



# RICHMOND ROVERS

RUGBY LEAGUE CLUB

*Grey Lynn, Auckland, New Zealand*

## **RICHMOND BULLDOGS CLUB NEWSLETTER – June 2010**

Hope all is well after a cold and windy weekend. Below are some results I have received and some great team reports from various teams well done. Great to see our club song being sung! I have attached the Richmond song for officials to pass on to players new to Richmond.

### **Quick Team Reports from Juniors and Seniors**

#### **Under 6s**

The boys played extremely well and helped each other out to get the PT Chev. team down and away from their try line. The first quarter they were neck and neck at 12 all but then the second and third quarter they pulled away and came back with an awesome win 36-12.

*Player of the Day: Vaeden Guttenbeil, Runners Up: Seoul Nelio and Phoenix Ofanoa. Well done team!*

#### **Under 7s**

We lost to a very tough side to our neighbours Ponsonby, Our boys need to work more on a solid defence line, the game was exciting with alot more confidence Kaylis Lundon putting in little grubber kicks and other players confidence in off loads to keep the ball moving. *POD Sam Fuemana, Runner up went to Henry Silika, Most improved Denvor Elia and Top tackler with a total of 15 tackles went to Ioane Iosua.*

#### **Under 8s**

24 - 20 to Richmond. A Good game, Cold and windy morning. But the kids soldered on. Our game played was try for try, With Riccardo Nicholas scoring just before the whistle went giving us the win. *Player of the day was Meke Lokeni.*

#### **Under 9s**

Went down to Pt Chev Pirates 36-19 *POD Timor Williams and Runner Up Denzal Woolston.*

#### **Under 11s**

The overall Player of the Day was Arthur Fraser for his awesome effort on attack and defence and Best Defensive player was Sema Suilepa for his excellent defence especially in the 2nd half. Thanks Jo

#### **Richmond U13s**

With 3 wins on the trot, we faced the top team of our section Otahuhu. We were confident we could compete and at half time the score was 16-10 to Otahuhu and we were unlucky not be leading. We lost our Fullback Tane Williams after 10mins to injury and Lorenzo Reulelu did a fine job at back.

Then we lost JJ David to serious injury and this affected our team focus. Otahuhu ran in some soft tries but we managed to regain our focus late and Brayden scored the last try. Final score Otahuhu 40 Richmond 20, Our middle of the ruck defence was sound and we scrambled well. The proof was Otahuhu scoring most of their tries out wide. Our forwards played strongly led by our props AJ Lee-Sang and Mase'ese'e Kali. Captain Brayden Tautuki was a constant threat as well as Tre-Duece Sio. What the score doesn't show is the committed effort the team (and bangs and bruises) put in. On a happy note, JJ David is on the mend and is keen to play this weekend....we'll see.

*Player of the Day: AJ Lee-Sang / Best Forward: Brayden Tautuki  
Best Back: Isaac Ah Kuoi-Atmore / Coaches Award: Kanoa Symons*

#### **Under 15s**

Another great result for the U15's this weekend with a Richmond 36 vs 10 Mt Albert win, Peko Faatoese had a strong game on debut, with a reshuffled back line due to injuries they performed well. Keep it up boys.

#### **Under 18s**

Played at Bay Roskill, Half time score 22-10 to Richmond Full time whistle to Richmond 29-22 it was Grand Final quality football game hard and clean with big hits. Currently 6th place out of 14 teams Keep it U18s! *POD Forward Jesse Nicholson, POD Backs Marcel Ikinofa.*

### **Premier 2nd - Bulldogs**

A good win against the team at the top of the table Mt Albert, 30-24, awesome games by our full back Jonathan Petaia, and our young hooker Junior Malo...It was also great to hear our Richmond club song in full voice in the Mt Albert changing rooms straight after the game

### **Premier 2nd - USO**

Good win we played Te Atatu at home, on number 2 field and our players of the day went to Jonathan Fili and Molesi.

### **Premier 2nd Alii**

We played Glenora on the number 1 field at home, the Alii team all played well together to achieve a good win for the club, Thanks Tina

### **Premier 2nd - Doggies**

Good win against Northcote Tigers played at home, players of the day went to Shane Strickland and Hector Purcell.

You're Friend in League

Kyla Kaiser-DAY - JCB communications officer

### **This weekends team's game day details:**

Games are subject to change please check board on Thursday or Auckland Rugby League Website for any changes

### **[www.richmondbulldogs.com](http://www.richmondbulldogs.com) website update:**

Team Reports / Player Profiles / JMC Final Format & Dates – Events calendar



### **\$5 Weekly Richmond Donation**

Would you Miss \$5 from your pocket each week? Richmond as a club could be well assisted financially if each senior member made an automatic payment of \$5 to go towards paying its overall running costs, repairs and maintenance. If we can work on getting 100 people to be contributors, that will give our club approx \$2,000

a month ie \$24,000 a year to pay for our running costs etc.

From our own current members we should be able to accomplish this. Can you imagine every registered Senior Player, every coach and manager on this. That is without even counting the Masters / Old Boys Association and any other old boy of Richmond that people know about and are not members of the Association or Masters. 150 people will get \$36,000 per annum. So what are you waiting for?

### **YOUR CLUB NEEDS YOU!!!**

Please donate an automatic payment of \$5 per week to the following Richmond account:

**Club Account Number is: 03 - 0104 - 0220112 - 00**

**Westpac Trust 79 Queen Street Auckland City.**

Remember to put your own name in the Reference column, which will show up on the Club's bank statement.



### **Supporting a great initiative: Superleague Magazine**

Superleague is back! Issue three is in the shops and out there so get your copy now and still only \$5. All our best writers and photographers are back again.

Best way to make sure there will be a rugby league magazine is to take a subscription. Don't forget to open up the enclosed attachment to have a sneak preview of the cracking good job designer Bodie Friend has achieved. Butch was first on the phone to congratulate the team when he saw edition one - that's the sort of bloke he is - it's not all about him, and 'to be fair' he's not 100% at the moment - it's about the greatest game. Thanks Peter, our best wishes to you and Janice.

All the best in rugby league - order your copy now from your newsagents or email below. We'll do the rest.

**Robin Smith** - [superleaguetwo@yahoo.com.au](mailto:superleaguetwo@yahoo.com.au)

*On behalf of the Superleague team.*

## Richmond RRLFC Game day Results – Sat 19<sup>th</sup> June 2010

Under 6	Vs Pt Chevalier	36-12	Win
Under 7	Vs Ponsonby	16-36	Loss
Under 8	Vs Waitemata	24-20	Win
Under 9	Vs Pt Chevalier	36-19	Loss
Under 10	Vs Marist Green		
Under 11	Vs Glenora	26-12	Win
Under 12	Vs Northcote	24-04	Win
Under 13	Vs Otahuhu	20-40	Loss
Under 14	Vs Mangere East		
Under 15	Vs Mt Albert	36-10	Win
Under 16	Vs Marist		
Under 18	Vs Bay Roskill	29-22	Win
Under 20	Vs Ellerslie	32-26	Win
Premier 2 <sup>nd</sup> USO	Vs Te Atatu	38-16	Win
Premier 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tokes	Vs Waitemata	30-0	Win by def
Premier 2 <sup>nd</sup> Alii	Vs Glenora	58-10	Win
Premier 2 <sup>nd</sup> Bulldogs	Vs Mt Albert	30-24	Win
Premier 2 <sup>nd</sup> Doggies	Vs Northcote		Win
Premier 1 <sup>st</sup> Reserves	Vs 58 - 22Ponsonby	38 - 30	Loss
Premiers – Topside	Vs Ponsonby	56-16	Win
Richmond Roses	Vs		

## RICHMOND CLUB SONG – sung after every team win

*(SOLO sung by Captain)*

*One more try  
In the corner  
That's where I  
Would like to be*

*(ALL)*

*With me and my two second rowers  
From the half back to the back line  
Pass it here!*

**CHORUS 2X**

*Pass it here, pass it there  
We're gonna pass it everywhere  
For we are the greatest club of all  
Don't hold that ball too long  
We're gonna pass it right along  
Do it again  
Richmond Rovers do it again!*

*Cos I was born to play for Richmond  
for Richmond for Richmond  
Cos I was born to play for Richmond, for Richmond are we  
Where your friends are my friends  
And my friends are your friends  
Cos I was born  
to play for Richmond  
For Richmond are WE!!!*



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