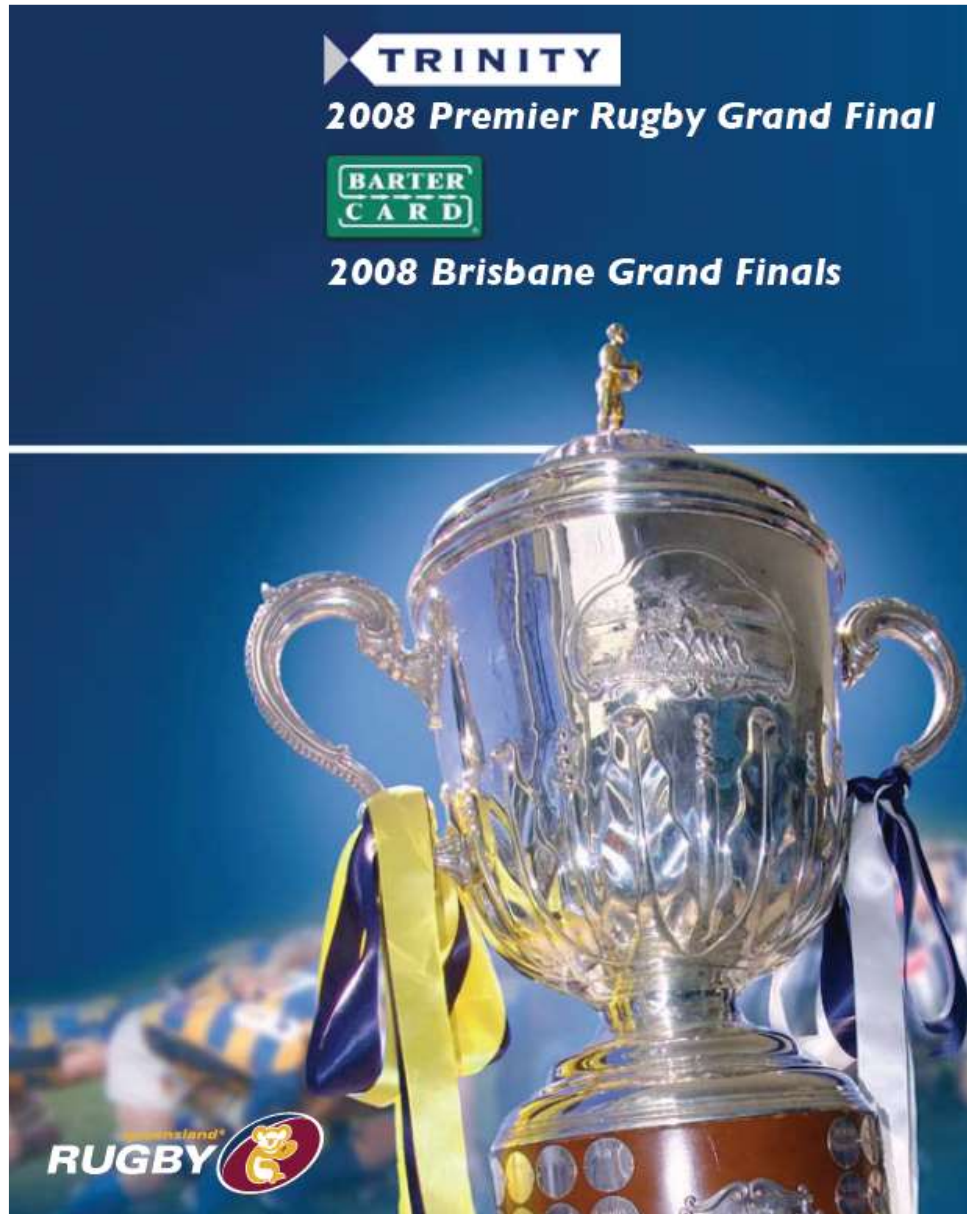


BROTHERS OLD BOYS' RUGBY CLUB (INC)

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EIGHTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT and FINANCIAL STATEMENT 2008

THE 104th SEASON

To be presented to the Annual General Meeting to be held in the
Jacaranda Room, Crosby Park, Crosby Road, Albion on
Wednesday 22 October 2008 at 7.00pm

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Mr. D.A. DUNWORTH

** Deceased*

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

I'm pleased to present the President's Report on the club's performance in 2008.

Clubs are not considered "successful" or otherwise solely on their performance on the Rugby field, or solely on their work from a club perspective.

I'm pleased that we have a harmonious position where the Committee and management of the club have worked diligently this year, not only to ensure that the club is in a strong financial position but that we are successful and provide the best facilities and opportunities for the players to play and enjoy their rugby and off field activities.

I'm delighted to advise that the Committee have progressed a number of matters which had not been adequately addressed in previous years. More on that later.

A Successful Year

We have had one of our most successful years in quite some time, on and off the paddock.

Crowds at home games were the strongest for some years drawn principally by the exciting rugby played by Premier Grade and obviously by the Brothers burgers, cold ales, the dulcet tones of Pat Oswald on the P.A. and ambiance of Crosby Park on a Saturday afternoon

7 teams out of 11 reached the semi finals with 4 teams playing in the Grand Final, winning Division One First Grade, Second Grade and Fourth Grade with Premier Grade losing to Easts by 1 point.

The support for all Grades through the Semi Finals was amazing with good crowds of loyal Brothers supporters, particularly the players from other teams, rolling out game after game to see the Brothers boys perform.

On Grand Final Day there was great support for all grades, which carried themselves magnificently.

It was very much a day of mixed emotions with the euphoria of winning the 4ths, 2nds, and 1sts, one after another, until we were forced to play 65 minutes of the Premier Grade Grand Final, with 14 men, to lose by 1 point.

The courage and determination shown by Premier Grade in the final two games of the season (against a resurgent Sunnybank and the Grand Final), after being written off after losing the Major Semi to Easts, epitomised the Brothers spirit and never say die attitude.

Thanks to all players from all grades for your contribution to the Club in 2008 both on and off the paddock.

The spirit, determination, will to win, and camaraderie at the club this year was great. We are proud of you.

Congratulations to all those who made the semi finals and a special congratulations goes to all those who won Premierships in 2008.

Club Captain

To our 2008 Club Captain, Jordan Bennie, congratulations on behalf of myself and the Committee for a job well done.

Jordan not only provided a link to the Committee from the Players Leadership Group, organised many of the player's functions and the weekly Brothers newsletter, but generally provided leadership of the players at the club.

Thanks to Jordan and the Leadership Group.

Club Sponsors

Commentary on the Club's sponsors is covered in detail by the General Manager's Report but we are indebted to them for their loyalty and support.

In particular thanks to our major sponsor IMAGETEC who embraced the sponsorship by attending all of our home games and most of the away games.

We're very pleased that they have committed to the Club for the 2009 season.

2008 Committee

I'd like to thank each and every one of the 2008 Committee for their dedication and hard work.

There is always a huge amount of time and effort contributed by the Committee to the Club.

In particular this year, I'd like to thank our chairman Jim Frayne who has brought leadership and considerable business acumen to the table, providing a more strategic and professional approach.

I'm delighted that our long serving Treasurer and Life Member Des Hogan was this year awarded the Norbert Byrne Medal for his services to Rugby for his work at the Club. It is great recognition by the QRU and QRU Club of his tireless work

Volunteers

The Club is based very heavily around the work done by volunteers.

In addition to the coaches and managers and committee, there have been a number of volunteers who have assisted this year in a variety of ways; in getting the Brothers Centenary Book researched and published; in setting up the Brothers Foundation, in working with Council etc, in getting our Brisbane City Council lease over Crosby extended, in working around the club on our facilities; in liaising with the QRU; in keeping seconds and statistics; in putting the Tattersall's Lunch together; in assisting in setting up on match days; assisting in the canteen and sponsors area on game days; organising events and social functions and in the general running of the club.

Could I say thanks to all volunteers who have assisted at the Club in 2008. We appreciate your contribution and look forward to your ongoing support. We are still relying on the faithful few volunteers who help out regularly and look forward to a greater contribution from a broader volunteer base in 2009.

General Manager

We were blessed this year with the appointment of Mark Taylor as the Club's General Manager.

Mark's positive can do attitude, his drive, knowledge and experience has been of great benefit to the club.

Brothers Juniors

Thanks to the President David Hine and the Juniors for the excellent working relationship and the support you give the Senior Club. We look forward to extending the partnership and working more closely together in 2009.

Major Achievements

The committee has made great progress on number of matters over which we were criticised widely at last years AGM.

I'm pleased to outline below some of the progress on a range of issues and outline the challenges still to be addressed:

- **Finances.** The Club is in a strong financial position as outlined in Des Hogan's report, which assures the Club of financial security in the immediate future. However if we are to be successful with the initiatives started this year we must increase the revenue significantly.
- **Database.** John McCullough has been instrumental in revamping our various data bases to ensure that we can begin to effectively communicate with our stakeholders. There is still a much to be done to achieve a position where we can contact every member quickly, encourage the large number of supporters to join up officially, provide every member with benefits commercially on production of a membership card, and simply provide every member with a card or badge. These objectives are high priority for 2009.
- **Renewal of Crosby Park Lease.** We are well advanced now with the renewal of the lease on Crosby Park which expires in 2011, following considerable negotiation with the Brisbane City Council and various other parties.
- **Clubhouse.** We are considering various options for progressing the licensed club from an overhead to an income producing facility; to better serve the players, supporters and the local community.
- **Facilities.** We have applied for a significant grant from the State Government that, if approved, will allow a major upgrade of the lights on the main oval and improvement of the lights on the bottom oval. We were assisted by the QRU with the grant application and acknowledge that help.

Using the remainder of a grant for field improvement facilitated by Brothers Junior's we have embarked on a repair and improvement program for the surface on the main oval.

We are also planning some significant landscaping improvements but those plans have had to be put on hold for a short time whilst we consider the options for the Clubhouse.

- **Communication.** Our website www.brothersrugby.com has been upgraded and kept up to date through the year. Also the BRC Weekly has been produced each week through the season and has been individually emailed to the database and available on the website. Imagine the power of this communication if we can provide it to a few thousand members and contacts.
- **Membership.** Principally to comply with licensing laws, to improve our database and to allow our supporters a voice at the AGM, we have implemented full voting and social memberships. Details on the website.
- **Sponsorship.** As we rely heavily on sponsorship income to fund club activities, we have worked hard to ensure an excellent sponsorship base in 2008. I'm pleased to advise that our 2008 major sponsors Imagetec have recommitted to the club for 2009. Feedback from IMAGETEC and our other sponsors has been excellent.
- **Constitution.** At the AGM we hope a new Constitution, which is more relevant to the present times and allows for some of the initiatives to be undertaken, whilst

not tinkering with the traditional, which is so dear to the Club, will be endorsed by the voting members. Retention and Recruitment for 2009. We are currently considering our coaching and managers roles for 2009 and are seeking to recruit Colt's players.

In a significant positive move for the Club we have appointed former Brothers player and Second Grade Coach Zane Hilton as Director of Rugby. This is a full time paid position reporting to the General Manager, Mark Taylor. Zane, who commences with us on 1st October, brings with him a wealth of experience and expertise.

- **Brothers Academy.** We have established a Brother Development Program/Academy based at Crosby Park, affiliated with the QRU, designed to provide opportunity for players to develop and improve their skills and physical standards.

The aims of the Program include education of players and coaches to achieve a higher level of rugby skills and to engage in weights and nutrition programs.

The Program will also cement the traditional culture that has driven Brothers Rugby Club to be respected amongst our peers and within the community.

- **Tattersall's Lunch.** The Tatts Lunch was again an outstanding success with MC Buddha Handy and guest speakers Old Reds Coach Phil Mooney and Author and Former Wallaby Peter Fitzsimmons entertaining all who attended. Our thanks to all those involved but in particular to Dick McGruther, Dennis Croft and Jim Frayne.

As indicated in last years Report, 2008 was going to be one of our most challenging but one that if we addressed the challenges successfully, would be a platform for the future success of the Club.

Thanks to all those who assisted through the year and we look forward to continued success in 2009.

Tony Shaw

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Since its election your Management Committee held 13 meetings, attendance at Committee Meetings were as follows;

Mr A.A. SHAW (President).....	11
Mr D.J. HOGAN (Hon. Treasurer).....	11
Mr J.P. DIAMOND (Hon. Secretary).....	13
Mr. D. CAMERON.....	2
Ms. G.C. DEIGHTON.....	8
Mr. J.E.F. FRAYNE (Chairman).....	12
Mr. P.D. FRENCH.....	10
Mr O.C. MAYHEW.....	2
Mr. J.D. MCCULLAGH.....	10
Mr A.J. MCDERMOTT.....	10
Mr R.G. MCKEON.....	9
Mr. E.J. RABAGLINO.....	11
Mr. G.R. SILVESTER.....	4
Mr M.J. TAYLOR (General Manager).....	10
Mr J.A. BENNIE (Club Captain).....	4

BROTHERS RUGBY CLUB PERPETUAL TROPHIES

Life Member Gold Badge

- David Dunworth

J.C. Atherton, H.F. Edwards & Mick Flynn Memorial Trophy **Club Man of the Year**

- David Magoffin

F.M. Arnell & J.P. Gralton Memorial Trophy **Most Improved Player**

- Adrian Dixon

Robert McGladrigan Memorial Trophy **For Training & Club Spirit**

This trophy is awarded to the player who displayed an outstanding effort at training and through his endeavours both on and off the field has shown excellent Club spirit.

- Bradley Hunt

Cyril Fogarty Memorial Trophy **For Outstanding Service to the Club**

- John Druery

Anthony O'Brien Memorial Trophy **For Service & Support to the Lower Grades (3rd, 4th & 5th Grades)**

- Gerard Jefferies

Tom Gaffney Memorial Trophy **Club Captain**

- Jordan Bennie

Charlie Seymour Memorial Trophy **Most Outstanding Player in a Representative Match**

Awarded to the Brothers player for the most outstanding performance in a representative match

- David Croft (S14: Q vs. Sharks, Durban)

Brothers Old Boys Rugby Club Trophy

Awarded for playing 100 First Grade Games for the Club

- NO AWARD

Christian Brothers Trophy

Best & Fairest Club Player

- Brendan McKibbin

Merv Hazell Memorial Trophy

Best & Fairest Colts Player

- Dustin Henegan

Jodie Kairl Trophy

Best & Fairest Women's Player

- Annelise Robson

Highest Point Scorer

- Brendan McKibbin (261 Pts)

Patron's Trophy

Rookie of the Year

- Dallan Murphy / Andrew Shaw

President's Trophy

Awarded to the best performed team

- Division One – 1st Grade

Chairman's Trophy

Awarded to the best player in a Grand Final

- Anthony Pyers (Division One – 1st Grade)

Appreciation Trophy

To the person or persons who have made an outstanding contribution to the Club.

- Lindy Taylor

LIFE MEMBER

David Anthony DUNWORTH

To support David's nomination an outline of Dunners contribution to the Club as a player and as an official of the Club for a period of over 40 years was submitted by his sponsors:

- As a player commencing with the Colts in 1965 and playing first grade from 1966 until 1976.
- As a player David was a member of 1966, 68, 71, 73, 74 & 75 1st grade premiership winning teams.
- David also played 50 games for Queensland (1969-76) and 5 tests for Australia (1971-76).
- As an official David also served as Chairman of the Licensed Club in the 1990's.
- As a football club official David served on the Brothers Rugby Club Board as the Club President from 1995-98.
- In more recent times David has also supported many fundraising initiatives including Club luncheons; in particular he was a member of the Centenary Committee in 2004/05.
- David was also the Project Director of the Club's official history, "Brothers' in Arms".

The Club's Management Committee unanimously supported David's nomination and referred it to a representative group of current Life Members for ratification and approval.

Brothers would like to congratulate a truly deserving Clubman on his nomination and acceptance of Life Membership of the Club, well done Dunners.



GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

2008 has proven to be a very successful year for Brothers both on and off the field. I would like to extend my congratulations to the players, coaches, managers, strappers and medicos for their magnificent effort and commitment that led to seven finals berths, four grand finals and three premierships. At the same time my commiserations to those teams that didn't do so well this year, it will all be better next year.

To the committee and their tireless band of volunteers, I also offer my congratulations and thanks. Without those who choose to offer their time and efforts so generously, the club would not be in the strong position it is today. In particular, to Tony Shaw (President), Jim Frayne (Chairman) and Des Hogan (Legend and Norbert Byrne Medal winner), I cannot stress enough the value of the support you have given.

A special mention as well for our magnificent and generous sponsors; Imagetec as our major sponsor has been fantastic, not only do they not miss a home game, the boys also showed up at a number of our away matches, which is great to see. To Ray White Ascot, Westpoint Autos, Canterbury Teamwear, Orient Hotel, O'Loughlin Executive Search, Sherwin Financial Planners, McDonalds Northside and all our sponsors at all levels, thank you; much of our success is due to your support.

Congratulations to those players who were selected for representative honours this year. Sam Cordingley, Wallabies and Reds and Sean Hardman for The Reds, Australia A and the Wallabies; David Croft for the Reds and Queensland, Brendan McKibbin, James Harvey, Andrew Shaw and Paul Doneley for Queensland teams; Damon Murphy for the Australian Sevens; Ilie Batibasaga for Australian, Queensland and Australian Sevens Women's teams. Well done to you all.

For the remainder of this year and throughout next year we will continue to improve the grounds and the facilities at the club as well as develop our player and coaching group with a view to ensuring next year is even more successful than this one.

Remember, "There's Brothers, then there's the Others."

Mark Taylor



Damon Christopher MURPHY

REPRESENTATIVE PLAYERS

AUSTRALIA:

Sam Cordingley

AUSTRALIA A:

Sean Hardman

IRB RUGBY 7s:

Anthony Sauer (Australia)
Damon Murphy (Australia)
Alistair McLay (PNG)

AUSTRALIAN BARBARIANS:

Sam Cordingley
Andrew Shaw

QUEENSLAND REDS:

Sean Hardman
David Croft
Sam Cordingley

QUEENSLAND A:

Brendan McKibbin

QUEENSLAND:

David Croft (Captain)
Sean Hardman
Brendan McKibbin
Liam Shaw

QUEENSLAND PREMIER XV:

David Croft (Captain)
Brendan McKibbin
Andrew Shaw
Paul Doneley
James Harvey

PAPUA NEW GUINEA:

Adrian Dixon
Alistair McLay

NEW ZEALAND MARIST:

Dan Kilmartin

QUEENSLAND TOUR TO IRELAND:

Brendan McKibbin
Andrew Shaw
James Harvey

AUSTRALIA (Wallaroos):

Iliseva Batibasaga

AUSTRALIA 7's:

Iliseva Batibasaga

QUEENSLAND:

Iliseva Batibasaga
Annelise Robson

BROTHERS OLD BOYS' RUGBY CLUB PREMIERSHIP TEAMS

4th GRADE - 1pm Saturday 16th August 2008

GPS		Brothers	Referees
Gus Porteous	1	Tristain Laidlow	Referee: Simon Scoble Touch Judge: Gerard Cavanagh Touch Judge: Lance Jenkins
Tom Austin Icl	2	Drew Dening	
Tom Craig	3	Jacob Handy	
Carlos Guerra	4	James Court	
Trent O'Connor	5	Will Tynan	
James Park	6	Luke Young	
Cameron Locke	7	Thomas O'Shea	
Rupert Ballinger	8	Matthew Gardiner	
Sam Rogers	9	Nick Young	
James Sully	10	Tony Andrews	
Pat King	11	Benn Wilson	
Dave Houghton	12	Nicholas Hamilton	
Casey Brown	13	Mike MacArthur	
Andrew Jones	14	Nicholas Ryan	
William Leal	15	Matthew Hills	
Chris Brockhurst	16	Hugh Tully	
Cameron King	17	Fraser Bax	
Stuart Longworth	18	Michael Blacker	
Luke Sexton	19	Richard Reeves	
Sam Maynard	20	Quentin Gill	
Rowan Sedgwick	21	Nicholas Henry	
Tim Jones	22	Daniel Wilson	
Andrew Taylor	23	Thomas Roberts	
Ben Sexton	24		
Hunter Lainge	25		
Rowan Sedgwick	HC		
Andrew Taylor / Ben Sexton	C		
Ryan Webster	M		



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BROTHERS OLD BOYS' RUGBY CLUB PREMIERSHIP TEAMS

2nd GRADE - 9:30am Sunday 17th August 2008

GPS		Brothers	Referees
Ross Marshall	1	Sean Chapman	Referee: Rob Walker
Rob Wright	2	Seamus Delahunty	Touch Judge: Darren Rees
Gavin Warren	3	Lee Bauer	Touch Judge: Jason Lees
Brett Frostick (vc)	4	Trent Jones	
Kevin Tuicolo	5	Patrick Beckett	
Wayne Robinson (c)	6	Alistair McLay	
Brett Beauchamp	7	Simon Reid	
Joel Potter	8	Georgie Asprey	
Kel Cronin	10	Christopher Ferraro	
Nick Dangerfield	11	Shane Lynch	
Tom Rynders	12	Michael Skinner	
Mitchell Geraghty	13	John Gabbett	
Tim Shepherd (vc)	14	Blair Hart	
Simon McIvor	15	Michael Stanton	
Andrew Fielding			
James Park	16	George Tagicakibau	
Stuart Longworth	17	Liam McKeown	
Dan Gorman	18	Timothy McKellar	
Charlie Holland	19	James Vail	
Jonathan Downing	20	Andrew Twist	
Cameron Lynch	21	William Costello	
	22	Teddy Ah Ben	
	23	Thomas Favell	
Alan Beauchamp / Alan Mills	C		
John Hollamby / Scotty Hunter	M		



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BROTHERS OLD BOYS' RUGBY CLUB PREMIERSHIP TEAMS

1st GRADE - 1pm Sunday 17th August 2008

Brothers		GPS	Referees
Jordan Bennie	1	Tegh Porter	Referee: Simon Moore
Dugald Asprey	2	Joao Caldero-Santos	Assistant Referee: Steve Leszczynski
Adam Nixon	3	Dave Howard	Assistant Referee: Andrew Coorey
Gareth Clouston	4	Andrew Poulton	
Sean Ryan	5	Shaun Graham	
Brad Hunt	6	Mark Donaldson	
Godfrey Esmonde	7	Brendan Sexton	
Ben McCormack	8	Corey Chapman	
Tom Collins	9	Cameron Mead	
Matt Anderton	10	Shane Arnold	
Bow Grayson	11	Ses Slade	
Wes Grayson	12	Andy Finn	
Andrew Christie	13	Tom Middlin	
Anthony Piers	14	Shane Cutmore	
Damian Steele	15	Luke Campbell	
Sean Chapman	16	Tom Sheehy	
Seamus Delahunty	17	Josh Paszonka	
Trent Jones	18	Phil O'connor	
Ali McLay	19	Gavin Warren	
Chris Ferraro	20	Mogi Wei	
Shane Lynch	21	Cam King	
George Tagicakibau	22	Alex Rokobaro	
Bernie Hogan	HC	Mick Arnold	
David Logan, Gary Honan	C	Nick Fogarty / Scott McMullen	
David Cameron	M		



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SEASON EVENTS

COBRA RUGBY 10's – Kuala Lumpur

Brothers first foray into the HSBC COBRA Rugby 10's, in Malaysia was made by a small group of hardy and adventurous souls; Ron Price (Coach), Anthony McDermott (Manager), Paul Doneley (Captain), Simon Price, Anthony Pyers, Sean Ryan, James Maguire, Christopher Ferraro, Ben McCormack, Alistair McLay, Dugald Asprey, Dallan Murphy, Nathaniel Gendle, Ryan Freney, Sampson Hatfield and Judy Price (No.1 Supporter),

On the first day of the Tournament, Saturday 27 October we played our three Group C pool matches. Losing to Ponsonby (NZ) by 22-7, defeating NS Wanderers (Malaysia) by 21-5 and going down to Marist St. Joseph (Samoa) by 35-5 rounded out a tough day.

This meant we finished third in our pool and moved into the Bowl Section of the tournament. In the quarter final we played KEPKO (Korea) and won by 40-0, this meant we moved into the Bowl Semi-final round. After defeating Oriental Rongotai (NZ) by 28-21 in a very tight match we would then play Northlink (SA) in the Bowl Final.

Unfortunately by the time we played Northlink in the Final, injuries had taken their toll. We had to borrow two players to sit on the bench to help cover for any other problems. Brothers would go down to Northlink by 19-10 in a hard fought and entertaining match.

The tourists had a great time Malaysia and had an opportunity to sample the culture and nightlife of the city.

A special thanks must go to our generous sponsors; IPG Print, Ray White New Farm, Western Rural Services and Kolijo Sugar without whom this Tour would not have been possible.



Team Photo – Day One



Bowl Final vs. Northlink (SA) – Day Two

ANDREW PACEY MEMORIAL SHIELD - Mackay

It was Mackay's turn to host the Fish Festival in 2008 and the carnival was to be held at Quarry Hill Rugby Park on Saturday the 2nd February. However due to the extreme wet weather and major flooding in North Queensland, the event was subsequently cancelled.

PETONE RFC TOUR MATCH – Crosby Park

Saturday 8 March saw the Petone Club visit Brothers' for the first time in nearly twenty years as a part of their preseason development tour.

Two matches were organised with Brothers' top grades playing Petone's Premier and Development Squad's. Both matches were heartily contested and evenly fought although Brothers' came out the victors in both matches.

The result of the Premier Grade match was Brothers 43 defeated Petone 27, scorers for Brothers included; Ant Sauer 3, James Harvey 1, Dallan Murphy 1 and penalty try & Brendan Mc Kibbin 5 conversions and 1 penalty goal and Petone 4 tries, 2 conversions and 1 penalty goal.



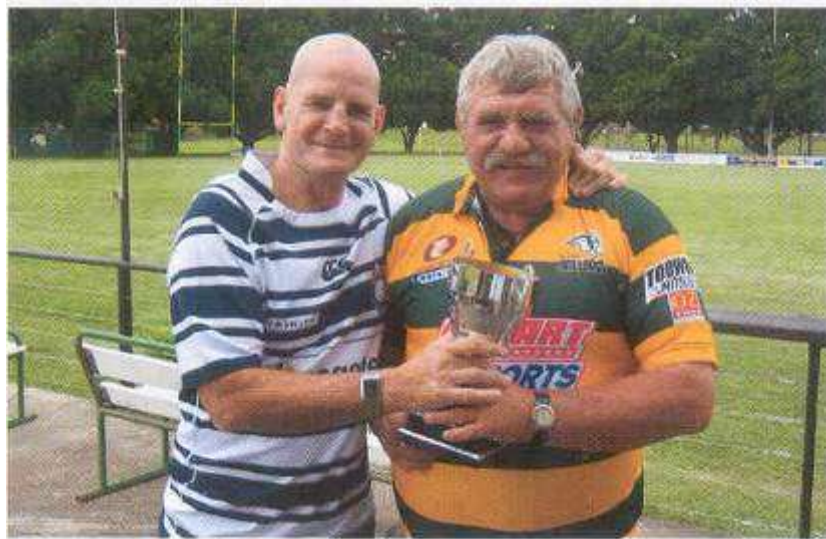
NEW BROTHERS' CHALLENGE CUP – Pilecki-Shaw Cup

Saturday 12th April saw the Brothers' and West's premier grade team's play for the Pilecki-Shaw Cup for the first time. This cup has been arranged in recognition of two of the biggest legends in Australian rugby.

Tony Shaw and Stan Pilecki are both club icons who represented Queensland and Australia on countless occasions. They were both very hard men from each club and every match between Wests and Brothers was always an epic encounter.

Tony Shaw is the president of Brothers' Old Boys' Rugby Club and Stan Pilecki is a life member and major supporter of Wests Rugby Club. The cup will be played for bi-annually with the winner retaining it on each occasion.

The cup was presented to Brendan McKibbin, the Brothers' captain by Stan and Tony at the end of an exciting match which was won by Brothers by 35 points to 14.



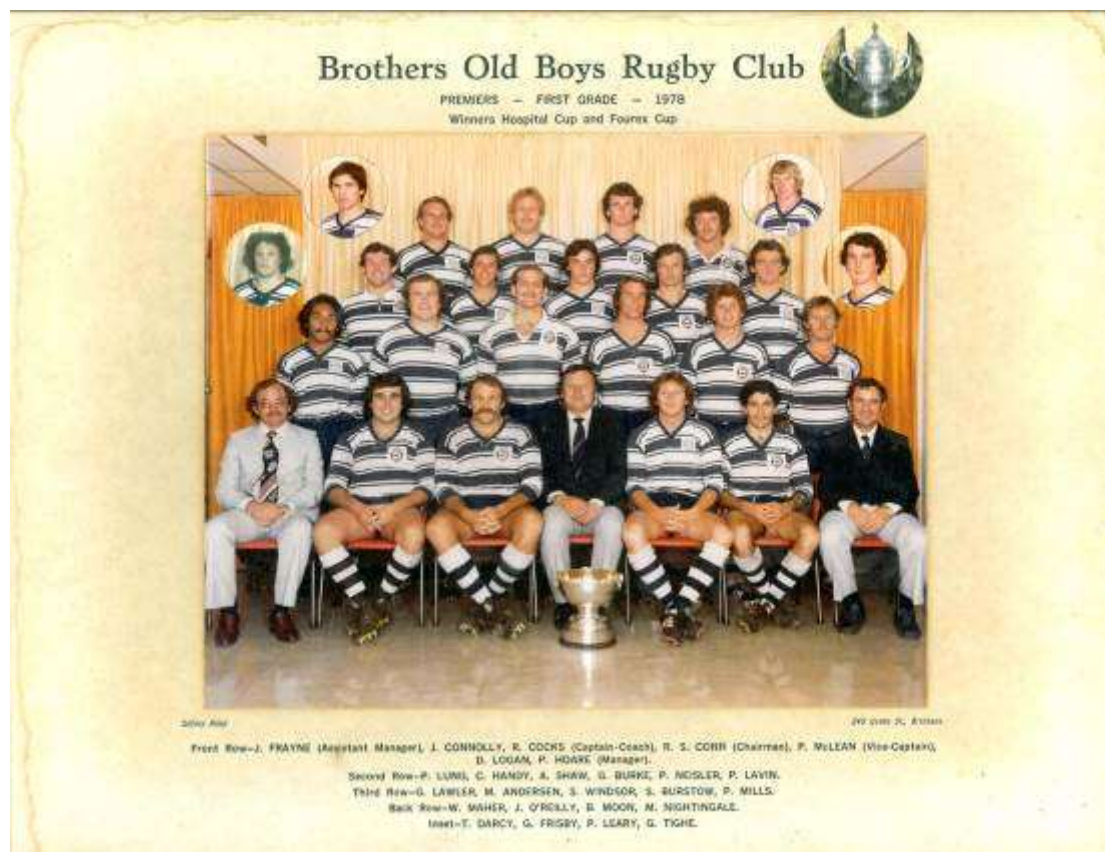
30th ANNIVERSARY, 1978 1st GRADE PREMIERSHIP – Crosby Park

The Round 4 match between Brothers' and University for the Templeton-McLean Cup also saw a reunion lunch to commemorate the 30th anniversary of the 1978 Grand Final between Brothers & University, which was won by Brothers by 19 points to 15.

The Lunch was held in the Jacaranda Room, prior to the Premier Grade game on April 19. Former Brothers Club Captain, 100 Premier game player, poet and commentator, Rupert McCall was the MC and kept the 130 attendees entertained throughout the function.


Both team's Coaches & Managers as well as the Grand Final Referee were guests of the Club.

In a tight fought contest Brothers' went on to win the Templeton-McLean Cup by 24 points to 22.



LADIES DAY – Crosby Park

Report not available at time of publishing.



style & magazines

ladies day

Get the girls together and join us for an afternoon of fashion, food, bubbles and fun!

Sat 14 June 2008
12 noon - 5pm

Brothers Rugby Union Club
Crosby Road, Albion


• Fashion Voucher for Best Dressed Lady on the day

• Petrol Boutique and Staggers Fashion Parade including Staggers jeans auction

Awesome raffles include:

- Weekend for Two at The Byron at Byron Resort, Byron Bay
- Dior sunglasses from Eye Candy, Emporium
- Syaala Beauty Gift Packs
- La Boite Theatre tix
- A fantastic gift for every lady on the day


Join us after the parade in the Style VIP Marquee to watch Brothers V Wests at 3pm



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for bookings of 10



PAPUA NEW GUINEAN INTERNATIONALS – A.K. Dixon & A.D. McLay

The Papua New Guinea Pukpuks team has been finalised with nine changes made following the close of the annually held Coca-Cola Super 4s regional rugby union championships in Lae. Fourteen players from the team that won the inaugural 2007 Federation of Oceania Rugby Union (FORU) Cup earlier this year have won back their spots on form.

The Pukpuks begin their title defence for the 2008 FORU Cup in Noumea, New Caledonia and will play the Western conference round of matches against Solomon Islands (August 16), Vanuatu (August 20) and New Caledonia (August 23). The Pukpuks will return to PNG on August 25.

If the Pukpuks are successful again then they will meet the winner of the Eastern conference between Niue, Cook Islands and Tahiti. Winners of both conferences will play for the FORU Cup on August 30 in Port Moresby.

The PNG Pukpuks team: Moses Koko, Wesley Thomas, **Adrian Dixon**, Willie Rikis, Aaron Mai, Daniel Kulmat, **Alistair McLay**, George Oki, Lawrence Acanufa, Joe Kautu, Jeffrey Vineval, Raymond Romalus, David Eri, Gina Ponda, Edwin Noki, Richard Pangkatana, Jimmy Meria, Yaisuo Giheno, Danny Kanasa, Ralph Pombie, Tony Ponda, Roland Namo.



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VALE

PAUL SWEENEY

PAUL SWEENEY Journalist, sportsman

Born: Brisbane, June 17, 1933

Died: Brisbane, October 5, 2007

APART from being one of Queensland's best known sporting identities, Michael Paul Sweeney was a member of a unique sporting family.

His father, Tom, played fullback for Australia in two rugby league Tests against New Zealand, and his oldest brother, Tom Jr, played fullback for Australia in rugby union. First cousin, Des Connor, who represented Australia and the All Blacks, is rated one of the great rugby halfbacks.

Paul, widely known as "Sween", was an exceptional allround sportsman who blossomed throughout his years at St Joseph's College, Gregory Terrace, where he excelled at cricket, rugby union and athletics.

A modest and quiet achiever throughout his sporting and working life as a journalist, he captained Gregory Terrace to a GPS premiership in 1952 and the school didn't win another one for 50 years.

He played first grade for Norths as a wicketkeeper where he kept for the late and great fast bowler Ray Lindwall, who became a lifelong friend, and also for the great West Indian paceman Wes Hall in one match.

"Lindy" was one of numerous big sporting names who regularly bobbed up in the Valley to share a cold one with their mate from the *Sunday Star* - "Slasher" McKay, Barry Muir, Ripper Doyle and Bobby Bax were just some of the others.

After being a member of the Gregory Terrace First XV, "Sween" played in the centres for Brothers and represented Queensland on several occasions in the late 1950s.

He was a GPS open hurdles champion and also a single figure golfer at Nudgee.

His main sporting interest later in life was the Wanderers Cricket Club and he made regular country tours with the club along with another ex-sports editor, John "Morto" Morton.

He lamented that illness had ruled him out of this year's Wanderers tour in August for the first time since 1992.



TALENT... Paul Sweeney

The Wanderers, with Lew Cooper at the helm, regarded his support so highly they bestowed life membership on him last year.

He was a sporting authority, a walking encyclopaedia, and if ever anyone was cut out for sports writing - editing it was "Sween".

It was fascinating to talk sport - any sport - with him over a drink and many aspiring young writers looked up to him as a mentor. His opinions carried plenty of weight.

Mr Sweeney worked for Pennys in Queen St before starting his journalistic career with the popular *TV Week* magazine.

He joined the *Sunday Truth* (later the *Sunday Sun*) and remained there for 32 years before his career came to a premature end late in 1991, aged 58, leading up to the closure of *The Sunday Sun* in early 1992.

His name was a byword in sports journalism - he was a sports editor, golf and rugby league writer and a controversial columnist.

In his final working years he put his vast sporting knowledge to full use as a sub-editor for *The Sun* and *Sunday Sun*.

As the *Sunday* sports editor for many years, he held strong views about the paper's demise.

He was diagnosed with inoperable cancer three months ago and was in good spirits right up until watching the NRL grand final and rugby World Cup.

His funeral service is being held today at 10.30am at Corpus Christi Church, Nundah. He never married and is survived by sisters, Denise and Germaine, and brothers, Tom, Peter and Damien.

David Falkenmire

BRIAN STAPLETON

On January 14th, the Brothers Community mourned the sad passing of former Player and Clubman Brian Stapleton, aged 67. The funeral service was held at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, New Farm on Thursday January 17th.

ANDREW CIRSTEN

Andrew was a St Columban's and Gregory Terrace Old Boy (1990) as well a Brothers player (1985 -1991). Andrew had been fighting a brain tumor for about a year.

He leaves behind his wife Kelly and a 2 year old daughter Eva. The Funeral was held on Thursday April 24th, Holy Cross Church, Woolloowin.

LARRY MOON

On September 21st, the Brothers Community mourned the sad passing of Larry Moon, father of Brothers' old boy Brendan, aged 81. The memorial service was held at Pinaroo Crematorium Chapel, Bridgeman Downs on Wednesday September 24th.

WELCOME TO THE BROTHERS FAMILY

Martin Field-Dodgson and his lovely wife Amanda welcomed a 7lb 7oz Baby Girl, Sophie Elizabeth, into their family on January 22nd. Brendan Wright was proud to fill the role of the “Godfather”.

OLDE BHOY’S NEWS

Queen’s Birthday Honours List - Most Rev. J.A. BATHERSBY A.O. D.D.

Brothers' Old Boy Rugby Clubs' Vice President Archbishop John Bathersby was honoured in this years Queen’s Birthday Honours List with an Officer of the Order of Australia (AO) in the General Division.

Archbishop Bathersby received this well deserved recognition for his service to the Catholic Church in Australia, particularly as Archbishop of Brisbane, and to the community through the promotion of ecumenical dialogue.



Archbishop John BATHERSBY A.O.

QRL 1908-2008 “Team of the Century” – T.S. GORMAN

Brothers' Old Boy Tom Gorman was selected in the Queensland Rugby League Team of the Century at a glittering black-tie function at the Brisbane Convention Centre on 10 June 2008.

Tom Gorman came to the Christian Brothers' Football Club in 1926, from Toowoomba Past Christian Brothers' Football Club, as its first professional player for the princely sum of 400 pounds.

As the Club's Captain/Coach and lead the side to its first and only Brisbane Rugby League Premiership in 1926. In his three seasons' with Brothers' (1926-28), he also represented and captained Queensland in 1926-28 and Australia in 1928.



Tom GORMAN

ARU “Wallabies Hall of Fame” – D.M. CONNOR

Former Test captain and Brothers’ Old Boy, Des Connor has become the 14th player to earn membership to Australian Rugby’s most exclusive club – the Wallabies Hall of Fame.

Australian Rugby Union President Paul McLean made the announcement and confirmed an on-field induction ceremony will take place at Suncorp Stadium on Saturday 13 September before the Tri Nations decider between the Wallabies and All Blacks.

“It is also a Bledisloe Cup Test, and what more fitting occasion could there be to recognize the magnificent contribution Des has made to not only Australian Rugby but to the game on an international scale,” said Mr McLean.

Des represented both the Wallabies and All Blacks at Test level during the late 1950’s and into the 1960’s and later coached Australia against New Zealand and South Africa in the late 1960’s and early 1970’s.



Des CONNOR

Brothers’ Old Boy and former Portuguese Test Captain, Rohan Hoffmann has crossed over to the ranks of the Rugby Referee’s. Rohan was the N°1 ranked referee in Portugal at the end of the 2007/08 domestic season and has been appointed to officiate in the U21 European Championships in Heidelberg, Germany in October ‘08.



Winner of the Norbert Byrne Medal – DES HOGAN

COACHES & MANAGERS

<u>GRADE</u>	<u>COACHES</u>	<u>MANAGERS</u>
<u>Queensland Premier Rugby:</u>		
Premier Grade	Rob Murdoch, Des Kissane, Paul Healy	John Druery, Ron Price
Premier Colts	Anthony Gibb, Brendan Delahunty, Duncan Hall	Simon Black
<u>Brisbane Rugby Union – 1st Division:</u>		
1 st Grade	Bernie Hogan, Dave Logan, Garry Honan	Sandy Prestedge, David Cameron
2 nd Grade	David Magoffin, Peter Williams	John Diamond
3 rd Grade	Anthony McDermott, Enrico Rabaglino	Michael Hooke
4 th Grade (Blue)	Georgdie Asprey, Will Tynan	Richard Reeves
4 th Grade (White)	Scott Kennedy	
Women	Isimeli Batibasaga	Katherine Gardiner, Naomi Nash
Colts I	Peter Pettinari	Mark Andrews
<u>Queensland Suburban Rugby Union:</u>		
Normanby Cup	Gerard Jefferies, Patrick Moore	Anthony Hose

SUPPORT STAFF

General Manager:	Mark Taylor
Scrum Doctor:	Timothy Grady
Registrar:	John Diamond
Doctor:	Dr. Peter Andersen MBBS
Dentist:	Dr. Bill Westerman BDS MDS _c DDH
Strappers:	Mike Hawthorn, Dave Beale
Physiotherapists	Kevin Sims, Cathy Nash, Ian Asprey

COMPETITION POINTS TABLES

Queensland Premier Rugby - Premier Grade "HOSPITALS CUP"

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	For	Against	4T	< 7pts	Points
Brothers	18	15	1	2	547	383	12	0	76
Easts	18	14	4	0	457	285	8	2	66
Sunnybank	18	12	6	0	628	346	11	1	60
GPS	18	11	6	1	476	359	11	3	60
Gold Coast	18	10	8	0	449	409	9	4	53
Norths	18	10	8	0	433	463	7	2	49
Souths	18	8	9	1	383	421	7	4	45
Sunshine Coast	18	4	14	0	360	561	4	5	25
University	18	3	15	0	315	604	5	3	20
Wests	18	1	17	0	310	527	2	7	13

Queensland Premier Rugby - Premier Colts

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	For	Against	4T	< 7pts	Points
Sunnybank	18	13	4	1	540	247	14	1	69
GPS	18	14	4	0	443	250	10	3	69
University	18	13	4	1	525	284	12	2	68
Easts	18	13	5	0	401	207	9	2	63
Brothers	18	8	10	0	334	317	5	5	42
Norths	18	6	11	1	298	467	6	1	33
Souths	18	6	11	1	233	322	2	4	32
Wests	18	6	12	0	204	367	2	3	29
Gold Coast	18	6	11	1	252	394	1	1	28
Sunshine Coast	18	2	15	1	164	539	1	3	14

BRU Division One - 1st Grade "CHAPPIE SCHULTE MEMORIAL TROPHY"

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	For	Against	4T	< 7pts	Points
Brothers	18	17	1	0	539	248	13	1	82
GPS	18	13	5	0	445	243	10	3	65
Souths	18	12	6	0	400	247	8	2	58
Sunnybank	18	11	7	0	450	395	10	1	55
Logan City	18	10	8	0	339	268	4	6	50
Easts	18	7	11	0	341	360	6	5	39
Wests	18	5	11	2	317	390	5	2	31
Norths	18	4	11	3	227	373	0	3	25
University	18	5	13	0	290	470	2	3	25
Gold Coast	18	3	14	1	190	544	0	1	15

COMPETITION POINTS TABLES

BRU Division One – 2nd Grade

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	For	Against	4T	< 7pts	Points
Redlands	18	15	2	1	510	168	11	2	75
GPS	18	15	3	0	458	337	8	2	70
Brothers	18	11	6	1	393	232	7	5	58
Easts	18	10	7	1	324	293	6	2	50
Logan City	18	8	10	0	318	340	4	5	41
Sunnybank	18	7	10	1	315	445	5	1	36
Wests	18	7	11	0	241	277	3	3	34
University	18	6	12	0	192	393	2	0	26
Souths	18	4	13	1	214	458	4	4	26
Norths	18	4	13	1	136	374	0	3	21

BRU Division One - 3rd Grade "W.H. BICKLEY CUP"

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	For	Against	4T	< 7pts	Points
Souths	18	16	1	1	559	116	13	0	79
GPS	18	15	2	1	433	164	6	2	70
Wests	18	12	6	0	405	244	6	2	56
Brothers	18	11	6	1	394	299	6	1	53
University	18	11	7	0	310	250	3	1	48
Easts	18	6	12	0	234	334	2	6	32
Sunnybank	18	5	13	0	265	486	3	3	26
Redlands	18	5	13	0	133	321	0	4	24
Norths	18	3	14	1	202	444	1	5	20
Logan City	18	4	14	0	190	467	1	2	19

BRU Division One - 4th Grade

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	For	Against	4T	< 7pts	Points
GPS	18	14	3	1	424	206	10	1	69
Sunnybank	18	13	3	2	403	144	10	2	68
Brothers (Blue)	18	12	4	2	376	152	6	3	61
Southern Bay	18	11	5	2	364	165	6	5	59
Brothers (White)	18	10	7	1	258	199	2	2	46
University	18	8	8	2	261	214	4	3	43
Souths	18	7	10	1	196	314	1	2	33
Wests	18	5	12	1	179	324	0	2	24
Easts	18	2	16	0	74	525	1	1	10
University 2	18	1	15	2	69	361	0	0	8

COMPETITION POINTS TABLES

BRU Division One - Women

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	For	Against	4T	< 7pts	Points
Easts	15	14	1	0	702	46	10	0	66
University	16	11	4	1	448	228	9	0	55
Sunnybank	15	10	4	1	434	172	6	1	49
Brothers	16	6	7	3	201	283	3	2	35
Wests	13	4	9	0	150	268	3	2	21
Bond University	15	4	10	1	153	522	2	1	21
Pine Rivers / Ipswich	14	0	14	0	29	598	0	0	0

BRU Division One – Colts 1

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	For	Against	4T	< 7pts	Points
GPS	16	11	3	2	304	161	4	1	53
University	16	11	4	1	297	149	3	3	52
Easts	16	10	3	3	279	179	2	1	49
Brothers	16	10	6	0	238	194	5	2	47
Redlands	16	8	8	0	293	207	5	4	41
Souths	16	5	8	3	217	221	2	4	32
Sunnybank	16	6	9	1	236	311	2	3	31
Wests	16	3	12	1	148	355	1	0	15
Logan City	16	2	13	1	107	342	0	4	14

Queensland Rugby Union - Club Championship "DOUGHTY SHIELD"

Club	Premier Grade	Premier Colts	1st Grade	2nd Grade	3rd Grade	4th Grade	Women	Colts 1	Colts 2	TOTAL
GPS	60	69	65	70	70	69		53	51	507
Brothers	76	42	82	58	53	61	35	47		454
Sunnybank	60	69	55	36	26	68	49	31	51	445
Easts	66	63	39	50	32	10	66	49	26	401
University	20	68	25	26	48	43	55	52	50	387
Souths	45	32	58	26	79	33		32	13	318
Wests	13	29	31	34	56	24	21	15		223
Redlands				75	24			41	13	153
Norths	49	33	25	21	20					148
Logan City			50	41	19			14		124
Gold Coast	53	28	15							96
Sunshine Coast	25	14								39

The 2008 Club Championship total will be calculated by adding the actual competition points for the Trinity and Bartercard Competitions.

COMPETITION POINTS TABLES

QSRU - "NORMANBY/WYATT CUP"

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	For	Against	4T	< 7pts	Points
Logan	11	9	1	1	192	30	2	1	41
Sunnybank	10	9	1	0	188	83	3	0	39
Easts	11	7	2	2	165	88	5	0	37
Sunnybank 2	10	6	2	2	187	91	3	1	32
Wests	10	5	5	0	194	149	3	2	25
UQ Vet Science	10	5	4	1	101	121	2	0	24
Redlands	7	4	3	0	110	107	3	0	19
St. Leo's Old Boys	8	2	5	1	89	91	2	3	15
Brothers	10	2	5	3	69	174	1	0	15
UQ Medicals	10	2	8	0	161	240	3	2	13
UQ TC Bierne	10	1	8	1	64	162	1	2	9
Wynnum	11	1	9	1	62	246	0	1	6

QSRU - "NORMANBY CUP"

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	For	Against	4T	< 7pts	Points
Logan	10	7	2	1	271	86	6	2	38
Sunnybank 2	10	7	1	2	191	50	4	1	37
Wests	10	6	3	1	239	112	4	1	31
Easts	10	4	4	2	93	148	1	0	21
Brothers	10	2	7	1	73	229	0	2	12
Redlands	10	0	9	1	63	305	0	1	3



Winner of the Inaugural Alec Evans Medal – BRENDAN MCKIBBIN

CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

The Season of 2008 yielded great success, both on and off the field, and certainly ended as one of the more successful seasons in recent memory.

Brothers fielded eleven teams this year including two, Division 1: 4th Grade sides, a Friday night team and also a Ladies side. Certainly, very few other clubs would not be able to boast such depth particularly not with as much talent as these teams contained. Of the eleven teams to take the field in the Butcher Stripes this year, seven would feature in the Semi-Finals, a further four would play in a Grand Final and three would eventually be crowned premiers. Division 1: 1st Grade, Second Grade and Fourth Grade (Blue) all emerged victorious from their respective Grand Finals.

Of course, many would know that the unfortunate team on the day was Premier Grade who went down 21 – 22 in a hard fought battle against East's. It was a fantastic effort by the players certainly would have been deserved victors after defeating competition favourites, Sunnybank, the week before in a do-or-die Preliminary Final. Fortunately for the club, the group appears to remain relatively unchanged and all players are keen to make their marks in Season 2009. Notably, Premier Grade won the Welsby and Horsley Cups and held the Caxton Cup for six consecutive weeks.

Special mention must also go to Division 1 3rd Grade and Colts Division 1:1st Grade who were knocked out in the Preliminary Final and the Women who lost their Semi-final. Division 1: 4th Grade White and the Normanby Cup team, while finishing their seasons strongly, did not make it through to the Finals.

Off the field, the most exciting thing to see was an added level of player involvement. Each home game featured a "Team of the Week" who assisted with the set up and pack up of the fields on a Saturday. In addition to this, that team would have a featured article and player profile in the club Newsletter "The BRC Weekly". The organisation on Saturdays and this Publication would not have been possible without the participation of the Club Player Leadership Committee. My thanks go to these individuals for their assistance throughout the year and the players for their support of this program.

Once again this year, and without too many surprises, Brothers' players participated in every which way they could socially. Consistently supported by the Club, and the Orient Hotel who would become the late night venue of choice, players and supporters threw themselves into Tradition Day's, Ladies Day, various Super 14 matches and Test Matches functions and of course the Presentation Night to make the Club a popular venue on a Saturday night. The volunteers who assisted at these functions are too numerous to name in my short column. Suffice to say that they are many and their contributions are greatly appreciated by the club, its Committee, Players and Supporters. We hope that you continue to be such a valuable member of our Community.

2008 was a year of great success and undeniably some disappointment (although kept to a minimum) and 2009 and beyond boasts challenges which will require the club to continue improving both on and off the field. I hope to see everyone next year so that we can keep adding to our club and the reputation that it has earned.

Jordan Bennie



TEAM REPORTS

***Premier Grade* GRAND FINALISTS & MINOR PREMIERS**

A good year that was almost a great year.....

In terms of results the premier grade side had a very successful year with the ultimate result of winning the premiership being tantalisingly close as the team tried its guts out in going down 21-22 to a well performed East's unit.

The premier competition this year was one where any side on its day could beat another including bottom against top & there were many results that pointed to a changing in the competition dynamics. Previous battlers Norths & the Sunny Coast were very competitive whereas recent well performed sides such as Wests & the Gold Coast struggled for form & consistency. The decision from the Reds to actively get squad players into club rugby if not in the selected 22 to play or travel also helped raise the general quality of what was an entertaining & competitive season.

Our season as each does began with pre season training in November of 2007. A core group of 25-30 players including some of our up & coming colts were selected as an extended training group. The coaching group for the season was late in being named & I'd like to thank the players who proactively took it themselves to complete much of the prep work in regard to defining protocols & values for training & game days, as well as many of the starter play options, moves, calls etc. There were a number of new faces in the group that would go on to make an impact on premier rugby throughout the season. Those who were regular attendees to our fixtures will know who I mean.

The team benefited from a number of warm up games including a good physical challenge from Petone (NZ) across to warm up for their own season back in Wellington. A real pointer to the season ahead was for the team to assess on field what needed doing & respond accordingly. In this instance manifested by way of a very dominant 2nd half.

Starting to evolve from this group was an attractive brand of 15-man rugby with an emphasis on an ability to counter attack with speed & accuracy. Parity if not domination at set piece & breakdown through the season also gave a great platform from which to base a talented attack.

Preparation done (is there ever enough!??) it was on to the season proper with a home game against last year's minor premiers GPS. A slow start (3-17) had the heart in the mouth but as would be demonstrated many times great character was shown to come back & take the points for a draw, a kind result for GPS who were well outplayed in the 2nd half. A narrow victory over Easts followed before it all came together against Wests at Sylvan Road. A dominant display by Brothers against a team with a number of Reds players in for Wests in what was a Super 14 bye round, resulted in a 35-14 victory & first dubs on the Shaw-Pilecki cup.

A couple of close games followed with a narrow victory over University & a draw against Souths, the victory against University being for the McLean-Templeton Cup. The first round of the competition concluded with the team being unbeaten & a play off for the Welsby Cup booked for round 2 against Easts. This included a victory against the 2007 premiers Sunnybank at Crosby Park & winning of the Caxton Cup with a win over neighbours Norths. A bumper crown turned up for the Norths challenge including many raucous visiting supporters who with their loud hailer attempted to disrupt the Brothers team. The team rose above that with a 28-17 victory & are grateful to the Norths faithful not only for the support but also for contributing to the club finances with their food & beverage purchases.

The 2nd round started with a narrow victory over GPS (GPS only home loss in the 2nd round) in an open & expansive game despite the sodden conditions. GPS James Kite proved a handful for the

defence & Brothers scored some excellent team tries with the support play in particular being outstanding.

We then moved on to the Welsby Cup verses Easts in the 2nd game of the round. After a slow start the game plan & rhythm was soon established with one of the performances of the year resultant in a 40-19 victory & possession of the Welsby Cup for the first time since 1990.

The rest of the round continued well with incremental improvement in the quality from week to week. Victories over Wests, University & Souths before the unbeaten run came to end at a sodden Oldmac Oval against Sunnybank. It wasn't a great performance in terms of quality or character on the day, but what it was & accepted as was a challenge to not repeat in regard to quality of execution & attitude.

Wins against Sunshine Coast, Norths & the Gold Coast followed before finals time arrived. The premier side had won 15, drawn 2 & lost the 1 fixture against reigning premiers Sunnybank, scoring 547 points for & 383 against. The position of minor premiers & winners of the Horsley Cup was well deserved for a team that played excellent football & showed great character. As the competition leaders every week the opposition was out to prove a point so the rugby was tough & physical but still free flowing – the way it should be & certainly assisted by the Experimental Law Variations.

Finals football followed with the major semi against Easts an opportunity to progress directly to the grand final & avoid the then form teams of Sunnybank & GPS. What happened instead was one of those games where opportunity wasn't seized by us but was by a quality & physical opposition. Easts deserved the win especially through their uncompromising physicality in the contact zones at the breakdown.

So we had missed the direct route & now faced a daunting preliminary final against the team nearly all pundits were on to repeat last years domination of the finals & a team that had just monstered a handy GPS side 57-10 in the minor semi. A team stacked with quality individual players.

We prepared well during the week & had some simple messages in terms of game plan – don't let them counter off a poor kick game & create doubt by holding them out, do not let them get any rhythm going. Sunnybank are a confidence team & if they get a roll on they will score at about the same rate as Adam Gilchrist in full cry. So at 19-0 to Brothers after 25 odd minutes we were thinking what was all the fuss about but via a couple of yellow cards & us down to 13-players back they came? The come back from this team again demonstrated the immense character shown consistently through out the year & the resultant win earned a rematch with Easts.

So for the 4th time for the year we faced Easts & what transpired was a remarkable contest between 2 excellent teams. Yes we faced adversity early into the game but as 1 of the leaders said on the field at the time, we just have to lift 10% each to make up for it - & they did! The 21-22 result is now history but a history those involved can be immensely proud of. In my time involved in rugby I have never been part of a group that has shown that level of character & fortitude.

So – we take the learning's & experience & we collectively apply them to the 2009 season. Just as if not more important is the need to continue to develop the culture of this group. Personally I have learnt much from them & it is gratifying beyond anything to be part of what they achieve with out some of the support luxuries that other clubs are blessed with – yes, this group does it for team, mateship & club not for material gain.

Forum maybe questionable but I want to formally thank & recognise valued input from:
Coaches - *Des Kissane, Paul Healy, Tim Grady (as well as Bernie Hogan & David Logan from Div1, First Grade*
Manger – *John Druery*
Legend game day runners – *Jimmy & Fitz*
Physios – *Cathy & Ian*

Fitness Gurus – Anthony Sauer & Simon Price

I'd like to say thankyou to every player that put on a jumper for premier whatever the number from 1-22. One of the successes of the year has been the ability of players to slide in pretty much seamlessly. That can only be achieved with working closely together in training as well as with consistent game & patterns of play – with some individual variation as well!

Finally I would like to recognise & thank the committee & management of the club for it's support of this team – they are well deserving of it. The platform is there & hopefully it can be built on in the years ahead.

All the best in rugby
Rob Murdoch (Head Coach)

SURNAME	FIRSTNAME	RUN ON	SUB	TOTAL	TRIES	CONV	PENS	D.G.	TOTAL
Anderton*	Matt	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0
Asprey	Dugald	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
Bennie	Adam	16	2	18	3	0	0	0	15
Bennie	Jordan	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0
Clouston	Gareth	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
Collins	Tom	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	5
Cordingley	Sam	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Croft	David	7	1	8	1	0	0	0	5
Dews	Matt	19	0	19	0	0	0	0	0
Dixon*	Adrian	15	3	18	0	0	0	0	0
Doneley	Paul	20	1	21	14	0	0	0	70
Esmonde	Godfrey	2	5	7	0	0	0	0	0
Gendle	Nathaniel	20	0	20	6	0	0	0	30
Grayson*	Beau	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
Grayson	Wes	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hardman	Sean	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Harvey	James	16	1	17	11	0	0	0	55
Hunt	Brad	2	5	7	1	0	0	0	5
Jones	Trent	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kilmartin*	Dan	20	0	20	0	0	0	0	0
McCormack	Ben	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
McGill	Patrick	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	10
McKibbin	Brendan	20	0	20	9	57	34	0	261
McLaughlin	Jules	15	4	19	4	0	0	0	20
McLay	Alistair	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
McLean	Angus	14	1	15	3	0	0	0	15
Murphy*	Dallan	21	0	21	5	2	0	0	29
Murphy	Damon	5	1	6	3	0	0	0	15
Nock*	Alan	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pagliaro*	Tom	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Price	Simon	19	1	20	1	0	0	0	5
Pyers	Anthony	9	5	14	3	0	0	0	15
Ryan	Sean	14	1	15	1	0	0	0	5
Sauer	Anthony	19	0	19	6	0	0	0	30
Shaw	Liam	8	1	9	0	0	0	0	0
Shaw*	Andrew	18	3	21	4	0	0	0	20
Skinner*	Michael	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	5
		315	58	373	79	59	34	0	615

* Premier Grade Debut

Premier Colts

Coaches and Managers declined to submit a report.

Division One – 1st Grade

PREMIERS & MINOR PREMIERS

A fantastic season for Division One – 1st Grade. Although they became the masters of the heart-stopping, come-from-behind victory – this team provided some of the most entertaining rugby throughout the year. Their dedication and commitment to the team approach saw them take the Grand Final, despite some typical scares along the way.

There was a core of players that played most of the games, but the support that came from the other teams, in particular 2nd Grade, was just outstanding. Each time a player took his place in the 1st Grade side; they grasped the opportunity and became another strong selection option.

The competition for places in this team was fierce and it truly shows the strength of a club when players who have recent premier grade experience were fighting for positions through 2nd Grade. It is hard to single out particular moments, however a few standout performances that should be recalled are:

- Wes Grayson playing every game, to add starch and attacking force in our midfield throughout the year.
- The gallant loss (the only one for the year) at Logan by 3 points, where we had a huge number of personnel changes and a very hostile away game
- The kick to win the away game at Easts courtesy of Damian Steele
- Damon Murphy pulling us out of the fire at Souths, with a cameo second half performance.
- The 90+metre turnover tries created by the team. There were many.
- Godfrey Esmonde's double dummy switch try against GPS in the slush at Yoku Rd
- Adam Bennie kicking us to victory in the Preliminary Final and
- Bow Grayson (1), Andrew Christie (2) and Anthony Pyers (3 tries) to finish the season as we started it.... Beating GPS!

Thanks needs also to be made to the Premier Coaching Team, Rob Murdoch, Des Kissane and Paul Healy for their unending support and encouragement. Also, Tim Grady for constantly improving our set pieces so our forwards could use them as potent weapons throughout the year. Despite starting the year "manager-less", we ended with a huge range of support and would like to thank: Bec Mayhew, Sandy Diamond and in particular, David Cameron, who rejoined us through the year to steer us confidently through the finals.

An effort that is as worthy of many of those on the field was that from David Logan in continuing to coach the team despite suffering an injury himself. Broken bones and long recovery couldn't keep "Mario" from lending his years of experience to the next batch of Brothers players. For stepping into the breach – Gary Honan deservedly gets recognition for keeping the backs in sensational form in David's absence.

Premierships are never easily won, and there are many inputs into a successful team. The players finish off the hard work, but the advice, support, assistance and pre-training coffees are all appreciated and we could not have had this successful year without the many supporters, fans, sponsors, parents, understanding partners and employers.

Looking forward to another great year in 2009.

Bernie Hogan (Coach)

SURNAME	FIRSTNAME	RUN ON	SUB	SUB	TRIES	CONV	PENS	D.G.	TOTAL
Anderton	Matt	17	0	17	2	0	0	0	10
Asprey	Georgdie	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0
Asprey	Dugald	6	2	8	0	0	0	0	0
Bathurst	Marcus	2	1	3	0	8	1	0	19
Beckett	Patrick	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0
Bennie	Jordan	16	1	17	0	0	0	0	0
Bennie	Adam	3	0	3	0	4	5	0	23
Chapman	Sean	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Christie	Andrew	14	0	14	10	0	0	0	50
Clouston	Gareth	19	0	19	1	0	0	0	5
Collins	Tom	14	1	15	2	0	0	0	10
Costello	Will	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Darby	Jackson	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Delahunty	Seamus	10	3	13	0	0	0	0	0
Dews	Matt	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dixon	Adrian	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	5
Esmonde	Godfrey	16	1	17	6	0	0	0	30
Ferraro	Chris	2	1	3	2	0	0	0	10
Gabbett	John	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	5
Grayson	Wes	18	0	18	4	0	0	0	20
Grayson	Beau	18	0	18	10	0	0	0	50
Handy	Sam	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Harris	Ryan	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hart	Blair	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	0
Harvey	James	3	0	3	4	0	0	0	20
Henegan	Dustin	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hunt	Brad	16	0	16	4	0	0	0	20
Jones	Trent	4	2	6	3	0	0	0	15
Lynch	Shane	3	2	5	0	6	0	0	12
Maki	Wayne	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
McCormack	Ben	8	1	9	5	0	0	0	25
McGill	Patrick	8	0	8	5	1	0	0	27
McLaughlin	Jules	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
McLay	Alistair	7	3	10	5	0	0	0	25
McLean	Angus	4	0	4	1	10	1	0	28
Murphy	Damon	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	5
Nixon	Adam	9	2	11	0	0	0	0	0
Nock	Alan	9	1	10	1	0	0	0	5
Pagliaro	Tom	5	1	6	2	0	0	0	10
Pyers	Anthony	7	0	7	10	0	0	0	50
Reid	Simon	8	2	10	1	0	0	0	5
Ryan	Sean	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0
Shaw	Liam	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	5
Shaw	Andrew	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	10
Skinner	Michael	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
Stanton	Michael	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	5
Steele	Damian	8	0	8	2	14	8	0	62
Tagicakibau	George	6	1	7	2	10	0	0	30
Twist	Andrew	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vail	James	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
		300	39	339	89	53	15	0	596

Division One – 2nd Grade**PREMIERS**

29 March 08	vs	GPS	Lost	14-8
5 April 08	vs	Easts	Won	33-17
12 April 08	vs	Wests	Won	14-12
19 April 08	vs	Uni	Won	31-5
26 April 08	vs	Souths	Won	29-24
3 May 08	vs	Sunnybank	Won	22-0
10 May 08	vs	Logan	Lost	19-12
17 May 08	vs	Norths	Won	35-5
24 May 08	vs	Redlands	Lost	20-14
31 May 08	vs	GPS	Lost	13-6
7 June 08	vs	Easts	Lost	29-7
13 June 08	vs	Wests	Won	14-6
20 June 08	vs	Uni	Won	17-7
28 June 08	vs	Souths	Won	18-12
5 July 08	vs	Sunnybank	Won	43-5
12 July 08	vs	Logan	Won	51-15
19 September 08	vs	Norths	Lost	17-10
26 September 08	vs	Redlands	Game cancelled	0-0
Semi Final	vs	Easts	Won	21-14
Preliminary Final	vs	Redlands	Won	22-13
Grand Final	vs	GPS	Won	9-7

The 2008 season began well with the team winning 6 out of 9 games in the first round. However, as in previous years Redlands and GPS proved our nemesis. Though the scores were close we were unable to win these games.

In the second round the lads put together some fine wins despite having to supply players to higher grades as the club planned to manage player injuries. Big wins were recorded against Sunnybank and Logan but a 17-10 loss to Norths proved to be sobering yet at the same time a defining moment as we moved into the semis.

A quiet confidence pervaded the team as the final campaign began. Players such as Simon Reid, Pat Beckett and Trent Jones, all with Premier Grade experience, strengthened our pack, and Shane Lynch, Blair Hart, and the other backs gave us a potent strike power. Players wanted to achieve and took ownership of fitness and skill drills as we prepared for games.

In the first Semi Final against Easts, we raced to a 21-0 lead only to suffer a 13-1 penalty count before emerging 21-14 winners.

The Preliminary Final against Redlands was one of two real highlights of the season. Our relentless, fast moving and determined defence frustrated Redlands into numerous errors. Our discipline, so poor the week before, improved greatly and Damian Steele kicked superbly landing three telling penalties.

The Grand Final saw the team matched against GPS who had won grand finals in 2006 & 2007. Again the boys rose to the occasion and despite having two tries disallowed emerged 9-7 winners. That moment when the final whistle blew was a tremendous feeling as hours and hours of work were rewarded with the ultimate prize – GRAND FINAL MEDALS.

Congratulations to Georgdie Asprey – Best Forward, Shane Lynch – best Back and Blair Hart – Coaches and Manager's Award. Special mention should also to Chris Ferraro who played 135 minutes of grand finals, winning both.

David, JD and I want to also acknowledge the efforts of those players who didn't play on the GF day **but** who contributed SO MUCH during the season.

The Division 1, 2nd Grade is a good bunch of footy players but they are a better bunch of blokes who are now part of Brothers' Grand Final History.

Peter Williams (Co-Coach)

SURNAME	FIRSTNAME	RUN ON	SUB	TOTAL	TRIES	CONV	PENS	D.G.	TOTAL
Ah Ben	Teddy	4	3	7	0	0	0	0	0
Asprey	Georgdie	16	0	16	3	0	0	0	15
Asprey	Dugald	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
Barnes	Braden	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
Bathurst	Marcus	1	1	2	1	0	3	0	14
Bauer	Lee	10	6	16	0	0	0	0	0
Beckett	Pat	13	0	13	0	0	0	0	0
Brown	Chris	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Campbell	Andrew	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	5
Chapman	Sean	18	0	18	1	0	0	0	5
Christie	Andrew	4	0	4	3	0	0	0	15
Costello	Will	7	2	9	0	0	0	0	0
Creswick	Andrew	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dalmau	Tom	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Daly	Paul	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Darby	Jackson	7	3	10	1	0	0	0	5
De Wet	Dan	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Delahunty	Seamus	8	0	8	2	0	0	0	10
Favell	Tom	3	3	6	0	0	0	0	0
Ferraro	Chris	14	1	15	3	0	0	0	15
Flugge	Matthew	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Forrester	Chris	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Gabbert	Chris	7	2	9	0	0	0	0	0
Gabbett	John	7	1	8	0	0	0	0	0
Gibson	Stewart	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Haig	Peter	8	1	9	0	0	0	0	0
Handy	Sam	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Harding	Zac	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Harris	Ryan	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	15
Hart	Blair	16	0	16	9	0	0	0	45
Jones	Trent	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	0
Lee	David	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lynch	Shane	18	0	18	8	21	14	0	124
Maki	Wayne	3	1	4	1	0	0	0	5
Matthies	Mark	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	5
McCormack	Ben	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	15
McCullagh	Michael	8	2	10	0	0	0	0	0
McKellar	Cameron	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
McKellar	Tim	1	6	7	2	0	0	0	10
McKeown	Liam	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
McLay	Alistair	4	0	4	1	0	0	0	5
Moffatt	Dallas	6	0	6	2	0	0	0	10
Nixon	Adam	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
Nock	Alan	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	5
Poole	Will	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0

Raiviko	Sailosi	2	2	4	1	0	0	0	5
Reid	Simon	7	0	7	1	0	0	0	5
Richards	Sam	8	6	14	0	0	0	0	0
Skinner	Michael	12	2	14	6	0	0	0	30
Stanton	Michael	16	0	16	2	0	0	0	10
Steele	Anthony	9	1	10	1	2	1	0	12
Steele	Damian	4	1	5	2	18	5	0	61
Steele	Paul	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
Tagicakibau	George	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	5
Timmins	Michael	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Twist	Andrew	12	2	14	0	0	0	0	0
Vail	James	15	2	17	3	0	0	0	15
		302	70	372	63	41	23	0	466

Division One – 3rd Grade **PRELIMINARY FINALISTS**

The nature of the lower grades in any rugby club is high player turnover and the 2008 season was no different. The 3rd Grade side saw a wide range of diverse players, with over 60 players, 'coming and going' throughout the year.

Through the first 5 rounds of the season there were a number of close losses that unfortunately meant that the team was sitting dead last after the first third of the season. However the group was always confident in our ability and we knew that when we cracked our first win the only way was up.

A near perfect game against Sunnybank at Crosby Park in Round 6 saw the team start our run to the Finals with the side only losing one of our next thirteen games. During the second round of the competition, we also picked up some invaluable experience with former Premier Grade players Liam McKeown & Tim McKellar joining the team.

At the end of the Home & Away premiership matches we finished forth and prepared for the Minor-semi final against Wests at Ballymore. A dominant win over Wests saw us move into the Preliminary against GPS the following week in a confident mood. Unfortunately we were unable to continue our good form of the previous 15 weeks and lost to GPS in a tryless affair by 9 points to 3.

Liam and Tim along with Teddy AhBen and Scott Kennedy, with their premier grade experience, gave the team a nice balance of youth & experience and allowed the players who were out first year out of colts the opportunity to do some "on the job" training.

With 62 players coming through the team we were fortunate to have a great blend of youth and experience that included;

Old Stagers: Cam McKellar, Dan DeWet, Andrew Twist, Jamie Perriss, Dave Lee, Andrew Fonoti & Jackson Darby

New Blood: Chris Gabbert, Braden Barnes, Mick Timmins & Isi Rabai

1st Year in Grades: Mick McCullagh, Bill Costello, Tom Favell, Zac Harding, Tom Dalmau, Mark Dunleavy, Anthony Steele, Matt Flugge, Andy Creswick, James McKellar, Andy Campbell & Stu Gibson

Congratulations to all those players who were chosen to play in the higher grades – it's always good to see players develop to their potential and those players who persevered with the group I hope you enjoyed the season, had some fun and learnt a few things along the way.

I'd also like to thank Enrico Rabaglino (Co-Coach) for his coaching expertise, and Michael Hooke (Manager), for his efficiency in making sure everything was organised and ready to go on Match day. Thanks to Scott Kennedy the 1st Division 4th Grade coach for his support and assistance throughout the season.

Anthony McDermott (Co-Coach)

ROUND 1

vs. GPS (H)	Lost 10-17
vs. Easts (H)	Lost 10-27
vs. Wests (A)	Lost 22-34
vs. University (H)	Lost 7-38
vs. Souths (H)	Lost 5-36
vs. Sunnybank (H)	Won 65-14
vs. Logan (A)	Won 28-15
vs. Norths (H)	Won 38-17
vs. Redlands (A)	Won 20-13

ROUND 2

vs. GPS (A)	Draw 0-0
vs. Easts (A)	Won 26-5
vs. Wests (H)	Won 21-14
vs. University (A)	Won 25-17
vs. Souths (A)	Lost 7-31
vs. Sunnybank (A)	Won 17-13
vs. Logan (H)	Won 36-0
vs. Norths (A)	Won 36-7
vs. Redlands (H)	Won 21-0

FINALS

S.F. vs. Wests	Won 23-16
P.F. vs. GPS	Lost 3-9

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	SF	PF	M	T	C	P	Pts		
Chris Gabbert	1	1								MATCH ABANDONED - NO RESULT	5	5	5	R	R	5		MATCH FORFEITED BY REDLANDS	R	R	10	0	0	0	0		
Paul Daly	2			2																			2	0	0	0	0
Stewart Gibson	3	3		3	3	R	3	3	3			3	3	R	R		R		R				14	0	0	0	0
Lance Wippell	4																						1	0	0	0	0
William Poole	5		5		5				R			R			R	R	R		R				9	0	0	0	0
Nicola Pouessel	6	6	6	R																			4	0	0	0	0
Cam McKellar	7	7	7	7		R	8	7	8			7	8	8	8	6	6		6		7		16	0	0	0	0
Mick McCullagh	8	8		8		8			9							8			8		8	8	9	2	0	0	10
Allen Wheeler	9	9																					2	0	0	0	0
William Costello	10	10		10	10	10						10			10	10			9		9	9	11	2	0	0	10
Jackson Darby	11	11	11														11		11		11	11	7	5	0	0	25
Michael Stanton	12																						1	0	0	0	0
John Burton	13	13	13																				3	0	0	0	0
Ronald Karukoru	14																						1	0	0	0	0
Anthony Steele	15	15	10	15	15	15			15				15								15		9	3	11	5	52
Michael Duhig	R																						1	0	0	0	0
Andrew Creswick	R		R	1		2	2	R	2			2	2	2	R	2	2				R	14	2	0	0	0	10
Thomas Dalmau	R				7	6	6	6	6			R	R	6	R	11	R						12	0	0	0	0
Thomas Favell	R	12	12	13	13	13	13	13	13			13			13	13	13		13		13	13	15	9	0	0	45
Lee Bauer		2			R				R														3	0	0	0	0
David Lee		4	4	4	4	4		4	4			4	4		4	4	R		4				13	1	0	0	5
Jason Ross		5																					1	0	0	0	0
Isikeli Rabai		14		11	11			11											14		R		6	0	0	0	0
Peter Haig		R	3										1	R			R		2		2	2	8	0	0	0	0
Samuel Richards		R											R										2	0	0	0	0
Teddy Ah Ben		R		12	12							15	10			12	15		12		12	12	10	2	2	0	14
Jacob Handy			1																				1	1	0	0	5
Damien Williams			2																				1	0	0	0	0
Cameron Flack			8	6																			2	0	0	0	0
Andrew Campbell			9	9	9	9		9	R			9	9	9	9	9	9		R		R	R	15	5	0	0	25
Matthew Flugge			14	14	14	14		15	14												6	4	0	0	20		
Jonathan King			15																		1	0	0	0	0		
Brendan Wright			R																		1	0	0	0	0		
James McKellar			R		8	R	9	R	7		R		11	R		R	R		R	6	13	0	0	0	0		
Daniel Carter				5									R								2	0	0	0	0		
Chris Forrester				R		12															2	2	0	0	10		
Mark Dunleavy				R	1	3	1	1	1		1	R	1	1			3		R	R	13	0	0	0	0		
Adam Schloss				R	6		7		R												4	0	0	0	0		
Liam McKeown					2	1		2				R		2	1	1	1		1	1	10	1	0	0	5		
Michael Timmins						5	5	5	13		6	R		R	R	R					9	1	0	0	5		
Andrew Twist						7						7			7	7	7			7	6	1	0	0	5		
Michael Skinner						11															1	2	0	0	10		
Ryan Harris						R			11		11	11									4	2	0	0	10		
Braden Barnes						R	4	8	5			6	4	6		8	5		4	4	11	0	0	0	0		
Sailosi Raiviko						R		R													2	0	0	0	0		
Zac Harding							10	10	10		12	13	10	12		10	10		10	10	11	7	23	6	99		
Andrew Holmes							11														1	1	0	0	5		
John Wicks							12		R				R			12					4	0	0	0	0		

MATCH ABANDONED - NO RESULT

MATCH FORFEITED BY REDLANDS

Division One - 4th Grade (Blue) PREMIERS

SURNAME	FIRSTNAME	RUN ON	SUB	TOTAL	TRIES	CONV	PENS	D.G.	TOTAL
Andrews	Tony	14	2	16	6	3	0	0	36
Asprey	Lachlan	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Barnaba	Mitch	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
Bax	Fraser	3	9	12	1	0	0	0	5
Beaver	Thomas	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Blacker	Michael	8	3	11	2	0	0	0	10
Bradfield	Bill	0	3	3	1	0	0	0	5
Court	James	10	3	13	4	0	0	0	20
Denning	Drew	11	3	14	2	0	0	0	10
Forde	Nick	6	1	7	3	0	0	0	15
Gardiner	Matt	14	1	15	7	1	0	0	37
George	Matt	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gill	Quentin	8	8	16	0	6	0	0	12
Hamilton	Nick	15	1	16	4	9	0	0	38
Handy	Jake	14	3	17	6	0	0	0	30
Henry	Nick	2	10	12	2	2	0	0	14
Hills	Matt	5	1	6	2	11	6	0	50
Laidlow	Tristan	15	0	15	2	0	0	0	10
Maguire	Duncan	6	0	6	2	3	1	0	19
Matthies	Michael	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	10
McArthur	Mike	5	7	12	1	0	0	0	5
McCourt	Jonathan	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Neil	Bill	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	10
Orr	Chris	2	1	3	1	0	0	0	5
O'Shea	Tom	12	2	14	2	0	0	0	10
Reeves	Richard	4	7	11	0	0	0	0	0
Roberts	Tom	7	5	12	0	0	0	0	0
Ryan	Nick	9	1	10	12	0	0	0	60
Sanday	Frank	1	5	6	1	0	0	0	5
Sanday	Will	7	2	9	1	0	0	0	5
Spence	Rory	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Thompson	Andrew	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	0
Tully	Hugh	10	1	11	2	0	0	0	10
Tynan	Will	13	0	13	1	0	0	0	5
Wilson	Benn	13	0	13	0	0	1	0	3
Wilson	Dan	7	7	14	1	1	0	0	7
Winkler	Alex	1	6	7	1	0	0	0	5
Young	Nick	15	1	16	2	0	0	0	10
Young	Luke	7	5	12	3	0	0	0	15
		253	106	359	76	36	8	0	476

Division One - 4th Grade (White)

It turned out to be a very tough but enjoyable year for us and it can be considered a successful season finishing in 5th position. It was a logistical challenge at times trying to coordinate the team. As we played in Logan's 4th division slot we were often playing away from the rest of the club and therefore it was hard to get a full compliment of players to each game.

I have to congratulate all the players involved this year for their adaptability and their contributions. We had guys playing out of position every week and a special mention must go to Dave Fowler who turned into a handy scrum half and Steve Laken from the centres to number eight.

The team performed strongly throughout the majority of the season and it was only the last three or four games when we couldn't field a full side that we dropped out of finals contention. We had number of memorable wins throughout the year and one of those included the win over Sunnybank where we defended our line for the last twenty-five minutes of the game.

Another notable match was the last gasp win over Southern Bay when our 'go to' man Ronald Karukoru scored after the bell to lock up the scores. Chris Forrester missed the goal from the sideline only to be offered a second shot by the ref which he slotted over despite the protest from the Southerners.

I would like thank Anthony McDermott and Dave Magoffin for their support and especially Peter Williams for his continued assistance throughout the year despite being busy with their own teams. I would also like to thank Mark Taylor for the opportunity to coach this year and I look forward to continued involvement with the club.

Scott Kennedy (Captain/Coach)

SURNAME	FIRSTNAME	RUN ON	SUB	TOTAL	TRIES	CONV	PENS	D.G.	TOTAL
Bauer	Lee	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carroll	Teddy	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carter	Dan	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Collins	Beau	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
Collyer	Tim	8	3	11	2	0	0	0	10
Cook	Dan	2	1	3	1	1	0	0	7
Crane	Lachlan	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dalmau	Tom	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
D'Arcy	Anthony	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
de Alwis	Sandy	0	7	7	1	0	0	0	5
De Wet	Daniel	5	0	5	2	0	0	0	10
Dittman	Dean	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Draper	Merv	4	0	4	2	0	0	0	10
Duhig	Francis	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
Duhig	Michael	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Favell	Tom	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	5
Flugge	Matt	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fonoti	Andrew	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Forrester	Chris	9	0	9	3	15	2	0	51
Fowler	David	10	0	10	0	1	0	0	2
Haig	Peter	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Harding	Dan	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
Harding	Zac	3	0	3	2	1	1	0	15
Harris	Ryan	6	0	6	1	0	0	0	5
Holmes	Andrew	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0

Itel	Denis	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	5
Jefferies	Gerrard	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Johansen	Neil	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Karukoru	Ron	6	3	9	1	0	0	0	5
Kennedy	Scott	7	1	8	3	0	0	1	18
King	JJ	6	2	8	3	0	0	0	15
Lakin	Steve	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	0
Langham	Tom	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Matthies	Mark	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	0
McKeown	Liam	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Menkins	Reid	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Monsour	Emmanuel	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
O'Reilly	Reon	7	1	8	0	0	0	0	0
Pouessel	Nicolas	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0
Rabai	Isi	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Raiviko	Sailosi	2	2	4	1	0	0	0	5
Retlke	Grant	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0
Richards	Sam	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ross	Jason	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
Rotu	Luke	3	3	6	0	0	0	0	0
Sariman	Myle	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schloss	Adam	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
Smith	Phil	9	0	9	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor	Chris	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	5
Timmins	Michael	4	0	4	1	0	0	0	5
Walker	Brady	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
White	Regan	4	2	6	0	0	0	0	0
Wicks	John	8	0	8	1	0	0	0	5
Williams	Damien	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
Wright	Brendan	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
		164	54	218	27	18	3	1	183

Division One – Women

SEMI-FINALISTS

Coaches and Managers declined to submit a report.

Division One - Colts 1

PRELIMINARY FINALISTS

Coaches and Managers declined to submit a report.

QSRU - Normanby Cup

The year of 2008 started with a major shift in the guard. Many players had either retired or moved up the grades following 2007. The year started full of promise with many new recruits and a new selection of sponsors on board. We must firstly thank KJ and Partners, BLP and Transport & General for there generous support and contribution throughout the 2008 season. With the support of these sponsors the team was able to hold functions throughout the season, purchase training singlets and provide a few post match drinks following games.

I would also like to take the time to thank all the players who have helped out throughout the season with tasks such as getting functions together, setting up and putting away of the field markers and pads and help in running training sessions. Special thanks to Anthony McDermott and Dave Magoffin for their support to help make game nights run smoothly.

Our captain for 2008, Paddy Moore is a Brothers' Old Boys' Rugby Club stalwart and long time member of the Friday night team. The Friday night boys have always insisted on maintaining a positive social atmosphere, a close second to its rugby. Patty's input to this culture of the Friday nights insists this tradition with new players will continue.

Our awards for the 2008 season were as follows: Chris Hilleard – Best Forward, Berry McWilliams – Best Back and Richard Parker – Coaches and Managers award and Best Team Player. Although this year we finished 5th and were not eligible to enter the finals we were able to have many other individual successes throughout the season.

I hope to see everyone back for a bigger and better 2009.

Gerard Jefferies (Coach)



BROTHERS RUGBY FRATERNITY

Brothers' Old Boys would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the Brothers' Club's throughout Australia on yet another successful season.

Cairns:

A Grade – 5th
Res Grade – Minor Premiers & Grand Finalist
Women – Preliminary Finalist
Colts (U19) – No Competition
Club Championship – 3rd

Townsville:

A Grade – Minor Premiers & Grand Finalist
Res Grade – Minor Premiers & Grand Finalist
Women – No Competition
Colts (U20) – No Competition
Under18's - Minor Premiers & **Premiers**
Club Championship – Brothers

Mackay:

A Grade – 6th
Colts (U19) – No Competition
Club Championship – 6th

Rockhampton:

A Grade – Preliminary Finalist
Res Grade – Semi-Finalist
Colts (U19) – No Competition
Club Championship – 3rd

Sydney (NSWSRU):

1st Grade (Clark Cup) – 8th
2nd Grade (Farrant Cup) – 8th
3rd Grade (Campbell Cup) – 8th
4th Grade (Nicholson Cup) – 6th
Club Championship (Harris Shield) – 8th

Joondalup (RugbyWA):

1st Grade (3rd) – Preliminary Finalist
2nd Grade (5th) – 8th
3rd Grade (5th) – 14th
Colts (U20) – Semi-Finalist
Under18's – 9th
Club Championship – 8th



TROPHY AWARD WINNERS

TEAM AWARDS

Premier Grade

Best Forward: Matthew Dews
Best Back: Anthony Sauer
C&M Award: Daniel Kilmartin

Division 1 - Fourth Grade (Blue)

Best Forward: Thomas O'Shea
Best Back: Anthony Andrews
C&M Award: William Tynan

Premier Colts

Best Forward: Thomas Sayer
Best Back: Darren McKellar
C&M Award: James Carter

Division 1 - Fourth Grade (White)

Best Forward: John Wicks
Best Back: Ronald Karukoru
C&M Award: Timothy Collyer

Division 1 - First Grade

Best Forward: Bradley Hunt
Best Back: Wesley Grayson
C&M Award: Andrew Christie

Division 1 - Women

Best Forward: Carolyn McCaffery
Best Back: Helena Blair
C&M Award: Elizabeth Smith

Division 1 - Second Grade

Best Forward: Georgdie Asprey
Best Back: Shane Lynch
C&M Award: Blair Hart

Division 1 - Colts 1

Best Forward: Charles Williams
Best Back: Scott Fayle
C&M Award: Jesse Moody

Division 1 - Third Grade

Best Forward: Braden Barnes
Best Back: Zac Harding
C&M Award: Thomas Favell

QSRU - Normanby Cup

Best Forward: Christopher Hilleard
Best Back: Berry McWilliam
C&M Award: Richard Parker



BROTHERS OLD BOYS' RUGBY CLUB INTERNATIONALS

No	Player	Test Caps	Honour Board	Test Captain	
				Year	Caps
1	Colton, T.J.	2	1905		
2	Carmichael, P.P.	4	1907		
3	Oxenham, A. McE.	2	1907		
4	Flanagan, P	2	1907, 08, 09		
5	Fihelly, J.A.	1	1907		
6	Murphy, P.J.B.	9	1910, 13, 14, 19		
7	Murphy, W	1	1912		
8	Flynn, J.P.	2	1912, 13, 14^c, 19	1914	1
9	McMahon, M.J.	1	1913, 19		
10	Thompson, J	2	1914, 19		
11	Birt, R.S.W.	1	1914		
12	Kreutzer, S.D.	1	1914, 19		
13	Morrissey, W	1	1914		
14	Mooney, V.	0	1919		
15	Breen, W.M.	0	1919		
16	Murray, R.	0	1919		
17	O'Sullivan, B.	0	1919		
18	Gorman, T.S. #	10	1928^c	1928	7
19	Banks, P.E.	0	1930		
20	Howard, J.	2	1938		
21	McMaster, R.E.	7	1946, 47, 48		
22	Hodda, K.J.	0	1946		
23	Bourke, T.K.	1	1947, 48		
24	Harvey, P.B.	2	1949		
25	Fogarty, J.R.	2	1949		
26	Forbes, C.F.	6	1952, 53, 54, 56		
27	Sweeney, T.L.	1	1953		
28	Ryan, K.J.	5	1957, 58		
29	Connor, D.M.	12	1957, 58^c, 59	1958	2
30	Roberts, H.F.	4	1958, 61		
31	Forbes, L.J.	0	1958		
32	Knapp, P.L.	0	1961		
33	O'Neill, D.J.	2	1962, 63, 64		
34	Honan, R.E.	2	1964		
35	Purcell, M.P.	3	1966, 67		
36	Honan, B.D.	9	1967, 68, 69		
37	Reilly, N.P.	10	1968, 69		
38	Pope, A.M.	1	1968		
39	Barry, M.J.	1	1968, 69, 71		
40	Kelleher, R.J.	2	1968, 69		
41	Sullivan, S.S.	0	1968, 69		

42	L'Estrange, R.D.	16	1968, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76		
43	Bolawagatabu, E.V.	15	FIJI 1969^C, 70^C	1969	4
44	Andrews, W.B.	0	1969		
45	Moore, P.D.	0	1969		
46	McLean, J.J.	13	1969, 71, 72, 73, 74		
47	Dunworth, D.A.	5	1971, 72, 73, 76		
48	Flynn, B.M.	0	1971		
49	Freney, M.E.	6	1972, 73		
50	Cocks, M.R.	10	1973, 75		
51	Shaw, A.A.	36	1973, 75, 76, 78^C, 79^C, 80^C, 81^C, 82	1978	15
52	McLean, P.E.	30	1974, 75, 76, 78, 79, 80^C, 81, 82	1980	1
53	Moon, B.J.	35	1978, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 86		
54	Handy, C.B.	6	1978, 79, 80		
55	D'Arcy, A.M.W.	10	1979, 80, 81, 82		
56	Rickit, H.	2	NEW ZEALAND 1981		
57	Hanley, R.G.	3	1982, 83, 84, 85		
58	Nightingale, S.N.	0	1982		
59	McBain, M.I.	7	1983, 84, 85, 86, 87 ^W , 88, 89		
60	Grigg, P.C.	25	1985, 86, 87 ^W		
61	Frawley, D.J.	10	1986, 87, 88		
62	McCall, R.J.	40	1986, 88, 89, 90, 91^W, 92, 93, 94, 95^{CW}	1995	1
63	Maguire, D.J.	3	1989, 90		
64	Ryan, M.J.	0	1990, 92, 93		
65	Eales, J.A.	86	1991^W, 92, 94, 95^W, 96^C, 97^C, 98^C, 99^{CW}, 2000^C, 01^C	1996	55
66	Tabua, I.S. ^D	10/16	1993, 94, 95 ^W , FIJI 1999 ^W		
67	Tabua, T.	3	FIJI 1995, 96		
68	Bari, M.	18	FIJI 1995, 96, 97		
69	Cannon, B.J.	42	1996, 97		
70	Hoffman, P.D'R.	30	PORTUGAL 1996, 97, 98, 99, 2000, 01^C, 02^C, 03^C	2001	10
71	Flatley, E.J.	38	1997, 2000, 01, 02, 03 ^W , 04, 05		
72	Panoho, G.M.	21	1998, 99 ^W , 2000, 01, 03		
73	Spooner, N.R.	2	1999		
74	Cordingley, S.J.	21*	2000, 06, 07 ^W , 08		
75	Hardman, S.P.	3*	2002, 06, 07 ^W		
76	Croft, D.N.	5	2002, 03 ^W , 04		
77	Serivakula S.	2	FIJI 2002, 03 ^W		
78	Buchholtz, J.	9	UNITED STATES 2004		
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^C Test Captain

Rugby League International

^D Dual Internationals

^W Rugby World Cup

BROTHERS OLD BOYS' RUGBY CLUB QUEENSLAND REPRESENTATIVES

No.	NAME	HONOUR BOARD
1	Colton, T.	1905
2	Fihelly, J.	1905, 06, 07, 08
3	Flanagan, P.	1905, 06, 07, 08
4	Oxenham, A. McE.	1905, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10
5	Ahern, F.	1906, 07, 08
6	Carmichael, J.	1906, 07, 08, 09, 10
7	Carmichael, P.	1906, 07
8	Gallagher, B.	1907, 08
9	Murphy, P.	1908, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 19
10	Scanlon, A.J.	1908
11	Grealey, L.	1909
12	Guilfoyle, D.	1909, 10
13	O'Sullivan, D.	1909
14	Carmichael, V.	1910, 13
15	Swenson, W.H.	1910, 11, 14
16	Thompson, J.	1910, 11, 14, 19, 20*
17	Flynn, H.	1911, 13
18	McMahon, M.J.	1911, 12, 13, 14, 19
19	Ryan, T.	1911, 12, 13
20	Flynn, J.P.	1912, 13, 14, 18*, 19, 21*
21	Murphy, W.	1912
22	Birt, R.W.S.	1913, 14
23	McManis, R.O.	1913
24	Morrissey, W.	1913, 14
25	Russell, J.	1913, 14
26	Kreutzer, S.	1914, 18*, 19, 20*, 21*
27	Smith, R.	1914
28	Swenson, F.	1914
29	Breen, W.M.	1919
30	Liddy, J.	1919
31	Mooney, T.	1919, 21*, 22*
32	Mooney, V.	1919
33	Murray, R.	1919
34	O'Sullivan, B.	1919
35	Daly, J.	1920
36	Allman, G.	1925, 26
37	Riipinen, E.	1925
38	Gorman, T.	1926, 27, 28
39	O'Mara, J.	1928
40	Carter, C.	1928, 29
41	Holohan, T.	1928
42	McCormack, A.	1928
43	Twomey, J.J.	1928

44	Arnell, L.	1930, 31
45	Banks, P.	1930, 31, 32
46	Casey, T.	1930, 31
47	England, C.	1930
48	Mott, E.J.	1930, 31, 32, 33, 34
49	Woodward, V.	1930
50	Arnell, F.M.	1931, 32, 33, 34
51	Costello, J.T.	1933, 39, 40
52	Dore, V.J.	1933, 34
53	McCarthy, C.J.	1933
54	Sammon, F.	1934
55	French, J.P.	1935, 36
56	Bowers, H.	1936
57	Bowers, J.P.	1936
58	Brown, T.R.	1936
59	Stewart, R.	1936, 37
60	Howard, J.	1937, 38
61	O'Shea, J.	1937
62	Comerford, J.	1939, 40
63	Keim, J.	1939, 41
64	McNeill, J.	1939, 40
65	Vogel, A.	1939
66	Ivers, S.	1940
67	Bourke, K.	1941, 47, 48
68	Desmond, K.	1941
69	Sheehan, J.	1941
70	Carmody, F.	1945
71	Kennedy, K.	1945, 46
72	Maloney, W.	1945, 48
73	O'Connell, B.	1945, 46
74	Carroll, T.	1946
75	Hodda, K.	1946, 47
76	McMaster, R.E.	1946, 47
77	Rutkin, K.	1946
78	Fogarty, J.	1947, 48, 49
79	Harvey, P.	1947, 48, 49, 50
80	Johnson, E.	1947
81	Bourke, J.	1948
82	Ludwig, T.	1948
83	Maccheroni, K.	1948, 49, 50, 51, 52
84	Patane, J.	1949, 50
85	Spillane, K.	1949
86	Brusasco, I.	1950, 51
87	Clancy, H.	1950, 51
88	Guilfoyle, D. (Jnr)	1950

89	Maccheroni, T.	1950	137	Reilly, P.	1968, 69
90	Buchanan, J.	1951	138	Sullivan, S.	1968, 69
91	Smith, S.	1951	139	Andrews, W.	1969, 70, 72, 75
92	Corcoran, T.	1952, 53	140	Dunworth, D.	1969, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76
93	Forbes, C.	1952, 53, 54, 56	141	Flynn, M.	1969, 70, 71, 72, 74, 75, 76, 78
94	Heenan, P.	1952, 53	142	McLean, J.	1969, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74
95	Sweeney, T.	1952, 53, 54	143	Moore, P.	1969, 70
96	Deignan, B.	1953, 54	144	White, B.	1969
97	Smith, J.	1953, 54	145	Freney, M.	1970, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75
98	Swepson, P.	1953, 54	146	Lewis, P.	1970
99	Connor, D.	1954, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59	147	Price, R.	1970, 71, 72, 74
100	Ellis, J.	1954, 55	148	Fleming, P.	1972
101	Ryan, K.	1954, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59	149	Handy, C.	1972, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80
102	Forbes, L.	1955, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60	150	Cocks, R.	1973, 74, 75
103	Chambers, B.	1955	151	McLean, P.E.	1973, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82
104	Connors, P.	1955	152	Shaw, A.	1973, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83
105	Traill, G.	1955	153	Anderson, M.	1974
106	Clarke, J.F.	1956, 59	154	Logan, D.	1974, 75, 76
107	Sweeney, P.	1956	155	Rickett, H.	1974
108	Hogan V.	1957, 58	156	White, G.	1974, 75
109	Roberts, H.	1958, 59, 61, 63	157	Dunsdon, R.	1974
110	Deveries, G.	1958	158	Howell, B.	1974
111	Fitzpatrick, K.	1959	159	Twist, P.	1974
112	Flynn, J.	1959	160	Hall, D.	1975, 76
113	Cullinan, M.	1960	161	Leal, B.	1975, 76
114	Lusk, K.	1960	162	D'Arcy, T.	1978, 79, 80, 81, 82
115	McCarthy, D.	1960	163	Moon, B.	1978, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84
116	Knapp, P.	1961	164	Costello, P.	1980, 81, 83, 84
117	Stevens, P.	1961, 62, 65	165	McBain, M.	1980, 81, 82, 83, 84, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90
118	Laracy, R.	1961	166	Nightingale, S.	1980, 82, 83, 85, 86, 88
119	O'Neill, D.	1962, 63, 64, 65, 66	167	Hanley, R.	1981, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87
120	Arnell, F. (Jnr)	1963	168	Nightingale, M.	1982
121	Honan, R.	1963, 64, 65, 66	169	Burke, G.	1982
122	Hose, A.	1963, 64	170	Crank, M.	1983, 84, 85, 86, 90
123	Suggars, W.	1963	171	Lavin, P.	1983
124	Murphy, J.	1965, 66	172	Tighe, D.	1983
125	Purcell, M.	1965, 66, 67	173	Frawley, D.	1985, 86
126	Ryan, D.	1965, 66	174	Grigg, P.	1985, 86, 87, 88, 89
127	Barry, M.	1966, 71	175	Mills, V.P.	1985, 86, 87, 88
128	Honan, B.	1966, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71	176	McCall, R.	1986, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96
129	Bolawagatabu, E.	1967, 68	177	Partridge, S.	1987
130	Costello, J.	1967	178	Maguire, D.	1989, 90, 91, 92
131	Dunsdon, J.	1967, 68	179	Dodson, T.	1990
132	Pope, A.	1967, 68, 69, 70, 71	180	Eales, J.	1990, 91, 92, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 2000, 01
133	Shanahan, T.	1967	181	Ryan, M.	1990, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96
134	Allen, E.	1968	182	Skeggs, A.	1991
135	Kelleher, R.	1968, 69, 70, 71			
136	L'Estrange, D.	1968, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75			

183	Holt, M.	1993	197	Hardman, S.	1999, 2000, 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08
184	Jeffries, K.	1993	198	Spooner, N.	1999
185	Panoho, G.	1993, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 2000, 01, 02, 03	199	Ross, S.	ACT 1999, 2000
186	Tabua, I.	1993, 94, 95, 96	200	Croft, D.	2000, 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08
187	Bari, M.	1996	201	Fava, S.	2000, 01
188	Cannon, B.	1996, 97, 98	202	Daruda, S.	2005, WA 2006
189	Daly, A.	1996	203	Sauer, A.	2005, 06
190	Flatley, E.	1996, 97, 98, 99, 2000, 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06	204	Collis, D.	2005
191	Carne, W.	1997	205	Satui, S.	2006
192	Coombe, A.	1997	206	Shaw, L.	ACT 2006, Q 2008
193	Grant, L.	1997	207	McKibbin, B.	2008
194	Harley, A.	1997	208		
195	Watkins, J.	1997, 98	209		
196	Cordingley, S.	1999, 2000, 06, 07, 08	210		

Correct as at 30 September 2008



Sam CORDINGLEY



Sean HARDMAN



David CROFT

BROTHERS OLD BOYS' RUGBY CLUB WOMEN'S INTERNATIONALS

No.	Player	Test Caps	Honour Board	Test Captain	
				Year	Caps
1	Columbus, J.	2	1996	1996	1
2	Hart, B.	7	1998*		
3	Osbourne, T.	10	1998*, 2001		
4	Palaialii, P.	14	1998*		
5	Batibasaga, I.C.	3*	2006*, 07, 08		
6	Finch, A.J.	1	2006*		
7					
8					
9					
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* Rugby World Cup

WOMEN'S QUEENSLAND REPRESENTATIVES

No.	NAME	YEARS			
1	Jones, L.	1996	14	Hoyle, T.	2000
2	King, F.	1996, 97	15	Shaw, K.	2000
3	Columbus, J.	1996, 97, 98, 99, 2000	16	Stuart, K.	2000
4	Collier, J.	1997	17	Batibasaga, I.C.	2006, 07, 08
5	Kairl, J.	1997, 98, 99, 2000	18	Finch, A.J.	2006
6	Olive, C.	1997, 99	19	Stiffler, M.C.	2006
7	Patterson, A.	1997, 98, 99	20	Robson, A.K.	2008
8	Hart, B.	1998	21		
9	McCallum, K.	1998	22		
10	Nooteboom, V.	1998	23		
11	Osborne, T.	1998, 99, 2000, 01	24		
12	Palaialii, P.	1998	25		
13	Hall, T.	2000			



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PLAYER	GAMES
B. O'Connell	230
J. Windsor	181
A. Shaw	180
P. Mills	168
M. McBain	166
D. Tighe	160
P. Lavin	158
M. Nightingale	156
G. Burke	153
M. Crank	146
P. Costello	145
D. Maguire	139
J. Watkins	138
G. White	135
T. Dodson	129
R. McCall	127
S. Partridge	127
D. Logan	121
T. Grady	120
P. McLean	113
R. Price	113
P. Tunney	111
J. McCall	110
R. Hanley	110
S. O'Brien	110
G. Tagicakibau	109
D. Woolnough	108
C. Handy	105
J. Woodward	104
S. Hardman	104
N. Ross	103
J. Aland	102
B. Gabbett	101
M. Andersen	95
M. Ephraims	95
K. Jeffries	93
S. Burstow	91
A. Cox	89
A. Sauer	89
J. O'Reilly	89
S. Nightingale	89
M. Potts	88
A. Coady	87
David Croft	87
J. Grant	85
B. Hunt	82
S. Price	80
G. Panoho	79

Sean Ryan	78
P. Moore	77
A. Pyers	76
T. O'Sullivan	75
B. Moon	74
B. Stapleton	72
Damon Murphy	71
A. Dunn	70
R. Cocks	69
M. Flynn	68
P. Doneley	68
P. Bone	66
S. Reid	65
T. D'Arcy	65
D. Ryan	64
P. Beckett	64
P. Stevens	64
G. Traill	63
P. French	62
J. Hannan	61
K. Maccheroni	61
R. Craig	61
L. Forbes	60
D. Dunworth	59
P. O'Donnell	59
J. Buchanan	58
M. Freney	58
A. Merlo	57
B. Walker	57
D. Drake	57
D. L'Estrange	57
J. McLaughlin	57
M. Dews	57
T. Corcoran	57
G. Leyden	56
H. Clancy	56
M. Halpin	56
R. Laracy	56
D. O'Rourke	55
J. Connolly	55
W. Andrews	55
A. Apelt	54
J. Grasso	54
J. McKendry	54
N. Gendle	54
E. Bolawagatabu	53
J. Murphy	52
J. Smith	52
Z. Hilton	52

D. Frawley	51
D. Woods	51
C. Mounsey	50
J. Bosanquet	50
K. Stanton	50
B. Leal	49
Peter Sweeney	48
A. Miller	47
B. Dawson	47
B. Delahunty	47
P. Twist	47
S. Windsor	47
F. Carmody	46
J. Gabbett	46
T. O'Connell	46
A. Bennie	45
A. O'Brien	45
K. Allen	45
M. Itel	45
M. Steele	45
C. Forbes	44
D. Marshall	44
J. Dunsdon	44
J. Eales	44
J. Maguire	44
P. Knapp	44
B. Smith	43
P. Loli	43
Paul O'Brien	43
R. O'Malley	43
B. McKibbin	42
D. Connor	41
G. Tracey	41
M. Ramalli	41
P. Grigg	41
P. Vola Vola	41
W. Reilly	41
Darren Murphy	40
J. Harvey	40
J. O'Connor	40
D. Collis	38
P. Heenan	38
R. Vaughan	38
A. Hose	37
B. Chalmers	37
C. Bidois	37
D. O'Neill	37
M. Purcell	37
C. Hammond	36

H. Roberts	36
K. Ryan	36
R. Hose	36
S. Ross	36
P. Frisby	35
A. Pope	34
G. Felsman	34
G. Gross	34
P. D'Arcy	34
V. McLoughlin	34
D. Carlton	33
D. Dalton	33
E. Flatley	33
M. Ryan	33
P. Neisler	33
R. Pentecost	33
S. Dahms	33
T. Maccheroni	33
T. Tabua	33
A. Boyd	32
A. Burtenshaw	32
B. Campbell	32
M. Conway	32
R. Honan	32
B. Nadenic	31
I. Thomson	31
J. Durkin	31
J. Tolhurst	31
M. Edwards	31
N. O'Connor	31
J. Johnston	30
S. Cordingley	30
Sam Satui	30
Sean W. Ryan	30
T. Honan	30
B. Honan	29
D. McCarthy	29
J. Ellis	29
M. Barry	29
Paul Sweeney	29
A. McLay	28
C. Whyllie	28
D. Mason	28
F. Wright	28
J. Grainger	28
J. Suggars	28
J. Washington	28
M. Hefferan	28

M. James	28
M. Lyons	28
M. Mahoney	28
P. Hawke	28
R. Hogan	28
A. Wright	27
D. Dunsdon	27
D. Hall	27
L. Shaw	27
P. Swepson	27
T. Burkett	27
T. Frisby	27
D. Asprey	26
F. Bistrain	26
J. McLean	26
M. Geary	26
N. Superina	26
R. Tully	26
W. Brosnan	26
G. Warren	25
J. Power	25
S. Best	25
S. Kelly	25
S. Seruvakula	25
J. Bourke	24
J. Costello	24
P. Connors	24
P. Mooney	24
P. O'Neill	24
D. Bowman	23
D. Dunn	23
E. Allen	23
G. Kelly	23
J. Narruhn	23
L. Reilly	23
P. Reilly	23
A. Harley	22
A. McLean	22
B. Cannon	22
D. Kappu	22
G. Lawler	22
M. Wiggins	22
P. Douglas	22
S. Smith	22
A. Skeggs	21
Andrew Shaw	21
B. White	21
D. Dyson	21

D. Semple	21
Dallan Murphy	21
Dennis Croft	21
J. Fitzpatrick	21
P. Hancock	21
R. Elmer	21
R. McGruther	21
S. Fava	21
T. McMahon	21
A. Coombe	20
A. Hudson	20
D. Kilmartin	20
G. Appleton	20
G. Millburn	20
J. Delahunty	20
J. Patane	20
J. Peters	20
Luke Harvey	20
S. Sullivan	20
T. Colley	20
A. Gold	19
D. Gardner	19
E. Burke	19
G. Hutchinson	19
L. Barber	19
M. Braithwaite	19
M. Cullinan	19
M. Gaviolli	19
M. Twist	19
N. Freney	19
P. Stephenson	19
R. Hoffman	19
W. Maki	19
A. Dixon	18
B. Perkins	18
D. Hannay	18
J. Martin	18
M. Morgan	18
P. Andrews	18
P. McGrath	18
P. Tully	18
R. Kennedy	18
R. McCrane	18
W. Beck	18
B. Condon	17
D. Hedditch	17
L. Donald	17
M. Thompson	17

N. Fleming	17
P. Harvey	17
T. Jack	17
T. Sweeney	17
V. Hogan	17
G. Esmonde	16
I. Tabua	16
J. Betts	16
R. Dunsdon	16
R. Korst	16
R. Noud	16
W. Challenor	16
A. Hacker	15
D. Dowling	15
G. Barnard	15
G. Crocombe	15
J. Lynch	15
K. Lusk	15
M. Blockey	15
M. Cristan	15
M. McGrath	15
M. Shanahan	15
P. Buxton	15
P. Leary	15
P. Murray	15
P. Wall	15
R. Cook	15
S. Whalley	15
V. Nuggin	15
A. Hammond	14
A. Hefferan	14
B. Power	14
D. Greathead	14
D. McKay	14
J. Healy	14
K. Francis	14
M. Dennehy	14
S. Daruda	14
S. Handy	14
A. Copping	13
A. Scarbosio	13
D. Steele	13
G. Cameron	13
G. McNamara	13
G. Vincent	13
J. Cleary	13
K. Fitzpatrick	13
L. Evans	13

M. Faoagali	13
M. O'Connor	13
T. Fogarty	13
W. Gray	13
A. Cowley	12
B. Rummery	12
C. Gentle	12
J. Clark	12
J. French	12
J. Hawes	12
L. McKeown	12
M. Miller	12
M. Richardson	12
M. Sitch	12
P. Fleming	12
P. O'Brien	12
R. Andersen	12
R. Leeson	12
T. Canty	12
B. Phelps	11
C. Osborne	11
C. Windsor	11
D. O'Brien	11
E. Gillen	11
F. Arnell	11
G. Frisby	11
H. Adams	11
H. Rickitt	11
J. Bennie	11
L. Gibbons	11
L. Grant	11
M. Bari	11
M. Cook	11
M. Sinclair	11
P. Gilbert	11
P. Lewis	11
P. Lung	11
P. Rhead	11
R. Kelly	11
S. Gelling	11
W. Maher	11
A. Cruice	10
B. Howell	10
B. McGarry	10
D. Corbenici	10
E. Glasson	10
J. Atu	10
J. Baker	10

K. Carmody	10
N. Spooner	10
P. Conran	10
P. Dwyer	10
P. Jacks	10
P. Wallace	10
P. Zappala	10
R. Chapman	10
T. McKellar	10
T. Walker	10
A. Fanning	9
A. Rae	9
B. Hose	9
C. Anderson	9
E. Naiwasetawa	9
G. Campbell	9
G. Davies	9
J. Barry	9
J. Crowley	9
J. Flynn	9
J. Gordon	9
J. Roderick	9
K. McCormack	9
M. Arnold	9
M. Fogarty	9
P. Fitzgerald	9
R. Currie	9
S. Healy	9
T. Collins	9
T. Daly	9
W. Grayson	9
A. Carr	8
A. O'Neill	8
B. Berge	8
B. Daly	8
C. Cronin	8
C. Walker	8
D. Guilfoyle	8
D. O'Hara	8
G. Cootes	8
J. Bruce	8
J. Keane	8
L. Harvey	8
N. Davis	8
N. Proctor	8
P. Graham	8
P. Hollamby	8
R. Aldridge	8

R. Doherty	8
R. Graham	8
R. Hickey	8
S. Edwards	8
S. Tagicakibau	8
T. Jones	8
W. Martell	8
A. Davidson	7
A. James	7
B. Deignan	7
B. Warnick	7
C. Campbell	7
C. Lawson	7
C. Stewart	7
D. Aleckson	7
D. Bartlett	7
D. Dignam	7
D. Staley	7
D. Suki	7
G. Berkeley	7
G. Gallagher	7
J. Burke	7
J. Fogarty	7
M. Kreis	7
M. Murray	7
M. O'Brien	7
R. Winterscheidt	7
S. Cash	7
S. Cox	7
S. McCarthy	7
Sitani Satui	7
T. Cassidy	7
T. Ludbrook	7
T. Mailata	7
T. Reid	7
T. Shanahan	7
W. Ryall	7
B. Collins	6
B. Rigg	6
B. Wellbrook	6
C. White	6
D. Partridge	6
D. Smith	6
G. McGrath	6
G. Tonner	6
J. Gibbons	6
J. O'Callaghan	6
K. Flexman	6

K. Krueger	6
L. Hegerty	6
L. Kelly	6
M. Kearney	6
M. Luddy	6
N. Morrison	6
O. Mayhew	6
P. Byrne	6
R. Baker	6
R. Culpitt	6
R. Hawton	6
T. Bryce	6
T. Dixon	6
T. McDonnell	6
T. Newsome	6
W. Reid	6
W. Suggars	6
A. O'Loan	5
B. Felsman	5
B. Knapp	5
B. McCall	5
B. McCormack	5
B. Meapo	5
B. Wood	5
D. Deignan	5
D. Flynn	5
D. Lyons	5
D. Swepson	5
F. McDonnell	5
G. Swepson	5
G. Walker	5
J. Buchholtz	5
J. Cummins	5
K. Bourke	5
M. Crossland	5
M. Frawley	5
N. Schwarzer	5
P. Burnett	5
P. McGill	5
P. Stevenson	5
R. Klinge	5
R. Lemass	5
T. Ah Ben	5
V. Oxenford	5
W. Reeves	5
A. Buckley	4
B. Conway	4
B. Hart	4

B. Kehoe	4
C. Johnson	4
C. Niwa	4
D. Bechler	4
D. Coles	4
D. Moore	4
F. Bourke	4
G. Clouston	4
G. Kerr	4
Geoff Lawler	4
J. Coutts	4
J. McCallum	4
J. Muisneiks	4
K. Tuicolo	4
M. Anderton	4
N. Stanley	4
P. Cartwright	4
P. Moloney	4
P. O'Malley	4
P. Spizziri	4
P. Twomey	4
R. Budd	4
S. Bikneris	4
S. Fiti	4
S. Guthrie	4
T. Barbour	4
T. Enright	4
T. McCulloch	4
W. Hammond	4
A. Cameron	3
A. Nixon	3
B. Grayson	3
B. Healy	3
B. McGrath	3
B. Origlasso	3
B. Taylor	3
C. Milligan	3
C. O'Connor	3
C. Wilder	3
D. Fraser	3
D. McGrath	3
G. Conaghan	3
H. Hamilton	3
J. Allen	3
J. Breen	3
J. Carpenter	3
J. Gardener	3
J. Gray	3

J. Heineger	3
J. Keppie	3
K. McMahon	3
K. Spillane	3
K. Whelan	3
M. Barbosa	3
M. Sloan	3
M. Tancred	3
P. Bader	3
P. Edwards	3
P. Menzies	3
P. Thompson	3
P. Verhoven	3
P. Williams	3
Paul Williams	3
R. Dunworth	3
S. Driscoll	3
S. Flynn	3
T. Dunworth	3
T. Young	3
Tim Shaw	3
W. Corbett	3
A. Borle	2
A. Hayes	2
A. Tuibua	2
B. Abbott	2
B. Fogarty	2
B. McKenzie	2
B. Pascoe	2
B. Reid	2
C. Carlton	2
C. Flack	2
C. Shilley	2
Christian Anderson	2
D. Barr	2
D. Eri	2
D. Harrington	2
D. Hicks	2
D. Hinch	2
D. Lavercombe	2
D. Marsh	2
D. Wright	2
F. Mitchell	2
G. Huntington	2
G. Kirk	2
G. Waters	2
I. McCulloch	2

I. Warmington	2
J. Aloua	2
J. Barnett	2
J. Hamilton	2
J. McGilvary	2
J. McMahon	2
L. Cella	2
L. Clarke	2
Luke Donald	2
M. Allen	2
M. Corbett	2
M. Cranitch	2
M. Grainger	2
M. Hurley	2
M. Keen	2
M. Windsor	2
N. Hunt	2
P. Bourke	2
P. Crowley	2
P. Healy	2
P. Howlie	2
P. O'Shea	2
P. Taylor	2
R. Dunn	2
R. Freney	2
R. Goodwin	2
R. Howden	2
R. Martin	2
R. Ure	2
Rohan Hoffman	2
S. Ohiyama	2
S. Roberts	2
S. Simpson	2
Steve Smith	2
T. Begg	2
T. Graham	2
T. Haidley	2
T. Spencer	2
T. Wiley	2
W. Mace	2
W. Purcell	2
A. Cunneen	1
A. Ingram	1
A. McDonald	1
A. Nock	1
A. Soanes	1
B. Canniffe	1
B. Hayes	1

B. McCarthy	1
B. Ryan	1
B. Steele	1
B. Stewart	1
B. Williams	1
B. Wyllie	1
C. Maxwell	1
C. Sinapati	1
D. Chapman	1
D. Crowe	1
D. Ford	1
D. Kissane	1
D. Rangi	1
D. Robertson	1
D. Scott	1
D. Thompson	1
D. Tinney	1
Dan Dalton	1
E. Aila	1
E. Nogoua	1
F. Wilkinson	1
G. Anderson	1
G. Brandenburg	1
G. Dearlove	1
G. Jesson	1
G. Lalor	1
G. Lynch	1
J. Beiers	1
J. Fenton	1
J. Hegarty	1
J. Kavanagh	1
J. Kenny	1
J. King	1
J. McKeon	1
J. McVeigh	1
J. More	1
J. Ray	1
J. Vail	1
J. Zehmke	1
K. Cuminer	1
K. Murphy	1
L. Hannan	1
L. McKeering	1
Lee Evans	1
M. Doxey	1
M. Gibson	1
M. Healy	1
M. Joyce	1

M. Keam	1
M. Leota	1
M. Linnane	1
M. McCarthy	1
M. Muttakumar	1
M. Neville	1
M. Patuara	1
M. Pike	1
M. Skinner	1
M. Tanwan	1
Michael Ryan	1
N. Mullen	1
N. Patrick	1
N. Steel	1
P. Ahern	1
P. Baxter	1
P. Bradley	1
P. Caldwell	1
P. Cannon	1

P. Cavanagh	1
P. Dornan	1
P. Hyland	1
P. Jarrett	1
P. Johnson	1
P. Netto-Fernandes	1
P. Nolan	1
R. Buckby	1
R. Coetzee	1
R. Crane	1
R. Faiva	1
R. Mackay	1
R. Moore	1
R. Nalatu	1
R. Rinaudo	1
R. Walk	1
R. Webb	1
S. Brown	1

S. King	1
S. Maidment	1
S. Milfull	1
S. Paramore	1
S. Waqanaceva	1
S. Williams	1
T. Dammers	1
T. Hilton	1
T. Lola	1
T. McCormack	1
T. Pagliaro	1
T. Phillips	1
T. Siale	1
W. Avery	1
W. Carne	1
W. Miller	1

PREMIER GRADE 2008



Winners of the Thomas Welsby Memorial Cup, Keith Horsley Memorial Trophy, Templeton-McLean Cup & Pilecki-Shaw Cup

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Brothers Old Boys Rugby Club Inc.

**Financial Accounts
For 12 Months Ended
30 June 2008**

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The Tradition Continues*

BROTHERS OLD BOYS RUGBY CLUB INC

DIRECTORS REPORT

The Directors of the Club have pleasure in submitting the Balance Sheet and Profit and Profit and Loss Accounts for the Financial Year ended 30 June 2008.

The Directors report as follows:

1. Principal Activity. The Principal Activity of the Club was the provision of facilities and services for Members and Players of the Club.
2. Results. The Club recorded a net profit of \$20201 for the 12 months ended 30 June 2008 after providing for depreciation of \$26160.
3. In the opinion of the Board of Directors, the Financial Report:
 - a. presents fairly the financial position of Brothers Old Boys Rugby Club Inc as at 30 June 2008, and its performance for the 12 months ended on that date in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, mandatory professional reporting requirements and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board.
 - b. at the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Club will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.
4. This Statement is made in accordance with a Resolution of the Board of Directors and is signed for and behalf of the Board by:



Director.



Director.

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BROTHERS OLD BOYS RUGBY CLUB INC.
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008.

	2008 \$	2007 \$
Excess of Income over Expenditure	20201	(27168)
Retained Profits at the beginning of year	1791458	1818626
Retained Profits at Balance Date	1811659	1791458

BROTHERS OLD BOYS RUGBY CLUB INC.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 JUNE 2008.

	NOTE	2008 \$	2007 \$
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash	2	132598	91377
Receivables	3	10851	11683
Inventories		<u>26532</u>	<u>17819</u>
Total Current Assets		<u>169981</u>	<u>120879</u>
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Receivables	4	1378	1378
Investments	5	16800	16800
Property, Plant & Equipment	6	1709737	1735897
Other	7	<u>10000</u>	<u>10000</u>
TOTAL NON – CURRENT ASSETS		<u>1737915</u>	<u>1764075</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		<u>1907896</u>	<u>1884954</u>
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Creditors	8	<u>33145</u>	<u>30404</u>
NON CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Loans	9	<u>10000</u>	<u>10000</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES		<u>43145</u>	<u>40404</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>1864751</u>	<u>1844550</u>
MEMBERS FUNDS	10	<u>1864751</u>	<u>1844550</u>

BROTHERS OLD BOYS RUGBY CLUB INC.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED

30 JUNE 2008.

NOTE 1. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES.

The principal accounting policies adopted by Brothers Old Boys Rugby Club Inc (herin referred to as the Club), are stated in order to assist in a general understanding of the Financial Statements. These policies have been consistently applied except as otherwise indicated.

The Club is not a reporting entity because, in the opinion of the Directors of the Club, there are unlikely to exist users who are unable to command the preparation of reports so tailored as to satisfy specifically all of their information needs. These accounts are therefore Special Purpose Financial Reports that have been prepared solely to meet the requirements to prepare accounts under the Club's Constitution.

No other Accounting Standards have mandatory applicability.

The accounts have been prepared on a historical basis, and do not take into account changing money values except where buildings have been revalued.

The following is a summary of significant accounting policies adopted by the Club in the preparation of the accounts.

Property, Plant & Equipment.

Property, Plant and equipment are included at cost except where Buildings and other assets have been revalued. These assets are written off as an expense over their estimated economic useful life

The rate determined is 1% (Straight Line Method) for buildings and fixtures, 10% (Straight Line Method) for office and kitchen improvements and various rates as required for plant & equipment.

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BROTHERS OLD BOYS RUGBY CLUB INC
NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR
ENDED 30 JUNE 2008.

Investments.

Investments are valued at cost less amounts written off for permanent diminution in the value of the investments.

NOTE 2 – CASH

	2008	2007
	\$	\$
Bank General Account	9715	20930
Bank Cash Management Account	121850	68686
Bank Ground Maintenance Account	203	1011
Bank Clubhouse Account	250	250
Bank Foundation Account	80	—
Petty Cash	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>
Total Cash	<u>132598</u>	<u>91377</u>

NOTE 3 – RECEIVABLES CURRENT

	2008	2007
	\$	\$
Security Deposits	300	1230
Other Debtors	5090	1301
Prepayments	<u>5461</u>	<u>9152</u>
Total Receivables	<u>10851</u>	<u>11683</u>

NOTE 4 – RECEIVABLES NON – CURRENT

Brothers Colts Rugby Club 1378 1378
 At 30/06/08, Brothers Colts Rugby Club owes the Club \$1378.
 Brothers Colts Rugby Club was set up in 1994 to operate in-house bingo sessions. Under current legislation, the Club is not permitted to hold bingo activities whilst owning bingo sessions in other organisations such as Southside Bingo.

Note 5 – INVESTMENT.

Units in S'Side Bingo Unit Trust – at cost 16800 16800
 During 1994, a Property Unit Trust was established by the holders of sessions at Southside Bingo to enable purchase of property from which bingo is conducted. This Club purchased one unit to ensure it's continued participation in bingo sessions. The unit is worth substantially more based on further property acquisitions and valuations recently undertaken by Southside Unit Trust.

**BROTHERS OLD BOYS RUGBY CLUB INC.
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ENDED 30 JUNE 2008.**

NOTE 6 – PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT.

	2008	2007
Property.		
New Clubhouse Building – at cost	1814438	1814438
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(417350)	(399205)
Main Clubhouse Building – at Valuation	121933	121933
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(32609)	(31389)
C J Dahl Complex – at cost	125018	125018
Less Accumulated depreciation	(33430)	(32179)
Tom McCormack Place Improvement – at cost	60707	60707
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(16222)	(15614)
Toilet Block – at cost	26543	26543
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(7090)	(6824)
Kitchen Block – at cost	16006	16006
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(16006)	(16006)
Office Block – at cost	16386	16386
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(3895)	(3731)
Fencing & Lighting – at valuation	57617	57617
Fencing & Lighting – at cost	13873	13873
Less Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(26463)</u>	<u>(25384)</u>
	<u>1699456</u>	<u>1722189</u>
 Plant, Equipment & Fittings.		
Plant & Equipment – at cost	33760	33760
Less Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(30852)</u>	<u>(30190)</u>
	<u>2908</u>	<u>3570</u>
 Office & Electronic Equipment – at cost	17828	17828
Less Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(16653)</u>	<u>(15960)</u>
	<u>1175</u>	<u>1868</u>
 Assets purchased from Administrator of Brothers Licensed Club – at cost	27273	27273
Less Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(21075)</u>	<u>(19003)</u>
	<u>6198</u>	<u>8270</u>
 Total Property, Plant & Equipment.	<u>1709737</u>	<u>1735897</u>

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NOTE 7 – OTHER NON – CURRENT ASSETS.

	2008	2007
	\$	\$
Perpetual Membership – Ballymore	10000	10000
Deferred Expenses – Southside Bingo	15000	15000
Less Prov'n for Amortisation	<u>(15000)</u>	<u>(15000)</u>
	<u>10000</u>	<u>10000</u>

The deferred expense represents amounts paid to Southside Bingo organisation to maintain it's viability. The amounts are not refundable but provide benefit in the form of continued participation in the bingo sessions which are likely to generate future income and profits.

NOTE 8 – CREDITORS.

Trade Creditors	22532	23184
Other Creditors	<u>10613</u>	<u>7220</u>
	<u>33145</u>	<u>30404</u>

NOTE 9 – LOANS – NON-CURRENT.

Supporters Loans – Transferred from Brothers Community & Sports Club (Brisbane) Limited under a Deed of Company Arrangement – 2 Loans @\$5000 each.	<u>10000</u>	<u>10000</u>
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NOTE 10 – MEMBERS FUNDS.

Retained Earnings	1811659	1791458
Asset Revaluation Reserve	<u>53092</u>	<u>53092</u>
	<u>1864751</u>	<u>1844550</u>



**AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF
BROTHERS OLD BOYS' RUGBY CLUB INC.**

Scope

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement, being a special purpose financial report, of Brothers Old Boys' Rugby Club Inc. for the 12 (twelve) months ended 30 June 2008 as set out on pages 2 to 7 in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards.

The Club's Committee of Management are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement and the information contained therein and have determined that the basis of accounting used and described in Note 1 to the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement is appropriate to meet the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act (QLD) 1981 and the needs of the Club. We have conducted an independent audit of the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement in order to express an opinion to the members of Brothers Old Boys Rugby Club Inc. on their preparation and presentation. No opinion is expressed as to whether the accounting policies used, and described, in Note 1, are appropriate to the needs of the members.

The Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement have been prepared for distribution to members for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act (QLD) 1981. We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

Our audit has been conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our procedures included examination, on a test basis, of evidence supporting the amounts and other disclosures in the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement and the evaluation of significant accounting estimates. These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion as to whether, in all material respects, the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement are presented fairly in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement. These policies do not require the application of all Accounting Standards.

The audit opinion expressed in this report has been formed on the above basis.

Qualifications*Income*

As is common for organisations of this type, it is not practical for the Brothers Old Boys' Rugby Club Inc. to maintain an effective system of internal control over income until entry in the accounting records. Accordingly, our audit in relation to receipts was limited to amounts recorded.

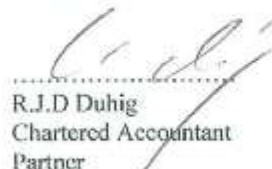
Property, Plant and Equipment

All property assets of the Club are constructed on Brisbane City Council land over which the club holds a sporting lease. The property assets are not an asset for which a commercial sale price can be established.

Under these circumstances, there is a significant uncertainty that the property, plant and equipment are recorded in excess of their recoverable amount. We are unable to assess the amount by which the carrying amount may or may not exceed the recoverable amount.

Qualified Audit Opinion

In our opinion, subject to the qualifications noted above the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement of Brothers Old Boys' Rugby Club Inc. for the 12 (twelve) months ended 30 June 2008 are properly drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs as at 30 June 2008 and of the surplus for the 12 (twelve) month period ended on that date.


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R.J.D Duhig
Chartered Accountant
Partner
Ranald Duhig & Co.

Brisbane 9 SEPTEMBER 2008

**BROTHERS OLD BOYS RUGBY CLUB INC
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008.**

INCOME	2008	2007
	\$	\$
Gross Profit Trading		
Southside Bingo Income	114561	97557
Brothers Can Shop Sales	37177	33622
Merchandise Sales	1900	2564
Function Proceeds:		
Minor Functions	7365	236
Major Functions	-----	13887
Raffles & Auctions	4023	29495
	<u>11388</u>	<u>43618</u>
Ground Rental:		
Brothers Juniors	-----	-----
Sundry Rentals	-----	600
	-----	<u>600</u>
Grants:		
QRU – Other Grants	80000	80000
Other General Grants	-----	-----
	<u>80000</u>	<u>80000</u>
Subscriptions:	<u>52761</u>	<u>39354</u>
Sponsorship Income:		
Major Sponsors	101026	46258
Player Sponsorship	-----	-----
	<u>101026</u>	<u>46258</u>
Other Income:		
Gate Takings	1744	118
Interest Received	5644	3728
Room Hire/Commission	-----	-----
Sundry Income	1513	4189
Donations – General	1000	1000
–S’Side Sports Club	<u>10000</u>	<u>10000</u>
	<u>19901</u>	<u>19035</u>
TOTAL INCOME	418714	362608

**BROTHERS OLD BOYS RUGBY CLUB INC
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
FOR THE 12 YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008.**

	2008 \$	2007 \$
EXPENDITURE		
Administration Expenses:		
Audit & Accounting	1522	1153
Advertising & Promotions	4293	1794
Bank Charges	1079	2143
Computer Costs	385	1245
Depreciation	26160	27600
Functions & Events	2086	5324
General Expenses	6195	14172
Insurance – Buildings & Pub Liab	8622	7598
Licenses & Registrations	1330	1330
Postage, Printing, Stationery, Phone	8339	9269
Repairs & Maint – Buildings	890	8210
Salaries - Admin	1000	1000
Loss on Sale of Assets	---	148
	<u>61901</u>	<u>80986</u>
Equipment & Ground Maintenance:		
Light & Power & Gas	7032	5189
Cleaning	6568	1071
Rates – Land & Water	3485	5394
Repairs & Maintenance	16964	10729
Sign Painting	4704	(30)
	<u>38753</u>	<u>22353</u>
Player Expenses:		
Coaching Fees	---	2273
Affiliation Fees	5245	3895
Football/Training Aids	2870	4930
Player Insurance	14174	12813
Football Clothing	21793	22231
Medical Supplies	20064	20683
Trophies	799	853
Laundry	4154	3098
Team Photos	---	306
Tour Fund Costs	476	---
Match Day Expenses	<u>5418</u>	<u>9672</u>
	<u>74993</u>	<u>80754</u>

**BROTHERS OLD BOYS RUGBY CLUB INC
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
FOR THE 12 YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008.**

	2008	2007
	\$	\$
Football Expense Account		
Coach / Manager Entertainment	167	1189
Player Entertainment	2515	4523
Sponsor Dealings	11952	4952
Player Refreshments	<u>1591</u>	<u>2477</u>
	<u>16225</u>	<u>13141</u>
Player Recruitment		
Recruitment Expenses	<u>31</u>	<u>577</u>
Rugby Manager, Coach & Player Funding		
Rugby Manager – Salary	58875	47172
Rugby Manager – Mot Veh Expenses	2098	2536
Development Officer – Salary	27646	26329
Strappers / Physio	11928	14223
Superannuation & Workcover	6575	6599
Travel & Accomodation	640	—
Sundry Expenses	<u>1140</u>	<u>2407</u>
	<u>108902</u>	<u>99266</u>
Ground Staff		
Groundsman – Contract Fees	<u>4347</u>	<u>3255</u>
Southside Bingo Expenses		
Session Hire	60248	56625
Promoters Fees	5340	5340
Bingo & Raffle Tickets	<u>8689</u>	<u>7149</u>
	<u>74277</u>	<u>69114</u>
Can Shop		
Purchases – Beer and Soft Drinks	17689	17924
Purchases – Merchandise	<u>1395</u>	<u>2406</u>
	<u>19084</u>	<u>20330</u>
Total Expenses	389513	389776
Excess of Income over Expenditure	20201	(27168)



TRINITY PREMIER RUGBY - GRAND FINAL



Brothers

1	Dan Kilmartin
2	Adam Bennie
3	Adrian Dixon
4	Matt Dews
5	Liam Shaw
6	Andrew Shaw
7	David Croft
8	Simon Price
9	Brendan McKibbin (C)
10	Dallan Murphy
11	Anthony Sauer
12	Nathanuel Gendle
13	James Harvey
14	Angus McLean
15	Damon Murphy
16	Dugald Asprey
17	Jordan Bennie
18	Sean Ryan
19	Jules McLaughlin
20	Tom Collins
21	Paul Doneley/Matt Anderton
22	Anthony Pyers
HC	Rob Murdoch
C	Des Kissane / Paul Healy
M	John Druery

Please note that the Trinity Premier Grand Final will be shown in full on Queensland Community TV (Bris 31) at 3pm next Saturday August 23



3pm Sunday 17th August 2008



East

1	Sam Cummins
2	Jade Ingham (c)
3	Pat Ritchie
4	Adam Preocanin
5	Lachlan Walker
6	Luke Bertini
7	Phil Braban
8	David Jessiman
9	Curtis Franks
10	Matt Brandon
11	Aidan Toua
12	Herman Porter
13	Pale Toelupe
14	David Lucas
15	Andrew Walker
16	James Charalambous
17	Sio Kite
18	Jack Turley
19	Tom Simpson
20	Weston Higgins
21	Coen Ladewig
22	Ben Spearritt
HC	Pat Richards
C	Andrew Scotney / David Hanham
M	Mark Kennedy

Referees

Referee: Paul Marks
Assistant Referee: Stephen Hill
Assistant Referee: Craig Hills