

Chairman's Report



The Union will record a small deficit in 2002 however given that the Union's grant from NSW Rugby Union was reduced in 2001/2002 by half and the Union did not reduce its level of service nor cut programs during the 2002 season this is a fair result. Future savings are anticipated given that in September the Union Office relocated with NSW Rugby Union who have granted rent free office space to the Union at the Sydney Football Stadium. This move was first discussed in 1996 and to finally see it come to fruition has been very pleasing. Early reports suggest that the relocation has been well received by the staff, NSWRU and affiliates alike. We look forward to fostering stronger relations with NSW Rugby Union into the future as a result.

A 20% increase in sponsorship revenue has helped minimise costs to clubs and I would like to thank Canterbury International, Coca-Cola, Ricoh, Gilbert, Beiersdorf Australia (Leuko), Australian Rugby Review and major sponsors Interfuse all of whom have been associated with the Union for in excess of five years. The Union also thanks Big Sister Laundry and Icons of Sport for their support.

On the representative scene it was pleasing to see NSWSRU take on NSW Country for the first time in many years and I hope that this can once again be an annual representative fixture. Thank you to Peter Duckworth, Peter Walsh and their Management Team for their efforts in preparing a quality representative team and program.

I wish to thank my fellow Management Committee Members for their efforts throughout the last year. The full Management Committee met on eleven occasions during the season. A comprehensive agenda is discussed at each meeting which involves reports from NSW Rugby Union, various Sub-Committees that have met, an Executive Director's Report and a Financial Report. I would like to make special mention of Damian Henry, Dan Moore, Greg Lee and Rick Morris who are members of the Union's Clubs Competition and Rules Sub-Committee who met on another ten occasions throughout the season. To the Judiciary and Appeals Tribunal members thank you for your ongoing support. Thank you to the referee's who donate their time each week to ensure that we actually have a game. Finally thank you to the Union's office staff of Mark Green, James Durbin and Larissa Terrey whose professional approach to rugby administration is welcomed by NSWSRU clubs.

The Union has maintained its close association with Sydney Junior Rugby Union and we look forward to fostering this association for the betterment of both organisations in the future. The Union has also overseen the management and administration of the Sydney Women's Competition which included the organisation becoming incorporated in March.

Congratulations must be extended to Paul Timmins (President) and Dom Lombardo (Secretary) of the Old Ignatians Rugby Club for an outstanding season which culminated with a third successive Bruce Graham Shield (for Club Champions) and all six teams participating in grand finals which included a Kentwell Cup premiership for the first time in the Clubs history. Well done!

Enjoy the off season, as we look forward to a busy 2003 which will culminate in the Rugby World Cup which kicks off at Stadium Australia on 10 October 2003. I encourage everyone to embrace the rugby spirit and get involved whether its purchasing tickets, attending live sites, volunteering or hosting touring teams. To those clubs, players and officials, thank you once again for your support and you can be assured that the Union is in good shape financially and administratively.

Yours in Rugby,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ian Ross". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Ian Ross
Chairman

Cover Photo: Old Ignatians Kentwell Cup Premiership Team

NSW Suburban Rugby Union Office Bearers 2002

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Not appointed

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Management Committee Meeting Attendance

| | | | |
|-----------------|-------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Brent Halligan | 9/11 | Patrick McMenamin | 8/11 |
| Ian Ross | 10/11 | Greg Lee | 11/11 |
| Dan Moore | 9/11 | Alan Jones | 10/11 |
| Danny Hinton | 10/11 | Mark Green | 10/11 |
| Michael Kennedy | 11/11 | Peter Kelly | 6/7 (Appointed 13 May 2002) |
| Rick Morris | 11/11 | James Noone | 2/3 (Resigned 15 April 2002) |
| Damian Henry | 11/11 | | |

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Executive Director's Report

With the Rugby World Cup due to commence on 10 October 2003 the Union will play an important role in the Cups success. The ARU recognised the importance of grass roots rugby by allocating 50% of all non-premium tickets (after contractual obligations) to the "Rugby Community" which will allow greater access to those that regularly contribute to rugby the opportunity to purchase tickets to RWC matches. Union members will also play a role in hosting overseas touring teams, acting as volunteers and attending live sites set up around Sydney.

Financially, the Union will record a small (budgeted) deficit in 2002. This is due to the conscious decision by the Union's Management Committee to ensure that the level of service that Suburban Clubs have become accustomed to was not jeopardised in the face of a reduction in the Union's grant by half in 2001/2002.

On the field, the Union's send off levels were down on previous years. Thank you to those highly dedicated members of the Judiciary who meet every Wednesday night during the season - Mark Groom (Chairman), Tony Beger (Deputy Chairman), Jim Melrose and Hamish Kelly. Thank you to the NSW Suburban Management Committee members who donate their time not only to their own clubs but to the Union as a whole to ensure that we remain at the forefront of rugby administration and management in Australia.

Unfortunately this season saw an unprecedented number of forfeits. Rest assured that the Union is reviewing its competition structures and Clubs to ensure that the same problem is not repeated next season. The Union continued in the administration and management of Sydney Women's Rugby whilst remaining closely aligned to the Sydney Junior Rugby Union with Andrew Kneivitt (SJRU Administrator) working alongside NSWSRU staff. The Union is fortunate to have a highly professional Business Manager in James Durbin whose dedication, skills and rugby insight is highly regarded by all. Thank you to Larissa Terrey who assisted us during the season.

The Union's Representative Team played a four match program which included a fixture against NSW Country - the first time NSWSRU has played NSW Country since 1988. This was the only match the team lost beating Central Coast, QLD Suburban and for the first time ever Australian Combined Services.

With the invaluable assistance of major sponsors Interfuse, the Union introduced FuseSport to assist in club administration. The program specifically designed by Interfuse for Suburban Rugby's needs allows for all players to be registered on line as well as for the input of match results and result sheets on-line. Rebates on team registration fees were given to those clubs that embraced the technology. The Union continued to have all match results updated on-line each Saturday night with results also SMSed through to mobile phone users by 6pm. The significant contribution made by sponsors such as Coca-Cola, Ricoh, Gilbert, Canterbury, Australian Rugby Review, Leuko, Vilis Pies, Big Sister Laundry and Icons of Sport is invaluable and helps reduce the costs to Suburban Clubs. In return Union Clubs spend in excess of \$250K with the above sponsors during the course of the season.

A fitting finale to the season saw the Kentwell Cup Grand Final Day held at Wentworth Park, Glebe. Although better known for Greyhound racing it proved to be a very popular location with its surface and amenities second to none. Congratulations to Old Ignatians who not only won the Division One Club Championship for a third successive year but also picked up the Kentwell Cup, Whiddon Cup, Judd Cup and overall Club of the Year award. A special mention to Liverpool (Division Three) and Knox (Division Four) who also had outstanding seasons winning all Grand Finals in their respective divisions.

After almost ten years at Myrtle Street Crows Nest the NSWSRU relocated its Offices in September to Aussie Stadium (SFS). With the NSW Rugby Union and Australian Rugby Union Community Rugby Department also relocating to the same offices it will forge closer working relations with both organisations which will be for the betterment of rugby.

To commemorate the Union's Centenary (2001) Dr Thomas Hickie has been commissioned to rewrite and update the original Suburban book (The Game for the Game Itself) which was published in 1984. The book is likely to be published towards the end of next year.

On a sad note the Union saw a number of Suburban stalwarts pass away over the last year including; Reg Gamble a key member of the old Reliance Club, Dudley Grose a former member of the Sydney & Suburban Management Committee and the Colleagues Rugby Club, Stan Simpson (aged 94) Suburban's oldest Representative player (1938) and Andrew Warner who sadly passed away whilst playing for Hornsby in a Barraclough Cup match on 1 June. Our condolences are extended to their family and friends.

The Union and its member clubs could not survive without the continued efforts of those volunteer officials including referee's, coaches and administrators whose dedication and support is conservatively valued at \$25m p.a. by the Australian Rugby Union. Thank you for your contributions and we look forward to your continued support in the future.



Mark Green
Executive Director

WW Ellis Medal Finalists 2002

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| Division One | Ben Pennington (Drummoyne) Number 8 | *Forbes Gemmell (St Ives) Centre | Dylan Foo (Colleagues) Number 8 |
| Division Two | Jake Havebond (Waverley) 5/8 | Chris Moss (Oatley) Number 8 | *Moape Ravuvu (Newport) Half Back |
| Division Three | *Enda Winston (CBOBS) Lock | Andrew Beavan (Epping) Half Back | Matt Rudd (Hawkesbury Valley) Lock |
| Division Four | Scott McDonald (Fairvale) Half Back | *Nick Patrick (Rockdale) Half Back | Patrick Pese (Fairvale) 5/8 |
| Division Five | John Ratcliffe (Hills) 5/8 | *Ben Numanga (Hurlstone Park) Number 8 | Kelly Phillips (Lidcombe) Centre |
| Division Six | *Willie Brown (Green Valley) Centre | Vice Kepu (Bankstown) Number 8 | |
| Colts | Luke Keech (Waverley) Flanker | *Karl Hamilton (Mosman) Flanker | Dean Evison (Chatswood) Flanker |

* Denotes winner

Golden Boots Award Kentwell Cup Grand Final
Man of the Match
Cam McKay
(Old Ignatians)

Service to Rugby Award Damian Henry
(CBOBS)

Club of the Year

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| Div 1 | Old Ignatians |
| Div 2 | Waverly |
| Div 3 | Liverpool |
| Div 4 | Knox |
| Div 5 | Lidcombe |
| Div 6 | Roseville |



Mark Green presents Paul Timmis (Old Ignatians President) the Club of the Year Award at the W.W. Ellis Medal Dinner

Judiciary Report

The NSW Suburban Rugby Union was fortunate to retain the core of its Judiciary for the 2002 season, with Mark Groom chairing for the second consecutive year, Tony Beger as Deputy Chairman and Jim Melrose also returning for another year. The Judiciary welcomed Hamish Kelly onto the panel this season.

The Judiciary met on 22 occasions during the year and presided in over 100 cases including a range of matters arising from Suburban, Sydney Junior and Sydney Women's Competitions. Matters included such things as; send offs, breaches of the Code of Conduct by a player or club, citings, protests and any other issue referred to them by the Management Committee. The Judiciary's job is made all the more difficult due to the lack of video evidence, which necessitates relying on the referee's report, the player's version of events and eyewitness testimony.

It was pleasing to see that the level of send offs dropped as compared to the 2001 season. There are still too many avoidable send offs including referee abuse. For the second time in three seasons the Judiciary has had to suspend a player for LIFE following remorseless abuse of referees. It is necessary for Clubs to take responsibility for their players actions both on and off the field and ensure that Suburban Rugby continues to be played in the spirit of the game.

The Union appreciates the huge amount of time that Mark, Tony, Jim and Hamish contribute throughout the year in what is undoubtedly the most time consuming voluntary position in Suburban Rugby.

Judiciary Statistics

| Offence | 2001 Suspensions | 2002 Suspensions | Year | Send offs |
|-----------------------|------------------|------------------|------|-----------|
| Striking/Third man in | 45 | 35 | 1997 | 118 |
| Dangerous tackle | 9 | 7 | 1998 | 88 |
| Trampling | 13 | 8 | 1999 | 106 |
| Misconduct (ref) | 15 | 12 | 2000 | 89 |
| Kicking/Headbutt | 8 | 4 | 2001 | 103 |
| Repeated offence | 5 | 13 | 2002 | 88 |
| Other | 5 | 4 | | |
| Not Proven | 3 | 5 | | |
| Total | 103 | 88 | | |

Clubs which exceeded their tolerable levels for 2002

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|------------|---|----------|
| Matraville | 9 | (6 over) |
| Blacktown | 8 | (3 over) |
| Fairvale | 7 | (4 over) |
| Rockdale | 5 | (2 over) |
| Appin | 3 | (1 over) |
| Bankstown | 2 | (1 over) |

REPRESENTATIVE TEAM REPORT



Ricoh NSW Suburban Rugby Union Representative Team 2002

Back Row: Rob McNaughton (Lane Cove), Forbes Gemmell (St Ives), Blake Harris (Newport), Ray Taylor (Drummoyne), Murray Hooper (Dundas Valley), Mark Tepaki (Lidcombe), Dylan Foo (Colleagues), Domenic Thrum (Roseville), Wisey Koroi (Drummoyne)

First Row: Rene Leveaux (Trainer), Jake Havebond (Waverley), Duncan Law (Newport), Carlos Jonker (Drummoyne), Mark Colless (Colleagues), Michael Sykes (Old Ignatians), Paul Hulther (Liverpool), Willie Brown (Green Valley), Rod Collins (Trainer)

Seated: Moape Ravuvu (Newport), Greg Tier (Forest), Peter Walsh (Assistant Coach), Chris Atkins (Captain – Hunters Hill), Peter Duckworth (Coach), Graeme Aldridge (Vice Captain – St Patricks), Alan Jones (Manager), Mike Nimo (Canterbury), Damien Seeto (Old Ignatians)

NSWSRU (50) vs CENTRAL COAST (0) Drummoyne Oval 5 May 2002

Drummoyne Oval was the venue for Suburban Rugbys annual clash against Central Coast. A squad of 24 Suburban players was selected for the fixture which was to be used as a selection trial for the NSW Country match in two weeks time. Unfortunately following a number of injuries and withdrawals from matches the day before a severely depleted Central Coast squad arrived for the match. As a result the match was reduced to 30 minute halves and uncontested scrums were played. The final scoreline of 50-0 to Suburban Rugby gave the players and coaches an opportunity to build on a number of combinations with a view to the Country match only two weeks away.

NSWSRU(12) vs NSWCRU(45) Simon Poidevin Field 18 May 2002

The NSWSRU Representative Team traveled to Goulburn for the match against NSW Country. It was the first time in 14 years that the two teams had clashed. In very cold conditions the NSWSRU team went down 45-12. Suburban scored the first try after only 20 seconds of play. NSW Country went into the half time break leading 19-5. Jake Havebond (Waverley) scored and converted his try shortly after half time to draw Suburban to within five points of NSW Country (19-12). NSW Country replied quickly with a converted try to lead 26-12. The score line remained this way until the last 10 minutes of the match when NSW Country scored three tries in quick succession to run out winners 45-12.

NSWSRU(30) vs ASRU(0) Victoria Barracks 19 June 2002

Great defence by both teams dominated the first 30 minutes. In the 29th minute Suburban capitalized on some spilt ball with some strong charges up the middle before the ball was flung wide for Newport's Moape Ravuru to score in the corner. Waverley's Jake Havebond couldn't add to his earlier penalty goal leaving the score at 8 nil.

A penalty goal by Havebond just before half time saw Suburban go to the break ahead 11-0. In the 44th minute Lane Cove's Rob McNaughton broke through to score after some excellent build up involving Hunters Hill's Chris Atkins. Soon it was NSW Suburban firing all the shots as Havebond raced through a half gap for a try near the posts. Drummoyne's Carlo Jonker, Havebond and Colleagues' Mark Colless were watertight in defence as the Armed Forces aimed their raids midfield. They struggled to reach the advantage line through the middle and Suburban was as brave as they were brutal with Willie Brown leading the way. At one stage late in the match Green Valley's Brown was smashing everything that moved. Some of his hits made even the most hardened soldier wince. In the 75th minute Carlo Jonker broke through the Armed Forces defence and stood for an eternity before offloading to Forest's Greg Tier who scored adjacent to the posts. Havebond converted again to make 30-0 the final score.

NSWSRU(32) vs QSRU(14) Waverley Oval 29 June 2002

For the first time in many years the annual Barraclough Shield match was not played as a curtain raiser to a state or international fixture. Instead the match was played at Waverley Oval with Newport and Waverley lower grades providing the curtain raisers for the representative match. Queensland were quietly confident going into the match and were looking for their first win in 9 years.

NSW ran with a very strong breeze behind them in the first half. NSW missed three early penalty goal attempts, which could have come back to haunt them later in the game. The first points of the match came courtesy of a penalty goal by NSWs Paul Hulthorn in the 17th minute. QLD replied with a quick converted try which saw them lead 7-3 mid way through the first half. A penalty goal to Jake Havebond saw NSW trail by a point (7-6).

Wisey Koroï scored a converted try after some terrific counter attacking play which started down near the NSW try line (13-7). With only a slender six point lead going into the half time break NSW looked in trouble as the breeze stiffened for the second half. QLD scored a converted try early in the second half to go to the lead again (14-13). For the next 20 minutes QLD peppered the NSW line but to no avail. A try saving tackle by Forbes Gemmell over the NSW line in the 65th minute was the turning point.

In the final 10 minutes Jake Havebond took control from five eighth. Three late tries to Murray Hooper, Wisey Koroï and Jake put the match beyond doubt. The result however did not reflect the evenness of the contest with QLD giving NSW a mighty scare for the first 70 minutes.

Score: NSWSRU 32 (W. Koroï 2, M. Hooper, J. Havebond tries, P. Hulthorn penalty goal, J. Havebond penalty goal and 3 goals) defeated QLD Suburban 14. Representative Player of Year - Duncan Law (Newport) Best Representative Back - Jake Havebond (Waverley)

Grand Final Results

Division One

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| Kentwell Cup | Old Ignatians 23 * def Drummoyne 14 |
| Burke Cup | Woollahra Colleagues 25 def Old Ignatians 7* |
| Whiddon Cup | Old Ignatians 15* def Woollahra Colleagues 3 |
| Judd Cup | Old Ignatians 24* def Woollahra Colleagues 0 |
| Sutherland Cup | Woollahra Colleagues 3 def Old Ignatians 0* |
| Barbour Cup | Mosman 21* def Old Ignatians 7 |
| Bruce Graham Shield | Old Ignatians |

Division Two

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|-----------------|--|
| Barraclough Cup | Beecroft 16 def Waverley 15 |
| Stockdale Cup | Blacktown 26 def Newport 14 |
| Blunt Cup | Waverley 22* def Beecroft 5 |
| Richardson Cup | Beecroft 8* (undefeated) def Hornsby 5 |
| Robertson Cup | Lindfield 16* def Newport 5 |
| Reliance Shield | Waverley |

Division Three

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|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| Clark Cup | Liverpool 20* def Blue Mountains 6 |
| Farrant Cup | Liverpool 29* def Kings 10 |
| Campbell Cup | Liverpool 26* def CBOBS 5 |
| Nicholson Cup | Liverpool 10 def CBOBS 7 |
| U19s Cup | Blue Mountains 8* def Oakhill 3 |
| Keith Harris Shield | Liverpool |

Division Four

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|----------------|--------------------------|
| McLean Cup | Knox 15* def Fairvale 12 |
| Grose Cup | Knox 15 def Blakehurst 8 |
| Walker Cup | Knox 17 def Fairvale 8* |
| Herlihy Shield | Knox |

Division Five

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| Jeffrey Cup | Lidcombe 21 def Hurlstone Park 5* |
| Noice Cup | Hurlstone Park 12* def Appin 10 |
| Club Champions | Hurlstone Park |

Division Six

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| Meldrum Cup | Green Valley 26* def Western Union 12 |
| Halligan Cup | Woollahra Colleagues (Premiers)* |

Sydney Women

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| Division One | West Harbour 19* (undefeated) def Sydney University 17 |
| Division Two | Southern Districts 10 def Eastwood 0 |

* Minor Premiers

Ricoh Suburban Representative Squad Caps

Graeme Aldridge (Vice Captain – St Patricks)
– CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Chris Atkins (Captain – Hunters Hill)
– CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Willie Brown (Green Valley) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Mark Colless (Colleagues) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Shane Elkington (Lidcombe) – CC
Dylan Foo (Colleagues) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Forbes Gemmell (St Ives) – CC, QLD
Blake Harris (Newport) – ASRU, QLD
Jake Havebond (Waverley) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Murray Hooper (Dundas Valley) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Paul Hulthorn (Liverpool) – QLD
Carlos Jonker (Drummoyne) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Wisey Koroi (Drummoyne) – CC, CRU, QLD
Duncan Law (Newport) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Rob McNaughton (Lane Cove) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Aaron Mahura (Dee Why) – ASRU
Mike Nimo (Canterbury) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Ben Pennington (Drummoyne) – CC, CRU
Kelly Phillips (Lidcombe) – CC

Moape Ravuvu (Newport) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Damien Seeto (Old Ignatians) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Michael Sykes (Old Ignatians) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Ray Taylor (Drummoyne) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Scott Taylor (Dundas Valley) – CC, CRU
Mark Tepaki (Lidcombe) – CC, CRU, ASRU, QLD
Domenic Thrum (Roseville) – CRU, ASRU, QLD
Greg Tier (Forest) – CRU, ASRU, QLD
Inoke Turuva (Drummoyne) – CRU
Rod Collins (Trainer)
Rene Leveaux (Trainer)
Alan Jones (Manager)
Peter Walsh (Assistant Coach)
Peter Duckworth (Coach)

Key

CC = Central Coast
CRU = NSW Country
ASRU = Australian Services
QLD = Queensland Suburban

2002 Competition Tables

Division One

Kentwell Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|---------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Old Ignatians | 18 | 15 | 0 | 342 | 73 |
| Drummoyne | 18 | 15 | 0 | 222 | 73 |
| Colleagues | 18 | 13 | 0 | 70 | 57 |
| St Ives | 18 | 10 | 0 | 29 | 54 |
| St Patricks | 18 | 10 | 0 | 8 | 46 |
| Dundas Valley | 18 | 8 | 1 | 20 | 42 |
| Mosman | 18 | 5 | 0 | -62 | 29 |
| Forest | 18 | 5 | 0 | -139 | 24 |
| UNSW | 18 | 4 | 1 | -251 | 24 |
| Hunters Hill | 18 | 4 | 0 | -239 | 19 |

Burke Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|---------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Old Ignatians | 18 | 17 | 0 | 339 | 78 |
| Colleagues | 18 | 14 | 1 | 227 | 63 |
| St Patricks | 18 | 12 | 1 | 85 | 57 |
| Mosman | 18 | 10 | 1 | 12 | 46 |
| Forest | 18 | 8 | 2 | 30 | 41 |
| Dundas Valley | 18 | 8 | 1 | -46 | 41 |
| St Ives | 18 | 7 | 0 | -21 | 37 |
| Drummoyne | 18 | 8 | 0 | -70 | 35 |
| Hunters Hill | 18 | 2 | 0 | -201 | 12 |
| UNSW | 18 | 1 | 0 | -355 | 6 |

Whiddon Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|---------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Old Ignatians | 18 | 16 | 0 | 407 | 76 |
| Colleagues | 18 | 11 | 1 | 171 | 56 |
| St Patricks | 18 | 11 | 2 | 69 | 53 |
| Drummoyne | 18 | 11 | 0 | 113 | 52 |
| Forest | 18 | 11 | 0 | 67 | 50 |
| Mosman | 18 | 9 | 0 | -48 | 42 |
| Dundas Valley | 18 | 5 | 2 | -250 | 27 |
| St Ives | 18 | 5 | 1 | -150 | 24 |
| Hunters Hill | 18 | 4 | 2 | -173 | 22 |
| UNSW | 18 | 2 | 2 | -206 | 17 |

Judd Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|---------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Old Ignatians | 18 | 17 | 0 | 493 | 80 |
| St Ives | 18 | 15 | 0 | 252 | 72 |
| Colleagues | 18 | 16 | 0 | 196 | 69 |
| Forest | 18 | 11 | 1 | 59 | 51 |
| Mosman | 18 | 8 | 1 | -34 | 41 |
| Drummoyne | 18 | 6 | 0 | -77 | 29 |
| UNSW | 18 | 5 | 1 | -171 | 24 |
| St Patricks | 18 | 4 | 0 | -228 | 20 |
| Hunters Hill | 18 | 3 | 1 | -174 | 18 |
| Dundas Valley | 18 | 3 | 0 | -316 | 15 |

Sutherland Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|---------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Old Ignatians | 18 | 16 | 0 | 438 | 79 |
| Colleagues | 18 | 16 | 0 | 236 | 73 |
| Mosman | 18 | 12 | 0 | 108 | 58 |
| St Ives | 18 | 12 | 0 | 107 | 55 |
| UNSW | 18 | 9 | 0 | -3 | 43 |
| Drummoyne | 18 | 8 | 0 | -35 | 40 |
| St Patricks | 18 | 7 | 0 | -24 | 37 |
| Forest | 18 | 6 | 0 | -84 | 32 |
| Hunters Hill | 18 | 4 | 0 | -276 | 19 |
| Dundas Valley | 18 | 0 | 0 | -467 | 0 |

Barbour Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|---------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Mosman | 18 | 16 | 1 | 372 | 77 |
| Old Ignatians | 18 | 13 | 1 | 151 | 63 |
| St Patricks | 18 | 12 | 0 | 234 | 61 |
| Drummoyne | 18 | 12 | 1 | 131 | 58 |
| St Ives | 18 | 9 | 1 | -12 | 57 |
| Forest | 18 | 10 | 0 | 79 | 46 |
| Macquarie Uni | 18 | 6 | 0 | -126 | 32 |
| Colleagues | 18 | 6 | 0 | -117 | 30 |
| UNSW | 18 | 4 | 0 | -208 | 22 |
| Dundas Valley | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

Division Two

Barracough Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|----------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Newport | 18 | 17 | 0 | 322 | 78 |
| Waverley | 18 | 15 | 0 | 456 | 75 |
| Beecroft | 18 | 14 | 0 | 432 | 72 |
| Oatley | 18 | 11 | 0 | 125 | 54 |
| Blacktown | 18 | 10 | 0 | 160 | 50 |
| Hornsby | 18 | 7 | 0 | -86 | 36 |
| Lindfield | 18 | 7 | 0 | -123 | 31 |
| Petersham | 18 | 6 | 0 | -263 | 31 |
| Chatswood | 18 | 2 | 0 | -204 | 14 |
| UWS Hawkesbury | 18 | 1 | 0 | -810 | 4 |

Stockdale Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|----------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Beecroft | 18 | 14 | 1 | 268 | 70 |
| Blacktown | 18 | 13 | 2 | 242 | 64 |
| Waverley | 18 | 13 | 2 | 195 | 62 |
| Newport | 18 | 10 | 0 | 115 | 51 |
| Chatswood | 18 | 9 | 0 | 33 | 42 |
| Oatley | 18 | 8 | 1 | -82 | 38 |
| Hornsby | 18 | 6 | 1 | -33 | 34 |
| Petersham | 18 | 6 | 2 | -67 | 33 |
| Lindfield | 18 | 6 | 1 | -167 | 31 |
| UWS Hawkesbury | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

Blunt Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|----------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Waverley | 18 | 17 | 1 | 424 | 80 |
| Beecroft | 18 | 12 | 3 | 227 | 63 |
| Hornsby | 18 | 10 | 0 | 162 | 52 |
| Newport | 18 | 11 | 1 | 109 | 52 |
| Lindfield | 18 | 9 | 3 | 84 | 47 |
| Blacktown | 18 | 9 | 0 | 59 | 45 |
| Chatswood | 18 | 7 | 0 | -174 | 31 |
| Petersham | 18 | 5 | 1 | -136 | 26 |
| Oatley | 18 | 5 | 1 | -251 | 25 |
| UWS Hawkesbury | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

Richardson Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|----------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Beecroft | 18 | 18 | 0 | 299 | 78 |
| Newport | 18 | 12 | 1 | 245 | 60 |
| Hornsby | 18 | 12 | 0 | 202 | 60 |
| Waverley | 18 | 12 | 0 | 200 | 55 |
| Petersham | 18 | 11 | 0 | 145 | 52 |
| Blacktown | 18 | 8 | 0 | -16 | 39 |
| Lindfield | 18 | 6 | 0 | -57 | 31 |
| Chatswood | 18 | 5 | 0 | -181 | 24 |
| Oatley | 18 | 5 | 1 | -333 | 24 |
| UWS Hawkesbury | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

Robertson Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|-----------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Lindfield | 18 | 14 | 1 | 375 | 69 |
| Chatswood | 18 | 14 | 0 | 206 | 68 |
| Newport | 18 | 14 | 1 | 227 | 66 |
| Waverley | 18 | 12 | 1 | 153 | 61 |
| Blacktown | 18 | 12 | 0 | 150 | 60 |
| Beecroft | 18 | 8 | 0 | -18 | 40 |
| Petersham | 18 | 7 | 1 | -64 | 35 |
| Hornsby | 18 | 3 | 0 | -181 | 20 |
| Knox | 18 | 3 | 0 | -344 | 15 |
| Oatley | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

Division Three

Clark Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Liverpool | 18 | 16 | 1 | 276 | 80 |
| Epping | 18 | 15 | 0 | 281 | 70 |
| Hawkesbury | 18 | 13 | 1 | 249 | 64 |
| Blue Mtns | 18 | 11 | 1 | 108 | 54 |
| Briars | 18 | 11 | 0 | 44 | 48 |
| Kings | 18 | 8 | 0 | -38 | 40 |
| CBOBS | 18 | 5 | 1 | -40 | 32 |
| Lane Cove | 18 | 5 | 0 | -75 | 28 |
| Barker | 18 | 4 | 0 | -301 | 20 |
| Merrylands | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

Farrant Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Liverpool | 18 | 17 | 0 | 394 | 82 |
| Epping | 18 | 13 | 0 | 222 | 64 |
| Hawkesbury | 18 | 12 | 0 | 211 | 59 |
| Kings | 18 | 12 | 0 | 128 | 57 |
| CBOBs | 18 | 10 | 0 | -4 | 46 |
| Blue Mtns | 18 | 8 | 1 | -6 | 40 |
| Lane Cove | 18 | 6 | 0 | -83 | 32 |
| Briars | 18 | 6 | 1 | -152 | 31 |
| Barker | 18 | 5 | 0 | -206 | 26 |
| Merrylands | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

Campbell Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Liverpool | 18 | 15 | 0 | 352 | 74 |
| Hawkesbury | 18 | 16 | 0 | 255 | 74 |
| CBOBs | 18 | 15 | 0 | 227 | 68 |
| Kings | 18 | 10 | 0 | 43 | 48 |
| Barker | 18 | 9 | 0 | -42 | 42 |
| Blue Mtns | 18 | 7 | 1 | 11 | 39 |
| Epping | 18 | 7 | 1 | -37 | 38 |
| Lane Cove | 18 | 5 | 0 | -100 | 25 |
| Briars | 18 | 5 | 0 | -205 | 24 |
| Merrylands | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

Nicholson Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Kings | 18 | 15 | 0 | 316 | 71 |
| Liverpool | 18 | 14 | 1 | 336 | 69 |
| Blue Mtns | 18 | 14 | 0 | 237 | 64 |
| CBOBs | 18 | 12 | 1 | 225 | 61 |
| Hawkesbury | 18 | 10 | 0 | 33 | 46 |
| Barker | 18 | 8 | 0 | -22 | 42 |
| Briars | 18 | 7 | 0 | -128 | 35 |
| Epping | 18 | 5 | 0 | -236 | 26 |
| Lane Cove | 18 | 4 | 0 | -257 | 21 |
| Merrylands | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

Division Four**McLean Cup Table**

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Knox | 17 | 15 | 0 | 394 | 72 |
| Fairvale | 17 | 15 | 0 | 364 | 68 |
| Blakehurst | 18 | 11 | 0 | 104 | 53 |
| Rockdale | 18 | 10 | 0 | 161 | 52 |
| Canterbury | 18 | 9 | 0 | -26 | 45 |
| Randwick | 18 | 6 | 0 | -208 | 32 |
| SNZ | 17 | 0 | 0 | -476 | 0 |
| Matraville | 17 | 4 | 0 | -313 | 0 |

Grose Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Randwick | 18 | 13 | 0 | 238 | 65 |
| Knox | 18 | 13 | 0 | 213 | 63 |
| Blakehurst | 18 | 11 | 1 | 174 | 56 |
| Fairvale | 18 | 10 | 1 | 240 | 53 |
| Canterbury | 18 | 3 | 1 | -336 | 19 |
| Rockdale | 18 | 3 | 1 | -382 | 19 |
| Matraville | 17 | 15 | 0 | 329 | 0 |
| SNZ | 17 | 0 | 0 | -476 | 0 |

Walker Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|------------|----|----|---|-----|-----|
| Fairvale | 18 | 14 | 1 | 268 | 67 |
| Rockdale | 18 | 12 | 0 | 179 | 59 |
| Blakehurst | 18 | 11 | 0 | 186 | 57 |
| Knox | 18 | 11 | 0 | 14 | 54 |
| Matraville | 15 | 11 | 1 | 203 | 0 |

Division Five**Jeffrey Cup Table**

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|---------------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Hurlstone Park | 18 | 15 | 0 | 296 | 74 |
| Lidcombe | 18 | 15 | 0 | 318 | 72 |
| Killara West Pymble | 18 | 10 | 2 | 99 | 52 |
| Appin | 18 | 9 | 1 | 110 | 51 |
| Hills | 18 | 10 | 0 | 63 | 50 |
| Oakhill | 18 | 6 | 1 | -205 | 30 |
| Macquarie Uni | 18 | 5 | 0 | -177 | 26 |

Noice Cup Table

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|---------------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Hurlstone Park | 18 | 17 | 0 | 324 | 79 |
| Lidcombe | 18 | 14 | 0 | 275 | 65 |
| Appin | 18 | 13 | 1 | 253 | 63 |
| Hills | 18 | 8 | 1 | 80 | 43 |
| Killara West Pymble | 18 | 9 | 0 | -43 | 41 |
| Macquarie Uni | 18 | 5 | 0 | -235 | 27 |
| Oakhill | 18 | 4 | 0 | -150 | 23 |
| Burraneer | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

Division Six**Meldrum Cup Table**

| Club | P | W | D | Dif | Pts |
|----------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| Green Valley | 18 | 14 | 0 | 352 | 70 |
| Bankstown | 18 | 14 | 0 | 345 | 69 |
| Roseville | 18 | 14 | 0 | 317 | 69 |
| Western Union | 18 | 11 | 1 | 123 | 56 |
| Dee Why | 18 | 12 | 0 | 222 | 54 |
| Terrey Hills | 18 | 11 | 0 | 77 | 52 |
| Manly Savers | 18 | 7 | 1 | -16 | 38 |
| City Wanderers | 18 | 4 | 0 | -232 | 19 |
| Redfield | 18 | 2 | 0 | -684 | 10 |
| UWS Bankstown | 18 | 0 | 0 | -504 | 0 |

U19s Cup

| Club | P | W | D | Diff | Pts |
|----------------|----|---|---|------|-----|
| Mosman | 12 | 9 | 0 | 123 | 43 |
| Blue Mountains | 12 | 8 | 1 | 119 | 39 |
| Oakhill | 12 | 7 | 1 | 34 | 33 |
| Kings | 12 | 5 | 0 | -5 | 27 |
| St George | 12 | 0 | 0 | -271 | 3 |

Women – Division One

| Club | P | W | D | Diff | Pts |
|-------------------|----|----|---|------|-----|
| West Harbour | 15 | 15 | 0 | 849 | 73 |
| Warringah | 15 | 12 | 0 | 470 | 60 |
| Sydney University | 15 | 12 | 0 | 468 | 58 |
| Parramatta | 15 | 9 | 0 | 139 | 44 |
| Drummoyne | 15 | 6 | 0 | -89 | 33 |
| Waverley | 15 | 6 | 0 | -162 | 29 |

Women – Division Two

| Club | P | W | D | Diff | Pts |
|--------------------|----|---|---|------|-----|
| Eastern Suburbs | 14 | 7 | 0 | 106 | 34 |
| Eastwood | 14 | 6 | 0 | 26 | 28 |
| Southern Districts | 14 | 5 | 0 | 93 | 26 |
| Manly | 14 | 1 | 0 | -96 | 6 |
| Penrith | 14 | 1 | 0 | -129 | 4 |

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP TABLES**Division One****Bruce Graham Shield**

| | |
|---------------|------|
| Old Ignatians | 1058 |
| Colleagues | 874 |
| Drummoyne | 806 |
| St Patricks | 722 |
| St Ives | 636 |
| Mosman | 580 |
| Forest | 520 |
| Dundas Valley | 455 |
| UNSW | 263 |
| Hunters Hill | 214 |

Division Three**Keith "Doc" Harris Shield**

| | |
|------------|-----|
| Liverpool | 945 |
| Hawkesbury | 765 |
| Epping | 738 |
| Blue Mtns | 633 |
| Kings | 594 |
| Briars | 502 |
| CBOBs | 495 |
| Barker | 304 |
| Lane Cove | 302 |
| Merrylands | 0 |

Division Two**Reliance Shield**

| | |
|----------------|-----|
| Waverley | 962 |
| Newport | 928 |
| Beecroft | 896 |
| Blacktown | 724 |
| Lindfield | 538 |
| Oatley | 532 |
| Hornsby | 474 |
| Petersham | 440 |
| Chatswood | 392 |
| UWS Hawkesbury | 30 |

Division Four**Herlihy Shield**

| | |
|------------|-----|
| Knox | 750 |
| Fairvale | 680 |
| Blakehurst | 602 |
| Rockdale | 452 |
| Canterbury | 326 |
| SNZ | 0 |
| Matraville | 0 |

Division Five

| | |
|---------------------|-----|
| Hurlstone Park | 722 |
| Lidcombe | 674 |
| Appin | 501 |
| Killara West Pymble | 474 |
| Hills | 436 |
| Oakhill | 267 |
| Macquarie Uni | 238 |
| Burraneer | 0 |

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