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Next Week's Fixtures



CESSNOCK v. SOUTH NEWCASTLE

MAITLAND v. NORTHERN SUBURBS

WARATAH MAYFIELD v. CENTRAL NEWCASTLE

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NORTH

Last week's senior game will pass without comment,—however it is felt that mention must be made of the grand game played by Billy Owens, this lad has fully recovered from injuries and is now playing his best football and must rate serious consideration for a position in the team to play the Maoris. A good game today against the strong Cessnock pack would consolidate his claim.

Alex. Perkins who has been playing centre moves to the half position today. He has had much experience in this role, playing a season with Parramatta in the half position, in fact many keen judges regard this as his best position.

Congratulations are given to our under 20 team on their grand victory of last week. Much credit for this must be given to scrum-half Robbie

Mace who is a player with a very bright future and his debut into grade ranks next year will be watched with interest.

Harry Gibbs was seen in an unusual role for a hooker last week that of a try scorer—the result of good backing up. As Lou Sweeney would say "nice rugger".

Don't forget Saturday night 4th August. Details next week.

Well lads all the best today and good scoring.

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CESSNOCK OVAL—3.15 p.m.

Saturday, 21st July

Cessnock v. Northern Suburbs

CESSNOCK

Black, 3 Gold Bars, White Knickers.

Fullback:

1—D. Parkinson

Threequarters:

2—J. Harden W. Sneddon—3

4—L. Batey R. Scott—5

Halves:

6—M. Walters J. Hemsworth—7

Forwards:

8—D. Schofield J. Anderson—9

10—A. McCallum H. Pearson—11

12—N. Crosdale G. Stevenson—13

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Royal Blue, White Knickers

Fullback:

1—J. Slade

Threequarters:

5—R. Gibson J. Irwin—4

3—W. Hardy E. Magin—2

Halves:

7—A. Perkins W. Hardy—6

Forwards:

8—D. Bland W. Owens—10

9—J. Daly T. Anderson—13

12—H. Gibbs J. Mantle—11

Referee: N. Spohr

Linesmen: K. Barwick (Blue Flag), J. Perkins (Red Flag)

RESERVE GRADE—1.45 p.m.

CESSNOCK

Fullback:

1—L. Pond

Threequarters:

2—T. Broadley C. Garaty—3

4—T. Moore A. Callaghan—5

Halves:

6—L. Roach J. Pickard—7

Forwards:

8—T. Schofield B. Austin—9

10—P. O'Connor B. Davey—11

12—W. Robinson N. Wilson—13

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Fullback:

1—J. Thomas

Threequarters:

5—L. Parkins T. Webber—4

3—E. Dillon J. Costa—2

Halves:

7—O. Davis A. Turnbull—6

Forwards:

8—L. Sweeney J. Webber—1

9—M. Kelly L. Gill—12

12—D. Williams C. Crossingham—11

Linesmen: R. Druery

Linesmen: C. Perry (Blue Flag), J. Cleaver (Red Flag)

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CESSNOCK

Black, 3 Gold Bars, White Knickers.

Fullback:

1—D. McKendry

Threequarters:

2—B. Moody P. Unwin—3

4—K. Allen L. Wilson—5

Halves:

6—E. Stokes J. McKendry—7

Forwards:

8—L. Buckland J. Anderson—9

10—L. Ogden A. Laidlaw—11

12—E. Archibald G. Farnham—13

Referee: B. O'Brien

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Royal Blue, White Knickers

Fullback:

1—J. Francis

Threequarters:

2—A. Flanagan A. Chant—3

4—J. Hawley B. Skehan—5

Halves:

6—B. Asser N. Scotman—7

Forwards:

8—R. Henry L. Morrissey—9

10—T. Ferrer M. Erwin—11

12—M. Henry C. Crossingham—13

WARATAH-MAYFIELD

Gold 4in. Stripes Maroon 1in. Stripes

Fullback:

1—E. Huard

Threequarters:

2—J. Moy J. Wright—3

4—S. Linsley D. Campbell—5

Halves:

6—S. Smith K. Neilson—7

Forwards:

8—D. Nugent G. Bell—9

10—P. Simmons L. Price—11

12—R. Dillon N. Digby—13

Referee: M. Eades

MAITLAND

Black with White M, B. and W. Socks

Fullback:

1—J. Slattery

Threequarters:

2—P. Brown B. Daley—3

4—K. Passfield R. Worger—5

Halves:

6—N. Gilmore B. Barrett—7

Forwards:

8—C. O'Connor B. Smith—9

10—J. Wilton R. Asimus—11

12—S. McGregor A. Hall—13

WESTERN SUBURBS

Green, Red V, White Knickers

Fullback:

1—G. Rutherford

Threequarters:

2—B. Farnant D. McDougall—3

4—D. Kirkman B. Bowhay—5

Halves:

6—D. Goodridge R. Field—7

Forwards:

8—M. Mascord J. Rabbits—9

10—J. Mangano H. Rose—11

12—H. Gennette G. Bice—13

Referee: B. Scottman

SOUTH NEWCASTLE

Red & White Broken Stripes,

Fullback:

1—J. McLaren

Threequarters:

2—J. Shanley R. Morris—3

4—M. Gill N. McCorrison—5

Halves:

6—R. Nelson P. Fields—7

Forwards:

8—P. Earsman D. Kentwell—9

10—L. Mence B. Aspley—11

12—G. Ott T. Kelly—13

NCLE. SPORTS GROUND

Saturday, 21st June

Tamworth High v. Ncle. Boys' High

TAMWORTH

Light Blue & Black

Fullback:

1—R. Graham

Threequarters:

2—R. Buxton F. Baker—3

4—T. Sims J. Hayward—5

Halves:

6—L. Haydon B. Rollings—7

Forwards:

8—J. Trunley R. Sundstrom—9

10—R. Kay K. Fanker—11

12—T. Hong P. Moore—13

NEWCASTLE

Red & Blue

Fullback:

1—R. Orton

Threequarters:

2—B. Abrahams P. Jonas—3

4—C. Robinson I. Carling—5

Halves:

6—R. Hubbuck A. Andrews—7

Forwards:

8—R. Middleby P. Hardy—9

10—D. McIntyre R. Hynes—11

12—E. Hodgins G. Fielding—13