

Tregenza Times

Old Collegians Rugby Union Football Club Inc



10th August 2016

Round 16 Results

Old Collegians Premier Grade 43 vs Woodville 20

Old Collegians 2nd XV 24 vs Woodville 7

Old Collegians 3rd XV 17 vs Barossa 12

Old Collegians Women's XV 53 vs Woodville 15

Old Collegians U18's 20 —Forfeit by Onkas 0

Old Collegians U16's 24 vs RAMS 24

Old Collegians U14's 38 vs Rams 24

Old Collegians U12's 43 vs Uni 15

Aussie Women win Gold!

Fantastic win by Aussie 7's over New Zealand



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Volunteers Corner

This week we acknowledge and sincerely thank

Harry Warner & Bailey Clements—BBQ

Kristie & Keely O'Connell—Canteen

And

Beth Howard, Sue Thewlis, Jane Wright

For the Fantastic OC Cheese Platters

provided for Life & Social Members last week!

And to everyone who has contributed to the BBQ and Canteen over the season our sincere thanks. **However the season is not over yet!**

Volunteers are required to assist with the Senior and Junior Presentation events.

Please contact either Sue Thewlis and/or Corne Arnold if you are willing to help with the organisation of these very important Club events.

SA Rugby Final Fixtures

SA Rugby | Qualifying Final Fixtures

Saturday August 13

Venue: AA Bailey Reserve

03:20pm Premier Grade: **Old Collegians** v Burnside
02:00pm Reserve Grade: **Old Collegians** v Onkaparinga
12:40pm U18s Burnside v **Old Collegians**
11:20am Women's: Souths v Onkaparinga
11:20am Third Grade: Barossa v Old Collegians
10:00am U16s: **Old Collegians** v Barossa
10:00am Fourth Grade: Brighton v Onkaparinga
09:00am U14s: Onkaparinga v Burnside
09:00am U12s: **Old Collegians** v Burnside.

SA RUGBY | Elimination Final Fixtures

Sunday 14 August

Venue: AA Bailey Reserve

03:20pm Premier Grade: Onkaparinga v Brighton
02:00pm Reserve Grade: Burnside v Brighton
12:40pm U18s Brighton v Souths
11:20am Women: Burnside v **Old Collegians**
11:20am Third Grade: Elizabeth v North Torrens
10:00am U16s: Brighton v Burnside
10:00am Fourth Grade: Port Adelaide v Barossa
09:00am U14s: **Old Collegians** v Vikings
09:00am U12s: Brighton v Onkaparinga

Junior Presentation Day

OLD COLLEGIANS 2016 JUNIOR PRESENTATION

DATE: SUNDAY
11 SEPT.
TIME: 12:30pm

Lunch will be
served at 1pm



Adults \$25 (10-18 yrs) \$20 (4-9 yrs) \$15 Toddlers FREE

Spit Roast (two meat selection), multiple salads, bread rolls & condiments

Tickets must be purchased prior to Friday 2nd Sept. (Catering purposes)

Tickets available at the Club on Monday & Wednesday training nights

Marquee for sit down dining

Junior Awards Presented

Bouncy Castle

Contact: Corné Arnold: 0437 359 883

Booking Link:

<http://www.ticketebo.com.au/old-collegians-rugby-union-club/old-collegians-rufc-2016-junior-presentation-day.html>

SA Rugby Grand Final Lunch



**JOIN US
CELEBRATE THE**

SA RUGBY GRAND FINALS

Celebrate the fun, business and sport of the 2016 SA Rugby Grand Finals. Indulge in delicious food and wine, good rugby banter and spectacular auction items and raffle prizes.

This event is not to be missed!

Hosted by Ben Hook.

DATE

26 August 2016

TIME

12:30pm - 3:30pm

VENUE

Star Room, Entertainment Centre

TICKETS

\$90.00 each

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Click here to book now

Booking link:

www.trybooking.com/Booking/BookingEventSummary.aspx?eid=212205&embed=212205

Premier Grade Match Report

Old Collegians 43 defeat Woodville 20

Tries: Jason Hyam, Jack Campion, Tim Pickerill, Chris Bartlett (3), Alex Rokobaro

Conversions: Deane Phillips (4)

Best Players: Liam McDonough, Jack Campion

The bonus point win means that the first grade secured the **minor premiership**

The first grade started the game quite flat, struggling to retain possession and were not aggressive enough in defence, allowing Woodville to build momentum and run in 2 tries before Old Collegians fired up and got into the game. Proceedings weren't helped when Taylor and Smedley were both forced off following a head clash in the first half, but good cover defence from McDonough and Rokobaro helped to limit the damage on the scoreboard.

Old Collegians' set piece was reliable and after 25 minutes a scrum win in our half was distributed quickly by Phillips to Macklin, where a short pass cut Bartlett into the line and he weaved through the Woodville defence and scored on a long run. Woodville put the restart out on the full, so Old Colls pushed up with ball in hand from the resulting scrum and earned a penalty after Woodville infringed in a ruck. Old Colls kicked for touch and went into the 22 for a line-out, securing the ball then going wide where Pickerill crossed in the corner. Woodville pressured hard on attack in the last moments of the half and scored again to take a 15 to 12 lead into the break.

We were more direct in attack in the second half and were much more convincing at supporting and clearing our own rucks to keep possession. Woodville were penalised again on a ruck in their 22 and Old Colls kicked for a line-out 5m out where after we set a driving maul Woodville didn't engage, but Old Colls adapted to hold the drive and instead Hyam split the maul and burst through the Woodville line for a try. Woodville replied soon after and retook the lead with a try after going wide from a lineout in our 22, but Old Colls tightened up and kept them out for the rest of the game.

Old Colls attacked from another penalty in the Woodville 22 and Pickerill was stopped just before the line, but Rokobaro was supporting closely and went from the back of the ruck to score. Mann ran hard from the restart to break the defensive line then offloaded to Hyam and in turn Taylor who was dragged down by the final defenders, with Campion arriving in the next wave and he could not be stopped.

The Woodville restart again went out on the full and our scrum provided the platform for the backs to go from halfway, resulting in a second try to Bartlett, and Hyam indulging in an impromptu shirts v skins game, then with time almost up Bartlett finished the game with a third try running in from the 22.



Reserve Grade Match Report

Old Collegians 24 defeat Woodville 7

Tries: Karl Edgar, Kyle Fleetwood-Piper, Nic Gunepin, Peter Cross
Conversions: Stu Robertson (2)
Best players: Fraser Murison, great to have him back from a long injury layoff, along with Nic Howlett and Stu Robertson

Woodville had a lot to play for. Fourth on the ladder and just one point ahead of Brighton they needed to win this match to make the finals. Needs must, and we saw a few faces that we would normally expect to see in their first grade squad. The Woodies came out with real intent and energy to which Jimmy Hopkinson can attest after taking a huge hit and an accidental knee to the head that ended his day. They pegged us back in our own half and after ten minutes of relentless onslaught were rewarded with a try and conversion.

Woodville had to work hard for that try though as our defence was strong, as it has been all year.

It remained 7 nil until hard working No 12 Karl Edgar crossed the try line in the 17th minute. The conversion missed, still it was becoming clear that Woodville could not sustain the physical pace of the game, no matter how much they wanted to. When Kyle Fleetwood-Pieper scored a try out wide on the right around Warren Duff with five minutes left in the half we headed to the break with a narrow 10 to 7 lead. Woodville tried to reprise their first half start and did work hard. But by now it was clear that they didn't have the wherewithal to break us down and when Warren Duff was sin binned around fifteen minutes left to play the wind went out their sails.

We scored two tries in that 10 minutes, one for Nic Gunepin under the posts and when a sweet pass put Pete Cross through gap that opened in front of him like the proverbial parting of the Red Sea that was it. Stu Robertson found his range and converted both. The Woodies were unable to score in the second half and the final score was 24 to 7. Credit and congratulations to Woodville. They played well and with a lot of spirit and gave us the sort of tough match that we needed as we head to the Finals.



The win secured the **Minor Premiership** for the Reserves.

A fitting end to the home and away rounds for a side that has been amazingly consistent this year, even with (as is so often the case) many changes to the playing group through out the season. Not only has a defence been super and probably the main feature of our performances, our discipline has also been great and certainly made our matches a pleasure for our many fans to watch.

Third Grade Match Report

Old Collegians 17 def Barossa 12

Tries: Justin Elder; Chingi Mpala
Conversions: Conversions: Nick Delany (2)
Penalty: Nick Delany
Best on Ground: Justin Elder; Derek Lewis; Chingi Mpala

We lost the ball soon after KO, won a tighthead, only to be penalised at the first breakdown. We end up giving another penalty about 30 out from our line and fortunately their attempt is wide to the left. Rams press us in our half until we get a penalty and the relief of a lineout throw 15 on the right side of centre-line. That lineout is lost and Rams break through with ball carrier and support streaking to a certain try. Then we saw Chingi run down the ball carrier who made a good pass to his support. Chingi spun and launched to deck the ball carrier and kill the try. He contested the ball until the cavalry arrived and secured it. Sensational stuff. From here we worked the ball into our half only for Rams to gain possession and run it back well into our patch. This went on for several cycles before we broke the cycle by holding the ball through enough phases to place us in a position to take a few stabs at the line. Rams defence is solid and defends several serious raids before forcing a knock-on.

We demolished the Rams scrum to win the ball and immediately surrender our advantage with a penalty for chat. We infringed at their lineout just inside our territory, they tap and get the ball wide to score on the left wing. A nice passage of play after the restart had us hitting the Rams line and after several shots, Justin finds a defensive hole and scores just left of the posts. Another promising raid ended with Mark being hustled into touch after breaking the line and running the ball within 10. The half ends with scores at 7 apiece after another 10 minutes mostly in Rams half but us unable to score.

The second half started much as the first finished, with us predominantly in possession in Rams half. Errors gave the Rams relief on many occasions, but they struggled to get out of their half. Twenty minutes in and we were awarded a penalty 30 out in front. The 3 points has us in the lead 10—7. The Rams lift and put us under pressure. In the final minutes, a penalty gets them in our half. They win the lineout and move the ball quickly, full field to the left wing where they score—unconverted. The game restarted with 3 minutes left and us 2 points in arrears. Rams gather in our 22 and are working through the phases slowly toward centre field when they decided to kick. Mark gathered and stepped around his

mark before passing crisply to a fast running Chingi. Confronted with 55m and a bunch of defenders in front of him, Chingi threaded his way clear and scores under the posts. An easy conversion for Nick puts us 5 ahead. The game is restarted with a minute to go which we defended capably to win 17 - 12.

A hard earned win against a tough determined opposition.



More OC Supporters & Volunteers



Old Collegians Youngest Supporter!

George Taylor supporting our U8's (including his brother Jack) on Saturday morning at Waite Oval.

That is the way to grow up, on the side-line watching rugby, till you are 5 and can start playing yourself! Looking forward to see you in action soon...



Thanks guys for helping to pack up after first grade game had finished.

Great win by Women's XV



U16s Match Report

Old Collegians 24 v Barossa 24

Tries: Brad Killick (1), Jasper Carter (1), Jack Richards (1) & Kees Young (1)

Conversions: George Hewitt (2)

The final match of the regular 2016 season, the top 2 teams level on points on the ladder, this had the pre-match billing of a classic. As we play these blokes next week for the right to a bye to the Grand Final it was also the chance for the teams to gain the psychological advantage. The fact that it was a draw will give both teams optimism for the finals series, although I fancy our chances if our lads play the full 60 minutes to our strengths.

Our coach's must've hoped for a nice solid start so for us to be defending the 1st 10 minutes, then conceding a try despite great tackling from Oscar and Brad was surely disappointing. In fact the whole 1st half was a disappointment. Where was the sensible, free-flowing rugby seen in the previous games? We played straight into their hands, struggled with the accurate box kicks from their halfback, and repeatedly lost the line out, both theirs and our own.

There was, however, some flashes of brilliance, Jack made a great tackle after a shockingly bad bounce. Harrison did likewise following a charge down and strip shortly afterwards. After they got awarded a 2nd try (surely they knocked it on when grounding), we nearly scored on our 1st attempt at spinning the ball with Magnus and Luke key.

However our 1st score came from a familiar source, after Magnus and Seaton had goes on short tap penalties Brad showed them how it's done barging and twisting over from the 5 metre line. George's boot nailed the conversion. Our lads have seldom been losing in a game all season so when Barossa scored a 3rd try to take a justified 19-7 lead into the break we had a wakeup call to all players and staff.

The halftime talk was stern, our boys got bollocked and the coach's reiterated the game plan. Barossa were cock-a-hoop, justifiably so. They weren't for long though. What a 2nd half!!! All of our forwards increased their intensity, and battled all over the turf. George's accurate box kicks had them on their heels. It was no surprise when Jasper reduced the deficit winning a footrace from the 10 metre line against their fullback. Our 3rd was finished by Jack following a superb looping pass from our loose head prop Eddie that left their defence floundering. That George managed to hit the post from the conversion, the 5th time this season was both unlucky and incredible.

All of a sudden we were playing to our strengths, spinning the ball, our backs running superb lines and our forwards rucking and supporting. Kees got our 4th in typical Kees bruising fashion after we span the ball again and he was on hand after the ball was recycled. Barossa weren't finished though, they switched on and fought back scoring the level-ling try and then they had the ascendancy. Thankfully they missed the crucial conversion. They then had wave after wave of pressure, only incredible defence on our try line kept them out with Killian, Kees, Alfie and others holding them up until sniper Brad got his mitts on the ball, giving us the turnover to clear with relief at the final whistle coming shortly afterwards, although the Barossa players and fans celebrations showed they must have miscounted the score.

Thoughts on today's game – what a cracker. Our 2 game against Barossa this season have been so close you could not slip a cigarette paper between them. The 1st game, at Lyndoch, ended 24-22 to us and now a 24-24 draw highlights that fact. The quality of play from players from both teams pretty much nullified each other today with 1 exception. Magnus clearly gave their backlines the run-around, especially his opposite outside centre. Our whole squad contributed to a superb 2nd half performance but Maggie was the cutting edge. Whilst the 1st half was awful, the display to get back into it was superb. The lads showed so much 'bottle' and mateship.

No singing of the club song this week, but at least we didn't lose our unbeaten record for 2016 despite playing well below our best.



U14s Match Report

Old Collegians 38 v Barossa 24

Tries: Lefatu Egglestone (4), Max Linton (1) and Henri Pardoe
Conversions: Tane Pardoe (4)

The game opened with Barossa tacking the initial offensive however this was thwarted by a great tackle by Max Linton. After a couple of penalties from both sides Barossa were again on the attack however another couple of great tackles this time by Darcy Rogers and Elliot Hartney, the ball ended up in touch. Barossa were able to take advantage of an Old Colls penalty to score the first try of the game. This was not converted. The restart had the Barossa advance slowed down. Barossa regained possession after an Old Colls knock-on but Old Colls regained possession to pass the ball out to the backs and enable Lefatu Egglestone to make the long dash to the try line. Some further great tackling by Darcy Rogers and Henri Pardoe enabled Elliot Hartney to push the ball forward well into the Barossa 22 however Elliot was pushed into touch. Following another Barossa penalty possession was returned back to Old Colls and saw Lefatu dash towards the try line. This was shutdown however; Max Linton regained possession and placed the ball down for Old Colls second try. This was converted by Tane Pardoe. After a number of penalties by each side Barossa were able to answer with another try. This was converted. This was answered by Old Colls with a hard fought try.

The second half started with the Old Colls boys well fired up and watching Henri Pardoe gain possession to then push through the Barossa defence on multiple levels and covering over half of the length of the field to score Old Colls fourth try. This was converted by Tane Pardoe. The game continued with possession changing on multiple occasions. There was some great offensive forwards play by Henri Pardoe, Elliot Hartney and Tom Mocatta. This pressure on Barossa saw a wild forward kick followed by a knock on. The feed was Old Colls and eventually the ball came out of the scrum and into the hands of Lefatu Egglestone to sprint to the try line. Tane Pardoe succeeded with another conversion. The next sets of phases of play were similar to that earlier, showing that the boys have the skills embedded in them. This hard work resulted in passing the ball out to the wing with Lefatu scoring another try. This was converted again by Tane Pardoe. Barossa did respond with a quick try which was not converted. The final minutes of the game did see Barossa land another try which was converted.

Well done to all our players as this was a demonstration of a great team effort.

The roar was muffled and the confidence regained.



U12s Match Report

Old Collegians 43 v Adelaide University 15

Tries: Jack Norris, Jayden Hazzard (2), Siobhan Monaghan (2), Meg Richards and a Penalty Try
Conversions: Carl Arnold (3), Morris Clementson (1)

Undefeated

Firstly we would like to congratulate the Old Collegians U12's team on maintaining an undefeated record through the 2016 season. A really fantastic achievement!

I think a big lesson was learnt in this final game of the minor rounds and that is you can never be too sure of a win.

I think we came out of the change room thinking we would walk all over Uni from the first whistle. Well this certainly wasn't the case. After 5 minutes we found ourselves trailing 5-0 and being totally outplayed. It took us a good 15-20 minutes to find our groove and get ahead on points.

We did however give Uni 3 very strong players and the look on Coach Colin's face after 5 minutes of play was wishing we hadn't. Thank you to the Old Colls players who played for Uni. You all played hard and showed great sportsmanship. Some good strong running from Siobhan Monaghan, a try from Meg Richards and a couple of power runs from Jayden Hazzard ensured we stayed ahead and won the game 43-15.

My player of the day was however Jack Norris. He put in a few incredible tackles and some very strong runs that resulted in a very good try. Great to watch and hope you can keep it up into the finals Mr. Norris. Overall a good performance but all attention is now on our first final against Burnside this Saturday.

Train hard team!

Big test coming.



U10s Match Report

Old Collegians v Adelaide University

Weekly Award Winners:

Coaches Award: Oliver Collins **Tackling Award:** Lucas Aguiar **Most Improved:** Salvy Costanzo

OC Red

Tries: Alistair Tanner, Noah (Irish) Wilson & Jett Behrens

Conversions: Ivan Arnold (3)

OC Blue

Tries: Lucas Aguiar (3), Archie King & Samuel Lindow

Conversions: Jack Bell (2), Jackson Denley (2)

Another fantastic rugby season has come to an end to soon. We once again had strong attendance at training this past week and would like to start off by thanking our parent group who consistently brought out our U10's to training and games, through good and bad weather each week. This allowed us the opportunity to develop the U10's skill set and to see them grow in their understanding of the game, which translated directly into their on-field game experiences.

On Saturday morning we arrived at Waite Oval in perfect playing conditions with a 32 player's strong squad to take on the Adelaide Uni "short blacks" in our last game of the minor season. It is pleasing to see that Adelaide Uni is busy growing their junior club from the bottom up and for them to now field U7s – U12s teams. We didn't have to borrow them any U10's players on the weekend and they fielded a strong and competent team that came prepared to take on the red and blue. This ultimately lead to a good and competitive game of rugby and was exciting to watch from the side line. We divided our squad into 2 teams which each played against Uni before we ended the morning off with the Red and Blue taking on each other for a good quality 20 minutes, as we had the exclusive use of Uni's 2nd pitch.

OC Red took to the field first and played a tightly contested game, with Uni doing everything in their power to stop our attacking efforts. Oliver Collins played a key role in some of our backline moves with good passing through the hands. He was the well deserved recipient of our weekly coaches' award.

Tyson Hazzard had another strong performance and tackled well in addition to running the ball up strongly. Noah (Irish) Wilson displayed some pace, clever running lines and good hands, with yet another strong and consistent performance from him. He also managed to score one of our team's tries. One of the Red team's highlights was some excellent passing between Griffin & Alistair. We saw both Alistair and Jett scoring too. As we were playing some strong and attacking rugby Adelaide Uni managed to get through on 2 occasions and score as well. Towards the end of the game we started to dominate up front and ended up the victor by one try and 2 conversions. Towards the end of the game we started to put Uni under pressure and forced them to make some handling errors, Mawson "the lion" also made several strong tackles. Overall a great team effort!



OC Blue took to the field next and managed to keep Uni scoreless. Lachlan Bell worked hard throughout the game and applied constant pressure upfront. Oscar Allen joined us for the last time before returning to Europe, he played another excellent game and will be missed (thank you, we thoroughly enjoyed the snakes and oranges!!). Samuel Lindow and Archie King both played some strong rugby again and both managed to add a try to our team's result, with Charlie Waltham, Jack Bell, Jackson Denley and Max Richards running the ball up strongly. Lucas Aguiar had his best performance of the season and managed to excel in both attacking and defensive play, he managed to score 3 tries for the Blues. It was lovely after the game when one of the Uni "touch judges" complemented our team for their sportsmanship and Salvy Costanzo in particular for some excellent rugby.

We are looking forward to see you all at training till the end of season rugby carnival day on Sunday 21st Aug. and at the Old Collegians Junior Presentation Day on 11th Sept. Thank you for a great season!!

U8s Match Report

Old Collegians v Adelaide University

The last game of the season seemed to arrive ever so quickly, last weekend as another truck load of Junior Champs took to the pitch to represent the mighty Old Collegians Under 8's.

Coaches Jamie, Des and Colin decided to mix it up a bit on the weekend asking the team to forget the well drilled and highly structured game plan, this time encouraging the players to play on instinct alone, whilst still committing to a team first attitude.

The game started and within minutes the players broke through University's defence, repeatedly so, to begin a scoring bonanza. Jackson Brady, Quillien Bleakley, Mia Aguiar and Thomas King had the University defence grasping at thin air whilst Ed List, Jack Davies and Jack Taylor ran to support and drive the team forward. Keeping score was difficult such was the pace with which we moved the ball from a re-start or when we managed to pilfer the ball back from University. Toby Wilson, Finlay Hood and Charlie Kinniburgh provided some spectacular razzle dazzle with deft and evasive attacking running whilst Daniel Boulden, Azalie Czeglik and Will Tanner kept the pressure up on University when they did have the ball.

At half time the Coaches continued to encourage their young tyros to move the ball quickly, support team mates and play bold attacking rugby. Saxon Talbot Price, Alex Punshon and Hudson Lindow heeded their advice and continued to torment our opponents with or without ball in hand. Their tackling, chasing and break down play just as skilful as their attacking running and sublime passing when pressing forward.

Whilst the score was a bit of a blow-out University deserve a great deal of credit to hang in there and put up a good fight. Their good play rewarded with scores of their own in each half – well done.

It seems a little odd that that the season has finished because in many ways it feels like we were just getting started. All the kids have improved greatly under the watchful eyes of Jamie, Des and Colin. A big thanks to you all.

Finally, thanks to all the parents who came out to support, wash jumpers and or provide the kids with post match fixes of sugar. I trust you guys had as much fun as the kids.

I am sure that I can speak for all the kids to say that they will miss the early Saturday morning trips to Tregenza (or some far flung corner of South Australia) to play rugby. It was great to see many friendships formed and strengthened throughout the season, and that (apart from winning the odd game,) is the best thing about playing rugby at Old Colls.

We will finish the season off with a SARU end of season rugby carnival to be held at

**North Torrens RUFC on
Sunday morning, 21st August**

as well as our Old Collegians Junior Presentation Day to be held at Tregenza Oval on Sunday 11th Sept.



U7s Match Report

Old Collegians v Adelaide Uni

A lovely day greeted the Under 7s for the last non-gala match of the season. The University ground was not as bad as we'd been led to believe and was relatively firm for the players. The pitch was set up as a long, thin play area which allowed the players to exploit their speed.

There was initially some good running by Ezra but unfortunately he stepped out of bounds a few times before he was able to get in for a score in the right hand corner. Rhys went in once more a short time later, but unfortunately an injury occurred and he took no further part in the game. Following some good defence by Alex and Ezra, Alex scored a nice try in the right hand corner again. All the players seemed to be drawn to the right hand corner today. There were a few speedsters in the Uni team but our defence was relatively solid and we turned over the ball a number of times by forcing Uni mistakes. Myles scored a lovely try straight from the kick-off and Callum ran in another nice try in the right hand corner and then upset the betting by scoring on the left hand side.

The rest of the players played a scratch match on the second pitch and then set out to finish where the first team left off as the second half beckoned.

Manuel displayed his usual excellent defence, with Tristan also getting in on the act. This strong defence enabled some try scoring opportunities once we had the ball and Jimmy scored two great tries in the right hand corner, showing a fair turn of speed. Angus then got in on the act and repeatedly showed his defensive prowess, leaving no time for Uni to gain much ground. Sidney also showed why he has kept improving and Manuel scored a lovely diving try, running right through the centre of the Uni defence. Noah had a nice run to increase the pressure on Uni once more and the morning's play was finished off with two more scores from Jimmy, taking his total to four that morning.

The university referee was very complimentary to the players after the match and remarked on what an excellent game was played. Well done to everyone on their efforts - a great way to finish the normal season.

This week's awards went to: **Myles Kidd, Angus Sidwell and Callum Reeks**. The Coaches award went to **Jimmy Ryan**.

This Coming Saturday: No game but there is training on Wednesday in readiness for the End of Season Gala Day on Sunday 21st August, 9am to 11am at North Torrens RUFC.



2016 Calendar—Save these Dates

August

Sat 13th
Sun 14th
Sun 21st
Fri 26th
Sat 27th

Qualifying Final—Bailey Reserve—see page 3 for kick off times
Elimination Final—Bailey Reserve— see page 3 for kick off times
JPP Carnival—North Torrens—9am
SARU Grand Final Luncheon
GRAND FINAL

September

Fri 9th
Sun 11th
Sat 17th

Senior Presentation Night
Junior Presentation Day
Argentinean Night



October

Sunday 30th

Melbourne Cup Function—12noon to 4pm

Date to be confirmed

Summer Cocktail Night—Dress & Drinks

JPP Rugby Carnival

End of Season JPP Rugby Carnival (U6's/ U7's – U10's):

The JPP rugby carnival will be held on

**Sunday, 21st August
at North Torrens Rugby Club**

It will commence at 9am and conclude roughly at 11am.

Team managers will distribute more information closer to the time.

Colts NZ Tour 2017



Old Collegians Colts NZ
Tour 2017



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OIColtsNZTour2017](https://www.gofundme.com/OIColtsNZTour2017)

Our Condolences

To Jane Wright, her partner Doug and son Matthew.

We extend our sincere sympathy to Jane and her family on the recent passing of their father and husband.

With much love from the entire Old Collegians family.



SA Rugby Sevens

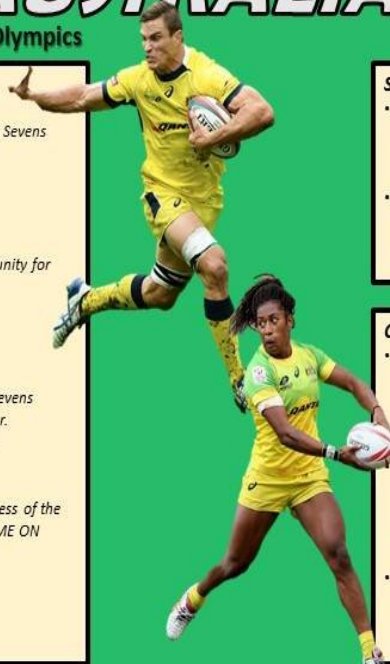


Australian Women's Sevens – Gold Medallist Rio Olympics

Australian Men's Sevens – Rio Olympics 2016

SCHOOLS SEVENS

- **Eastern Fleurieu High School Sevens 19th August**
Schools from around the area come together for the 3rd Annual Eastern Fleurieu Sevens Carnival Hosted by the Eastern Fleurieu School.
For more information contact Sam Livera
sam.livera@sarugby.com.au
- **High School Sevens 7th September**
Boys and Girls Under 16 and Under 18 age divisions will provide a prime opportunity for players to push for a Schoolgirls or Schoolboys Sevens Representative Position.
For more information contact Jason Hyam
Jason.hyam@sarugby.com.au
- **Primary School Sevens 21st September**
In 2015, Jack Campion our Development Officer ran a hugely successful Junior Sevens Tournament with over 500 Players! This year we hope it will be bigger and better.
For more information contact Henry Bradford henry.Bradford@sarugby.com.au
- **GAME ON State Championships 26th October**
GAME ON is the introductory program to rugby union across Australia! The success of the program will be celebrated by a state tournament with all new and existing GAME ON Schools Invited!
For more information contact one of SA Rugby's Development Officers
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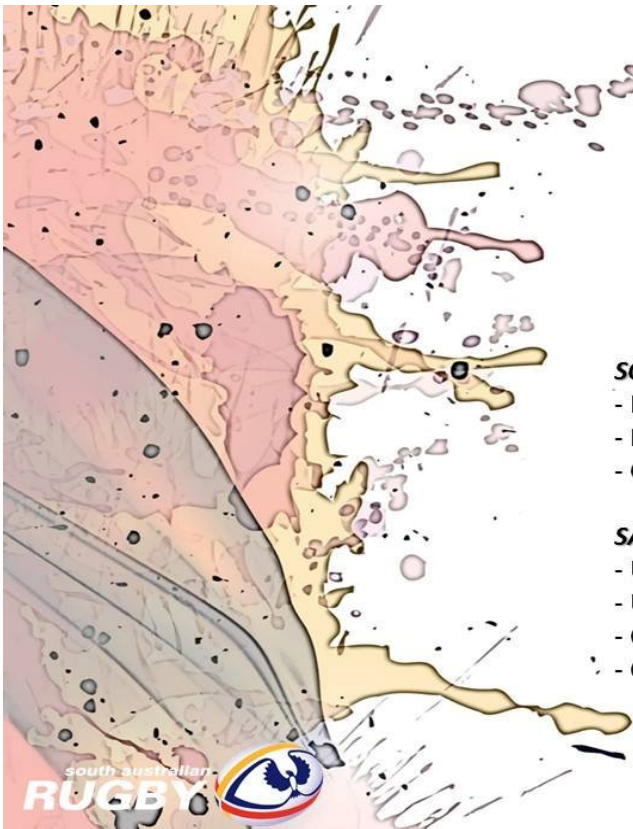


SA REPRESENTATIVE SEVENS

- **SA Youth Girls Talent Development Program**
In 2016 SA Rugby's Game Development will be searching for the next Sevens Star. Register your interest with one of our Development Officers who will be holding a regional trial soon!
- **SA Representative program 2016**
Senior National Sevens Championships are coming to Adelaide on November 20th & 21st. South Australia is entering an Open Women and Open Men Teams to compete! To be selected make sure you compete in the Elizabeth Sevens and FASA Sevens.

CLUB & COMMUNITY SEVENS

- South Australian Junior Sevens 17th September - Burnside Rugby Union Club
Boys and Girls U12, U14, U16 & U18
To register contact Codey Atkinson
codey.atkinson@sarugby.com.au
- Elizabeth Sevens 24th September - Elizabeth Rugby Union Club
Open Men and Women
To register contact Sam Livera
sam.livera@sarugby.com.au
- FASA Sevens 1st October - North Torrens Rugby Union Club
Open Men and Women
To register contact FASA
fasaadeelaide7stournament@gmail.com



Individual or Team Interest Form

Name: _____
 Mobile: _____
 Email: _____
 Club/School Association: _____

What would you like to enter?: (please circle)

SCHOOL SEVENS

- High School Sevens
- Primary School Sevens
- GAME ON STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

SA REPRESENTATIVE PROGRAM

- U18 Schoolgirls
- U18 Schoolboys
- Open Women
- Open Men

CLUB / COMMUNITY SEVENS

- Junior Sevens
- Elizabeth Sevens
- FASA Sevens

YOUTH GIRLS TALENT DEVELOPMENT IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM

- Under 15/16
- Under 17/18

To return your registration please copy and send to info@sarugby.com.au

You will receive a follow up call from one of our Development officers
 If you have any further questions please contact the SA Rugby Office on 08 7070 6940

Melbourne Cup Luncheon

OLD COLLEGIANS RUGBY CLUB



2016 MELBOURNE CUP SWEEP
SUNDAY OCTOBER 30th 12noon—4pm
LIVE MUSIC: JD and the Crabs
“FOOD & DRINKS” ALL INCLUDED
CALCUTTA & DOOR PRIZE “BEST HAT”
OVER \$3,000 IN PRIZES !! DO NOT MISS OUT
ONLY \$5 per week Reduced price drinks for partners
DRAW YOUR OWN HORSE “PAY AT BAR”

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