 21. Gemma Schnaubelt 25. Frieda Seu **WESTS BRISBANE:** 1. Lilly Green 2. Courtney Robinson 3. Clare Akauma 4. Caitlyn Taleni 5. Luisa Sekona 6. Caitlin Moran 7. Lana Sheedy 8. Taimane Levu 9. Aliya Hura 11. Hannah Larsson 12. Fiona Jahnke 13. Annette Brander 14. Kaieisha Afoa 15. Stefanie Gallagher 16. Jaylan To'o 17. Georgina Tuitaallili 18. Montanah Best 20. Shene Clements

### NORTH QUEENSLAND GOLD STARS v CENTRAL QLD CAPRAS

Saturday 30 April 4:15pm, BB Print Stadium, Mackay; Referee: Hayden Marl; Sideline Officials: Kaden Tindal, Kobey Owens

**NQ GOLD STARS:** 1. Romy Teitzel 2. Katie Green 3. Jasmine Peters 4. Sareka Mooka 5. Lauren Moss 6. Sarah Field 7. Tahlulah Tillet 8. Theophelia Mosby-Nona 9. Emma Manzelmann 10. April Ngatupuna 11. Shaniah Power 12. Rangimarie Edwards-Bruce 13. Destiny Brill 14. Kayla Shepherd 15. Samara Luta 16. Stephanie Mooka 17. Babetha Neliman 21. Jordii Mahendrarajah **CQ CAPRAS:** 1. Hayley Maddick 2. Emily Powell 3. Jessica Powell 4. Emmanita Paki 5. Krystal Sulter 7. Pani Rupapere 8. Gemma Brennan 9. Mackenzie Reid 10. Kristine Vaalepu 11. Mariah Storch 12. Kailah Rogers 13. Sharni Upton 14. Reeghyn Beardmore 15. Ta Steere 17. Mikayla Roe 18. Tylah Phillips

## ROUND 4 RESULTS

**Central Qld Capras (20)** Tries: Tamika Upton 3, Hayley Maddick; Goals: Mariah Storch 2 **def Brisbane Tigers (0)** **at Ian Clarkson Field**

**West Brisbane Panthers (20)** Tries: Luisa Sekona 2, Clare Akauma, Caitlyn Taleni; Goals: Lana Sheedy 2 **def Tweed Seagulls (8)** Tries: Bridget Hoy, Zara Canfield **at Frank Lind Oval**

**North Queensland Gold Stars (40)** Tries: Jasmine Peters 2, Hagiga Mosby, Emma Manzelmann, Romy Teitzel, Shaniah Power, Lauren Moss, Alicia Martin; Goals: Romy Teitzel 4 **def Burleigh Bears (24)** Tries: Tazmin Gray 2, Tamisha Lyons, Te Ata Moana, Sophie Buller; Goals: Zahara Temara 2 **at Queensland Country Bank Stadium**

**Souths Logan Magpies (24)** Tries: Baylee Davies 2, Frieda Seu, Jasmine Fogavini, Rialeigh Baty; Goals: Shae Yvonne De La Cruz 1, Jhana Magele 1 **def Wynnum Manly Seagulls (20)** Tries: Felila Kia, Ellie Williamson, Essay Banu, Jazmon Tupou-Witchman; Goals: Ellie Williamson 2 **at BMD Kougari Oval**

## LADDER AFTER ROUND 4

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Central Qld Capras	4	4	0	0	72	34	38	8
2	North Queensland Gold Stars	4	3	1	0	116	70	46	6
3	Brisbane Tigers	4	2	2	0	58	38	20	4
4	Burleigh Bears	4	2	2	0	87	68	19	4
5	West Brisbane Panthers	4	2	2	0	62	57	5	4
6	Wynnum Manly Seagulls	4	1	3	0	52	60	-8	2
7	Tweed Seagulls	4	1	3	0	40	94	-54	2
8	Souths Logan Magpies	4	1	3	0	44	110	-66	2

## AUSWIDE BANK MAL MENINGA CUP - GRAND FINAL

### SOUTHS LOGAN MAGPIES v TOWNSVILLE BLACKHAWKS

Sunday 1 May 12:25pm, Sunshine Coast Stadium

Referee: Nick McEwan; Sideline Officials: Dylan Lawrence, Cameron Wegner

**SOUTHS LOGAN:** 1. Timothy Sielaff-Burns 2. Xavier Atoa 3. Lewis Symonds 4. Tre Fotu 5. Delacruz Ripley 6. Jye Gray 7. Stanley Huen 8. Ahmani Leilua 9. Blake Mozer 10. Louruce Brown 11. Nathaniel Tangimataiti 12. Lokea Motufoua 13. Christopher Faagutu

Interchange: 14. Mou Taumaletila-Maulolo 15. Moses Manu 16. Mou Taumaletila-Maulolo 17. Corely Nassif

**TOWNSVILLE:** 1. Elijah Joe 2. Tekelu Mene 3. Joseph Currie 4. Max Hayley 5. Tremaine Body 6. Sean Bourke 7. Zack Lamont 8. Jeremiah Matautia 9. Tajshon Santo-Messa 10. Henry Teutau 11. Terrell Anderson 12. Wade Jonsson 13. Damon Marshall

Interchange: 14. Lachlan Lerch 15. Wil Sullivan 16. Sione Afu 17. Jamal Shibasaki; Reserves: 18. Hayden Lammon 19. Elekana Suavai

## SEMI FINAL RESULTS

**Souths Logan Magpies (26)** Tries: Devonte Vaivela, Mosese Manu, Stanley Suen, Blake Mozer, Delacruz Ripley; Goals: Tim Sielaff-Burns 2 **def Norths Devils (24)** Tries: Kallum Weatherall-Stacey 2, Angus Hinchey, Tyreece Tait; Goals: Kallum Weatherall-Stacey 4 **at Sunshine Coast Stadium**

**Townsville Blackhawks (38)** Tries: Elijah Joe 2, Henry Teutau, Joe Currie, Wil Sullivan, Slone Afu, Max Hayley; Goals: Zack Lamont 5 **def Sunshine Coast Falcons (14)** Tries: Brooklenn Mundraby-Grogan 2, Mason Kira; Goals: Ethan Bainbridge 1 **at Sunshine Coast Stadium**



# 2022 NRL DRAW

## ROUND 1

Thu	10 Mar 22	20:05	Penrith	Manly	BlueBet	28 - 6
Fri	11 Mar 22	18:00	Canberra	Cronulla	GIO	24 - 19
Fri	11 Mar 22	20:05	Brisbane	Souths	Suncorp	11 - 4
Sat	12 Mar 22	15:00	Sydney	Newcastle	SCG	6 - 20
Sat	12 Mar 22	17:30	Warriors	St Geo Illa	Sun. Coast	16 - 28
Sat	12 Mar 22	19:35	W Tigers	Melbourne	CommBank	16 - 26
Sun	13 Mar 22	16:05	Parramatta	Gold Coast	CommBank	32 - 28
Sun	13 Mar 22	18:15	North Qld	Canterbury	Qld C.B	4 - 6

## ROUND 2

Thu	17 Mar 22	20:05	Melbourne	Souths	AAMI	15 - 14*
Fri	18 Mar 22	18:00	St Geo Illa	Penrith	Netstrata	16 - 20
Fri	18 Mar 22	20:05	Sydney	Manly	SCG	26 - 12
Sat	19 Mar 22	15:00	Gold Coast	Warriors	Cbus Super	20 - 18
Sat	19 Mar 22	17:30	Cronulla	Parramatta	PointsBet	18 - 16
Sat	19 Mar 22	19:35	North Qld	Canberra	Qld C.B	26 - 6
Sun	20 Mar 22	16:05	Newcastle	W Tigers	McD Jones	26 - 4
Sun	20 Mar 22	18:15	Canterbury	Brisbane	Accor	10 - 16

## ROUND 3 - MULTICULTURAL ROUND

Thu	24 Mar 22	20:05	St Geo Illa	Cronulla	WIN	12 - 36
Fri	25 Mar 22	18:00	W Tigers	Warriors	C'town	12 - 16
Fri	25 Mar 22	20:05	Souths	Sydney	Accor	28 - 16
Sat	26 Mar 22	15:00	Penrith	Newcastle	Carrington	38 - 20
Sat	26 Mar 22	17:30	Melbourne	Parramatta	AAMI	24 - 28*
Sat	26 Mar 22	19:35	Canberra	Gold Coast	GIO	24 - 22
Sun	27 Mar 22	16:05	Brisbane	North Qld	Suncorp	12 - 38
Sun	27 Mar 22	18:15	Manly	Canterbury	4 Pines	13 - 12

## ROUND 4

NOTE: Eastern Daylight Saving Time ended in Australia Sun 03 Apr 2:00am

Thu	31 Mar 22	20:05	Gold Coast	W Tigers	Cbus Super	8 - 6
Fri	01 Apr 22	18:00	Cronulla	Newcastle	PointsBet	18 - 0
Fri	01 Apr 22	20:05	Penrith	Souths	BlueBet	26 - 12
Sat	02 Apr 22	15:00	Warriors	Brisbane	Redcliffe	20 - 6
Sat	02 Apr 22	17:30	Manly	Canberra	Mudgee	25 - 6
Sat	02 Apr 22	19:35	North Qld	Sydney	Qld C.B	28 - 4
Sun	03 Apr 22	16:05	Melbourne	Canterbury	AAMI	44 - 0
Sun	03 Apr 22	18:15	Parramatta	St Geo Illa	CommBank	48 - 14

## ROUND 5

Thu	07 Apr 22	19:50	Newcastle	Manly	McD Jones	6 - 30
Fri	08 Apr 22	18:00	Warriors	North Qld	Redcliffe	25 - 24*
Fri	08 Apr 22	19:55	Brisbane	Sydney	Suncorp	20 - 24
Sat	09 Apr 22	15:00	Canberra	Melbourne	Wagga	16 - 30
Sat	09 Apr 22	17:30	Souths	St Geo Illa	Accor	24 - 12
Sat	09 Apr 22	19:35	Gold Coast	Parramatta	Cbus Super	20 - 26
Sun	10 Apr 22	16:05	Cronulla	W Tigers	Pointsbet	30 - 4
Sun	10 Apr 22	18:15	Canterbury	Penrith	CommBank	12 - 32

## ROUND 6 - EASTER

Thu	14 Apr 22	19:50	Canberra	North Qld	GIO	12 - 18
Fri	15 Apr 22	18:00	Souths	Canterbury	Stadium	36 - 16
Fri	15 Apr 22	19:55	Penrith	Brisbane	Bluebet	40 - 12
Sat	16 Apr 22	17:30	Manly	Gold Coast	4 Pines	26 - 18
Sat	16 Apr 22	19:35	Melbourne	Cronulla	AAMI Park	34 - 18
Sun	17 Apr 22	14:00	Sydney	Warriors	SCG	22 - 14
Sun	17 Apr 22	16:05	St Geo Illa	Newcastle	WIN	21 - 16
Mon	18 Apr 22	16:00	Parramatta	W Tigers	CommBank	20 - 21

## ROUND 7 - ANZAC ROUND

Thu	21 Apr 22	19:50	Cronulla	Manly	Pointsbet	34 - 22
Fri	22 Apr 22	19:55	Brisbane	Canterbury	Suncorp	34 - 14
Sat	23 Apr 22	17:30	North Qld	Gold Coast	Qld C.B.	30 - 4
Sat	23 Apr 22	19:35	W Tigers	Souths	CommBank	23 - 22
Sun	24 Apr 22	14:00	Newcastle	Parramatta	McD Jones	2 - 39
Sun	24 Apr 22	16:05	Penrith	Canberra	Bluebet	36 - 6
Mon	25 Apr 22	16:00	St Geo Illa	Sydney	SCG	14 - 12
Mon	25 Apr 22	19:00	Melbourne	Warriors	AAMI Park	70 - 10

## ROUND 8

Thu	28 Apr 22	19:50	Brisbane	Cronulla	Suncorp	
Fri	29 Apr 22	18:00	Gold Coast	Penrith	Cbus Super	
Fri	29 Apr 22	19:55	Souths	Manly	Can. Coast	
Sat	30 Apr 22	15:00	Warriors	Canberra	Redcliffe	
Sat	30 Apr 22	17:30	Canterbury	Sydney	Accor	
Sat	30 Apr 22	19:35	Parramatta	North Qld	Darwin	
Sun	01 May 22	14:00	Newcastle	Melbourne	McD Jones	
Sun	01 May 22	16:05	St Geo Illa	W Tigers	WIN	

## ROUND 9

Thu	05 May 22	19:50	Souths	Brisbane	Accor	
Fri	06 May 22	18:00	Canberra	Canterbury	GIO	
Fri	06 May 22	19:55	Penrith	Parramatta	Bluebet	
Sat	07 May 22	15:00	Manly	W Tigers	4 Pines	
Sat	07 May 22	17:30	Sydney	Gold Coast	Mackay	
Sat	07 May 22	19:35	North Qld	Newcastle	Qld C.B.	
Sun	08 May 22	14:00	Melbourne	St Geo Illa	AAMI Park	
Sun	08 May 22	16:05	Cronulla	Warriors	Pointsbet	

## ROUND 10 - MAGIC ROUND BRISBANE

Fri	13 May 22	18:00	Canterbury	Newcastle	Suncorp	
Fri	13 May 22	20:05	Manly	Brisbane	Suncorp	
Sat	14 May 22	15:00	Warriors	Souths	Suncorp	
Sat	14 May 22	17:30	Gold Coast	St Geo Illa	Suncorp	
Sat	14 May 22	19:45	Melbourne	Penrith	Suncorp	
Sun	15 May 22	13:50	Cronulla	Canberra	Suncorp	
Sun	15 May 22	16:05	Sydney	Parramatta	Suncorp	
Sun	15 May 22	18:25	W Tigers	North Qld	Suncorp	

## ROUND 11

Thu	19 May 22	19:50	Newcastle	Brisbane	McD Jones	
Fri	20 May 22	18:00	W Tigers	Canterbury	Leichhardt	
Fri	20 May 22	19:55	Parramatta	Manly	CommBank	
Sat	21 May 22	15:00	St Geo Illa	Warriors	Netstrata	
Sat	21 May 22	17:30	North Qld	Melbourne	Qld C.B.	
Sat	21 May 22	19:35	Sydney	Penrith	SCG	
Sun	22 May 22	14:00	Souths	Canberra	Dubbo	
Sun	22 May 22	16:05	Gold Coast	Cronulla	Cbus Super	

## ROUND 12

Thu	26 May 22	19:50	Melbourne	Manly	AAMI Park	
Fri	27 May 22	18:00	Penrith	North Qld	Bluebet	
Fri	27 May 22	19:55	Brisbane	Gold Coast	Suncorp	
Sat	28 May 22	15:00	Warriors	Newcastle	Redcliffe	
Sat	28 May 22	17:30	Souths	W Tigers	Accor	
Sat	28 May 22	19:35	Cronulla	Sydney	Pointsbet	
Sun	29 May 22	14:00	Canterbury	St Geo Illa	Belmore	
Sun	29 May 22	16:05	Canberra	Parramatta	GIO	

## ROUND 13

Thu	02 Jun 22	19:50	Gold Coast	North Qld	Cbus Super	
Fri	03 Jun 22	19:55	Penrith	Canterbury	Bluebet	
Sat	04 Jun 22	19:35	Manly	Warriors	4 Pines	
Sun	05 Jun 22	16:05	Canberra	Sydney	GIO	

Byes: Brisbane, Cronulla, Melbourne, Newcastle, Parramatta, St Geo Illa, Souths, W Tigers

## STATE OF ORIGIN I -- WED 8 JUN (Accor, Sydney)

## ROUND 14

Fri	10 Jun 22	19:55	North Qld	St Geo Illa	Qld C.B.	
Sat	11 Jun 22	15:00	Gold Coast	Souths	Cbus Super	
Sat	11 Jun 22	17:30	Sydney	Melbourne	SCG	
Sat	11 Jun 22	19:35	Brisbane	Canberra	Suncorp	
Sun	12 Jun 22	14:00	W Tigers	Manly	C'town	
Sun	12 Jun 22	16:05	Newcastle	Penrith	McD Jones	
Sun	12 Jun 22	18:15	Warriors	Cronulla	Redcliffe	
Mon	13 Jun 22	16:00	Canterbury	Parramatta	Accor	

## ROUND 15

Fri	16 Jun 22	19:50	St Geo Illa	Souths	WIN	
Fri	17 Jun 22	18:00	Manly	North Qld	4 Pines	
Fri	17 Jun 22	19:55	Melbourne	Brisbane	AAMI Park	
Sat	18 Jun 22	15:00	Cronulla	Gold Coast	Coffs Hbr.	
Sat	18 Jun 22	17:30	Warriors	Penrith	Redcliffe	
Sat	18 Jun 22	19:35	Parramatta	Sydney	CommBank	
Sun	19 Jun 22	14:00	Canberra	Newcastle	GIO	
Sun	19 Jun 22	16:05	Canterbury	W Tigers	CommBank	

## WOMEN'S STATE OF ORIGIN -- FRI 24 JUN (GIO, Canberra)

## STATE OF ORIGIN II -- SUN 26 JUN (Optus Stadium, Perth)

## ROUND 16

Thu	30 Jun 22	19:50	Manly	Melbourne	4 Pines	
Fri	01 Jul 22	18:00	Newcastle	Gold Coast	McD Jones	
Fri	01 Jul 22	19:55	Penrith	Sydney	Bluebet	
Sat	02 Jul 22	15:00	Canterbury	Cronulla	CommBank	
Sat	02 Jul 22	17:30	North Qld	Brisbane	Qld C.B.	
Sat	02 Jul 22	19:35	Souths	Parramatta	Accor	
Sun	03 Jul 22	14:00	Warriors	W Tigers	Mt Smart	
Sun	03 Jul 22	16:05	St Geo Illa	Canberra	WIN	

## ROUND 17

Thu	07 Jul 22	19:50	Cronulla	Melbourne	Pointsbet	
Fri	08 Jul 22	19:55	Newcastle	Souths	McD Jones	
Sat	09 Jul 22	19:35	W Tigers	Parramatta	Leichhardt	
Sun	10 Jul 22	16:05	Brisbane	St Geo Illa	Suncorp	

Byes: Canberra, Canterbury, Gold Coast, Manly, North Qld, Penrith, Sydney, Warriors

## STATE OF ORIGIN II -- WED 13 JUL (Suncorp, Brisbane)

## ROUND 18

Fri	15 Jul 22	18:00	North Qld	Cronulla	Qld C.B.	
Fri	15 Jul 22	19:55	Parramatta	Warriors	CommBank	
Sat	16 Jul 22	15:00	Sydney	St Geo Illa	Can. Coast	
Sat	16 Jul 22	17:30	Manly	Newcastle	4 Pines	
Sat	16 Jul 22	19:35	Gold Coast	Brisbane	Cbus Super	
Sun	17 Jul 22	14:00	W Tigers	Penrith	CommBank	
Sun	17 Jul 22	16:05	Melbourne	Canberra	AAMI Park	
Sun	17 Jul 22	18:15	Canterbury	Souths	Accor	

## ROUND 19

Thu	21 Jul 22	19:50	Parramatta	Brisbane	CommBank	
Fri	22 Jul 22	18:00	St Geo Illa	Manly	Netstrata	
Fri	22 Jul 22	19:55	Newcastle	Sydney	McD Jones	
Sat	23 Jul 22	15:00	Canberra	Warriors	GIO	
Sat	23 Jul 22	17:30	Penrith	Cronulla	Bluebet	
Sat	23 Jul 22	19:35	Souths	Melbourne	Accor	
Sun	24 Jul 22	14:00	Canterbury	Gold Coast	CommBank	
Sun	24 Jul 22	16:05	North Qld	W Tigers	Qld C.B.	

## ROUND 20

Thu	28 Jul 22	19:50	Manly	Sydney	4 Pines	
Fri	29 Jul 22	18:00	Warriors	Melbourne	Mt Smart	
Fri	29 Jul 22	19:55	Parramatta	Penrith	CommBank	
Sat	30 Jul 22	15:00	Gold Coast	Canberra	Cbus Super	
Sat	30 Jul 22	17:30	Cronulla	Souths	Pointsbet	
Sat	30 Jul 22	19:35	Brisbane	W Tigers	Suncorp	
Sun	31 Jul 22	14:00	Newcastle	Canterbury	McD Jones	
Sun	31 Jul 22	16:05	St Geo Illa	North Qld	Netstrata	

## ROUND 21

Thu	04 Aug 22	19:50	Sydney	Brisbane	SCG	
Fri	05 Aug 22	18:00	Melbourne	Gold Coast	AAMI Park	
Fri	05 Aug 22	19:55	Manly	Parramatta	4 Pines	
Sat	06 Aug 22	15:00	Souths	Warriors	Sun. Coast	
Sat	06 Aug 22	17:30	Canberra	Penrith	GIO	
Sat	06 Aug 22	19:35	Cronulla	St Geo Illa	Pointsbet	
Sun	07 Aug 22	14:00	Canterbury	North Qld	Bundaberg	
Sun	07 Aug 22	16:05	W Tigers	Newcastle	C'town	

## ROUND 22

Thu	11 Aug 22	19:50	Penrith	Melbourne	Bluebet	
Fri	12 Aug 22	18:00	Warriors	Canterbury	Mt Smart	
Fri	12 Aug 22	19:55	Parramatta	Souths	CommBank	
Sat	13 Aug 22	15:00	Sydney	North Qld	SCG	
Sat	13 Aug 22	17:30	W Tigers	Cronulla	Tamworth	
Sat	13 Aug 22	19:35	Brisbane	Newcastle	Suncorp	
Sun	14 Aug 22	14:00	Canberra	St Geo Illa	GIO	
Sun	14 Aug 22	16:05</				





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