

LEAGUE NEWS



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Fixtures for Next Week

MAITLAND v. MACQUARIE UNITED

LAKES UNITED v. CENTRAL NEWCASTLE

CESSNOCK v. WARATAH-MAYFIELD

NORTHERN SUBURBS v. KURRI KURRI

SOUTH NEWCASTLE v. WESTERN SUBURBS

Sunday, April 26—NEWCASTLE v. NORTH COAST at Maitland

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Next Thursday — "THE BEATLES COME TO TOWN"

Phillip Anderson has proven a capable stand-in for Don Schofield in several recent matches. 'Junior' lacks the finesse of the Cessnock coach but he plays hard and has absolutely no fear. A couple of double bonuses make Anderson the top-paid player in Cessnock's ranks.

West half in first grade today is Kevin "Wrinkles" Hodgson. Kevin has shown good form in reserve grade and his many ardent supporters will welcome him back to the top grade. things for him.

Third grade player coach Kevin Duncan is wearing a king size smile at present. He has his side going well and already they look certain semi-finalists and perhaps major premiers. Best of luck Kevin to your team.

Spotted at District Park last Sunday in Wests U/20's runaway victory over Lakes to the tune of 38 to 2 was lock forward Garry "Yabba" Walsh. This lad played a blinder and looks a 'cert' for rep honours later this year.

Last week saw Norths grand little full back Neil Hancock play his 100th first grade game. Neil has proved himself an ornament to both his club and the game of Rugby League. He always plays a sound game and to his credit is the fact that he has never been cautioned in the whole of his football from juniors to seniors.

It was good to see Cyril Lawler back with Waratah last week after a break of a season. This player is a fine footballer, and will be a real asset to the club.

Another North player will celebrate his 100th first grade match this week in 'Ducky' Williams who has proved a very loyal member of the Blues in playing all his football with that club. Ducky has proved his class in all representative games, the highlight being the game against England.

Macquarie selectors have made many changes in the side this week in an effort to add speed and penetration to the backline.

Macquarie this week welcomes Rex Elvin and Peter Harrison who will be playing their first game with the club.

North hopes to have Jack Mantle back in the next week now that his surfing commitments are nearly finished. Jack has done a real good job as President of Cooks Hill Surf Club.

Congratulations to John Wilson who gave a grand display in Cessnock's reserve grade win over Maitland. Algie defended well and was never away from the ball.

S. & W. MILLER AWARD

Billy Giles, Waratah's rugged little half, is an early leader in the S. & W. Miller Best and Fairest award. First grade referees and linesmen allocate points each weekend.

Their allotment of the maximum last week were:

Bill Giles, Neil Hancock, Terry Pannowitz, Ernie Snelson and Warren Turvey.

Full points score is:

5—W. Giles (War.)

4—N. Wilkinson (N).

3—N. Hancock (N), K. O'Shea, T. Pannowitz (Mait.), K. Davies, E. Snelson (West), A. Scott (Cess.), B. Farley, W. Turvey (Mac.), B. Smith (S).

2—J. Singleton, P. Donohue (S), K. Russell (Cent.), B. Spruce (West), B. Dunlop (W), P. Anderson (Cess.), J. Murray, A. Thomson (L), V. Hodge A. Harding (K).

1—R. Hunter (N), D. Brewster, F. Threlfo (Mait.), L. Batey (Cess.), W. Archbold (K), R. Davies (L).

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WARATAH OVAL—3.15 p.m.

Saturday, 18th April, 1964

Waratah-Mayfield v. Northern Suburbs

WARATAH-MAYFIELD

Gold, Maroon V

Full-back:

1—J. Passmore

Three-quarters:

—D. Barlow	H. Banks—3
—T. O'Sullivan	H. O'Connor—5
Halves:	
6—J. Clark	W. Giles—7
Forwards:	
S—G. Notley	B. Dunlop—9
10—R. Stanton	I. Sills—11
12—T. Mullins	W. Squires—13

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Royal Blue and Sky Blue Bars

Full-back:

1—N. Hancock

Three-quarters:

2—D. Newton	R. Hunter—3
4—R. Bock	J. Price—5
Halves:	
6—L. Perry	K. Rutherford—7
Forwards:	
S—N. Wilkinson	B. Brown—9
10—R. Campbell	N. Platts—11
12—D. Williams	D. Anderson—13

Referee: M. Eades

Linesmen: W. Ruddy (Blue Flag), G. Hetherington (Red Flag)

RESERVE GRADE—1.45 p.m.

WARATAH-MAYFIELD

Full-back:

1—C. Lawler

Three-quarters:

2—B. Hughes	B. Turner—3
4—W. Woodlands	W. Perrett—5
Halves:	
6—W. Smith	P. Mackerras—7
Forwards:	
S—G. Howley	J. McTaggart—9
10—G. Hennessey	B. Borthwick—11
12—R. Williams	D. Williamson—13

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Full-back:

1—D. Ellis

Three-quarters:

2—B. Gamack	J. Wilson—3
4—B. Jordan	J. Hanlon—5
Halves:	
6—J. Newton	J. Ryan—7
Forwards:	
S—L. Plimmer	M. Webber—9
10—B. Gibson	P. Dunn—11
12—R. Banks	E. Hayden—13

Referee: N. Johnson

Linesmen: J. Wood (Blue Flag), D. Thornton (Red Flag)

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 10—G. Hetherington
 12—A. Williams

B. Johns—3
 D. Perkins—5
 B. Rossiter—7
 D. McDonald—9
 W. Difford—11
 B. Smith—13

SOUTH NEWCASTLE 2

White, Red V
 1—M. Tisdell

2—D. Jones
 4—F. Mackaway
 6—J. Clayton
 8—D. Mitchell
 10—D. Collins
 12—J. Barrow

G. Ott—3
 R. Balks—5
 W. Mecker—7
 E. Keogh—9
 N. Quinn—11
 L. O'Connell—13

Referee: N. Scotman

Linesmen: D. Milton (Blue Flag), J. Stephens (Red Flag)

WARATAH-MAYFIELD 8

Gold, Maroon V
 1—K. Burgess

2—Milton
 4—James
 6—B. Heuston
 8—Young
 10—Blain
 12—Murphy

D. Brittleffe—3
 D. Steele—5
 T. Croese—7
 Ball—9
 J. Carr—11
 Hamilton—13

NORTHERN SUBURBS 12

Royal Blue and Sky Blue Bars
 1—K. Baglee

2—R. Roberts
 4—G. Byers
 6—T. Hayne
 8—J. Hamer
 10—R. Bates
 12—E. Parsons

D. Engel—3
 B. McCormack—5
 R. Butler—7
 W. Deacon—9
 G. Wilson—11
 P. Anderson—13

Referee: B. Schofield

Linesmen: J. Wood (Blue Flag), D. Thornton (Red Flag)

CENTRAL NEWCASTLE 26

White—Blue V, Blue Shorts
 1—A. Taylor

2—D. Turnbull
 4—R. Beverley
 6—C. Baker
 8—F. Brent
 10—R. Ingle
 12—K. Joyce

G. Edser—3
 R. Gollidge—5
 W. Moneriff—7
 R. Timmins—9
 J. Neilson—11
 J. Lambert—13

CESSNOCK 4

Black and Gold
 1—R. Austin

2—R. Staib
 4—G. Whitfield
 6—K. Newstead
 8—F. Lewis
 10—J. Anderson
 12—J. Peek

J. Phillips—3
 C. Bullen—5
 L. Hafey—7
 D. Crump—9
 K. Maybury—11
 J. Hitchcock—13

Referee: D. Webb

Linesmen: K. Barry (Blue Flag), A. Wright (Red Flag)

MAITLAND 33

Black—White Knickers
 1—G. Matthews

2—D. Ryan
 4—J. Foster
 6—R. Bailey
 8—L. Moffat
 10—T. Counsell
 12—T. Lantry

R. Wilcher—3
 N. Banister—5
 B. Clark—7
 R. Miliner—9
 R. Crouch—11
 A. Rosser—13

LAKES UNITED 2

Blue and Gold, White Shorts
 1—D. Keeley

2—J. James
 4—P. Darey
 6—R. Marjoribanks
 8—F. Whitland
 10—D. Charlton
 12—W. Johnston

F. McMannus—3
 R. Owens—5
 J. Robertson—7
 R. Blatchford—9
 R. Glenn—11
 A. Bevan—13

Referee: L. Shann

Linesmen: J. Hawke (Blue Flag), R. Milton (Red Flag)

MACQUARIE UNITED 5

Green and Gold Bars—Black Shorts

To be Selected from:
 K. Bilton, C. Cullen, K. Magin, D. Simms, A. Forrester, P. Hewson, P. Rostron, C. Knudsen, N. Heaton, C. White, K. Core, R. Rodgers, D. Marshall, D. Fisher, R. Knight.

WESTERN SUBURBS 8

Red and Green
 1—A. King

2—R. Pryor
 4—I. Leggett
 6—T. Martin
 8—R. Heath
 10—K. Patridge
 12—K. Duncan

H. Kay—3
 W. Dent—5
 J. Cooper—7
 N. Tarrant—9
 R. Campbell—11
 C. Curry—13

Referee: R. Reichert

Linesmen: R. Ambrose (Blue Flag), S. Delforce (Red Flag)

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

FIRST GRADE: Central Newcastle 16 d. Cessnock 11; Waratah-Mayfield 19 d. Northern Suburbs 17; Maitland 42 d. Lakes United 7; South Newcastle 22 d. Kurri Kurri 7; Western Suburbs 23 d. Macquarie United 9.

RESERVE GRADE: Cessnock 10 d. Central Newcastle 8; Northern Suburbs 13 d. Waratah-Mayfield 8; Maitland 21 d. Lakes United 11; South Newcastle 16 d. Kurri Kurri 9; Western Suburbs 34 d. Macquarie United 5.

THIRD GRADE: Central Newcastle 26 d. Cessnock 4; Northern Suburbs 12 d. Waratah-Mayfield 8; Maitland 33 d. Lakes United 2; Kurri Kurri 5 d. South Newcastle 2; Western Suburbs 8 d. Macquarie United 5.