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Important Fixture for Kurri and Macquarie

The result of Sunday's match at Kurri Sports Ground between Kurri and Macquarie could very well determine the fifth semi-final position in this years premiership.

Both teams are in equal fifth position on 13 points. However, Macquarie have recorded six wins and a draw to make up their 13 points while Kurri Kurri have won on five occasions but have played three drawn games for their 13 points.

Macquarie have a better attacking record than the "Bulldogs" scoring 314 points compared to their 237, and have also conceded less points than Kurri Kurri.

Both teams have produced their best form of the season in recent games and this match should produce some of the best football of the season and it would not surprise if the final result is very close.

Central Charlestown are three points out of the top five and their clash with Maitland at the Maitland Sports Ground is vital to their chances of taking out a semi-final spot. A loss by the "Bulldogs" would certainly end their chances for the 1986 season but a win could still see them force a play off at the end of the competition. In their remaining three games they meet Kurri, South and North. Macquarie United have still to play Cessnock, Waratah and Lakes, while Kurri Kurri play Central, Maitland and South.

Competition leaders Lakes United travel to Cessnock on Sunday to play the "Goannas". Cessnock are four points clear of South in third position and seem certain to finish in the top three, however they will be keen to consolidate their standing on the points table and will not let the "Seagulls" have it all their own way. A close result in this game will also not surprise.

NEXT WEEK'S FIXTURES

Saturday:

SOUTH v LAKES
Townson Oval

Sunday:

WEST v MAITLAND
Harker Oval

CENTRAL v KURRI
St. John Oval

MACQUARIE v CESSNOCK
Lyle Peacock Field

NORTH v WARATAH
Passmore Oval

Newcastle's impressive display against N.Z.

Although defeated 22 points to 17 by the New Zealand touring team last Sunday at the International Sports Centre the Newcastle representative team's effort was full of merit and a great improvement on their last game when they were defeated by Western Division in the Caltex Country Championship final.

The team had five training sessions under coach John King as a lead up to the match and their determination to win the game was evident early as they matched the "Kiwis" in every department.

It would be unfair to single out individual players as they played as a team with every man doing his job.

While the final result did not go their way they were a credit to the Newcastle Rugby League and the Club they represent.

NEW ZEALAND 22 (M. Elia, A. Shelford, O. Wright, J. Ropati, D. O'Hara tries, T. Ropati goal) d NEWCASTLE 17 (J. Hunter, T. Stevenson, R. Whittaker tries, P. Williams 2 goals, drop goal).

Amateur League Results

University 18 d Waratah 10, South 30 d Macquarie 6, NAB bye.

	W	D	L	F	A	P
South	8	0	0	212	56	16
University	6	0	2	206	110	12
NAB	3	0	5	94	198	6
Macquarie	2	0	6	84	82	4
Waratah	2	0	6	62	196	4



CARLTON UNITED BREWERY

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NBN 3 — CARLTON PREMIERSHIP

Sunday, July 20—2.45 p.m.

Passmore Oval

North Newcastle

Royal blue and sky

Coach: Karl Hutchinson

- 1—WAYNE WALKER
- 2—DAVE ANDERSON
- 3—NICK O'BRIEN
- 4—TONY PICKIN
- 5—IAN MILLINGTON
- 6—DAVID NEWTON
- 7—SHANE GARSIDE
- 8—MARK WRIGHT (c)
- 9—PATRICK MULLEN
- 10—MICHAEL RYAN
- 11—TODD ANDERSON
- 12—KENT LUMSDEN
- 13—TOM PARKS



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
7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18

Referee: R. Williams

South Newcastle

Red and white

Coach: Ken Shine

- 1—DARRYL MORRIS (c)
- 2—PAUL WAITE
- 3—NORM SHEATHER
- 4—STEVE LIPPIATT
- 5—JOHN TONGUE
- 6—ROD WHITE
- 7—PHIL COLE
- 8—LES ROTUMAH
- 9—BARRY PHELPS
- 10—TONY KEEVILL
- 11—STEVE CHERRY
- 12—RICHARD JONES
- 13—PAUL HILL



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Late Touch Judges: R. Newton (Blue). P. Parkinson (Red)

RESERVE GRADE

1.10 p.m.

NORTH NEWCASTLE

Coach: Mick Ryan

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| 1—Darren MEHAN | Peter WALKER—3 |
| 2—Dave FLETCHER | Rick COLEMAN—5 |
| 4—Ron PAYNE | Ken FAIRHALL—7 |
| 6—Darren MAXWELL | Dale WALTON—9 |
| 8—Carl BLICK | Brett DANN—11 |
| 10—Col GIGGINS | Wayne HYDE—13 |
| 12—Peter TAYLOR | |

Referee: P. Riddell

SOUTH NEWCASTLE

Coach: Ron Broderick

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| 1—Ron HAMMOND | Tom CELAR—3 |
| 2—Paul RICHARDSON | Craig COPELAND—5 |
| 4—Brett CLARKE | Greg WINCHESTER—7 |
| 6—Mick HARP | Greg BROWN—9 |
| 8—Robert ROUSE | Grant SQUIRES—11 |
| 10—Steve SANDLAND | Nigel WILSON—13 |
| 12—David GRIFFITH | |

THIRD GRADE

11.45 a.m.

NORTH NEWCASTLE

Coach: Terry Dent

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| 1—Tony DODDS | Len PLUNKETT—3 |
| 2—Tony MANTON | Brett REED—5 |
| 4—Gary EVANS | Alan ARMSTRONG—7 |
| 6—Paul CLARK | Ray KEATLEY—9 |
| 8—Don HARDY | Phil HARRISON—11 |
| 10—Col PAXTON | Kevin ARMSTRONG—13 |
| 12—Steve NEWELL | |

Referee: D. Crich

SOUTH NEWCASTLE

Coach: George Robertson

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| 1—Craig BALLENDEN | Darren ROBINSON—3 |
| 2—Paul REES | Len McKELLAR—5 |
| 4—Peter MURPHY | Steve BARNES—7 |
| 6—Paul KALLINIS | Greg HURRY—9 |
| 8—Tom GIBBS | Jeff RICHARDS—11 |
| 10—George ROBERTSON | John WOODMAN—13 |
| 12—Tony MELROSE | |

Early Touch Judges: A. Leonard (Blue), R. Newton (Red)

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Friday: POKENO 11 a.m. free Tea/Coffee, MONSTER RAFFLE 6 p.m. draw. ROCK DANCE 8.30 p.m.

Sunday: 9.30 a.m. CHAMPAGNE BREAKFAST: The Town's Best RAFFLE, drawn 12.30 p.m.; LIVE ENTERTAINMENT 7 p.m.

NBN 3-CARLTON PREMIERSHIP

First Grade

LAKES UNITED 10 (M. Hanlon try, P. Walsh 3 goals) d CESSNOCK 8 (D. Woodbury try, B. Davies 2 goals).

KURRI KURRI 18 (P. Watson, K. Huxley, T. Bender tries, P. Wilson 3 goals) d MACQUARIE UNITED 14 (W. Snowden, M. Stortenbeker tries, W. Snowden 2, K. Townley goals).

SOUTH NEWCASTLE 56 (D. Morris, P. Waite, N. Sheather, S. Lippiatt, J. Tongue, R. White, P. Cole, L. Rotumah, B. Phelps, T. Keevill, R. Jones tries, L. Rotumah 6 goals) d NORTH NEWCASTLE 0.

CENTRAL CHARLESTOWN 28 (C. Hammond 3, E. Smith, S. Fitzsimmons tries, G. Price 4 goals) d MAITLAND 18 (P. Cant, B. Farrelly, M. Burrows tries, M. Finch 3 goals).

WESTERN SUBURBS 26 (M. Knight 2, G. Eagar, C. Dedman tries, M. Knight 5 goals) d WARATAH-MAYFIELD 16 (T. Vaughan, G. Randall, W. Black tries, T. Vaughan 2 goals).

Reserve Grade

Lakes United 42 d Cessnock 4, Kurri Kurri 23 d Macquarie United 8, South Newcastle 70 d North Newcastle 6, Maitland 22 d Central Charlestown 10, Western Suburbs 28 d Waratah-Mayfield 18.

Third Grade

Lakes United 18 d Cessnock 0, Kurri Kurri 56 d Macquarie United 6, South Newcastle 56 d North Newcastle 10, Maitland 24 d Central Charlestown 12, Waratah-Mayfield 23 d Western Suburbs 8.