



Hawk Talk
NORTH RYDE JUNIOR
RUGBY LEAGUE FOOTBALL
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HAWKS ARE NOW ON FACEBOOK. FOLLOW YOUR TEAM BY ADDING US AS A FRIEND AT HAWKS NORTH RYDE HAWKS.

Wet Weather Line: Ryde Council 9952 8244. This is a recorded message updated at 2.30pm everyday for park availability. If you are unsure if training is on or the grounds are open please ring this number.

Grand Final presentation will take place on Sunday Night 5.30.

This will be the last Sunday Wrap up and it would be great to see all Hawkes players and supporters there to support/applaud those teams that played in their Grand Finals and of course the North Ryde Club.

GOODLUCK TO THOSE TEAMS IN THE GRAND FINAL THIS WEEK END. THE COMMITTEE WILL BE THERE TO SUPPORT YOU ALONG WITH THE SUPPORTERS AND FANS OF OUR GREAT CLUB.

For those teams whose season will come to an end this week-end can you please ensure you get all your cards back to Pauline Condon or someone

from the committee as soon as possible? Your Equipment bag will need to be return to Geoff Bowman or a committee member.

Coaches, Managers and Report writers can you start to write your reports for the end of year book which will be required the week after Grand Final. **Coaches you will also need to nominate your 3 awards for the year. These awards can be called whatever you like.** i.e. Best and Fairest, Best Back etc

Back to Hawks 2011 Sportsman's Luncheon

*Special Guests
And plenty of entertainment*

*\$95 Per Head (\$950 table 10)
Includes 3 course meal and drinks*

*COMEDIAN
LIVE AUCTION ITEMS
RAFFLE PRIZES*

*12pm Friday 9th
September*

The Pittwater Room North Ryde RSL



For bookings contact
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This event will book out very quickly, if you would like to attend please book early.

Following is important information that all coaches, parents and officials should be aware of for the Finals Series.

MOD Games (U9 - U12)

- * No time off in first half
- * A maximum of five (5) minutes time off in the second half, as signalled by the Referee
- * Each registered player must complete one full half of the match
- * If a registered player is not available for their scheduled match, information must be provided to the satisfaction of the Ground Manager and BDJRL of the player's absence. If necessary, the player's parent will be contacted.
- * A player taken from the field through injury must retake the field within three minutes or may take no further part in the match -
The First Aid Officer will be the final judge whether or player may continue or not.

- * Managers must sit at either end of the Official Table and not participate in the game.
- * Trainers must remain in their areas and not walk up and down and except recognised breaks in play, Trainers are not to enter field of play unless attending an injured player.
- * Coaches must adhere to the rules and spirit of the game
- * Clubs must be aware that they are responsible for the conduct of their players, spectators, coaches and parents and be reminded that Balmain has a zero tolerance policy to bad behaviour.

Procedure for Drawn Games in Semi Final and Final

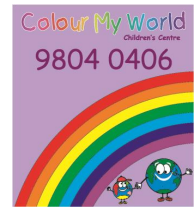
If game is drawn at the conclusion of the second half

- * There will be a coin toss to determine who kicks and receives
- * Five (5) minutes will be played each way - changeover immediately.
- * If the game is still a draw at the conclusion of extra time a further five (5) minutes gold point period is played
- * If the game is still a draw, then the match will be replayed

Team Reports

Under 6 vs. Benny Elias Shield **Sponsored by: Cox's Road Hardware**

Played sensational football, with a good time had by all



Under 7 vs. Benny Elias Shield **Sponsored by: Colour My World Children's Centre**

Plenty of rising stars in this team. Well done boys



Under 9 Reds vs.

Sponsored by: West Ryde Trophies



Under 9 Whites vs.

Sponsored by: Simpson Building Group

GOODLUCK BOYS ENJOY YOUR FIRST GRAND FINAL EXPERIENCE.

SATURDAY 8.30AM



Under 10's vs.

Sponsored by: Southern Cross Switchboards

THIS IS YOUR YEAR TEAM. GO GET EM

SATURDAY 11.30



Under 11 Red's vs. Dundas Shamrocks

Sponsored by: Cactus Imaging

North Ryde 6 Concord Burwood 22

And that brings us to the end of another season of rugby league . . .

Unfortunately for the eleven reds, we were beaten by the better team on the day. Although we weren't the winners, the Hawks played some great football and showed tremendous effort on Sunday and never once gave up at any stage during the match and everyone should be very proud of them!

We started off well scoring the first try at the five minute mark off a nicely placed kick that was well supported out wide and we held that lead until quarter ways through the first half until the Shamrocks crossed our line just after the ten minute mark. The Shamrocks crossed again in quick time to claim the lead for the first time in the match with seven minutes left on the clock before half time and the Hawks still very much in the game. Just before half time the Shamrocks were to score again going to oranges up 16 - 6. The second try the Shamrocks scored was controversial to say the least with what appeared to be a double movement and the third try

they scored the Hawks captain told me, the referee called the Shamrocks player held up but then awarded the try anyway. I don't think that the referee cost us the match but the boys came from the field at half time absolutely shattered!

To their credit the Hawks dusted themselves off and returned after the break and gave it everything they had, everybody lifted and the boys tried everything to sniff out that elusive try, coming close a number of times. I thought at one stage Ed Frankish might tackle us to victory but it just wasn't to be. I have always taught our boys to play within the rules we have been given as I believe the coach before me also did, but what has frustrated me in most games this season is the non policing of the offside rule, it's just impossible to play good quality footy with the opposition in your face every play the ball. I take the responsibility for our ability to cope with this and should I be around next season, I will make sure that I teach the boys how to deal with this issue in a much better fashion. I guess we all learnt a thing or two this year.

Bad luck to Ern and the under thirteens, two great seasons to look back on as well as next year to look forward to, well done boys!! Good luck to the 9 White's, the 10's, the 12's and to A reserves this weekend. Go get em boys and girl!!!

I enjoyed my first year as coach and I am very proud of all the boys and what they have achieved! I hope the boys enjoyed there football because that is the most important thing of all. I hope that everyone is back next season raring to go and I hope that they will have me back again next year.

Thanks for a great year 11 Reds ...

Try Shannon Condon Conversion Jack Bell

Match Day Captain Max Picca-Campbell

Man of the Match Eddie Frankish

Cheers
Dave Murray



Under 11 White's vs.

Sponsored by: Australian unity financial planning



Under 12's vs.

Sponsored by: Frigcorp

GOODLUCK BOYS

SUNDAY 10.30

Under 13's vs. Kingsgrove Colts

Sponsored by: Griffin Air Conditioning

Major Semi Final - North Ryde -v- Kingsgrove Colts. Lost 36-16.

What a disappointing end to the season. The Griffin Air Conditioning HAWKS out in straight sets!

It all come down to this game against the COLTS, who in our only game this year beat us well, but I thought we had the plan to win it, it was simple Move up in defence (stop two of the Biggest 13 yr olds you have ever seen), before they get going, the play them wide of the ruck to run the big units around. Simple!!!!

Well once the Ref blew that whistle to start the game the boys clocked off, or was it the RR Pre-match speech that put them to sleep! To make matter worse we lost Josh C in the 2nd tackle of the game, but it just got worse the boys didn't move up, the markers didn't work in defence and the COLTS ran wild, scoring four tries before halftime sending us into the break 22 nil down and in a whole world of hurt. We also lost Blake to injury and I think this is a major reason for our end of season form, once we lost Blake we were a ship without a rudder.

The halftime talk was the hardest I've had to do in my entire coaching career, in both senior and juniors, but I had to say how it was.....the boys were scared and intimidated.....and they had to prove it to themselves that it wasn't the case.

With the Millions and Millions of HAWKS faithful on the Birchgrove Hill, the BOYS played like I we knew they could and they ran ball hard and played to our game plan.....better late than never, and we scored two minutes after halftime. This was a turning point and a moment for me that proves there is no point to any rules in the ICC. The COLTS then made three replacements at once, which under ICC rules is not allowed, did someone miss the fact that was a semi final, and they had played in contravention of the rules. Yes we could have protested but that's not the HAWKS way. **But where was my Manager!!! Yes RR the days of the good old managers are GOOOOOONE....Glen, Are you with me!**

Back to the game.....The HAWKS then started to get on top of the COLTS with two more tries and there was hope. From the kickoff after the third try we dropped the ball but then we saw what has been described by Michael BEE as the HIT of the year by Josh Condon, he put their biggest player on his back and rocked the entire grounded, unfortunately it took its toll on Josh and he AGAIN left field. In the end the COLTS started well and we didn't and payed the price.

Our best players for the Day were Josh Taylor, Josh Condon, Mo Zreika, and Tom Timmins.

Still two days later I'm trying to work out what went wrong at the business end of the year, but we move on and look forward to 2012. Can I again thank all the boys for a great year, we came together as two teams but finished as one strong unit , who I hope in 2012 will stay together.

Also commiserations to Dave Murray and the u11's, I was feeling your pain as I watched your game on Sunday, I guess it could have been worse.....I could support the Bulldogs!!

Finally, good luck to the 9 whites, U 10, U 12 and the A Reserves (CB/North Ryde United) for the Grand Finals this weekend, it is a massive occasion but most of all take time to enjoy it, before you blink the game will be over, it goes so fast. **You'll be supported by the Millions and Millions of HAWKS supporters.** I hope you enjoy the whole Grand Final experience on the field and in the dressing room, speaking of dressing room, try and find the great RR's locker from his Hall of Fame days at the Tigers.

This is my last weekly report for the year, but stayed tuned for the Annual Report, it's one not to be missed.

Cheers Graham

Under 15's vs.

Sponsored by: Ryan Wilks

A Reserve CB/NR United VS

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GOOD LUCK FELLAS!

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Well done to all of our Hawkies for their efforts in the 2011 season. It has been a very successful season for the North Ryde Hawks with lots of new players and parents joining the Club and great performances on and off the field. I would like to thank all of the North Ryde Hawks players for the way they held themselves and represented our great Club throughout the season.

Congratulations to those teams that made the Grand Finals this week. The North Ryde Hawks committee wish you the very best in your games and we know that whatever the end result, you will have played as well as you can and have enjoyed being a part of the Grand Final experience. Commiserations to those who were not fortunate enough to make it through this year. We hope that you have had fun this season and will all come back next year to be a part of the fun again.

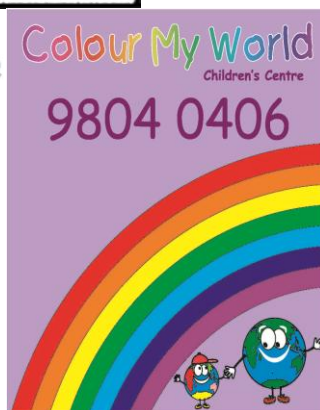
If you can get out to Leichhardt Oval this Saturday and Sunday to cheer on our Hawks teams in the Grand Finals, I am sure that they would definitely appreciate your support. I'll see you out there and may even be waving some pom poms! Hawk, Hawks, Mighty Hawks!!!

Glenn Hillier
President

A MESSAGE FROM RR

See you in the Dressing Room for my famous motivational speech

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