

# LEAGUE NEWS



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## Fixtures for Next Week

CESSNOCK v. MACQUARIE UNITED

KURRI KURRI v. WESTERN SUBURBS

LAKES UNITED v. SOUTH NEWCASTLE

CENTRAL NEWCASTLE v. MAITLAND

WARATAH-MAYFIELD v. NORTHERN SUBURBS

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# AROUND THE CLUBS

The winner of the Guessing Competition conducted at No. 1 Sports Ground on May 22 for a transistor radio was ticket No. D-1850, M. C. Wallace, Dudley St., Charlestown.

West representative players Allan Buman (Country 1sts) and Brian Carlin (Country 2nds) return to West senior team this week and will strengthen the Rozellas for their clash with Lakes United.

The best news in Waratah at present, is the fact that its star forward Les Markham hopes to be back in harness within the next couple of weeks. Les broke two bones in his hand in the Caltex semi-final and his loss has been a bitter blow to Waratah.

Winner of North competition against West was won by Ivor Lawson, 10 Lingard Street, Merewether. No. 17159.

West third grade side continues to loom as a big threat to take out the competition again this season they have scored 130 pts. to 12 without having had their line crossed. One of the stars of this side is five eight Owen Kilpatrick. Coach Kevin Duncan is wearing a large size smile as his side continues to improve.

Waratah's third grade side, under coach Dennis Williamson, is showing much improved form. They are a team of hard triers, and the big thing about them is there is always plenty of players on hand each week to play if necessary.

West smart half back Kevin Hodgson resumes in the Reserves this week and no doubt he will be anxious to regain his spot in First grade. Besides being a good half he is a reliable goal kicker.

Russell Cooper of North reserves is giving promise of developing into a good winger, possessed of a good turn of speed a little more experience should see him considered for higher honours.

It's a pity that Waratah winger Johnny Leis is not getting the chance to show his real ability. This player has the potential to furnish into another "Whakka" Graves.

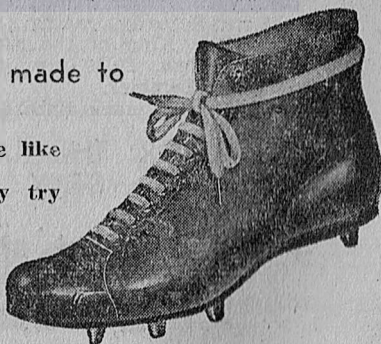
Macquarie United played good football last round to inflict the first defeat of the season on Central Newcastle. Macquarie was without its leading points scorer Bob Pannowitz who is likely to miss the next few matches.

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Macquarie reserve grade coach Bruce McGrath was happy after his side defeated Central to record their first victory of the season. The side could go on to better things now they have broken the ice.

Two newcomers to the thirds are former U/20 stars Wayne "Bomber" Hore, and Geoff Savage. These boys could make it hot for their particular rivals in the higher grades before the season is over.

Grahame McCulloch has returned football with Macquarie after missing last season. A young player who has had first grade experience and should really show out this season.

A new face in the Cessnock senior team today is young John Sylvester. A very bright future is predicted for this young player.

Waratah will have its captain-coach Bobby Banks back this week. This fine player's guidance, has been sadly missed since he was injured in the first competition match.

Eric Russell, North's young forward had an outstanding game last match. This lad who has just turned 19 seems set for a bright future, especially if he can put on a little extra weight.

Reappearing in the Cessnock reserve grade team today is "Junior" Anderson. "Junior" has been on the injured list with a broken hand.

North's hooker John Knight played a big part in his team's success last match, when he won a major share of the ball as well as playing well in open play.

It is pleasing to see Bobby Scott once again playing for the Cessnock team after incurring a serious leg injury against Waratah in the Caltex game.

## WORTH £200

Laurie Moraschi, full back from Griffith, who toured with the Country Rugby League team to New Zealand won the player of the year award which was made available by the Caltex Oil Company.

He won a prize of £200 and an outstanding trophy for his club, which will be retained for twelve months. Moraschi was also presented with a replica of the trophy which he will retain.

Moraschi held his form by playing prominently in New Zealand in the two matches there and also for Country Firsts against City Firsts last Saturday at the Sydney Cricket Ground.

Don Schofield appeared to have a grand chance of taking out the trophy because he played brilliantly in the three divisional matches that eventually won Newcastle the title of Country champion. He also shone in New Zealand and was in the thick of things in the first half of his match against City.

However the decision was a hard one which had to be made by the five Country Selectors and it was generally agreed that the selectors' choice was a good one.

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MAITLAND OVAL—3.15 p.m.

Saturday, 29th May, 1965

### Maitland v. Northern Suburbs

#### MAITLAND

Black, White Knickers

Full-back:

1—M. Wright

Three-quarters:

2—W. Yeomans B. Campbell—3

4—W. Bell M. Merrilees—5

Halves:

6—R. Madge B. Burke—7

Forwards:

8—T. Pannowitz R. McLaughlin—9

10—M. Bailey K. O'Shea—11

12—J. McMurray D. Gollidge—13

#### NORTHERN SUBURBS

Royal Blue and Sky Blue Bars

Full-back:

1—N. Hancock

Three-quarters:

2—D. Newton A. Wasley—3

4—J. Davis D. Engel—5

Halves:

6—R. Butler B. Askie—7

Forwards:

8—C. Ball E. Russell—9

10—P. Ireland C. Bull—11

12—J. Knight W. Owens—13

Referee: K. Barwick

Linesmen: D. Murphy (Blue Flag), J. Hancock (Red Flag)

RESERVE GRADE—1.45 p.m.

#### MAITLAND

Full-back:

1—T. Hunt

Three-quarters:

2—J. Burns J. Tierney—3

4—H. Szatan N. Harman—5

Halves:

6—J. Osmond J. Sheridan—7

Forwards:

8—B. Jennings D. Wirth—9

10—M. McMahon R. Milliner—11

12—R. Glover B. Hall—13

#### NORTHERN SUBURBS

Full-back:

1—J. Slade

Three-quarters:

2—R. Cooper L. Plimmer—3

4—J. Newton G. Byers—5

Halves:

6—L. Perry D. Davey—7

Forwards:

8—J. Gill K. Hutchinson—9

10—J. Wilson D. Nichols—11

12—J. Bull N. Platts—13

Referee: M. Eades

Linesmen: R. Druey (Blue Flag), J. Carroll (Red Flag)

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## WARATAH-MAYFIELD 9

Gold, Maroon V

1—K. Burgess

- |               |                  |
|---------------|------------------|
| 2—K. Chaffey  | P. James—3       |
| 4—R. Bailey   | R. Kerr—5        |
| 6—A. Peattie  | B. Hughes—7      |
| 8—B. Melville | B. Turner—9      |
| 10—K. Ball    | A. Moore—11      |
| 12—R. Bristow | D. Williamson—13 |

## CESSNOCK 3

Black and Gold

1—J. Stacey

- |                 |                |
|-----------------|----------------|
| 2—R. Wilson     | L. Clifton—3   |
| 4—R. Harper     | R. Lewis—5     |
| 6—F. Lewis      | R. Thomson—7   |
| 8—J. Scott      | J. Callaghan—9 |
| 10—J. Anderson  | J. Harrison—11 |
| 12—J. Henderson | B. Harrison—13 |

Referee: L. Shann

Linesmen: J. Cordner (Blue Flag), P. Hill (Red Flag)

## MAITLAND 21

Black, White Knickers

1—K. Coleman

- |                |                 |
|----------------|-----------------|
| 2—D. Ryan      | M. Paten—3      |
| 4—G. Collins   | P. Monaghan—5   |
| 6—A. Kedwell   | B. Clark—7      |
| 8—L. Moffat    | G. Radnidge—9   |
| 10—J. Wolinski | K. Gallagher—11 |
| 12—T. Cantry   | I. Creedy—13    |

## NORTHERN SUBURBS 14

Royal Blue and Sky Blue Bars

1—R. Dawson

- |                |               |
|----------------|---------------|
| 2—G. Thompson  | P. Smith—3    |
| 4—R. Rowlands  | R. Roberts—5  |
| 6—G. Callaghan | K. Baglee—7   |
| 8—T. Malone    | J. Harmer—9   |
| 10—G. Atkinson | K. Mongan—11  |
| 12—E. Hayden   | G. Bealock—13 |

Referee: D. Crich

Linesmen: R. Druery (Blue Flag), J. Carroll (Red Flag)

## WESTERN SUBURBS 20

Red and Green

1—E. Snelson

- |                 |                 |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| 2—P. Blakmore   | B. Stanbridge—3 |
| 4—W. Hore       | J. Bowe—5       |
| 6—O. Kilpatrick | M. Gallagher—7  |
| 8—D. Fox        | E. Curtis—9     |
| 10—J. Boswell   | G. Savage—11    |
| 12—K. Duncan    | G. Negline—13   |

## LAKES UNITED 6

Blue and Gold, White Shorts

1—J. Robertson

- |               |              |
|---------------|--------------|
| 2—P. Hill     | F. McManus—3 |
| 4—L. Gaudion  | F. Reeves—5  |
| 6—K. Jonas    | K. Bailey—7  |
| 8—N. Corkett  | J. Wilkins—9 |
| 10—J. Brock   | L. Maly—11   |
| 12—G. Garrett | A. Bevan—13  |

Referee: T. Austin

Linesmen: D. Milton (Blue Flag), H. Amos (Red Flag)

## MACQUARIE UNITED 9

Green and Gold Bars, Black Shorts

1—K. Bilton

- |               |                |
|---------------|----------------|
| 2—R. Prosser  | G. Creek—3     |
| 4—J. Heaton   | E. Hyde—5      |
| 6—K. Mavin    | J. Smith—7     |
| 8—B. Snowden  | G. Sessions—9  |
| 10—J. Dimmock | J. Mitchell—11 |
| 12—A. Gurran  | R. Rodgers—13  |

## KURRI KURRI 8

Half Red Top, Half Blue Bottom

1—J. Wright

- |              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| 2—B. Johnson | T. Hughes—3   |
| 4—R. Morton  | R. Leggett—5  |
| 6—A. Dodd    | A. Purcell—7  |
| 8—J. Dodd    | L. Connelly—9 |
| 10—A. Bailey | B. Smith—11   |
| 12—D. Hill   | R. Murray—13  |

Referee: B. Schofield

Linesmen: S. Delforce (Blue Flag), J. Woods (Red Flag)

UNDER 17—Noon

Sunday, 30th May, 1965

## SOUTH NEWCASTLE v. WARATAH-MAYFIELD

### SOUTH NEWCASTLE

1—R. Bernasconi

- |                 |               |
|-----------------|---------------|
| 2—D. Graham     | R. Reid—3     |
| 4—B. Carnell    | J. Anderson—5 |
| 6—D. Keegan     | D. Young—7    |
| 8—I. Ballantyne | C. Russell—9  |
| 10—P. Graham    | P. Dennis—11  |
| 12—P. Gay       | P. Maynard—13 |

### WARATAH - MAYFIELD

1—J. Solowiej

- |                 |                |
|-----------------|----------------|
| 2—R. Green      | P. Henshaw—3   |
| 4—M. Trypas     | D. Puxty—5     |
| 6—D. Williamson | T. Lawrence—7  |
| 8—G. Mannix     | J. Drzuzga—9   |
| 10—R. Ryan      | A. Anderson—11 |
| 12—R. Moore     | P. Hennessy—13 |

Referee: C. Sheather

Linesmen: D. Warby (Blue), J. Schofield (Red)