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# STATS NOT GOOD

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THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC HAS  
INFLUENCED THE GAME

## Stand by your Mann

Newcastle's five-eighth on his side's  
season defining run of games ahead

## Two into one?

Why the mooted two-conference  
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**Warriors to stay in Australia til June**

VODAFONE Warriors CEO Cameron George has today confirmed the club has been forced to extend the NRL team's stay in Australia until June 21.

6 Mar 2021 9:59AM

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6 Mar 2021 12:03PM

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Pre Match **0:00**

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Round 1 - AAMI Park

#NRLStormSouths

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**Round 1:**

Form Guide	Upcoming Games	Form Guide	Upcoming Games
Yet to play this season	<p>Round 2 Bankwest Stadium</p> <p>Round 3 Panthers Stadium</p> <p>Round 4 AAMI Park</p> <p>Round 5 HBF Park</p>	Yet to play this season	<p>Round 2 LotoBank</p> <p>Round 3 Stadium Australia</p> <p>Round 4 Stadium Australia</p> <p>Round 5 Stadium Australia</p>

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# From the editor

Tim Costello

Last week, long-serving former player and referee Henry Perenara was forced into medical retirement from on-field duties. While former player-turned-official will remain as part of the NRL Bunker operations, a heart condition means he'll be doing so without a whistle or flag. All of us at LeagueUnlimited.com wish Henry all the best - see Pg 33 for more from the PRLMO.

Meanwhile - the game rolls on. We no longer have a winless team with Canterbury getting up over Cronulla on Saturday, while Penrith remain the high-flyers, unbeaten through seven rounds. The focus this week though - much like last week - has been on the match review committee and judiciary panel. After Latrell Mitchell's somewhat-controversial 4-match suspension in Round 6, the ANZAC weekend brought another slew of charges. The calls are growing stronger for an overhaul.

Plenty to love in this week's issue: a statistical analysis of the game and how rule changes since COVID have adversely impacted scorelines, a chat with Kurt Mann, a column on the mooted conference system, and of course the match program for Round 8. Happy reading!

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# WHAT'S (WITH) THE POINT(S)?

EXPLORING THE RULE CHANGES TO THE NRL SINCE COVID AND THEIR IMPACT ON THE GAME OVERALL

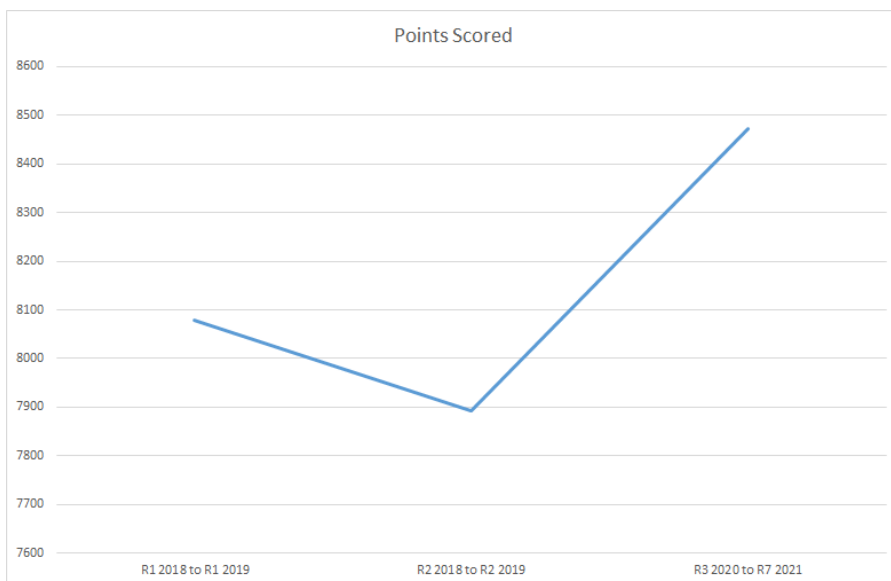
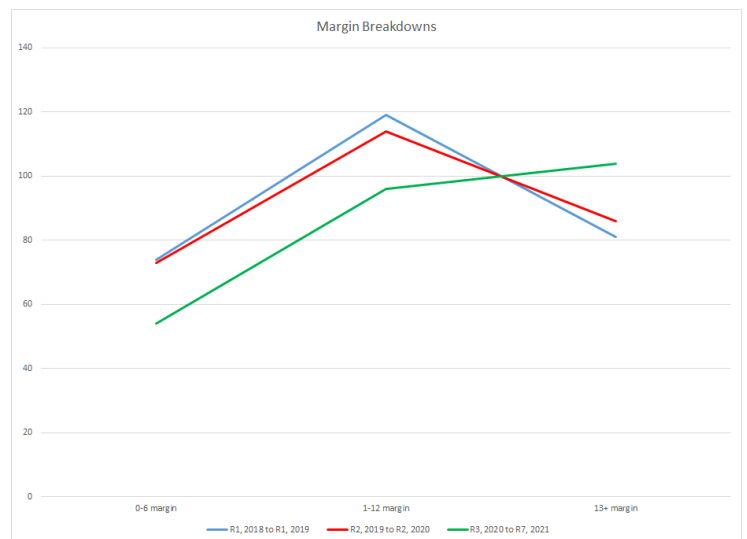
WORDS AND STATISTICS: ANDREW FERGUSON

**T**his season has seen plenty of points being scored already, which has seen fans question whether the significant changes to the game after it resumed from the COVID-19 break were to blame.

Meanwhile, some sections of the mainstream media, whose love for the ARLC boss Peter V'Landy's knows no bounds, took the alternate view that the new rules were not the reason.

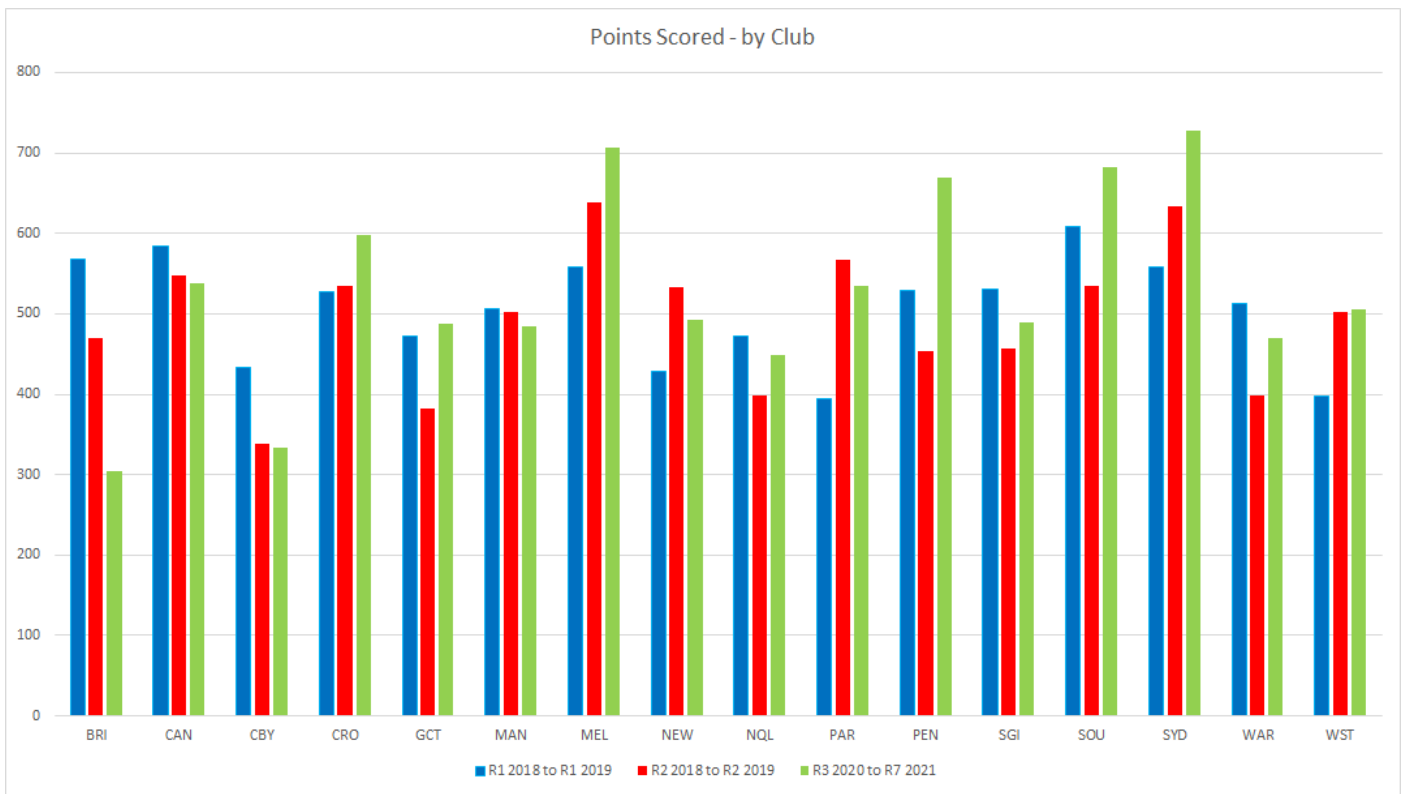
So, let's take a simplistic view to begin with. Are there more blowouts in game margins? The graph to the right looks at the last 600 Regular season games only (broken up into 3 groups of 200 games – with the most recent group of 200 games starting at Round 3, 2020 – under the new rules) ▶

The number of games decided by 6 points or less is decidedly less in the most recent period. The number of games decided by a margin of 12 points or less is also noticeably less. Furthermore, there is a much higher number of games decided by 13 points or more than in the two periods prior to covid. There's even been more 13+ margins than 1-12 margins over the last 200 games. Clear evidence that the game is definitely nowhere near as close as it was.



◀ If we take a look at the total number of points scored, we again see that the most recent period has had a dramatic increase. There's been 8473 points scored over the last 200 games, at an average of 42.37 points per game. In the 200 games prior there was 7892 points scored – 581 less.

But it's not just that simple. Not all teams have had an increase in their points scored. The Broncos attack has dropped off immensely across all 3 periods, while the Raiders, Bulldogs and Sea-Eagles have also gotten worse, but much more gradually. Ten of the 16 clubs though have seen their attack score more points in the latest period than the previous.



^ This is enough to prove that the majority of teams have found scoring points to be easier under covid.

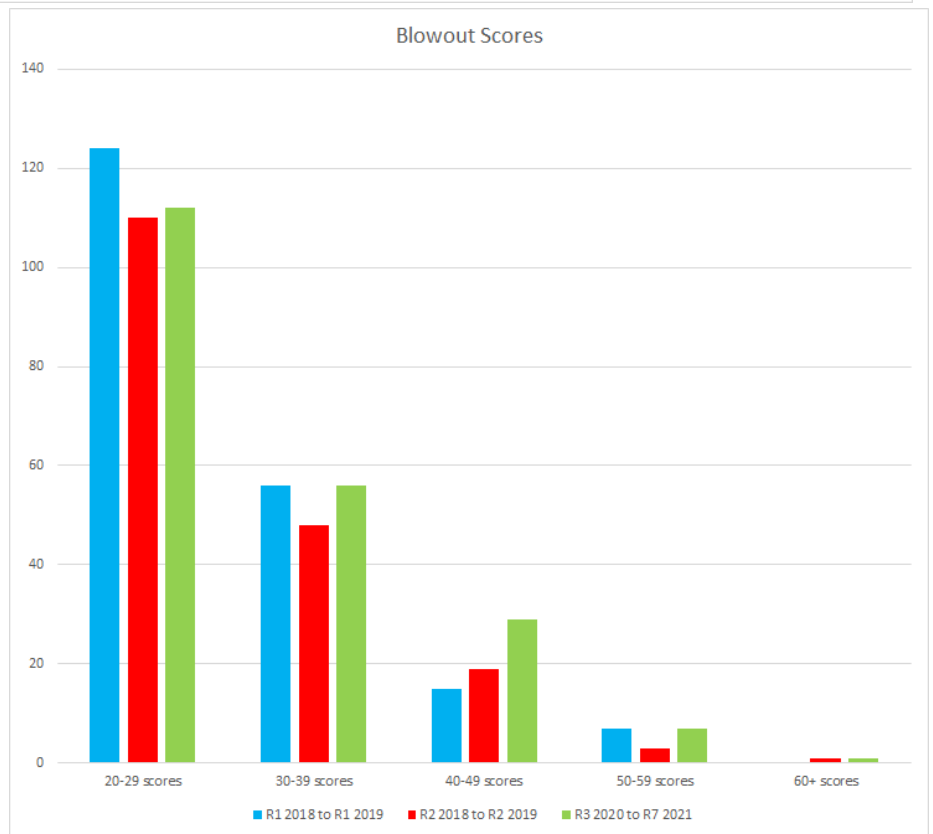
Finally, there has been an increase on the previous period for high scores, especially when it comes to scores of 40 or more. Since Round 3 last year, there have been 37 occasions where a score of 40 or more had been posted, compared to 23 occasions in the 200 games previous. >

Something has definitely happened since the game returned from the covid-19 break last year.

More points are being scored, the margin of games are considerably wider and most of the teams are scoring more points.

There are several factors, with the most telling being the loss of one referee, which means policing of the ruck has dropped significantly. The set restart rule allows teams to maintain possession for longer periods without stoppages – which, when combined with the 2 point field goal concept, appear to be constructs that are more closely aligned with Rugby Union than Rugby League.

The game was in a great spot on the field around the 2016-2018 period, with margins and scoring much closer than in a very long time. It was fantastic as it ensured every



game was possible of going down to the wire.

For some unknown reason, the game saw this as a negative and did away with it.

Now we have a product that is bordering on silly more than innovative. The pursuit of rule changing for the sake of rule changing has been entirely detrimental.

The game now has vastly less stoppages. It also has a higher number of injuries and concussions, which may very well indeed be a cause of this non-stop footy concept.

It's high time we accept that the rule changes were only for the covid-19 impacted seasons and roll them all back, return to the days where footy tipping was harder than sitting through an Episode of NRL360.

# ONE GAME AT A TIME

NEWCASTLE PREPARE TO ENTER SEASON-DEFINING STRETCH OF MATCHES

WORDS: PAUL JOBBER

**O**FF-CONTRACT Knights five-eighth Kurt Mann has been one of the club's more consistent performers so far in 2021.

It's little surprise he is trying not to read too much into what his future may hold as Newcastle prepare to face the high-flying Sydney Roosters on Saturday night.

"I haven't really thought about it a whole lot. You play good footy and that sort of stuff takes care of itself," he said of the contract situation on Monday.

Doubts surround whether tricolours' fullback James Tedesco will line up this weekend despite being named in Trent Robinson's squad on Tuesday.

But Mann admitted the Knights would have their work cut out whether the Blues custodian took to the field or not.

"I wouldn't say they're easy to beat regardless of who's playing," he said.

"A team coached by Trent Robinson is always going to be a hard team to beat, but it's a good test for us if he does play.

"We get to see where we're at this time of year."

Mann will again partner Blake Green in the halves as the Knights attempt to kick-start their season under lights.

The Roosters clash is the second game of a challenging

five-week stretch that continues against Canberra in Wagga Wagga next week.

They then head to Brisbane for Magic Round before another trip north the following week where the resurgent Cowboys await.

The next month of fixtures could well define the Knights' season after they opened with two successive wins.

"It's really important; it is a hard stretch but it is exciting," Mann said.

"Really looking forward to this part of the season especially with the run we've got coming up and as long as we put our best performance out there it gives us a chance in the long run."

Mann has played some good footy in the halves as the Knights attempt to navigate their way through an injury crisis that has wiped out Mitchell Pearce for half the season.

But he hasn't used Pearce's absence as an excuse for the team's clunky effort with the football in the opening seven rounds.

"We train every day with those people so it's not too untoward (having new faces every week)," he said.

"You build combinations over time with people, but the amount of training we do together it's pretty easy for someone new to slot in."



IMAGE: KNIGHTS MEDIA

# NOT TIME TO SPLIT

ROB CROSBY ON WHY THE NRL'S MOOTED 18-TEAM, TWO-CONFERENCE SYSTEM IN FUTURE YEARS WILL BE BAD FOR THE MEN IN RED AND BLUE

I hope the proposed two conference model floated by the NRL doesn't eventuate.

My reasoning for keeping the status quo may be selfish given my standing as a Newcastle supporter, but as a fan of a club that stands to lose under a raw deal, I feel this proposal treats the Knights and other teams outside of Sydney as second-class citizens.

As a Newcastle supporter who turned up week after week during the post-Bennett years to watch my side suffer 19 consecutive losses, the two conference model upsets me on a level that 'winning' three straight wooden spoons doesn't even come close to.

Newcastle has a connection to the Sydney teams that dates back to the very foundations of rugby league back in 1908. Just as Eastern Suburbs and South Sydney were foundation clubs, a team from Newcastle participated in the 1908 and 1909 premiership seasons.

When the Knights were admitted into the NSWRL for the 1988 season, the club forged rivalries with each of the Sydney clubs that continue to this day.

Souths can boast about their Book of Feuds; as a Newcastle fan I carry our rivalries in the core of who I am.

The Newcastle Knights played their first match in the NSWRL against the Parramatta Eels in 1988. 13 years later the teams faced off in the 2001 Grand Final – a match that lives long in the memory of Novocastrians.

The Knights and Sea Eagles have enjoyed a huge rivalry originating in the 1988 pre-season and culminating in the 1997 ARL Grand Final.

When Mitchell Pearce kissed the Newcastle crest against the Roosters two years ago I was overwhelmed with joy.



Akuila Uate scored four tries to lead the Knights into the 2011 finals after defeating South Sydney in a do-or-die final round match.

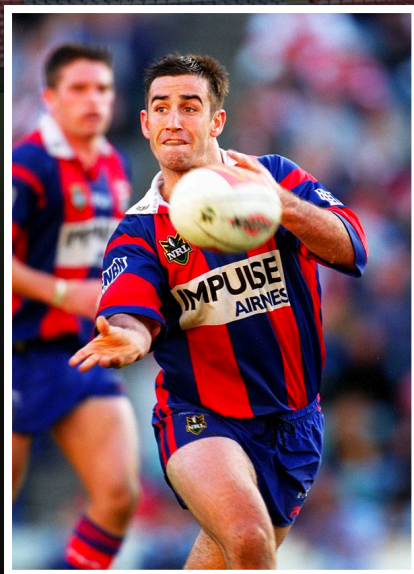


Hazem El Masri broke Newcastle hearts with his famous sideline conversion in 2002.

The Sharks dealt the Knights a devastating 62-0 loss in 2016. The Knights defeated their Sutherland rivals by a field goal in the 1995 finals series.



The Knights produced one of the greatest performances in the club's history against the Panthers following the COVID resumption last season.



Darren Albert became the first Newcastle player to score four tries in a match against the Tigers in 2000. Kurt Gidley kicked a penalty goal after the siren that helped the side avoid the wooden spoon in 2007.

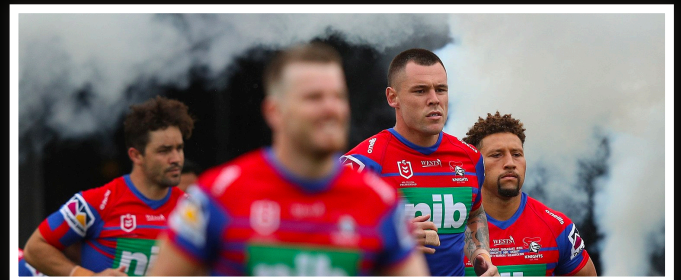
Andrew Johns nailed a conversion from the sideline in 2003 to defeat the Dragons.

All these moments have made the Knights into one of the great rugby league clubs. These moments carry meaning to Newcastle supporters because of the Sydney clubs.

Denying the Knights the chance to compete against Sydney teams cuts at the core of the club.

The NRL have tested a host of ill-conceived ideas in recent years such as a finals wildcard weekend.

I hope for the sanctity of what it means to be a Newcastle supporter that the two conference proposal goes the same way.



# PREMIERSHIP LADDER

2021 NRL Telstra Premiership after Round 7

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Pos	Team	Overall								Home						Away							
		P	W	L	D	F	A	PD	Pts	P	W	L	D	F	A	PD	P	W	L	D	F	A	PD
1	Penrith Panthers	7	7	-	-	184	44	140	14	4	4	-	-	90	26	64	3	3	-	-	94	18	76
2	Parramatta Eels	7	6	1	-	197	96	101	12	4	3	1	-	102	48	54	3	3	-	-	95	48	47
3	South Sydney Rabbitohs	7	6	1	-	201	104	97	12	3	3	-	-	79	36	43	4	3	1	-	122	68	54
4	Melbourne Storm	7	5	2	-	202	94	108	10	4	4	-	-	128	48	80	3	1	2	-	74	46	28
5	Sydney Roosters	7	5	2	-	198	96	102	10	4	4	-	-	138	44	94	3	1	2	-	60	52	8
6	St George Illawarra Dragons	7	4	3	-	153	141	12	8	3	1	2	-	70	64	6	4	3	1	-	83	77	6
7	Gold Coast Titans	7	3	4	-	154	155	-1	6	4	2	2	-	104	92	12	3	1	2	-	50	63	-13
8	Canberra Raiders	7	3	4	-	137	151	-14	6	3	1	2	-	71	81	-10	4	2	2	-	66	70	-4
9	Warriors	7	3	4	-	133	158	-25	6	3	1	2	-	47	39	8	4	2	2	-	86	119	-33
10	Newcastle Knights	7	3	4	-	133	166	-33	6	4	2	2	-	91	84	7	3	1	2	-	42	82	-40
11	Manly Warringah Sea Eagles	7	3	4	-	123	174	-51	6	3	1	2	-	54	72	-18	4	2	2	-	69	102	-33
12	North Queensland Cowboys	7	3	4	-	126	213	-87	6	4	2	2	-	82	111	-29	3	1	2	-	44	102	-58
13	Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks	7	2	5	-	146	138	8	4	3	1	2	-	70	40	30	4	1	3	-	76	98	-22
14	Wests Tigers	7	1	6	-	114	218	-104	2	4	-	4	-	64	150	-86	3	1	2	-	50	68	-18
15	Brisbane Broncos	7	1	6	-	86	193	-107	2	3	1	2	-	52	44	8	4	-	4	-	34	149	-115
16	Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs	7	1	6	-	70	216	-146	2	3	-	3	-	18	118	-100	4	1	3	-	52	98	-46

## STATS LEADERS 2021 NRL Telstra Premiership after Round 7

### Top Pointscorers

Rank	Player	Team	Position(s)	P	T	G	FG	Pts
1	Ryan PAPHUYZEN	Melbourne	Fullback	5	8	24	-	80
2	Adam REYNOLDS	Souths	Halfback	7	3	29	2	74
3	Nathan CLEARY	Penrith	Halfback	6	2	25	1	60
	Zac LOMAX	St Geo Illa	Centre	7	3	24	-	60
5	Reuben GARRICK	Manly	Wing	7	5	19	-	58
6	Jamal FOGARTY	Gold Coast	Halfback	7	1	23	-	50
7	Mitchell MOSES	Parramatta	Halfback	7	-	24	1	49
8	Kodi NIKORIMA	Warriors	Five-Eighth	7	2	20	-	48
9	Valentine HOLMES	North Qld	Fullback, Wing	7	2	19	-	46
	Chad TOWNSEND	Cronulla	Halfback	7	-	23	-	46

### Top Tryscorer

Rank	Player	Team	Position(s)	P	T
1	Brett MORRIS	Sydney	Wing	6	11
2	David FIFITA	Gold Coast	2nd Row	7	9
3	Ryan PAPHUYZEN	Melbourne	Fullback	5	8
4	Maika SIVO	Parramatta	Wing	7	7
	James TEDESCO	Sydney	Fullback	7	7
6	Xavier COATES	Brisbane	Wing	7	6
	Matthew DUFTY	St Geo Illa	Fullback	7	6
	Alex JOHNSTON	Souths	Fullback, Wing	7	6
	Will KENNEDY	Cronulla	Fullback	7	6
	Jordan RAPANA	Canberra	Wing	7	6
	Corey THOMPSON	Gold Coast	Wing	7	6
	Cody WALKER	Souths	Five-Eighth	6	6

### Top Goalkickers

Rank	Player	Team	Position(s)	P	G	A	%
1	Adam REYNOLDS	Souths	Halfback	7	29	37	78%
2	Nathan CLEARY	Penrith	Halfback	6	25	31	81%
3	Zac LOMAX	St Geo Illa	Centre	7	24	28	86%
	Mitchell MOSES	Parramatta	Halfback	7	24	32	75%
	Ryan PAPHUYZEN	Melbourne	Fullback	5	24	29	83%
6	Jamal FOGARTY	Gold Coast	Halfback	7	23	27	85%
	Chad TOWNSEND	Cronulla	Halfback	7	23	29	79%
8	Kodi NIKORIMA	Warriors	Five-Eighth	7	20	23	87%
9	Reuben GARRICK	Manly	Wing	7	19	23	83%
	Valentine HOLMES	North Qld	Fullback, Wing	7	19	23	83%

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Who's celebrating this week?

28 April - 4 May

Player (Club)	Date	Turning...
Daniel Saifiti (Newcastle)	Saturday 1 May	25
Jacob Saifiti (Newcastle)	Saturday 1 May	25
Jesse Bromwich (Melbourne)	Monday 3 May	32
Max King (Melbourne)	Tuesday 4 May	24
Joseph Tapine (Canberra)	Tuesday 4 May	27

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# GAME DAY

ROUND 8 MATCH PROGRAM

TEAM LISTS · MATCH DETAILS & STATS · PREVIEWS

THURSDAY



**CANBERRA**  
v **SOUTH SYDNEY**  
GIO Stadium

FRIDAY



**MELBOURNE**  
v **CRONULLA**  
AAMI Park



**BRISBANE**  
v **GOLD COAST**  
Suncorp Stadium

SATURDAY



**PENRITH**  
v **MANLY**  
Carrington Park

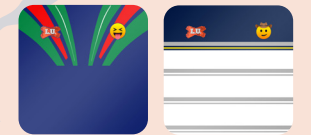


**CANTERBURY**  
v **PARRAMATTA**  
Stadium Australia



**NEWCASTLE**  
v **SYDNEY**  
McDonald Jones

SUNDAY



**WARRIORS**  
v **NORTH QLD**  
Central Coast Stadium



**ST GEO ILLA**  
v **WESTS TIGERS**  
WIN Stadium

## WEEKLY TIPS Round 8

(Last week's correct tips / Total for 2021)

**Hamish Parker (5/41)**

Canberra  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
Warriors  
St George Illawarra

**Paul Jobber (6/39)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
Warriors  
St George Illawarra

**Justin Davies (5/38)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
Warriors  
St George Illawarra

**Rick Edgerton (6/38)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Manly  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
Warriors  
St George Illawarra

**Lachy MacCorquodale (5/36)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
North Queensland  
St George Illawarra

**Andrew Ferguson (5/36)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
North Queensland  
Wests Tigers

**Rob Crosby (4/35)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Newcastle  
North Queensland  
St George Illawarra

**Steven Williams (6/41)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
Warriors  
St George Illawarra

**Josh Robertson (6/39)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
Warriors  
St George Illawarra

**Sam Bourke (6/38)**

Canberra  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
Warriors  
St George Illawarra

**Jason Hosken (6/37)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
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**Adam Huxtable (5/36)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
North Queensland  
St George Illawarra

**Tim Costello (6/36)**

South Sydney  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Canterbury  
Sydney Roosters  
Warriors  
St George Illawarra

**Andrew Jackson (4/29)**

Canberra  
Melbourne  
Gold Coast  
Penrith  
Parramatta  
Sydney Roosters  
Warriors  
St George Illawarra

# Canberra RAIDERS



# South Sydney RABBITOHS

P	T	G	FG	Pts	Age		
2	-	-	-	-	23	Caleb AEKINS	<b>1</b>
6	-	-	-	-	23	Bailey SIMONSSON	<b>2</b>
6	1	-	-	4	22	Sebastian KRIS	<b>3</b>
5	-	-	-	-	23	Curtis SCOTT	<b>4</b>
7	6	-	-	24	32	Jordan RAPANA	<b>5</b>
7	2	-	-	8	28	Jack WIGHTON	<b>6</b>
7	3	7	1	27	26	George WILLIAMS	<b>7</b>
6	1	-	-	4	30	Ryan JAMES	<b>8</b>
5	-	-	-	-	23	Tom STARLING	<b>9</b>
2	1	-	-	4	23	Emre GULER	<b>10</b>
1	-	-	-	-	26	Corey HARAWIRA-NAERA	<b>11</b>
7	1	-	-	4	32	Elliott WHITEHEAD	<b>12</b>
7	2	-	-	8	26	Ryan SUTTON	<b>13</b>
7	-	-	-	-	28	Siliva HAVILI	<b>14</b>
5	-	-	-	-	27	Joseph TAPINE	<b>15</b>
1	-	-	-	-	23	Corey HORSBURGH	<b>16</b>
6	2	-	-	8	23	Hudson YOUNG	<b>17</b>
-	-	-	-	-	21	Matt TIMOKO	<b>18</b>
6	1	-	-	4	35	Iosia SOLIOLA	<b>19</b>
-	-	-	-	-	26	Matt FRAWLEY	<b>20</b>
3	-	-	-	-	31	Dunamis LUI	<b>21</b>

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		Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
<b>1</b>	Cody WALKER	31	6	6	-	-	24
<b>2</b>	Alex JOHNSTON	26	7	6	-	-	24
<b>3</b>	Dane GAGAI	30	7	3	-	-	12
<b>4</b>	Campbell GRAHAM	22	7	1	-	-	4
<b>5</b>	Jaxson PAULO	21	2	1	-	-	4
<b>6</b>	Benji MARSHALL	36	7	3	-	-	12
<b>7</b>	Adam REYNOLDS	31	7	3	29	2	74
<b>8</b>	Thomas BURGESS	29	7	1	-	-	4
<b>9</b>	Damien COOK	30	7	1	-	-	4
<b>10</b>	Tevita TATOLA	24	7	-	-	-	-
<b>11</b>	Keaon KOLOAMATANGI	23	5	-	-	-	-
<b>12</b>	Jaydn SU'A	23	7	-	-	-	-
<b>13</b>	Cameron MURRAY	23	7	1	-	-	4
<b>14</b>	Mark NICHOLLS	31	7	-	-	-	-
<b>15</b>	Liam KNIGHT	26	2	-	-	-	-
<b>16</b>	Jacob HOST	24	4	-	-	-	-
<b>17</b>	Jai ARROW	26	7	-	-	-	-
<b>18</b>	Steven MARSTERS	21	-	-	-	-	-
<b>19</b>	Hame SELE	24	-	-	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	Patrick MAGO	26	4	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	Dean HAWKINS	22	1	-	-	-	-

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# #NRLRaidersSouths

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Thursday 29 April 2021
KICKOFF	7:50pm AEST
VENUE	GIO Stadium Canberra, Bruce ACT
WATCH	Nine Network & 9Now, Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC, MIX Canberra, Triple M SYD/BNE, NRL Nation
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Ben CUMMINS
TOUCH JUDGES	Peter GOUGH Liam KENNEDY
NRL BUNKER	Henry PERENARA

## Match Stats

### HEAD TO HEAD: 57 MATCHES

**CANBERRA 34-23 (No draws)**

At GIO Stadium: 17 matches, Canberra 11-6

### LAST TEN: CANBERRA 7-3

SEASON	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2014	4	Canberra 30-18	Stadium Aus.	16,032
2014	20	Souths 34-18	GIO Stadium	9,526
2015	8	Canberra 30-22	Barlow Park	8,713
2016	21	Canberra 54-4	Stadium Aus.	10,076
2017	21	Canberra 32-18	Stadium Aus.	9,112
2018	7	Souths 42-22	Central Coast	15,134
2018	24	Canberra 24-12	GIO Stadium	15,990
2019	10	Souths 16-12	GIO Stadium	16,965
2019	PF	Canberra 16-10	GIO Stadium	26,567
2020	11	Canberra 18-12	GIO Stadium	1,629

### BIGGEST WINS

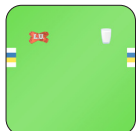
1982	1	Souths 37-7	Redfern Oval	6929
2013	16	Souths 32-2	Stadium Aus.	11167
2016	21	Canberra 54-4	Stadium Aus.	10076

### MILESTONES

PLAYER	MILESTONE	NEEDS...
Jarrold Croker (CAN)	2200 club & career points	8 points
Canberra (since 1982)	3700 tries	3 tries

Match stats courtesy of

**RUGBY LEAGUE**  
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### NEXT THREE: CANBERRA

R9	NEWCASTLE	HOME	WAGGA
R10	CANTERBURY	MAGIC (A)	SUNCORP
R11	MELBOURNE	HOME	GIO



### NEXT THREE: SOUTH SYDNEY

R9	MELBOURNE	HOME	STAD. AUS.
R10	CRONULLA	MAGIC (A)	SUNCORP
R11	PENRITH	HOME	DUBBO

# Match Preview

## with Andrew Jackson

The Canberra Raiders entered the 2021 season with premiership ambitions.

After just seven rounds though they look like anything but title contenders and in desperate need of a character-building victory.

Fortunately for Ricky Stuart, all he has to do is put a replay of Canberra's last meeting against this week's opposition.

"We always used the word 'proud'. It's easy to say after you win. But proud of the heart they showed tonight," Stuart said after the Raiders' 18-12 win over the Rabbitohs in Round 12 last season.

Touching on the "character" of the club, Stuart lauded how his players were able to hold South Sydney to just two tries despite him only being able to name 20 players in Tuesday's team list.

Then Charnze Nicoll-Klokstad went down in the game itself.

Stuart has 'rested' front rower Josh Papalii in a major change this week while Seb Kris starts for the injured Jarrod Croker.

It has been quite a long time since that inspired win over Souths, with Canberra instead blasted for an "embarrassing" display against North Queensland last week.

The Rabbitohs also were highly-touted premiership chances this year but under the guidance of Wayne Bennett they have lived up to expectations so far.

Last week against in a 40-30 comeback win against the Titans it all started with Benji Marshall – a flashy playmaker "no one wanted."

Marshall was at his scheming best in attack, playing with a tempo similar to that of the much younger Nathan Cleary and dictating terms to ease pressure on Adam Reynolds.

"I keep reading about clubs that are going to have overhauls of players...here's a guy that nobody wanted," Bennett said of Marshall post-game.

"He has been wonderful for us – we love having him and he loves playing for us. You can't have a better relationship than that."

Keaon Koloamatangi also played a starring role in helping the Rabbitohs overcome a 24-10 deficit and storm home against the Gold Coast.

The challenge now will be to back it up in the nation's capital.

**Who to watch:** There are a lot of interesting match-ups this week but let's focus on the battle of the No. 9s. So much has been made in recent weeks of Josh Hodgson stunting Canberra's attack, overplaying his hand and not capitalising on the new rules which suit a hooker with a strong running game. Enter **Starling** who ran for a season-high 70 metres in last week's loss at North Queensland. Starling's greatest strength is the hard-edged simplicity he plays with, carting the ball forward and getting Canberra's forwards going.

Meanwhile, South Sydney have their own speedster in **Damien Cook**. With Marshall, Cody Walker and Reynolds all ball-playing options in the spine, it opens up Cook to put his energy into playing quick and direct – just as he likes it. Both will have a significant bearing on the performances of their forwards by extension.

**Favourite:** Superior form sees Souths installed comfortable favourites.

**My tip:** This shapes as the perfect opportunity for the Raiders to make a statement and re-announce themselves as premiership contenders, particularly given it is a home game. If the Raiders can match the Rabbitohs' energy and intensity up front they have a serious chance. **Canberra by 7.**

# Melbourne STORM



# Cronulla-Sutherland SHARKS

P	T	G	FG	Pts	Age		
5	2	-	-	8	25	Nicholas HYNES	<b>1</b>
7	3	-	-	12	24	Reimis SMITH	<b>2</b>
7	-	-	-	-	29	Tom EISENHUTH	<b>3</b>
7	4	-	-	16	27	Justin OLAM	<b>4</b>
7	4	1	-	18	26	Josh ADDO-CARR	<b>5</b>
7	2	6	-	20	26	Cameron MUNSTER	<b>6</b>
7	2	-	-	8	26	Jahrome HUGHES	<b>7</b>
7	-	-	-	-	32	Jesse BROMWICH	<b>8</b>
7	1	-	-	4	25	Brandon SMITH	<b>9</b>
7	1	-	-	4	27	Christian WELCH	<b>10</b>
5	2	-	-	8	29	Felise KAUFUSI	<b>11</b>
7	-	-	-	-	29	Kenneath BROMWICH	<b>12</b>
7	1	-	-	4	27	Tui KAMIKAMICA	<b>13</b>
3	1	-	-	4	23	Harry GRANT	<b>14</b>
1	-	-	-	-	29	Dale FINUCANE	<b>15</b>
4	-	-	-	-	29	Chris LEWIS	<b>16</b>
-	-	-	-	-	28	Ryley JACKS	<b>17</b>
-	-	-	-	-	25	Aaron PENE	<b>18</b>
-	-	-	-	-	19	Dean IEREMIA	<b>19</b>
1	-	-	-	-	20	Trent LOIERO	<b>20</b>
-	-	-	-	-	23	Isaac LUMELUME	<b>21</b>

Craig BELLAMY

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		Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
<b>1</b>	Will KENNEDY	24	7	6	-	-	24
<b>2</b>	Mawene HIROTI	22	5	4	-	-	16
<b>3</b>	Will CHAMBERS	32	-	-	-	-	-
<b>4</b>	Jesse RAMIEN	24	4	1	-	-	4
<b>5</b>	Connor TRACEY	25	7	3	-	-	12
<b>6</b>	Shaun JOHNSON	30	1	-	-	-	-
<b>7</b>	Chad TOWNSEND	30	7	-	23	-	46
<b>8</b>	Aiden TOLMAN	32	6	-	-	-	-
<b>9</b>	Blayne BRAILEY	22	7	1	-	-	4
<b>10</b>	Aaron WOODS	30	7	1	-	-	4
<b>11</b>	Briton NIKORA	23	5	1	-	-	4
<b>12</b>	Wade GRAHAM	30	5	-	-	-	-
<b>13</b>	Toby RUDOLF	25	7	-	-	-	-
<b>14</b>	Teigan WILTON	21	5	1	-	-	4
<b>15</b>	Braydon TRINDALL	22	3	-	-	-	-
<b>16</b>	Jack WILLIAMS	24	7	1	-	-	4
<b>17</b>	Braden HAMLIN-UELE	26	7	-	-	-	-
<b>18</b>	Matt MOYLAN	30	6	1	-	-	4
<b>19</b>	Billy MAGOULIAS	24	7	-	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	Franklin PELE	20	-	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	Josh DUGAN	31	6	3	-	-	12

Josh HANNAY

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# #NRLStormSharks

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Friday 30 April 2021
KICKOFF	6:00pm AEST
VENUE	AAMI Park, Melbourne VIC
WATCH	Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC, NRL Nation, Triple M SYD/BNE
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Gerard SUTTON
TOUCH JUDGES	Jon STONE Wyatt RAYMOND
NRL BUNKER	Matt NOYEN

## Match Stats

### HEAD TO HEAD: 40 MATCHES

### MELBOURNE 25-15 (No draws)

At AAMI Park: 11 matches, Melbourne 9-2

### LAST TEN: 5-ALL

SEASON	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2016	26	Melbourne 26-6	AAMI Park	24,135
2016	GF	Cronulla 14-12	Stadium Aus.	83,625
2017	6	Cronulla 11-2	AAMI Park	12,694
2017	14	Melbourne 18-13	PointsBet Stadium	7,912
2018	4	Cronulla 14-4	PointsBet Stadium	13,196
2018	22	Cronulla 17-14	AAMI Park	16,709
2018	PF	Melbourne 22-6	AAMI Park	26,621
2019	8	Cronulla 20-18	PointsBet Stadium	7,683
2019	17	Melbourne 40-16	AAMI Park	22,737
2020	2	Melbourne 12-10	Netstrata Jubilee	-

### BIGGEST WINS

2005	22	Cronulla 40-16	PointsBet Stadium	13575
2014	23	Melbourne 48-6	AAMI Park	12185

### MILESTONES

PLAYER	MILESTONE	NEEDS...
Brenko Lee (MEL)	100 career points	4 points
Jahrome Hughes (MEL)	100 career points	4 points
	and 100 club points	8 points
Justin Olam (MEL)	100 club & career points	12 points
Melbourne (since 2009)	100 wins at AAMI Park	1 wins
Josh Dugan (CRO)	100 club points	4 points
Matt Moylan (CRO)	50 club games	1 game
Sione Katoa (CRO)	100 club & career points	2 points

Match stats courtesy of **RUGBY LEAGUE project**



### NEXT THREE: MELBOURNE

R9	SOUTH SYDNEY	AWAY	STAD. AUS.
R10	ST GEORGE ILLA.	MAGIC (H)	SUNCORP
R11	CANBERRA	AWAY	GIO



### NEXT THREE: CRONULLA

R9	PENRITH	AWAY	BLUEBET
R10	SOUTH SYDNEY	MAGIC (H)	SUNCORP
R11	ST GEORGE ILLA.	HOME	NETSTRATA

# Match Preview

## with Emile El-Azar

Melbourne Storm meet Cronulla in the 6pm Friday timeslot, a kickoff time that is an insult to every single Rugby League fan. (But please, keep telling us how you're "giving the game back to the fans").

Melbourne come off a clinical dismantling of the New Zealand Warriors, however they did concede 20 points in the end, which they would have copped a roasting for by coach Bellamy, because they have higher standards than any team in the NRL. The Storm are chasing their 5th win in a row.

Cronulla, well, I told you last week they would lose to Canterbury. You don't treat a coach like the Sharks board and management did last week, without it affecting the playing group.

In team news, Melbourne are forced into two concussion-related changes, with George Jennings and Nelson Asofa-Solomona sitting the week out. As a result, Reimis Smith moves to the wing, and Tom Eisenhuth starting at centre. Chris Lewis comes in onto the bench.

Sadly for Storm fans, Ryan Papenhuyzen misses another week with his shoulder injury.

For the Sharks, captain Wade Graham is back, after two games out with a head knock, Will Chambers will make his Cronulla debut against his former club. Aiden Tolman returns to the side after his suspension, to also line up against his former club.

Matt Moylan will be given a chance to prove his fitness, being named on the extended bench. Josh Dugan is demoted to the extended bench, and Siosifa Talakai is out suspended.

These 2 teams have played 6 times since 2018, and it's 3 wins a piece, however the Storm have won the last two matchups, the last time they met was in an empty stadium Covid clash, that the Storm won 12-10.

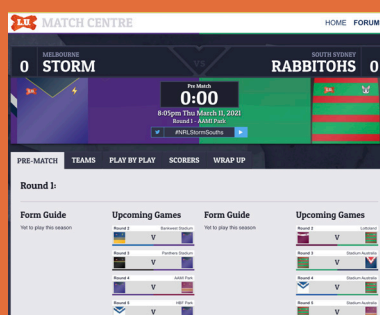
**Who to watch:** For Melbourne, it is always a pleasure to watch this team. Of most interest is watching the development of **Jahrome Hughes** into an elite half. He was outstanding last week against the Warriors, and I'm expecting to see him repeat the dose this week.

For Cronulla, if they're going to get anything out of this game, **Shaun Johnson** will have to absolutely play out of his skin. He'll be better for the run last week.

**Favourite:** Melbourne are comfortable, clear cut favourites. You won't get anything back for your dollar, unless you have a house to put on. (Gamble responsibly).

**My tip:** Oh this one is going to get messy. Cronulla have invited drama and division to their club and they got punished for it last week, and they will continue to be punished for it this week.

This is Melbourne's league and we all just live in it. Sorry (not sorry) Penrith, but this Storm outfit is far and away the best team in this league. **Melbourne by 30.**



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# Brisbane BRONCOS



# Gold Coast TITANS

P	T	G	FG	Pts	Age		
7	2	13	-	34	25	Jamayne ISAAKO	<b>1</b>
7	6	-	-	24	20	Xavier COATES	<b>2</b>
-	-	-	-	-	22	Jesse ARTHARS	<b>3</b>
5	-	-	-	-	21	Herbie FARNWORTH	<b>4</b>
2	-	-	-	-	26	Corey OATES	<b>5</b>
5	-	-	-	-	27	Anthony MILFORD	<b>6</b>
-	-	-	-	-	24	Tyson GAMBLE	<b>7</b>
5	-	-	-	-	26	Matt LODGE	<b>8</b>
7	-	-	-	-	24	Jake TURPIN	<b>9</b>
4	-	-	-	-	21	Payne HAAS	<b>10</b>
7	-	-	-	-	21	Jordan RIKI	<b>11</b>
7	3	-	-	12	25	Tevita PANGAI JR	<b>12</b>
6	-	-	-	-	23	Patrick CARRIGAN	<b>13</b>
1	-	-	-	-	25	Danny LEVI	<b>14</b>
7	-	-	-	-	22	Thomas FLEGLER	<b>15</b>
5	1	-	-	4	21	Ethan BULLEMOR	<b>16</b>
3	-	-	-	-	26	Rhys KENNEDY	<b>17</b>
5	1	-	-	4	20	Fanitesi NIU	<b>18</b>
4	-	-	-	-	28	John ASIATA	<b>19</b>
7	1	-	-	4	32	David MEAD	<b>20</b>
7	-	-	-	-	24	Brodie CROFT	<b>21</b>

Kevin WALTERS

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		Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
<b>1</b>	AJ BRIMSON	22	7	2	-	-	8
<b>2</b>	Anthony DON	33	4	-	-	-	-
<b>3</b>	Brian KELLY	25	4	-	-	-	-
<b>4</b>	Phillip SAMI	24	5	1	-	-	4
<b>5</b>	Corey THOMPSON	31	7	6	-	-	24
<b>6</b>	Ashley TAYLOR	26	5	-	-	-	-
<b>7</b>	Jamal FOGARTY	27	7	1	23	-	50
<b>8</b>	Jarrod WALLACE	30	7	1	-	-	4
<b>9</b>	Mitch REIN	31	7	-	-	-	-
<b>10</b>	Moeaki FOTUAIKA	21	7	1	-	-	4
<b>11</b>	Kevin PROCTOR	32	7	1	-	-	4
<b>12</b>	David FIFITA	21	7	9	-	-	36
<b>13</b>	Tyrone PEACHEY	30	7	1	-	-	4
<b>14</b>	Erin CLARK	23	7	1	-	-	4
<b>15</b>	Jaimin JOLLIFFE	24	7	1	-	-	4
<b>16</b>	Herman ESE'ESE	26	-	-	-	-	-
<b>17</b>	Sam McINTYRE	23	1	-	-	-	-
<b>18</b>	Beau FERMOR	22	-	-	-	-	-
<b>19</b>	Tanah BOYD	21	2	-	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	Jai WHITBREAD	23	-	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	Darius FARMER	22	-	-	-	-	-

Justin HOLBROOK

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# #NRLBroncosTitans

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Friday 30 April 2021
KICKOFF	7:55pm AEST
VENUE	Suncorp Stadium, Milton QLD
WATCH	Nine Network & 9Now, Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC, 2GB/4BC, Triple M BNE
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Adam GEE
TOUCH JUDGES	Belinda SHARPE Todd SMITH
NRL BUNKER	Steve CHIDDY

## Match Stats

### HEAD TO HEAD: 30 MATCHES

### BRISBANE 20-10 (No draw)

At Suncorp: 15 matches, Brisbane 11-4

### LAST TEN: 5-ALL

SEASON	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2016	QF	Brisbane 44-28	Suncorp Stadium	43.170
2017	7	Brisbane 24-22	Suncorp Stadium	34.592
2017	22	Brisbane 54-0	Cbus Super	21.716
2018	4	Gold Coast 26-14	Suncorp Stadium	30.742
2018	17	Brisbane 34-0	Cbus Super	18.005
2019	13	Gold Coast 26-18	Suncorp Stadium	30.048
2019	19	Brisbane 34-12	Cbus Super	16.201
2020	7	Gold Coast 30-12	Suncorp Stadium	6.262
2020	18	Gold Coast 18-6	Cbus Super	9.729
2021	2	Gold Coast 28-16	Cbus Super	17.822

### BIGGEST WINS

2017	22	Brisbane 54-0	Cbus Super	21,716
2020	7	Gold Coast 30-12	Suncorp Stadium	6262

### MILESTONES

PLAYER	MILESTONE	NEEDS...
Tyrone Peachey (GLD)	200 career points	8 points

Match stats courtesy of

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### NEXT THREE: BRISBANE

R9	NORTH QLD	AWAY	QLD C.B.
R10	MANLY	MAGIC (A)	SUNCORP
R11	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	AWAY	SCG



### NEXT THREE: GOLD COAST

R9	WESTS TIGERS	AWAY	C'BELLTOWN
R10	PENRITH	MAGIC (H)	SUNCORP
R11	CANTERBURY	HOME	CBUS SUPER

# Match Preview

## with Hamish Parker

Derby heats up as both teams search for form

The Brisbane Broncos and the Gold Coast Titans play out their second local derby of the 2021 season on Friday night, with both coming off back-to-back losses.

Broncos fans will be wondering where their team's spirit went, after putting up a great fight against competition leaders Penrith, before going down in a 46-6 drubbing to Parramatta the following week.

Gold Coast on the other hand, have failed to live up to a lot of expectations so far this season and are no doubt looking to turn it around after letting a 24-6 half-time lead slip last week.

Brisbane have made a number of changes after their thrashing in Darwin last weekend. Jesse Arthurs will start at centre, replacing David Mead. Another new look halves pairing will line up for Brisbane, with Anthony Milford being recalled to the team and Tyson Gamble at halfback.

Brodie Croft is in the reserves and Tom Dearden has been dropped completely from the squad following the announcement of his signing with the Cowboys earlier during the week.

Titans coach Justin Holbrook has also made a number of changes to his team that went down to South Sydney last Friday night. Anthony Don is back in the team, with Phillip Sami going to centre and Patrick Herbert dropping out of the side completely.

Herman Ese'ese has come onto the bench for Sam Lisone, rounding out the team changes for this clash.

**Who to watch:** Look to see how **Anthony Milford** responds as he comes back into first grade for the first time since Round 5. This could really be make or break for Milford's career, so he absolutely must put in a solid performance against their local rivals.

**David Fifita** is up against his former club for the second time this year. This time though, the Titans are coming off two straight losses and are facing a bit of adversity. Fifita must take on a real leadership role to get the Titans over the line. He was brought to the club as a big game player and someone who can influence the team's performance tremendously. A first half hat-trick from him last week saw his side leading convincingly at half time, however they were not able to finish the job. Fifita will be a large part of making sure that does not happen again.

**Favourite:** The Titans are favourites to get the win over their rivals from up the highway once again.

**My tip:** There is a lot on the line for both sides in this one. The Broncos are trying to avoid staying in touch with Canterbury at the bottom of the ladder and potentially getting their second straight wooden spoon. There is plenty to prove also for the likes of Anthony Milford, who could be on his final chance to save his career.

The Titans are out to silence some of the critics who believe they are underperforming this season and get a win. The Broncos have shown they can be brave against Penrith, however to follow it up with a shocking performance against the Eels showed that they are still a largely struggling side.

It's hard to see them improving so dramatically from last week and the Titans are a better side. **Gold Coast by 14.**

# Penrith PANTHERS



# Manly-Warringah SEA EAGLES

P	T	G	FG	Pts	Age		
4	2	-	-	8	25	Dylan EDWARDS	<b>1</b>
7	3	-	-	12	20	Charlie STAINES	<b>2</b>
7	1	4	-	12	20	Stephen CRICHTON	<b>3</b>
5	4	-	-	16	21	Matt BURTON	<b>4</b>
7	4	-	-	16	23	Brian TO'O	<b>5</b>
7	1	-	-	4	24	Jarome LUAI	<b>6</b>
6	2	25	1	60	23	Nathan CLEARY	<b>7</b>
7	1	-	-	4	26	Moses LEOTA	<b>8</b>
1	-	-	-	-	28	Api KOROISAU	<b>9</b>
7	-	-	-	-	25	James FISHER-HARRIS	<b>10</b>
7	4	-	-	16	26	Viliame KIKAU	<b>11</b>
7	4	-	-	16	28	Kurt CAPEWELL	<b>12</b>
7	1	-	-	4	26	Isaah YEO	<b>13</b>
7	1	-	-	4	25	Tyrone MAY	<b>14</b>
7	-	-	-	-	20	Spencer LENIU	<b>15</b>
7	-	-	-	-	29	Matt EISENHUTH	<b>16</b>
7	-	-	-	-	24	Liam MARTIN	<b>17</b>
-	-	-	-	-	28	Scott SORENSEN	<b>18</b>
6	-	-	-	-	23	Mitch KENNY	<b>19</b>
-	-	-	-	-	25	Robert JENNINGS	<b>20</b>
-	-	-	-	-	25	Brent NADEN	<b>21</b>

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- PENALTIES
- SCRUMS
- SET RESTARTS

		Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
<b>1</b>	Tom TRBOJEVIC	24	2	2	-	-	8
<b>2</b>	Jason SAAB	20	7	4	-	-	16
<b>3</b>	Brad PARKER	24	7	1	-	-	4
<b>4</b>	Morgan HARPER	23	3	-	-	-	-
<b>5</b>	Reuben GARRICK	24	7	5	19	-	58
<b>6</b>	Kieran FORAN	31	7	1	-	-	4
<b>7</b>	Daly CHERRY-EVANS	32	7	3	-	1	13
<b>8</b>	Taniela PASEKA	23	7	-	-	-	-
<b>9</b>	Lachlan CROKER	24	7	1	-	-	4
<b>10</b>	Martin TAUPAU	31	7	2	-	-	8
<b>11</b>	Haumole OLAKAU'ATU	22	2	-	-	-	-
<b>12</b>	Josh SCHUSTER	19	6	1	-	-	4
<b>13</b>	Jake TRBOJEVIC	27	7	-	-	-	-
<b>14</b>	Cade CUST	22	5	1	-	-	4
<b>15</b>	Josh ALOIAI	25	7	-	-	-	-
<b>16</b>	Sean KEPPIE	23	6	-	-	-	-
<b>17</b>	Toafofoa SIPLEY	26	4	-	-	-	-
<b>18</b>	Zac SADDLER	21	-	-	-	-	-
<b>19</b>	Tevita FUNA	23	2	-	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	Christian TUIPULOTU	20	-	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	Ben TRBOJEVIC	19	-	-	-	-	-

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# #NRLPenrithManly

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Saturday 1 May 2021
KICKOFF	3:00pm AEST
VENUE	Carrington Park, Bathurst NSW
WATCH	Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC, NRL Nation, Triple M SYD/BNE
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Ashley KLEIN
TOUCH JUDGES	Ziggy PRZEKLASA-ADAMSKI Kasey BADGER
NRL BUNKER	Steve CHIDDY

## Match Stats

### HEAD TO HEAD: 91 MATCHES

### MANLY 52-38 (1 DRAW)

At Carrington Park: never met at this venue

### LAST TEN: PENRITH 8-2

SEASON	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2016	14	Penrith 31-24	Lottoland	12,463
2016	26	Penrith 36-6	BlueBet Stadium	15,411
2017	18	Penrith 16-8	BlueBet Stadium	14,625
2017	26	Manly 28-12	Lottoland	14,423
2017	QF	Penrith 22-10	Allianz Stadium	15,408
2018	16	Manly 18-10	BlueBet Stadium	12,755
2018	20	Penrith 28-24	Lottoland	6,134
2019	12	Penrith 15-12	BlueBet Stadium	7,981
2020	12	Penrith 42-12	Lottoland	2,729
2021	4	Penrith 46-6	Lottoland	6,076

### BIGGEST WINS

1973	19	Manly 70-7	BlueBet Stadium	6,750
2004	22	Penrith 72-12	BlueBet Stadium	13,573

### MILESTONES

PLAYER	MILESTONE	NEEDS...
Stephen Crichton (PEN)	100 club & career points	6 points
Viliame Kikau (PEN)	100 club & career points	4 points
Manly (since 1947)	5700 goals and 32000 points	5 goals 10 points

Match stats courtesy of

# RUGBY LEAGUE project



### NEXT THREE: PENRITH

R9	CRONULLA	HOME	BLUEBET
R10	GOLD COAST	MAGIC (A)	SUNCORP
R11	SOUTH SYDNEY	AWAY	DUBBO



### NEXT THREE: MANLY

R9	WARRIORS	HOME	LOTTOLAND
R10	BRISBANE	MAGIC (A)	SUNCORP
R11	PARRAMATTA	AWAY	BANKWEST

# Match Preview

## with Adam Huxtable

Panthers look to continue perfect start against resurgent Sea Eagles

Four weeks ago, the Sea Eagles played host to the Panthers in what was predicted to be an extremely lopsided match. The punters were proven correct, with Penrith easily disposing of Manly by 40 points.

At that point, the Sea Eagles were at the bottom of many predicted ladders, with the, Northern Beaches side seemingly in crisis.

Then Tom Trbojevic came back, and since his return Manly have won both their games by a combined margin of 70 points. It has seen the side skyrocket back into finals contention, however their opposition in both cases were extremely disappointing.

It's what makes this upcoming clash in Penrith all the more intriguing. They will provide the ultimate test for Manly and act as a true indicator of where the side is at.

As for Penrith, they remain the only team unbeaten through the first 7 rounds of the competition. While they have been getting results, they will be a little disappointed with their performances over the last two weeks, only just getting home against the Broncos and leaving it late against a scrappy Knights team.

The game is being played in Bathurst, and the Panthers will be keen to impress the locals there, especially considering their last outing in the regional town was a dismal 30-point loss against the Storm in 2019.

In team news, Apisai Koroisau has recovered from injury just in time to suit up against his former club. His inclusion at hooker sees Mitch Kenny drop back to the reserves. There are no other changes for Penrith, with Dylan Edwards making it through his first game back unscathed last week.

For Manly, Des Hasler has named the same 17 he did last Tuesday, however he made a host of late positional changes an hour before kick-off. It remains to be seen whether he does the same thing again.

**Who to watch:** The aforementioned **Api Koroisau** is a huge inclusion for the mountain men. A large reason for the success of the Panthers' attack in 2020, Koroisau has only played the 1 game so far this year and he had to leave the field due to injury 48 minutes in. The running and passing threat he poses to opposition defences make him a nightmare to contain, especially when his forward pack is able to get some momentum going. An aspect of his game which has evolved since re-joining Penrith is his defence, making a career high 1010 tackles last year at another career high efficiency rate of 95.4%

Tom Trbojevic is the obvious choice for the Manly side, however after an extremely poor start to the year **Lachlan Croker** has done well to reaffirm his position as the starting hooker for Manly. Throughout the first 5 rounds, Manly's attack looked dated and uninspiring, scoring just 47 points at an average of just over 9 per game and their only win coming against an equally poor Warriors outfit. While a lot of the improvement since then can be attributed to Trbojevic, Croker's willingness to run the ball has seen an increase in the amount of space the forward pack has to work with and resulted in a much more dynamic and efficient Manly attack. That said, Penrith's defence, conceding just 6 points per game, is going to be much harder to open up than that of the Tigers and Titans.

**Favourite:** Penrith are favoured by 14 and a half points over Manly this weekend.

**My tip:** While Manly are a much-improved side with Tom Trbojevic back in the fold, they won't be getting near the Panthers. **Penrith by 16.**

# Canterbury-Bankstown BULLDOGS



# Parramatta EELS

P	T	G	FG	Pts	Age		
5	1	1	-	6	23	Nick MEANEY	<b>1</b>
7	1	-	-	4	22	Nick ČOTRIĆ	<b>2</b>
7	1	-	-	4	29	Will HOPOATE	<b>3</b>
7	-	-	-	-	23	Corey ALLAN	<b>4</b>
5	1	-	-	4	22	Tuipulotu KATO	<b>5</b>
6	1	2	-	8	21	Jake AVERILLO	<b>6</b>
7	1	8	-	20	22	Kyle FLANAGAN	<b>7</b>
7	-	-	-	-	28	Dylan NAPA	<b>8</b>
7	-	-	-	-	26	Sione KATO	<b>9</b>
3	1	-	-	4	26	Luke THOMPSON	<b>10</b>
7	1	-	-	4	26	Adam ELLIOTT	<b>11</b>
2	-	-	-	-	27	Chris SMITH	<b>12</b>
7	-	-	-	-	24	Corey WADDELL	<b>13</b>
2	-	-	-	-	26	Bradley DEITZ	<b>14</b>
7	1	-	-	4	26	Renouf ATONI	<b>15</b>
1	-	-	-	-	30	Ava SEUMANUFAGAI	<b>16</b>
1	-	-	-	-	21	Matt DOOREY	<b>17</b>
-	-	-	-	-	22	Brandon WAKEHAM	<b>19</b>
2	-	-	-	-	25	Joe STIMSON	<b>20</b>
4	3	-	-	12	26	Dallin WATENE-ZELEZNIAK	<b>21</b>
6	-	-	-	-	25	Ofahiki OGDEN	<b>22</b>

Trent BARRETT

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RESERVES

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PENALTIES

SCRUMS

SET RESTARTS

Age P T G FG Pts

<b>1</b>	Clinton GUTHERSON	26	7	5	4	-	28
<b>2</b>	Maika SIVO	27	7	7	-	-	28
<b>3</b>	Tom OPACIC	26	7	3	-	-	12
<b>4</b>	Marata NIUKORE	25	6	1	-	-	4
<b>5</b>	Blake FERGUSON	31	7	5	-	-	20
<b>6</b>	Dylan BROWN	21	6	-	-	-	-
<b>7</b>	Mitchell MOSES	26	7	-	24	1	49
<b>8</b>	Reagan CAMPBELL-GILLARD	28	7	1	-	-	4
<b>9</b>	Reed MAHONEY	23	7	2	-	-	8
<b>10</b>	Junior PAULO	27	7	2	-	-	8
<b>11</b>	Shaun LANE	26	7	1	-	-	4
<b>12</b>	Isaiah PAPALII	22	7	5	-	-	20
<b>13</b>	Nathan BROWN	28	7	-	-	-	-
<b>14</b>	Oregon KAUFUSI	22	7	1	-	-	4
<b>15</b>	Ryan MATTERSON	26	2	-	-	-	-
<b>16</b>	Haze DUNSTER	22	-	-	-	-	-
<b>17</b>	Bryce CARTWRIGHT	26	3	1	-	-	4
<b>18</b>	Joey LUSSICK	25	-	-	-	-	-
<b>19</b>	Keegan HIPGRAVE	24	5	-	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	Wiremu GREIG	21	2	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	Jordan RANKIN	29	-	-	-	-	-

Brad ARTHUR

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# #NRLBulldogsEels

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Saturday 1 May 2021
KICKOFF	5:30pm AEST
VENUE	Stadium Australia, Sydney Olympic Park NSW
WATCH	Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC, 2GB/4BC, NRL Nation
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Peter GOUGH
TOUCH JUDGES	Phil HENDERSON Keiren IRONS
NRL BUNKER	Henry PERENARA

## Match Stats

HEAD TO HEAD: 148 MATCHES

**CANTERBURY 77-66 (5 DRAWS)**

At Stadium Australia: 32 matches, 16-all

### LAST TEN: PARRAMATTA 8-2

SEASON	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2016	3	Parramatta 20-6	Stadium Aus.	30,018
2016	9	Parramatta 20-12	Stadium Aus.	31,815
2017	17	Parramatta 13-12	Stadium Aus.	14,061
2017	22	Parramatta 20-4	Stadium Aus.	12,137
2018	10	Canterbury 20-12	Stadium Aus.	15,683
2018	19	Parramatta 14-8	Stadium Aus.	8,437
2019	2	Parramatta 36-16	Stadium Aus.	20,134
2019	23	Canterbury 12-6	Bankwest Stadium	18,071
2020	1	Parramatta 8-2	Bankwest Stadium	21,363
2020	12	Parramatta 18-16	Stadium Aus.	5,775

### BIGGEST WINS

1993	5	Canterbury 42-6	Belmore	27,804
2005	23	Parramatta 56-4	Pirtek Stadium	20,289

### MILESTONES

PLAYER	MILESTONE	NEEDS...
Josh Jackson (CBY)	100 club & career points	4 points
Nick Cotric (CBY)	100 career games	1 game
	and 200 career points	12 points
Will Hopoate (CBY)	100 club points	4 points
Canterbury (since 1935)	6100 goals	3 goals
Shaun Lane (PAR)	100 career points	4 points

Match stats courtesy of

# RUGBY LEAGUE project



### NEXT THREE: CANTERBURY

R9	ST GEORGE ILLA	AWAY	NETSTRATA
R10	CANBERRA	MAGIC (H)	SUNCORP
R11	GOLD COAST	AWAY	CBUS SUPER



### NEXT THREE: PARRAMATTA

R9	SYDNEY	HOME	BANKWEST
R10	WARRIORS	MAGIC (A)	SUNCORP
R11	MANLY	HOME	BANKWEST

# Match Preview

## with Jason Hosken

Duck egg broken, now Bulldogs look to rattle Eels

Seven rounds in the making, it was enough to make Trent Barrett shed a tear, and by season's end the Bulldogs' breakthrough victory over the Sharks may yet go down as one of the gutsiest of the season.

Perhaps it was the realisation that their careers were on the line, whatever it was, an unchanged Canterbury line-up will need to greet the Eels with the same ferocity that sent the Sharks reeling.

In rewinding back the clock, Dylan Napa delivered his finest in Canterbury colours and alongside Luke Thompson the bookends punished Cronulla from the kick-off. Up by three tries, time didn't countdown fast enough for Barrett and his emotions escalated as the possession and points dried up.

Ultimately the Bulldogs defied the pressure that comes with a 42 per cent share of the ball and in doing so found a resolve that could shape the rest of their season. In a competition with its fair share of strugglers who have turned the tide, the good news for Barrett is that the aesthetics of the first win don't matter because the next is often just around the corner.

Having had the better of the Bulldogs in eight of the past 10 clashes including wins in the last two, another for the second placed Parramatta will be crucial in its race to catch the first placed Panthers.

Last week in Darwin the Eels cruised past a disappointing Broncos in what proved to be a glorified training run. Mitchell Moses, Clint Gutherson and the rapidly improving Bryce Cartwright toyed with Brisbane's right edge where Maika Sivo powered over for his third hat-trick in 53 games.

With victory assured, the Eels directed the majority of their second half raids towards the right in an attempt to sharpen Dylan Brown's combinations.

While it didn't compromise the result, the decision seemed at odds with the sustained week-in week-out intensity Arthur craves from his side as they strive to be identified alongside the competition's elite.

And they'll need to be careful this week. Last season against their longtime rival, Parramatta were the raging favourite and raced to an 18-0 lead before taking the foot off the pedal and eventually limping home 18-16.

Ryan Matterson makes a welcome return this week, but it'll be off the bench with Isaiah Papali'i retained in the second row. Haze Dunster is the only other change for the Eels, joining the interchange in place of the injured Will Smith.

**Who to watch:** Last week **Dylan Napa** ran a season best 139 metres. What the stats don't show is the return of the chaotic intensity that made him a Roosters premiership winner. Approaching the end of a three year deal it's clear the former Origin prop is bristling. And if this season is the final roll of the dice, he's sure to rattle the Eels' cage.

From an entertainment perspective **Blake Ferguson** is box office. From freakish hands to tough carries intermixed with fumbling capers, the next gasp is never far away. Already ahead of last season's meagre tally of four tries, Fergo can expect more opportunities this week against Canterbury. Where the Sharks struggled to plant the ball in the right corner, the former Blues winger might just be about to show them how

**Favourite:** At very short odds, Parramatta are favoured to make it three straight wins.

**My tip:** After a mostly predictable opening to the season, more and more punters are finding themselves on the ropes thanks to a few sneaky upsets. It won't happen here though. Even if the Bulldogs fire up with a pepper sprout in each nostril, it still won't be enough to extinguish Parramatta's class.

**Parramatta by 16.**

# Newcastle KNIGHTS



# Sydney ROOSTERS

P	T	G	FG	Pts	Age		
3	3	6	-	24	23	Kalyn PONGA	<b>1</b>
5	3	-	-	12	21	Starford TOA	<b>2</b>
7	-	-	-	-	22	Enari TUALA	<b>3</b>
4	1	-	-	4	20	Bradman BEST	<b>4</b>
2	-	-	-	-	-	Brayden MUSGROVE	<b>5</b>
5	1	-	1	5	28	Kurt MANN	<b>6</b>
4	-	-	-	-	34	Blake GREEN	<b>7</b>
7	-	-	-	-	27	David KLEMMER	<b>8</b>
7	1	-	-	4	25	Jayden BRAILEY	<b>9</b>
7	2	-	-	8	25	Daniel SAIFITI	<b>10</b>
7	1	-	-	4	29	Tyson FRIZELL	<b>11</b>
7	3	11	-	34	27	Mitchell BARNETT	<b>12</b>
7	-	-	-	-	25	Connor WATSON	<b>13</b>
7	-	-	-	-	29	Sauaso SUE	<b>14</b>
6	-	-	-	-	25	Jacob SAIFITI	<b>15</b>
7	1	-	-	4	26	Josh KING	<b>16</b>
6	1	-	-	4	23	Brodie JONES	<b>17</b>
1	-	-	-	-	23	Pasami SAULO	<b>18</b>
1	-	-	-	-	21	Phoenix CROSSLAND	<b>19</b>
-	-	-	-	-	27	Lachlan FITZGIBBON	<b>20</b>
4	1	3	-	10	21	Tex HOY	<b>21</b>

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		Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
<b>1</b>	James TEDESCO	28	7	7	3	-	34
<b>2</b>	Daniel TUPOU	30	7	2	-	-	8
<b>3</b>	Josh MORRIS	35	7	3	-	-	12
<b>4</b>	Joseph MANU	25	7	1	-	-	4
<b>5</b>	Brett MORRIS	35	6	11	-	-	44
<b>6</b>	Drew HUTCHISON	26	6	2	-	-	8
<b>7</b>	Sam WALKER	18	4	2	6	-	20
<b>8</b>	Isaac LIU	30	7	-	-	-	-
<b>9</b>	Sam VERRILLS	22	1	-	-	-	-
<b>10</b>	Lindsay COLLINS	25	5	1	-	-	4
<b>11</b>	Angus CRICHTON	25	6	1	-	-	4
<b>12</b>	Sitili TUPOUNIUA	24	7	3	-	-	12
<b>13</b>	Victor RADLEY	23	4	-	-	-	-
<b>14</b>	Ben MARSCHKE	23	4	-	-	-	-
<b>15</b>	Jared WAEREA-HARGREAVES	32	7	-	-	-	-
<b>16</b>	Nat BUTCHER	24	6	2	-	-	8
<b>17</b>	Sio Siva TAUKEIAHO	29	6	-	15	-	30
<b>18</b>	Fletcher BAKER	21	5	1	-	-	4
<b>19</b>	Matt IKUVALU	27	1	1	-	-	4
<b>20</b>	Egan BUTCHER	20	-	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	Joseph SUAALII	17	-	-	-	-	-

Trent ROBINSON

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# #NRLKnightsRoosters

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Saturday 1 May 2021
KICKOFF	7:35pm AEST
VENUE	McDonald Jones Stadium, New Lambton NSW
WATCH	Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC, Triple M Newc, 2GB/4BC
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Matt CECCHIN
TOUCH JUDGES	Dave MUNRO Nick BEASHEL
NRL BUNKER	Alan SHORTALL

## Match Stats

### HEAD TO HEAD: 55 MATCHES

### SYDNEY ROOSTERS 33-20 (2 DRAWS)

At McDonald Jones Stadium: 26 matches, Sydney Roosters 14-10 (2 draws)

### LAST TEN: SYDNEY ROOSTERS 8-2

SEASON	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2014	20	Newcastle 16-12	McDonald Jones	15,468
2015	22	Sydney 38-22	McDonald Jones	17,718
2016	9	Sydney 38-0	Allianz Stadium	9,502
2017	7	Sydney 24-6	McDonald Jones	21,412
2017	20	Sydney 28-4	Allianz Stadium	7,121
2018	3	Sydney 38-8	Allianz Stadium	15,153
2018	14	Sydney 18-16	McDonald Jones	18,029
2019	11	Newcastle 38-12	McDonald Jones	25,929
2019	18	Sydney 48-10	SCG	14,053
2020	18	Sydney 42-12	SCG	6,375

### BIGGEST WINS

2000	22	Newcastle 46-12	McDonald Jones	15,394
2001	PF	Newcastle 40-6	McDonald Jones	22,061
2004	15	Sydney 48-4	Allianz Stadium	11,678

### MILESTONES

PLAYER	MILESTONE	NEEDS...
David Klemmer (NEW)	50 club games	1 game
Kalyn Ponga (NEW)	400 career points	14 points
Lachlan Fitzgibbon (NEW)	100 club & career points	4 points

Match stats courtesy of

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### NEXT THREE: NEWCASTLE

R9	CANBERRA	AWAY	WAGGA
R10	WESTS TIGERS	MAGIC (A)	SUNCORP
R11	NORTH QLD	AWAY	QLD C.B.



### NEXT THREE: SYDNEY ROOSTERS

R9	PARRAMATTA	AWAY	BANKWEST
R10	NORTH QLD	MAGIC (H)	SUNCORP
R11	BRISBANE	HOME	SCG

# Match Preview

## with Rob Crosby

Knights look to make a statement against Roosters

The Newcastle Knights will be looking to claim a major scalp when they host the Sydney Roosters at McDonald Jones Stadium on Saturday evening.

Heading into Round 8 in 10th position following three wins and four losses, the Newcastle Knights will be aiming to get the better of a top eight team after a gallant, but ultimately costly, showing last week.

Remaining in the contest last Thursday until the Panthers broke away in the final quarter to win 24-6, Newcastle coach Adam O'Brien will be hoping for more opportunities to use the ball in attacking territory after the side spent much of last week coming out of their own end.

Holding a poor record against the Tricolours in Newcastle with just five wins from 18 clashes throughout the NRL era, the home side will be hoping to replicate their iconic performance during Indigenous Round two years ago where Mitchell Pearce famously kissed the Knights' crest in a dominant 38-12 victory.

Naming an unchanged line-up with Lachlan Fitzgibbon and Tex Hoy named on an extended bench after recovering from injury, Saturday night will see interchange forward Sauaso Sue play his 150th game in the NRL and David Klemmer reach his 50th appearance for the club.

Coming off a morale-boosting win on ANZAC Day, the Sydney Roosters will have their sights set on moving into the top four.

Overpowering the Dragons 34-10 last Sunday to remain in fifth position with five wins and two losses, Sydney coach Trent Robinson will be striving to continue a dominant record against the Knights during his tenure following 11 wins from 13 previous fixtures.

James Tedesco has been named at fullback despite failing a HIA last week due to foul play, while Siosua Taukieaho will return off the bench after missing last week with injured ribs.

After being named in the Roosters 21-man squad on two previous occasions this season, teenage talent Joseph Suaalii could be in line to make his highly anticipated debut should Tedesco fail to pass concussion protocols prior to game day.

**Who to watch:** Finding his feet at lock-forward after spending the bulk of his career acting as a Mr Fix-it, **Connor Watson** has provided the Knights with plenty of impact upon returning from injury. Missing all but five matches last season due to a ruptured achilles, the 25-year-old has averaged over 100 metres while holding his own defensively with 31 tackles per game. Facing off against the club that gave him his start in the top grade back in 2016, expect Watson to be heavily involved on Saturday evening as the Knights look to turn the tide against the Tricolours.

Some may decry labelling a current player as one of the greatest of all time, but on current form it is hard to deny **Brett Morris** such a title. Sitting fourth on the all-time try-scorers list with 176 four-pointers in 275 appearances, the 34-year-old winger has been in form belying his age this season after producing 11 tries, 150 metres each week and 21 tackle breaks over the opening rounds. While his try-scoring feats put him in a league of his own, Morris has enjoyed limited potency against the Knights with just four tries from 16 previous clashes.

**Favourite:** Boasting an emphatic historical record in Newcastle along with a strong run of form in recent weeks, the Roosters are favoured to emerge from McDonald Jones Stadium with a win.

**My tip:** Having fallen short against the best team in the league last week, the support of the Newcastle faithful may inspire the Knights to an important win in the context of their season. **Newcastle by 6.**

# New Zealand WARRIORS



# North Queensland COWBOYS

P	T	G	FG	Pts	Age		
7	2	-	-	8	28	Roger TUIVASA-SHECK	<b>1</b>
5	-	-	-	-	26	David FUSITU'A	<b>2</b>
5	3	-	-	12	23	Adam POMPEY	<b>3</b>
1	-	-	-	-	19	Rocco BERRY	<b>4</b>
7	5	-	-	20	27	Ken MAUMALO	<b>5</b>
1	-	-	-	-	18	Reece WALSH	<b>6</b>
7	2	20	-	48	27	Kodi NIKORIMA	<b>7</b>
4	-	-	-	-	24	Jamayne TAUNOA-BROWN	<b>8</b>
7	-	-	-	-	24	Wayde EGAN	<b>9</b>
3	-	-	-	-	29	Kane EVANS	<b>10</b>
2	-	-	-	-	22	Joshua CURRAN	<b>11</b>
7	3	-	-	12	30	Ben MURDOCH-MASILA	<b>12</b>
6	2	-	-	8	29	Tohu HARRIS	<b>13</b>
7	-	-	-	-	26	Jazz TEVAGA	<b>14</b>
7	1	-	-	4	31	Leeson AH MAU	<b>15</b>
6	-	-	-	-	25	Bunty AFOA	<b>16</b>
5	2	-	-	8	24	Bayley SIRONEN	<b>17</b>
4	-	-	-	-	24	Jack MURCHIE	<b>18</b>
4	1	-	-	4	23	Sean O'SULLIVAN	<b>20</b>
2	-	-	-	-	22	Tom ALE	<b>21</b>
-	-	-	-	-	26	Taniela OTUKOLO	<b>22</b>

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- SCRUMS
- SET RESTARTS

		Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
<b>1</b>	Valentine HOLMES	26	7	2	19	-	46
<b>2</b>	Kyle FELDT	29	5	2	-	-	8
<b>3</b>	Justin O'NEILL	30	3	1	-	-	4
<b>4</b>	Connelly LEMUELU	23	4	-	-	-	-
<b>5</b>	Murray TAULAGI	22	5	3	-	-	12
<b>6</b>	Scott DRINKWATER	24	7	1	-	-	4
<b>7</b>	Ben HAMPTON	29	4	-	-	-	-
<b>8</b>	Coen HESS	25	7	1	-	-	4
<b>9</b>	Reece ROBSON	23	7	2	-	-	8
<b>10</b>	Jordan McLEAN	29	7	-	-	-	-
<b>11</b>	Shane WRIGHT	25	4	-	-	-	-
<b>12</b>	Ben CONDON	21	4	3	-	-	12
<b>13</b>	Jason TAUMALOLO	28	1	-	-	-	-
<b>14</b>	Jake GRANVILLE	32	7	2	-	-	8
<b>15</b>	Lachlan BURR	28	6	1	-	-	4
<b>16</b>	Francis MOLO	27	7	-	-	-	-
<b>17</b>	Corey JENSEN	27	7	-	-	-	-
<b>18</b>	Peter HOLA	22	-	-	-	-	-
<b>19</b>	Javid BOWEN	28	-	-	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	Tom GILBERT	20	-	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	Jake CLIFFORD	23	3	-	-	-	-

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# #NRLWarriorsCowboys

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Sunday 2 May 2021
KICKOFF	2:00pm AEST
VENUE	Central Coast Stadium, Gosford NSW
WATCH	Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC, 2GB/4BC
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Chris BUTLER
TOUCH JUDGES	Todd SMITH Wyatt RAYMOND
NRL BUNKER	Alan SHORTALL

## Match Stats

HEAD TO HEAD: 41 MATCHES

**WARRIORS 21-20 (No draws)**

At Central Coast Stadium: 1 match, Warriors 1-0

### LAST TEN: TEAM 5-ALL

SEASON	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2013	4	Warriors 20-18	Mt Smart	10,572
2014	3	Warriors 20-16	1300Smiles	12,738
2015	7	North Qld 28-24	1300Smiles	16,038
2015	24	North Qld 50-16	Mt Smart	14,412
2016	24	North Qld 34-6	1300Smiles	15,676
2017	20	North Qld 24-12	1300Smiles	16,080
2018	5	Warriors 22-12	Mt Smart	25,600
2018	15	Warriors 23-16	1300Smiles	11,062
2019	6	North Qld 17-10	Mt Smart	11,395
2020	5	Warriors 37-26	Central Coast	21

### BIGGEST WINS

1996	18	Warriors 52-6	Mt Smart	14,600
2012	23	North Qld 52-12	1300Smiles	13,616

### MILESTONES

PLAYER	MILESTONE	NEEDS...
Kodi Nikorima (WAR)	200 career points	3 points

Match stats courtesy of

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### NEXT THREE: WARRIORS

R9	MANLY	AWAY	LOTTOLAND
R10	PARRAMATTA	MAGIC (H)	SUNCORP
R11	WESTS TIGERS	HOME	CEN. COAST



### NEXT THREE: NORTH QUEENSLAND

R9	BRISBANE	HOME	QLD C.B.
R10	SYDNEY ROOSTERS	MAGIC (A)	SUNCORP
R11	NEWCASTLE	HOME	QLD C.B.

# Match Preview

## with Josh Robertson

Sunday afternoon football heads to Gosford as the New Zealand Warriors look to bounce back from their last start defeat when they host the North Queensland Cowboys who are looking to extend their winning streak.

The New Zealand Warriors were solid last week but still heavily outclassed last weekend when they fell to a 42-20 defeat against the Melbourne Storm at AAMI Park on ANZAC Day. The Warriors came into the game confident after defeating the St George Illawarra Dragons in the prior weekend.

Although competitive early, the Warriors weren't able to match it with the Melbourne Storm when the home-side hit their top gear. The Storm last week scored early but the Warriors were able to hit back soon after and stay within touch of Melbourne. However, a series of events for the Warriors started by the sin binning of Josh Curran for a high tackle went against the Warriors. Conceding four tries in the space of 12 minutes put the game beyond reach for the Warriors. Although defeated heavily, there were still some good signs for the Warriors that they will build on.

Warriors coach Nathan Brown will be boosted by the key returns of Tohu Harris and David Fusitua returning to the side after being withdrawals on game day last weekend. Adam Pompey also returns from injury named in the centres. Rookie Reece Walsh moves into the halves with Roger Tuivasa-Sheck taking back his fullback spot after playing last weekend on the wing.

The North Queensland Cowboys shocked many last weekend, after they came from 24-6 down to defeat the Canberra Raiders 26-24 in Townsville last week. The victory for the Cowboys gave them a third consecutive win after losing their first four.

The Cowboys impressed many during their comeback and although trailing 24-6 at one point, the Cowboys weren't that far off the Raiders during the first half and it was a number of defensive lapses that hurt the Cowboys points. The second half was most impressive for the North Queenslanders as they ran in 14 unanswered points and were impressive in defence as the Raiders looked to try and hit back but couldn't do it. The Cowboys though would be concerned as they had defensive lapses in all three of their victories.

Boosting the North Queenslanders is the return of Jason Taumalolo from a hand injury which sees Lachlan Burr dropping to the interchange bench who also replaces Mitch Dunn who is suspended. Jordan McLean has been named in the 21-man squad despite battling a hamstring injury.

**Who to watch:** Debuting last weekend against Melbourne, **Reece Walsh** has had big wraps on him and taking on the Warriors fullback role in Melbourne is one of the toughest tasks in Rugby League but Walsh had a solid performance. Moving into the halves this weekend, Walsh will partner Kodi Nikorima and they will need to be strong against the Cowboys who have had their own impressive halves pairing recently.

**Scott Drinkwater** has been strong in recent weeks and the Cowboys will be hoping that their number six can continue his good form. Over the past three weeks, Drinkwater has come up with 4 try assists and his kicking game has been what has helped the North Queenslanders over the past few weeks. The Cowboys will need to ensure their kicking game and strong as well as having good direction in attack will help them get past the Warriors.

**Favourite:** The Warriors are the favourites for the contest even though the Cowboys are coming off three straight victories. The two sides are relatively equal in head-to-head contests with the Cowboys winning 19 matches to the Warriors 18.

**My tip:** This game is a hard one to tip, both sides have their own positives with the Warriors having a number of returning key players whilst the Cowboys come into this contest with good form with three successive wins. I think the returning players for the Warriors will give them the slight boost and they will win narrowly. **Warriors by 4.**

# St George Illawarra DRAGONS



# Wests TIGERS

P	T	G	FG	Pts	Age		
7	6	-	-	24	25	Matthew DUFTY	<b>1</b>
7	2	-	-	8	21	Cody RAMSEY	<b>2</b>
6	1	-	-	4	26	Jack BIRD	<b>3</b>
7	3	24	-	60	21	Zac LOMAX	<b>4</b>
-	-	-	-	-	20	Max FEAGAI	<b>5</b>
6	-	-	1	1	30	Corey NORMAN	<b>6</b>
3	1	-	-	4	31	Ben HUNT	<b>7</b>
6	-	-	-	-	24	Blake LAWRIE	<b>8</b>
7	-	-	-	-	31	Andrew McCULLOUGH	<b>9</b>
7	-	-	-	-	30	Paul VAUGHAN	<b>10</b>
7	1	-	-	4	25	Josh KERR	<b>11</b>
7	3	-	-	12	31	Tariq SIMS	<b>12</b>
7	-	-	-	-	25	Tyrell FUIMAONO	<b>13</b>
5	1	-	-	4	26	Adam CLUNE	<b>14</b>
6*	-	-	-	-	31	Josh McGUIRE	<b>15</b>
7	-	-	-	-	28	Daniel ALVARO	<b>16</b>
1	-	-	-	-	22	Billy BURNS	<b>17</b>
2	-	-	-	-	25	Kaide ELLIS	<b>18</b>
1	-	-	-	-	23	Jackson FORD	<b>19</b>
4	-	-	-	-	25	Poasa FAAMAUSILI	<b>20</b>
-	-	-	-	-	31	Junior AMONE	<b>21</b>

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					Age	P	T	G	FG	Pts
<b>1</b>	Daine LAURIE	22	7	3	-	-	-	-	-	12
<b>2</b>	David NOFOALUMA	27	7	3	-	-	-	-	-	12
<b>3</b>	Joseph LEILUA	29	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
<b>4</b>	James ROBERTS	28	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>5</b>	Tommy TALAU	21	7	2	-	-	-	-	-	8
<b>6</b>	Adam DOUEIHI	23	6	2	15	-	-	-	-	38
<b>7</b>	Luke BROOKS	26	7	-	2	-	-	-	-	4
<b>8</b>	James TAMOU	32	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>9</b>	Jake SIMPKIN	19	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>10</b>	Alex TWAL	25	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>11</b>	Luke GARNER	25	7	2	-	-	-	-	-	8
<b>12</b>	Luciano LEILUA	25	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
<b>13</b>	Joe OFAHENGAUE	25	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
<b>14</b>	Moses MBYE	28	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>15</b>	Stefano UTOIKAMANU	21	7	2	-	-	-	-	-	8
<b>16</b>	Alex SEYFARTH	22	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>17</b>	Thomas MIKAELE	23	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>18</b>	Michael CHEE-KAM	29	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>19</b>	Zane MUSGROVE	25	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>20</b>	Tom AMONE	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>21</b>	Jacob LIDDLE	24	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	12

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# #NRLDragonsTigers

## MATCH DETAILS

DATE	Sunday 2 May 2021
KICKOFF	4:05pm AEST
VENUE	WIN Stadium, Wollongong NSW
WATCH	Nine Network & 9Now, Fox League & Kayo Sports
LISTEN	ABC, NRL Nation, Triple M SYD/BNE
LIVE BLOG	LeagueUnlimited.com

## MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE	Chris SUTTON
TOUCH JUDGES	Jon STONE Drew OULTRAM
NRL BUNKER	Steve CHIDDY

## Match Stats

### HEAD TO HEAD: 38 MATCHES

### ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA 20-18 (No draws)

At WIN Stadium: 4 matches, Wests Tigers 3-1

#### LAST TEN: 5-ALL

SEASON	ROUND	RESULT	VENUE	CROWD
2014	20	St Geo Illa 28-12	Stadium Aus.	22,618
2015	2	Wests Tigers 22-4	Campbelltown	11,837
2015	26	St Geo Illa 32-30	Stadium Aus.	17,685
2016	20	Wests Tigers 25-12	Stadium Aus.	15,087
2017	5	St Geo Illa 28-6	Stadium Aus.	13,172
2017	13	St Geo Illa 16-12	Stadium Aus.	12,983
2018	18	Wests Tigers 20-16	Netstrata Jubilee	15,992
2018	23	St Geo Illa 20-10	Leichhardt Oval	18,387
2019	24	Wests Tigers 42-14	SCG	9,136
2020	1	Wests Tigers 24-14	WIN Stadium	9,137

#### BIGGEST WINS

2004	15	St Geo Illa 50-0	Netstrata Jubilee	16,915
2019	24	Wests Tigers 42-14	SCG	9,136

#### MILESTONES

PLAYER	MILESTONE	NEEDS...
Ben Hunt (SGI)	300 career points	1 point
Adam Doueihi (WST)	100 club points	6 points
Jacob Liddle (WST)	50 club & career games	1 game
James Roberts (WST)	300 career points	2 points

Match stats courtesy of

# RUGBY LEAGUE project



#### NEXT THREE: ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA

R9	CANTERBURY	HOME	NETSTRATA
R10	MELBOURNE	MAGIC (A)	SUNCORP
R11	CRONULLA	AWAY	NETSTRATA



#### NEXT THREE: WESTS TIGERS

R9	GOLD COAST	HOME	C'BELLTOWN
R10	NEWCASTLE	MAGIC (H)	SUNCORP
R11	WARRIORS	AWAY	CEN. COAST

# Match Preview

## with Justin Davies

Two joint venture sides who came off chastening losses head down to the city by the sea – Wollongong – looking to bounce back on Sunday afternoon.

The Dragons were extinguished in the traditional ANZAC Day contest which made it back-to-back defeats for the club after their unexpected positive start to the season (even for this previewer). Coach Anthony Griffin decided to play mad libs with his line-up which didn't help (also having Jordan Pereira sin binned and some paper-thin defense contributed)

Luckily for Griffin, his jewel in the crown for his early 2010s Broncos cosplay is back. Ben Hunt will again partner Corey Norman in the halves and hopefully continue his hot start to the year. His return also allows Jack Bird to play in his preferred backline spot.

Another big component of the Dragons 4-3 start to the season has been their defense. It has been ferocious and bent both the opponents and the rule book. They have used the new interpretation of the set restart rule to impose themselves and if they do it this weekend, it will be fruitful against a timid Tigers side.

Tigers fans must feel like they are stuck in a perpetual Groundhog Day after the last few weeks. They pushed the rampant Rabbitohs before losing in bizarre fashion then getting walloped by the Sea Eagles which has put the axe right above the head of coach Michael Maguire.

The cycle started with excitement in pre-season quickly followed by crushing performances in the first two weeks, a slight blip when they beat the hi-vis Knights then their limp surrender at Leichhardt on a day to honour a legend. Throw some dice in the air and whatever number which comes up might be how committed they turn up on Sunday.

One bright spot has been fullback Dane Laurie who has shone since his move from Penrith locking up the fullback spot while five-eighth Adam Doueihi has out-played Luke Brooks in his appearances thus far. The Tigers need the rest of their experienced core to play to their expectations to get anything out of a contest against a stubborn Saints side.

**Who to watch:** It is a warm welcome back for Dragons captain **Ben Hunt**. The halfback returns from his leg injury after a month off. Hunt was playing some impressive football under new coach Anthony Griffin and he will take the reigns of the side again to push them forward. The other Dragon to keep an eye on is winger Max Feagai who fills the spot vacated by Mikaele Ravalawa's suspension. Feagai is highly touted and will be ready to show his wares against a porous Tigers defense to placate the loss of Ravalawa's tries and carries.

For the Wests Tigers, their backline is the centre of attention. **Joseph Leilua** who was dropped a few weeks back gets his reprieve from coach Michael Maguire. Leilua has been grabbing headlines for the wrong reasons thus far but if he can find some balance, he would be a handful for the Dragons attack alongside another struggling backline member James Roberts. The Jet hasn't had lift off thus far this year and must also be on thin ice.

**Favourite:** Despite their back-to-back losses, the Dragons still sit remain in the top eight. The Tigers have been battered both on field and in the media. Dragons should start this contest warm favourites.

**My tip:** The return of Hunt for the hosts, and the Tigers' off-field dramas looking to show no sign of abating - Saints should get the dub. **St George Illawarra by 6.**

## THE KNOCK-ON EFFECT NSW CUP - ROUND 8

**PENRITH PANTHERS v BLACKTOWN WORKERS SEA EAGLES**

Carrington Park Bathurst, Saturday 1 May 12:40pm (NRL match 3:00pm)

Referee: Cameron Paddy; Sideline Officials: Nathan Loveday, Mark Bohan

**PENRITH:** 1. Sunia Turuva 2. Robert Jennings 3. Brent Naden 4. Izack Tago 5. Tylan May 6. Jaeman Salmon 7. Kurt Falls 8. Vasili Tsirikas 9. Brendan Hands 10. Lindsay Smith 11. John Faiumu 12. Scott Sorensen 13. J'maine Hoppood 14. Soni Luke 15. Jayden Tanner 16. Liam Henry 17. Thomas Jenkins  
**BWSE:** 1. Dylan Smith 2. Sione Fonua 3. Tim Simona 4. Jorge Taufua 5. Robert Vai 6. Brad Keighran 7. Kauri Aupouri-Puketapu 8. Kurt De Luis 9. Denzal Tonise 10. Terrell May 11. Dane Aukafolau 12. Jordn Leiu 13. Phillip Makatoa 14. Sam Radovu 15. Alex Seve 16. Francis Laloua-Tui 17. Lucas Castle 18. Toni Tupouniua 21. Dylan Smith

**CANBERRA RAIDERS v SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS**

Belconnen Oval, Saturday 1 May 4:00pm

Referee: Liam Kennedy; Sideline Officials: Liam Nicholls, Tom Cambourn

**CANBERRA:** 1. Adam Cook 2. Semi Valeni 3. Matthew Timoko 4. Toby Marks 5. Elijah Anderson 6. Matt Frawley 7. Sam Williams 8. Dunamis Lui 9. Kai O'Donnell 10. Iosia Soliola 11. Harry Rushton 12. Leo Thompson 13. Darby Medlyn 14. Adrian Trevilyan 15. Brad Schneider 16. Keaton Walkington-Mead 18. Sila Tituiti 17. Brigham Moeokiola 19. Sione Vuki  
**SOUTHS:** 1. Jacob Gagai 2. Steven Marsters 3. Taane Milne 4. Braidon Burns 5. Zane Bijorac 6. Troy Dargan 7. Dean Hawkins 8. Hame Sele 9. Josh Cook 10. Patrick Mago 11. Trent Peoples 12. Joe Lovodua 13. James Hasson 14. Jack Cameron 15. Yileen Gordon 16. Matthew French 17. Tallis Angianga 18. Shaq Mitchell

**NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS v NORTH SYDNEY BEARS**

McDonald Jones Stadium, Saturday 1 May 5:00pm (NRL match 7:35pm)

Referee: Jake Sutherland; Sideline Officials: Ben Teague, Rickey McFarlane

**NEWCASTLE:** 1. McKenzie Baker 2. Jacob Kiraz 3. Gehamat Shibasaki 4. Dominic Young 5. Christopher Veaila 6. Zane Camroux 7. Liam Wilkinson 8. Garrett Smith 9. Luke Huth 10. Mathew Croker 11. Zac Hosking 12. Ben Talty 13. Jack Johns 14. Mitch Black 15. Jaron Purcell 16. John Toleafaa

## JERSEY FLEGG CUP (U21) - ROUND 8

**CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS v SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS**

PointsBet Stadium, Saturday 1 May 3:00pm

Referee: Ben McMurray; Sideline Officials: Mitchell Currie, Jack Bird

**CRONULLA:** 1. Kade Dykes 2. Thomas Rodwell 3. Jenson Taumoepeau 4. James Coyne 5. Jonah Lualua 6. Harrison Geraghty 7. Angus Ernst 8. Franklin Pele 9. Isaac Longmuir 10. Jack Martin 11. Kyle Pickering 12. Jack Boyling 13. Tyler Slade 14. Jesse Colquhoun 15. Semisi Sikei 16. Rhys Dakin 17. Blake Hosking 18. Alec Brennan 19. Jordan Samrani  
**SOUTHS:** 1. Kendyll Fahey 2. Lathan Hutchinson-Walters 3. Josiah Karapani 4. Maila Chan-Foon 5. Thomas Ball 6. Dylan White 7. Lachlan Ilias 8. Davvy Moale 9. Peter Mamouzelos 10. Augustine Stowers 11. Ben Lovett 12. Ryan Jones 13. Darcy Hardman 14. Joshua Fepuleai 15. Luke Puru 16. Tevita Taumoepeau 17. Gordon Whippy 18. Leroy Magalogo 19. Bailey Lam

**CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS v PARRAMATTA EELS**

Stadium Australia, Saturday 1 May 3:15pm (NRL match 5:30pm)

Referee: Luke Saldern; Sideline Officials: Bradley Kiehne, Luke Heckendorf

**CANTERBURY:** 1. Johnny Lee Gabrael 2. Eli Clark 3. Zachary Rumble 4. Larson Doyle 5. Kurt Picken 6. Paul Karaitiana 7. Bailey Hayward 8. Aidan Manowski 9. Ryan Gray 10. Joshua Kalati 11. Chris Patolo 12. Mateo Tatola 13. Kurtis Morrin 14. Justin Filo 15. Chase Chapman 16. Cooper Talau 17. James Valevatu 19. Moses Pope  
**PARRAMATTA:** 1. Tevita Masima 2. Solomon Naiduki 3. Jabriel Kalache 4. Jayden Skinner 5. Fruean Easthope 6. Clayton Faulalo 7. Kyle Schneider 8. Dave Hollis 9. Jayden Yates 10. Jack Colovatti 11. Oliver Clements 12. Peter Taateo 13. Caleb Tohi 14. Ethan Le Blanc 15. J. Betham-misa 16. Lennox Whittaker 17. Larry Muagututia

**ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS v WESTS TIGERS**

Ziems Park, Sunday 2 May 11:00am

Referee: Bradley Kiehne; Sideline Officials: Luke Saldern, Jimmy Oliveira

**ST GEO ILLA:** 1. Treigh Stewart 2. Billy Hayburn 3. Kaylen Miller 4. Hayden Budd 5. Ben Johnson 6. Zach Herring 7. Sam Hooper 8. Hudson Spicer 9. Connor Muhleisen 10. Matthew Nicholson 11.

## HARVEY NORMAN WOMEN'S PREMIERSHIP - ROUND 8

**CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS v SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS**

PointsBet Stadium, Saturday 1 May 1:00pm; Referee: Jack Bird;

Sideline Officials: Luke Saldern, Jimmy Oliveira

**CRONULLA:** 1. Tiana Penitani 2. Lynda Howarth 3. Leianne Tufuga 4. Kiana Takairangi 5. Andie Robinson 6. Corban Baxter © 7. Maddie Studdon 8. Crystal Papalii 9. Quincy Dodd 10. Kennedy Cherrington 11. Talei Holmes 12. Georgia Page 13. Kaarla Cowan 14. Lavinia Taukamo 15. Rosaline Aumale 16. Natasha Penitani 17. Shae Muhleisen 18. Mardi Longford 19. Ariel George  
**SOUTHS:** 1. Haneen Zreika 2. Terri-Ann Caine 3. Katie Brown 4. Rikka Lamb 5. Nikki Perugini 6. Aaliyah Fasavalu-faamausili 7. Akira Kelly 8. Seneti Kilisimasi 9. Jessica Potter 10. Moniqca Moale 11. Ellie Johnston 12. Kyla Gordon 13. Shirley Mailangi 14. Maddison Shaw 15. Monique Donovan 16. Crystal Overton 17. Brandii Davis Welsh 18. Cindy Whiteley 19. Drew Grant

**ST MARYS v HELENSBURGH TIGERS**

St Marys Leagues Stadium, Sunday 2 May 10:30am; Referee:

Brandon Mani; Sideline Officials: Billy Greatbatch, Ethan Murray

**ST MARYS:** 1. Abbi Church 2. Reshaun Vaughan 3. Rikeya Horne 4. Nicole Kennedy 5. Jasmin Huriwai 6. Ashlee Harrison 7. Emily Rains 8. Suzanne Sene-Lefao 9. Jenaye Collins 10. Christian Pio 11. Hanna Sio 12. Samantha Economos 13. Sarah Togatuki 14. Talia Lealaualoto 16. Christian Pio 17. Josephine Maejijis 18. Malia Tuifua 22. Kimberly Nikua 23. Litiana Tuifua  
**HELENSBURGH:** 1. Jessica Sergis 2. Meg Buchanan 3. Brittany Constable 4. Leah Schweickle 5. Mahinaarangi Rewi 6. Olivia Patterson 7. Rachael Pearson 8. Georgina Brooker 9. Erin Blackwell 10. Sharna Piccinelli 11. Josie Strong 12. Katrina Latu 13. Kezie Apps 14. Jasmine Sarin 16. Anastasia Shum 17. Teegan Chapman 18. Kellie Mutch 22. Monique Elliott

**MOUNTIES v WESTS TIGERS**

Aubrey Keech Reserve, Sunday 2 May 11:00am; Referee: Micheal Ford;

Sideline Officials: Olivia Lawne, Lukas Durrant

**MOUNTIES:** 1. Taina Naividi 2. Brooke Wilkins 3. Jocyphy Daniels 4. Mareva Swann 5. Leanne Toomalatai 6. Matilda Power 7. Sereana Naitokatoka 8. Tommaya Kelly-Sines 9. Keeley Davis 10. Filomina Hanisi 12. Jade Etherden 13. Simaima Taufa 14. Jamie Anne Wright 15. Mikayla Malaki 16. Stephanie Ball 19. Janelle Williams 20. Chantelle Leishman 22. Karol-Ann Tanevesi 23. Elianna Walton  
**WESTS TIGERS:** 1. Botille Vette-Welsh 2. Rebecca Pollard 3. Josephine Lenaz 4. Page McGregor 5. Ana Fekeila 6. Shekinah Edwards 7. Emily Curtain 8. Awhina Akuhata 19. Jaysharna-Jean Houia 10. Lakeisha Tipene 11. Ashlee Makim 12. Jasmine Lepua 13. Najvada George 14. Rachel Simpson 15. Mereana McManus-Ta'ase 16. Ana-lise Sio 17. Sarah Boyle 20. Rebecca Mose

18. Christian Ma'anaima 19. Harry Croker 20. Daniel Ticehurst  
**NORTHS:** 1. Brad Abbey 2. Tom Carr 3. Joseph Sualili 4. Tony Satini 5. Sione Hopoate 6. Ben Marschke 8. Tukupa Hau Tapuha 9. Adam Keighran 10. Daniel Suluka-Ffita 11. Naufahu Whyte 12. Egan Butcher 13. Max Bailey 14. Shannon Gardiner 15. Jerry Key 16. Michael Fenn 19. Ben Thomas 24. Josh Ralph

**ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS v WESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES**

WIN Stadium, Sunday 2 May 1:40pm (NRL match 4:05pm)

Referee: Daniel Luttringer; Sideline Officials: John Woods, Cameron Paddy

**ST GEO ILLA:** 1. Tony Pellow 2. Sam McCann 3. Shaun Sauni-Esau 4. Charly Runciman 5. James Schiller 6. Tyrann Wishart 7. Zeik Foster 8. Jaiyden Hunt 9. Billy Brittain 10. Luke Chalker 11. Matt Delbanco 12. Bailey Antrobus 13. Josh Carr 14. Hayden Lomax 15. Shalom O'Ofou 16. Lachlan Peachey 24. Pio Sokobalavu  
**WESTS:** 1. Zachary Cini 2. Allan Fitzgibbon 3. Reece Hoffman 4. Michael Chee-Kam 5. Kiah Cooper 6. Billy Walters 7. Jock Madden 8. Tom Amone 9. Jacob Liddle 10. Thomas Freebairn 11. Shawn Blore 12. Kelma Tuilagi 13. Tukimihia Simpkins 14. Zach Dockar-Clay 16. Austin Dias 17. Junior Pauga 19. Joseph Taipari

**MOUNTIES v PARRAMATTA EELS**

Aubrey Keech Reserve, Sunday 2 May 3:00pm

Referee: Matt Noyen; Sideline Officials: Martin Jones, Cameron Mitchell

**MOUNTIES:** 1. Kieren Moss 2. Watson Heleta 3. Aaron Schoupp 4. Reubenn Rennie 5. Falakiko Manu 6. Lachlan Lewis 7. Rhys Davies 8. Ofahiki Ogden 9. Josh Daley 10. Dean Britt 11. Jackson Topine 12. Dean Matterson 13. Joe Stimson 14. James Routman 15. Reuben Porter 16. Declan Casey 17. Jack Miller 19. Paea Pua 22. Ben Seufale  
**PARRAMATTA:** 1. Hayze Pertham 2. Sean Russell 3. Viliami Penisini 4. Michael Oldfield 5. Toa Mata'afa 6. Jordan Rankin 7. Jakob Arthur 8. Ky Rodwell 9. Joey Lussick 10. Wiremu Greig 11. Elie El Zakhem 12. Keegan Hipgrave 13. Makahesi Makatoa 14. Nathaniel Roache 15. Kurt Dillon 16. Charbel Tasipale 17. Aistasi James

**BYE: NEWTOWN JETS**

Blake Dowel 12. Harris Georgopoulos 13. Ben Arandt 14. Dantoray Lui 15. Aaron Johnson 16. Dallas Collins 17. Blake Barbuto 21. Oliver Parrish  
**WESTS TIGERS:** 1. Logan Dillon 2. Liam Scolari 3. Timanu Alexander 4. Iverson Fuatimau 5. Tino Lui 6. Ben Stevanovic 7. Kade Hill 8. Mavoni Tuifua 9. Rua Ngati 10. Etuale Lui 11. Eli Morgan 12. Brandon Mansfield 13. Daniel Sykes 14. Tyrann Ott 15. Elifasa Leilua 16. Sione Tupou 17. Fina Pole 18. F. Niutili-schmidt 19. Aden Perry

**PENRITH PANTHERS v MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES**

St Marys Leagues Stadium, Sunday 2 May 12:00pm

Referee: Billy Greatbatch; Sideline Officials: Brandon Mani, Ethan Murray

**PENRITH:** 1. Sadee Sub Laban 2. Flynn Isaacs 3. Elone Taufa 4. Logan Dickson 5. Ethan Clark-Wood 6. Nihwai Puru 7. Hayden Bonanno 8. Mavrik Geyer 9. Luke Sommerton 10. Ilai Tuia 11. Hohepa Puru 12. Vito Tevaga 13. Bradley Fearnley 14. Connor Mason 15. Immanuel Tagaloamatua 16. Sunita Lotoani 17. Tyreece Tonga  
**MANLY:** 1. Kaeo Weekes 2. Ray Tuaimalo-Vaega 3. Tolu Koula 4. Keegan Turner 5. Cameron Brown 6. Jamie Lawler 7. Zane Harris 8. Viliami Fifita 9. Jack Birt 10. Jacob Sykes 11. Zac Fulton 12. Ben Trbojevic 13. Sione Fainu 14. Jude Gibbs 15. Callan Burgess 16. Neihana Oldham 17. Radjo Jankovic 21. Lewis Afeaki

**VICTORIA THUNDERBOLTS v SYDNEY ROOSTERS**

Clearwood Drive Reserve Truganina, Sunday 2 May 2:00pm

Referee: Mohammad Hussaini; Sideline Officials: Kyle Grady, Matt Hicks

**VICTORIA:** 1. Saimone Ahomana 2. Sione Finau 3. Haloti Fonua 4. Antonio Sanele 5. Brandon Saena 6. Daniel Atkinson 7. Jonah Pezet 8. Jack Natapu 9. Kruz Niutili-Schmidt 10. James Atonio 11. Judda Turahui 12. Jared Nauma 13. Tangatta Teroi 14. Sualauvi Faalogo 15. Desmond Raukete 16. Chance Te Atua 17. Teofilo Seigafo 18. Tui Jeremia  
**SYDNEY:** 1. Luke Knight 2. Corey Fenning 3. Jack Mossman 4. Sidney Noppen 5. Lani Graham-Taufa 6. Gerald Volkman 7. Max Batty 8. Hugo Patterson 9. Kobe Rugless 10. Luca Moretti 11. Jacob Preston 12. Riley Meyn 13. Jack Stringer 14. Michael Coleman 15. Lachlan Poko 16. Cooper Page-Wilson 17. Trevor-Joseph Sionetali 18. Tommy Anderson

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## RON MASSEY CUP - ROUND 8

### KAIVITI SILKTAILS v CABRAMATTA TWO BLUES

Mascot Oval, Saturday 1 May 3:00pm

Referee: Clayton Wills; Sideline Officials: Tom Stindl, Tim Hannon

**SILKTAILS:** 4. Ratu Inoke Vasuturaga 5. Josua Waqavesi 6. Mosese Qionomacawa 7. Waisale Nayavucere 9. Penioni Tagituumua 10. Apakuki Tavodi 11. Maika Serulevu 12. Joeli Vulavou 13. Salimoni Nasoki 14. Timoci Bola 16. Ropate Tobe 17. Tomasi Vakadrano 18. Josaia Raboiliku 19. Samuel Daveta 23. Manasa Kalou 24. Vuate Karawalevu 25. Sunia Naruma 26. Akuila Tavakaturaga 28. Malakai Kovekalou **CABRAMATTA:** 1. Christian Papa 2. Joel Kingham 3. Dylan Nunes 4. Noel Akufolau 5. Anthony Raheb 6. Jamieson Clark 7. Husam El Refaai 8. Moses Manu 9. Jack Ryan 10. Avia Minute 11. Avia Minute 12. Alan Niulesa 13. Jad Mahmoud 14. David Tui 15. Eddie Faalua 16. Raphael Vella 17. Timothy Fangalahi 18. Aykan Bosnali 19. Poasa Telepe

### MOUNTIES v WESTERN SUBURBS MAGPIES

Aubrey Keech Reserve, Sunday 2 May 1:00pm

Referee: Tom Cambourn; Sideline Officials: Martin Jones, Cameron Mitchell

**MOUNTIES:** 1. Jaimon Wormleaton 2. Isaac Williams 3. Atini Gafa 4. Jordon Remfrey 5. Jalen Reweti 6. Ryan Franks 7. Kamren Cryer 8. Haimona Hiroti 9. Harry Leddy 10. Harrison Leonard 11. Kane McQuiggin 12. Cleveland McGhie 13. Javvier Pitovao 14. Mitchell Butfield 15. Rydge Smith 16. Toby Huxley 17. Brady Cheshire 18. Matthew Price 19. Riley Cheshire **WESTS:** 1. Mitchell Francis 2. Kieran Wyld 3. Dane Francis 4. Johnny Mitsias 5. Samuel Stratis 6. Brock Pelligra 7. Kurtis Preece 8. Kell O'Brien 9. Max Altus 10. John Trimboli 11. Ronny Palumbo 12. Jak Cannell 13. Matthew Filipo 15. Alvin Maungatti 16. Mitch Zampetides 21. James Mirceski

### WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES v WINDSOR WOLVES

Ringrose Park, Sunday 2 May 3:00pm

Referee: Cameron Turner; Sideline Officials: Karra-lee Nolan, Adam Reid

**WENTWORTHVILLE:** 1. Nick Walker 2. Eto Nabuli 3. Josh Minhinick 4. Chris Tupou 6. Henry Raiwalui 7. Beau Henry 8. Filia Utoikamanu 9. Ryan Pritchard 10. Joel Luani 11. Blake Cook 12. Kieran Hayman 13.

## SYDNEY SHIELD - ROUND 8

### WENTWORTHVILLE UNITED v WINDSOR WOLVES

Ringrose Park, Sunday 2 May 1:00pm

Referee: Karra-lee Nolan; Sideline Officials: Cameron Turner, Adam Reid

**WENTY UTD:** 1. Cameron Hall 2. Michael Cheer 3. Siao Si Sifa 4. Chris Tupou 5. Obed Karwhin 6. James Boustani 7. Sam Carusi 8. Solomone Lasalo 9. Jermaine Cook 10. Dayne Vette Welsh 11. Avishkar Gnyawali 12. Shaiquan Terekia 13. Josh Tuitupou 14. Brad Johnson 15. Jack Wheelhouse 16. Andrew Pritchard 17. Albert Etuati Favaae 18. Brandon Sly **WINDSOR:** 1. Dylan Marshall 2. Joshua Fraser 3. William Buttler 4. Isaac Gorman 5. Ayden Leyshon 6. Brandon Smallwood 7. Hayden McWilliam 8. Benjamin Dooley 9. Jaydn Field 10. Will Eperu 11. Jake Lennox 12. David Baumann 13. Kain Howarth 14. Daniel Sullivan 15. Bradley Hoogenboom 16. Franco Parodiso 17. Matt Tomkins

### RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS v CRONULLA-CARINGBAH SHARKS

TG Millner Field, Sunday 2 May 1:00pm

Referee: Dillian Wells; Sideline Officials: Louis Matheson, Patrick Mackey

**RE HAWKS:** 18. Josh Rizk 19. Mathew Smith 20. Joshua Boumelhem 21. Livai Saukuru 22. Muong Dut 23. Hayden Essery 24. Floyd Tighe 25. Elijah Smyth 26. Angus O'donnell 27. Aidan Kelso 28. Ryan Garner 29. Jeffrey Tuitavuki 30. Zayn Wilkins 31. Tjaden Molean 32. Micah Marsh 33. Blake Roberts 44. Stefano Totidis 45. Ethan Mokoia **CRON-C'BAH:** 1. Callum Tutauha 2. DJ Purcell 3. Nesiasi Mataitonga 4. Rea Pittman 5. William Russell 6. Kai Broadhurst 7. Penani Manumalealii 8. Nobby Repata 9. James Russell 10. Jyi Seymour 11. Joshua Holt 12. Tanson Lavapesi-Simi 13. Ezekiel Phillips 14. Demario Lokeni-Purcell 16. Rodrigo Villar 17. Thomas Crossle 18. Sione Masima 19. Jack Keady 20. Jordan Simi 21. Cameron Eyles

### ST MARYS v HILLS BULLS

St Marys Leagues Stadium, Sunday 2 May 2:00pm

Referee: Mitchell Currie; Sideline Officials: Damian Brady, Mitchell Stone

**ST MARYS:** 1. Ethan Mcpherson 2. Chris Aunese-scanlan 3. Jake Tago 4. Jesse Abbott 5. Sean Sabutey 6. Aiden Glanville 7. Mason Iaria 8. Samuel Cookson 10. Quinn Ma'aelopa 11. Marli Sini 12. Jedd Gordon 13. Emmanuel Petrus 14. Dylan McBain 16. Joey Tramontana 17. Liam Harris 19. Mitchell Atkinson 20. Bradley Gaut 21. Aaron

### WENTWORTHVILLE MAGPIES v CENTRAL COAST ROOSTERS

Ringrose Park, Sunday 2 May 11:30am

Referee: Ethan Klein; Sideline Officials: Isaac El-Hassen, Corey Fisher

**WENTWORTHVILLE:** 1. Katrina Phippen 2. Trudy Camilleri 3. Rima Butler 4. Inangaro Maraeara 5. Regina Lui Toso 6. Maddy Brown 7. Te Aroha Hapuku 8. Teina Clark 9. Hayley Tipene 10. Marisa Posiano 11. Lekielia Brown 12. Allison Futialo 13. Alyce Solaese 14. Julianna Tevaga 15. Erandy Iva Munro 16. Santoria Faafo-Taula 17. Shileat-Schaaf 18. Sinead Sio 19. Tara McGrath-West **CC ROOSTERS:** 1. Isabelle Kelly 2. Jasmine Strange 3. Jayme Fressard 4. Yasmin Meakes 5. Alicia Martin 6. Brydie Parker 7. Jocelyn Kelleher 8. Tayla Predebon 9. Olivia Higgins 10. Caitlan Johnston 11. Roxy Murdoch 12. Olivia Kernick 13. Hannah Southwell 14. Shawden Burton 15. Madeline Jones 16. Joeli Morris 17. Melanie Howard 18. Claire Reed

Jordan Latham 14. Rhys Armstrong 16. Niko Apelu 17. Mathew Place 20. Dylan Clifford 22. Cadence Matene 23. Harrison O'Toole **WINDSOR:** 1. Kakapuna Fotu 2. Alex Nicholls-o'neill 3. Emosi Alamoti 4. Shondre Lee-Silva 5. Luke McDonald 6. Zac Mackay 7. Connor Garrety 8. Malakai Houma 9. Mitchel Souter 10. Eton Lindsay 11. Lazarus Brown 12. Kyle Cassel 13. Craig Garvey 14. Isaac Thompson 15. James Horvat 16. Brandon Smallwood 17. Dallas King 18. Giordan Patea

### RYDE-EASTWOOD HAWKS v GLEBE DIRTY REDS

TG Millner Field, Sunday 2 May 3:00pm

Referee: Louis Matheson; Sideline Officials: Luke Saldern, Patrick Mackey

**RE HAWKS:** 1. Curtis Wilson 2. Christopher Ulugia 4. Semisi Kioa 6. Joel Holdsworth 7. Mitchell Gray 8. Tyrone Faulkner 9. Bennett Wheelhouse 10. Callum Ellis 11. Tyler Seymour 12. Justin Frain 13. Angus McElroy 14. Lachlan Talau 15. Bradley Cousins 16. Tony Tali 37. Langi Suli-Ruka 39. Topi Taufa 50. Suliasi Suli **GLEBE:** 1. Wyndham Peachey 2. Wyatt Rangi 3. Eli Roberts 4. John Olive 5. Honeti Tuha 6. Riley Travers 7. Manaia Rudolph 8. Ryan Verlinden 9. Jackson Garlick 10. Caleb Uele 11. Tom Caughlan 12. Mason McCarthy 13. Jackson Stewart 15. Daniel Arahu 16. Sione Afemui 17. Jakiel Mariner 20. Michael Stark 25. Peter Nay

### ST MARYS v HILLS BULLS

St Marys Leagues Stadium, Sunday 2 May 4:00pm

Referee: Damian Brady; Sideline Officials: Clayton Wills, Mitchell Stone

**ST MARYS:** 1. Jake Toby 2. Luke Geary 3. Geoff Daniela 4. Daniel Brown 5. Luke Naduratalo 6. Adam Fearney 7. Zac Greene 8. Antonio Pelesasa 9. Trent Toelau 10. Alec Susino 11. Arthur Crichton 12. Matt Stimson 13. Anton Iaria 14. Meni Luke 16. Alexander Myles 17. Thomas Romer 18. Anthony Layoun 20. Henry Seumanu **HILLS:** 1. Dominic Reardon 2. Maile Li 3. Shane Kiel 4. Leva Li 5. Daniel Lotu 6. Zach Nicholls 7. Josh Lewis 9. Julian King 10. Tim Robinson 12. Daniel Harrison 13. Dylan McKeown 14. Jack Morris 15. Rhys Scigliatano 16. Luke Hodge 17. Taniela Lasalo 18. Tevita Alifa 21. Joel Bradford

### BYE: BLACKTOWN WORKERS SEA EAGLES

Wilson 23. Luke Sim **HILLS:** 1. Jacob Harrington 3. Luke Osborne 4. Masi Paulo Fidow 5. Thomas Menzies 6. Jesse Parker 7. Mitch Hyde 9. Jermaine Ma'u 11. Jake Beeton 12. Blake Hill 13. Sean Walpole 14. Jayden Griffin 15. Jared Ross 16. Nacanieli Tuiqali 17. Ilija Cotric 18. Winstone Asotasi 19. Jack Kenny 20. Tristan Kini 23. Mohammed Sultan

### MOOREBANK RAMS v EAST CAMPBELLTOWN EAGLES

Hammondville Oval, Sunday 2 May 3:00pm

Referee: Charlie Suters; Sideline Officials: Paul Eden, Nick Beashel

**MOOREBANK:** 2. George Sukanavitu 3. Kaylib Savage 4. John Panapa 5. Laitia Moceidreke 7. Christian Urso 8. Elvis John Oloaga 9. Benjamin Armstrong 10. Jason Tuulau 11. Tuarae Rawhiti 12. Matthew Knight 13. Mitchell Barrett 14. Josh Taylor Myles 15. Marcus Moore 16. Abdul-rahman Ghanem 17. Joash Murray 18. Josiah Lealamisa 19. Tyler Ah Chong 20. Joshua Scales 21. Jake Horton **EAST C TOWN:** 1. Samuel Kimi-Ioane 2. Jahoiyakira Afoa 3. Jayke Lealuga-Puhotau 4. Salessa Tavui 5. Amanono Tovio 6. Kayden Fox 8. Edward Masoe 9. Luke Williams 10. Adam Soultan 11. Raymond Redman 12. Brett Lahey 13. John Da Silva 14. Baden Stewart 15. Brody Dooner 16. Aaron Teraki 17. Alapati Potifara 18. Va'enuku Vatuvui 77. Christopher Sutherland

### BELROSE EAGLES v CABRAMATTA TWO BLUES

Lionel Watts Park, Sunday 2 May 3:00pm

Referee: Tom Stindl; Sideline Officials: Luke Heckendorf, Ben Teague

**BELROSE:** 1. Jake Pickering 2. Aaron Fogarty 3. Rhys Wolloghan 4. Beau Abrahams 5. Kyle Fogarty 6. Tearikiteau Noovao 7. Wesley Sefuiva 8. Steven Tavita 9. Jamie Buhner 10. Jackson Williams 11. Giuseppe Plati 12. Lachlan Armstrong 13. Andrew Layton 14. Luke Betts 15. Daniel Martin 17. Nicholas Bilsborough 18. Mackenzie Northcote 19. Ryan Fletcher 20. Benjamin West 24. Damien Lawler **CABRAMATTA:** 1. Reuben Bell 2. Lorenzo Falaniko 3. Arthor Tupou 4. Aisake Sadranu 5. Asaeli Vuikaki 6. Bailey Steadman 7. Aykan Bosnali 8. Joshua Thompson 9. Moo Doh 10. Brendon Luamanu 11. Leonard Skelton 12. Timothy Fangalahi 13. Harry Brett 14. Poasa Telepe 15. Kisi Taulani 16. Lui Tavete 17. Sione Latu 18. Harley Sanchez 19. Hendrikus Wong 20. Jerome Taulaga 21. Joseph Romeo

### BYE: BROTHERS PENRITH

### NORTH SYDNEY BEARS v CABRAMATTA TWO BLUES

NSWRL Centre of Excellence, Monday 3 May 7:00pm

Referee: Nathan Loveday; Sideline Officials: Dillian Wells, Robert Morey

**NORTHS:** 1. Shanice Parker 2. Courtney Frankl 3. Shontelle Stowers 4. Shenai Lendill 5. Tyla Gambell 6. Kirra Dobb 7. Sabrina Green 8. Aliti Namoco 9. Nita Maynard 10. Mya Hill-Moana 11. Holli Wheeler 12. Allison Dennis 13. Nicole Backhouse 14. Renee Targett 15. Caitlin Keefe 16. Jessica Rastrick-auva 18. Ngaliika Barker 19. Tyra Boysen 22. Jamilee Bright 23. Donna Matangi **CABRAMATTA:** 1. Danielle Kellar 3. Annique Omodiagbe 4. Kristen Cawthorne 5. Natisha Forsyth-Tule 6. Jada Karam 7. Diana Mousselamani 8. Mele Loko 9. Sarah Chahine 10. Elisapeta Taufaa 11. Carly Drury 12. Naomi De Bruine 13. Brooke Davis 14. Serene Nikro 15. Elizabeth Vakacoo 19. Jada Toevai 22. Natalie Bainou 23. Jacinta Kiraz 24. Ashley Blackmore 26. Jenna Carroll

### BYE: GLEBE DIRTY REDS

# NSWRL JUNIOR REPS GRAND FINAL DAY

## SG BALL CUP GRAND FINAL

VENUE Leichhardt Oval  
DATE & TIME Saturday 1 May 3:00pm  
REFEREE Brandon MANI  
SIDELINE OFFICIALS Ethan MURRAY, Gage MILES

### Canberra RAIDERS

1	Jack Sandford
2	Xavier Savage
3	Deakin Bright
4	Joshua Billing
5	Michael Asomua
6	Mitchell Spencer
7	Sione Moala
8	Laghan Lewis
9	Toby Thorburn
23	Caleb Esera
11	Noah Saddler
12	Clay Webb
13	Trey Mooney
14	Connor Williams
15	Blake Martin
16	Mitchell Prest
21	Wilson Hamblin
22	Joshua Pokoney

### Illawarra STEELERS

1	Tyrell Sloan
2	Alexander Lobb
3	Benjamin Lavender
4	Brandon Morkos
5	Cooper Roberts
6	Junior Amone
7	Tyrone Roberts
8	Bryce Magnone
9	Riley Wooden
17	Trent Griffiths
11	Jackson Shereb
12	Travis Barrett-Hancock
13	Joshua Coric
10	Thomas Phillips
15	Trey Barlow
16	Jack Owens
18	Syddarys Cassidy
14	Viliani Mahe

## HAROLD MATTHEWS CUP GRAND FINAL

VENUE Leichhardt Oval  
DATE & TIME Saturday 1 May 1:00pm  
REFEREE Micheal FORD  
SIDELINE OFFICIALS Jake WALSH, Corey FISHER

### Manly-Warringah SEA EAGLES

1	Lehi Hopoate
2	Calvin Levy
3	Eli Sagala
4	Josh Feledy
5	Revelation Sio
6	Latu Fainu
7	Rory Morgan
8	Samuela Fainu
9	Ollie Cummins
10	Raymond Lole
11	Dylan Coutts
12	Roy Quiroz-Mapusua
13	Noa Faatui
14	Mitchell Taotua
15	Rene Bagon
16	Drew Williams
17	Tj Herring
18	Zedrick Fa'i Tupulua
22	Jake Smith
24	Maxwell Taotua

### Parramatta EELS

1	Patrick Spence
2	Suliasi Aho
3	Charlie Guymer
4	Declan Murray
5	Joshua Lealaialoto
6	Blaize Talagi
7	Ethan Sanders
8	Sam Tuivaiti
9	Yehya Ayache
10	Aufag Mino
11	Domenico De Stradis
12	Saxon Pryke
13	Myles Martin
14	Terrence Lafai
15	Jacob John
16	Joshua Alhazim
17	Raffaele De Stradis
18	Genesis Talagi Seuala

## TARSHA GALE CUP GRAND FINAL

VENUE Leichhardt Oval  
DATE & TIME Saturday 1 May 11:00am  
REFEREE Blake WILLIAMS  
SIDELINE OFFICIALS Harrison BAYSSARI, Todd PIETERS

### Sydney ROOSTERS

1	Maddie Binding
2	Charlize Lloyd-Phillips
3	Iesha Duckett
4	Ruby Smith
5	Zoe Cass
6	Tayla Montgomery
7	Courtney Tamati
8	Tymekqwa Duckett
9	Taneka Todhunter
10	Keilee Joseph
11	Jasmon Tupou
12	Otesa Pule
13	Rease Casey
14	Teisha Saunders
15	Milly Lupo
16	Tahlia Smith
17	Maya Svagelli
18	Avalon Pallier
19	Jamie-Lee Rooke

### St George DRAGONS

1	Cassey Tohi-Hiku
2	Stella Tijou
3	Breeze E'e
4	Rosemarie Beckett
5	Courageous Afoa
6	Luisa Yaranamua
7	Rayven-Jodeci Boyce
8	Fatafehi Hanisi
9	Erana Reti
10	Faith Nimmo
11	Katarina Raravula
12	Rysh'e Fa'amausili
13	Nesia Ben
14	Rueben Cherrington
15	Maurice Nafoi
16	Selenna Fuimaono
17	Lahtia Stone
22	Faith Ainuu

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# QRL TEAMLISTS

## BHP PREMIERSHIP WOMEN'S - ROUND 4

### BURLEIGH BEARS v VALKYRIES QUEENSLAND

Pizzey Park, Friday 30 April, 7:30pm

Referee: Adam Rossiter; Sideline Officials: Tori Wilkie, Dylan Lawrence

**BURLEIGH:** 1. Karina Brown 2. Tarnisha Lyons 3. Shellie Long 4. Tiana Raftstrand-Smith 5. Molly McGill 6. Lauren Brown 7. Zahara Temara 8. Jasmin Kemp 9. Brittany Breayley 10. Millie Boyle 11. Crystal Tamarua 12. Tallisha Harden 13. Tazmin Gray 14. Chante Temara 15. Belinda Clarke 16. Jetaya Faifua 17. Tamika Upton 18. Kimiora Breayley-nati **VALKYRIES:** 2. Jasmine Fogavini 3. Tyesha Mikaio 8. Liahona Theodore 9. Michaela Peck 13. Keisharn Hala - full lineup TBC

### NORTH QUEENSLAND GOLD STARS v BRISBANE TIGERS

Jack Manski Oval, Saturday 1 May, 3:00pm

Referee: Sam Nosworthy; Sideline Officials: Conor Wilson, Jeff Archer

**NQ GOLD STARS:** 1. Romy Teitzel 2. Katie Green 4. Jasmine Peters 5. Lauren Moss 6. Sarah Field 7. Tahlulah Tillet 8. Layla Fauid 9. Emma Manzelmann 10. Riutoto Te Hiko 11. Zoe Cook 12. Rangimarie Edwards-Bruce 13. Pani Rupapere 14. Mateeka Nielson 15. Jordii Mahendrarajah 16. Deborah Barchard 17. Rhiannon Revell-Blair 19. India Macphee 20. Shaniah Power **BRISBANE:** 1. Jodeci Nicholson 2. Lucy Botten 3. Shae Yvonne De La Cruz 4. Emily Veivers 5. Kaitlyn Andersen 6. Tahlia Rolph 7. Tayla Eldridge 8. Kimberley Dore 9. Kelsey Ladbrooke-parkin 10. Jayda Lofipo 11. Jessikah Reeves 12. Eloise Vunakece 13. Kathrine Moore 14. Angela Tambam Watego 15. Sierra Maple 16. Emily Robinson 17. Moega Wright 18. Kennedy Harrison-Vahua

### WEST BRISBANE PANTHERS v TWEED SEAGULLS

West Mitchelton, Saturday 1 May, 3:00pm

Referee: Jarrod Cameron; Sideline Officials: Brittane Stephan, Kailey Beattie

**WESTS:** 1. Julia Robinson 2. Lilly Green 3. Lauren Dam 4. Sera Koroi 5. Hayley Riccardi 6. Caitlin Moran 7. Lana Sheedy 8. Shen'e Clemments 9. Therese Aiton 10. Asipau Mafi 11. Sara Sautia 12. Makenzie Weale 13. Hannah Larsson 14. Ariaana Randall 15. Fiona Jahnke 16. Taimane Levu 17. Acacia Wulf 18. Jaylan To'o 19. Takiyah Nagas 20. Stefanie Gallagher 21. Annie Dufficy **TWEED:** 1. Brooke Saddler 2. Jaime Chapman 3. Amy Turner 4. Abelee Stanley 5. Alani Sullivan 6. Jada Ferguson 7. Tarryn Aiken 8. Josina Singapu 9. Lailee Phillips 10. Rona Peters 11. Zara Canfield 12. Shaylee Bent 13. Georgia Hale 14. Serena Martin 15. Olivia Attenborough-Doyle 16. Grace Qaranivalu 17. Tawana Sullivan Togo 18. Olivia Fien

### CENTRAL QUEENSLAND CAPRAS v VALLEYS DIEHADS

Browne Park, Saturday 1 May, 6:00pm

Referee: Luke Fletcher; Sideline Officials: Luke Quinn, Tanner Howard

**CAPRAS:** 1. Chelsea Baker 2. Bree Spreadborough 3. Jessica Powell 4. Emmanita Paki 5. Keysha Baker 6. Kailah Rogers 7. Reeghyn Beardmore 8. Gemma Brennan 9. Mackenzie Reid 10. Naomi Clayton 11. Annette Brander 12. Sharni Upton 13. Mariah Storch 14. Meg Neven 15. Sophie O'toole 16. Emmalee Mcmurdy 17. Mikayla Roe 18. Rikarra Benjamin **VALLEYS:** 1. Hayley Maddick 2. Shenae Ciesiolka 3. Meg Ward 4. Toni Hunt 5. Taylor Mapusua 6. Grace Griffin 7. Ali Briggins 8. Brianna Clark 9. Lavinia Gould 10. Lauretta Leao-Seve 11. Kody House 12. Natassja Purontakanen 13. Savannah Pratten 14. Patrice Chambers 15. Emma Sykes 16. Jamie-Lee Lewis 17. Destiny Brill 18. Portia Bourke

**PLEASE NOTE:** Teamlists are updated and finalised one hour before kickoff.  
Check [QRL.com.au](http://QRL.com.au) on match day.

## 2021 AUSWIDE BANK MAL MENINGA CUP - GRAND FINAL

VENUE  
DATE & TIME  
REFEREE  
SIDELINE OFFICIALS

Jack Manski Oval  
Saturday 1 May 1:00pm  
Matt GANNON  
Cody KWIK, Conor WILSON

### Townsville BLACKHAWKS

1	Ragarive Wavik
2	Jordan Davies
3	Xavier Chatfield-Mooka
4	Dudley Dotoi
5	Cathane Hill
6	Harley Taylor
7	Thomas Duffy
8	Cruz Smith
9	Tyreice Baira-Gela
10	Damon Marshall
11	D'jazirhae Pua'avase
12	William Latu
13	Luke Jack
14	Ethan Roberts
15	Sean Bourke
16	Trey Valentine
17	Sione Afu
18	Arama Kite
19	Maverick Pegoraro

### Tweed SEAGULLS

1	Jaylan De Groot
2	Elijah Lui
3	Kaleb Ngamanu
4	Deine Mariner
5	Campbell Watchirs
6	Harradyn Wilson
7	Thomas Weaver
8	Jack Cullen
9	Oskar Bryant
10	Jotham Russell
11	Ryan Foran
12	Brock Priestley
13	John-Thomas Manuofetoa
14	Blake Mozer
15	Bailey Martin
16	Jayden Wright
17	Nicholas Hilton
18	Riley Gadsby

# UK WATCH - RESULTS & FIXTURES

## BETFRED SUPER LEAGUE

### ROUND 4 RESULTS

**Wigan Warriors 22** Tries: Sam Powell, Bevan French 2, Zak Hardaker; Goals: Zak Hardaker  
**3 def Castleford Tigers 12** Tries: Derrell Olfherts 2; Goals: Paul McShane 2 *at DW Stadium*

**St Helens 18** Tries: Jonny Lomax, Mark Percival, Theo Fages; Goals: Lachlan Coote 3 **def**  
**Huddersfield Giants 10** Tries: Jermaine McGillivray, Chris McQueen; Goals: Aidan Sezer 1  
*at John Smith's Stadium*

**Salford Red Devils 34** Tries: Harvey Livett, Chris Atkin, Kevin Brown 2, Ken Sio, James  
Greenwood; Goals: Krisnan Inu 5 **def** **Leigh Centurions 8** Tries: Iain Thornley, Matty  
Russell *at AJ Bell Stadium*

**Hull KR 26** Tries: Kane Linnett 3, Matt Parcell, Ryan Hall; Goals: Jordan Abdull 3 **def** **Leeds**  
**Rhinos 6** Tries: Brad Dwyer; Goals: Ash Handley 1 *at Hull College Craven Park*

**Hull FC 20** Tries: Carlos Tuimavave, Adam Swift, Andre Savelio; Goals: Marc Sneyd 4 **def**  
**Wakefield Trinity 14** Tries: Mason Lino, James Batchelor, Lee Kershaw; Goals: Mason Lino  
1 *at KCOM Stadium*

**Warrington Wolves 24** Tries: Gareth Widdop, Jake Mamo, Toby King, Ben Currie; Goals:  
Stefan Ratchford 4 **def** **Catalans Dragons 8** Tries: James Maloney; Goals: James Maloney  
2 *at Stade Gilbert Brutus*

**CURRENT LADDER: St Helens 100%, Wigan 100%, Hull 87.5%, Castleford 75%, Catalans**  
**75%, Warrington 62.5%; Hull KR 50%, Leeds 25%, Salford 25%, Huddersfield 0%,**  
**Wakefield 0%, Leigh 0%**

### ROUND 5 FIXTURES

	<i>all times BST UK, add 9 hours for AEST</i>	
Wigan v Hull FC	Thu 29 Apr 7:45pm	DW Stadium
Wakefield v Catalans	Fri 30 Apr 6:00pm	Mobile Rocket Stadium
Leigh v St Helens	Fri 30 Apr 6:00pm	Leigh Sports Village
Salford v Castleford	Fri 30 Apr 7:45pm	AJ Bell Stadium
Warrington v Hull KR	Sat 1 May 1:00pm	Halliwel Jones Stadium
Huddersfield v Leeds	Sun 2 May 3:00pm	John Smith's Stadium

## BETFRED WOMEN'S CHALLENGE CUP

### FIRST ROUND RESULTS

**Warrington Wolves 38 def Huddersfield Giants 12** *at Sports Park Weetwood*  
**York City Knights 16 def Wakefield Trinity 10** *at Sports Park Weetwood*

### QUARTER FINAL TEAMS

	Draw TBC
Bradford Bulls	Castleford Tigers
Featherstone Rovers	Leeds Rhinos
St Helens	Warrington Wolves
Wigan Warriors	York City Knights

## BETFRED WOMEN'S SUPER LEAGUE

### ROUND 2 FIXTURES

	<i>all times BST UK, add 9 hours for AEST</i>	
Wigan v Bradford	Sun 2 May 12:00pm	Victoria Park
Featherstone v Leeds	Sun 2 May 12:00pm	Sports Park Weetwood
St Helens v Huddersfield	Sun 2 May 3:00pm	Victoria Park
Wakefield v Castleford	Sun 2 May 3:00pm	Sports Park Weetwood

## BETFRED CHAMPIONSHIP

### ROUND 3 RESULTS

**London Broncos 38** Tries: Tuoyo Egodo 3, Jarrod Sammut 2, Dan Hindmarsh, Josh Walters;  
Goals: Chris Hankinson 5 **def** **Oldham RLFC 24** Tries: Jack Bibby 2, Luke Nelmes, Dave  
Hewitt; Goals: Callum Green 4 *at Rosslyn Park*

**Batley Bulldogs 48** Tries: Jonny Campbell 2, Josh Tonks, Michael Ward, Ben White, Dale  
Morton, Luke Hooley, Jodie Broughton, Dane Manning; Goals: Dale Morton 6 **def** **Widnes**  
**Vikings 16** Tries: Eribe Doro, Kenny Baker, Owen Buckley; Goals: Ste Tyrer 2 *at Fox's*  
**Biscuits Stadium**

**York City Knights 64** Tries: Matty Marsh 4, Ronan Dixon 2, Riley Dean 2, Connor Wynne,  
Kieran Dixon, Ryan Atkins; Goals: Kieran Dixon 10 **def** **Swinton Lions 16** Tries: Luis Roberts,  
Mike Butt, Louis Brogan; Goals: Jack Hansen 2 *at Heywood Road*

**Featherstone Rovers 48** Tries: Brett Ferres, Connor Jones, Jack Bussey, Craig Kopczak,  
Nu Brown, Junior Moors, Josh Hardcastle, Gareth Gale, Craig Hall; Goals: Nu Brown 6 **def**  
**Whitehaven RLFC 14** Tries: Karl Dixon, James Worthington, Aaron Purewal; Goals: Lachlan  
Walmsley 1 *at Millennium Stadium*

**Toulouse Olympique 44** Tries: Taioalo Vaivai 2, Lloyd White 2, Joe Bretherton, Andrew  
Dixon, Remi Casty; Goals: Anthony Marion 6 **def** **Halifax Panthers 34** Tries: James  
Saltonstall 3, Zach McComb, James Woodburn-Hall, Ed Barber; Goals: Connor Robinson 5  
*at The Shay Stadium*

**Newcastle Thunder 24** Tries: Jack Johnson, Cole Oakley, Jay Chapelhow, Ukuma Ta'ai;  
Goals: Josh Woods 4 **def** **Sheffield Eagles 16** Tries: James Glover, Joel Farrell, Jack Render;  
Goals: Izaak Farrell 2 *at Kingston Park*

**Bradford Bulls 35** Tries: Joe Brown 2, Brad England, Ross Oakes; Goals: Danny Brough 5;  
Field Goals: Danny Brough 1 **def** **Dewsbury Rams 14** Tries: Andy Gabriel 2, Adam Ryder;  
Goals: Paul Sykes 1 *at Tetley's Stadium*

**CURRENT LADDER: Toulouse 100%, Sheffield 100%, Featherstone 100%, Dewsbury 100%,**  
**Halifax 50%, Batley 50%, Whitehaven 50%, Oldham 50%, Bradford 50%, Newcastle 25%,**  
**Widnes 25%, York 0%, Swinton 0%, London 0%**

### ROUND 4 FIXTURES

	<i>all times BST UK, add 9 hours for AEST</i>	
Oldham v Halifax	Sat 1 May 12:45pm	Bower Fold
Sheffield v London	Sat 1 May 3:00pm	Keepmoat Stadium
Newcastle v Batley	Sun 2 May 12:45pm	Kingston Park
Whitehaven v Bradford	Sun 2 May 3:00pm	Recreation Ground
Widnes v Swinton	Sun 2 May 5:15pm	Halton Stadium
Dewsbury v York	Sun 2 May 7:30pm	Tetley's Stadium
Toulouse v Featherstone	POSTPONED	



# PERENARA RETIRES

STATEMENT FROM THE PROFESSIONAL RUGBY LEAGUE MATCH OFFICIALS INC.

**Professional Rugby League Match Officials Incorporated (PRLMO) are aware news has been circulating regarding the medical retirement of one of the games most experienced match officials, Henry Perenara.**

Henry has confirmed he has been diagnosed with exercise-induced supraventricular tachycardia (SVT), and on the advice of medical professionals, made the difficult decision to retire from on-field duties. The PRLMO have been working closely with Henry in recent weeks to support him through this process in every way possible.

Henry has had a remarkable career in the NRL as both a player and referee. He debuted for the Auckland Warriors in the year 2000 and went on to play 72 first grade game for five clubs. He also played two Test Matches for New Zealand Maori, and one for New Zealand.

Henry entered the refereeing ranks through a cadet program focused on former players. He made his debut in the middle in 2011, where he oversaw the Round 17 fixture between the Roosters and Raiders. He would go on to referee 205 first grade

games, with a further 33 as a touch judge. His NRL match official number is 106. He has also referred 10 Test Matches and was recently selected as part of the International Rugby League's first ever Elite Match Official Squad.

"Henry's contribution to Rugby League as a player and match official is simply remarkable," said PRLMO Chairman Silvio Del Vecchio.

"To perform at this level on the game's biggest stage for over 20-years deserves our absolute respect and admiration."

Despite his retirement from on field duties, Henry will continue with the NRL Match Officials Department, working as a review official in the Bunker and performing a number of coaching functions with both top tier and up and coming match officials.

"The health and well-being of match officials has always been our top priority," Del Vecchio added.

"I want to sincerely thank Jared Maxwell and the NRL for their continued support of Henry."



# NRL: ROUND 7 WRAP

## Thursday | **PENRITH 24 NEWCASTLE 6**



### **PENRITH PANTHERS (24)**

**Tries:** Stephen Crichton, Matt Burton, Dylan Edwards, Brian To'o

**Conversions:** Nathan Cleary (3/4)

**Penalty Goals:** Nathan Cleary (1/1)

### **NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS (6)**

**Tries:** Starford To'a

**Conversions:** Kalyn Ponga (1/1)

**Venue:** BlueBet Stadium

**Crowd:** 16110

**Halftime Score:** Penrith 10 Newcastle 6

### **LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:**

3 points - Nathan Cleary

2 points - Isaah Yeo

1 points - Kurt Mann

### **OUR REPORT with HAMISH PARKER**

#### **Knights fall late as Panthers continue winning ways**

**The Penrith Panthers have won their seventh straight game, coming out over the top of the Knights 24-6 at Bluebet Stadium tonight.**

The Knights were valiant in their effort, but the pressure from the Panthers proved too much as the Novacastrians fell away towards the latter stages of the match.

The Panthers started well, turning away some early pressure and scoring when given their first opportunity close to the Newcastle line. Nathan Cleary's kick in behind the line was perfect for Stephen Crichton to squeeze his way in between two defenders to score the first try of the game.

Penrith were in again just under a quarter of an hour later, with a brilliant pass from Jarome Luai seeing Matt Burton go over virtually untouched. This gave the Panthers a 10-0 jump on their opponents less than 20 minutes in.

Probably the Knights' best performer tonight, five-eighth Kurt Mann, broke the line

before finding Starford To'a in space. To'a then put a great fend on Penrith fullback Dylan Edwards to score out wide and get the Knights right back into the game.

A Nathan Cleary penalty goal broke the second half deadlock to make it 12-6 to Penrith. The Panthers' relentless attack on Newcastle then broke the shackles, with a scrum-base play seeing a try scored by returning fullback Dylan Edwards. Minutes later, in form winger Brian To'o scored in the corner to seal the deal for the man from the foot of the mountain. A Nathan Cleary sideline conversion rounded out the scoring at 24-6.

Both coaches will ultimately be quite happy with their side's completion rate, with the teams not gifting their opposition too much easy ground.

Newcastle didn't get the win, but there can certainly be some positives to be found in that they really stood up to Penrith, before falling away late. Kalyn Ponga and Kurt Mann both starred for their team and will look to replicate their form next week against the Roosters.

The Panthers were no doubt challenged tonight, but that didn't trouble them too much as they stuck out the game, were willing to do the hard work and got the job done in the end. They face Manly next week.

## Friday | **SOUTH SYDNEY 40 GOLD COAST 30**



### **GOLD COAST TITANS (30)**

**Tries:** David Fifita (3), Jamal Fogarty, Tyrone Peachey

**Conversions:** Jamal Fogarty (5/5)

### **SOUTH SYDNEY RABBITOHS (40)**

**Tries:** Jaxson Paulo, Cody Walker, Dane Gagai, Benji Marshall (2),

Alex Johnston

**Conversions:** Adam Reynolds (5/6); **Penalty Goals:** Adam Reynolds (3/3)

**Venue:** Cbus Super Stadium

**Crowd:** 17383

**Halftime Score:** Gold Coast 24 South Sydney 10

### **LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:**

3 points - David Fifita

2 points - Benji Marshall

1 points - Adam Reynolds

### **OUR REPORT with ADAM HUXTABLE**

#### **Souths come back to win entertaining affair on the Gold Coast**

**The South Sydney Rabbitohs have survived an early scare against a Titans side not afraid to throw the ball around, coming back from a 14-point deficit at half time to win 40-30 at Cbus Super Stadium.**

The Titans got on the board early with an outstanding solo David Fifita effort, with Souths taking about 15 minutes to hit back courtesy of some lovely running and kicking from Campbell Graham to set up Jaxson Paulo.

It looked as if Souths may run away with it when Cody Walker crossed just two minutes later, however David Fifita would have something to say about that, initially struggling off two Souths defenders before beating 3 or 4 more to score his second try of the night, equally as brilliant as his first.

The Titans would be gifted field position after Damien Cook made contact high, and they made full use of it when Kelly would get a great offload away close to the line to set up David Fifita for his third try.

What followed is a contender for try of the season by the Titans. Ash Taylor showed no

fear and swung it all the way to the left, with Corey Thompson streaking away downfield and beating about 5 Souths defenders before getting an amazing flick pass away to Jamal Fogarty, who had nothing but daylight in front of him and made it an imposing 24-10 scoreline at half time.

Souths absolutely blew the Titans out of the water in the 2nd half, executing a simple sweeping play in the 46th minute with Dane Gagai the beneficiary. 5 minutes later, Keaton Koloamatangi would go right through the Titans defence and link up with Benji Marshall who scored the try.

Reynolds would level the scores through a penalty goal in the 54th minute, before Alex Johnston would be on the end of a miracle pass by Marshall and score the try that gave Souths the lead.

Tyrone Peachey would scurry over from dummy half 10 minutes later and give the Titans some hope, however it was soon extinguished when a brilliant cutout play from Marshall to Johnston saw the veteran half score his second try of the night.

Souths would put the result beyond doubt with two late penalty goals.

Next week, the Rabbitohs will travel to Canberra to take on the Raiders on Thursday night, while the Titans will make the bus trip up to Brisbane to play the Broncos.

## Friday | PARRAMATTA 46 BRISBANE 6



### PARRAMATTA EELS (46)

Tries: Maika Sivo (3), Isaiah Papali'i, Oregon Kaufusi, Tom Opacic, Bryce Cartwright, Clinton Gutherson

Conversions: Mitchell Moses (6/8)

Penalty Goals: Mitchell Moses (1/1)

### BRISBANE BRONCOS (6)

Tries: Tevita Pangai Junior; Conversions: Jamayne Isaako (1/1)

Venue: TIO Stadium

Crowd: 12056

Halftime Score: Parramatta 24 Brisbane 6

### LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:

3 points - Clinton Gutherson

2 points - Maika Sivo

1 points - Isaiah Papali'i

### OUR REPORT with TIM COSTELLO

#### Another Sivo treble sees Eels smash Brisbane

Maika Sivo's first minute try was a precursor of what was to come on an awful night for Brisbane, with Parramatta thumping last year's wooden spooners 46-6 at TIO Stadium in Darwin tonight.

A Xavier Coates drop-ball from the kickoff delivered the Eels gift footy in the opening moments of tonight's contest in a hot, sweaty Northern Territory capital, and with Sivo scoring out wide at the end of that first set, they took full advantage early.

After Brisbane retaliated through Tevita Pangai Junior at the tenth minute, the first half tussle went back-and-forward before a blitz from the Eels starting in the 28th minute blew Brisbane off the park.

Sivo picked up his second at that point to push the home side four points clear, and was soon backed up by Isaiah Papali'i who continued his impressive tryscoring record this season after running well in support play from a Oregon Kaufusi offload which found Mahoney onto Papali'i.

Kaufusi added one more before the halftime siren would sound, pushing the lead to 22-6; a penalty goal in the shadows of the break ensuring a full three converted try advantage

for Parramatta as the teams retired to the sheds.

While coach Kevin Walters managed to stir his troops last week to compete with ladder leaders Penrith during his halftime address last week, there was no success with any words this week as the Eels continued on their merry way in the second half of this week's contest. Fresh Eels Tom Opacic and Bryce Cartwright - both signings from Queensland clubs new this season - picked up tries in the fifteen minutes following the halftime break.

The lead stretched to 36-6 and the game looked ready to wind down until Sivo bagged his third try ten minutes from time, followed by a later effort from Clint Gutherson, set up by a superb risky sideline kick from Mitch Moses who kept his body in to set it up for the Eels' fullback.

The margin sent the Parramatta differential beyond that of the Rabbitohs and into second place as the chasing pack aims to run down the undefeated Panthers; and they'll get another chance for a for-and-against boost next Saturday when they head to Sydney Olympic Park to meet Canterbury.

Meanwhile, Brisbane will not be looking forward to a clash with the Gold Coast Titans at home next Friday, with their visitors next week keen to shake off some poor losses over the last fortnight. Kevvy Walters has his work cut out for him.

## Saturday | CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN 18 CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND 12



### CRONULLA-SUTHERLAND SHARKS (12)

Tries: Blayke Brailey, Mawene Hiroti

Conversions: Chad Townsend (2/2)

### CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN BULLDOGS (18)

Tries: Will Hopoate, Nick Cotric, Nick Meaney

Conversions: Kyle Flanagan (3/3)

Venue: Netstrata Jubilee Stadium

Crowd: 7420

Halftime Score: Cronulla-Sutherland 0 Canterbury-Bankstown 18

### LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:

3 points - Luke Thompson

2 points - Dylan Napa

1 points - Will Hopoate

### OUR REPORT with ADAM HUXTABLE

#### Bulldogs grind out first win over stalling Sharks

The Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs are no longer the only team yet to score a victory in 2021, beating a poor Sharks side 18 points to 12 at Netstrata Jubilee Stadium on Saturday evening.

Right from the start the Bulldogs made their intentions clear, with Dylan Napa making a strong run from the kickoff and going on to run more times in the first 20 minutes than he had averaged per game this year.

The Bulldogs were able to ride this momentum all the way to the scoreboard in just the 5th minute, with Will Hopoate fending away from Dugan and beating Kennedy and Williams to put the Blue and White's in front early on.

A successful captain's challenge in the 10th minute from the Bulldogs proved a great one as they were able to take advantage of the field position generated from the penalty to extend their lead in the 11th minute. Averillo's kick went right through the hands of Dugan and Nick Cotric was there to capitalise and score his first try as a Bulldog.

The Dogs were disallowed by the bunker just 7 minutes later, however a Sharks knock on would put them right back on the attack and they made no mistake with the next opportunity, with Nick Meaney executing a set play to perfection and exposing some poor Sharks defence to make the score 18-0 after just 23 minutes.

The Sharks weren't without their opportunities in the first half, with Mawene Hiroti having a shocker on the wing and failing to ground the ball and/or stay in the field of play at least 4 times throughout the night, including one that saw a potential top 5 team try of the year overturned.

It took the Sharks just 6 minutes of the second half to get on the board though, with Blayke Brailey putting in a grubber that bounced off the upright. Brailey had chased his own kick through and grounded the ball milliseconds before the Bulldogs player.

It would be an extremely scrappy next half hour, with both sides making basic handling errors and the Sharks unable to penetrate the Bulldogs defensive line despite ample opportunity.

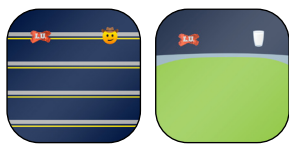
When it seemed like the comeback would be a bridge too far for the Sharks, Mawene Hiroti finally got one down after finishing off a sweeping set play to the right. Chad Townsend made the pressure conversion from the sideline and reduced the deficit to a manageable 6 points.

What followed was an extremely frantic ending, with the Sharks' strong defence restricting the Bulldogs to just 20 metres and setting up a grandstand finish. The Sharks threw it around for an entire set of 6, but just as it had all game, the Bulldogs goal line defence held strong and didn't allow the Sharks to cross for a potential equaliser.

The Bulldogs will look to make it 2 in a row against an in form Parramatta outfit next week, while the Sharks are facing a challenging road trip to Melbourne against the Storm.

# NRL: ROUND 7 WRAP

## Saturday | NORTH QUEENSLAND 26 CANBERRA 24



**NORTH QUEENSLAND COWBOYS (26)**  
Tries: Kyle Feldt, Ben Condon, Reece Robson, Justin O'Neill  
Conversions: Valentine Holmes (4/4)  
Penalty Goals: Valentine Holmes (1/1)  
**CANBERRA RAIDERS (24)**  
Tries: Jordan Rapana (2), Emre Guler, George Williams  
Conversions: Jarrod Croker (4/4)

Venue: Queensland Country Bank Stadium  
Crowd: 13791  
Halftime Score: North Queensland 12 Canberra 24  
**LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:**  
3 points - Valentine Holmes  
2 points - Scott Drinkwater  
1 points - Tom Starling

### OUR REPORT with JOSH ROBERTSON

#### Cowboys comeback exacerbates Raiders second half woes

The North Queensland Cowboys have overturned an 18-point deficit to defeat the Canberra Raiders 26-24 at Queensland Country Bank Stadium.

The game started relatively evenly but it was the Raiders who were able to cross first when the Cowboys outside defence was caught short after Canberra swung the play from the right back over to the left and gave Jordan Rapana space on the outside. Jarrod Croker's conversion from out wide gave the Raiders a 6-0 lead. Just a matter of minutes later, the Cowboys hit back through Kyle Feldt after he was able to get space on the outside of the Raiders defence before stepping back inside to see the Cowboys score. Valentine Holmes' conversion success rate continued to improve with a sideline conversion from outside.

The game might have been even on the stats but the scoreboard would tell a different story as the Canberra Raiders would score three tries in quick succession. The second of the Raiders tries came through Emre Guler who ran a good line through the middle of the park after there was a gaping hole for him to run through after Josh Papali'i was able to force an offload away and Tom Starling found Guler who scored.

The Cowboys defence had already been caught out once and they were caught out again when Jordan Rapana was able to score after the Cowboys right-side defence was caught struggling to man up and the Raiders had a 4-on-2 overlap which they used to success and Rapana scored. Poor defence in the centre of the park was what cost the Raiders when hooker Tom Starling charged through the middle of the park and found George Williams who coasted away for an easy try. Jarrod Croker added his fourth successful

conversion and Canberra lead 24-6.

On the stroke of half-time, the Cowboys put some balance back into the scoreboard when Ben Condon was able to chase through a Scott Drinkwater kick to score. Valentine Holmes' conversion pushed the margin back to 12 points.

The Second half has been a problem area for the Raiders over the past few weeks and they were hoping to fix the issues of recent weeks. Things though didn't work out that way for the Raiders as North Queensland started to dominate early on. The home-side crossed just four minutes into the second half when Reece Robson darted from dummy half and was able to get his way down low to score. The conversion from Valentine Holmes pushed the margin back to just six points.

Canberra fans would be left frustrated by the Cowboys equaliser when Justin O'Neill chased through a Scott Drinkwater kick to scores. It was a well worked try by the Cowboys but replays suggested that O'Neill may have been offside on the kick chase with the Bunker electing not to step in and overturn the decision. The Raiders were able to get momentum but despite that a late tackle on Ben Hampton sealed the defeat for Canberra. The decision to take the penalty goal from the Cowboys was the decisive moves as Valentine Holmes slotted the conversion to give the Cowboys the lead for the first time.

A string of penalties to the Raiders gave them good field position but they couldn't work the plays to pull off the match-winning play including a poor pass over the sideline that sealed their fate.

Next weekend, the Cowboys head to Gosford to take on the Warriors meanwhile the Raiders return home with another tough assignment coming up against South Sydney next Thursday night.

## Sunday | MANLY-WARRINGAH 40 WESTS TIGERS 6



**WESTS TIGERS (6)**  
Tries: Luciano Leilua  
Conversions: Adam Doueihi (1/1)  
**MANLY-WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES (40)**  
Tries: Daly Cherry-Evans (2), Reuben Garrick, Martin Taupau, Tom Trbojevic, Jason Saab, Kieran Foran  
Conversions: Reuben Garrick (5/7) ;Penalty Goals: Reuben Garrick (1/1)

Venue: Bankwest Stadium  
Crowd: 14095  
Halftime Score: Wests Tigers 6 Manly-Warringah 18  
**LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:**  
3 points - Daly Cherry-Evans  
2 points - Tom Trbojevic  
1 points - Josh Schuster

### OUR REPORT with JOSH ROBERTSON

#### Weak Tigers have no answers for Manly Magic

The Manly Sea Eagles have put on a show at Bankwest Stadium following their 40-6 demolition of a poor Wests Tigers side at Bankwest Stadium.

Despite the score line, it was actually the Tigers who were the dominant team across the first half hour of the contest and they opened the scoring after ten minutes when Luciano Leilua crawled his way to a loose ball in the in-goal area after a Luke Brooks kick was deflected. The Tigers actually could've extended their lead just shy of the half-hour mark when David Nofaluma was denied for a clear obstruction when he had the chance to score in the corner instead deciding to come back inside but ran behind Luciano Leilua.

That was a major turning point because from there the Manly just dominated from that point with Daly Cherry-Evans and Tom Trbojevic dominating for the Maroon and Whites. The first of Manly four-minute treble came when Josh Schuster picked up a loose ball for the Sea Eagles and went through some poor defence before finding DCE who went through to score under the posts relatively untouched. The fragility of the Wests Tigers middle defence was something that the Sea Eagles continued to exploit when Tom Trbojevic went through some poor defence and found DCE who was backing up in the middle to score untouched again. The Manly third try was almost a repeat of the

second when Tom Trbojevic charged through the middle and found Daly Cherry-Evans who was set to score his third until he juggled the ball which gave the Tigers defence the opportunity to catch him so he found the unmarked Martin Taupau to score. Reuben Garrick had no issues converting all three tries from in front. The Tigers needed to find answers in the second half but they continued to struggle right throughout the second half as the Sea Eagles kept up their dominance. Manly opened the second half scoring through a Reuben Garrick penalty goal to push the lead out to 14 points. The tries soon continued and it was the Tigers weak defence that continued to stutter.

Tom Trbojevic scored the opening try of the half when Daly Cherry-Evans again was able to find space in the Tigers defence and after finding Haumole Olakau'atu backing up, Tom Trbojevic took the final pass to score under the posts. The edges of the Tigers defence were just as fragile as the Manly took advantage with Reuben Garrick strolling over out wide after the Tigers right side were caught napping before Jason Saab flew through the air to score over David Nofaluma. Reuben Garrick's only misses off the boot came from the two tries out wide. The final try for the Sea Eagles continued the Tigers defensive woes when a massive gap opened up for Kieran Foran to go through and score. Reuben Garrick's conversion pushed the score out to 40-6.

Next weekend, the Wests Tigers travel down to Wollongong to take on the St George Illawarra Dragons whilst the Manly Sea Eagles again travel to the NSW Central West this time to Bathurst to take on the Panthers on Saturday afternoon.

## Sunday | SYDNEY ROOSTERS 34 ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA 10



### SYDNEY ROOSTERS (34)

**Tries:** Sam Walker, Daniel Tupou, Sitili Tupouniua, Nat Butcher, Lindsay Collins, Joseph Manu

**Conversions:** Sam Walker (5/7)

### ST GEORGE ILLAWARRA DRAGONS (10)

**Tries:** Tariq Sims, Mikaele Ravalawa

**Conversions:** Zac Lomax (1/2)

Venue: Sydney Cricket Ground

Crowd: 37620

Halftime Score: Sydney Roosters 16 St George Illawarra 6

### LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:

3 points - Sam Walker

2 points - Jared Waerea-Hargreaves

1 points - Joseph Manu

### OUR REPORT with ROBERT CROSBY

#### Roosters rise to the occasion on ANZAC Day

**A breakout performance from Sam Walker has seen the Sydney Roosters humble the St George Illawarra Dragons 34-10 on ANZAC Day.**

Scoring a try, kicking five goals and showing plenty of class with the ball in hand, the 18-year-old halfback defied his inexperience to give the Roosters back-to-back ANZAC Day wins for the first time since 2014.

Despite conceding the first and last tries of the match, the home side - playing in a strip worn by the club during wartime - proved far too strong to post six tries to two in a fixture played before 37,620 supporters at the Sydney Cricket Ground.

Denied first points by the bunker after Jack Bird was ruled to have knocked-on in the contest, the Dragons opened the scoring through a powerhouse charge from Tariq Sims (10th minute) close to the try line.

Taking advantage of good field position after Mikaele Ravalawa was placed on report for a shoulder charge on Josh Morris, the Roosters' centre showed no signs of ill effect to put Daniel Tupou (14th minute) over in the corner.

With both sides exchanging sets for much of the first half, the Roosters were able to capitalise on Dragons winger Jordan Pereira being sent to the sin bin for a high shot on James Tedesco.

Wasting little time playing against 12 men, Sitili Tupouniua (34th minute) broke through the Dragons' defence before Walker demonstrated confidence belying his age to send Nat Butcher (39th minute) over on the stroke of halftime.

With Tedesco failing to complete his HIA, Matt Ikuvalu, the second 18th man to be used in the NRL, came into the contest following the resumption of play.

Despite losing Ben Marschke to the sin bin early in the second half, the Roosters continued their dominance with Walker (48th minute) taking on the line and Lindsay Collins (55th minute) charging into a gap created by Sam Verrills in his first match back in the NRL.

Shattering the Dragons' spirits after Joey Manu (66th minute) broke through feeble defence, a late consolation effort from Mikaele Ravalawa (73rd minute) saw the Roosters run out 34-10 victors.

Next week, the Roosters travel to McDonald Jones Stadium on Saturday evening to take on the Knights, while the Dragons return to WIN Stadium to host the Tigers on Sunday afternoon.

## Sunday | MELBOURNE 42 WARRIORS 20



### MELBOURNE STORM (42)

**Tries:** George Jennings, Felise Kaufusi, Nicholas Hynes, Reimis Smith (2), Justin Olam, Josh Addo-Carr (2)

**Conversions:** Cameron Munster (5/8)

### WARRIORS (20)

**Tries:** Ken Maumalo (3), Ben Murdoch-Masila

**Conversions:** Kodi Nikorima (2/4)

Venue: AAMI Park

Crowd: 20320

Halftime Score: Melbourne 26 Warriors 4

### LeagueUnlimited.com Players of the Match:

3 points - Jahrome Hughes

2 points - Nicholas Hynes

1 points - Felise Kaufusi

### OUR REPORT with ANDREW FERGUSON

#### Hughes destroys Warriors

**Jahrome Hughes has put on an attacking clinic, playing a starring role in the Storm's big 42-20 win on Anzac Day over the Warriors at AAMI Park.**

The Storm made their intentions clear from the outset when they scored in just the second minute of the game, off the back of some quick play-the-balls. The scattered Warriors defence were unable to stop the roving Hughes, who made a good break and then grubbered amazingly off the side of his boot to the right wing, where George Jennings regathered and scored with no one near him. Cameron Munster converted from touch. The Warriors hit back 6 minutes later with a short-side play where Josh Curran sent a lovely long ball to Ken Maumalo, who made a wobbly run down the sideline, but stayed infield before diving over to score in the corner. Kodi Nikorima failed to add the extras.

In the 12th minute Josh Curran was given ten minutes in the sin bin for a collision with Jennings, which saw the Storm winger come off for an HIA and failed to return. The Storm went on an attacking spree shortly after, bagging three tries in six minutes. In the 20th minute Hughes ran to the line and then popped a nice short ball to Felise Kaufusi, who ran into a big gap and scored to the right of the posts. Munster converted. Three minutes later, Hughes was at first receiver on the right side, stepped in towards the posts and then darted back left before passing to Nicho Hynes close to the line and he slammed the ball down for a good try. Munster's conversion attempt hit the upright and was waved away.

In the 26th minute Hughes made a break in the middle, 10 metres shy of halfway and then sent a lovely ball to Reimis Smith who raced 25 metres to score in the right corner. Munster again failed to convert from the difficult angle.

The Storm had a try disallowed in the 32nd minute, but weren't to be denied 4 minutes later when some lovely quick passing by Munster, Hughes, Kaufusi and then Hynes, who held up a nice ball for Reimis Smith to score another try. Munster converted the try to give the Storm a 26-4 lead at halftime.

The Warriors scored first in the second half when Wayde Egan at dummy half, threw a ball to Ben Murdoch-Masila, who spun as he caught the ball close to the Storm line and then crashed over next to the posts to score. Nikorima converted. The Storm hit back in the 52nd minute when Justin Olam stormed onto a ball from Hynes at top speed and crashed over for a try. Munster again failed to convert. Both sides had a try disallowed by the bunker over the next 8 minutes, but the Storm managed to cross again in the 64th minute when a long ball from Munster finds Josh Addo-Carr, who then scored in the left corner. Munster nailed the sideline conversion.

Two minutes later and Addo-Carr was in for another try, this time due to his own individual brilliance. He collected a loose pass off the ground and then stood up Roger Tuivasa-Sheck with brilliant footwork and explosive speed, he then changed direction and ran in towards the posts to evade debutant Reece Walsh who can only watch as Addo-Carr scores near the posts. Munster converted. Ken Maumalo snared two late tries in the final five minutes, the last of which was converted by Nikorima to add some respectability to the scoreboard, sort of. Melbourne comfortable winners 42-20.

# MATCH CENTRE: WEEKEND RESULTS

## NSWRL THE KNOCK-ON EFFECT NSW CUP - ROUND 7

**Penrith Panthers 19** Tries: John Faiumu, Robert Jennings, Tylan May, Tom Jenkins; Goals: Kurt Falls 1; Field Goals: Kurt Falls 1 **def Newcastle Knights 6** Tries: Liam Wilkinson; Goals: McKenzie Baker 1 at **Bluebet Stadium** --/-- **Newtown Jets 30** Tries: Bronson Garlick 2, Tyla Tamou, Luke Metcalf, Nene McDonald; Goals: Luke Metcalf 5 **def Mounties 14** Tries: Rhys Davies, Watson Heleta, Kieran Moss; Goals: Kamren Cryer 1 at **Henson Park** --/-- **Parramatta Eels 38** Tries: Sean Russell 2, Elie El-Zakhem, Haze Dunster, Ryan Matterson, Keegan Hipgrave, Jordan Rankin; Goals: Jordan Rankin 5 **def South Sydney Rabbitohs 20** Tries: Steven Marsters 2, Nick Mougios 2; Goals: James Tautaiolofua 1, Steven Marsters 1 at **Ringrose Park** --/-- **Western Suburbs Magpies 46** Tries: Kiah Cooper 4, Thomas Mikaele, Tom Freebairn, Jacob Liddle, Regan Hughes, Allan Fitzgibbon; Goals: Jock Madden 4, Billy Walters 1 **def Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles 6** Tries: Zac Saddler; Goals: Brad Keighran 1 at **Bankwest Stadium** --/-- **North Sydney Bears 26** Tries: Sione Hopoate, Coby Thomas, Naufahu Whyte, Jerry Key, Moala Graham-Taufa, Tom Carr; Goals: Tom Carr 1 **def St George Illawarra Dragons 12** Tries: Max Feagai, Jackson Ford; Goals: Siti Moceidreke 1, Tyran Wishart 1 at **North Sydney Oval** --/-- **BYE: Canberra Raiders**

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Penrith	6	6	0	0	175	62	113	14
2	Western Suburbs	7	5	2	0	240	128	112	10
3	North Sydney	6	3	2	1	132	140	-8	9
4	Parramatta	5	3	2	0	150	112	38	8
5	Canberra	5	3	2	0	142	118	24	8
6	Mounties	7	3	4	0	150	146	4	6
7	Newcastle	6	3	3	0	132	139	-7	6
8	Newtown	6	2	3	1	128	168	-40	5
9	South Sydney	5	1	4	0	100	162	-62	4
10	BWSE	5	1	4	0	94	172	-78	4
11	St Geo Illa	6	1	5	0	86	182	-96	4

## NSWRL HARVEY NORMAN WOMEN'S PREMIERSHIP - ROUND 7

**Wests Tigers 38** Tries: Ashlee Makim 2, Page McGregor 2, Botille Vette-Welsh, Rebecca Pollard, Josephine Lenaz, Shekinah Edwards; Goals: Emily Curtain 3 **def Wentworthville Magpies 10** Tries: Alyce Solaese, Rima Butler; Goals: Trudy Camilleri 1 at **Ringrose Park** --/-- **Central Coast Roosters 56** Tries: Jasmine Strange 2, Isabelle Kelly 2, Alicia Martin 2, Olivia Kernick, Jayme Fressard, Caitlan Johnston, Jocelyn Kelleher, Yasmin Meakes, Madeline Jones; Goals: Hannah Southwell 3, Brydie Parker 1 **def Cabramatta Two Blues 0** at **Morry Breen Oval** --/-- **North Sydney Bears 14** Tries: Kirra Dibb, Tyla Gambell, Mya Hill-Moana; Goals: Kirra Dibb 1 **def Helensburgh Tigers 6** Tries: Jess Sergis; Goals: Rachael Pearson 1 at **North Sydney Oval** --/-- **Mounties 62** Tries: Mareva Swann 3, Taina Naividi, Leanne Toomalatai, Brooke Wilkins, Elianna Walton, Keeley Davis, Sereana Naitokatoka, Chantelle Leishman, Jocephy Daniels, Jade Etherden; Goals: Sereana Naitokatoka 4, Matilda Power 3 **def Glebe Dirty Reds 8** Tries: Mia Wood, Shaenice Allan at **Aubrey Keech Reserve** --/-- **St Marys 16** Tries: Rikeya Horne, Sarah Togatuki, Emily Rains; Goals: Ashlee Harrison 2 **South Sydney Rabbitohs 0** at **NSWRL Centre of Excellence** --/-- **BYE: Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks**  
**LADDER: CC Roosters 12, Mounties 12, Cronulla 12, Wests Tigers 10, St Marys 8; North Sydney 8, Helensburgh 6, Wentworthville 4, Glebe 4, South Sydney 2, Cabramatta 2**

## NSWRL U21 JERSEY FLEGG CUP - ROUND 7

**Parramatta Eels 48** Tries: Tavita Masima 2, Clayton Faulalo 2, Jayden Yates, Brock Parker, Jayden Skinner, Matthew Dragisic; Goals: Kyle Schneider 7 **def South Sydney Rabbitohs 12** Tries: Joshua Fepuleai, Luke Puru; Goals: Lathan Hutchison-Walters 2 at **Ringrose Park** --/-- **Penrith Panthers 40** Tries: Niwhai Puru 2, Sadee Sub Laban 2, Logan Cohen, Hohepa Puru, Ilai Tuia; Goals: Niwhai Puru 6 **def Victoria Thunderbolts 20** Tries: Sione Finau, Antonio Sanele, Teofilo Seigafo, Brandon Saena; Goals: Daniel Atkinson 2 at **Bluebet Stadium** --/-- **Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs 28** Tries: Johnny Lee Gabriel 2, Kurtis Morrin, James Valevatu, Eli Clark; Goals: Eli Clark 4 **def Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks 12** Tries: Kade Dykes 2, Sam Stonestreet at **Netstrata Jubilee Stadium** --/-- **Wests Tigers 26** Tries: Liam Scolari 2, Logen Dillon 2, Mavoni Tuifua; Goals: Ben Stevanovic 3 **def Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles 18** Tries: Zac Fulton 2, Raymond Tuaimalo Vaega; Goals: Roly Podesta 3 at **TG Millner Field** --/-- **Sydney Roosters 42** Tries: Jack Mossman 3, Ronald Volkman, Corey Fenning, Max Batty, Kobe Ruggless; Goals: Corey Fenning 7 **def St George Illawarra Dragons 18** Tries: Ben Arandt 2, Kaylen Millner; Goals: Connor Muhleisen 3 at **Waverley Oval**  
**LADDER: Penrith 10, St George Illawarra 10, Wests Tigers 9, Cronulla 9, Canterbury 7; South Sydney 6, Manly 4, Parramatta 4, Sydney 2, Victoria 1**

## NSWRL RON MASSEY CUP - ROUND 7

**Mounties 21** Tries: Kane McQuiggin 2, Cleveland McGhie 2; Goals: Rydge Smith 2; Field Goals: Harry Leddy 1 **def Kaiviti Silktails 20** Tries: Josua Waqavesi, Waisale Nayavucere, Ropate Tobe, Vuate Karawalevu; Goals: Waisale Nayavucere 2 at **Mascot Oval** --/-- **St Marys 48** Tries: Luke Geary 3, Daniel Brown 2, Jake Toby, Zac Greene, Arthur Crichton; Goals: Zac Greene 7 **def Blacktown Workers Sea Eagles 0** at **St Marys Leagues** --/-- **Western Suburbs Magpies 26** Tries: Brock Pelligra 2, Kurtis Preece, Dane Francis; Goals: Sam Stratis 5 **def Windsor Wolves 18** Tries: Luke McDonald, Connor Garett, Kyle Cassel, Zac Mackay; Goals: Zac Mackay 1 at **Windsor Sports Complex** --/-- **Ryde-Eastwood Hawks 28** Tries: Bennett Wheelhouse 2, Curtis Wilson, Tyler Seymour, Toni Tali; Goals: Curtis Wilson 4 **def Cabramatta Two Blues 14** Tries: Anthony Raheb, Noel Aukafolau, Danny Fualalo; Goals: Christian Papa 1 at **TG Millner Fields** --/-- **Wentworthville Magpies 32** Tries: Kieran Hayman 2, Harry O'Toole, Jordan Latham, Henry Raiwalui; Goals: Beau Henry 4, Kieran Hayman 2 **def Hills Bulls 12** Tries: Leva Li 2; Goals: Josh Lewis 2 at **Ringrose Park** --/-- **BYE: Glebe Dirty Reds**  
**LADDER: St Marys 12, Mounties 10, Hills 8, Glebe 6, Wentworthville 6, Silktails 6; Ryde-Eastwood 6, Western Suburbs 6, BWSE 4, Windsor 4, Cabramatta 2**

## NSWRL SYDNEY SHIELD - ROUND 7

**St Marys 42** Tries: Mason Iaria 2, Ethan McPherson 2, Emmanuel Petrus, Aiden Glanville, Marli Sini, Flynn Isaacs; Goals: Aiden Glanville 5 **def Penrith Brothers 20** Tries: Warren Smith, Joseph Pelasio, Adrian Doyle, Vaipuna Tia Kilifi; Goals: Jared Farkas 2 at **St Marys Leagues** --/-- **Windsor Wolves 40** Tries: Isaac Gorman 2, David Baumann, Dylan Marshall, William Butler, Kain Howarth, Jaydn Field; Goals: Brandon Smallwood 6 **def East Campbelltown Eagles 30** Tries: Kayden Fox 2, Va'enuku Vatuvai, Brett Lahey, Jahoiyakim Afoa, Abiarthur Tuilapa; Goals: Brett Lahey 3 at **Windsor Sports Complex** --/-- **Moorebank Rams 26** Tries: Kaylib Savage 2, Tuarae Rawhiti, Laitia Moceidreke, Jake Horton; Goals: Josh Taylor-Myles 3 **def Belrose Eagles 22** Tries: Aaron Fogarty 2, Kyle Fogarty, Lachlan Armstrong, Giuseppe Plati; Goals: Jayden Horo 1 at **Lionel Watts Park** --/-- **Ryde-Eastwood Hawks 36** Tries: Josh Rizk 2, Angus O'Donnell, Tjaden McLean, Mathew Smith, Livai Saukuru; Goals: Josh Rizk 4, Hayden Essery 2 **def Cabramatta Two Blues 22** Tries: Asaeli Vuikaki, Moo Doh, Reuben Bell, Harley Sanchez; Goals: Dylan Nunes 3 at **TG Millner Field** --/-- **Hills Bulls 24** Tries: Jesse Parker, Illija Cotric, Jake Beetson, Thomas Menzies; Goals: Mitch Hyde 4 **def Wentworthville United 20** Tries: Obeid Karwhin 2, Shaiquan Terekia; Goals: James Boustani 4 at **Ringrose Park** --/-- **BYE: Cronulla-Caringbah Sharks**  
**LADDER: St Marys 12, Hills 10, Brothers 8, Cronulla-Caringbah 8, East Campbelltown 6, Wenty United 5, Moorebank 5, Belrose 5, Windsor 5, Cabramatta 4, Ryde-Eastwood 4**

# NRL MATCH REVIEW

## Round 7 Charge Sheet

Player	Club	Grade / Charge	On who?	Base Penalty	Priors / discounts (loading)	Carry overs	Points/fine if guilty	Points/fine if early plea	Plea / result	Suspension / fine	Carryovers accrued
David KLEMMER	Newcastle	Grade 1 Careless High Tackle	Brian To'o	\$1500	2 x non similar (+40%)	N/A	\$2100	\$1600	Guilty - early plea	\$1600	N/A
Moeaki FOTUAIKA	Gold Coast	Grade 1 Dangerous Contact - other	Adam Reynolds	\$1500	1 x non similar (+20%)	N/A	\$1800	\$1350	Guilty - early plea	\$1350	N/A
Siosifa TALAKAI	Cronulla	Grade 3 Shoulder Charge	Matt Doorey	500 pts	1 x non similar (+20%)	0	600 pts	450 pts	Guilty - early plea	4 matches	50
Mitchell DUNN	North Queensland	Grade 1 Crusher Tackle	Ryan Sutton	200 pts	1 x non similar (+20%)	0	240 pts	180 pts	Guilty - early plea	1 match	80
Tyrell FUIMAONO	St George Illawarra	Grade 1 Careless High Tackle	James Tedesco	\$1500	1 x non similar (+20%)	N/A	\$1800	\$1350	Guilty - early plea	\$1350	N/A
Mikaele RAVALAWA	St George Illawarra	Grade 2 Shoulder Charge	Josh Morris	350 pts	None	0	350 pts	262 pts	Guilty - early plea	2 matches	62
Jordan PEREIRA	St George Illawarra	Grade 3 Careless High Tackle	James Tedesco	300 pts	1 x similar, 1 x non similar (+70%)	0	510 pts	382 pts	Guilty - early plea	3 match	82
Josh CURRAN	Warriors	Grade 2 Careless High Tackle	George Jennings	200 pts	1 x non similar (+20%)	0	240 pts	180 pts	Successful downgrade	\$1350	N/A

**QRL INTRUST SUPER CUP - ROUND 5**

**Ipswich Jets** 40 Tries: Ratu Jope Rotavisoro 2, Richard Pandia, Julian Christian, Blake Lenehan, Josh Cleeland, Jayden Connors; Goals: Josh Cleeland 6 **def CQ Capras** 24 Tries: Nixon Putt, Jack Madden, Aaron Teroi, Jake Maizen; Goals: Treymaine Brown 1, Brandon Roberts 1 **at North Ipswich Reserve** --/-- **Norths Devils** 13 Tries: Petero Nakubuwai 2; Goals: Tyson Gamble 1, Bryce Donovan 1; Field Goals: Bryce Donovan 1 **def Northern Pride** 12 Tries: Jayden Corrigan, Joshua Stuckey; Goals: Jake Clifford 2 **at Barlow Park** --/-- **Souths Logan Magpies** 60 Tries: Isaiah Tass 2, Jack Goodsell 2, John Asiata, Anthony Milford, Christian Hazard, Kobe Hetherington, Karmichael Hunt; Goals: Isaiah Tass 8 **def Mackay Cutters** 10 Tries: Matiu Stone-Dunn, Blake Paskins; Goals: Jack Quinn 1 **at BB Print Stadium** --/-- **Tweed Seagulls** 28 Tries: Joseph Vuna, Jayden Campbell, Ethan O'Neill, Lindon McGrady, Herman Ese'ese; Goals: Lindon McGrady 5 **def Redcliffe Dolphins** 16 Tries: Jeremy Hawkins, Jackson Frei, Brayden Dee; Goals: Justin Worley 2 **at Moreton Daily Stadium** --/-- **Burleigh Bears** 25 Tries: Beau Farmor 3, Luke Page, Api Noema-Matenga; Goals: Guy Hamilton 1, Josh Rogers 1; Field Goals: Guy Hamilton 1 **def PNG Hunters** 18 Tries: Jokadi Bire, Norman Brown, Brandon Nima, Terry Wapi; Goals: Charlie Simon 1 **at Pizze Park** --/-- **Sunshine Coast Falcons** 24 Tries: Matthew Milson 2, BJ Aufaga-Toomaga, Nat McGavin; Goals: Todd Murphy 4 **def Townsville Blackhawks** 16 Tries: Nathan Barrett 2, Carlin Anderson; Goals: Shaun Nona 2 **at Jack Manski Oval** --/-- **Wynnum Manly Seagulls** 22 Tries: Edward Burns, Sebastian Winters-Chang, Luke Bateman, Jayden Berrell; Goals: Jack Campagnolo 3 **def Brisbane Tigers** 14 Tries: Dean Termia 2, Dan Russell; Goals: Aaron Booth 1 **at Totally Workwear Stadium**

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Norths	5	5	0	0	148	90	58	10
2	Wynnum Manly	5	5	0	0	148	90	58	10
3	Tweed	5	4	1	0	136	108	28	8
4	PNG Hunters	5	3	2	0	138	93	45	6
5	SC Falcons	5	3	2	0	116	122	-6	6
6	Northern Pride	5	2	2	1	94	105	-11	5
7	Townsville	5	2	3	0	140	96	44	4
8	Souths Logan	5	2	3	0	170	141	29	4
9	Brisbane	5	2	3	0	110	114	-4	4
10	Redcliffe	5	2	3	0	122	138	-16	4
11	Burleigh	5	2	3	0	95	134	-39	4
12	Mackay	5	1	4	0	94	164	-70	2
13	Ipswich	5	1	4	0	106	186	-80	2
14	CQ Capras	5	0	4	1	102	138	-36	1

**QRL WOMEN'S BHP PREMIERSHIP - ROUND 3**

**Valleys Diehards** 64 Tries: Taylor Mapusua 3, Lauretta Leao-Seve 2, Caitlyn Taleni, Kody House, Shenae Ciesiolka, Toni Hunt, Patrice Chambers, Jamie-Lee Lewis, Grace Griffin, Ali Briggingshaw; Goals: Meg Ward 6 **def Valkyries Queensland** 6 Tries: Keisharn Hala; Goals: Kiriana Nukunuku 1 **at Emerson Park** --/-- **Burleigh Bears** 36 Tries: Crystal Tamarua 2, Tiana Raftstrand-Smith, Tamzin Gray, Tamika Upton; Goals: Lauren Brown 6 **def CQ Capras** 16 Tries: Bree Spreadborough 2, Mackenzie Reid; Goals: Chelsea Baker 2 **at Pizze Park** --/-- **North Queensland Gold Stars** 26 Tries: Romy Teitzel 2, Jordii Mahendrarajah, Lauren Moss, Katie Green; Goals: Romy Teitzel 2, Zoe Cook 1 **def Tweed Seagulls** 4 Tries: Amy Turner **at Jack Manski Oval** --/-- **West Brisbane Panthers** 20 Tries: Sera Koroi 2, Makenzie Weale, Lana Sheedy; Goals: Lana Sheedy 2 **def Brisbane Tigers** 14 Tries: Tahlia Rolph, Shae Yvonne De La Cruz, Jayda Lofipo; Goals: Shae Yvonne De La Cruz 1 **at Totally Workwear Stadium**  
LADDER: Burleigh 6, Valleys 6, NQ Gold Stars 4, West Brisbane 2; Tweed 2, Capras 2, Brisbane 2, Valkyries 0

**QRL U21 HASTINGS DEERING COLTS - ROUND 3**

**Norths Devils** 42 Tries: Kahli Junior Kahli 2, Jared Chambers 2, Zak McGuire 2, Poasi Manu, Lodoviko Cokanautu; Goals: Declan Haydon 5 **def Northern Pride** 16 Tries: Seamus King-Smith, Braye Porter, Robert Derby; Goals: Seamus King-Smith 2 **at Barlow Park** --/-- **Souths Logan Magpies** 28 Tries: Cruise Ten 2, Ezrra Teula, Prince Jackson, Konrad Tu'ua; Goals: Byron Johnson 4 **def Mackay Cutters** 10 Tries: Dan Kelly, Flynn Camilleri; Goals: Henri Stocks 1 **at BB Print Stadium** --/-- **Redcliffe Dolphins** 44 Tries: Kiu Nuku-Ngala 3, William Fakatoumahi 2, 'Otukinekina-He-Tofonga Kepu, Jarrett Subloo, Harry McIndoe; Goals: Jarrett Subloo 6 **def Tweed Seagulls** 20 Tries: Jed Edwards 2, Glenn McGrady, Troy Duckett; Goals: Glenn McGrady 2 **at Moreton Daily Stadium** --/-- **CQ Capras** 28 Tries: Jaxon Crockford 2, Ammaron Gudgeon, Ronin Hadden, Jeremy McLachlan, Sam Strohfeldt; Goals: Trent Richardson 1, Cooper Marshall 1 **def Ipswich Jets** 20 Tries: Josiah Mauga, Lochlan Turnbull, Mitch Harsant, Isaac Fels; Goals: Lochlan Turnbull 2 **at North Ipswich Reserve** --/-- **Sunshine Coast Falcons** 12 Tries: Zachariah Miles, Jai Smoothy; Goals: Jai Smoothy 2 **def Townsville Blackhawks** 10 Tries: Jordan Lipp, Jake Bourke; Goals: Dylan White 1 **at Jack Manski Oval** --/-- **Brisbane Tigers** 32 Tries: Solomona Faataape 2, Simon Pratt, Eli Daunt, Justin Smith, Ronald Philitoga; Goals: Jonah Glover 4 **def Wynnum Manly Seagulls** 22 Tries: Alec MacDonald 2, Ethan Malt, Kurtis Farr; Goals: Braden Whittaker 3 **at Totally Workwear Stadium** --/-- **Burleigh Bears** 54 Tries: Alofiana Khan-Pereira 2, Blake Campbell 2, Maverick Pegoraro, Jordan Davies, Will Evans, Ronin Rio, Tony Francis; Goals: Cameron Brown 7 **def Western Mustangs** 34 Tries: Brandon Clarke 2, Brenton Clement, Benji Neliman, Connor Williams, Connor Clement, Alex Brighton; Goals: Xander Dunemann 2, Brenton Clement 1 **at Pizze Park**  
LADDER: SC Falcons 6, Souths Logan 6, Wynnum 4, Redcliffe 4, Burleigh 4, Townsville 4, Brisbane 4, Capras 4; Norths 2, Tweed 2, Mackay 2, Ipswich 0, Mustangs 0, Pride 0

**JUNIOR REPS SEMI FINALS**

**QRL U18 AUSWIDE BANK MAL MENINGA CUP - SEMI FINALS**

**Tweed Seagulls** 40 Tries: Deine Mariner 3, Brock Priestley, John-Thomas Manuofetoa, Jaylan De Groot, Elijah Lui; Goals: Thomas Weaver 6 **def Wynnum Manly Seagulls** 18 Tries: Haizyn Mellars, Braydon Sea-Easthope; Goals: Blake Moore 3 **at BMD Kougari Oval** --/-- **Townsville Blackhawks** 28 Tries: Ragarive Wavik 2, William Latu, DJazirhae Pua'avase, Maverick Pegoraro, Jordan Davies; Goals: Thomas Duffy 2 **def CQ Capras** 24 Tries: Elekana Suavai 2, Kalani Sing, Peyton Jenkins; Goals: Peyton Jenkins 4 **at BMD Kougari Oval**

**NSWR U19 SG BALL CUP - SEMI FINALS**

**Illawarra Steelers** 42 Tries: Junior Amone 3, Tyrell Sloan 2, Tyrone Roberts, Alex Lobb; Goals: Alex Lobb 7 **def Sydney Roosters** 32 Tries: Kyron Fekitoa 3, Jordan Swann, Corey Ross, Ethan King; Goals: Sardon Smith 4 **at HE Laybutt Field** --/-- **Canberra Raiders** 20 Tries: Caleb Esera, Toby Thorburn, Deakin Bright; Goals: Mitchell Spencer 4 **def Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles** 18 Tries: Daniel O'Donnell 2, Kaeo Weekes; Goals: Jamie Humphreys 3 **at Leichhardt Oval**

**NSWR U19 TARSHA GALE CUP - SEMI FINALS**

**St George Dragons** 26 Tries: Courageous Afoa 2, Rueben Cherrington 2, Ryshe Faamasili, Stella Tijou; Goals: Stella Tijou 1 **def Newcastle Knights** 10 Tries: Tori Brazier, Kasey Gaukroger; Goals: Tylah Vallance 1 **at Leichhardt Oval** --/-- **Sydney Roosters** 22 Tries: Charli Lloyd-Phillips 2, Ruby Smith, Zoe Cass, Keilee Joseph; Goals: Ruby Smith 1 **def Illawarra Steelers** 4 Tries: Annabel McDonald **at HE Laybutt Field**

**NSWR U17 HAROLD MATTHEWS CUP - SEMI FINALS**

**Parramatta Eels** 14 Tries: Suliasi Aho, Joshua Alhazim, Yehya Ayache; Goals: Ethan Sanders 1 **def Penrith Panthers** 6 Tries: Billy Scott; Goals: Tylor Bunting 1 **at HE Laybutt Field** --/-- **Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles** 32 Tries: Eli Sagala 2, Josh Feledy 2, Latu Fainu, Revelation Sio; Goals: TJ Herring 4 **def Western Suburbs Magpies** 12 Tries: Solomone Saukuru, Ofele Lene, Faaletino Tavana **at Leichhardt Oval**

# LEAGUEUNLIMITED NRL PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Each week our writers choose the three best players on the park based on their viewing of each NRL match. Those individual votes can be found in our wrap of each match.

**12 points** - David Fifita (Titans), Roger Tuivasa-Sheck (Warriors) **10 points** - Will Kennedy (Sharks) **9 points** - Clinton Gutherson (Eels), Jarome Luai (Panthers), Nathan Cleary (Panthers) **8 points** - Ryan Papenhuyzen (Storm) **7 points** - Cameron Munster (Storm), Reed Mahoney (Eels), Adam Reynolds (Rabbitohs) **6 points** - George Williams (Raiders), Brian To'o (Panthers), Alexander Brimson (Titans), Latrell Mitchell (Rabbitohs), Damien Cook (Rabbitohs), Ben Hunt (Dragons), Sam Walker (Roosters) **5 points** - Chad Townsend (Sharks), Viliame Kikau (Panthers), Brett Morris (Roosters), Christian Welch (Storm), Tom Trbojevic (Sea Eagles), Cody Walker (Rabbitohs), Isaiah Papali'i (Eels), Adam Doueihi (Wests Tigers), Daine Laurie (Wests Tigers), Luke Keary (Roosters), Valentine Holmes (Cowboys), Scott Drinkwater (Cowboys) **4 points** - Maika Sivo (Eels), Jahrome Hughes (Storm), James Tedesco (Roosters), Isaah Yeo (Panthers), Daly Cherry-Evans (Sea Eagles) **3 points** - Jake Granville (Cowboys), Tariq Sims (Dragons), Harry Grant (Storm), Jaymyn Isaako (Broncos), Ryan Sutton (Raiders), Bradman Best (Knights), Jared Waerea-Hargreaves (Roosters), Adam Clune (Dragons), Daniel Saifiti (Knights), Tevita Pangai Junior (Broncos), Kalyn Ponga (Knights), Luke Thompson (Bulldogs), Jayden

Brailey (Knights), Tino Fa'asuamaleaui (Titans) **2 points** - Blake Brailey (Sharks), Josh Schuster (Sea Eagles), Matthew Dufty (Dragons), Mikaele Ravalawa (Dragons), Nathan Brown (Eels), Mitchell Moses (Eels), Angus Crichton (Roosters), Josh Aloiai (Sea Eagles), Kieran Foran (Sea Eagles), Blake Lawrie (Dragons), Benji Marshall (Rabbitohs), Bayley Sironen (Warriors), Hudson Young (Raiders), Toby Rudolf (Sharks), Nicholas Hynes (Storm), Blake Ferguson (Eels), Tui Kamikamica (Storm), Connor Watson (Knights), Tyson Frizell (Knights), Josh Kerr (Dragons), Dylan Napa (Bulldogs), Paul Vaughan (Dragons), Zac Lomax (Dragons), Jack Wightton (Raiders), Jai Arrow (Rabbitohs), Marata Niukore (Eels), Herbie Farnworth (Broncos) **1 point** - Felise Kaufusi (Storm), Joseph Manu (Roosters), Thomas Burgess (Rabbitohs), Francis Molo (Cowboys), Tom Starling (Raiders), Kurt Mann (Knights), Tohu Harris (Warriors), Will Hopoate (Bulldogs), Xavier Coates (Broncos), Cameron Murray (Rabbitohs), Andrew McCullough (Dragons), Lindsay Collins (Roosters), Paul Momirovski (Panthers), Kodi Nikorima (Warriors), Addin Fonua-Blake (Warriors), Siosua Taukeiaho (Roosters), Ryan James (Raiders), Sebastian Kris (Raiders), Dane Gagai (Rabbitohs), Corey Thompson (Titans), Hamiso Tabuai-Fidow (Cowboys), Payne Haas (Broncos), James Fisher-Harris (Panthers), Jaydn Su'A (Rabbitohs), Ben Murdoch-Masila (Warriors), Phillip Sami (Titans), Josh Papali'i (Raiders), Brodie Jones (Knights)

# 2021 NR

## ROUND 1

Thursday, Mar 11	Melbourne v Souths	26-18	AAMI	8:05pm
Friday, Mar 12	Newcastle v Canterbury	32-16	McD. Jones	6:00pm
	Brisbane v Parramatta	16-24	Suncorp	8:05pm
Saturday, Mar 13	Warriors v Gold Coast	19-6	C. Coast	3:00pm
	Sydney v Manly	46-4	SCG	5:30pm
	Penrith v North Qld	24-0	Penrith	7:35pm
Sunday, Mar 14	Canberra v Wests Tigers	30-12	GIO	4:05pm
	St Geo Illa v Cronulla	18-32	Netstrata	6:15pm

## ROUND 2

Thursday, Mar 18	Parramatta v Melbourne	16-12	Bankwest	8:05pm
Friday, Mar 19	Warriors v Newcastle	16-20	C. Coast	6:00pm
	Gold Coast v Brisbane	28-16	Cbus	8:05pm
Saturday, Mar 20	Canterbury v Penrith	0-28	Bankwest	3:00pm
	Manly v Souths	12-26	Lottoland	5:30pm
	North Qld v St Geo Illa	18-25	QLD CB	7:35pm
Sunday, Mar 21	Wests Tigers v Sydney	6-40	C'town	4:05pm
	Cronulla v Canberra	10-12	Netstrata	6:15pm

## ROUND 3

Thursday, Mar 25	Penrith v Melbourne	12-10	Bluebet	8:05pm
Friday, Mar 26	St Geo Illa v Manly	38-12	WIN	6:00pm
	Souths v Sydney	26-16	Stad. Aus.	8:05pm
Saturday, Mar 27	Canberra v Warriors	31-34	GIO	3:00pm
	Brisbane v Canterbury	24-0	Suncorp	5:30pm
	Parramatta v Cronulla	28-4	Bankwest	7:35pm
Sunday, Mar 28	Newcastle v Wests Tigers	20-24	McD. Jones	4:05pm
	North Qld v Gold Coast	8-44	QLD CB	6:15pm

## ROUND 4

Thursday, Apr 1	Manly v Penrith	46-6	Lottoland	8:05pm
Friday, Apr 2	Canterbury v Souths	0-38	Stad. Aus.	4:05pm
	Melbourne v Brisbane	40-6	AAMI Park	8:05pm
Saturday, Apr 3	Cronulla v North Qld	48-10	Netstrata	5:15pm
	Gold Coast v Canberra	4-20	Netstrata	7:45pm
Sunday, Apr 4	Newcastle v St Geo Illa	13-22	McD. Jones	4:05pm
	Sydney v Warriors	32-12	SCG	6:15pm
Monday, Apr 5	Wests Tigers v Parramatta	22-36	Stad. Aus.	4:00pm

## ROUND 5

Thursday, Apr 8	Souths v Brisbane	35-6	Stad. Aus.	7:50pm
Friday, Apr 9	Warriors v Manly	12-13	C. Coast	6:00pm
	Penrith v Canberra	30-10	Bluebet	7:55pm
Saturday, Apr 10	Gold Coast v Newcastle	42-16	Cbus	3:00pm
	Canterbury v Melbourne	18-52	Stad. Aus.	5:30pm
	Sydney v Cronulla	26-18	SCG	7:35pm
Sunday, Apr 11	Wests Tigers v North Qld	30-34	Leichhardt	4:05pm
	Parramatta v St Geo Illa	12-26	Bankwest	6:15pm

## ROUND 6

Thursday, Apr 15	Brisbane v Penrith	12-20	Suncorp	7:50pm
Friday, Apr 16	Newcastle v Cronulla	26-22	McD. Jones	6:00pm
	Melbourne v Sydney	20-4	AAMI Park	7:55pm
Saturday, Apr 17	Manly v Gold Coast	36-0	Mudgee	3:00pm
	Souths v Wests Tigers	18-14*	Stad. Aus.	5:30pm
	Canberra v Parramatta	10-35	GIO	7:35pm
Sunday, Apr 18	St Geo Illa v Warriors	14-20	Netstrata	2:00pm
	North Qld v Canterbury	30-18	QLD C.B.	4:05pm

## ROUND 7

Thursday, Apr 22	Penrith v Newcastle	24-6	Bluebet	7:50pm
Friday, Apr 23	Gold Coast v Souths	30-40	Cbus	6:00pm
	Parramatta v Brisbane	46-6	TIO Darwin	7:55pm
Saturday, Apr 24	Cronulla v Canterbury	12-18	Netstrata	5:30pm
	North Qld v Canberra	26-24	QLD C.B.	7:35pm
Sunday, Apr 25	Wests Tigers v Manly	6-40	Bankwest	1:45pm
	Sydney v St Geo Illa	34-10	SCG	4:05pm
	Melbourne v Warriors	42-20	AAMI Park	6:15pm

## ROUND 8

Thursday, Apr 29	Canberra v Souths	GIO Stadium	7:50pm
Friday, Apr 30	Melbourne v Cronulla	AAMI Park	6:00pm
	Brisbane v Gold Coast	Suncorp	7:55pm
Saturday, May 1	Penrith v Manly	Carrington Park, Bathurst	3:00pm
	Canterbury v Parramatta	Stadium Australia	5:30pm
	Newcastle v Sydney	McDonald Jones	7:35pm
Sunday, May 2	Warriors v North Qld	Central Coast	2:00pm
	St Geo Illa v Wests Tigers	WIN Stadium	4:05pm

## ROUND 9

Thursday, May 6	Souths v Melbourne	Stadium Australia	7:50pm
Friday, May 7	Penrith v Cronulla	Bluebet Stadium	6:00pm
	Parramatta v Sydney	Bankwest	7:55pm
Saturday, May 8	Canberra v Newcastle	McDonald's Park, Wagga	3:00pm
	Wests Tigers v Gold Coast	Campbelltown	5:30pm
	North Qld v Brisbane	QLD Country Bank	7:35pm
Sunday, May 9	Manly v Warriors	Lottoland	2:00pm
	St Geo Illa v Canterbury	Netstrata Jubilee	4:05pm

## ROUND 10

Friday, May 14	Wests Tigers v Newcastle	Suncorp	6:00pm
	Manly v Brisbane	Suncorp	8:05pm
Saturday, May 15	Canterbury v Canberra	Suncorp	3:00pm
	Cronulla v Souths	Suncorp	5:30pm
	Sydney v North Qld	Suncorp	7:45pm
Sunday, May 16	Warriors v Parramatta	Suncorp	1:50pm
	Melbourne v St Geo Illa	Suncorp	4:05pm
	Gold Coast v Penrith	Suncorp	6:25pm

## ROUND 11

Thursday, May 20	North Qld v Newcastle	QLD Country Bank	7:50pm
Friday, May 21	Warriors v Wests Tigers	Central Coast	6:00pm
	Cronulla v St Geo Illa	Netstrata Jubilee	7:55pm
Saturday, May 22	Gold Coast v Canterbury	Cbus Super	3:00pm
	Sydney v Brisbane	SCG	5:30pm
	Canberra v Melbourne	GIO Stadium	7:35pm
Sunday, May 23	Souths v Penrith	Apex Oval, Dubbo	2:00pm
	Parramatta v Manly	Bankwest	4:05pm

## ROUND 12

Thursday, May 27	Brisbane v Melbourne	Suncorp	7:50pm
Friday, May 28	North Qld v Warriors	QLD Country Bank	6:00pm
	Wests Tigers v St Geo Illa	Bankwest	7:55pm
Saturday, May 29	Penrith v Canterbury	Bluebet Stadium	3:00pm
	Souths v Parramatta	Stadium Australia	5:30pm
	Sydney v Canberra	Central Coast	7:35pm
Sunday, May 30	Cronulla v Gold Coast	C. EX Coffs	2:00pm
	Newcastle v Manly	McDonald Jones	4:05pm

## ROUND 13

Thursday, Jun 3	St Geo Illa v Brisbane	Netstrata Jubilee	7:50pm
Friday, Jun 4	Wests Tigers v Penrith	Leichhardt	7:55pm
Saturday, Jun 5	Melbourne v Gold Coast	AAMI Park	7:35pm
Sunday, Jun 6	Newcastle v Parramatta	McDonald Jones	4:05pm
Byes	Canterbury, North Qld, Souths, Canberra, Sydney, Manly, Cronulla, Warriors		

## STATE OF ORIGIN 1

Wednesday, Jun 9	NSW v QLD	MCG	8pm
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## ROUND 14

Friday, Jun 11	Manly v North Qld	Lottoland	6:00pm
	Cronulla v Penrith	Netstrata Jubilee	7:55pm
Saturday, Jun 12	Gold Coast v Sydney	Cbus Super	3:00pm
	Souths v Newcastle	Stadium Australia	5:30pm
	Canberra v Brisbane	GIO Stadium	7:35pm
Sunday, Jun 13	Warriors v Melbourne	Central Coast	2:00pm
	Parramatta v Wests Tigers	Bankwest	4:05pm
Monday, Jun 14	Canterbury v St Geo Illa	Stadium Australia	4:00pm

## April 29-May 2

Thursday, Apr 29	Canberra v Souths	GIO Stadium	7:50pm
Friday, Apr 30	Melbourne v Cronulla	AAMI Park	6:00pm
	Brisbane v Gold Coast	Suncorp	7:55pm
Saturday, May 1	Penrith v Manly	Carrington Park, Bathurst	3:00pm
	Canterbury v Parramatta	Stadium Australia	5:30pm
	Newcastle v Sydney	McDonald Jones	7:35pm
Sunday, May 2	Warriors v North Qld	Central Coast	2:00pm
	St Geo Illa v Wests Tigers	WIN Stadium	4:05pm

## May 6-9

Thursday, May 6	Souths v Melbourne	Stadium Australia	7:50pm
Friday, May 7	Penrith v Cronulla	Bluebet Stadium	6:00pm
	Parramatta v Sydney	Bankwest	7:55pm
Saturday, May 8	Canberra v Newcastle	McDonald's Park, Wagga	3:00pm
	Wests Tigers v Gold Coast	Campbelltown	5:30pm
	North Qld v Brisbane	QLD Country Bank	7:35pm
Sunday, May 9	Manly v Warriors	Lottoland	2:00pm
	St Geo Illa v Canterbury	Netstrata Jubilee	4:05pm

## May 14-16

Friday, May 14	Wests Tigers v Newcastle	Suncorp	6:00pm
	Manly v Brisbane	Suncorp	8:05pm
Saturday, May 15	Canterbury v Canberra	Suncorp	3:00pm
	Cronulla v Souths	Suncorp	5:30pm
	Sydney v North Qld	Suncorp	7:45pm
Sunday, May 16	Warriors v Parramatta	Suncorp	1:50pm
	Melbourne v St Geo Illa	Suncorp	4:05pm
	Gold Coast v Penrith	Suncorp	6:25pm

## Magic Round Brisbane

## May 20-23

Thursday, May 20	North Qld v Newcastle	QLD Country Bank	7:50pm
Friday, May 21	Warriors v Wests Tigers	Central Coast	6:00pm
	Cronulla v St Geo Illa	Netstrata Jubilee	7:55pm
Saturday, May 22	Gold Coast v Canterbury	Cbus Super	3:00pm
	Sydney v Brisbane	SCG	5:30pm
	Canberra v Melbourne	GIO Stadium	7:35pm
Sunday, May 23	Souths v Penrith	Apex Oval, Dubbo	2:00pm
	Parramatta v Manly	Bankwest	4:05pm

## May 27-30

Thursday, May 27	Brisbane v Melbourne	Suncorp	7:50pm
Friday, May 28	North Qld v Warriors	QLD Country Bank	6:00pm
	Wests Tigers v St Geo Illa	Bankwest	7:55pm
Saturday, May 29	Penrith v Canterbury	Bluebet Stadium	3:00pm
	Souths v Parramatta	Stadium Australia	5:30pm
	Sydney v Canberra	Central Coast	7:35pm
Sunday, May 30	Cronulla v Gold Coast	C. EX Coffs	2:00pm
	Newcastle v Manly	McDonald Jones	4:05pm

## June 3-6

Thursday, Jun 3	St Geo Illa v Brisbane	Netstrata Jubilee	7:50pm
Friday, Jun 4	Wests Tigers v Penrith	Leichhardt	7:55pm
Saturday, Jun 5	Melbourne v Gold Coast	AAMI Park	7:35pm
Sunday, Jun 6	Newcastle v Parramatta	McDonald Jones	4:05pm
Byes	Canterbury, North Qld, Souths, Canberra, Sydney, Manly, Cronulla, Warriors		

## June 9

NSW v QLD	MCG	8pm
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## June 11-14

Friday, Jun 11	Manly v North Qld	Lottoland	6:00pm
	Cronulla v Penrith	Netstrata Jubilee	7:55pm
Saturday, Jun 12	Gold Coast v Sydney	Cbus Super	3:00pm
	Souths v Newcastle	Stadium Australia	5:30pm
	Canberra v Brisbane	GIO Stadium	7:35pm
Sunday, Jun 13	Warriors v Melbourne	Central Coast	2:00pm
	Parramatta v Wests Tigers	Bankwest	4:05pm
Monday, Jun 14	Canterbury v St Geo Illa	Stadium Australia	4:00pm



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## ROUND 15

Thursday, Jun 17	Brisbane v Souths	Suncorp	7:50pm
Friday, Jun 18	North Qld v Cronulla	QLD Country Bank	6:00pm
	Penrith v Sydney	Bluebet Stadium	7:55pm
Saturday, Jun 19	Newcastle v Warriors	McDonald Jones	3:00pm
	St Geo Illa v Canberra	WIN Stadium	5:30pm
	Melbourne v Wests Tigers	AAMI Park	7:35pm
Sunday, Jun 20	Parramatta v Canterbury	Bankwest	2:00pm
	Gold Coast v Manly	Cbus Super	4:05pm

## WOMEN'S ORIGIN

Friday, Jun 25	QLD v NSW	Venue TBC	7:40pm
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## ORIGIN 2

Sunday, Jun 27	QLD v NSW	Suncorp Stadium	7:40pm
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## ROUND 16

Thursday, Jul 1	Sydney v Melbourne	SCG	7:50pm
Friday, Jul 2	Warriors v St Geo Illa	Mt Smart	6:00pm
	Penrith v Parramatta	Bluebet Stadium	7:55pm
Saturday, Jul 3	Canterbury v Manly	Bankwest	3:00pm
	Canberra v Gold Coast	GIO Stadium	5:30pm
	Newcastle v North Qld	McDonald Jones	7:35pm
Sunday, Jul 4	Brisbane v Cronulla	Suncorp	2:00pm
	Wests Tigers v Souths	Leichhardt	4:05pm

## ROUND 17

Thursday, Jul 8	Manly v Canberra	Lottoland	7:50pm
Friday, Jul 9	Souths v North Qld	Stadium Australia	7:55pm
Saturday, Jul 10	Canterbury v Sydney	Bankwest	7:35pm
Sunday, Jul 11	Cronulla v Warriors	Netstrata Jubilee	4:05pm
Byes	Brisbane, St Geo Illa, Parramatta, Newcastle, Penrith, Melbourne, Wests Tigers, Gold Coast		

## ORIGIN 3

Wednesday, Jul 14	NSW v QLD	Stadium Australia	8pm
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## ROUND 18

Friday, Jul 16	Gold Coast v Parramatta	Cbus Super	6:00pm
	Manly v St Geo Illa	Lottoland	7:55pm
Saturday, Jul 17	Canberra v Cronulla	GIO Stadium	3:00pm
	North Qld v Sydney	QLD Country Bank	5:30pm
	Melbourne v Newcastle	AAMI Park	7:35pm
Sunday, Jul 18	Warriors v Penrith	Mt Smart	2:00pm
	Brisbane v Wests Tigers	Suncorp	4:05pm
	Souths v Canterbury	Stadium Australia	6:15pm

## ROUND 19

Thursday, Jul 22	Parramatta v Canberra	Bankwest	7:50pm
Friday, Jul 23	Sydney v Newcastle	SCG	6:00pm
	North Qld v Melbourne	QLD Country Bank	7:55pm
Saturday, Jul 24	Souths v Warriors	Sunshine Coast	3:00pm
	Manly v Wests Tigers	Central Coast	5:30pm
	Penrith v Brisbane	Bluebet Stadium	7:35pm
Sunday, Jul 25	St Geo Illa v Gold Coast	Netstrata Jubilee	2:00pm
	Canterbury v Cronulla	Bankwest	4:05pm

## ROUND 20

Thursday, Jul 29	Sydney v Parramatta	SCG	7:50pm
Friday, Jul 30	Wests Tigers v Warriors	Bankwest	6:00pm
	Brisbane v North Qld	Suncorp	7:55pm
Saturday, Jul 31	St Geo Illa v Souths	WIN Stadium	3:00pm
	Newcastle v Canberra	McDonald Jones	5:30pm
	Melbourne v Penrith	AAMI Park	7:35pm
Sunday, Aug 1	Canterbury v Gold Coast	Venue TBC	2:00pm
	Cronulla v Manly	Netstrata Jubilee	4:05pm

## June 17-20

Brisbane v Souths	Suncorp	7:50pm
North Qld v Cronulla	QLD Country Bank	6:00pm
Penrith v Sydney	Bluebet Stadium	7:55pm
Newcastle v Warriors	McDonald Jones	3:00pm
St Geo Illa v Canberra	WIN Stadium	5:30pm
Melbourne v Wests Tigers	AAMI Park	7:35pm
Parramatta v Canterbury	Bankwest	2:00pm
Gold Coast v Manly	Cbus Super	4:05pm

## June 25

QLD v NSW	Venue TBC	7:40pm
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## June 27

QLD v NSW	Suncorp Stadium	7:40pm
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## July 1-4

Sydney v Melbourne	SCG	7:50pm
Warriors v St Geo Illa	Mt Smart	6:00pm
Penrith v Parramatta	Bluebet Stadium	7:55pm
Canterbury v Manly	Bankwest	3:00pm
Canberra v Gold Coast	GIO Stadium	5:30pm
Newcastle v North Qld	McDonald Jones	7:35pm
Brisbane v Cronulla	Suncorp	2:00pm
Wests Tigers v Souths	Leichhardt	4:05pm

## July 8-11

Manly v Canberra	Lottoland	7:50pm
Souths v North Qld	Stadium Australia	7:55pm
Canterbury v Sydney	Bankwest	7:35pm
Cronulla v Warriors	Netstrata Jubilee	4:05pm
Brisbane, St Geo Illa, Parramatta, Newcastle, Penrith, Melbourne, Wests Tigers, Gold Coast		

## July 14

NSW v QLD	Stadium Australia	8pm
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## July 16-18

Gold Coast v Parramatta	Cbus Super	6:00pm
Manly v St Geo Illa	Lottoland	7:55pm
Canberra v Cronulla	GIO Stadium	3:00pm
North Qld v Sydney	QLD Country Bank	5:30pm
Melbourne v Newcastle	AAMI Park	7:35pm
Warriors v Penrith	Mt Smart	2:00pm
Brisbane v Wests Tigers	Suncorp	4:05pm
Souths v Canterbury	Stadium Australia	6:15pm

## July 22-25

Parramatta v Canberra	Bankwest	7:50pm
Sydney v Newcastle	SCG	6:00pm
North Qld v Melbourne	QLD Country Bank	7:55pm
Souths v Warriors	Sunshine Coast	3:00pm
Manly v Wests Tigers	Central Coast	5:30pm
Penrith v Brisbane	Bluebet Stadium	7:35pm
St Geo Illa v Gold Coast	Netstrata Jubilee	2:00pm
Canterbury v Cronulla	Bankwest	4:05pm

## July 29-August 1

Sydney v Parramatta	SCG	7:50pm
Wests Tigers v Warriors	Bankwest	6:00pm
Brisbane v North Qld	Suncorp	7:55pm
St Geo Illa v Souths	WIN Stadium	3:00pm
Newcastle v Canberra	McDonald Jones	5:30pm
Melbourne v Penrith	AAMI Park	7:35pm
Canterbury v Gold Coast	Venue TBC	2:00pm
Cronulla v Manly	Netstrata Jubilee	4:05pm

## ROUND 21

Thursday, Aug 5	Newcastle v Brisbane	McDonald Jones	7:50pm
Friday, Aug 6	Canberra v St Geo Illa	GIO Stadium	6:00pm
	Parramatta v Souths	Bankwest	7:55pm
Saturday, Aug 7	Warriors v Cronulla	Mt Smart	3:00pm
	Sydney v Penrith	SCG	5:30pm
	Manly v Melbourne	Lottoland	7:35pm
Sunday, Aug 8	Canterbury v Wests Tigers	Belmore	2:00pm
	Gold Coast v North Qld	Cbus Super	4:05pm

## August 5-8

Newcastle v Brisbane	McDonald Jones	7:50pm
Canberra v St Geo Illa	GIO Stadium	6:00pm
Parramatta v Souths	Bankwest	7:55pm
Warriors v Cronulla	Mt Smart	3:00pm
Sydney v Penrith	SCG	5:30pm
Manly v Melbourne	Lottoland	7:35pm
Canterbury v Wests Tigers	Belmore	2:00pm
Gold Coast v North Qld	Cbus Super	4:05pm

## ROUND 22

Thursday, Aug 12	Melbourne v Canberra	AAMI Park	7:50pm
Friday, Aug 13	St Geo Illa v Penrith	WIN Stadium	6:00pm
	Brisbane v Sydney	Suncorp	7:55pm
Saturday, Aug 14	Souths v Gold Coast	Central Coast	3:00pm
	North Qld v Wests Tigers	QLD Country Bank	5:30pm
	Manly v Parramatta	Lottoland	7:35pm
Sunday, Aug 15	Warriors v Canterbury	Mt Smart	2:00pm
	Cronulla v Newcastle	Netstrata Jubilee	4:05pm

## August 12-15

Melbourne v Canberra	AAMI Park	7:50pm
St Geo Illa v Penrith	WIN Stadium	6:00pm
Brisbane v Sydney	Suncorp	7:55pm
Souths v Gold Coast	Central Coast	3:00pm
North Qld v Wests Tigers	QLD Country Bank	5:30pm
Manly v Parramatta	Lottoland	7:35pm
Warriors v Canterbury	Mt Smart	2:00pm
Cronulla v Newcastle	Netstrata Jubilee	4:05pm

## ROUND 23

Thursday, Aug 19	Gold Coast v Melbourne	Cbus Super	7:50pm
Friday, Aug 20	Canberra v Manly	Suncorp	6:00pm
	Penrith v Souths	Bluebet Stadium	7:55pm
Saturday, Aug 21	Wests Tigers v Cronulla	Scully Park, Tamworth	3:00pm
	Canterbury v Newcastle	Stadium Australia	5:30pm
	Parramatta v North Qld	Bankwest	7:35pm
Sunday, Aug 22	St Geo Illa v Sydney	Netstrata Jubilee	2:00pm
	Brisbane v Warriors	Suncorp	4:05pm

## August 19-22

Gold Coast v Melbourne	Cbus Super	7:50pm
Canberra v Manly	Suncorp	6:00pm
Penrith v Souths	Bluebet Stadium	7:55pm
Wests Tigers v Cronulla	Scully Park, Tamworth	3:00pm
Canterbury v Newcastle	Stadium Australia	5:30pm
Parramatta v North Qld	Bankwest	7:35pm
St Geo Illa v Sydney	Netstrata Jubilee	2:00pm
Brisbane v Warriors	Suncorp	4:05pm

## ROUND 24

Thursday, Aug 26	Newcastle v Gold Coast	McDonald Jones	7:50pm
Friday, Aug 27	Warriors v Canberra	Mt Smart	6:00pm
	Sydney v Souths	SCG	7:55pm
Saturday, Aug 28	St Geo Illa v North Qld	WIN Stadium	3:00pm
	Cronulla v Brisbane	Netstrata Jubilee	5:30pm
	Melbourne v Parramatta	AAMI Park	7:35pm
Sunday, Aug 29	Manly v Canterbury	Lottoland	2:00pm
	Penrith v Wests Tigers	Bluebet Stadium	4:05pm

## August 26-29

Newcastle v Gold Coast	McDonald Jones	7:50pm
Warriors v Canberra	Mt Smart	6:00pm
Sydney v Souths	SCG	7:55pm
St Geo Illa v North Qld	WIN Stadium	3:00pm
Cronulla v Brisbane	Netstrata Jubilee	5:30pm
Melbourne v Parramatta	AAMI Park	7:35pm
Manly v Canterbury	Lottoland	2:00pm
Penrith v Wests Tigers	Bluebet Stadium	4:05pm

## ROUND 25

Thursday, Sep 2	Canberra v Sydney	GIO Stadium	7:50pm
Friday, Sep 3	Cronulla v Melbourne	Netstrata Jubilee	6:00pm
	Parramatta v Penrith	Bankwest	7:55pm
Saturday, Sep 4	Brisbane v Newcastle	Suncorp	3:00pm
	North Qld v Manly	QLD Country Bank	5:30pm
	Souths v St Geo Illa	Stadium Australia	7:35pm
Sunday, Sep 5	Gold Coast v Warriors	Cbus Super	2:00pm
	Wests Tigers v Canterbury	Campbelltown	4:05pm

## September 2-5

Canberra v Sydney	GIO Stadium	7:50pm
Cronulla v Melbourne	Netstrata Jubilee	6:00pm
Parramatta v Penrith	Bankwest	7:55pm
Brisbane v Newcastle	Suncorp	3:00pm
North Qld v Manly	QLD Country Bank	5:30pm
Souths v St Geo Illa	Stadium Australia	7:35pm
Gold Coast v Warriors	Cbus Super	2:00pm
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## 2021 NRL TELSTRA PREMIERSHIP FINALS SERIES

### WEEK 1

Day/Time TBC	
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Day/Time TBC	
Day/Time TBC	

### SEPTEMBER 10-12

QF 1	1 v 4
QF 2	2 v 3
EF 1	5 v 8
EF 2	6 v 7

### Qualifying & Elimination Finals

Venue TBC
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Venue TBC

### WEEK 2

Day/Time TBC
Day/Time TBC

### SEPTEMBER 17-18

SF 1	L QF 1 v W EF 1
SF 2	L QF 2 v W EF 2

### Semi Finals

Venue TBC
Venue TBC

### WEEK 3

Day/Time TBC
Day/Time TBC

### SEPTEMBER 24-25

PF 1	W QF 1 v W SF 2
PF 2	W QF 2 v W SF 1

### Preliminary Finals

Venue TBC
Venue TBC

## GRAND FINAL

Sun, Time TBC
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## OCTOBER 2

W PF 1 v W PF 2
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Stadium Australia
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All matches except Grand Final & Origin broadcast live on Fox League & Kayo Sports. Thu 7:50pm, Fri 7:55pm and Sun 4:05pm matches, all Finals, Grand Final and Origin are broadcast live on the Nine Network. NOTE: NRL draw is subject to change - visit [LeagueUnlimited.com](http://LeagueUnlimited.com) for updated fixtures. All times listed are NSW/VIC/ACT local.

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