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ROUND – Juniors 16 ~ Seniors 17

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2008 Club Awards



Nominations are requested for the following Club Awards:

Club Person of the Year

Awarded to an individual who has gone beyond the call of Duty in their services to assist the Club during 2007.

Senior Player of the Year

Awarded to a Senior Player (u/18's – A grade) whose great service to the Club off the field have matched their on field performance.

Johnny Raper Award

This prestigious Award is awarded only in the case of exceptional services to the Club. It is not awarded every year.

Coach of the Year

Manager of the Year

Trainer of the Year

Life Members

Nominations must be made in writing and signed by the proposer, who must be a financial member of the Club (or the parent of a financial Junior), and be prepared to speak on the nominees behalf.

Nominations are to be given to the committee or can be left in the box at the Bar. The Executive will make the final decision on all awards. Forms are available at the bar.



Club News!



Jersey Drive

Do you really need all those old jerseys?

With the announcement of a new playing strip for 2009 last week (see back page of last week's black book!), the Club has decided to collect as many of the old maple leaf style jerseys as possible and donate them to a struggling Country club (or 2!). Whilst the club will maintain a few complete sets for 1 vs 2 and Golden Oldies Games, the majority of our stock will be unneeded. We would like to appeal to all past and present players to go through your wardrobe and donate to this worthwhile cause. By all means keep a jersey for yourself or keep premiership jerseys etc. but if everyone in the Club donated just one jersey, that would give us 500 jerseys!

As many players will have several laying in the bottom of the wardrobe, 600 jerseys should not be an unrealistic target. This would be sufficient to fit out about 55 Country teams that might otherwise be struggling for jerseys!

Drop any old Jerseys into the Clubhouse and see Simon Boylan or Cathy Gorman-Brown with any questions.

Calendar

AUGUST

- 5th Seniors Photos – see Clubhouse for times
- 16/17th Semi Finals
- 23/24th Finals
- 30/31st Grand Finals

SEPTEMBER

- 14th Tommy Bishop Shield

OCTOBER

- 11th Junior Presentation Day – 11am – 4pm
- 18th Senior Presentation Day – PM



Club News!



Presentation Day

Junior Presentation Day - Saturday 11 October - (11am-4pm)
Senior Presentation Day - Saturday 18 October PM

MAKE SURE YOU PUT THESE DATES IN YOUR DIARY!

Senior's Photos

Senior Photos were rescheduled to Tuesday 5 August due to wet weather. Please check notice board for your time. Photos will be in team uniform and payment is made on the night if you want a photo.

Junior Oztag

Stay fit over summer and play Oztag. For further information visit www.oztag.com/jnrs. If you are interested in refereeing and getting paid phone 9501 1989 for details. Great summer job.

6's Teams – Gala Day – Sunday 10 August

Our three 6's teams will be playing in a gala day on Sunday 10 August, there are no scheduled games for Saturday. Games will start at 9am at Gwawley. Two 5 min halves will be played. Please support each team on the day and let the boys enjoy as much football as they can for their last weekend of football for 2008. We are all so proud of you and we are proud to have you represent our club. Special thanks to the coaches (Shane, Neil and Dave), managers, trainers and parents for these boys i am sure you have had plenty of fun times.

Semi Finals

We will have plenty of teams representing us in the semi finals. Most of our senior teams will make semi's and will play on Toyota Park. As a club we have decided to support in strength. Our club will be sitting in the ET Stand at the North End (bar end) and we want everyone to wear either club shirts, jerseys, hoodies, premiership jackets or even a black top if you can. Once the draw is out we want everyone to get behind all our teams representing our club in the semi finals. Stay posted.

ROUND: Juniors 16 – Seniors 17

Team	Playing	Time	Venue	Duty
Saturday, 2 August				
6 Red	De La Salle	9:00	Marton Park	
6 Green	Engadine	10:30	Anzac	
6 Blue	Aquinas	9:00	Blaxland	
7 Blue	Engadine	11:15	Anzac	
8A1	Engadine	10:30	Marton Park	
8A2	St Particks	10:45	Waratah	
8B 3	Aquinas	9:45	Blaxland	
9 B	Engadine	12:55	Anzac	
9A	De La Salle	11:15	Marton Park	
10 B	St Josephs	12:50	Kareela	
10A	Aquinas	10:30	Blaxland	
11 B	Como	11:20	Scylla	
11 A2	St Patricks	1:20	Waratah	
11 A1	BYE			
12A	De La Salle	11:55	Captain Cook	
13 B	De La Salle	12:50	Captain Cook	
14 B	Aquinas	3:10	Blaxland	
14 A	Aquinas	4:15	Blaxland	
15 B	BYE			
15 A	Aquinas	1:15	Marton Park	
Seniors Sunday 3 August				
17 (1)	De La Salle	11:00	HOME	12:15-1:15
19	Engadine	12:15	HOME	10:30-11:30
21	Engadine	1:30	HOME	11:30-12:15
A Reserve	Barden Ridge	3:00	HOME	1:15-2:15
A Grade	Engadine	3:00	Anzac	

**** Minimum Duty Sides requirements....**

3 people canteen

3 people BBQ

1 person Ground Managerfield

* *First duty side sets up field; last duty side plus last team playing help pack up fields*

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* *Confirm times with Coach / Manager*

Wet Weather Line 9710 0105

6 Green

COACH Dave Whetu
MANAGER Kim
TRAINER Craig Fernley

-vs- Como – Won 34-30

Well it was a very close game today, with both teams going try for try through the entire match. Maybe having the home ground advantage was just enough to bring our boys out on top. With each team scoring seven tries, we were just lucky enough to kick those two extra goals.

A fantastic game was played by all the boys. Although our man of the match today was Kalani, for scoring his first try of the season. Great work!

Thanks to Jack and Joel, who joined our team this morning to make up the numbers.

6 Blue

COACH Shane Weatherill 0414 421 261
MANAGER Elenore
TRAINER Russell Bowden 0406 382 974

-vs- Como – Won 44-4

Well done boys on another very strong game where we worked well as a team. Each of you were given one thing to concentrate on for this game and you all did well improving on these areas.

Great running games today from Lucas, Will, Ricky, Blake and Lachlan. Cameron and Mitchell also ran well but will score more tries when you run fast as soon as you get the ball. Kellen improved again and almost scored his first try, well done. The awards went to Lucas and Ricky who both ran and tackled well but the whole team today were great.

Russell & Shane

7 Blue

**COACH
MANAGER**

Daniel Perkins
Sheena Gary
& Cristy Parker

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TRAINER

Dave Collins

-vs- Gymea – Lost 26-12

Bad luck boys you all played really well but unfortunately you were 3 short so there were too many holes.

Your defence was awesome with everyone chipping in and tackling their hearts out with Harry , Zach , Jeremy , Connor , Callum and kai all putting in every thing they had.

The attack was great as well with all of you making great yards and offloading the ball . Kai scored a try and kicked a goal and Harry came within an inch of scoring another . Well done boys we are all proud of you. Harry got man of the match for an allround excellent game. Connor got an award for his massive effort. Kai also received an award for his efforts.

SAI

COACH Adam Hagan 0410 609 446
MANAGER

-vs- De La Salle – Lost-16-0

Well another lost has put us in a real hole. Two quick tries to De La set us on the back foot in the first quarter. From then on we were the better side with the score not showing.

Never to be one to complain about the referee but it was the worst one sided affair I have seen. To make it worse he played later that day for De La.

Besides that first five minutes it was a great improvement on other weeks. Brett was one of our best again with Tyrone pulling off some awesome tackles. The amount of breaks we made not converting them to tries really hurt us. Good effort boys.

Adam



COACH Nikki Durant
MANAGER Richard Parkinson
TRAINER Rob Hippe

0413 826 905

-vs- De La Salle – Lost 20-18

This week we played another really competitive and hard fought match against De La. The lead in the game swung backwards and forwards throughout and the result was in the balance until the very end. Goal kicking was big factor this week and we converted every one of our tries.

Liam had his first game back for a couple of weeks and was busy all over the field. He got an award for his great attacking play after making some good runs out wide. He also came up with some wonderful tackles in defence.

Simon was awarded try of the week after making a break out wide then stepping back in and beating tackles to get over and score. He also made a leaping one on one tackle on our own line to stop the opposition scoring.

Darren had his usual busy game making strong runs through the middle, straight at the opposition line and taking on much bigger guys than him in defence and pulling them to the ground. He was also one of the goal kickers.

Jake led the line in defence and came up with some awesome tackles, which kept the opposition down their own end for much of the game. He also contributed some strong runs with the ball and was awarded the coaches trophy for his effort.

Max got an award this week too after another good game from dummy half, he got the ball out quickly to first receiver and scored our first try with a weaving and dodging run to the line, beating several players on the way. He also converted the try.

Sash made a couple of damaging runs at the opposition and tried hard with his defence. He used his strength to hold up to attacking players and give the rest of the team a chance to come in and finish off the tackle.

Luke played his usual strong game in both defence and attack. He scored a well-earned try in the corner after showing great determination. He carried three players with him towards the line before finally breaking free and planting the ball down. He was another to get his conversion.

Zane was busy in attack making lot of dancing, darting runs up the field. His defence was also crucial and at one point he was on his own holding back the biggest player on the opposition side but he refused to let go and eventually pull him down. Awesome effort!

Angus muscled up in defence this week and played his part in containing the De La side and helping to finish off the tackles. He took the ball up a few of times, made good strong metres and protected the ball.

Cooper also played his part in defence he was always there helping in the tackle and making sure the ball did not get offloaded to the supporting players. With the ball he ran straight and hard and tried to break the line.

Last week we talked about the need to start the game well and this week everyone was firing from the start. Every single one of you should be proud of your efforts. Win or lose, you gave 100% for the team and you came up just short. If we do make the finals we may well play De La again, but with the commitment you showed today next time we can beat them!

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COACH Mark Nott
MANAGER Hayden Berry
TRAINER Luke Tonkin

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-vs- St Joey's – WON 22 – 8

This was another game where the score could have gone either way. Joeys scored first after a prolonged defensive battle on our try line. Five sets of tackles passed before they crossed but after Joey's scored we kicked into gear.

Liam again scored two ducking and weaving tries from dummy half. Jonaiah also scored two long range ripper tries. Robbo showed how to defend and won Man of the Match. He tackled everything that moved with his front on defence. Ben (H) showed how he too loves to defend and brought down the big guys with great tackling power. Keep it up the two Bens.

Cool calm Cooper did his utmost to stop Joeys attack by using his body to repel their onward movements. Ryan made some great bumping runs and took out the Joeys players with some classic tackles. Tyler had over a handful of decisive runs and stopped a certain try by running down a player and tackling him around the legs.

Shaun and Kyle did themselves proud by running and defending great and helped the team out play the Joeys. Poor Hudo lobbed up sick and still couldn't be kept off the field to help the guys win a hard-earned game. Get better Hudo we need everyone to be fit & healthy for the up coming weeks.

Keep it up fellas. See you all at training.

Mark

IOB

**COACH
MANAGER
TRAINER**

Troy Hodges
Karryne Townley

0413 101 184

-vs- Bosco - WON 20-12

10b's you rock! What a great win and a very exciting game.

The boys played their best and gave Bosco everything they had. They were unlucky not to score in the first half as their defence and attack was strong all game. Bosco was lucky to get over the line twice to take us to half time with 12-0 on the score board. The pep talk at half time did wonders as we ran back on the field stronger than ever. We all played unreal and everyone was involve in great tackling and there was no one holding off running the ball up when they had a chance.

There was outstanding runs all round and Noah as always ran for his life and we finally got the ball over the line. Then Jayden did a beautiful kick over the posts. Bosco looked like they were coming back at us then 6 smashing tackles stopped them in there tracks, then Harry, who played he's best game all year, scored our 2th try. He received man of the match for the game.

Kobi fresh off the bench received the ball and broke through several attempted tackles to run about 60m and scored the try of his life. Anothony then came in with a kick and converted the try.

Hungry for those tries we kept Bosco on there toes, then Noah pulled out some more of his great stepping action to take us over again almost on the bell giving us our 20 points win. Bosco, unable to score a try all second half, was left behind with 12 points.

You boys should be so proud on the way you are playing, your all doing your best and getting involved and it paid off for you with this great win.

Well done you champions.

9A

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MANAGER	Greig Ainsworth	0422 937 437
TRAINER	Jim Castles 0403 766 673 & Todd Newton 0425 341 902	

-vs- Aquinas - Lost 16-0

A very disappointing display from the boys. We showed patches of good defence and at half time we were only down 4-0.

In general, our forwards did not run the ball with any real conviction, and our defence failed to move up, often not moving up at all. It looked like we didn't want to be there.

Our players who showed the most effort were Jarrod McKinnery made what seemed like 100 tackles, Jarrod seemed to be in every second tackle, Nicholas Gillard who ran the ball very well making plenty of metres up the park, Nicholas also tackled very well, Jimmy Russell tried his huge hard out, and Jesse Newton's kicking in general play often got us out of huge trouble in field position. Cooper Ashworth also had a good sound game running the ball and making lots of tackles.

2 games to go boys, can we lift ourselves and finish the season on a high?

Rod

IIAI

COACH	Greg Hearnden	0416 234 988
MANAGER	Pam Whetters	0407 214 441
TRAINER	Steve Kelly	0410 322 695

-vs- St Josephs – Won 46-6

A solid win today against Joeys. We scored some good tries with lots of ball movement. Tezza had a blinder defended well and involving himself in some run around plays. He also scored 2 tries from dummy half.

Curtis was everywhere again really running hard and always ready to put on a hit. Really pleased with Tyler who ran a kick return back hard and went through some attempted tackles to score a 60 metre try. Keep running Tyler.

We tried some positional changes that mucked our patterns up (Coaches error) but we still played some good footy. Also good to have Shannon back who came up with some terrific defence.

Bye this weekend boys so lets get to training and prepare for the finals in 3 weeks. GH



**COACH
MANAGER
TRAINERS**

Rob Nathan
Brad
Vaughany & Das

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PHYSIO – Skye

-vs- Gymea – Won 16 – 12

Due to the weather this week limiting us to one training session, I was feeling a tad nervous or excited knowing the importance of this game. Although we are 5 points clear of Gymea we still needed to come away with the win. Gauging on our performance against Yarra last week the boys knew they needed to lift the intensity whilst facing a very physical and determine side. We just did that. It was pleasing to see that every single player who got on the field new the importance of this game as this was displayed both in defence and attack. True credit to all for keeping your discipline when a few decisions didn't go our way, I too was a bit baffled, but to your credit lads you dug deep and pushed on.

Sam - Well done mate, must had been the new skins you bought, you were in the zone today, showed great feet work and pace, scored 2 brilliant tries. **Dylan & Cody** – great returns and massive defensive effort **Jesse & Finn** – massive effort in defence & Attack. Both need to separate yourselves from the sideline. **Robbie** – well deserved try mate, showed plenty of attitude in defence as always. Controlled the game to how we wanted it. Well done. **Rory** – better improvement in directing and controlling your right side. **Ben** – An off day, you are allowed to make mistakes, you made up in defence. Well Done. **Jaiden & Sage** – massive game in both metres gained and defence. **Sage**, thanks for showing the forward pack how to gain easy metres going forward. Well done. **Jaiden** best game to date. Don't change a thing, you are in the zone. **Jake & Jacob** – well done to you both in metres gained and defence. **Duggan** best game to date re work rate in defence. Don't change a thing. **Pricey**, you stood strong today in defence, just watch the shoulder charges. **Kurt** - well controlled around the ruck, massive defensive effort, great distributions too date. Don't change a thing, you are in the zone. Take more scoots, play what's in front of you. **Luke** – Best hit of the day mate. It changed the momentum of the game at a very crucial time in the game. Massive effort in defence. Well done. **Fletch** – Thanks for being understanding, your limited time on the field did not go unnoticed and when you got on the field you settled and controlled the game in the dying minutes. Thanks mate. **Paris** – A decisive run, at a time when we needed it, came at the right end of the field. Thanks. **Douglas Catt** – even though you didn't get on the field. The boys appreciate you for backing up for us today. Thanks Doug.

We must not forget Brendan Fernley for his input and motivation talk. Welcome to the team Fern. As you know this is my last week before returning to NZ, and coming back for grand final week. Greg and Fern will be stepping in to take the helm and will do their best to get the lads into another grand final. This is very hard for me, knowing I will be across the ditch and unable to help guide our boys. I have full confidence in Greg, Fern and the boys and know that they will give it their all.

Word of the Week - EFFORT

We travel to Blaxland this week to play Aquinas. Let's do all the talking on the field LADS.

Coach

14B

**COACH
MANAGER
TRAINER**

Andrew Highfield
Wayne Pinder
Simon Boylan
Bruce Stewart-Watt

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-vs- Gymea 3 – Won 24 – 0

Our uncanny winning score of 24 struck again for the sixth time this season and together with seven wins in a row means we are now one win away from securing the minor premiership.

We blew a slow start hoodoo away today with some early solid defence that closed all of Gymea's attack down and set the scene for a great win. Losing one of our forwards for ten minutes was a low light of the game and certainly reflected some frustration with certain calls, but against a better side with a closer score, ill discipline could have turned the game. Lesson learned: it does not pay to back chat. Though to the teams credit and with one man down they held their composure during this period and demonstrated why we have the best defensive record in this competition.

Complimenting our defence was our attacking raids that was shared equally across the forwards and backs. It was great to see both our wingers, Tamavi and Brendan score great tries. Tamavi finishing off a through the hands blind side move and Brendan weaving through the defensive line from 20 meters out to score close to the posts. Well done to Billy, Renn & Blake who also ran in tries and building some great combinations in the back line. It was also great to see the boys working more on their set plays and having the vision to know when to use them.

Special mention to Doug who is improving every week with bruising defence and quality hit ups. His efforts earned him this week's coach's award.

An excellent effort boys and let's make sure we all get to training to let the coach's know we appreciate the time they are giving and to further improve our team skills for the upcoming finals.

And lastly, a big thank you to the parents and supporters who come along each week to cheer on the team. It really does mean a lot to the boys to see you there.

Tries:	Renn, Billy, Tamavi, Blake, Brendan
Goals:	Delroy x 1, Blake x 1
3-2-1 Points:	Last Week Blake 3, Semu 2, Delroy 1
	This Week Renn 3, Joe 2, Luke 1

15A

COACH Joe Lichaa 0421 089 018
MANAGER Michelle Hearnden 0411 544 127
TRAINERS Noel Pittman & Greg Hearnden – 0416 234 988(GH)

-v- De La Salle – Loss 16 -28

Tries: Michael Lichaa, Erony Mareko, Guy Meagrossi

Conversions: Cameron Paddy 2/3

Tackles: **Tokerau Raru 17**, Jeremy Saville 14, Joseph Drinkwater 13, Michael Lichaa 13, Clinton Strickland 13, Rea Pittman 13

De La Salle were too strong for Cronulla Caringbah running away with a 28 – 16 win.

De La got a roll on early after a silly Cronulla mistake letting the ball go dead from the kick off. Then repeat sets of six and they were in. The “force” was with De La and with the refs call going their way as well. When Cronulla Caringbah finally got some sets of six after a couple of quick penalties they scored a try thanks to fast work from **Michael Lichaa**. **Cameron Paddy** missed this conversion but got the other two later on. **16-4 half time**.

From half time the momentum stayed with Cronulla for a while with big **Eronny Mareko**, who also defended well, made it over the line after a good barging run. With possession came more points and Cronulla got the ball wide for **Guy Meagrossi** to score in the corner. 16 all with 15 minutes left to play!

The De La forwards were totally dominate in this game driving our players back in the tackles on so many occasions I lost count. Our attack was more suited to netball while our defence was more of the “cling on” variety. WE **did not** get one really good “hit” on to De La the whole game and that’s why they just kept on coming.

A game characterised by very strong defence from the De La forward pack especially in the first half and very poor defence from us. Cronulla’s best players were **Jeremy Saville**, **Clinton Strickland** and Tokerau Raru who tackled their hearts out. **Joseph Drinkwater** & Michael Lichaa were level pegging with the **Rea Pittman** in the tackle count out pacing many of the forwards.

Interesting stats: 155 tackles - 62 missed tackles. Almost 1 in 3 tackles missed.

De La got 22 sets of six we got 13 in total.

Our first points came 15 mins in after 2 a repeat set of 6!

De La had 9 sets of six in the first 15 mins. and scored 3 tries.

Grant Drinkwater



COACH
MANAGER
TRAINER

Barry Russell
Buzz
Darren McKinnery

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0400 548 647

-vs- Gymea – Won

A game of two halves boy's! We turned up to play with the wrong attitude and it showed in our 1st half display. We managed to complete only 3 sets in the 1st half and this allowed Gymea to look like superstars after our soft defence let them run in two tries to make it 12 – 10 at halftime. You can't win big games if you don't control the footy boy's, something we talk about every time we play! Our defence all over the park was simply not good enough in the 1st half, with plenty of one on one misses and no intensity. This is the key to our success this year, if we defend at our best no one will beat us, we know we can score points!

After a 2nd half blast you came out and played like I know you can play, our control was much better and our defence was excellent, 30 nil in the 2nd half was a fantastic result. There were some great performances with no better than Hymie, he had a big game and was a handful everytime he touched the ball and pulled off some big hits, Dunc's was again leading the way with a big game, Cal and Jacko scored a bag of tries each and were dangerous everytime they were involved, James Russell continues to build in confidence and played a great game, Mil did a top job from the wing and got involved when he could, Dane was again a handful and is playing with great consistency, well done to Peach who made a much welcomed comeback, you played great, Rennie was dangerous and looked good when he went back to fullback, we also welcomed Jacob Wood who really made an impact! To all the rest well done!

Lets stay focused, work hard and prepare well this week for a big game against DLS.

Well done boys!

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Yarrowarrah Plumbing	9520 7305	Ray & Dawn Hallatt

FOOD & HEALTH & CHILDCARE & ANIMAL CARE!

Golden Roast Charcoal Chicken	9524 1922	
Hanrob Kennels	8508 3222	
Jonathan Harper Chiropractor	9525 7778	
Leah's Waxworks	9531 2832	
Ocean Monarch		Harry Peters
Southern Chiro & Phsyio	9526 1555	
Southbeach Seafood	9544 0800	A healthy alternative
Stapleton's Quality Meat Sutho	9521 2285	Jeff Smith
Waves Childcare Centre	9544 4344	

MANUFACTURING

Ungerer Australia Pty Ltd	9668 9896	Troy Piggott
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SOCIALISING!

Caringbah Bizzos	9524 7358	Shawn Morris
Caringbah RSL	9524 9135	Mark Whettters
Debonair Party Hire	9521 5188	Mick Hogan
JD's	9523 3341	John Quinlan

TRANSPORT

Gilders Transport	9755 1190	
Toll Express	8713 7000	Jamie Primmer

FINANCIAL

Ambition Financial Group	8543 2930	Andrew Woodger
AIM Accountants Investment	9544 5489	Anthony Hawkins
YES Home Loans		

HOMEMAKERS

Fantastic Furniture Taren Point	8717 2615	Julian Tertini
Stylecraft		

PRINTING

MBE Business Srvc Centre	9565 2333	Doug Catt
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