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MAKES RUNAWAY  
WITH 10 MEN

# LAKES WON 42-8 WITH 10 MEN

Lakes United made a spectacular start in the 1959 Newcastle premiership when it finished the match against Western Suburbs at Belmont with only 10 men. Prop Tom Pitman and second-rower Albert Paul were both sent off and full-back Russell Naughton retired with a dislocated elbow. Playing with a three-man pack, Lakes continued to dominate the scrums and won the match 42-8.



Northern Suburbs first-grade hooker Don "Ducky" Williams had the last laugh in a match against Kurri at Passmore Oval in 1962. Throughout the match North's recognised kickers had all failed. With a tally

**LAST  
WEEKEND**

## REMEMBER WHEN...

of only four goals from at least 15 attempts North captain Jack Gill gave the ball to Williams to attempt to convert a last-minute try. From an acute angle he kicked the ball "straight between the posts" then proudly led the team from the field.



Maitland backline player Don Adams, chosen as a centre in the 1958 Newcastle team to play Great Britain at Maitland, was forced to withdraw when he was ruled medically unfit. Neil McDonnell was added to the squad for the match. Kevin Geelan, also from the Maitland club, was another late withdrawal and Ray Beverley, Kurri Kurri full-back, was chosen to replace him.

Mr. Frank Barker was elected president of the NRL in 1950 after the death of the former president, Mr. Evan Lloyd. Mr. Barker had been the senior vice-president. That position was filled by Mr. Fred Griffin. The League lost two other vice-presidents that year with the death, in January, of Mr. Leo Walkley and, in July, of Mr. Frank Roarty, who had also been a CRL selector.



Macquarie United scored five tries in the second half to defeat South Newcastle 25-18 at Toronto in June, 1971. It was the first win of the season for Macquarie and came after its captain, John Mitchell, had been sent off with 20 minutes still remaining in the match.

**AWARDS**



# NBN 3 PREMIERSHIP COMPETITION

Saturday, June 21—3 p.m.

Cessnock Oval

## Cessnock

Black and gold

Coach: Henry Tatana

- 1—GREG REDGROVE
- 2—PAUL GARATY
- 3—REG AMBRUM
- 4—BOYD DAVIES
- 5—DOUG TANNA
- 6—KEN WILSON
- 7—MICHAEL SCHOFIELD
- 8—NEIL STEVENS
- 9—PETER DAVIES
- 10—DAVID WOODBURY
- 11—HENRY TATANA (c)
- 12—BARRY HOLDEN
- 13—WARREN JOWETT

SCRUMS												
1	2	3	4	5	6							
7	8	9	10	11	12							
13	14	15	16	17	18							

PENALTIES												
1	2	3	4	5	6							
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Referee: R. Conley

## North Newcastle

Royal blue and sky blue

Coach: John Mayes

- 1—MARTIN BRISLANE
- 2—GLENN PENGILLEY
- 3—BOB McKIERNAN
- 4—JOHN McKIERNAN
- 5—MARK WRIGHT
- 6—STEVE ABERCROMBIE
- 7—JOHN MAYES
- 8—IAN BARKLEY
- 9—DAVE RIDING
- 10—MARK SULLIVAN
- 11—MICHAEL DONNELLY
- 12—REX WRIGHT
- 13—COL MATHIAS

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Touch Judges: G. O'Neill (Blue), Owen Smith (Red)

### RESERVE GRADE — 1.25 p.m.

#### CESSNOCK

Coach: Gary Johns

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|------------------|------------------|
| 1—David McKENDRY |                  |
| 2—Tony WILLIAMS  | Stephen SLADE—3  |
| 4—Colin BRADLEY  | Alan THOMPSON—5  |
| 6—Glen HINDMARSH | Bill RODERICK—7  |
| 8—Dominic LEVIDO | Mark WATSON—9    |
| 10—Mark WOODBURY | David WHITE—11   |
| 12—Craig BAIRD   | Steve FORREST—13 |

Referee: R. Haines

#### NORTH NEWCASTLE

Coach: Dave Morley

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|-------------------|--------------------|
| 1—Steve DORAN     |                    |
| 2—Phil HOLMES     | Glen CAMPBELL—3    |
| 4—Chris McKIERNAN | Mark BATES—5       |
| 6—Peter NILSEN    | Neil MAYBURY—7     |
| 8—Paul MAZARTO    | Rod FINLAY—9       |
| 10—Greg HURRY     | Garry BROWN—11     |
| 12—Gordon BRAUER  | Steve BETTRIDGE—13 |

Touch Judges: M. Walsh (Blue), P. Lovett (Red)

### THIRD GRADE — 12 noon

#### CESSNOCK

Coach: George Ambrum

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| 1—Brett RUSSELL    |                   |
| 2—Phillip KING     | Mark FITZGIBBON—3 |
| 4—Lindsay MEYN     | Glenn PICKARD—5   |
| 6—Michael O'CONNOR | Colin GARATY—7    |
| 8—Robert MORRIS    | Steven CURRAN—9   |
| 10—James SCHOFIELD | Ron SADLER—11     |
| 12—Ian WAKEMAN     | Jeff CRAFT—13     |

Referee: G. Tranter

#### NORTH NEWCASTLE

Coach: Bruce Williamson

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|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1—Paul HILL        |                     |
| 2—Wayne McDONALD   | Bob KULUPACH—3      |
| 4—Graham ASBURY    | Denis OUTRAM—5      |
| 6—Peter BARKLEY    | Jim WILLIAMS—7      |
| 8—George CURTIS    | Michael RYAN—9      |
| 10—Geoff HAWTHORNE | John BUI—11         |
| 12—Chris MORGAN    | Bruce WILLIAMSON—13 |

Touch Judges: M. Walsh (Blue), P. Lovett (Red)

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### **First Grade**

CENTRAL CHARLESTOWN 21 (S. Brown 2, M. Betts tries, I. Dobson 6 goals) drew with KURRI KURRI 21 (G. Palmer, S. Lee, D. Lucas tries, G. Forlonge 6 goals).

CESSNOCK 17 (D. Tanna 2, D. Woodbury tries, H. Tatana 4 goals) d. NORTH NEWCASTLE 9 (I. Barkley try, G. Pengilley 3 goals).

WESTERN SUBURBS 20 (R. Wharton, R. Wright, D. Lance, M. Graham tries, S. Nelmes 4 goals) d. WARATAH-MAYFIELD 5 (S. Lowe try, S. Dyson goal).

LAKES UNITED 17 (P. Grob 2, P. Cootes tries, N. Bagnall 4 goals) d. SOUTH NEWCASTLE 11 (J. Martine, try, R. Davidson 2, A. Filipuzzi 2 goals).

MAITLAND 22 (M. Murrell, G. McArthur, W. Medcalf, S. Collingwood tries, Medcalf 5 goals) d. MACQUARIE UNITED 18 (K. Sumner 2, P. Carey, J. Flett tries, Carey 3 goals).

### **Reserve Grade**

Central Charlestown 17 d. Kurri Kurri 2; Cessnock 25 d. North Newcastle 9; Western Suburbs 20 d. Waratah-Mayfield 17; Lakes United 28 d. South Newcastle 15; Maitland 18 d. Macquarie United 14.

### **Third Grade**

Central Charlestown 32 d. Kurri Kurri 0; Cessnock 42 d. North Newcastle 2; Western Suburbs 15 d. Waratah-Mayfield 8; South Newcastle 18 d. Lakes United 17; Macquarie United 10 d. Maitland 8.