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## At the 2009 Season Launch



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ROSS RIVER REDSKINS  
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## Season Launch

On Wednesday evening the Townsville and District Rugby Union officially launched the 2009 Rugby Season at a function attended by the representatives of the TDRU sponsors and member clubs. The 60 invited guests enjoyed the function hosted by Adrian Gabrielli and the Great Northern Hotel.

Townsville and District President Dan Morton outlined the initiatives the Union is involved in, with next year's entry into the Queensland Rugby Union's Premier Competition, the expansion of the Junior Competition, and the addition of extra staff for the administration and development.

Commenting on the performance of the Brolgas in the State Cup, Dan Morton described this competition as a great learning experience for next year's entry into the Premier Competition. It demonstrates the level of commitment, organisational requirements and the logistics involved in the higher level of competition.

The expansion of the Junior Rugby competition has brought 13 new teams into the competition which is an increase of 40 percent in the player numbers in the local competition.

The additional administration staff are required to service the expanded competition.

The TDRU appreciates the hospitality of Adrian Gabrielli and the Great Northern Hotel.

## Wrinkled Skins help Junior Rugby

The Ross River Redskins Oldboys (Wrinkled Skins) was formed as a result of the Clubs 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in 2007. The main objective of the Wrinkled Skins is to help ease the financial pressure placed on parents who want their children to play sport.

The Wrinkled Skins sponsor each player by providing for their registration, shorts and socks. This amounts to a saving of over \$100.00 per player. The Oldboys raise money each year through various raffles and donations from members of the Wrinkled Skins. It is the hope of the Oldboys to continue this support into future years as well as providing a future fund for development of the club.

If you are a former player of City Redskins or the Ross River Rats and would like to join the Oldboys we would like to hear from you.

If you have a child who would like to play in our junior sides we would love to see you at training on Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from 5pm. Please contact Rod Hohn at [rod\\_hohn@bigpond.com](mailto:rod_hohn@bigpond.com) or call 0409148880.

## Gate Prices for the 2009 Season

Game Payment for a Junior Player	\$5.00
Game Payment for a Senior Player	\$7.00
Gate Entry for an Adult Spectator	\$5.00
Gate Entry for a Student / Pensioner	\$2.00
Gate Entry for a Child (Under 12)	\$1.00
Family Gate Entry (2 Adults + Children) Spectator	\$8.00
Single Season Gate Pass	\$50.00
Family Season Gate Pass	\$80.00

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# Townsville and District Rugby Union Scoreboard

## QRU State Cup

### Round 4 Northern Pool

**Wests 59** defeated **Cairns and District 7**  
**Brothers 98** defeated **Rockhampton and District 3**  
**Norths-QUT 98** defeated **Townsville and District 12**  
 GPS, University of Queensland had a Bye

### Round 4 Southern Pool

**Rugby Gold Coast 25** defeated **Logan City 7**  
**Souths 85** defeated **Darling Downs Rugby Union 7**  
**Easts 24** defeated **Rugby Gold Coast 2**

Sunnybank, Sunshine Coast, had a Bye

Northern	P	W	L	D	F	A	4t	<7p	BP	Pts
Norths-QUT	3	3	0	0	239	32	3	0	3	15
GPS	3	3	0	0	135	52	3	0	3	15
Brothers	2	2	0	0	167	3	2	0	2	10
Wests	2	2	0	0	83	22	1	0	1	9
University of Qld	2	1	1	0	97	37	1	1	2	6
Rockhampton	4	1	3	0	57	215	1	1	2	6
Townsville	4	0	4	0	60	268	0	0	0	0
Cairns	4	0	4	0	29	238	0	0	0	0

Southern	P	W	L	D	F	A	4t	<7p	BP	Pts
Easts	3	3	0	0	122	42	3	0	3	15
Gold Coast	3	3	0	0	79	36	2	0	2	14
Souths	2	2	0	0	137	10	2	0	2	10
Gold Coast 2	4	1	2	1	104	83	2	2	4	10
Sunnybank	2	1	0	1	68	32	2	0	2	8
Sunshine Coast	2	1	1	0	46	55	1	0	1	5
Darling Downs	4	0	4	0	49	222	0	0	0	0
Logan City	4	0	4	0	22	147	0	0	0	0

## 2009 Super 14 Round 5

**Blues 46** defeated **Cheetahs 12**  
**Brumbies 21** defeated **Waratahs 11**  
**Crusaders 23** drew with **Western Force 23**  
**Chiefs 14** defeated **Highlanders 10**  
**Reds 25** defeated **Sharks 13**  
**Stormers 56** defeated **Lions 18**  
 Round 5 byes Bulls, Hurricanes

	G	W	D	L	Diff	B<7p <sup>1</sup>	B>4t <sup>2</sup>	Pts
<b>Bulls</b>	4	4	0	0	57	0	2	18
<b>Waratahs</b>	5	4	0	1	20	0	2	18
<b>Sharks</b>	5	4	0	1	19	0	1	17
<b>Blues</b>	5	3	0	2	9	1	3	16
<b>Hurricanes</b>	4	3	0	1	24	1	1	14
<b>Brumbies</b>	4	3	0	1	5	0	1	13
<b>Stormers</b>	5	2	0	3	26	3	1	12
<b>Chiefs</b>	5	2	0	3	5	3	1	12
<b>Western Force</b>	5	2	1	2	-9	1	1	12
<b>Reds</b>	5	2	0	3	11	2	1	11
<b>Crusaders</b>	5	1	1	3	-8	3	1	10
<b>Highlanders</b>	5	1	0	4	-23	3	1	8
<b>Lions</b>	4	1	0	3	-54	1	1	6
<b>Cheetahs</b>	5	0	0	5	-82	2	0	2

<sup>1</sup> B<7p = Bonus Point awarded if loss by seven points or less

<sup>2</sup> B>4t = Bonus Point awarded if a team scores four or more tries

## Ron Barnes Memorial Competition

14 March 2009

**North Ward Old Boys 22** (R King 2t, J Kersevani 1t, Z Mitchell 1t T Johnston 1c) defeated **Charters Towers 0**

**Teachers West Maroon 17** (M Hampton 1t, M Turner 1t, S Barclay 1t, A Saltner 1c) defeated **Brothers Blue 0**

**University Blue 7** (D Sexton 1t, J Murphy 1c) defeated **Burdekin 0**

**North Ward Old Boys 34** (Z Mitchell 2t, D Webber 2t, J Kersevani 1t, L Perkins 1t, T Nicholson 2c) defeated **Teachers West Blue 0**

**University Gold 17** (D Morris 1t, Noel Malua 2t, E Player 1c) defeated **Brothers White 0**

**Burdekin 17** (C Baker 1t1c, J Rossato 1t, J Searle 1t) defeated **Ross River Redskins 0**

**Brothers White 17** (No Team sheet) defeated **Teachers West Blue 5** (N/A)

**University Gold 21** (R Marshall 1t, J Wheeler 2t, G Adcock 3c) defeated **Ross River Redskins 7** (R Boye 1t, B Austin 1c)

**Teachers West Maroon 45** (M Hampton 1t, G Stallard 1t, M Turner 1t, S Barclay 1t, T Perez 1t, B Campbell 1t, N Shepherd 1t, A Tuala 5c) defeated **Charters Towers 0**

**Brothers Blue 12** (J Kirkland 2t1c) defeated **University Blue 8** (T Brown 1t, G Adcock 1p)

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Pool A Brothers Blue, Teachers West Maroon, University Blue, Burdekin, Charters Towers

Team	G	W	L	D	F	A	4t	<7p	P	BR	T
Teachers West Maroon	2	2	0	0	62	0	1	0	9	9	5
University Blue	2	1	1	0	15	12	0	1	5	-	5
Brothers Blue	2	1	1	0	12	25	0	0	4	-	4
Burdekin	1	0	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	4	4
Charters Towers	1	0	1	0	0	45	0	0	0	0	0

Pool B Brothers White, Teachers West Blue, University Gold, Ross River Redskins, North Ward Old Boys

Team	G	W	L	D	F	A	4t	<7p	P	BR	T
North Ward Old Boys	1	1	0	0	34	0	1	0	5	5	10
University Gold	2	2	0	0	38	7	0	0	8	-	8
Brothers White	2	1	1	0	17	5	0	0	0*	-	0 <sup>1</sup>
Teachers West Blue	2	0	2	0	5	51	0	0	0*	-	0 <sup>1</sup>
Ross River Redskins	1	0	1	0	7	21	0	0	0	0	0

Bonus Round (BR)

Team	G	W	L	D	F	A	4t	<7p	P
North Ward Old Boys	1	1	0	0	22	0	1	0	5
Burdekin	1	1	0	0	17	0	0	0	4
Ross River Redskins	1	0	1	0	0	17	0	0	0
Charters Towers	1	0	1	0	0	22	0	0	0

<sup>1</sup> No teamsheet = no points

## The Question

Mulligrubs win the toss and elect to kick off. The Golden Gecko's #11 standing one foot behind the 22 metre line and one in front of the 22 metre line catches the ball on the full and calls mark. The Mulligrub #6 tackles the Golden Gecko's player. If you were the referee what would you do next?

- Pack a scrum with the Mulligrubs to feed the ball, or ,
- Award a Mark to the Golden Gecko's #11,
- Award a penalty to the Golden Gecko's because the tackle was made after the Mark was called, or
- Play on.

The answer is on page 4.



# Queensland Rugby Union State Cup



Kick off at 1:00 PM

## Townsville verses Brothers Brisbane

Blue and Gold Hoops

Blue and White

Chris Barlow	1	Adam Bennie
Brendan Bunyan	2	Andrew Coady
Sakiao Pakome	3	Adrian Dixon
Tim McClymont	4	Sean Ryan
Lee Verrall	5	Liam Shaw
Emil Grant	6	Simon Price
Dan Wright	7	Dave Croft
Leo Pakome	8	Ben McCormack
Terry Poole	9	Tom Collins
Ashley Saltner	10	Dallan Murphy
Josh Price	11	Ant Sauer
Brendan Kipping	12	Nathaniel Gendle
Alphonse Gima	13	James Harvey
Nick Douglas	14	Paul Donnely
Scott O'Neill	15	Angus McLean
Iliesa Tuibuca	16	Dan Kilmartin
Steve Reddy	17	Jordan Bennie
Ross Rickards	18	Trent Jones
Justin Humphrey	19	Brad Hunt
Trent Johnston	20	John Gabbet
Robert Newman	21	Brett Gillespie
Jack O'Shea	22	Anthony Pyers



Terry Shiells	<b>Coach</b>	Zane Hilton
Mark Moxon	<b>Assistant Coach</b>	Paul Healy, Rob Murdoch
Bruce Shepherd	<b>Manager</b>	Anthony McDermott

**Referee:** Damian Weston

**Assistant Referees:** Rowland Holmes, Greg Cottier

**Official No 4:** Peter Egart

**Referee Reviewer:** Greg McHugh

### Other Queensland Rugby Union State Cup Matches this weekend.

Cairns and District v University at Barlow Park, Cairns. Rockhampton and District v Wests at Rugby Park, Rockhampton. Logan City v Sunshine Coast at Homestead Park, Shailer Park. Darling Downs v Sunnybank at Gold Park, Toowoomba. Rugby Gold Coast 2 v Souths at Albert Park, Broadbeach Waters. The following teams have a bye: GPS, Rugby Gold Coast, Norths-QUT

**Australian Club Championship:** Sydney University v Easts Brisbane in ANZ Stadium, Sydney.



### Under 10

**North Ward 45** (K Howarth 1t, J Kenway 1t, M Skinner 1t, T Arnold 1t, L Kenway 2t, P Bharau 3t) defeated **Western Devils 15** (L Soa 1t, L Connors 1t, M Soa 1t)

**Brothers** defeated **Southside** by forfeit

**Teachers West** defeated **Grammar School** by forfeit.

Under 10	G	W	L	D	F	A	4+	<7p	P
North Ward	1	1	0	0	45	15	1	0	5
Brothers	1	1	0	0	45	15	1	0	5
Teachers West	1	1	0	0	45	15	1	0	5
Western Devils	1	0	1	0	15	45	0	0	0
Grammar School	1	0	1	0	15	45	0	0	0
Southside	1	0	1	0	15	45	0	0	0

### Under 11

**Brothers 30** (T Smith 1t, N Shelley 1t, D Cooper 1t, P Boniface 1t, K Timbs 1t, M Gallegos 1t) defeated **Teachers West 0**

**Grammar School** defeated **North Ward** by forfeit

### Under 12

**Brothers** defeated **Southside** by forfeit

**Western Devils 20** (J Elwell 1t, J Frazer 1t, J Soa 2t) defeated **North Ward 17** (Z Kenway 1t, A Bharau 2t, G Meekin 1c)

**Charters Towers** defeated **Ross River Redskins** by forfeit

Team	G	W	L	D	F	A	4+	<7p	P
Western Devils	1	1	0	0	20	17	1	0	5
Brothers	1	1	0	0	20	17	1	0	5
Charters Towers	1	1	0	0	20	17	1	0	5
North Ward	1	0	1	0	17	20	0	1	1
Southside	1	0	1	0	17	20	0	0	0
Ross River Redskins	1	1	0	0	17	20	0	0	0
Teachers West	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### Under 13

**Teachers West 10** (J Horton 1t, J Smith 1t) defeated **Grammar School Black 5** (N/A)

**Western Devils 20** (J Alitini 1t, B Truscott 1t, J Soa 1t, L Saltner 1t) defeated **Grammar School Gold 5** (C Filkov 1t)

**Brothers** defeated **North Ward** by Forfeit

Under 13	G	W	L	D	F	A	4+	<7p	P
Western Devils	1	1	0	0	20	5	1	0	5
Brothers	1	1	0	0	20	5	1	0	5
Teachers West	1	0	1	0	10	5	0	0	4
Grammar School Black	1	0	1	0	5	10	0	1	0 <sup>1</sup>
North Ward	1	0	1	0	5	20	0	0	0
Grammar School Gold	1	0	1	0	5	20	0	0	0

### Under 14

**Grammar School 45** (No Teams Sheet) defeated **Western Devils 12** (M Tafua 2t 1c)

**Teachers West 19** (R Grevsmuhl 1t, H Huppertz 1t, J Coyne 1t, J Flethcer 2c) defeated **Charters Towers 15** (D Rayment 2t, R Trindle 1t)

**Brothers** defeated **Southside** by Forfeit

Under 14	G	W	L	D	F	A	4+	<7p	P
Brothers	1	1	0	0	45	12	1	0	5
Teachers West	1	1	0	0	19	15	0	0	4
Charters Towers	1	0	1	0	15	19	0	1	1
Grammar School	1	1	0	0	45	12	1	0	0 <sup>1</sup>
Western Devils	1	0	1	0	12	45	0	0	0
Southside	1	0	1	0	12	45	0	0	0

### Under 15

**Southside 34** (M Mooney 1t, B Bling 1t, C Roberston 3t3c1p) defeated **Grammar School 31** (B Dalton 2t, A Involata 1t, T Butcher 1t, A Beric 1t, J Arnold 3c)

**Brothers 22** (S Spina 1t, W Grattan 1t, R Phelan 2t, W Douglas 1c) defeated **Teachers West 17** (No Team sheet)

Team	G	W	L	D	F	A	4+	<7p	P
Brothers	1	1	0	0	22	17	1	0	5
Southside	1	0	1	0	34	31	1	0	5
Grammar School	1	1	0	0	17	0	1	1	2
Teachers West	1	0	1	0	17	22	0	1	0 <sup>1</sup>

### Under 16

**Brothers 83** (D Purcell 1t, M Parker 1t, J Lowth 1t1c, N Molloy 1t1c, A Pether 1t, J Pether 1t, A Preston 1t4c, G Pennefather 2t1c, I Tipene, J Donoghue 2t, L Morton 2c) defeated **Western Devils 0**

**Grammar School 32** (J MacDonald 4t, C Braithwaite 1t, J Andersen 1t; L Brown 1c) defeated **Ingham 5** (C Lower 1t)

**Teachers West 7** (K Bowen 1t; J Ries 1c) defeated **Charters Towers 6** (T Vinson 2p)

Under 16	G	W	L	D	F	A	4+	<7p	P
Brothers	1	1	0	0	83	0	1	0	5
Grammar School	1	1	0	0	32	5	1	0	5
Teachers West	1	0	1	0	7	6	0	0	4
Charters Towers	1	0	1	0	6	7	0	1	1
Ingham	1	1	0	0	5	32	0	0	0
Western Devils	1	0	1	0	0	83	0	0	0

### Under 17

**North Ward 19** (F Arcidiacono 1t, D Pollard 1t, K McKenzie 1t,2c) defeated **Burdekin 10** (T Higgs 1t, B Blakoe 1t)

**Southside 19** (R Daniell 3t, S Judge 2c) defeated **Brothers 7** (M Matau 1t, S Weismuller 1c)

**Grammar School 29** (C Bronham 1t, J Goicoechea 2t, S Winston 3c1p, M Crisp 1t) defeated **Teachers West 7** (H Hubbert 1t, B Grevsmuhl 1c)

**Charters Towers** defeated **Ross River Redskins** by forfeit

Under 17	G	W	L	D	F	A	4+	<7p	P
Grammar School	1	1	0	0	29	7	1	0	5
Charters Towers	1	1	0	0	29	7	1	0	5
Southside	1	1	0	0	19	7	0	0	4
North Ward	1	1	0	0	19	10	0	0	4
Burdekin	1	0	1	0	10	19	0	0	0
Brothers	1	0	1	0	7	19	0	0	0
Teachers West	1	0	1	0	7	29	0	0	0
Ross River Redskins	1	0	1	0	7	29	0	0	0

<sup>1</sup> No teamsheet = no points

## The Answer

The answer is (d)

### LAW 18 MARK

#### Definition

To make a mark, a player must be on or behind that player's 22-metre line. A player with one foot on the 22-metre line or behind it is considered to be 'in the 22'. The player must make a clean catch direct from an opponent's kick and at the same time shout "Mark". A mark cannot be made from a kick off, or a restart kick except for a drop out. A kick is awarded for a mark. The place for the kick is the place of the mark.

A player may make a mark even though the ball touched a goal post or crossbar before being caught.



# NORTHWEST CONSTRUCTION