



# 2015 ANNUAL Report

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# RATS Abroad

**DID YOU KNOW** there are a number of RATS currently playing on contracts overseas. Here are six playing in some interesting regions.



James Cunningham  
Hong Kong



Jake Letts  
Philippines



Sam Ward  
Italy



Nicolai Latuhoi  
France



Wayne Borsak  
Spain



Anne Rutledge  
USA

# PRESIDENT'S Report



## A CLUB ON THE RISE

Firstly thank you to all of our Volunteers, Members, Sponsors and Players for making our 2015 season memorable. We might not have brought the silverware home but we certainly celebrated many memorable events along the way including winning the Bayfield Cup and Shield. This year 42 players from our club also made representative teams in the various versions of our game. This is a huge reflection on the support they get from within our club. It's my belief that they stand on the shoulders of everybody who contributes. We have also had many of our players sign overseas contracts in France, Italy, Spain and Brazil.

## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Warringah Rugby club grows every year and needs to keep growing and moving further into our local community. This year we launched our Community Engagement Program, which has seen our development officers back on the road and into our local schools, supporting local junior clubs and local community events. In 2015 we ran four school holiday clinics along with our very successful Coaches 4 Coaches, which was coaching clinics for all coaches on the Peninsula. We are very fortunate to have the support of Pittwater council and the provision of a wonderful ground that allows us to provide a platform for that growth.

## STRENGTH IN PARTNERSHIP

Our sponsors this year have been amazing and contribute far beyond our expectations. I did notice several unnamed sponsors even contributing to the fluid drinking races after the games. We simply couldn't do what we do without them, they work with us at every home game to turn our day into an event because people want us to perform well on the day but they also want to enjoy

that family carnival environment during and after the game. The Hillbillies this year were a highlight pulled together by a group of passionate locals and ex Rats. The chaos and noise coming from the hill was a spectacle on game day and something every opposition envied.

Friends of Warringah again provided a platform for members that want to do a little more, the board thanks Brendan Paddison and his team for making this happen successfully for another year. The 100 club was another success and I want to thank Di and Mike Lee for their continued stewardship of this club. Bronwyn Bishop is a regular member of the 100 club and she managed to swing by for the lunch on the way to a particularly difficult press conference where she informed the waiting media scrum "I've just been told I'm as tough as a Rat forward so I can put up with you lot".

## 2016 PREPARATIONS UNDERWAY

We finished the year off with our volunteers cruise on the Pittwater to say thanks to all of the wonderful volunteers and support staff that make our year successful.

Planning for next season is well underway and this year's pre-season has already attracted over 100 players for the BSC Summer Series which will see 4 teams pitted against each other for a mystery prize at the end.

The board thanks you for all your support and looks forward to joining you for another successful season at the Rats.

**PHILLIP PARSONS**  
Club President



Club President Phillip Parsons addresses players and guests during the Presentation Night.

“  
It's my belief that they (the players) stand on the shoulders of everybody who contributes.  
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# TREASURER'S Report



Rats Rob Kelly works out during pre-season training earlier in the year

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

I am happy to present the 2015 annual treasurers report for the Warringah Rugby Club as Commercial director. The Club Accountants Bob Buckingham and Judy Thomas have been instrumental in managing our affairs throughout 2015 and we greatly appreciate their assistance in pulling together the annual statements.

## CONSOLIDATION CONTINUES

During this year we have consolidated our position from the financial success of 2014. We have continued to commit to some extraordinary expenses with the 2<sup>nd</sup> year of the Macquarie University North Harbour Rays, while seeing a further reduction in revenue with the removal of the ARU grants. We are extending support to our junior clubs running coaching / training programs as well as assisting them with jersey procurement.

## COMMITMENT TO PLAYER WELFARE

Our Physio programme is now up and running and we have made capital commitments to support player growth & development such as training programs and the first phase of the gym upgrade.

On the revenue side we remain thankful to the fabulous and committed group of companies and individuals who are our sponsors. Their ongoing support allows us to plan and manage our cash flow across the whole year. The friends of Warringah continue to contribute in a significant way financially and through their fantastic networking support. Our game day takings have improved overall with better management of events, however this element of our revenue is variable as it is impacted by match scheduling and weather.

## A STRONG FINANCIAL FUTURE

The club is in a strong financial position due to the ongoing work of our board, general manager Luke Holmes and the commitments from our sponsors. We would once again like to thank Luke for his efforts over the last 12 months and the support of the sponsors that makes this possible.

We have built a financial platform that enables us to enter the 2016 season earlier and better prepared than ever before.

**STEPHEN RUBIE**  
Vice President & Commercial Director

“  
We have made capital commitments to support player growth and development.”



Players, sponsors and guests celebrate during the RATS Annual Presentation Night

# SOCIAL MEDIA Report



**DID YOU KNOW** the RATS now touch supporters worldwide, including South America, Africa, UK, Europe, Middle East, USA and Asia.



**PAGE LIKES** 1986 (at Nov 2015)

**MAX REACH** 14,900 people ("Vale Guy Grinham")

**SPECIAL MENTION** 9,850 people ("Fardy Heads Skyward")



**INSTAGRAM FOLLOWERS** 1200 (at Nov 2015)

**FAN FAVOURITES** 128 likes (Sam Ward Bayfield Cup Win)

**SPECIAL MENTION** 114 likes (Scott Fardy RWC Au v Eng)



**TWITTER FOLLOWERS** 1551 (at Nov 2015)

**POPULAR TWEET** RWC Live Final Cover

**DID YOU KNOW** the official 2015 RWC media team started following the RATGRAM (instagram) over 6 mths ago.

**DID YOU KNOW** the RATS consistently receive MORE press coverage than any other Shute Shield team in NSW in 2015? (per column inch)



# COMMUNITY Report



Juniors from Newport Rugby get ready for the guard of honour during a game at Rat Park.

## PLAYER WELFARE

### A HEALTHY CULTURE

I'm continually surprised by the healthy culture in the club. New players are welcomed, the Colts are embraced and players put the club first above the grade they represent or their position on the team. The reality is...what we are a part of is much bigger than the part we play.

We are looking forward to 2016 and exploring new ways that we can further help all those involved or connected succeed not just on the field, but in every area of life.

**JERRY GROENSTYN**  
Player Welfare Manager

## THE WRINKLED RATS

Calling all "Golden Oldies"! The Wrinkled Rats will continue in season 2016 under the patronage of the esteemed Elley Bennett (member of the 1964 team). Interested parties should contact Luke Holmes (who is not old enough but is our General Manager after all!).

## RATS COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT PROGRAM

### RATS COMMUNITY PROGRAM

As the Warringah Rugby Club grows our attention more than ever lies within our local community, a clear vision of how we will grow our game while supporting coaches, families and the local youth of the North Shore.

2016 will see our program grow with a large focus back on growing the junior base while supporting our seven Junior Clubs.

### A HEALTHY CULTURE

I would like to thank all of our amazing sponsors for their support and generosity. Special mention must be made to the Pittwater Council, Col Crawford Lifestyle Cars and Hyundai for their ongoing contribution to the local area and the growth of sport.

### RATS COMMUNITY PROGRAM

We decided to pave the way in NSW with the Warringah Rugby Club launching the very successful Community Engagement Program. This program has seen the Rats immerse itself back within the local community and give back to the local area.

Without player buy-in this wouldn't work so thank you to all the players that gave time. To our staff Emily Robinson, Michael Adams and James Cunningham your contribution was huge and has played a huge part in seeing our program become an essential part of the local community.

### ENGAGEMENT INITIATIVES

Some of the initiatives in 2015 have seen us back in local schools, Coaches for Coaches Program, Warringah Rugby Holiday Clinics and our commitment to local events and the support of community initiatives and sports.

**LUKE HOLMES**  
General Manager

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# FINAL LEADER Boards



## 2015 Club Championship

Premiership Club	Points
Sydney University	2905
Eastwood	2856
Randwick	2743
Manly	2504
Northern Suburbs	2227
Southern Districts	1933
WARRINGAH	1918
Eastern Suburbs	1852
West Harbour	1788
Gordon	1753
Parramatta	1223
Penrith	221



### DID YOU KNOW...

RATS flyhalf Hamish Angus narrowly missed winning the 2015 Ken Catchpole Medal by a single point. Had he won it this year Hamish would have been only the 2nd player to have won the award 3 times since it was introduced - only Norths Scott Fava has won the medal 3 times. This year Hamish was nudged out by Randwick's David Horwitz.

## 2015 InTrust Shute Shield Leaderboard (1st XV) after 18 Rounds

Premiership Club	P	W	D	L	F	A	DF	BP 4t	BP <7	BP	Pts
Manly	18	16	0	2	623	340	283	12	1	13	77
Eastwood	18	15	0	3	776	339	437	12	2	14	74
Southern Districts	18	12	0	6	621	387	234	10	4	14	62
Sydney University	18	11	0	7	548	380	168	9	5	14	58
WARRINGAH	18	11	0	7	567	418	149	10	3	13	57
Randwick	18	11	0	7	444	418	26	7	1	8	52
West Harbour	18	10	0	8	436	414	22	5	2	7	47
Northern Suburbs	18	8	0	10	547	468	79	9	5	14	46
Gordon	18	8	0	10	485	462	23	7	3	10	42
Eastern Suburbs	18	4	0	14	388	531	-143	6	5	11	27
Parramatta	18	1	1	16	418	644	-226	10	5	15	21
Penrith	18	0	1	17	140	1192	-1052	0	0	0	2





# 1st GRADE Report



Josh Holmes ended the season as the InTrust Shute Shield's highest try scorer.

“  
Warringah  
was the  
“most  
watched”  
team of any  
of the Shute  
Shield sides.  
”

## A NEW COACHING UNIT

Despite the unsettled start to the 2015 rugby season, the 1<sup>st</sup> Grade squad settled into a consistent, well performing team that were unlucky not to progress even further than the successful team of 2014, that comfortably made the Shute Shield finals.

The welcome addition of Mark Gerrard and Tui Malifa to the coaching staff, and the ongoing, much-valued input from Michael Lipman ensured that all players in the senior squad continued to develop and improve both individually and as a team.

## A FORMIDABLE TEAM

Despite a couple of close losses early in the competition, the team, ably captained by the evergreen Luke Holmes, together with strong support and direction from senior deputies Ben Adams, Josh Holmes and Hamish Angus, consolidated from an inconsistent start to become one of the most formidable and unpredictable teams in the competition. Indeed, research shows that Warringah were the ‘most watched’ team of any of the Shute Shield sides on the weekly Prozone site that produced replays of all games as well as a number of key statistics from each game.

## NEW TALENT EMERGES

Unfortunately, we also encountered a spate of injuries to key positions that, at times, created challenges to both our game plan and to players within the team. However, the enforced absences from the team of exciting players such as Boyd Killingworth, Harry Jones, Brad Dixon, and Josh Gillard, as well as our respected leader, Luke Holmes, created opportunities for other players to step up and show the talents that they undoubtedly have.

Guys like Sam Crompton, Robert Kelly, and Jamie Forbes, together with outstanding local young guns like Tyson Davis, Tim Poynton, Rory O’Connor, Chris Arnold and Tom McMillan all stepped up and displayed the ability and game knowledge required to

ensure that they will deservedly have a distinguished, long-term 1st Grade career.

But I think it was the reliable, consistently strong performances of Sam Ward, James Cunningham, Wayne Borsak, Vincent “Diesel” Wright and Junior Palau up front, and Josh, Hamish, the exciting Mike Adams and the brilliant David Feltscheer in the backline that gave our team the well-deserved reputation as being one of the most respected in the competition.

## THE FORWARD PACK SHINE

I believe that our scrum improved immensely this year under Tui’s tutelage and from the persistent, focussed efforts of Wayne, Rory, Jack “JT” Tomkins, Luke, Rob “Bertsy” Kelly and the inspirational Manessah Alaga. The backline continued to be a threat to all teams and scored some sensational tries, our lineout was solid, and we were dedicated to the task at hand. Sam Ward led admirably from the front in Luke’s absence, and I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the whole club and wish Sam well with his ‘Italian Rugby Contratto’.

## THANKS TO ALL SUPPORTERS

Finally, I would like to thank everybody involved with the 1st Grade side this year, and indeed with the whole club, for their much-valued input, support, efforts, resolve, and dedication to the cause – the players, Luke the GM, Lippo, Gerrardo, Tui, Ed Doyle, Dick Harris, Dan Tilley, Dr Tom Harwood, Francesca “Frankie” Faulkner and her team, Club Captain Ryan “Turbo” Trbojevich, President Phil Parsons and the committee, all of the other coaches and managers, the Friends of Warringah, the supporters, the bar staff, and last, but not least, the Hillbillies, whom I had the honour of being inaugurated into this year, and for making my season so damn enjoyable!

GREG MARR  
Head Coach

# 1st GRADE Report



Michael Adams drags a Student behind him in the clash against Sydney University



The RATS and their supporters celebrate their Bayfield Cup win against Manly.



# 2nd GRADE Report



Harry McBryde - the man with the hair and more moves than a Blue Light Disco!

“  
At the halfway point of the competition the team had won 8 from 11 games.”

## SEIZING MISSED OPPORTUNITIES

The 2015 2nd grade session was much anticipated. A squad strengthened by the experience of missed opportunities in 2014, was enhanced by a selection of young talented colts, returning injured players and in Euan Clark, a young, dynamic coach at the helm.

## A SIMPLE PLAN BRINGS RESULTS

The players were encouraged to do what comes naturally - play to a structure when required and enjoy playing for the club with their mates. A simple game plan that worked as we arrived at the halfway point of the competition, the team having won 8 from 11 games.

It was a fantastic achievement for a playing group heavily affected by injuries, unavailability and departure. They managed to knock off Souths, North's, Randwick, Eastwood, West Harbour, Gordon, Easts and Penrith. A 2nd half collapse against Parramatta and an inability to close out games against Uni and Manly cost us a perfect start to the season.

## FINALS FOOTY BECKONED

The 2nd half of the season is about consistency and getting yourself ready for finals football. We continued with wins against North's and Gordon, but our failure to dominate, close out games and collect bonus point was starting to become a habit. Our 46 all draw against South's typified our mindset and on-field behaviour.

With Penrith, Manly, Uni and Eastwood as our final four games, we worked to install confidence within the players and encouraged them to do what comes naturally. We did a job on Penrith (St Mary's Rugby League), achieved a fantastic win over Uni, yet struggled against Manly and Eastwood. We finished the season in 5th, having qualified for finals four weeks out, winning 12 of our 17 games and only losing once at home.

## A HEALTHY CULTURE

Our qualifying final against Eastwood was a fantastic game. Euan, Doyley and I always said we wanted performances and we certainly got a good one to finish with. But it typified this 2nd grade team of players.

We scored the opening try through a catch and drive line out - yet we only did one other catch and drive lineout in the remaining 75mins! We scored 3 tries from turnovers after applying great pressure on the Eastwood backline. We still tried to run the ball from our own goal line and gave away the ball and easy points. It was a case of getting within striking distance, but just not understanding how to apply the right pressure to win big games.

A good season and something we can really build on. 80 minute performances and knowing when and how to play, will be essential for success 2016.

ANDREW JOHNSON  
2nd Grade Coach

## DID YOU KNOW...

Versatile RAT back Sebastian Wileman had a big year. In between modelling assignments, Seb was selected to join the NSW 7s program with fellow Rat Boyd Killingworth. He was also a standout player for the Emerging Rays side, coached by none other than the RATS own Ed Doyle.



# 2nd GRADE Report



Jordie Meredith leaves the Rebels in his wake as he begins another RATS attack.



Manasseh Alaga ploughs through a few Highlanders in his debut season for the RATS.



# 3rd GRADE Report



Benji Marshall palms off an Eastwood attack during the 3rd Grade quarter finals.

## NEW COACH, NEW APPROACH

We started off the season slowly, with a good win in the first game. The next four that followed were close but we just couldn't seem to get the win. The players and myself were still getting established as a team and learning how to work together.

This year's 3rd Grade was led by Luke Preston as Captain and also some senior players in the side. After our win against Gordon, we began to find our feet, got on a roll and started enjoying our footy. From here we won the next four which included knocking off this year's grand finalists Eastern Suburbs who were undefeated until the ninth round.

## BELIEF AND DETERMINATION WIN

Other memorable wins throughout the year were against our rivals Manly, which we won both rounds. The team demonstrated great skills and determination showing that by working together we could be a force within the competition. In a game against Norths, which we needed to win, the team showed great spirit in believing in themselves to go for a try after the bell instead of taking a penalty kick and drawing the game. They showed patience and succeeded with a try in the corner four minutes after the bell to win the game. This gives me great confidence in next year's performance.

## PLAYERS STEP UP

There were many injuries in the higher grades which meant 3rd Grade used up to 40 players throughout the year. Even with these injuries, the players came together well and worked together as a team. Out

of the 18 games we played throughout the season, we won 11 and lost seven, with five of those losses by less than seven points. With the bounce of the ball in a couple of those games going our way we could have finished a lot higher on the table.

## A SHOT AT FINALS

Making it to the finals was a great achievement for the team. Unfortunately we could not get the win and go all the way to the grand final. There were a couple of players that stood out well this year. They were Daniel Saggus, Michael Ritchie, Ben Marshall and young Harry Suters, who started the year in 4th Grade but ended up playing 2nd Grade.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

I would like to say thank you to the players who turned up throughout the year on Tuesday and Thursday nights so that we could train as a side. Congratulations to Michael Ritchie for winning best and fairest this year for 3rd Grade - a very good player and one to watch in years to come.

I would like to thank Adam Bate (4th Grade coach) and Scott Reid for all the hard work they put in this year with the team. Finally, I would like to thank Greg Marr and all the other coaching staff behind the scenes for giving me the opportunity to coach 3rd Grade this year, I have really enjoyed it and look forward to being involved next year.

Have a great break and see you all next season!

ADAM DONKIN  
3rd Grade Coach

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# 4th GRADE Report



## THE TROJANS OF THE CLUB

Firstly I'd just like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you to Adam Donkin, Scott Reid and Ryan Trbojevich for helping and guiding me through my first year coaching. I'd also like to thank Greg Marr, Mark Gerrard, Ed Doyle and Andrew Johnson for their help throughout the year.

We had a pretty tough season in 4th Grade this year and didn't quite achieve the expected results we had hoped at the start of the year. This was predominantly put down to the many injuries sustained in the higher grades (13 backs at one point), which created opportunities for our 4th Grade team to progress up the grades quicker than anticipated, and what an impact they had!!

## HOLDING THE FORT

Unfortunately it left a skeleton crew of legends to hold the fort awaiting the return of the cavalry. However full credit must go to the players who turned up to training and games showing true camaraderie and incredible club spirit, giving every game their best shot.

We gave most teams a good challenge (particularly Sydney Uni in both games) but often fell short in the second half due to our fitness. So I strongly encourage everyone who played 4th Grade throughout the year to get a good head start on our fitness for next year by turning up to scheduled gym times, off-season and pre-season training sessions. These individual improvements will help build depth and ensure a successful 2016 season!

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Congratulations to Jack Basham on being awarded the best and fairest, he was a deserved winner, leading the team with passion and bravado every time he took the field. Special mention must also go to the new players to Grade this season - Jack Wheatley, Nick Condon, Will Sheehan, Jake Lowe and James "Scogsy" Scognamiglio who really fitted in with the old heads like Dougy (Doug Dalziel), Turbo (Ryan Trbojevich), Gez (Josh Gerrard) and Toby Paten, providing the energy and enthusiasm at training to keep driving us forward.

I'd also like to thank the higher grade players and Colts for supporting 4th Grade, whether it be coming down early to watch or throwing your kit on and playing half a game to help the boys out.

Lastly, I'd like to say a massive thank you to 4th Grade. You're an outstanding group of blokes and I couldn't speak higher of you. You made my time coaching this year thoroughly enjoyable and I look forward to next year, in whatever capacity my body will allow!

Hopefully playing with you!

**ADAM BATE**  
4th Grade Coach



4th grade stalwart Jack Basham in action for the Rats earlier this year.

## DID YOU KNOW...

This year saw the return of Rats young star Adam Bate in a new role as 4th Grade Coach. Blessed with an uncanny eye for the game, Adam was felled by a serious leg injury over 3 years ago that had him sidelined ever since. Winning coaching genes runs in the family - Adam is the nephew of Rats 1st XV coach Greg Marr.



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# THE COLTS Report



Colt Caleb O'Neill on the attack during the clash against Norths.

“  
There..(is) an understanding that something very positive is building. We have an abundance of very young, talented players.  
”

## SLOW START BUT NUMBERS GROW

The Season began slowly with troubling numbers at training throughout pre-season. On average, we were getting around 22 boys to training for each session but had seen around 45 throughout. Boys would consistently say ‘don’t worry, he’ll be here’. We then launched the Colts season and split our training from Grade. There was a slight upturn in numbers, but not the major increase for which we had hoped. The likes of Murray Pitt consistently calling boys and parents no doubt was a major help in being able to field two teams in the opening rounds.

As the season drew on, we were fortunate that our Warringah U18s team was ‘disbanded’ and a core group of young guys came to train with the promise that they’d only play 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade. These guys brought along friends. Word got out amongst our guys that training was good, there was a feel good atmosphere and rugby was always being played and developed. As the season went on, we had outstanding numbers and this lead to more competition at training, competition for places and consequently, results vastly improved as the season went on.

## CAMARADERIE & COMMITMENT

The major plus point of the season has no doubt been the camaraderie and commitment of a core group of around 30 players. This was epitomised at Parramatta where 27 boys played three games for the club. We were much the better team in 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade, sacrifice 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade and were particularly close to winning 1<sup>st</sup> Grade but for the last ten minutes when we were out on our feet.

There has consistently been a positive atmosphere in the playing group and an understanding that something very positive is building. We have an abundance of very

young, talented players. I believe that there has been for too long a ‘losing but good effort’ mentality within the Colts section and believe that this is being turned around. We are constructive with our criticism and honest with ourselves and our players as an organisation.

## DEVELOPING THE COLTS CULTURE

This positive environment has led to what I believe will be a very high percentage of player retention. We have fostered good relationships with all of the boys and most are very keen on a return to pre-season. All are being sent individual feedback at the moment and I’m sure all will confirm their intention of playing next year.

We have also now begun to build a gym culture within the Colts. Ben Bidencope has been an excellent driving force in this. Our core group of players that have committed to the S&C programme have improved no end. The likes of Kurtis Stariha and John Ferguson were often the better players on the field at 1<sup>st</sup> Grade whilst still being in year 12. This is something we need to develop further and plans are afoot to improve the commitment to this programme.

## PROACTIVE COMMUNICATION KEY

Other than our results and numbers at the beginning of the season, I believe that the administrative side of the Colts needs to be vastly improved. Things have often been unclear with particular regard for registration. In my opinion this is due to it being our first season as a management group and perhaps our communication with regard to our expectations of managers and other officials not being clear enough. We were very reactive throughout the season, I’d like to see us on top of things from the off and being a particularly proactive group.

# THE COLTS Report



Colts Jack Slack-Smith eyes the try line



The Colts celebrate their victory over Manly at Rat Park





# THE COLTS Report



Colt Josh Thompson outran a Marlin to cross the try line, pushing the Rats Colts into the lead against Manly.

This is something that is being looked at in both our coaching and management structure and has been earmarked as a major development area. We must (and will) allocate our Match Day Controller for the season and will provide all officials with education and a checklist of what is expected of them.

### THREE AREAS TO IMPROVE

On field negatives seemed monumental at the beginning of the season. But it seemed as the season went on that actually there were three. Firstly, the 'losing well' mentality that has obviously been around for years as mentioned earlier.

This brings me to my second point - the distinct lack of leadership from our final year Colts. Other than a handful (of which half suffered season ending injuries early on) these boys couldn't be relied upon and often went missing in games and training due to an impending European trip or the anticipation of a bus trip. Some attitudes were detrimental to the development of rugby and particularly bad for results. We won't have a lot of final year Colts next year, but I believe with how the season developed for us this year, this will not be an issue next year.

Finally, it was the set-piece. This is purely down to our coaching. Despite my appearance, I am a back - I promise. Not having a committed, young and vibrant forwards coach was never a good thing for us throughout the year. It should come as no surprise that this area of our game improved immensely when Ben Whitaker

came on board, as did results. We must secure at least two coaches per team this season. Coaching was often down to Ben and I. Personally, I felt that our coaches either lacked commitment, ability or experience and so probably didn't delegate or have the option of delegation at training, so was often left to take around 40 boys. This is a major development area for next season.

### 1ST GRADE CHALLENGES

Our 1<sup>st</sup> Grade were a lot more capable than what they achieved. Attitude and belief were rock bottom for much of the season and this was a major part of our job this season. Being as positive as possible and creating the right environment was integral to what ended up being a much improved final part of the year.

We lacked a set piece at times, which often cost us possession in good field positions. This has been identified and securing Whits will go a long way in to remedying this. We often over-relied on our forwards to carry the ball, but when trigger's and benny's were used we ran teams ragged. A first half bonus point against Uni is testament to this. This will be at the forefront of my thinking for our upcoming season's game plan.

We have developed creative, committed and skilful players this year, we thrive in unstructured play but our organisation improved no end as the season progressed. We have also developed an understanding of how hard you need to work in order to win games at this level.

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### DID YOU KNOW...

Rats Colt Jerry Lemalu was recently selected to join the NSW Waratahs Generation Blue squad (seen here during training). Before joining the RATS Jerry was based in Melbourne where he caught the eyes of Melbourne Rebel Rising selectors and joined their squad. Somehow we think we'll see more of Jerry!



# THE COLTS Report



## 2ND GRADE SACRIFICES

Unfortunately, our 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade seemed to be the sacrificial lamb of the season. Quite often, there would be at least 5 players running on for 2s that had already played a full 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade game. It would be very difficult to pinpoint technical aspects of their game that needed development when they were often coming up against stronger, bigger and fresher opponents.

Commitment by some was often an issue as heads were down from the off. However, if these boys played 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade or stepped up to 1<sup>st</sup>, their quality and commitment to play was outstanding. A lack of front rowers often hindered our 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade.

## 3RD GRADE SHOW PROMISE

Our 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade are a very young group of guys. There is enormous talent in this

group and many have gone on to play 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade and even 1<sup>st</sup> Grade with distinction. If it wasn't for the first two weeks of the season, they would have reached finals.

Due to their young age and our need at times for them to back up, a lot of these boys were visibly tired for some games. 18 rounds was obviously new to them.

However, in this group we have fantastic players who will become Club stalwarts in Colts and Grade, as well as some that will play representative rugby I'm sure. We need to nurture these boys and develop them responsibly. A very exciting and promising group.

**OWAIN ROBERTS**  
Head Coach - Colts



John Ferguson looks to offload in the clash against the Manly Marlins



The Hillbillies, wearing their regulation "Hillbilly Flannies" take in all the action at Rat Park from their permanent spot on the Hill at Rat Park. These die-hard Rats fans are so popular they even got a mention in the Manly Daily.

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# RATS SEVENS Report



Brad Dixon on the attack during Kiama 7s

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## SETTING THE PLATFORM

The Rats 7s program in 2015 was always set for something special. With the sponsorship base growing, Greg Marr on board and a sharp set of new jerseys the team headed to Crescent Head in early February with the goal of improving on the third place position we'd achieved the previous year.

This was set to be the perfect start to the rugby year as we improved every game to find ourselves in the final against our old foe Manly. For us this would be our day as we claimed our first Sevens tournament in many years and set us up for the following two tournaments.

## INVESTMENT PAYS DIVIDENDS

Next we headed to Lake Macquarie and Kiama where we were only defeated once in 18 games with our only loss being in the final of the Kiama tournament. Once again this was a great kick-start to the year and gave young players such as Tyson Davies and Jamie Forbes the perfect platform to go on and play first grade throughout the year.

As Sevens grows throughout Australia, the Warringah Rugby Club has invested into the shortened version of the game giving players the opportunity to train and learn the game of sevens rugby. In 2015 we have seen Boyd Killingworth off the back of the Sevens program, sign a fulltime training contract with the Australian Sevens where we hope to see him at the 2016 Olympics.

## DID YOU KNOW...

Rats S&C Coach Dan Tilley was previously an S&C coach at the NSW Waratahs. He worked with newly appointed Wallabies Head of Athlete Development Haydn Masters. Dan has been the key driver in implementing the RATS training programs.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

I would like to thank the wonderful Rats 7s sponsors who provide the platform and resource needed to run the high level program that is in place.

Rats 7s Partners: Hypro Pet Care, Smith & Sons, Global Gaming, Rick Davis Contractors, Mark Holmes Plumbing, Peter Holmes Investments and the one and only Louis Werth from Scotwork.

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- ✓ 5<sup>th</sup> place at the Central Coast Sevens (Top placed Australian Side)
- ✓ Special Invite to the Coral Coast Sevens
- ✓ 1<sup>st</sup> Place Crescent Head Sevens
- ✓ 1<sup>st</sup> Place Lake Macquarie Sevens
- ✓ 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Kiama Sevens
- ✓ Top Men's Australian Sevens Club

Squad: Michael Adams, Hamish Angus, Tyson Davis, Chris Arnold, Martin Collins, James Cunningham, Brad Dixon, Josh Gillard, Josh Holmes, Luke Holmes, Harry Jones, Tui Tuisavaii, Sebastian Wileman, Luke Vescio, Jordan Fowles, Jamie Forbes, David Feltscheer, Boyd Killingworth

## MARK HOLMES

Team Manager - RATS 7s



# RATS SEVENS Report



The Mens RATS 7 team and supporters following the win at Crescent Heads 7s



The victorious Womens 7s team with their Kiama 7s winners cheque



# RATETTES Report



Laura Devereaux on the attack against Rockdale

## BREAKING NEW GROUND

There are many ways to measure success as a sporting team, winning trophies being the obvious one, although we didn't quite do that this season the influx of new faces and the enjoyment that all the players get from pulling on the green and white made season 2015 a raging success.

One of the most unique and rewarding opportunities presented to players at Warringah is the chance to tour and the January tour to Sri Lanka was both unique and rewarding. It was a fantastic experience and all the girls are grateful for all the hard work that goes into getting these tours off the ground. We played 2 games of 7s in Sri Lanka and were victorious in both matches.

## SEVENS STRENGTH ON SHOW

Once back on home soil we started the season playing a few 7s tournaments and triumphed in Kiama beating a representative strength Western Sydney Rams in the final. Following the domestic competitions the ARU held the National 7s tournament at Narrabeen in March. The NSW Blue team annihilated QLD Red in the final and the following Rats played a huge part in that success - Emma Lincoln-Smith, Inge Visser, Katrina "Cheech" Barker and a special mention to Mardi Watts who played in the NSW White team with multiple breaks in her hand and fingers - crazy though.

## INJURIES HAMPER FINALS BERTH

The 15s season started with the addition of 2 new teams to the competition. We steadily built throughout the season and probably played our best match of the season on a Thursday night in a make-up

game at Rat Park before the semis when we beat Sydney Uni.

We faced Sydney Uni 10 days later in the Semi-final and unfortunately a few untimely injuries to Emily Robinson and Emma Lincoln-Smith really hurt us. Uni were victorious that day and went on to win the Grand Final against Parramatta.

## RECORD REPRESENTATIVE CAPS

A number of players also represented Sydney at the 15s Nationals. The Sydney team were crowned National Champs after defeating ACT in a great final at Riverview. The Rats that were selected in that team were - Emily Robinson, Sarah Laman, Danielle Meskell, Mardi Watts, Emma Lincoln-Smith, Katrina "Cheech" Barker, Lilin Tay, Nat Maclarn, and Anne Rutledge.

At the conclusion of that tournament an Australian squad was announced and Emily Robinson, Sarah Laman, Danielle Meskell, Emma Lincoln-Smith, and Katrina "Cheech" Barker were selected to attend a training camp in QLD. This is the first step towards the World Cup in 2017. Congratulations ladies.

## EMERGING NEW TALENT EXCITES

A special mention to the new players this season, Leigh Whiteside, Crystal Maguire, Masina Tukipili, Caitlin Caldwell, Jacqueline Green, Kylie Hocknell and Remy Lowe. Each girl brought something unique to the team and I look forward to watching them continue to improve next year.

Congratulations to all the award winners this season and a special mention to Lilin Tay played her 100<sup>th</sup> match this season.

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This is the first step towards the (Womens) Rugby World Cup in 2017.  
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## DID YOU KNOW...

Ratette Emma Lincoln-Smith is a former Olympian, who represented Australia in the Skelaton. Emma switched to Rugby three years ago and this year was selected to both the Sydney Womens squad (pictured) and the Wallaroos training squad to prepare for the World Cup in 2017.



# RATETTES Report



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Finally, a quick shout out to Anne “Ranger” Rutledge who has jetted off to the US after winning a scholarship at Central Washington University to complete a two years masters and take the role of assistant coach for the women’s program there.

This is a great example of what rugby offers you, it open’s doors and I am so happy that Ranger has taken this chance. Go well Ranger.

As always, thank you so much to my co-coach Pete “HAMMER” Hammond. I say it every year, but I really couldn’t do it without you and both I and the girls are so grateful for your contribution.

One day soon we will both retire!

**ERIN MORTON**  
Head Coach - Womens

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Clockwise from above:

Above: Emily Robinson, representing Sydney Womens kicks for touch during Nationals.

Top Right: Katrina Barker eyes the try line in the 7s clash against the Marly Mermaids

Bottom Right: Lillin Tay, seen here against Parramatta, celebrated her 100 match milestone this year.



# FOW Report

The Friends of Warringah is the supporters group which provides invaluable financial support to Warringah Rugby Club.

Warringah Rugby Club would like to acknowledge the loyalty and generosity of the Friends of Warringah and thank them for their on-going support. As at October 2015 the current Friends of Warringah were as follows:

Friends of Warringah 2015 Members			
Ken Angus	David Edwards	Ted Lyndon	Warren Poole
Mark Bayfield	Campbell Flower	Dr Graeme MacDougal	Paul Schober
Wayne Bayfield	Gee Family	David McBryde	Cameron Scott-Fell
Chris Birch	Ian Grist	Pat McCabe	Mike Sheeran
Clayton Brown	Dean Guberina	Terry McCabe	Kim Sheridan
Bob Buckingham	Greg Hammond	Martin Milner	Bill Simpson
Col Crawford	Dick Harris	Ross Neville	Martin Thompson
Stephen Crawford	John Heffernan	Newport Junior Rugby	Murray Ward
Peter Davis	Dr Bernie Hudson	Brendan Paddison	Ian Worrall
Stephen Doyle	Malcolm Jones	Murray Pitt	

Further details on the Friends of Warringah can be found at the Rats website [www.warringahrugby.com.au](http://www.warringahrugby.com.au) or by contacting any of the Friends of Warringah Committee:

Stephen Doyle  
Paul Schober

John Heffernan  
Mike Sheeran

Brendan Paddison  
Martin Thompson

The Friends of Warringah, helping keep the Rats strong!!!!



FOW members Murray Ward and Chairman Stephen Doyle



FOW members Col Crawford and Ted Lyndon

# FOW Report



What has the FOW contributed to WRC in 2015?

## DID YOU KNOW...

As well as sponsoring a table for the Women of Warringah charity lunch and providing financial assistance with some relocation and accommodation expenses for some of the interstate and overseas players the FOW assisted the club in many other ways throughout the year.

**\$1500** New training gear to RATS pre-season High Performance Unit

**\$1800** To Conquest Melbourne (Rats training program)

**\$9000** Gym improvements including new floors, painting and upgrading gym equipment

**\$5000** To upgrade all front office equipment

**\$5000** For RATS coach to attend international Rugby Coaching Course, NZ

**\$5000** Contribution to the WRC community engagement program & school training camp clinics





# GRADE Register

NAMES	GAMES PLAYED 2015					TOTAL GAMES PLAYED						POINTS SCORED 2015				TOTAL POINTS SCORED							
	1	2	3	4	T	Colts	1	2	3	4	5	6	T	T	G	PG	FG	T	T	G	PG	FG	T
ADAMS, Ben	16	7			23	55	77	41	6	2			126	2				10	8				40
ADAMS, Michael	16				16	36	60	4					64	8				40	31	3	3		170
ALAGA, Manusseh	13	15			28		13	15					28	4				20	4				20
ANDERSON, Louis	1	12	2	1	16	34	3	28	4	1			36	2	7	2		30	7	7	2		55
ANGUS, Hamish	18				18	23	88	13		2			103	3	49	15		158	29	158	75		686
ARNOLD, Christopher	13	9			22	36	31	30	2				63	8				40	19	7	1		112
BAKER, Scott I				1	1	23	6	21	20	3			50					0	4				20
BARRATT, Peter	2	7	9		18	35	2	13	23	2			40	1				5	4				20
BASHAM, Jack A			3	10	13	38			10	26			36	2				10	2				10
BATE, Adam	1	3	3	7	7	74		11	6	4			21	2				10	6				30
BECK, Patrick			16	8	24	56		6	53	49			108	3	34	7		104	14	64	19		255
BENSON, Ben		8	11	2	21		6	42	83	99	19		249					0	8				40
BLACK, Haydn					0	60	11	33	32	2			78					0	10				50
BLOMFIELD, Pierce				10	10	19				23			23					0					0
BLYTH, Calum		9	8	3	20			11	10	7			28	6				30	7				35
BORSAK, Wayne	19				19	46	70	3	1	1			75	1				5	3				15
BORULA, Ethan		1	6		7	78	1	9	25	7			42		11	1		25	3	14	4		55
BRADLEY, Scott		4			4	42	37	89	23	7			156					0	16	28	10		166
CARMONT, Cael A			1	1	2	37			1	1			2					0					0
COLLINS, Martin	3	3	2	1	9		16	4	2	1			23	2				10	5				25
CONDON, Nicholas			3	11	14	46			3	11			14	1				5	1				5
CREELEY, Liam	3	7	9		19	18	3	7	9				19	8				40	8				40
CROMPTON, Samuel	15	2	2		19		30	8	2				40	9				45	10				50
CROWYN, Timothy		2	5	1	8			2	5	1			8	3				15	3				15
CUNNINGHAM, James P	19				19		19						19	2				10	2				10
DALECKI, Tim			9	4	13		4	16	77	76			173					0	8	2			44
DALZIEL, Doug			2	7	9	59	2	34	61	51	1		149	2				10	26		1		133
DAVIES, Andrew P		1	1	1	3	27		1	1	1			3					0					0
DAVIES, Sean	1	12	7		20		1	24	16	8			49	1				5	3				15
DAVIS, Tyson	12	2				14	13	9	2				24	4				20	9				45
DIXON, Bradley	8	1			9		42	13	5	1			61	1	2			9	17	2			89
DWYER, David			1	2	3				1	2			3	2	1			12	2	1			12
EDMONDSON, Craig			1	3	4	72		1	20	27			48					0	9				45
EDMONDSON, Grant				1	1	55				7			7					0					0
EDWARDS, Michael			2		2	20		5	17				22	1	1			7	7	26	7		108
EVANS, Jamaica S				2	2					2			2					0					0
FAAMATUAINU, Daniel		2	7		9			2	7				9	2				10	2				10
FELTSCHER, David	18				18	33	102	43					145	6				30	81				405
FERGUSON, John				1	1	23				1			1					0					0
FIELD, Benjamin				1	1	60		1	14	57	4		76					0					0
FINCH, Hamish				7	7				4	70	1		75					0					0
FORBES, Jamie	17	6	1		24		18	16	10	4			48	8	29	8		122	13	45	13		194
FOWLES, Jordan	7	8	7		22		7	8	7				22	5				25	5				25
GALVIN, James M			2		2				2				2					0					0
GERRARD, Joshua			7	6	13	49		28	36	20			84	5				25	25	4	1		136
GERRARD, Mark	2		1	2	5		61	4	1	2			68					0	29	50	14		287
GILLARD, Josh	10	3	1		14	23	20	19	3	1			43	5				25	10	4	1		61
GILLINGHAM, Kahn				2	2			1	12	17			30					0	4				20
HAGGERTY, Thomas R	1	6	15	1	23		1	6	15	1			23	4				20	4				20
HARRISON, Christopher				2	2					2			2	1				5	1				5
HILLICKS, Finlay		2	7	3	12			2	7	3			12	2				10	2				10
HOLANI, Lolomanala				5	5			9	53	181	76	30	349					0	12	1			62
HOLMES, Josh	19				19	40	103	10	3				116	21				105	76				380
HOLMES, Luke	13				13	39	135	10	3				148	3				15	72				360
HORTON, Jamie			2		2	24	6	24	10	3			43	1				5	12				60
HOWELL, Pierce	6	14			20	67	16	41	4	1			62	5				25	11				55
IRISSOU, Thibaut				6	6				7	35			42					0	8				40
JONES, Harry	3	1			4		16	14					30	3				15	25	13	3		160
JONES, Max		2	7	4	13	31		13	10	4			27	9				45	23				115
JONES, Zachary J			5	4	9	47			5	4			9	1				5	1				5
KELLY, Robert	16	9			25	60	33	44	36	14			127	4				20	10				50

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KILLINGWORTH, Boyd	11	3		1	15	2	50	8		3			61	4			20	11				55
KEOHANE, Edward		2			2			2					2		2	1	7		2	1		7
LACK-BOROUGH, Jake			1		1				1				1				0					0
LATUHOI, Nikola			1		1	9	1	14	10				25				0	2				10
LEMALU, Jerry		5	4	2	11	1		5	4	2			11	3	5		25	3	5			25
LONGRIGG, Mitchell D				1	1	61	32	61	3	3			99				0	2				10
LOWE, Jake S			4	10	14	78			4	10			14	2			10	2				10
MARSHALL, Benjamin	1	2	10	3	16	31	3	8	27	13	2		53	2			10	4				20
McBRYDE, Harry	3	11	9		23	38	3	16	20				39	8			40	16				80
McINNES, Ethan B			5	3	8				5	3			8	0			0					0
McMILLAN, Harry			1		1				1				1				0					0
McMILLAN, Tom A	5	9	2	3	19		5	9	2	3			19	7			35	7				35
MEREDITH, Jordan	2	9	3	3	17	12	2	10	8	7			27	4	12	1	50	4	13	1	1	52
MILHAM, Connor J				2	2	15				2			2				0					0
NELI, Stephen			1		1				1				1				0					0
O'CONNOR, Rory	18				18		18						18	2			10	2				10
PALAU, Junior	17				17		29	5					34	1			5	2				10
PATEN, Toby			1	13	14	25		1	18	53			72				0	5	2			29
PICKLES, Matthew			1	2	3	36			1	2			3	1			5	1				5
POYNTING, Timothy	4	15	4		23	55	4	15	6				25	4			20	4				20
PRESTON, Luke	2	11	14		27	78	23	54	17	5			99				0	3				15
PRITCHARD, Glen				1	1		2	40	40	2			84				0	2	3	1		19
REID, Callum O		8	13	1		32		8	13	1				4	1			4	1			
REID, Jordan S		2	11		13			2	11				13	3			15	3				15
REID, Sam		12	9		21	32	1	30	47	2			80	4			20	10				50
RENEMAN, Jake L			1	8	9	39			1	8			9				0					0
RITCHIE, Michael		2	11		13	72	3	34	34	3			74	3			15	5				25
ROEDER, Niall				2	2					2			2				0					0
SAGGUS, Daniel		2	12	2	16	7		4	28	11			43	6			30	16				80
SANDVOSS, Mitchell				9	9					9			9				0					0
SCANLAN, Benjamin			2		2	15		4	17	1			22				0	9	2			49
SCOGNAMIGLIO, Andrew				5	5	26				5			5				0					0
SCOGNAMIGLIO, James A			2	3	5	25			2	3			5				0					0
SELBY, Harrison		4	14	4	22	59		4	17	9			30	5		1	28	5		1		28
SHEEHAN, William B			2	9	11				2	9			11	2			10					0
SHERIDAN, Tom					0	43		3	26	34			63				0	3	1			17
SKELLY, Matthew W			2	1	3				2	1			3	1			5	1				5
SLACK-SMITH, Jack		1	1	2	4	34		1	1	2			4				0					0
SMITH-METUISELA, Lisiate			4	3	7				2	37	30	1					0	5				25
SMOuha, Dylan				1	1	29	66	7	1	1			75	1			5	45				225
STANLEY, Tristan	6	16	1		23	64	33	94	24	8			159	3	27	12	105	14	115	56		468
SULLIVAN, Jack	11	16			27		11	16					27	5			25	5				25
SUTERS, Harrison		2	13	5	20	55		2	13	5			20	4			20	4				20
TAGICAKIBAU, Sireli	2	2			4		21	2					23				0	12				60
TOMKINS, Jack	13	17		1	31		30	52	17	5			104	3			15	14				70
TRBOJEVICH, Ryan			7	13	20	22	1	47	116	58	1		223	1	1		7	18	1			92
TUISAVAI, Tui	5	4			9		19	8					27				0	1				5
TUITUIOHU, Alitasi	1		1	2	4	13	1		4	2			7				0					0
VEscio, Luke	2	2	4	2	10		2	4	20	2			28	2			10	10				50
VUCAGO, Roy			4	6	10			8	18	15			41	1			5	3	1			17
WARD, Sam	16				16		71	4					75	3			15	10				50
WEDLAKE, Matthew				1	1		1	16	16	9			42				0	3				15
WELLS, Matthew				8	8					18			18				0					0
WHEATLEY, Jack M			8	7	15	53			8	7			15				0					0
WILEMAN, Sebastian	17	11			28	13	20	26	9				55	4			20	17				85
WITHAM, Braydon M			15	6	21	23			15	6			21	7	1		37	7	1			37
WRIGHT, Vincent	12	5			17	37	43	12	5	2			62	2			10	2				10



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	1	2	3	T	1	2	3	4	U19	T	T	G	PG	FG	T	T	G	PG	FG	T
ANASTASIA, Clayton		4	10	14		4	10			14	1				5	1				5
ANDERSON, Charlie		1	3	4		1	3			4					0					
BARHAM, Connor	1	5	2	8	1	5	2			8	2				10	2				10
BATE, Joshua C			3	3			3			3	1				5	1				5
BRADSHAW, Connor		1	7	8		1	7			8										
BRITTON, Harry J		3	7	10		3	7			10	1	11			27	1	11			27
CALDWELL, Bryton			1	1			1			1										
CARMONT, Cael	14	1	1	16	17	10	10			37						1				5
CARSON, Sonny			2	2			2			2										
CHANT, Dylan	2	6	3	11	2	6	3			11		1	1		5		1	1		5
CHEE KAM, Ezera	4	4	1	9	4	4	1			9	10				50	10				50
CHUN, Daniel		4	8	12		4	8			12	2	1			12	2	1			12
CHUN, Owen	1	8	9	18	1	16	23			40	2				10	2				10
CONDON, Nicholas	1			1	2	22	22			46						1				5
CONDON, Thomas	3	8	11	22	3	8	11			22	2				10	2				10
COOK, Maximus	1	1		2	3	8	1			12						2				10
COTTON, Nathan	6	4	1	11	6	4	1			11	3				15	3				15
CRAIN, Hayden J		4	5	9		4	5			9										
DAVIES, Andrew P	9	4	1	14	21	5	1			27	1				5	3				15
DOVE, Cameron	10	1	1	12	19	1	2			22						2				10
EARNGEY, Benjamin			2	2			2			2										
ELLWOOD-HALL, Edward		1		1	14	7	1			22						13	5			75
ENGWALL, Scott		1	5	6		1	5			6		3	1		9		3	1		9
ENTWISTLE, Mackenzie	9	2	1	12	9	2	1			12	1	4			13	1	4			13
FERGUSON, John	12	1		13	13	5	5			23	1	3			11	2	4	1		21
FLYNN, Patrick		6	7	13		6	7			13	2				10	2				10
FRY, Edward		4	8	12		4	8			12	5	2			29	5	2			29
GAINSFORD, Samuel	3	5	1	9	3	6	6			15		3	3		15	1	4	4		25
GILLARD, Kobie			2	2			2			2	2				10	2				10
GRANT, Lachlan	1	10	7	18	1	18	17			36	3				15	6				30
HAMER, Scott			2	2			2			2	1	1			7	1	1			7
HANNIGAN, Adam	3		1	4	3	1	3			7	1				5	4				20
HART, Michael		3	2	5	14	22	12			48						1	4	1		16
HAYSON, Jack	1			1	1					1										
HILL, Robert	8	2	3	13	10	7	16			33	2				10	5				25
HURDITCH, luke		4	10	14		4	10			14	1		1		8	1		1		8
JAMES, Fergus		3	4	7		5	14			19										
JAMIESON, Ewan			4	4			4			4										
JONES, Mitchell	5	8	4	17	5	8	4			17	3				15	3				15
KEMP, Marcus	1	4	2	7	1	4	2			7	1				5	1				5
KULICKI, Yann			2	2			2			2										
LACK-BOROUGHES, Jake		2	4	6		14	24			38							1			2
LANDRY, Callum	1	5		6	4	11				15						2				10
LATUHOI, Nikola	6	2		8	7	2				9										
LAWTHER, Freddie			1	1			1			1										
LEMALU, Jerry			1	1			1			1	1				5	1				5
LLOYD, Mike	4			4	21	1	2			24	2				10	7				35

# THE COLTS Register



NAME	GAMES PLAYED 2015				TOTAL GAMES PLAYED					POINTS SCORED 2015					TOTAL POINTS SCORED					
	1	2	3	T	1	2	3	4	U19	T	T	G	PG	FG	T	T	G	PG	FG	T
MACMAHON, Lachlan T	2	3	5	10	2	3	5			10										
MAIAFU, Jaidyn		1	3	4		1	3			4	3	1			17	3	1			17
MAISH, Jackson			2	2			2			2										
MARR, Benjamin T			3	3			3			3	1				5	1				5
MAWHINNEY, Ryan	2			2	2					2		1			2		1			2
MATTINSON, Joel		2	4	6		2	4			6	1				5	1				5
McBRYDE, Tom	3	2		5	3	2				5	2				10	2				10
McGAIN, Thomas	1			1	4	1	2			7										
McMURDO, Scott A		2	1	3		2	1			3	2				10	2				10
McSWINEY, Zac R		1	4	5		1	4			5										
MEEHAN, Samuel		1	2	3			8	13		21		2			4	1	4			13
MILHAM, Luke T	7	1		8	7	1				8										
MILLER, Jonathon D	4	5	1	10	4	11	9			24					1					5
NETTLETON, Kyle	1		1	2	1		1			2										
O'NEILL, Caleb	11	1		12	19	12	10			41					4					20
PICKLES, Matthew	9	3	3	15	14	17	5			36	2				10	3	3	1		24
RENEMAN, Bryce	1	10	5	16	3	21	15			39	2				10	6				30
ROSE, Lachlan		2	2	4		4	6			10						1				5
ROWNTREE, Charlie		2	3	5		2	3			5	1				5	1				5
SCOGNAMIGLIO, Andrew	5	3		8	6	16	4			26	2				10	3				15
SIMPSON, Billy	3	12	4	19	4	16	10			30	5	1			27	6	1			32
SKELLY, Matthew	13	3	1	17	13	3	1			17	3				15	3				15
SLACK-SMITH, Jack	12	1	1	14	29	3	2			34	3				15	5				25
STARHA, Kurtis	12	4	1	17	12	12	11			35	3				15	3				15
STEWART, Jake J			3	3			3			3										
SUTERS, Charlton		1		1		3	4			7		1			2		5			10
SUTERS, Harrison		1		1	24	17	14			55	1	1			7	10	1			52
TALES, Zachary		4	9	13		5	19			24										
TOMPSON, Joshua			1	1	3	9	3			15						1				5
TUITUIOHU, Aitasi		2		2	11	2				13						6				30
VALE, Jake	7	13	6	26	9	22	29			60	2	2			14	4	2			24
VAN BOKHOVEN, Thomas			3	3			3			3										
VON APPEN, Zac		1	1	2		1	1			2	2				10	2				10
WAGNER, Morgan			1	1			1			1	4				20	4				20
WAYLING, Sam		3	3	6		3	3			6	3				15	3				15
WHAREPOURI, Brody	1	8	1	10	1	8	1			10	1				5	1				5



Future stars of the RATS enjoy the action at Rat Park.



# WOMENS Register

NAME	2015	TOTAL	POINTS SCORED 2015					TOTAL POINTS SCORED				
	Games	Games	T	G	PG	FG	T	T	G	PG	FG	T
BARKER, Katrina	10	10	3	10	1		38	3	10	1		38
CALDER, Caitlin	10	10										
DEVEREUX, Alaura	6	17	2				10	3				15
GIBSON, Amanda	10	88	1	1			7	22	1			112
GREEN, Jacqueline K	9	9	3				15	3				15
HOBBS, Amelia	4	4	2				10	2				10
HOCKNELL, Kylie	11	11	1	3			11	1	3			11
LAMAN, Sarah	11	167	6				30	56	5			290
LINCOLN-SMITH, Emma	8	156	18				90	18				90
LONGLEY, Tara	8	65										
MACLARN, Natalie	9	77	2				10	34				170
MAGUIRE, Crystal	7	7	5				25	5				25
MESKELL, Danielle	8	171						36	2			184
MORGAN, Cobie-Jane	7	35						47	7			249
MUIR, Ashleigh	6	20						3				15
ORMSBY, Tui	9	120						33	218	6		619
OXLEY, Sarah	10	47	5				25	14				70
ROBERTSON, Lynda	9	228	2	12			34	60	209			718
ROBINSON, Emily	11	58	7	10			55	13	12			89
RUTLIDGE, Anne	9	61	4				20	33				165
STALDER, Rebecca	11	29	1				5	1				5
TAY, Lilin	11	105	1				5	7				35
TUKIPILI, Masina	4	4	1				5	1				5
WATTS, Mardi	8	20	4				20	11				55
WHITESIDE, Leigh	11	11	11	1			57	11	1			57
WILLIAMS, Cassandra	11	116	1				5	19				95

## DID YOU KNOW...

The Ratettes had the highest number of players selected to the NSW squad of any other club...a total of nine. Plus two players also played for other states. During the nationals, Ratette and Wallaroo veteran Danielle Meskell was appointed Captain for the finals after the teams regular captain was suspended from play.



Top L-R Mardi Watts, Nat Maclarn, Katrina Barker, Emily Robinson, Sarah Laman  
Bottom L-R Emma Lincoln-Smith, Anne Rutledge, Danielle Meskell & Lilin Tay pose after Nationals

# 2015 HONOURS Board



100 First Grade Games	Games	100 Grade Games	Games	100 Grade Games	Games	100 Grade Games	Games
Andrew Apps	160	Scott Bradley	156	Bruce Leslie	179	Ian Troy	110
Rob Blyth	142	Peter Breese	107	Michael Lefts	157	David Trussell	111
Stephen Crawford	150	Ron Bridges	107	Steve Lidbury	112	Dominic Vaughan	142
Rick Davidson	152	John Briggs	131	Gordon Longrigg	125	Ian Vest	143
Edward Doyle	100	Terry Brittelle	133	Kenny Lovering (RIP)	141	Nigel Wagstaff	142
David Feltscheer	102	Ian Brodie	134	Rod Macqueen	190	Lance Walker	103
Michael Gee	192	Shannon Buck	132	Brendan Malvanek	101	Peter Walsh	144
Jon Hart	106	Rob Buckingham	100	Phil Mandelsohn	193	Rob Walton	193
John Hearn	197	Peter Burke	101	David Mason	126	Shane Warman	173
Joshua Holmes	103	Sony Burley	111	Jean Pierre Moulguet	107	Ray Watson	155
Luke Holmes	137	Adam Carpenter	121	Scott McCarthy	119	Adam Watts	104
Grant Jennings	123	John Carroll	125	Andrew McInnes	187	Geoff Wayling	162
Daniel Raymond	151	Ian Catterall	106	Gary McInnes	125	George Websdale	122
Cameron Trelor	110	Matthew Chapman	104	Paul McKeeown	129	Ian Wells	168
Rob Walton	106	Scott Cheeseman	114	Berny McSorley	187	Matthew White	103
Shane Warman	115	John Clarke	101	Cameron Meade	109	Adrian Whitney	107
Hugh Willoughby	101	Matthew Clegg	127	Anthony Meehan	152	Hugh Willoughby	138
Craig Woon	103	Geoff Cordner	136	Robert Miller	144	Dave Wilson	141
		Rob Crawford	100	Barry Miller	176	Simon Wood	187
		Tim Dalecki	173	Michael Miller	124	Craig Woon	175
<b>300 Grade Games</b>		Doug Daldel	149	Bill Minnett	109	George Wyle	108
Michael Gee	401	Bruce Dando	113	James Morison	174		
Lolo Holani	349	Rick Davidson	191	Ian Muddle	130		
		Peter Davis	124	Michael Newman	119	<b>65 Colts Games</b>	
<b>200 Grade Games</b>		Mark Devitt	102	Col Newman	103	Adam Bole	74
Andrew Apps	215	Mark Dimerito	122	John Nolan	111	Stephen Bombardieri	69
Ben Benson	249	Joe Dombroski	107	Mark O'Brien	127	Ethan Borula	78
Chris Birch	272	Edward Doyle	104	Paul O'Brien	184	Jamie Burmann	70
Rick Black	263	Paul Drake	132	Greg Oates (RIP)	144	Jake Butcher	65
Stephen Crawford	292	John Ellis	155	John Ogilvie	186	Craig Edmondson	72
Damian Giles	218	David Feltscheer	145	Peter Overy	120	Matthew Francis	93
Peter Hammond	231	Scott Flint	132	Sandy Park	119	Andrew Geldens	66
John Hearn	253	Matthew Fold	148	Philip Parsons	112	Pearce Howell	67
Greg Highfield	200	David Ford	102	John Paton	109	Jacob Kauffmann	70
Mark Holmes	230	Campbell Fowler	127	Sonny Payne	131	Moses Keesel	77
Peter Hurley	204	Jack Frost (RIP)	117	Simon Pearce	126	Jake Lefts	79
Layne Kelleher	252	Rex Gibson	160	Murray Pitt	166	Jake Lowe	78
Rob Kenshaw	225	Brendan Giles	170	Warren Poole	154	Heath Mawson	68
Ben Marston	230	Ira Gordon	178	Steve Porritt	108	Scott McCarthy	68
Robbie Mawson	261	Matt Gowen	174	Chris Power	122	Heath McNab	67
John-Paul Murphy	214	Adam Grant	160	Emmanuel Pralls	119	Brendan McVay	65
Brendan Paddison	200	Andrew Grant	121	Dave Purl	140	Troy Pitman	66
Peter Roberts	221	Ray Grise	130	Harry Rainbow	141	Luke Preston	78
Tim Ryan	207	Dean Guberina	186	Andy Rasmus	117	Michael Ritchie	72
Rob Sowell (RIP)	222	Matthew Guberina	113	Dan Raymond	172	Johan Rockliff	65
Steve Temple (RIP)	235	Jamie Gullford	182	Topo Rodriguez	102	Jackson Selby	65
Ryan Tbojevich	223	Peter Hambley	142	Terril Rosen	172	Mitchell Smith	70
Greg Waldeman	201	Jon Hart	147	Paul Rowland	165	Shane Warman	65
		Michael Hartnell	104	Brian Russell	105	Cameron Wiles	66
		Ian Hodge	103	Michael Ruthven	175		
<b>100 Grade Games</b>		Joshua Holmes	116	Reg Ryan	106	<b>200 Women's Games</b>	
Ben Adams	126	Luke Holmes	150	Nick Ryan	173	Linda Robertson (Davis)	228
Michael Andrews	119	Murray Hooper	163	Bill Sainsbury	127		
Grant Andrews	170	Terry Hutchinson	131	Will Sare	104	<b>100 Womens Games</b>	
Mark Andrews (RIP)	140	Nigel Imrie	103	Rick Saunders	131	Genevieve Delves	140
Hamish Angus	103	Grant Jennings	177	John Scharke	155	Lisa Fiola	181
Eric Baica	187	Adam Johnson	194	Richard Scotts	121	Sonya Jensen	110
Shaun Bannister	107	Bob Johnston	106	Marc Selby	120	Sarah Laman	167
Daniel Barnard	149	Evan Jones	171	Iain Sharp-Paul	122	Brema Lincoln-Smith	156
Reg Barnes	115	Simon Jones	112	Kent Sheldon	111	Bronnie Macintosh	125
Huon Barrell	134	Robert Kelly	127	Paul Schober	118	Cheryl McAfee (Soon)	100
Mark Bell	160	Jason Kennell	122	Adrian Skeggs	127	Danielle Meskeil	171
Patrick Beck	108	Peter King	109	Richard Southan	132	Bin Morton	167
Graham "Bley" Bennett	131	Michael Langford	198	Tristan Stanley	159	Tui Ormsby	120
Craig Biddolph (RIP)	125	Graeme Langford	129	Andrew Tate	107	Chris Ross	136
Antony Blackshaw	143	Usala Lohu	111	Greg Tier	133	Lilin Toy	105
Rob Blyth	166	Mark Law	136	Adam Tindal	110	Cassandra Williams	116
Paul Booth	187	Martin Lawson	102	Jack Tomkins	104	Jenni Williams	103
Nathan Broughs	161	Doug Leslie	125	Cameron Trelor	129		



# RIO OLYMPICS Bound

**DID YOU KNOW** there are a number of RATS who are likely to vie for Rugby 7s Gold at the 2016 Rio Olympics. Here are 4 you may know



Chloe Dalton  
Australia W7



Mark Jackson  
Brasil M7



Boyd Killingworth  
Australia M7



Ellia Green  
Australia W7

# 2015 AWARD Winners



The 2015 Presentation Night was held at the Warringah Rugby Club on Sat 5th September. Guests enjoyed a Casino theme complete with casino tables, canapes and drinks, while the Rats Band entertained guests.

During the evening the winners of the 2015 season awards were announced.

Congratulations to all winners.

1. COLTS 3rd Grade Best and Fairest  
- LUKE HURDITCH
  2. COLTS 2nd Grade Best and Fairest  
- BILLY SIMPSON
  3. COLTS 1st Grade Best and Fairest (Mal Gray Trophy)  
- ANDREW DAVIES
  4. WOMEN Best and Fairest  
- SARAH LAMAN
  5. WOMEN Most Improved Player  
- MARDI WATTS
  6. WOMEN Rat's Rat Award (Noddy Sawtell Trophy)  
- SARAH LAMAN
  7. COLTS Most Improved Player  
- KURTIS STARIHA
  8. COLTS Rookie of the Year  
- EDDY FRY
  9. COLTS Rat's Rat Award  
- JACK SLACK-SMITH
  10. COLTS Best Club Man  
- MURRAY PITT
  11. GRADE Top Try Scorer  
- JOSH HOLMES (21)
  12. COLTS Top Try Scorer  
- ALITASI TUITUIOHU (6)
  13. WOMEN Top Try Scorer  
- EMMA LINCOLN-SMITH (16)
  14. GRADE Top Point Scorer  
- HAMISH ANGUS (158)
  15. COLTS Top Point Scorer  
- JEREMY LEMALU (33)
  16. WOMEN Top Point Scorer  
- EMMA LINCOLN-SMITH (90)
  17. 4th GRADE Best and Fairest (KJ Dickson Trophy)  
- JACK BASHAM
  18. 3rd GRADE Best and Fairest (Bill Simpson Trophy)  
- MICHAEL RITCHIE
  19. 2nd GRADE Best and Fairest (TJ Purcell Trophy)  
- TIM POYNTING
  20. 1st GRADE Best and Fairest (RJ Grier Memorial Trophy)  
- RORY O'CONNOR
  21. GRADE Rat's Rat Award  
- BENJI MARSHALL
  22. GRADE Rookie of the Year (Col Fogden Memorial Trophy)  
- TOM McMILLAN
  23. GRADE Colts Progression Award (Ron Manion Trophy)  
- TYSON DAVIS
  24. GRADE Most Improved Player (RJ Grier Trophy)  
- SEBASTIEN WILEMAN
  25. THE DAVES AWARD  
- - JAMIE FORBES
  26. MOST HONOUR TO THE CLUB  
- CHLOE DALTON
  27. BEST CLUB PERSON (BJ Young Memorial Trophy)  
- EDWARD DOYLE
  28. SUPPORTER OF THE YEAR  
- ALAN SMITH
  29. THE PRESIDENTS AWARD  
- MANDY MORTON
- MILESTONE PEWTERS
- 150 1st XV Games - LUKE HOLMES
  - 100 1st XV Games - DAVID FELTSCHER, JOSH HOLMES
  - 150 Grade Games - TRISTAN STANLEY, DOUG DALZIEL
  - 100 Grade Games - HAMISH ANGUS, PAT BECK, JACK TOMPKINS
  - 100 Womens Games - LILIN TAY





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Warringah Rugby Club Limited  
PO BOX 303  
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Profit & Loss Statement  
October 2014 through September 2015

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<b>INCOME</b>	
Sponsorship	\$192,575.71
Friends of Warringah	\$6,556.80
Donations	\$11,776.00
Prizemoney	\$9,750.00
Membership Subscriptions	\$19,652.28
Player Registration Fees	\$31,449.08
Club Functions	\$8,972.27
100 Club	\$2,090.91
Merchandise Sales	\$12,320.86
Meat Tray Raffle	\$3,511.37
Field Hire	\$23,491.90
Community Raffle	\$909.09
<b>Total INCOME</b>	<b>\$323,056.27</b>
<b>COST OF SALES</b>	
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>\$323,056.27</b>
<b>ADMIN EXPENSES</b>	
Telephones - all	\$2,115.31
Bank Charges	\$440.00
Paypal Fees	\$967.23
Club Donations	\$5,420.00
CBA Merchant Fees	\$822.92
Club Admin Contractors	\$123,549.75
General Admin Expenses	\$438.69
Internet	\$545.40
<b>CLUB EXPENSES</b>	
Marketing	\$1,560.00
Game Day Programmes	\$80.00
Game Day Catering	\$12,187.28
Game Day Expenses	\$19,492.69
Club Functions	\$16,979.76
Club Grounds	\$7,192.50
General Club Expenses	\$16,971.50
Pittwater Council Leasing	\$22,541.63
Merchandising	\$24,552.41
<b>PLAYER EXPENSES</b>	
Player - Coaching	\$66,220.00
Player - Insurance	\$12,371.98
Player - Social Events	\$92.18
Player - 2014 Payments	\$2,800
Player - Payments 2015	\$35,956.40
Player - Laundry	\$3,422.77
Player - Strapping Tape	\$2,008.19
Player - Physio/Medical	\$6,733.14
Player - Jerseys etc	\$29,453.54
Player - Gym Equipment	\$5,736.63
Player - Field Court Hire	\$200.00
<b>Total ADMIN EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$420,851.90</b>
<b>Operating Profit</b>	<b>minus \$97,795.63</b>

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<b>Other Income</b>	
Interest Income	\$255.75
Player Tournaments	\$5,159.09
Bar Sales	\$115,248.49
Bar Snack Sales	\$4,545.49
Canteen Sales	\$44,602.33
St Augustine's Canteen Vouchers	\$1,140.00
Gate Takings	\$42,131.37
Parking Takings	\$2,163.64
2015 WRC Charity Lunch	\$3,359.45
<b>Total Other Income</b>	<u>\$218,575.57</u>
<b>Other Expenses</b>	
<b>BAR EXPENSES</b>	
Bar Beverage Expenses	\$46,227.13
Bar Snack Expenses	\$4,800.00
Band - Bar Entertainment	\$7,100.00
<b>CANTEEN EXPENSES</b>	
Canteen Expenses	\$22,804.20
Player Tournaments	\$7,316.56
Player Vitamins	\$1,110.94
<b>Total Other Expenses</b>	<u>\$89,358.83</u>
<b>Net Profit/ (Loss)</b>	<u>\$31,421.11</u>



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BALANCE SHEET  
As of September 2015

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Current Assets		\$21,694.64
PayPal Account		\$502.35
Visa Debit Card #7494		\$19.47
Commonwealth Bank		\$2,378.93
Greater #5840 Welfare		\$1,873.83
Greater #7713 F&B Acc		\$2,596.14
North Harbour Rays Trust Acc		\$40,000.00
Prepaid Player Insurance		\$4,900.00
Accounts Receivable		\$2,395.00
Stock on Hand		\$1,260.00
Non Current Assets		
Plant & Equipment		
Training Equipment	\$49,966.22	
Signage	\$35,755.54	
Office Equipment	\$7,922.72	
Club Assets	\$8,591.06	
Total Plant & Equipment	\$102,235.54	
Less Accumulated Depreciation	minus \$64,247.21	
Total Current Assets		\$115,608.69
Liabilities		
Accounts Payable		\$14,767.76
GST Liabilities		
GST Collected	\$69,328.14	
GST Paid	minus \$52,605.64	
ATO BAS Payments	minus \$20,446.05	
Total GST Liabilities	\$3,723.55	
Total Liabilities		\$11,044.21
Net Assets		\$104,564.48
Equity		
Prior Period Adjustments		\$77,474.59
Retained Earnings		minus \$4,331.22
Current Earnings		\$31,421.11
Total Equity		\$104,564.48

# FINANCIAL Reports



**WARRINGAH RUGBY CLUB LIMITED**

**ABN 57 000 497 398**

**NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2015**

## **STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The financial report is for the entity Warringah Rugby Club Limited as a single entity. The Warringah Rugby Club Limited is a company limited by guarantee incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

The financial report has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the corporation's act 2001, except for the following directors' determination.

The directors have determined that the financial report be prepared as a Special Purpose Financial Report. The directors' determination is cognisant that the company is a reporting entity under the provisions of Part 2m of the Corporation Act 2001. The directors' determination is based upon the premise that a General Purpose Report places an unrealistic administrative requirement on the company.

The following Australian Accounting Standard has been applied in the preparation of this report:

AASB 101; Presentation of Financial Statements

No other Accounting Standards or other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board have been applied.

The financial report has been prepared on the accruals basis and is based on historical cost. It does not take into account changing money values or except where stated, current valuations of non-current assets. Cost is based on the fair values of the consideration given in exchange for assets.

The following is a summary of the material accounting policies adopted by the company in the preparation of the financial report. The accounting policies have been consistently applied, unless otherwise stated.

- (a) Income Tax**  
No provisions for income tax has been raised as the company is exempt from income tax under Division 50 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.
- (b) Inventories**  
Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.
- (c) Property, Plant and Equipment**  
Each class of property, plant and equipment is carried at cost of fair value as indicated, less, where applicable, accumulated and impairment losses.



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## **STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

### **(c) Property, Plant and Equipment (cont)**

Plant and equipment is measured on the cost basis.

The carrying amount of plant and equipment is reviewed annually by the directors to ensure it is not in excess of the amount recoverable from those assets. The recoverable amount is assessed on the basis of the expected net cash flows which will be received from the assets employed and their subsequent disposal.

The depreciable amounts of all fixed assets are depreciated over their estimated useful lives to the company commencing from the time the assets are acquired and held ready for use.

### **(d) Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less and net bank overdrafts.

### **(e) Revenue**

Revenue from rendering of a service is recognised upon any delivery of the service to the customers. Other revenue is recognised when the right to receive that revenue has been established. All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and service tax.

### **(f) Goods and Services Tax (GST)**

Revenue, expenses and assets are recognised net of any GST except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office. In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or expense item. Receivables and payables in the statement of financial position are shown inclusive of GST.

Cash flows are presented in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis, except for the GST components of investing and financing activities, which are disclosed as operating cash flows.

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## WARRINGAH RUGBY CLUB LIMITED

ABN 57 000 497 398

### DIRECTORS' DECLARATION

The Directors of the company declare that:

1. The financial statements and notes are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 ;
  - (a) apply with Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001 ; and
  - (b) give a true and fair view of the financial position as at 30 September 2015 and of the performance for the financial year ended on the date of the company.
2. In the Directors' opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that with the continued support of guarantors and financiers, the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with the resolution of the Directors.

Director: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phillip Parsons

Director: \_\_\_\_\_  
Stephen Rubie

Dated this 27th day of October, 2015

# 2015 VALUED Partners



## Acknowledgements

The Members and Players of Warringah Rugby Club would like to convey their deep gratitude and appreciation to all the Club's valued partners this season.

Everyone's efforts and generosity contributes towards the promotion of rugby in our local community.

We acknowledge and thank you all.



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