



2018 Yearbook



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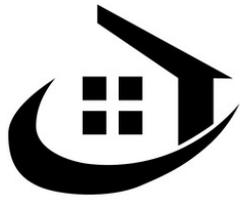




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President's Report



Dave Sheargold

We started the 2018 season a little different this year, hosting the inaugural Friday Night Nines competition at Boystown Oval. The 9 a side comp attracted teams from all over Sydney and gave us a chance to christen the clubs canteen trailer and field 2 Bosco sides for the tournament, with our Bosco Blue Team coming out winners and taking home the first trophy of the year. It was a great success that we look forward to building on next year.

As the season approached we held the first club event of the year, our 2018 Season Launch. It was a huge night with several hundred kids and parents attending. The Rugby League trials this year were bigger than ever, with 7 clubs involved, 4 fields running, and playing over 70 games over two weekends. The Girls Touch League trials were hosted at Kareela by the Joeys and allowed our under 11s to work on their new combinations for the season ahead.

Both team and player numbers were up on last year, with well over 200 registered players and with the continuing growth of the Girls Touch League things look positive as we move forward. The increased numbers gave us the chance to host over 300 games at Boystown Oval and a big thanks has to go to Brad Edwards our field marker, his lines were getting straighter as the year went on and by semi-final time he was giving us the only Pink fields in the shire for the girls games. It's a job that goes greatly unnoticed but we all appreciate Brad's time spent on Friday nights and Saturday afternoons marking fields ready for the next day's play.

As a club, we rely on sponsors and this season was no exception, Gav Clinch, Adam Wrightson and Simon Gilroy did a great job securing individual sponsors for each team but also major club sponsors generating a record amount in sponsorship. A huge thanks must go out to FBH Maintenance, Sutherland Holden and Kore Real Estate, these plus all our other sponsors do so much for the club and allow us the opportunity to give back to the kids as much as we can and hopefully they can see their impact on and off the field. Thanks again.

The club got behind "beanies for brain cancer" again this year and managed to raise \$4000 for a great cause. Our Mother's day flowers and cupcakes were another hit this year and is something our fantastic Mums deserve after all the running around to training games etc they do all year as well as enjoying our annual Ladies dinner out.

We held our mid-season encouragement awards at a new venue this year, Club on East at Sutherland, with over 250 kids attending it was a roaring success and even though it looked chaotic, we were in full control most of the time. This success allowed our major fundraiser for the year, The Annual Sportsman Luncheon, to be held there as well, and the nervousness of a change of venue can be put to rest as Brad Wardrobe, Greg Edwards, Grant Raper, Chris Bryant and Darren Price out did themselves once again with 300 people attending and raising huge amounts.

When the season kicked off it gave us a chance to unveil our newest "toy" the electronic scoreboard. It proved a great addition to the game day experience but added to the nerves in close games if the scores were close and time running out. Thanks to all our managers who had a crash course on the sideline on how to use the remote, you all know now as much as I do on how to use it.

When we look back over the season we had 26 teams start the season, out of that we had 8 teams in the finals, 5 moving on to Grand Finals and the mighty 10Bs coming out Premiers for 2018. Well done Shannon and the boys on a well-deserved win and congratulations to all our semi-finalists and grand finalists and also to Adam Helmrich who produced an undefeated season for one of our under 7 GTL teams.

A seasons success isn't always measured by the number of wins but how the kids grow as players and within their teams and there's no greater showing of the Bosco spirit than when we can watch a hard fought game only to watch players back up for a second game to help out their mates and support their club. A special thanks to Nate Ryan, Harley Brown, Beau Duggan, Will Price and Lincoln Cooper to name a few. These boys helped out other teams on several occasions and more than once were instrumental in helping with a win. Due to the way numbers for teams worked out this year I'd like to thank Dax Helmrich, Richie Lawler, Sam Gilroy, Sam Patton and Mia Fogarty. These are some of the kids who played up an age or in teams that were short a player or two and handled themselves brilliantly. We were also lucky enough to find our very own club social media star in one of our new coaches, #coachjennybrown she now has her online following which has grown every week and her merchandise line is due next year.

I was lucky enough to watch every team this year, whether it was at Boystown Oval or another field and I saw some great footy and very excited parents. I was at the game when Keelan from the U6s scored his first try and watched as Payton from the U7 girls scored multiple tries on more than one occasion. The U9 boys had a tough start to the season but finished the season strong, even having time to represent Bosco on the footy show.

One of the games of the year was the Annual Val Kearns Shield between one of our U8 Bosco teams and the U8 Engadine team. It was a tight one all the way to the end with our boys taking out the win and playing the game in the spirit it was intended.

The U14s had another stellar season and continue to be the benchmark on how a team should train and play, being unlucky to be knocked out in the semis. The most excited coach this season would be Gerry from the u13 GTL. They had their first win this season and it was hard to know who was more excited coach or player? Our U13 Boys were dominate all year showing a special kind of toughness by playing the whole season with no reserves and still managing to get to the GF, but unluckily couldn't take it out, still a fantastic effort. The U11As continued to improve this season giving plenty of the other teams a good run and narrowly missed the semi-finals.

The 11Cs also improved this season getting their first win in a little while and celebrations ran well into the night after that victory. With 2 of the 3 U11 GTL teams making the semis we were treated to a Bosco v Bosco game in the semis, with team 1 getting the win and making it all the way to the GF. The 12As struggled early but turned their season around to become the JRLs most improved team of 2018.

The U10s had 2 teams this year with both making the finals the B's going on to become Premiers and our Cs having a tough loss in the semis but a great showing from that age group. Some of the most entertaining training sessions was one of our GTL U9 teams who while also showing plenty of improvement on the field the girls also showed their Coach Damien how important good form is when doing a hand stand.

Our older teams were merged with other clubs this year with the 16s becoming EYBC a 4 club entity which came together as the year went on and had a tough loss in the GF but still did us all proud. The Emerging Cup Team once again showed that they are strong across the park with the players putting in some great performances during the season and put up a tough fight on grand final day. Thank you to all the clubs involved in making these teams work.

Thank you to all the Players, Coaches, Trainers and Managers for putting 100% all season and representing the Bosco Bulldogs all over the shire and beyond. The Executive this year did another fantastic job and the countless hours that go unnoticed are greatly appreciated by me and everyone within the club, so to Paul Gilbert, Michelle Price, Adam Wrightson and Mel Bryant, Thank you, because with your combined efforts the club would not be in the position it is today.

Lastly some special thanks to Nicole Monkton for coming on as the club Registrar, Nicole Wrightson for looking after gear and yearbook, Toby and Nat Sammut for coordinating the canteen and club events throughout the year, TK for all the early morning set ups, and game day help, Kel Kearney for sorting trophies, Simon Gilroy for doing any job asked of him during the season and my wife Kelly, not only sorting the club records but also not getting to angry with me for spending so much time at the field. Hope to see you all back next year.

Thanks Dave.



A few of the Grand Final coaches including Shannon, Brad & Mick from the winning 10B's

Secretary's Report



Michelle Price

Another great season for the mighty Bosco Bulldogs. We fielded teams of 14 junior boys, 8 junior girls and 4 senior boys with team numbers continue to remain strong and increase each year.

Our girls tag league grew almost double from last year, which was great to see so many new girls coming on board to our club. With the girls tag league continuing to grow in the CSJRL competition, Bosco Bulldogs continue to be one of the most dedicated clubs to the competition and this was reflected in us hosting a total of 100 games this year. On the topic of girls touch league, who can forget or did you know that Bosco is the first club in the CSJRL to have pink line markings? This is all thanks to Brad Edwards who, in addition to marking our lines pink on occasions, walked a massive 12,000 steps overall during the season whilst marking our fields. Thanks Brad.

Congratulations to our Under 10Bs who are our Premiers for 2018 and our Under 12A's who were award the JRL Most Improved Team for 2018 and to all our teams, congratulations on a great season representing our club, hope you enjoyed the season and see you next year.

Overall this year, we have hosted a massive 300 games at Boystown and this includes the pre-season Friday Night 9s competition and 2 days of trial games. To host this many games takes a lot of dedication and effort by our committee members and volunteers to set up and run the day and I would like to thank Toby Sammut, our Canteen Coordinator and everyone else who contributed to making this happen with a special mention to Ron Stanmore who could be seen on many weekends helping out on set up/pack up, BBQ and/or canteen, welcome to the club Ronnie!

An integral part of keeping our club running is our sponsors and you may not know that this year our club has had the highest sponsorship the club has ever had and this is all thanks to awesome Sponsorship committee which includes Simon Gilroy, Gavin Clinch and Adam Wrightson. Great work guys! A special thanks to all our new and returning sponsors for continuing to support our club. Your contribution is greatly appreciated and we hope to see you all back again next year.

Reflecting back over the season our club achieved a lot during that time. In case you might have missed it, here is a quick recap:

Friday Night 9s - Pre-season kicked off early with the first ever NSWRL Fright Night 9s Competition with our boys winners of the overall competition and taking away the premiership trophy. Games across 4 Friday Nights in late February and early March, the new Canteen Trailer was christened, jumping castles and face painting for the kids and this is all a recipe for 4 fun Friday nights watching the footy.

New Scoreboard - Our new scoreboard arrived just in time for the season to start and has been such a great addition to our club. Just like our new canteen trailer, which arrived late last year, we were lucky enough to be successful in another government grant to enable us to purchase the scoreboard. Finally we can all know the score and time remaining from the sideline!

Sharks Display Games – Many of our teams had the opportunity to be apart of display games at Shark Park either before the main game or during. Our club even got to have some airtime on TV with our under 8s running out with the Sharks, did you see them? I wont forget the face of Dylan Sammut from the Under 8 Silver looking back at his idol Paul Gallen, all captured on the big screen.

Small Talk on The Footy Show – Our Under 9s were lucky enough to be chosen to have a session with Daryl Brohman from Channel 9s The Footy Show and appear in his segment Small Talk. The boys all had a great time and lots of laughs. Thanks to The Footy Show and Channel 9 for the \$1000 donation for the club.

The 22nd Annual Sportsman Lunch – Brad Wardrobe and the Luncheon committee pulled off yet another successful sportsman luncheon for the club this year. Even with a new venue, we still managed to get the same amount of attendees and it was a great success. Keeping doing what you do guys, cause you do it awesome!

Fundraising Initiatives – We hosted numerous fundraising initiatives for 2 of our club families and also for Beansies for Brain Cancer. It's was great to see our club contributing to helping our community and getting behind these great initiatives. Special thanks to Nat Sammut, Mel Bryant and the Social Committee.

Mother's Day Round – The Mother's Day committee hosted another awesome Mother's Day Round with thanking our mums with flowers straight from the farm and lots of yummy cupcakes. Big thanks to Nicole Pieterse for picking the flowers straight from the farm, Jodi Ryan and Kelly Sheargold for being our official club cupcake makers (which tasted delicious) and Mel Bryant who is our official cutter and sticker on over 200 flower tags. All our mums play such an important part to our club. Thank you to you all.

And the rest of the busy season and what we can fit in between playing footy included Pre-season launch, Encouragement Awards, Ladies Dinner, JRL Parade at Shark Park, Sharks Blitz at Boystown and Shane Flanagan session at Shark Park for 13Bronze. Thanks to everyone who contributed to making these events happen. You know who you are, pat yourself on the back, well done.

A special mention goes out to Adam Wrightson, our Club Photographer. It's such a nice feeling seeing special moments captured of your kids on the field and in our club we are lucky enough to have our own in-house photographer doing just that. Outside of his executive committee role of Treasurer, Adam is also our official Club Photographer and more recently appointed JRL Official Photographer. A big thanks to Adam for all the special moments you have captured both on the field and off during the season and shared with our families.

Lastly, thanks to our Mr President, Dave Sheargold. Dave your dedication to the club throughout the season has been exceptional. People may not realise how much time is required from Dave to keep us running but I'm sure everyone at the club would agree when I say that we, the club, appreciate everything that you do Dave, thanks! And that's a wrap...as 2018 season comes to an official close, I wish everyone an enjoyable and relaxing off season, Merry Christmas, enjoy summer the holidays and hope to see you all back again next year.

Thanks Michelle.



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2014 - 2018

This year our u13 Bronze were privileged to play in a special Anzac Day game at Sylla Bay oval against the Como Crocodiles. It was a great honor to be part of the pre-match tribute to our fallen war heroes. The Como team wore a special Anzac Day Jersey and the game as you would expect was played in the spirit fitting the occasion. Plans are being made for Bosco to also get an Anzac Day jersey for 2019 and for this game against Como to become an annual event.





Val Kearns Shield 2018

The ten year anniversary of the Val Kearns Shield Was an absolute nail biter till the dying minute. BoysTown oval was at its best with the winter sun in full shine - Val Kearns would have been so pleased with the turn out. Such great spirit and sportsmanship shown by both teams. The crowd were on the edge of their seats till the dying seconds of the fourth quarter as Bosco staged a come from behind win to take out the shield in 2018, 16 points to 14.





Friday Night Football Pre Season 9's

The 2018 season started with a 4 week Open 9 a-side competition played at Boystown Oval. It was a party atmosphere with a DJ, jumping castle and face painting for the kids. In the inaugural year it was Bosco who claimed the trophy. This start of season tournament is set to become an annual event and Bosco will be hosting again when it returns in 2019.



Bosco Spirit Mothers Day

Every year the Bosco Bulldogs raise money for the Mark Hughes Foundation by selling beanies for Brain Cancer and Kelly Sheargold and Jody Ryan make their world famous cup-cakes.

We celebrate all the Mums on Mothers Day - nobody does it quite like Bosco, giving flowers to all the Mums who visit Boystown Oval over that special weekend in May.

under 6 Purple



Coach
Christian Eshman

Assistant Coach: Steve Conlon

Manager: Peter Gosling

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Hayden Curry

Coaches Award: Mason
Hayes-Conway

Most Improved: Jax Pogson

Our first year together was a fantastic season full of new friendships, fun and laughter. Our boys bonded from the start and considering all boys were playing their first season of Rugby League (any sport actually) and they didn't know anyone including the coach and manager, it was great to see each boy grow in confidence around their team mates as the season progressed. We have no doubt their friendships will grow even more over the next few years.

Every boy scored a try or two this year, which was great seeing their smiling faces when they did. High fives were always on offer when a try was scored. They all improved massively throughout the year whether it was running with the ball, palming off defenders or tackling. The Most Improved Award was the hardest to award, as every single boy deserved it.

Congratulations to Hayden Curry for his Best and Fairest Award. Hayden was a clear winner of this award. He scored more tries than anyone else and no doubt would have made the most tackles.



HUNTER CONLON

Hunter was a pleasure to coach and always tried his best. Hunter often played a full back type roll and his cover defence was a highlight of the season. Hunter was also keen to get into dummy half like a young Robbie Farah. Hunter picked up the mid-season Encouragement Award which was well-deserved. Thanks for a great season Hunter. You are a pleasure to coach.

HAYDEN CURRY

Hayden picked up a well-deserved Best and Fairest award. He scored more tries than he was tackled and in defence he tackled everything that moved. His bright yellow head gear and orange boots were always flashing around the field in a blur. He is a Valentine Holmes in the making with his evasive running skills. Well done on a great season and your award Hayden.

DAWSON ESHMAN

Dawson was one of our more vocal boys at training always willing to offer his suggestions for drills and he enjoyed his first year. Dawson's strength was his heel-toe play the ball technique. One of the best in the business. It puts Paul Gallen's play-the-ball technique to shame. Well done Dawson. I look forward to watching your progression next season.

MASON HAYES-CONWAY

The Coaches Award went to Mason and he was a pleasure to coach. He was a great runner with a strong palm. Mason also would tackle anything that moved and had a great kick on him as well. With all these skills Mason will be the next Wade Graham. Mason will also be remembered for always wearing his mouth guard even if he wasn't playing. Well done on a great season and your award.

MADDOX NOBBS

Maddox was one of our quicker players who could out run most players in our comp. Maddox was equally as good at running as he was at tackling and he often did some great last grasp tackles to stop a try. Maddox has all the skills to be a great player, a bit like a young Matt Moylan. Great work Maddox and I hope you stick at Rugby League.

ARCHIE NUNN

Over the season Archie grew in confidence and he became one of our best defenders. He would go in low and hard bringing a lot of bigger boys to the ground. Some of Archie's tackles were Sam Burgess like. He also ran straight and hard and his palming technique was one of the best in the team. Well done Archie. Your enthusiasm was always a highlight.

CARTER POGSON

Carter was one of our quieter kids until he crossed the white line. As soon as he was on the field he turned into a rugby league machine. He tackled hard, ran hard and always tried his best. He was Mick Ennis like with his white line fever. Well done Carter. Your spirit is a pleasure to coach.

JAX POGSON

Our Most Improved Award went to the powerhouse that is Jax. Thankfully he wore grey boots which helped the coaching staff know the difference between him and his brother. Jax tried his very best every game and what he lacked in size he made up in heart, a bit like Kalyn Ponga. He wouldn't think twice about running at and getting tackled by bigger kids. Keep up the great work.

KAIUS SAUVAN

Our youngest player at only four, Kaius came a long way this season. He always wanted to run and as the season went on he tackled more and more. Kaius has the honour of scoring the longest range try this season. Kaius will be a future Luke Lewis with both his running and tackling skills. Still with another two season's in the Under 6's, Kaius will be a powerhouse to come. Well done.

Congratulations to Mason Hayes-Conway for his Coaches Award. He scored the second most tries and this award was well deserved.

Congratulations to Jax Pogson for the Most Improved Award. His progression from the first trial where he spent wrapped around his parent's legs to the last game of the season was huge.

One of the highlights of the season was the gala day on Shark Park. We were not sure who was more excited, us or the boys.

We would like to thank Steve Conlon for helping with training and on game day. Your assistance was a massive help and very much appreciated. Also the assistance and support from every parent was very much appreciated. You were always offering an encouraging word, with every one of you always there to help us and the boys. Also thank you for helping when we had duty as we were never short of volunteers.

We would also like to thank Dave Sheargold, Michelle Price as well as all committee members for your support throughout the year. It can be a bit daunting for first year players as well as parents letting our babies go and play a contact sport for the first time but the club was always there for support and advice.

Our last thank you goes to the nine boys that played this year. You are all a credit to yourselves and your parents. We are so very proud to be part of the start of your rugby league playing days and we look forward to being part of your Rugby League journey in the years to come whether it be coach, manager or sideline supporter.

See you all next year boys.
Christian and Peter.





BOSCO BULLDOGS JRLFC



2018

Back Row L-R: Peter Gosling (Manager), Mason Hayes-Conway, Maddox Nobbs, Dawson Eshman, Christian Eshman (Coach)

Front Row: Hayden Curry, Hunter Conlon, Kaius Sauvan, Jax Pogson

Absent: Archie Nunn, Carter Pogson



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6 PURPLE

under 6 Bronze



Coach
Rich Fogarty

Trainer: Matt Clinch
Corey Wishart

Managers: Adam & Clair
Helmrich

Award winners

"Sean Ryan" Perpetual Trophy
Nash White

Best & Fairest: Nash White

Coaches Award: Henry Hoy

Most Improved: Harry Fogarty

Well what a bunch of characters we have here. I can picture these little guys being great mates in years to come. As a bunch of boys you have all become so close and it is a pleasure to coach you. As for the footy there is a large amount of talent in our team and I can't wait to see you progress in the future. We've got a bit of size, speed and a lot of heart.

We had 9 spectacular wins for the season. There's also been some great signs of playing as a team with our boys off-loading in tackles and showing awareness to back up. Along with a great team we have a supportive bunch of parents with everyone helping out during the year with our trainers Corey and Matt and Adam and Clair managing the team. Thank you all and see you next year.



KAINAN CHAPMAN

Kainan only played 5 games for us due to living arrangements; however, in these 5 games the development was rapid. Kainan managed to bag a number of tries with his size and speed. He will be a big asset to our team next year. Kainan wasn't able to even train with our boys this year but when he does the opposition better look out.

CONNOR GAVIN

Connor's improvement this year has been great seeing him make some great tackles. He got a lot more involved this year, making some really strong runs throughout the season. My favourite moment was seeing Connor run the full length of the field against a very strong De La Salle, nearly beating the whole team along the way.

TAJ HELMRICH

Taj lives and breathes footy and never missed a game or training session all year. When he's not playing or training you'll find him and Harry running around Bosco Oval tackling each other. Taj had a great year stepping in and out of defenders and loves a sneaky blindside run or a scoot to the try line. He also loves a cover tackle saving numerous tries. Great season Taj.

HENRY HOY

Big Hen had a great year with many strong running tries. This boy has the biggest fend in his age group and on a number of occasions left boys on their backs looking at the sky. Henry also tackles hard and is looking like a future backrower. Well done on a fabulous year Henry. Looking forward to seeing you next year.

HARRY FOGARTY

Harry doesn't let his size get in the way and tackles anything that moves. Picking bigger opponents up and throwing them to the ground is his specialty. As the year wore on and, with Jackson missing, I needed him to stand up and he excelled including making the first 5 straight tackles in a game against Como. Harry is also good on his feet with a good step and shows great awareness that helped him score a good number of tries. When caught with the ball the boys realised Harry would slip an offload also leading to more tries. Great year Harry.

HENDRIX JACQUES

Hendrix is our big prop in the making. Big, strong and when he wants to be, fast. Hendrix was great in attack while also strong in defence, developing through the season a good offload. Hendrix is going to be a force to be reckoned with. Awesome year Hendrix.

CARTER SMITH

Our youngest footballer and possibly our biggest character. Carter just grew and grew as the year went on. On his good day he was prepared to tackle everyone. However, his attack is his strength being very fast. His weaving runs were a highlight. A future Val Holmes.

KEELAN STYLES-FLEMING

Keelan had his first year of Rugby League this year. He looked like he loved every minute of it. This boy is tough as nails and copped a couple of big hits during the season. Keelan would always get to his feet, play the ball and move on. Keelan saved his best game till last where he set up 2 tries with great offloads.

NASH WHITE

Well where do you start with Nash. Big, strong and fast. Very athletic with a body built for league. Nash played in every game for us this year and was a pleasure to coach. He is a handful to tackle and if he doesn't burn you on the outside for speed he'll cut you up the middle. At times I had to hold Nash back against the weaker sides for their own safety. In defence, Nash is also very strong and if there was a break from the other team you knew Nash would be there to make another incredible cover tackle. A very deserved player of the year.

JACKSON WISHART

What a great year Jacko was having until a training accident led to a broken collarbone. One of our best players, Jackson was excelling. In defence, one of our best, he is not afraid to tackle anyone and on one occasion decided to single out the biggest boy we've seen in the U/6. Jackson continuously knocked him down. He is also good with the ball in hand and creates weaving runs. I can't wait to see you back next year.





BOSCO BULLDOGS JRLFC

2018

6 Bronze



Back Row L-R: Richard Fogarty (Coach), Nash White, Hendrix Jaques, Henry Hoy, Adam Helmrich (Manager)
Front Row: Harry Fogarty, Keelan Styles-Fleming, Carter Smith, Taj Helmrich, Jackson Wishart
Absent: Conner Gavin, Kalnan Chapman



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AGM Notice

AGM ON Wednesday 24th October 2018, 7.30pm at Engadine Bowling Club.

NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICE BEARERS & COMMITTEE MEMBERS MUST BE GIVEN IN WRITING OR BY EMAIL TO THE SECRETARY MICHELLE PRICE (boscojrlsecretary@gmail.com) AT LEAST 7 DAYS PRIOR TO THE AGM.

Club Constitution Clause 13. Notice of any other business for consideration at the AGM except for matters arising under clauses 34-37 (Alteration of constitution), shall be given in writing to the Secretary at least seven (7) days prior to the day of the meeting. Such notice shall state the specific business proposed shall be signed by the proposer and the seconder and the Secretary shall include such business in the notice of the meeting.

EXECUTIVE POSITIONS

Club Constitution Clause 22. All members must serve at least two years on the General Committee before they can be nominated for any Executive positions.

President
Secretary
Treasurer
Assistant Secretary
Senior Liaisons Manager
Gear Manager
Registrar
Publicity Officer
Website
Youth Centre Representative
Registrar

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Sun Ground Setup
Sponsorship
Child Protection Rep
Social Committee
Recorder
Canteen Committee
Youth Centre
JRL Reps



Coaching applications

BOSCO BULLDOGS JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE SEASON 2019

Applications are open for Coaches for the 2019 season.

Closing date 30 November 2018. Coaches are required from the Under 6's right through to Seniors. All applicants must hold a current coaching certificate or be willing to undertake the appropriate course at your earliest convenience.

Nominations will only be accepted on the coaching form available from the website or by emailing the club secretary at: boscojrlsecretary@gmail.com

ALL NOMINATIONS ARE CONFIDENTIAL THANKYOU
The Executive



Finals 2018

The Bosco Bulldogs had 8 teams make the semi-finals this year including the u10C, u10B, u13Bronze, u14 Gold, u16 Gold, Emerging Cup & our GTL u11div1-1 and u11div1-2. All teams bar the u10C, u14 Gold and the u11div1-2 girls made it into the Grand Final. Of the 4 teams we had play in Grand Finals it was only our mighty u10B's who brought home the premiership. Notwithstanding it was a great effort by all of our teams - they certainly did their club, coaches and families very proud.



under 7 Silver



Coach
Rob Hayes-Conway

Assistant Coach: Andrew Perry

Manager: Jess Perry

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Ashton
Hayes-Conway

Coaches Award: Travis Holborow

Most Improved: Talan Kiellor



Great effort by the boys this year. The coaching staff and parents are all very proud of all your efforts. We often played above our weight, especially with little or no reserves for most of the season.

The boys never gave up and were always keen to have a run – right up to the full time whistle. It was also pleasing seeing everyone scoring a try! It took until the very last round but we got there in the end.

A special shout out to all the parents who helped in with coaching, training and scoring. It really was a team effort!

KITANO FUIFUI

Kitano is a strong and powerful boy who grew more confident as the year went on. Made some great runs and tackles and always put his hand up to do the hard work. Kitano always gave his best and never gave up. Great work!

ASHTON HAYES-CONWAY

Ashton tried his guts out every week and never let the team down. Whether running out of our own end or making tackles on our try line, Ashton was always there in the thick of it. Ashton always came off the field knowing he gave 100%. Awesome effort!

TRAVIS HOLBOROW

Travis is another one of those players who always finished the game knowing he gave 100%. Not many got past Travis in defence and he chased many players down before they could score a try. Travis also made plenty of yards with his hard running game. You smashed it mate!

JOEL KEARNEY

Joel was one of our popular dummy halves who knew the game well and lead the team around the park. Joel made a habit of making reading the opposition and knowing where to be to make try saving tackles. Joel also providing the team a much need lift with his inspiring runs. Good stuff!

TALAN KIELLOR

It was great seeing Talan score in the last game, as no one deserved it more. Talan always played well above his weight and never shirked away from doing the hard work. Talan is one of those boys that always listened at training and did everything that was asked of him. Thanks Talan – Nice work.

JORDAN PERRY

Jordan is a deceptively strong player who bumped and barged through the opposition. Jordan also developed into a handy defensive player making some great one-on-one tackles. Great job mate!

NASH WARREN

Nash turned into our secret weapon and go-to man towards the end of the year! Nash always gave 100% whether training or playing and once he realised his full potential half way through the year was absolutely unstoppable. Well done!





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7 SILVER

Back Row L-R: Rob Hayes-Conway (Coach), Kitano Fulful, Nash Warren, Jordan Perry, Jessica Perry (Manager)
Front Row: Talan Kiellor, Ashton Hayes-Conway, Travis Holborow, Joel Kearney



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under 7 Gold



Coach
Paul Duggan

Trainer: Reece Stoneham

Manager: Brooke Duggan

Award winners

"Trevor Lawrence" Perpetual
Trophy winner - Corey Duggan

Best & Fairest: Corey Duggan

Coaches Award: Flynn Letton

Most Improved: Riley Mackenzie



It was such a pleasure being involved with this under 7 Gold team who came together as a relatively new team this year. We started the season off with a bang winning our first 3 games very convincingly, followed by the 4th round playing Cronulla Caringbah and getting beat by only 4 points. Round 7 saw us regraded into the gold division and the coach having to leave the field with the boys and having to organise themselves out in the middle.

This was a lot tougher for the boys but I really believe they improved so much more each game. We were all so proud of the way they handled themselves on and off the field. They showed up at each training session and tried really hard both in attack and defence each and every game.

As a coach you want your boys to grow, learn and show resilience and I think they did that in bucket loads.

JAKE BECKET

Jake was such a pleasure to coach, always attentive at training and willing to listen and learn. This reflected in how well he played on the field every week. Although quietly spoken Jake was like a pocket rocket with some great breakthrough running resulting in some awesome tries. Well done Jake.

LEVI CONLON

Levi's first year with our club and what an outstanding year he had especially round 3 when he scored a hat trick of tries in one game. His running really improved throughout the year. He was always keen to talk about the game highlights at each break and post-match. Well done buddy.

LACHLAN DOHERTY

Lachy had a solid year really developing throughout and finishing the year on fire. He always tried really hard in his defensive game and came away with lots of awesome tackles. Great work Lachy.

COREY DUGGAN

Corey enjoys organising the team and all the boys really looked up to him this year. He stood by his nickname "Superfast" scoring a good number of tries in the season, an indication of just how much he loves his footy. He reads the game well both in attack and defence. Great year Corey.

FLYNN LETTON

Flynn had a great year and showed that he is a handful to stop, dragging 3 players along with him as he continues to run through the middle of the opposition to score tries. He always plays the game in a great spirit, never stops trying and his tackling improved as he became more confident each week. Well done Flynn.

RILEY MACKENZIE

Riley produced a solid year throughout and developed his skills accordingly as the season went on. Lots of strong running and some blinding cover tackles in defence. Riley was always keen to get the ball and have a run and as the season went on he showed more enthusiasm. He ended the year very strong – well done buddy.

RYAN PRICE

For someone's first year at footy it looked like Ryan had been playing for years. Over the season Ryan managed to score a number of tries and we missed him on the few matches he had soccer commitments. Ryan played fearlessly in defence and showed a lot of determination in attack. Great year of footy Ryan.

We had many tears but also a lot more laughs throughout the year and I couldn't be prouder of the way our boys represented the club in every game they played. I must thank my wife, Brooke, for managing the team this year and making sure parents and the coaching staff knew what was going on from week to week.

I'd also like to thank Reece for stepping in as trainer this year, making training nights extra fun and warming them up before each game as well as helping me on the sideline at the games. A big thanks also to all the parents for helping when I couldn't be at training or the games and for your commitment to BBQ and canteen duties as required. Lastly, thank you to this great bunch of boys for giving their best every week and making it such an enjoyable year.





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2018

7 GOLD



Back Row L-R: Brooke Duggan (Manager), Flynn Letton, Riley Mackenzie, Corey Duggan, Paul Duggan (Coach)
Front Row: Ryan Price, Levi Conlon, Lachlan Doherty, Jake Becket



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under 8 Bronze



Coach
Chris Lambert

Trainer: Jason Gates

Manager: Belinda Stanmore

Award winners

**"Ryan Hartley" Perpetual Trophy
winner - Max Pretty**

Best & Fairest: William Lambert

Coaches Award: Zeplin Sauvan

Most Improved: Ben Rooke



JASPER DARLOW

Jasper has shown plenty of potential, especially as his confidence was built in the first couple of games. One of his tries this season saw him step right through the middle of the opposition showing what a great player he really is. With this confidence, Jasper then developed as a strong defensive player making great contributions to the team and being involved in the tackling duties in every set. Great season Jasper!

JACK FOGARTY

Jack has been a great member of our team, he never missed a training session and he is always working on improving his game. Jack is one of the stronger boys in the team, using that strength to tackle the defence and bring them to the ground. It personally has been great to see him improve and take control of assisting in the teams attack and directing the team in defence to 'Spread out'. Well done Jack!

NATE GATES

Nate is the steady ball controller, he found his calling early at first receiver and in nearly every set he was there for Ben at dummy half and organised his 'rockets' well to take up the ball. He also managed to score some great tries throughout the season. A great listener at training and is first to do whatever is required by the boys, a real pleasure to coach such a well-mannered and consistent player. Great Season Nate!

WILLIAM LAMBERT

Will played an important role in our side and more often was the first hit-up of each set, and first defender to the attacking player. His strong no-nonsense and fearless style of running always got the team going forward. Will has strength, speed and balance, when executed right allowed him to break the line of defence of all the teams he played, and scored many tries throughout the year. A real natural footballer and a joy to watch on the field. Awesome season Will!

What an awesome team to be involved in this year, we've had a great season together. It started off slow with some tough games, though as our team worked together we found our positions, we started to win a number of big games together and never looked back. The improvement throughout the year was evident in every player.

There were length of the field tries scored, strong runs that had the defenders left on the ground as we broke their line and some smart instinctive plays that bamboozled the opposition. We had some solid wins, though it was the tight games where our defence won us the game. The development and improvement in our defence each week was really pleasing to see as a coach and I am very proud of every player.

After every game you can see each team member was tired, hurt, sweaty and dirty though they all had a smile on their face and you can see how much they enjoyed playing together. I know I did.

MAX PRETTY

Max's defence was ruthless and his attack is hard. He is one of our work horses in the team, setting a great example of what to do in every game. He demonstrates great footwork and is a consistent strong runner of the football. He is always part of our defensive line and rarely misses a tackle. He has a big heart and is a team player, Max's positive attitude to the game filters onto his teammates every week. What a great member of our team – well done Max!

BEN ROOKE

We didn't have a dummy half in the first couple of games, then we found Ben and 'WOW' did he do a great job! Ben was always first to the tackle and gave great service to the first receiver. He was able to score some long range tries too, showing his speed up and down the field. Watching his confidence grow as he found his position was very rewarding as a coach. He played a very important role in the team and is always committed to training. One of the most consistent players we have, a real Cameron Smith in the making. Keep up the great work Ben!

ZEPLIN SAUVAN

Zeplin has footy in his bones and at his age, he already has the fundamentals of being a great player. As the team's leading try scorer, he was always on the hunt for the ball and when he got it in his hands, look out! He would always manage to run right through the opposition's defence and no one could catch him. Zeplin was also great at saving tries, with a fantastic tackling technique, his shoulder into the hips of the oncoming player, they rarely got past him. Zeplin has had a fantastic year and will go on to be an amazing player. Well done on a fantastic season Zeplin!

BAILEY STANMORE

Bailey has demonstrated a great attitude and willingness to learn to develop his game. He has improved a lot throughout the season and his defensive efforts have grown stronger with every game. Bailey's attacking game took a short time to get going and gain confidence though when he had the ball in his hand there were few players that can match his speed. He has shown to be a very handy player to the team. Well Done Bailey!

I'm sure I can say that all the parents, grandparents and other spectators watching the team also enjoyed every game, as did I.

A big thank you to Jason Gates, the Team Trainer, and Belinda Stanmore, the Team Manager, for their contributions to the team that helped at all levels and made everything come together. Thank you to all the parents who got the boys to every training session and came to all the games, helped out with Canteen and BBQ duty, you made it a fun season and it was a real pleasure to be involved in this team. Well done and congratulations to all.





BOSCO BULLDOGS JRLFC

2018



8 BRONZE

Back Row L-R: Jason Gates (Trainer), Belinda Stanmore (Manager), Bailey Stanmore, Jack Fogarty, Ben Rooke, Chris Lambert (Coach)
Front Row: Nate Gates, Jasper Darlow, Max Pretty, Zeplin Sauvan, William Lambert



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under 8 Silver



Coach
Aaron Nunn

Trainers: Pat Deluca
Jason Coburn

Manager: Natalie Sammut

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Dylan Sammut

Coaches Award: William Gilroy

Most Improved: Nathan Coburn



What a great year it has been for the Under 8 Silver/ Green. The team has had a fantastic season facing some very competitive opposition. It was wonderful to see each individual boy grow and improve as a player.

The boys also started to concentrate and focus more during their games and they are really learning to play more as a team. Often we were slow to start and needed a quarter to settle in before playing some very good quality football.

For some of our quarters our defence line was amazing, keeping the opposition at bay. There is some real talent in this team and I can't wait to see the boys reach their full playing potential. Training has been a challenge at times and the boys still need to come to the understanding that you only play as good as you train.

Some of the boys have played together for a few years now and they are learning to play to each other's strengths.

NATHAN COBURN

Nathan had a fantastic season in 2018! Our speedster on the field, scoring many tries out wide. Nathan really came into his own this year and improved his overall attacking skills. He learned how to stay away from the sideline as he tore up the oppositions defence.

MASON DELUCA

Another amazing year for our Mason. Mason plays every week with plenty of heart, making lots of big hits. Mason is very strong, often standing in a tackle proving very difficult for the opposition to put him down to the ground. A great season Mason!

DASH FERGUSON

Dash had a great season in 2018. Dash improved his defensive skills and he made some fantastic tackles. Dash is keen to run the ball and he made some impressive metres this year. Well done Dash!

WILLIAM GILROY

Gilroy is by far our most gutsy tackler. He plays like a kid twice his size. Will is most determined in defence and he pulled off some amazing tackles on kids double his size. William's quick skills led to many tries from dummy half. A fantastic season in 2018!

WILLIAM JANSSEN

Big Will - our steam train runner! Hard and straight at the opposition is the only way Will knows how to run. Throughout the season, Will improved his tackling and defence skills. Will enjoys goal kicking and he is not bad with the boot! Well Done Will!

BILLY MACDONALD

Billy had another successful season in 2018. His tackling ability really improved and Billy received the Val Kearns Medal. Well done Billy!

COOPER NUNN

Our 2018 Encouragement Award recipient had his best year of footy yet. Cooper has improved in both attack and defence. He was great in first receiver organising the boys and their runs. Congratulations Cooper!

CALLUM POGSON

Callum had a very strong season in 2018. He is fearless for his size, playing like a front rower every week. He makes great yards in attack. Callum is one of our most consistent and enthusiastic players. Well done Callum!

DYLAN SAMMUT

Dylan is one of the most passionate and competitive players wearing a Bosco Bulldogs jersey. He lives and breathes his footy. Dylan enjoys the captain role and he is learning to manage his enthusiasm and emotion on the field. Dylan had another great season in 2018.

The boys are supported by their wonderful parents and families and I wish to thank all of the families for your support throughout the year. Special thanks to Pat Deluca, Jason Coburn and Natalie Sammut for being by my side all year.

There were many highlights throughout the season but the most memorable would have to be the 2018 Val Kearns Shield. What a game! Our narrow 16-14 victory was such a highlight in front of a very enthusiastic crowd.

Finally I would like to thank the boys themselves. What a great bunch of kids. Thank you for your enthusiasm and for giving your best every week. I look forward to seeing you all out on the field again in 2019.





BOSCO BULLDOGS JRLFC

2018



8 SILVER

Back Row L-R: Nat Sammut (Manager), Dash Ferguson, Nathan Coburn, Mason De Luca, Cooper Nunn, Aaron Nunn (Coach)

Front Row: William Gilroy, Dylan Sammut, Billy McDonald, Will Janssen, Callum Pogson



under 9B



Coach
Trent Hill

Trainer: Scott Brown

Manager: Matthew Gapps

Award winners

"Gavin Clinch" Perpetual Trophy winner - Fletcher Brown

Best & Fairest: Fletcher Brown

Coaches Award: Blake Moffitt

Most Improved: Seth Holborow



Starting the year in the A grade competition, the Under 9'S came up against some well drilled opposition teams and suffered some heavy losses early in the season. Despite the lopsided score lines, the boys turned up to training each week with enthusiasm and a genuine interest to improve their game.

The team were re-graded after 5 weeks, which led to a competitive second half of the season and closely contested games that could have gone either way. Throughout the year the team showed plenty of ability in attack and they managed to score more than enough points to win most games.

However, lapses in concentration in defence proved to be the difference between a win and a loss in most cases.

A highlight for the year was the round 11 encounter against De La Sale when the boys combined an outstanding defensive effort with an error free attacking performance to win the game 18-12.

WILL BERGIN

Will had another outstanding year and is one of the most reliable players in the team. He is busy in defence, has great technique and is an evasive runner of the ball. He is a natural footballer who has plenty of talent and will continue to develop into a very good player in the future.

JOSHUA BOWNAS

In his first year at Bosco, Josh was a welcome addition to the team. He picked up the encouragement award at the start of the year and his game continued to improve with every game that he played. He has great ball skills and produced his best games playing in the dummy half role. He is eager to learn and I look forward to seeing him back at Bosco next year.

FLETCHER BROWN

Fletch was again the stand out performer in the U9's this year. Fletch is such a versatile player, he can run the ball around or through the opposition and his defence is brutal. He is developing into an outstanding footballer that can play any position on the park.

DYLAN COOPER

Returning to Bosco in 2018, Dylan is another strong ball runner. Dylan produced his best game's playing in the dummy half role, where he showed off his elusive ball running skills. Dylan shows all the signs of developing into an outstanding footballer and with some extra space on the bigger field we expect him to be a stand out performer next year.

SAM 'G-TRAIN' DUNNE

Sam is a pleasure to coach. His strongest performances for the year were in the first receiver role, where he showed the ability to communicate and organise the boys to get them moving forward in attack. As his confidence increases Sam will continue to see improvement in his game and we are looking forward to seeing what he can do in 2019.

JAMES GAPPS

James was the most improved player last year and he has continued to develop his game in 2018. James runs the ball with plenty of aggression and his low tackling technique was one of the highlights of the 2018 season. We are looking forward to big things from James in 2019.

KALE GATES

In his first year at Bosco, Kale improved as the year progressed and he gained more confidence with each start. At training he showed a fine tackling technique and dummy half is where he produced his best results on game day. The biggest challenge for Kale in the future will be consistently transferring his effort from the training field to game day.

CONNOR GLEESON

Connor missed quite a few games through illness in the first half of the season. When he returned he showed plenty of aggression in both defence and attack. He was focused at training and showed significant improvement with his passing and catching towards the end of the season. Connor continues to improve and we look forward to seeing him back next year.

BLAKE HILL

Blake's greatest attribute is his effort and never say die attitude. His defence improved with each game and he was often making last-ditch efforts to stop tries. With added focus on his catching and passing, Blake will continue to develop into a fine footballer and will benefit from a move to positional play next year.

SETH HOLBOROW

Seth was devastating in attack and one of the better performers in 2018. His bullocking runs frequently took the entire opposition team to halt his progress. Seth has outstanding ball skills and is improving in defence. Once the boys learn to capitalise on Seth's running game and spread the ball, the team could be unstoppable.

JOSHUA LINDSAY

Playing his first year of rugby league, Josh showed improvement in all aspects of his game as the year progressed especially with his ball running. Unfortunately, Josh missed quite a few games and training sessions through illness, however he was enthusiastic to get involved and showed signs of improvement each time he took the field. Good year Josh.

BLAKE MOFFITT

Blake has the ability to be one of the most dangerous ball runners in the competition. Whenever he runs the ball, his speed and agility make him extremely difficult to tackle. He turns up to training each week and is enthusiastic to improve his game. He listens intently at training each week and works hard to develop his skills. Blake is one player who we expect to benefit from the move onto a bigger field next year.

The boys showed plenty of promise and if they can consistently transfer their form from the training paddock to game day, they certainly have the ability to be a formidable force in the Under 10's competition in 2019.

They are a fantastic group of boys who are an absolute pleasure to coach. We hope to see all the boys back at Bosco in 2019. A special thanks to Scott Brown for stepping in throughout the year to help with training and coaching the boys. Also, a big thankyou to our manager Matt for keeping the team organised and to the parents who gave up their time to help with Canteen and BBQ duty.



under 10B

2018 Premiers



Coach
Shannon Burge

Trainers: Brad Edwards
Mick Wilbers

Manager: Kate Thorpe

Award winners

**"Troy Brown" Perpetual Trophy
winner - Harley Brown**

Best & Fairest: Harley Brown

Coaches Award: Cooper Wilbers

Most Improved: Rhys Fletcher



HARLEY "BROWNY" BROWN

Harley is one of our regulars to the squad, playing at Dummy Half and in the Back row. Brownny is by far the heart & soul of our D-Line. He has played above his weight for seasons and is an inspiration to all who think they're too small for footy. His damaging scoots out of dummy half, his tough ball running through the middle & ferocious defence have played havoc on teams this year. Brownny is only starting to peel into his potential and we look forward to what he brings next season. Awesome Year Brownny.

KAYLEM "KAY" BURGE - TEAM CAPTAIN

Kaylem is more so the leader of the fringe crew & can be seen fixing his hair in the middle of games without a second thought. Kaylem played his first full season in the halves and took to it like a duck to water. His running game, and ability to pick up players on a long ball made him an asset to our sides playing style and his form definitely went to the next level through the finals as well. He has had a big year & we look to him to continue the growth of his game into next season and well beyond. Great Season Kay.

JAMES "JIMMY" DEVANEY

Jimmy is another new face to the team who also came in from a big season in the C's the previous year. Jimmy has come a long way from the quiet kid with plenty of pace to become a genuine speedster on our right wing who loves to come in for the Big Shot on his opposite. He has worked hard & developed his fundamentals, taking his game to the next level & we look forward to watching him score more of those finishing tries in seasons to come. Keep up the Good Work Jimmy.

ARCHIE "BIG D" DONNELLY

Archie is one of our quiet achievers in the middle 3rd of the field and has developed his game in spades this season. He's continued to push hard at training, being one of our fittest forwards and of late began to develop his match play awareness too. Archie's no-frills attitude to the hard stuff earned him his starting position at the back half of the year and was a big contributor to our forward rotations. We look forward to seeing him continue to work hard & develop his game. Good Job Archie.

Season 2018 was always going to be a big year for our side. With a new Coaching Staff, a few new faces and an outlook to play a wider running style of play. Before long, pre-season was finished and we set out into the 10a season full of optimism, and grandiose plans of taking the competition by storm.

They say there's nothing like a reality check when it hits where it hurts and it certainly did, only to be dropped to the B-grade after conceding a few too many points and losing the first 4 games convincingly.

Once we were dropped into the B-grade comp, we re-assessed our shape, skill and fitness levels, and set upon a path of discovering some fundamental form in our new comp. We could see results early on with 2 wins quickly becoming 3 and 4 on the run.

Training sessions were hard for the boys as they were pushed to find a level of ball tech and fitness not yet seen in this competition. Our team leaders lead the way and began a run through the comp that would see us hit the finals in 2nd place behind Como with an incredible 11 straight wins.

CHASE "DANCING MAN" EDWARDS

Chase has been a member of this squad for a number of seasons and he started the year off in the halves but quickly found a home at fullback. He developed into his new role fast and became a real asset to the team with his kick returns & slowly grew his game throughout the season. Chase is our funster who is always up for a laugh and enjoys the fun side of footy by occasionally flossing or having a laugh with his team mates. Chase's footy found some real form in the finals and was a major part of us finding success the way we did. Keep up the good work Chase.

RHYS "FLETCH" FLETCHER

Fletch was another newbie to our side who had the greatest learning curve, being that he'd never played Rugby League before. This was not to hold him back as Fletch possessed a natural running pace that got him noticed and he was selected as a left centre to learn his cues. He worked hard on his game, developing his run, catch, pass tech to eventually find his new home in the back row. He quickly found his place with his hard all in styles of play in attack and defence. Fletch is another player of untapped potential and we look forward to seeing what he presents us next season. Excellent first up Season Fletch.

TOM "TURBO" FOGARTY

Turbo Tommy is another one of our regulars who started the season on our right wing but earned a spot in the centres. His tough defensive attitude & the ability to follow our plays made him perfect for our right side. He continues to develop his ball skills and is particularly good at coming in to shut down teams daring to take him on. His quiet personality takes a back seat when it's footy time & often let's his toughness do his talking. Great work this Season Turbo.

JETT "FROSTY" FROST

Jett returned to the team after having a great season for the 9C's the previous year and definitely earned his recall to the squad. His quiet demeanor out on our left wing is not to be taken lightly as he became a big part of our left edge attack. His speed and defensive reads served us well through the year and we look to see him continuing to develop his game for seasons to come. Great Season Frosty.

DAX "MANY WORDS" HELMRICH

Dax is a die hard Rabbits fan who has played the season the hard way, up an age group, above his weight and he wouldn't have it any other way. He is a Boy of very few words with his understanding of footy & the way he plays being the only tools that speak volumes aloud. Another backrower and back up Dummy Half, he set the bar high with a try in his first ever game for us and from then on has continued to develop his game alongside his team. Dax has never once backed down from anything presented to him and we look forward to seeing him continue his tough style of play. Great Season Dax.

KODY "FLOSSING MAN" MOON

Kody is a new face to the club and another member of Chase's Dancing team who can Floss with the best of them. He has plenty of size to go with a soft voice but quickly became a loud name being heard in our D-Lines. He possesses a passing game unlike any other backrower in the comp, being a big part of our left side attack but it's when he gets to tackle that he really comes to play. He is player of plenty potential and we look forward to him opening up even more on the footy field as well as the dance floor.

LACHY "CANONBALL" PSALIA

Lachy is a just a one-man destructive Cannonball & when he decides to, he becomes a full throttled smash machine with nothing to hold him back. He scored some of our more power tries by smashing through who ever stood in his way to race away to the try line. His defensive efforts this year at times were bone crunching to say the least & we look to see more of this style of play from Cannonball in seasons to come. Lachy struggled with some injuries & illness through the middle of the year but regained some form to play a major role into our finals campaign. Great Job Cannonball.

The boys played Como in the first round of the finals and won convincingly to get a straight to GF pass with our 12th win of the season, and some confidence in what we do, no matter who we were to play.

The Team then waited to see who'd qualify for the Big Day & Como won their way through to again meet us in the GF which presented itself as a fierce physical battle that our Bosco Boys eventually won 18-0, giving them their 13th straight win for the season & their very 1st premiership. So very proud of all achieved by these boys.

They worked hard all year and played the complete team game by buying into each and every one of their team mates. Any hints of individualism were stripped away to reveal a selfless side that worked hard for each other and results told the story in the end.

I'd like to send a special thanks to my assistant coaches, Mick Wilbers & Brad Edwards for their continued support and commitment to the team all year, and our team Manager Kate for keeping us on point in all we did through this premiership winning season.

We have come a long way and now we look forward to the next challenge that lies ahead in season 2019.

Cheers, Coach Shannon

NATE "UP-UP-HIT" RYAN

Nate has been in the team for a number of years, gradually building his game to become the tough uncompromising player we have today. Nate started off at fullback this season but found a home in the halves quite early on. He's often heard leading our D-Line calls and has developed a damaging combination in the middle with halves partner Kaylem. Nate has recently become a member of our fringe crew and has developed a real flick in between passages of play as well. Look to see Nate take his game to the next level in seasons to come. Great Season Nate.

COOPER "C-DUB" WILBURS - FORWARD LEADER

Cooper is a player of immense leadership who gets the job done quietly. He's not a loudly spoken player, but he wouldn't have it any other way, his game speaks loudly through the collision. Often starting our sets off with a sacrificial hard line or kicking our middle defence off with bone crunching tackles, C-Dub is the epitome of work in the middle and well respected member of his team. Of late, especially through the finals campaign, he has developed a real leadership quality about his game, often showing up in all corners of the field looking to ask the quiet question of any defender.... can you stop me? C-Dub's potential is still untapped and we look forward to watching his game develop for seasons to come. Awesome season C-dub.





Bosco Bulldogs JRLFC

Premiers 2018



Back Row: Brad Edwards (Trainer), Michael Wilbers (Ass. Coach), Shannon Burge (Coach), Kate Thorpe (Manager)
Middle Row: Archie Donnelly, Rhys Fletcher, Kody Moon, Kaylem Burge, Cooper Wilbers, Thomas Fogarty, Lachlan Psaila
Back Row: Jett Frost, Harley Brown, James Devaney, Dax Helmrich, Chase Edwards, Nate Ryan

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PHOTOGRAPHY



Encouragement Award Winners 2018

Boys

Under 6 Yellow / Purple	Hunter Conlon
Under 6 Bronze / Green	Hendrix Jaques
Under 7 Silver / Red	Nash Warren
Under 7 Gold / Blue	Levi Conlon
Under 8 Bronze / Red	Jack Fogarty
Under 8 Silver / Green	Cooper Nunn
Under 9B's	Joshua Bownas
Under 10B's	Dax Helmrich
Under 10C's	Liam Ogle
Under 11A's	Fynn Sammut
Under 11C's	Luke Rooke
Under 12As	Samuel Gilroy

Girls

Under 7 (1)	Charlotte Edwards
Under 7 (2)	Kaylee Fowler
Under 9 (1)	Catriona Burns
Under 9 (2)	Evelyn Devaney
Under 11 / Div 1 (Team 1)	Shylia Stanmore
Under 11 / Div 1 (Team 2)	Tasmin Rapp
Under 11 Div 2	Bel Harrison

Milestones

Congratulations to the following players who achieved playing milestones during the 2018 season.

50 Games

Dylan Sammut	Under 8 Silver
Jack Fogarty	Under 8 Bronze
Will Gilroy	Under 8 Bronze
Max Pretty	Under 8 Bronze
Fletcher Brown	Under 9B's
Dylan Cooper	Under 9B's
Kaylem Burge	Under 10B's
Archie Donnelly	Under 10B's
Lachlan Psaila	Under 10B's
Cooper Wilbers	Under 10B's
Ollie Bergin	Under 10C's
Harlee Hamilton	Under 10C's
Isaac Dawson	Under 11A's
Sam Bryant	Under 11C's
Mia Fogarty	Under 11C's & U11 DIV 1 (1) GTL

50 Games

Sam Gilroy	Under 12A's
Dylan O'Riordan	Under 12A's
Zane Walker	Under 12A's
Fletcher Perry	Under 13 Bronze
Flynn Dante	Under 14 Gold
Max Demeio	Under 14 Gold
Zac Field	Under 14 Gold
Lachlan Goodwin	Under 14 Gold
Luke Maier-Sotiropoulos	Under 14 Gold
Tyson Mitchell	Under 14 Gold
Tyran Kepu	Under 16 Gold
Jarrold Scott	Under 16 Gold
Kane Faust	Emerging Cup
Rhys McGrath	Emerging Cup
Thomas Squire	Emerging Cup
Jackson Stanton	Emerging Cup
Josh Studdon	Emerging Cup

100 Games

Nate Ryan	U10B'S
Flynn Impey	U11A'S
Finn Sammut	U11A'S
Dominic Elias	U11C'S
Alex Gilbert	U11C'S
Jeremy Hall	U12A'S
Ben Lenarduzzi	U12A'S
Jye Ryan	U12A'S
Kade Brien	U13 Bronze
Hayden Westwood	U14 Gold

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Will Kelso	U13 Bronze
Logan Clinch	U14 Gold
Joseph Gair	U14 Gold
Thomas Bryant	U16 Gold
Harrison Cox	U16 Gold
Jacob Masters	U16 Gold
Max Hogan	Emerging Cup
Cameron Wilbers	Emerging Cup

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2018 Semi Finalists



Coach
Tim Kearney

Trainer: Michael Lenarduzzi

Manager: Mark Bergin

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Lucas Lenarduzzi

Coaches Award: Axel Portlock

Most Improved: Harlee Hamilton



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BOSCO BULLDOGS JRLFC



Back Row L-R: Sam Dover, Henry Fry, Cameron Newell-Courtney
Middle Row: Mark Bergin (Manager), Oliver Bergin, Liam Ogle, Reece Pool,
Lucas Lenarduzzi, Tim Kearney (Coach)
Front Row: Axel Portlock, Brody Kearney, Presley Gibson, Harlee Hamilton, William Laws,
Ritchie Lawler, Zach Warburton



We started the season off with about half the boys from last season and the other half playing their first season of Rugby League. After 5 rounds we had 2 wins and 3 losses. Then it all started to click, the team started to really defend well and we were starting to score some good tries.

We then went on a 6 game winning streak, and during this winning streak after round 7 the Junior League in their wisdom dropped Cronulla and Aquinas down from the B comp and parachuted them both into 5th place only 2 points behind us. Cronulla and Aquinas were putting big scores on all the other teams including us and with 1 round to go it came to a must win game against Kurnell where the winner would progress through to the semis and the loser would be out. We played brilliantly and beat Kurnell 32-24 to finish 4th.

We turn up to our 3rd v 4th semi against Aquinas with not many people giving us much of a chance. We score the first 2 tries with Aquinas now realising Bosco weren't there to make up the numbers. The boys played out of their skin going down in the end 22-18 with both teams scoring 4 tries each.

ZACH AUSBURN-WARBURTON

Zach was one of our wingers this year and he did a great job holding his position and getting in and having a few runs. It was Zach's first year of footy and he kept improving as he learnt more about the game. Well done Zach on a great first year of footy and I look forward to seeing you go even better next year.

OLIVER BERGIN

Ollie was one of our dummy halves and did a great job getting the ball to our first receivers. Ollie had a good knack of knowing when to run and his defence improved as the season went on. If I could get him to think that his brothers were in the opposition team he would be unstoppable. Good stuff Ollie

SAM DOVER

Another boy in his first year of footy and didn't he love it. Big, strong and tough Sam was a real asset to our team, he runs hard and tackles hard. He scored some good tries and he could intimidate the opposition with his defence. Awesome year Sam, well done mate.

HENRY FRY

Henry was one of the contenders for the Most Improved award. Being in his first year of footy it took Henry a while to learn positional play, but once he picked this up he improved out of sight. Henry made some strong runs up the middle and pulled off some great tackles. Congratulations Henry on a great first year of footy.

PRESLEY GIBSON

Prez was another boy playing his first season. Prez worked hard at training and as the season went on got himself more involved in games having some good runs and tackling low around the legs. Good on you Prez, well done mate.

HARLEE HAMILTON

Harlee's defence was rock solid all year. He played first receiver in most games and got us out of trouble with some good runs inside our own quarter, and also scored some good tries including a ripper in the Semi Final. A deserving winner of the Most Improved award. Well done Harlee on a great season.

BRODY KEARNEY

Brodes loves his footy, loves getting in there and having a go. He gives away size to most of the opposition but he puts his body on the line each week tackling the bigger boys. Scored some good tries from dummy half and was a reliable goal kicker. Good stuff Brodes.

RITCHIE LAWLER

Another boy who is small in stature but big in heart. Ritchie could have played U9's this year, but he stepped up to help us out when we were short at the start of the season. Ritchie tackles all day, he doesn't stop. Thanks for helping us this year Ritchie, the team really appreciated it. Well done mate.

BILLY LAWS

Billy played in a few different positions this year, sometimes on the wing and other times in the middle. Billy runs hard and straight with the ball and also pulled off some great tackles this year. Good stuff Billy Boy, well played this year mate.

LUCAS LENARDUZZI (CAPTAIN)

Lucas was awesome for us this year. He scored some amazing tries from his own half and was a big reason the team performed so well and played Semi Finals. His defence was so reliable, not many got past him all season. Congratulations on a fantastic season Lucas.

CAMERON NEWELL-COURTNEY

Cameron came to us half way through the season and was a great addition to our side. For a boy playing league for the first time Cam's defence was outstanding. He has a great technique and timing with his tackles and played his best game in the Semi Final. Good stuff Cam.

LIAM OGLE

Liam was the deserving winner of the mid-season Encouragement award. Liam played in the middle and was a real handful for the opposition to bring down. Liam scored a great try against Aquinas showing real determination to get over the line. Well played Liam.

REECE POOL

Reece had the tough job of playing First Receiver without wearing the yellow vest and did a fantastic job for the team. He's a great team man, always listening at training and making sure the team follows the game plan during the game. A real solid defender. Excellent season Reecy.

AXEL PORTLOCK

Axel was just pipped by Lucas for the Best and Fairest award. Axel is as tough as they come, he gives his all each week, often coming off at fulltime totally exhausted. Axel scored some really good tries this year and also stopped plenty too. Fantastic season Axe, well played buddy.

I was so proud of the team, even though we lost that semi, the boys walked away winners with how they played that day. We had a large Bosco crowd at the semi and I'd like to thank everyone that came down and supported the boys, it really lifted them.

To Lenno our trainer, thanks for all of your help, you were rock solid all year supporting me at training and on game days. Thanks to Bergs for being manager, doing the game sheets and organising duty. Thanks Dave Pool for assisting when Bergs was away and also Ross Phillip who helped out at every training session

A special mention to Jack Bergin and Ben Lenarduzzi for also helping at training.

A huge thankyou to all the parents, you all made my job very easy. It was great to meet and welcome some new families to Bosco this year. I hope to see you all back again next year.

Congratulations to the U10B for their premiership win. I appreciate the support we got from Shannon, Mick and Brad particularly at the start of the season before grading. It's a great age group the U10's and it puts the club in good stead to have success in the coming years.

Lastly to the boys, thanks for such a great season, I hope you guys enjoyed it as much as I did. TK



under 11A



Coach

Paul Dawson

Trainer: Paul Duggan

Manager: Nicole Monckton

Award winners

"Barry Brown" Perpetual Trophy winner - Isaac Dawson

Best & Fairest: Isaac Dawson

Coaches Award: Beau Duggan

Most Improved: Jake Monckton



The 2018 season saw the 11A's take their game to the next level having our most successful season to date, resulting in five wins and just missing a semi – final spot. When the boys were switched on they showed they could mix it with the better teams and be competitive. It was great to hear the boys sing the Bosco song with passion and pride after a win! When they played together as a team the boys looked good and their talents were evident.

A big thanks to the team for showing up each week at training and for being committed to build on their skills throughout the season. The 11A's are a great bunch of boys who always had each other's back and showed encouragement toward their team mates on and off the field.

A big shout out to our parents. Each week we had an overwhelming number of parents who were willing to do duties and help in any way they could. We appreciate all that you do for our team and we especially enjoyed all our social impromptu get togethers over a few drinks.

ASHTON BROWN

Congratulations to Ashton for playing his first season in A grade. As the year went on he became more involved growing in confidence in his positions. Ashton tackled well and when he saw space he showed speed. Good job Ashton.

LINCOLN COOPER

Credit to Lincoln for stepping up this season. His game improved due to his attitude, which made him become an important player in the team. He played centre and second row and made his presence felt in both positions. Congratulations Linc.

ISAAC DAWSON

An outstanding year for Isaac, each game he was dominant in attack and defence allowing him to be the teams top point scorer in both tries and conversions. Isaac has taken his game to the next level this season and is to be congratulated for his desire to better himself each week and lead his team. Truly great to watch such a special player take the field.

WILL DONNELLY

2018 saw Will benefit from rotating off the bench becoming more of an impact player. When in the zone Will's strong runs, off loads and tackles were impressive. Will's ability to read the play allowed him to seize opportunities and sniff out the try line - our top scoring forward. Well Done Will!

BEAU DUGGAN

What a talent...his ability to read the game and implement game plans make him an integral part of the team. Each week he put his body on the line in attack and defence and lead by example making him a great captain. Defensively he was our top tackler, his crunching defence made him feared by the opposition. Awesome season Beauty!

LACHLAN HARVEY

A solid season for Lachie this year switching between full back and second row. A boy that shows no fear and makes show stopping tackles bringing down even the biggest players on the field. He is an important player in the team and it was good to see him further develop as a player this year.

FLYNN IMPEY

Always willing to put up his hand making him a versatile player, holding his own playing hooker, wing or centre. Flynn was committed each week to be strong in defence and played well above his weight. Good season Flynn.

LENY LEGROS

When Leny bought his A game he was unstoppable showing pure strength and was a force to be reckoned with. Leny played in the forwards and as a centre throughout the season. He skills continually developed and was a formidable player for the 11A's. Congrats Leny!

JAKE MONCKTON

Once again Jake had a cracker of a season, he took on the responsibility of the forward pack and lead by example. Each week Jake gave his all and was consistent and ever reliable. Jake's barging runs and improved defensive skills saw him a valuable player for the 11A's. Top Job Jake!

WILL PRICE

Played wing and second row throughout the season and had some solid games, particularly in defence. Will has a good kick on him and he was able to bag a few conversions as well as scoring an impressive try for the 11A's.

FYNN SAMMUT

A tough competitor who picked up the encouragement award during the year. Always willing to do his best and play part of a team. Fynn's service from dummy half was second to none with quick and accurate passing. Fynn is to be congratulated on a solid and reliable season.

COOPER SIGSWORTH

Cooper was a great pick up for the 11A's this year and he became a valuable member of the team. He played in the halves and did a great job in directing the forwards and backs around the park. Cooper displayed a positive attitude and gave his all each week. Well done!

A massive THANK YOU to our committed training team. It's a big ask to put your hand up to volunteer for these jobs and we have three of the best.

To our trainer Duggo, thanks for being so generous with your time each week and for being so supportive of Paul Dawson and the team. Thanks for your footy knowledge, the boys love having you in their corner. Thank you also to Steve Cooper for helping at training and for always offering honest opinions when asked.

A heartfelt thank you to Paul Dawson our coach. Paul does so much for our boys and his dedication and passion for the game is second to none. The boys have thoroughly enjoyed being under your guidance and hold you in the highest regard. Cheers to you Super Coach!

Once again Nic did an unbelievable job as manager. Her organising and commitment to the team is always first class, she does so much behind the scenes and her efforts are much appreciated. Thanks Nic.



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Back Row L-R: Paul Dawson (Coach), Isaac Dawson, Leny Legros, Will Donnelly, Jake Monckton, Lincoln Cooper, Paul Duggan (Trainer)

Front Row: Flynn Impey, Cooper Sigsworth, Ashton Brown, Beau Duggan, Will Price, Fynn Sammut, Lachlan Harvey

Absent: Nicole Monckton (Manager)

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under 11C



Coach

Andrew Martin

Trainer: Paul "Bluey" Gilbert

Manager: Stacey Barton

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Cooper Martin

Coaches Award: Danny Kearney

Most Improved: Alex Gilbert



2018 saw a major shift for the 11c's as our football improved week by week. Every week, we generally won at least one half of football but just couldn't get it done for the full game. Having said that you could never question our player's commitment, as they never stopped trying. Unfortunately, sometimes the bounce of the ball doesn't go your way. It's why I am so sure that next year should they stick together as there will be more success than just our one victory (celebrations still continue) this season. Team, the most pleasing thing to see you develop this year is the positive attitude you had before and after every game, where you encouraged one another and played it for what it is, a game. I would like to finally thank all the parents for their support and the opportunity to coach these great individuals.

Thanks also to Julie for organising 'flip out' for our game winning reward. Importantly, I would also like to thank Stacey as our manager and for keeping us up to date and organised and the extraordinary Paul "Bluey" Gilbert for being the Coach/Trainer and the work he put into the team.

KAI ANDERSON

Each year we have watched Kai get better then the last, with a big step on him and speed to go with he breaks through the line, only to be cut short of the try line. Kai is a team player and always works hard. What a huge effort from you! Keep it up for 2019.

OWEN ANDERSON

Owen has had a great year, always keen to get on the field and always having a good time, plenty of strong runs and tackles, he loved getting involved keep up the good work mate.

SAMUEL BRYANT

Sam had an awesome year, he improved each and every week never afraid to run hard and fast and showed some great speed also plenty of tackles and a great attitude, well done Sam and keep up the great work.

DOMINIC ELIAS

Dom can be very hard to stop when he puts his mind to it. He has good defense and plenty of potential in attack. When he comes to grips with his ability he will be a force to be reckoned with. Great year Dom and bring on 2019.

MIA FOGARTY

A rose among the thorns of the mighty 11C's. Mia was a delight to coach and always carried out on the field what was practiced at training. Mia gave 100% effort every game tackling hard and using her pace to great effect on the field. Great job Mia.

ALEX GILBERT

Just like Cooper ours teams General. Developing a great passing game and ability to call the plays. It's not easy to take control of the team and play your own game but you worked super hard this year and we are very proud of everything you did. Keep working hard mate you've had a great year.

DANNY KEARNEY

Danny is one of the first to go up and tackle in the games, with some big hits he has become an all round player with great running and stepping skills. Danny can break through the line of defense and always keen to run the ball. Great work mate and well done Danny.

COOPER MARTIN

A strong attacking player, specially running wide, but not worried about mixing it up in the middle. Defense is solid, especially in covering tackles. Can only get better and can become even more imposing in 2019.

BLAIK MAYBURY

Blaik started late in the season for us and it was great to have him on board. Blaik has a great running style and would make plenty of meters when he had a chance to run. Blaik is a very agile ball runner that had a crazy style he would bring to training. Blaik's defense would lift the team each week, well done Blaik hope to have you back for a full season in 2019.

HENNING O'SHEA

Top job mate at dummy half quick out of the ruck for a scoot or a sneaky try. The real quiet achiever of our side, we are so proud of the way you improved in defense this year mate and to watch you lead the way in attract. Great listener and really hard worker.

TRAVIS PARKER

Travis has been great to watch, always getting in there and having a go with big hit ups and great tackling, he is working hard each week to be better then the last. A little more confidence and getting involved a little bit more will see Travis be a great player in 2019. Keep up the hard work Travis.

ZAC RIDER

Zac played the whole season dummy half and what a great season he had. A much improved player who gave great service to his first receiver in all games. As a coach/trainer you hope that you can instill many things in a young player and this season Zac showed in every game, his ability to pick his moments for a quick scoot when the opposition was on the back foot. With his first season under his belt, 2019 looks very promising for Zac.

LUKE ROOKE

A great first year in rugby league, Luke developed a good tackling technique and a strong running game as his confidence grew throughout the season. We look forward to see what another season brings to this true gentleman.

SEAN TYNAN

Sean missed the last few games but throughout the year he just kept improving. Every week he would run harder, get more involved and we think at times surprised himself when he made breaks straight through the other teams defense. He was a pleasure to coach.



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Back Row L-R: Stacey Barton (Manager), Luke Rooke, Travis Parker, Dominic Elias, Danny Kearney, Owen Anderson, Blaik Maybury, Andrew Martin (Coach)
Front Row: Samuel Bryant, Alex Gilbert, Kal Andersen, Cooper Martin, Mia Fogarty, Sean Tynan, Zak Rider
Absent: Henning O'Shea

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under 12A



Coach
Wally Hall

Trainers: Brad Wardrobe
Anthony Ryan
Bob O'Riordan

Manager: Michael Lenarduzzi

Award winners

"Wade Forrester" Perpetual Trophy winner - Jeremy Hall

Best & Fairest: Jeremy Hall

Coaches Award: Danny Holt

Most Improved: Jye Ryan



Bosco 12a's had an unusually slow start to the season, mostly due to a few of the boys, either away or injured. That coupled with a few new faces and understandably, it took us a while before we got into gear.

After quite a few narrow losses, it wasn't until Round 10 before we got on the board with our first win of the season. Something clicked with the boys that day though; against a "big" Gynea side and we played the remainder of the season with so much more enthusiasm and most boys played with a newfound attitude.

We played some really great footy in the back half of the season and I think we shocked many of the other teams with our committed style of play.

Although the team had the fewest wins of any season from memory, the development and improvement of all the players was awesome to witness and was by far the most satisfying year of coaching the boys.

BILLY BRAGG

Billy was new to the club this year and it was unfortunate that we could not see Billy at training often and that we did not see him for the last few games of the year. Billy is big and really strong, he just doesn't know it yet. Would love to see what he is capable of on the footy paddock but understand his commitment to AFL. Nice meeting you Billy.

RILEY GENTLE

Moey unfortunately broke a finger a week out from the first competition game and missed a few games due to this injury. Riley bolsters the side with his strong defence and is an integral part of the team. Moe keeps the middle tight and few get past him. Another player that is going to benefit from getting the ball in his hand sooner next year with new rules. Thanks Moe

SAM GILROY

Sammy was a pleasure to coach this year and always puts in at training. Playing a year up in age, Sam was our other centre this season and another player who is going to benefit from the International Rules next year with more freedom to run. Growing in confidence as the year progressed, Sammy will be better for the run this season and keen to see him hit his straps and potential next year. Well done Sam.

JEREMY HALL

Jeremy won the top award this season in a tight and talented field. It was his consistency that saw him score points on a weekly basis as his defense got stronger as the season progressed. Is picking his moments to run better and making his darts out of dummy half count. Proves that size does not matter, often bringing down larger opponents in solid tackles. Good year Jez.

DANNY HOLT

Danny was the player we needed in the team this year and was a great acquisition. Moving to Bosco this season, Dan slotted in to the team easily and became a hit with the boys. Big, strong and tough is how Danny plays and has a great work ethic, getting through a load of work in most games this season. Such a great kid and fun to coach, thanks MC Dan!

HARRY JONES

Harry continued to improve in only his second year of Rugby League, running harder and tightening up his defensive game. A wonderful young man who is a pleasure to coach and will be sorely missed by all the players and coaching staff when he moves to Melbourne at the end of this year. We all wish Harry and the Jones' family, all the best for the move and look forward to hearing from you all. Thanks so much Harry for all the laughs at training!

BEN LENARDUZZI

Another one of the boys whom suffered an injury in the last pre-season trial match before the comp started. We missed Benny in the early rounds with a broken leg. Ben came back to the team as our utility player and easily slotted from the second row and into the centres and wing positions. Always does his job on the field and on the training paddock, easy to coach. Thanks for a good season Benny.

DYLAN O'RIORDAN

Missed the start of the year holidaying in the USA and Dylan's return was welcomed, as he offers the type of aggression every football team needs. Dylan always plays hard and his timing in defence and his running game only got better as the season progressed. Played some great footy at the back end of the season and was a big part of our team's overall improvement.

DYLAN OSMAND

Dylan is such a great kid, I love coaching him. He was our rock out on the wing this season. Played his position well and rarely set a foot wrong. Safe when returning kicks and committed when tackling one on one. Could not fault Dylan's year. Well done Dyl, great season.

JYE RYAN

Jye had a great season. Improving in both attack and defense, his approach and attitude to playing changed mid season and was possibly the catalyst which transformed the sides turnaround against Gynea. In a team full of improvement, Jye was a much deserved recipient of the Most improved Award. Just what we needed this year Jye, good work mate.

RYDER SHEARGOLD

Played in the centres this season and with the International Rules next season, I know we are going to see the best of Ryder in that position. Not many get past "Sticksy" out wide and he has really toughened up his style of play. Good season Ryder and looking forward to seeing what you can do next year with a bit more freedom and rule changes.

RYAN SNUDDEN

In only Ryan's second year of rugby league, he is definitely one to watch in the future. He has a determination and will to beat his opponent like not many his age. Already quite skilled, I have loved watching Ryan progress and know we have not seen the best of him yet. Great season Snuds.

We were rewarded with the Junior League most Improved Team of 2018, for the tremendous effort and attitudes the boys played the second half of the season with. We are definitely in the mix with the top teams when we are on our game. Congratulations boys.

We have a great bunch of boys that are fast becoming decent young men and that is due to the fine group of parents of the team. I can't thank you enough for letting us train your boys without any fuss and helping out with club duties when necessary.

A big special mention goes out to all the boys from the U/11's that played for us many times throughout the season, you guys did yourself proud and showed great club spirit in helping out with our team. We really appreciate your help boys, you know who you all are, thank you.

Lastly, I have to thank Michael Lenarduzzi, for doing a fantastic job Managing the team and also to Brad Wardrobe, Anthony Ryan and Bob O'Riordan, for all your help training the boys all season and on game day.

I think we can all say how good it was watching the boys come home strong this year. Next year is a whole new ball game with International Rules and I really do think our boys will love it and flourish.....can't wait!





PATRICK TOGHER

Patty gets better every year. He amazes us week in and week out with his one on one tackling, he rarely misses. Pats really put in at training this year and his skills and general running have improved out of site. Keep up the hard work at training Patty and know how important you are to this teams improvement. Good on ya Patty.



ZANE WALKER

Probably the unsung hero of the team. He saved countless tries this year with his rock solid defence at fullback. A natural footballer, Zane is only getting better with age. Really starting to mature as a player, Zane is a pleasure to coach and always listens attentively. Thanks Zano.



MITCH WALLER

Mitch was new to the team this season and understandably took a few games to settle into the side. Once Mitch found his feet though, he grew in confidence and gave us more each week and finished off the season scoring some great tries out wide. One of our big improvers, we are glad you joined our team at Bosco Mitchy.



BLAKE WARDROBE

As always, Blake never lets us down and led the side around from halfback well this season. His passing game is always spot on, but it was his defence this year that really had purpose and venom. If Blake puts further work into his kicking game, there won't be much that this kid can't do on the field. I love watching Blake take on the defence when he chooses the right time though, often slicing through from half. Always a pleasure to coach.





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Back Row L-R: Ryder Sheargold, Jye Ryan, Patrick Togher
 Middle Row: Wally Hall (Coach), Daniel Holt, Benjamin Lenarduzzi, Billy Bragg, Mitchell Waller, Harrison Jones, Michael Lenarduzzi (Manager)
 Front Row: Dylan O'Riordan, Samuel Gilroy, Ryan Snudden, Zane Walker, Riley Gentle, Jeremy Hall, Dylan Osmand
 Absent: Blake Wardrobe



Club Award Winners - 2018



Senior Footballer of the Year
JACK GORRY



Junior Footballer of the Year
BLAKE WARDROBE



Club Person of the Year
MELISSA BRYANT



Women in League
NICOLE WRIGHTSON

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Most Improved Team - 12A'S

13 Bronze

2018 Minor-Premiers
2018 Grand-Finalists



Coach
Mick Kelso

Trainers: Glenn Johnson
Jack Bryant

Manager: Nicole Wrightson

Award winners

**"Luke Stewart" Perpetual Trophy
winner - Daniel Johnson**

Best Back: Will Wrightson

Best Forward: Kade Brien

Coaches Award: Joseph Harrison

Most Improved: Aiden Lough /
Fletcher Perry

Well what a successful 2018 season!! Minor Premiers and this was off the back of only having 13 registered players at the start of season. Due to the number of players registered we were put down to Bronze Division and in a way it did assist on the teams we played against, but I have no doubt the lads would have been extremely competitive in the Silver Division. As the season progressed we played over 60% of our games with either 11 or 12 players, so for the boys to finish Minor Premiers and only lose 1 game in the regular season was an outstanding effort.

Their commitment to each game with no rest time to catch their breaths was a true credit to each of the players, which was a very pleasing and satisfying thing to see from our coaching staff and parents. We saw some very promising aspects in their game in attack with set moves through the middle of the ruck, giving us great field position to set up planned moves for our backs to score some special tries. Great effort boys. Our defence was outstanding especially in our own half within 20 metres from our try line, resulting in many forced errors and try saving defence.



SHAUN ALCHI

Shaun was one of our bookends this year up in the front row and had a tremendous season. He is developing into a very strong and powerful ball runner and is always in the middle to keep our defence solid, pulling of some memorable hits each week. A great effort and a very good season was had by him. Keep it up Shauno!

JACK BERGIN

Jack was in the 2nd row this season and his commitment at training and game time was awesome and a credit to him. Was always one of the first to get into hitting the ball up and you couldn't question his attitude. His defence improved dramatically and put a lot of pressure getting up of our line which continued throughout the year. Great work Jacko!

KADE BRIEN

Kade is our co-captain and it was great to see the desire in every match he plays and definitely inspires his teammates to better performances. You can't ask any more than that. His never say never attitude of taking the line on with his running, offloads and when defending never lets us down. Very consistent year and is well deserved of being our Best Forward for 2018. Onya Kade!

JACK BRYANT

Trainer, co coach, tee runner. Jack kept us all well in check this year and I'm so glad I've got him around and all the boys agree. Has a good footy brain and doesn't mind telling me what needs to be done and what plays we should be putting on. Is always there at training and game day. Rate your work Jacko!

JESSE GOLLER

Jesse was our lock this year and had a terrific season. His line running in attack was very strong and direct which put us over the advantage line when he was on. His defence was extremely solid and always kept himself busy for the entire game. Always was there in the middle of the ruck when he needed to be. Great job Jesse!

JOEY HARRISON

Joey played in the centres in his 2nd year and was in the top two of our try scorers and didn't he score some rippers. Is always a very good listener and a pleasure to coach which resulted in him having a tremendous season. Has speed to burn and always solid in defence when it was called upon. I'm very pleased of his development and very worthy winner of taking out the Coach's Award for 2018. Terrific Joey!

MAX HOWARD

Max was our No.7 halfback and I was extremely pleased with how he is developing into this key position. He has great organising skills and when he went to the line with ball in hand it made our attack look fantastic and by doing this set up some great yardage and a lot of tries came from this. His kicking game improved over the season putting us in great field position. Great year Maxy!

DANIEL JOHNSON

Daniel was our fullback this year and what a year he had. He was definitely our go to player to make something happen. His runs from his kick returns were the best in the competition and set us up in great field position. He was in our top 2 tryscorers and was very handy with wide goal conversions. Defence is what wins games and his try saves was a credit to him. Outstanding year and was definitely our best player of the year so winning Best & Fairest is warranted. Fantastic year Danno!

WILL KELSO

Will was our No.9 hooker for the season and had a terrific year with his service from dummy half. Smart thinker of which he developed throughout the season. Ran on occasions when required and will only improve by getting the boys around the field. Got in the middle on the defence line and held his own for his size. Crossed for several tries which was pleasing to see in his position. Well done Willy boy!

AIDEN LOUGH

Aiden came back after a few years away and had a fantastic season. Started on the wing but is a very versatile player who can play centres or back row and will definitely play a lot closer to the ball next year. His defence was outstanding and with ball in hand ran very hard and strong. It was great seeing him back and can develop into a very good footballer and he definitely deserved being awarded Most Improved player. Well done Aiden!

So come 1st semi we went down to Gymea. Despite trailing 16-0 at half-time, the boys came back in the second half, but it wasn't to be, losing by just 4 points (22-18).

In the qualifying final, the boys bounced back to their best with a huge win over Aquinas, defeating them by 42-4; one of best games they played all season, putting the boys into the GF!

Well the GF started well and we went into halftime leading 12-10. Unfortunately with the wind at our back, no possession in the first 10-15 minutes the boys absorbed a lot of defence and we just ran of steam. With the final score of 32-22, and 6 tries to 5 I can honestly say we did our best with the opportunities we had, but unfortunately it wasn't meant to be.

I'd especially like to thank Glenn Johnson for his assistance as our Trainer as I couldn't have got anyone else who showed more enthusiasm and commitment to the team, and the boys enjoyed their time with you. Appreciated mate.

To our Manager Nicole Wrightson, again another massive thank you for all the time you set aside to keep all the parents so well informed on training times, game day details and more importantly myself up to speed with all that's going on with the Junior League and the Club. Nicole has been with this team and assisting teams I've coached for many years and is simply the best. Big thanks.

To all the parents, friends and families thank you for showing your enthusiastic support for 2018 season it is very comforting to see.

And lastly, to all the players. Keep your heads held high, you had a very successful season without no reserves and tried and played your hearts out in my opinion and I couldn't have asked for anything more from each and every one of you from a coaching perspective so thanks boys. We have some unfinished business in 2019 look forward to seeing you all back.

P.S. grab some more mates please!!
Haha

FLETCHER PERRY

Fleth played back row this year and really come of age massively in his 2nd year. He rolled his sleeves up and was always there to take up the ball anywhere on the field. He knows only one way and it's straight and hard. His defence really stood up this which was very pleasing to see. I'm happy he has developed the way he has and its pleasing to award his efforts with Most Improved in 2018. Great year Fletch!

DYLAN STEVENS

Dylan played on the wing after a yea off from the game and had a ripper of a year. I thought as the year went on his confidence grew and if we can keep his confidence growing, he will become an even better player in the years to come. Dylan is a pleasure to coach and I was so happy to see him go over for a number of tries throughout the year. He made several try saving tackles which was awesome to see. Banged a double try in a match which gave him man of the match. Awesome year Dylan!

ETHAN WALLACE

The Big E played in the centres and had an awesome year. If this young fella realises his potential can be more of a wrecking machine both in attack and defence. Absolute raging bull with ball in hand and rag dolled defenders. Unfortunately he had a broken toe which kept him out for several games and if this didn't happen would have been in the awards. Great year upon his return and will be better and stronger in 2018. Go you good thing Ethan !

WILL WRIGHTSON

Will was our No.6 five-eight and had a wonderful year. He has tremendous ball skills and with his speed makes him a terrific attacking player. He set up many set moves which resulted into some pleasurable tries to watch. He is a quick learner and I really enjoyed developing him this year in his attack. Scored a bomb of tries and is a well deserved recipient of Best Back for 2018.




2018

BOSCO BULLDOGS JRLFC



13 BRONZE

Back Row L-R: Michael Kelso (Coach), Shaun Aichi, Daniel Johnson, Fletcher Perry, Joseph Harrison, Ethan Wallace, Jack Bergin, Aiden Lough, Glenn Johnson (Trainer), Nicole Wrightson (Manager)
Front Row: Kade Brien, Dylan Stevens, Will Kelso, Jack Bryant, Max Howard, Jesse Goller, Will Wrightson


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Perpetual Trophy Winners - 2018

"Sean Ryan"	Under 6	Nash White
"Trevor Laurence"	Under 7	Corey Duggan
"Ryan Hartley"	Under 8	Max Pretty
"Gavin Clinch"	Under 9	Fletcher Brown
"Troy Brown"	Under 10	Harley Brown
"Barry Brown"	Under 11	Isaac Dawson
"Wade Forrester"	Under 12	Jeremy Hall
"Luke Stewart"	Under 13	Daniel Johnson
"Robbie Kearns"	Under 14	Justin Letton
"Paul 'Bluey' Gilbert"	Under 16	Joshua Finau
"Greg Edwards"	Emerging Cup	Josh Studdon



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14 Gold

Bosco / Yarrawarrah
2018 Minor-Premiers
2018 Finalists



Coach
Gavin Clinch



Trainers: Brad Mitchell
Glen Brailey

Managers: Leigh & Maree Gair

Award winners

"Robbie Kearns" Perpetual Trophy
winner - Justin Letton

Best Back: Max Demeio

Best Forward: Hayden Westwood

Coaches Award: Joel Patton

Most Improved: Samuel Patton



U14 Gold - Great season for the boys that seen them coming up just short in the Semis. Only lost 2 games in the regular season taking out the Minor Premiership by 3 points. As we had the Balmain/St George/Easts/Souths comp join Cronulla, the boys came up against some very good football teams and played well above their weight.

Unfortunately, towards the back end of the season we had some major injuries that took its toll and required some big games to be played with only 1 sub.

Thanks to Maree and Leigh for managing the team again, doing a great job. Also big thanks to Adam and Brad running the water and strapping the boys during the season at game's and training.

TAJ BRAILEY

Plays in the middle and rarely missed a tackle against some big opposition. Great passing game that sees the team get on the front foot. Once he uses his running game he will have all the areas required to be a great 9 covered.

LOGAN CLINCH

Played halfback and guided the team around the park. His kicking game was outstanding and set up many tries with great kick behind the opposition defensive line.

NATHAN CONNOLLY

Missed the first half of the season after breaking his arm. Returned and played great footy for the rest of the season. Every game he had to play tough as his arm was still giving him some grief.

FLYNN DANTE

Found his position this Year on the wing. Scored a few length of the field tries and made many try saving tackles. Quiet at training but always gives 100% for the team.

KEEGAN DARBY-NOTLEY

Another great year from Keegan playing on the wing. Scored some outstanding tries out-pacing the defence and grounding the ball one handed. One of the jokers of the team and enjoys his footy.

MAX DEMEIO

Huge year for Max scoring and setting up numerous tries. Many games Max scored length of the field tries where he outpaced the defence. His goal kicking was outstanding nailing conversions from all over the ground.

ZAC FIELD

Big Year for Zac playing many games busted, but still managing to make his usual dummy half scoot and working hard in defence. Played one game against Gymea with injuries, but wouldn't come off as he knew the team needed him.

JOEY GAIR

Captain of the team and as usual leads from the front. Plays any position on the ground and plays 100% every week. His defence in the middle of the field against big opposition is outstanding and really puts his body on the line.

LACHLAN GOODWIN

Solid year for Lachlan playing week in week out in the forwards. Scores some good tries and made some great runs against the big forwards we played against. Missed the first half of the season after breaking his arm. Returned and played great footy for the rest of the season. Every game he had to play tough as his arm was still giving him some grief.

LACHLAN HOWARD

Played good footy again this year defending and attacking on the right edge. Good feet when attacking the line, has a nice short passing game and rarely misses a tackle or gets beat.

ARCHER LANE

First year in the Gold Comp and what a year Archer had. Has no fear would run into a brick wall. His front on defence improved over the year with Archer making some crunching tackles.

JUSTIN LETTON

Another huge year for Justin. Played everywhere on the field and made many runs through the middle of the park. His defence went to another level this year and played many games busted towards the back end of the year.

LUKE MAIER-SOTIROPOULOS

Another huge year from Luke making great runs every game. The highlight of Luke's footy is his defence, one of the best leg tacklers in the comp and cuts them down. Injured late in the year that hurt the team without Luke.

TYSON MITCHELL

Tyson had a hip flex muscle issue and limited his game time this year. Massive loss when out as he guides the team around and has an outstanding kicking game. Played busted most of the year but still managed some great games not 100% fit.

Big thanks to Glenn who has taken these boys to another level with skills and a great defensive structure put in place. Thanks to all the parents for supporting the coaching staff and getting the boys ready for training and games during the year.



JOEL PATTON

Scored some unbelievable tries this year with speed to burn. One of the best 1 on 1 defenders I have seen for his age. Joel has huge potential in rugby league and enjoys the game and training.

SAM PATTON

Unbelievable season for Sam. Playing up in the 14's and he doesn't turn 13 until later in the year. Great season with hard running and tough defence. Played busted in the semis but gave 100% every minute.

ZACH POUND

Only played minimal footy this year due to injuries. Did play against Bondi with a broken collarbone, but didn't know until the Tuesday after he had actually broken it.

JASPER WALKER

Another outstanding year for Jasper. Played every position and dominated some games with his size. He has strength and power to continue on with his footy career.

HAYDEN WESTWOOD

Massive year again starting the year on fire. Was carving teams up with his powerful running. Injury towards the end of the year hurt us. Somehow made himself available for the semis and played great again.





16 Gold

Bosco / Yarrawarrah /
Engadine / Como
2018 Minor-Premiers
2018 Grand-Finalists



Coach
Mick Hughes



Assistant Coach: Mitch Healey

Trainers: Tony Dawson
Damien Cox
Ball Boy: Jack Bryant



Manager: Sharyn Field

Award winners

"Paul 'Bluey' Gilbert" Perpetual
Trophy winner - Joshua Finau

Best Back: Jacob Masters

Best Forward: Jamaine Melchior

Coaches Award: Apisalome Saukuru

Great season bad finish. Thanks to the four clubs for merging and creating strong gold and silver U16 sides. Our boys lost only one game during the regular season to finish Minor Premiers, certainly a commendable effort on their behalf. Unfortunately we saved our worst performance for the grand final losing 30-6.

Our opponents Maroubra thoroughly deserved their win. They were very strong, adding more representative players to their squad as the season went on. Really disappointed in our game in the big one, we never got into our stride through errors and poor line speed and ineffectual defence.

I was very confident in our game plan of wearing down their middles before going to the edges but we simply didn't execute. No way would I ever contemplate trying to run around this team as they had us covered for speed and size in the outside backs.



BLAKE BARDEN

Shifted from centre to wing as part of the merge and scored some nice touchdowns throughout the year. Number 1 goal kicker and did a great job.

THOMAS BRYANT

Came back to us after a season off and played solidly in the backrow, runs hard and is very skillful just needs some more kilos on his frame over summer.

DANE COURTNEY

Missed most of the season due to a broken foot from Mattys Cup but did his rehab and came back to us at his best. Will never forget his game in the semi final against Maroubra at Anzac, all class, he terrorized them all day with the ball and in defence.

HARRISON COX

Unfortunately Coxy injured his ankle mid way through the season and came back in time for semis but suffered a medial ligament strain in the last round. Would have made a big difference to our style of play in the big games if he was fit to go.

TYLER FIELD

Tyler had a very consistent year at right centre coming off his time in the Mattys Cup Squad. Great talker and enthusiastic trainer, needs to keep working at his game to keep progressing to the next level.

JOSHUA FINAU

Josh not only keeps growing physically but he's growing as a leader in this side. Possesses natural speed, strength and stamina and anyone who has watched him this year could only be impressed.

JAIDEN FRENCH

JD was playing very consistent footy until he suffered a broken jaw against Aquinas halfway through the season. Came back for the GF and bravely played a lot of minutes due to injury in outside backs, will be better for it next year.

ETHAN FULLER

Great work ethic and a good listener just has to keep working on his passing game and defence and he will develop into a smart nine.

JAMES GAIR

Jimmy came back and played in the A's again this year and showed a lot of promise at halfback. Still plenty to work on but I was impressed with his work ethic and the extra time he spent with Mitch working on the finer points.

SAM HEALEY

Vital cog in our middle, keeps growing into his position giving good service off the deck and getting our forwards over the advantage line, gets his body in front in defence and has an effective kicking game from dummy half.

BLAKE HOSKING

Our skipper and onfield leader, has had a very busy 12 months with rep football but came back to club and gave his all for us. Spent a lot of time on the edge this year and did a great job as he is a natural middle.

TYRAN KEPU

Played right wing and continued to show promise. Has great strength (a memorable try against De La) just needs consistency to go to the next level in his game.

JACOB MASTERS

Another who had to shift positions from 6 to left centre. Did a sterling job again, I can't remember the last time he had a bad game of footy. Got best back in GF, continually putting his body on the line against bigger opponents.

LOGAN MCKINLAY

Did a fine job again playing an age group up. Logan will benefit from the Mattys Cup experience that is coming up for him over summer, his toughness and strength will hold him in good stead.

JAMAINE MELCHIOR

Stellar season Jamaine, trained hard and carried the ball thru the middle for us all year without flinching. A lot more potential there as well just needs to keep working on his defence but his stamina and courage are without question.

HARRY NOAKES

Again Harry threw himself into his work at training and his team on Sundays. We all know he gives away a big weight advantage to his opposition forwards but you can't question his toughness and his personality around the team.

We were down 12-6 at halftime running into a gale a scoreline you would take any day. We failed to catch their kick off to start the second half and before you know it three quick tries sealed the result for Maroubra.

I have many thank you's for season 2018, Mitch Healey for his expertise and experience in not only getting the boys fit but taking many sessions when I was caught up with other commitments. Tony Dawson for again putting his hand up to train and mentor the boys with his unique style of training. Damian Cox who balances his training partner out with his pre-game work in strapping and rubbing down the players that needed it. Sharyn Field for again managing the side and communicating with four clubs involved in the merger. Thanks Shaz.

To the committees of the merged clubs many thanks, especially Greg Bird, Dave Gunn, Faith Perryman and Hayden Garn and also to the Engadine Dragons for inviting us down on Grand Final night.

On a personal note I congratulate the boys on coming together as a group at training and then putting it into the way they played their footy. These mergers are never simple and our jobs as coaches is to be independent in our thinking no matter what club the boys are affiliated with. We really appreciate the support of the parents in this situation as not everyone will agree with our decisions but importantly a lot of thought and discussion is put into team selection.

For the boys the importance of doing extras can't be underestimated, something Mitch has driven for the last 3 years. Improvement comes from practice and ultimately no one is the finished product and everyone can find that bit more through extra training.

Mick Hughes – Coach 16s Gold 2018

CALLUM PERRYMAN

Shifted from the halves to fullback through injuries and did a sterling job. Copped a nasty rib injury in the GF that cut his day short.

HARRY REYNOLDS

Harry showed a lot of improvement from the start of the year, got fitter and worked really hard on his skills. Playing consistently when fatigued is the next step in his progression but he is heading in the right direction.

LOMI SAUKURU

Playing middle or edge Lomi's skill at the line and thru the line sets him apart from most forwards in the comp. Demands the ball and sees opportunities as they present themselves. Definitely improved his defence this year and was putting his hand up to lead the pack in this regard.

LIAM SHIAGETZ

Liam's playing well above his weight but played on the wing for us and did a solid job. I can see his footy skills there, just needs to grow which will happen.

JARROD SCOTT

Jarrold is showing improvement in his footy getting fitter and stronger from last year. Keep working hard on your game mate as you are on the improve.

JACK BRYANT

Another sterling year with the "Tee" Jack, unfortunately we couldn't get the two in a row.



Emerging Cup

Bosco / Engadine
2018 Minor-Premiers
2018 Grand-Finalists



Coach
Mick Clinch



Trainer: Drew Forrester

Manager: Anthony Tripi

Award winners

"Greg Edwards" Perpetual
Trophy winner - Josh Studdon

Best Back: Joey Cox

Best Forward: Brayden Colenso

Coaches Award: Jackson Stanton



MICHAEL CLINCH COACH

Had a challenge ahead of him at the start of the season, taming 30 washed up alcoholics keeping them off the drink so we weren't Slim Dusty for every game. I can tell you now that the majority of games were played hung over but to his credit, Jack Gibson has led us to a Grand final as Minor premiers.

ANTHONY TRIPI MANAGER

Clinchy's right hand man making sure the organisational aspects of the team were taken care of. Ran the teams knockout NRL tipping comp thinking everyone would bomb out in week 1 but ended up being a massive commitment to run in the back end of the season chasing up payments and tips which he handled with ease. Hope he spaces out his four beers a day on the trip away! Don't think we'll want a drunk manager stumbling around Gerringong Bowlo by race 4 on the Saturday.

DREW FORRESTER TRAINER

Wasn't in the boys good books in pre and start of the season with his dry fitness activities, thinking we were training for a marathon rather than playing washed up U20's footy. Came in handy in the mid-end of the season showing his superb strapping technique on the "injured" boys. Thanks for giving up your time Drew just no sneaky Hawaii trips next season!!

JOEL RAPER TRAINER

Trainer Joel had a killer season running the H20's for the boys always making sure we were hydrated for games. Put his body on the line for the boys tearing his Bicep Brachii the week before the GF and still managed to run the waters for the boys. Cheers Rapes, few beers to be had on the trip away!!

DYLAN BROWN

A secret signing by the star coach and still don't know how we managed to snag him from down south. Lightning quick on the field, filling in in the centres at fullback and on the sting. Early hamstring injury saw him miss a fair few weeks throughout the start and middle of the season but finished strong in the back end and throughout the final. Cheers Dyl!!

BRAYDEN COLENZO

Mr Rugby League gave it his absolute all every week and really boosted the playing group in the tough times in games. Another one of Clinchy's fit young pups that really got the boys going forward finding his front in every hit up. Sure the boys will turn one up in a couple of months for his long awaited 18th Birthday.

JOEY COX

First year with Engadine Bosco and this bloke was quality all season! Kicking & running game was just as superb as his on field blow ups. Formed a great combination with barn storming backrowers Smith and Kearns which made a huge impact on the scoreboard.

JUYE EBB

Juye joined mid season and Clinchy was glad he showed up! Strong powerful centre/second row whose defence was second to none. Showed he could play anywhere and was a very handy player to have coming into the back end of the season.

KANE FAUST

Back after a couple of years off playing. Was a handy bloke for Mick in the middle rounds of the season when the injury list was bigger than the playing list. Good go forward in the middle making the backs job a whole lot easier.

TAINÉ FLEMING

Despite being the smallest bloke on the paddock, Jock took the reigns of skipper this year, leading the boys back to the grand final. Jocktek's ability on both sides of the ball was nearly as good as his Saturday night form this year, making plenty of yards from hooker and defending his heart out in the middle. Another great year Jock!

JACK GORRY

Solid season by Goz in the middle, eating metres like Jay Shearman eats schooners on a Saturday up the bowl. Had a late season superstition change where he stopped wearing his famous headgear leading to a dynamic partnership with fellow middle man Studdo scoring meat pies from his offloads. Thanks for the year Gozza!!

MAX HOGAN

Another one that was in the junior rep system, turned washed up alco/gambler. A late end of season knee operation would surely see his season ending early, however back for the GF where he injected power and speed off the line coming off the bench.

SHEA INNES

Helensburgh's prodigy back in the day, started the season with the knees of a 70 year old. Ended the season with no knees, leaving them on the field in his last game against De La.

JAKE KEARNS

One of the young pups of the squad. Received on average 4 hospital balls per game, averaged 15 inside sets per game where he'd get cleaned up. Love/hate relationship with Clinchy, serving well in the back end of the season where he played his best footy.

KIERAN LEVIN

Goal kicking average better than JT yet Kurtis would still demand the old shot at goal where 9 times out of 10 ending up in a shank. Kev was very handy for Jack Gibson, filling in the halves when Coxy sneaked off on holidays with his misses and Rhys had his elbow incident.

RYAN LEVIN

Another one of Clinchy's favourites and renowned for a legs tackle! After a sternum injury combined with 37 arguments with twin brother Kieran, Ryan returned to finish off the season in style! Never let anyone down and will be Big Mick's drinking partner on the end of season trip – midstrength.

ANTHONY MARIC

The six foot four man was yet another late addition to the squad this year after hearing there was another trip down south. As safe as they come under the high ball, he made sure we got on the front foot coming out from our line. Another great season Antos!

RHYS MCGRATH

Where do I start with this bloke? Rocked up to the first session of training on the Tuesday in tears about his breakup with his misses then on the Thursday was back with her. Then one week out from the semi, played a development game for Cronulla much to Clinchy's disgust and tore ligaments in his elbow. Steered the ship well with Coxy and has a show and go as lethal as Joey Johns. Good season Bargey, hope you find the "love of your life" again in the offseason.

KAYNE MICALLEF

One of the 7 backup hookers to Jock that we had in the squad. Filled in on numerous occasions throughout the season showing his ability to service the halves ending in points on the board. Cheers Kimmy and thanks for the pre-game inspirational speeches mate!!

JOSH MILROSS

Followed his high enthusiasm in games as last year, which further saw him unfairly targeted by the refs. Other commitments saw Rossy only play a few games before pulling the pin on playing and becoming a spectator to let Antos join the squad. Thanks for the sacrifice Rossy! Few beers on the trip away mate.

JOSH NOAKES

Been the pretty boy on the wing for this team for a while now. Mr Superstitious, from the same bandaid on his thumb from the start of the season to the scissor cut skins or the Mushroom look alike haircut. More worried about the girls on the side line watching him and his snapchat streak with them than catching the metre forward pass cutout ball from Rhys. Think it's time for NOAKES to follow his old mans shoes in the esky bashing duties.

LIAM RAE

The self-appointed lunatic of the team. Deadset put the biggest hits on the opposition throughout the year scaring them into not wanting to run the ball, forcing errors in fear of the raging bull and his right shoulder that he thought was made of steel, but was really made of cotton thread by the end of the season. Hurt his shoulder in the back end of the season where Schui put his one and a half years of Health Science degree to good use diagnosing a rotator cuff injury in particular a torn Supraspinatus. Didn't seek real medical help playing minimal minutes for the rest of the year with a busted shoulder.



JETT SCHOFIELD

Another mid-season signing for the team where he tested Stinga for the lunatic role of the squad. A good old fashioned Cattle dog call by Jett against rivals De La saw him miss a few weeks. Then upon return a shoulder injury saw Jett's season finish early with him trying every medical centre in the shire for a medical release.

JACK SCHUETRIM

First year back from a break and there was a lot of talk pre-season about how this nervous looking character would perform! His first carry for 20+ meters earned a penalty and got a loud cheers form the bench. Schui was very handy big body coming off the bench with strong charges and safe defence. Unfortunately injury cut his season short.

JAY SHEARMAN

15 games, 37 under balls, 1 tackle and 15 pre game vomits coming straight from Hunters. Bet Clinchy wished he still played like he did when he was Captain of the under 15's Harold Matthews team. In all serious, Jayson was a very handy number 14 for Clinchy in the back end of the season injecting his experience and calm nature into games helping the team get over the line.

KURTIS SMITH

Joined us from the enemy Gymea, and with his weekly comments probably should have stayed there! Improved since the mid season loss of the ball and chain and came back refreshed from his 2 weeks work experience in Bali ! Strong competitor and a great season.

JACKSON STANTON

Mr Fix it, Clinchy's secret weapon on the bench, filling in a number of crucial positions throughout the season from lock to fullback. Carried on his larrikin nature from last year trying to be funny. Onya Stanto I'm calling a MVP performance on the trip away!

JOSH STUDDON

Mr Consistent, carried the team on his shoulder most games. Biggest workhorse in the team by far constantly eating metres and burying the opposition with his shoulders of steel. Best feature is those luscious locks of his in combination with his hand short ball giving him plenty of assistant try points on SuperCoach. Played 15 regular season games with all 15 being played hungover without Clinchy noticing! Now that is talent that just can't be taught.

TOM SQUIRE

Taking a short break from his running club to return to footy this year, Tommy had another tough year with injuries. Limited to a few games, his frame would have been useful up the middle and close to the line. Hope to see you back again next year again Tommy!

BEN TAYLOR

Battled with a few head knocks over the season, but to Benny's credit didn't let it affect him being a handy addition to Mick's bench, filling in at the wing and centres throughout the year excelling and putting points on the board. Thanks Mate!!

ZAC TOPHAM

Another one of the younger brigade to step up into the 20s and handled it with ease. Started the year as backup hooker but switched to wing where he scored a bag full of tries. His hatrick at Scylla Bay against Como a highlight.....although if you ask him he could have scored heaps more if he got passed the ball more. Good year mate.

JACK TRIPI

Shifting Trip from the halves into fullback at the start of the season proved to be a great decision by Coach Mick as he consistently got man of the match points after every game. As safe as they come at the back, an unfortunate hamstring injury at training limited his blistering speed at the back end of the year. See you next year Tripi!

CAMERON WILBERS

Wilbers made a return back to Rugby League from soccer this year offering his blistering pace on the wing. Being on the end of a fair few backlines, Cam scored plenty of pies this year, while also saving his fair share too. Thanks for the year Cam!



under 7-1 girls



Coach
Craig May

Manager: Sian Kench

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Payton Kench

Coaches Award: Sian Borg

Most Improved: Sienna Moar



It is with great pleasure and pride, that I get to write this report for the under 7 (1) Touch League team. We started out the year with a lot of the girls never having played touch league before but ended it being one of the form sides of the competition and definitely the most improved side at the end. It was great to see the girls enter the Bosco Bulldogs club environment and that of a rugby league club – I thank everyone in the Bosco Club for welcoming the girls in the way that they did.

Some memorable moments - to name a few.

The victory against Como at Anzac Oval. We definitely played our best in this game.

The constant improvement and willingness to learn of every single player throughout the season.

Me promising the girls if they kept Engadine to 0 in one particular game, I would take them all to Maccas – well, guess what happened?! I am still to pay that bet!

The number of younger siblings that run on the field during play, wanting to play in our team.

SIAN BORG

One of the most improved players throughout the season. Always gave her best at training and on the field. Some great runs throughout the year and her defense was great.

RACHEL DIBDEN

One of our speedsters. Scored a number of length of the field tries and is improving with every game she plays.

CHARLOTTE EDWARDS

The comparison from her first game to her last game is a clear indicator that Charlotte wins our most improved. Some of the games she had towards the back end of the season show she has a future in the sport.

MAYAH HALL

One of the biggest hearts in the team – small in stature but big in heart. Always gives 100% no matter what - improved immensely over the season and some of her defensive efforts where an inspiration to the team.

JORDYN HELM

Was always there to be dummy half. Started developing a side step towards the end of year that will have oppositions worried next year.

ELLA JAMES

Improved considerably during the season and was playing good football at the end – scored some classic tries and defended well!

PAYTON KENCH

One of the most determined kids I have ever coached. Scored some great tries, as well as saving plenty defending as the last line of defence

CHELSEA MAY

Smart football brain and always willing to go into dummy half. Scored a number of sneaky tries with her dummy half runs near the line. A great defender who was always the first one up.

SIENNA MOAR

Outstanding attacking player with a great side step and running style. Scored a number of great tries. Really found her feet and started to flourish as the season wore on.....will have an even bigger year next year.

CHARLI MOSES

Our attacking genius. Scored a number of tries that would be on any highlight reel. Another one with a smart football brain.



The girls playing through some of the worst weather conditions at Taren Point and never complaining, just getting the job done.

Our passing drill to determine who was captain each week at training. The drill contained at least 3 injuries every week, and having the Cronulla Sharks players watch and cheer us on was something the girls loved

Our last game warm up when everybody's brothers and sisters joined us chasing my kicks that went for hours and hours .

The chaos, but fun of the club disco.

The comradery shown by all the girls. We had a mix of players at the start of the season, some who knew everyone, some who knew one. By the end of the season, the girls were one team congratulating everyone on their tries with high fives and lots of cuddles and cartwheels.

All In all it was a pleasure to coach this team. I hope the girls learnt a lot whilst most importantly having fun and making new mates.

I would like to thank Sian Kench for her tireless work as Manager and to all the parents for braving the freezing cold mornings helping with ground control and most importantly allowing your girls to be part of this team and club.

I hope they enjoyed it and got as much fun and enjoyment out of it as I got from coaching them.

BOSCO BULLDOGS
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Back Row:
Craig May (Coach),
Sian Kench (Manager)

Middle Row:
Payton Kench, Sienna Moar,
Chelsea May, Rachel Dibben,
Jordy Helm

Front Row:
Charlotte Edwards,
Charli Moses, Sian Borg

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under 7-2 girls



Coach
Adam Helmrich

Trainer: Will Carroll
Manager: Clair Helmrich

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Leah Fowler
Coaches Award: Ruby Walker
Most Improved: Bronte Driver



The surprise package of the competition. Half of this team had not played before and the other half were from last years premiership winning side. I honestly thought I would have a challenge on my hands getting the new girls to learn the fundamentals of the game, **BOY WAS I WRONG!**

This team gelled together from our first training session, they listened and took on advice that I had for them week in and week out, their ability to adapt to all situations throughout gameplay was nothing short of astounding.

Their ability to learn and adapt on the fly was paramount to finishing their season undefeated. Defence was on point throughout the season, which was evident in most games, score lines which in turn let our speedsters run riot on a weekly basis.

Overall, I am completely humbled by this teams effort this year. Each girl could have won the trophy every week with the drive and dedication they not only put in on game day but with the willingness to listen and learn at training. I have no doubt this is only the start of their football journeys and after their efforts this year I highly look forward to seeing these girls progress.

ANNA CARROLL

Anna really came into her own this year. Set on our left hand side, Anna was always up in defence to shut down any quick players that tried to fool our edge defenders. Anna also had a secret weapon that I never knew about until she got the ball in her hands, she can step off both feet! Fast, agile and always up for a big run. Defensively solid Anna rarely missed a touch. Great season Anna.

BRONTE DRIVER

Bronte is the pocket rocket of the group. One of our youngest girls but boy can she play! There's not much of her but she fooled many opposing player with her quick cross field darts often finding gaps with a right foot step as cheeky as her smile. Bronte would inject herself 100% every game and I can see big things in the future for her. At the end of our last game she pulled me aside from everyone and quietly said "we won all our games". She was as proud of herself as I am of her. Well done Bronte

KAYLEE FOWLER

The youngest of our team. This 4 year old really got involved towards season end, week in week out coming up against girls 2 years older must have been a daunting thing for little Kaylee but she took it in stride and played on, always wanting the last play dummy half run Kaylee showed her drive to want to interject herself into the game. I've never screamed as hard as I did when she went over for her maiden try!

LEAH FOWLER

Part one of our "Terrible 2". "The Leah Jet" was a returning girl this year and that previous experience showed every week. Always taking control of the right edge when under pressure in defence. Leah is quick off the mark and gets up in the face of the opposing ball runners. It was a common sight to see Leah burning down the sideline and going over in the corner on average 3 times a game with her evasive style of ball running. Not many could catch her.

BEAU GREEN

Beau was a new comer to the team and it has been a privilege to see her game evolve. Not much of a talker on field but she takes information and turns it around in her ball carrying and defensive efforts. Beau went from strength to strength this year and that became even more evident on our last game of the year when she carved up the defensive line every time she got her hands on the ball and was first up out of the line in the middle of the park to make those crucial mid park touches. I can't wait to see what she can do next year with the confidence this season has given her. Great work Beau.

ELLIOT HELMRICH

Elliot really found her feet this season, literally. Scooting cross field, Elliot read defensive lines and was always looking for an opportunity to break. Once that gap opened up few could stop her, for one of our taller girls Elliot's power game was on point this season making much needed meters when needed, especially when on our own goal line. But Elliot's strength was in her defence. There weren't too many ball runners who got away from as she would usually shut down the play from the moment their first receiver got the ball. A solid effort this year Elliot, I could not be prouder of you.

RUBY WALKER

Another Premier that returned this year. Ruby was instrumental to our season this year and was basically my "right hand man" on field each and every week. Ruby organised the team from whistle to siren and was very vocal on field ensuring the runners knew who was getting the ball well before the ball was played. This quick decision-making ability allowed us to get many quick play the balls and allowed our newer girls to be able to take advantage of any tired defenders getting back on side. Ruby is cool, calm and collected and has a head for the game. I have no doubt that if she keeps playing with the same amount of passion, she will achieve great things in this game.

RONIA WARSZAWSKA

Part two of our "Terrible 2". Ronia was also an integral part of the team this year. Our left edge defence was rarely broken with Ronia out on our left wing. She was quick off the line and always up to shut the speedsters down. In attack, there were few in the comp who could match her speed. I think 80% of the time Ronia had the ball she scored a try. Ronia would also jump into dummy half when needed to ensure everyone had a run. Blistering speed & solid defence, Ronia is tough skinned competitor and an asset to any team she plays for.

A big thankyou to Clair and Will with this team, we could not have done it without you. Shout out to each and every parent who made the effort to get the girls to training and various grounds at sometimes silly hours on a Sunday. Well done girls, UNDEFEATED 2018!!!



under 9div1 girls



Coach
Damien Sullivan

Trainer: Dave Sheargold

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Eden Edwards
Coaches Award: Sophie Roberts
Most Improved: Erin Harrison



It was a pleasure coaching these girls. Every time I came to training they would rush over to me and say hello and be really keen and enthusiastic to start training. May have had something to do with the lollies dropping out of my pockets each week they were picking up. It was more like coaching a group of 18 year old girls, listening to them at training and before games talking about clothes, boys and dancing.

Everyone got along famously, they were all a bunch of great mates and these group of kids are a terrific bunch of girls and very funny at times. It was social event at each game and when I asked each week who wanted to sit off first everyone put their hand up, as it was more fun sitting on the sideline and talking.

I got some classic excuses as to why they couldn't play each week like, "I cannot play today because I had too many wines last night" or "I have just washed my hair and can't get sweaty".

I have never coached girls before and I couldn't believe how much these young ladies love the game and for most of them it was their first year. I loved coaching these young ladies, it was a great experience for me and all these young ladies are beautiful young girls.

CATRIONA BURNS

The Colonel of the team. Colonel Catriona kept everyone in line, made sure we moved up straight and scared the hell of the other team with her nice loud voice. If you could score effort, Catriona would score 10 out of 10 every week. Loves her footy and was the teams unofficial general. Telling team members where to stand, leading the team drills and making sure everyone was doing their job. Good luck next year Catriona, moving up the under 11's.

EDEN EDWARDS

Miss Football. Eden just wants to play footy, kick the ball and score tries. Look out boys when Eden wants to play tackle footy! Along with Sophie one of the teams real quick movers and star of the team. Just a natural at the game and moves really well for a girl her age on the field. Several games, Eden ran right through other teams to score some great tries and also saved us a stack of tries by chasing down other players. Great kicker of the footy with a strong boot. Stick at the footy Eden you are very good at it.

ELLA FRANCE

Ella was the team's happy smiley face that cheered everyone up when things were not going our way or someone broke a nail at training. Ella is a very quick young lady and ran through opposition teams a number of times throughout the year. Ella has a very strong boot on her and could kick the ball a long way. Saved a stack of tries for us throughout the year by chasing down opposing players for the length of the field. Well done Ella and keep smiling!

ERIN HARRISON

Erin ran our social committee. Had a lot of events planned for the team but unfortunately they all needed a car. Would come to training each week with a different excuse as to why she couldn't train. Some of them were hilarious. Very funny little girl who I had many laughs with. Great little player who is very elusive and nimble on her feet. Tries her heart out for us each week and improved out of site. Stick at it Erin next year and cut down on those parties.

SOPHIE ROBERTS

The Pocket Rocket! Like having a V8 in a mini minor. One of the team's real stars. Sophie scored a stack of tries and was a real speed machine of the team. Loves the game and is a natural at it. Sophie moves really well, is really quick and can step off both feet. Most importantly, Sophie wants to learn. Sophie was one of the team's kickers and kicks a footy with ease for a young lady of her age. Big things ahead for Sophie if she sticks at playing the game.

LOUISA ROCHE

If we could turn the field 90 degrees, Lou would have scored 20 tries! Once Lou worked out the try line was not the sideline, Lou had a really good back half of the year and is blessed with speed. She gets it from her dad the Tamworth flash! Lou loves her footy and saved a heap of tries for us through the year, chasing down defenders almost the length of the field. As soon as Lou started running straight she made a heap of ground for us and went close a few times scoring tries. Well done Lou, you will be a star next year.

PAIGE SHEARGOLD

The team's official lolly tester and pre game dance routine organiser. Came to games and training with the most colourful lollies and a few stomach aches. Paige is a real team player and I was really impressed just how much she improved throughout the year. Deceptively quick and really reads the game well. You would give Paige a job to do and she would go out and do it perfectly. Pleasure coaching Paige and stick with the footy.

RUBY STYLES-FLEMING

We call Ruby SES because she puts her hand up to volunteer for everything. If you could give an award for wanting to do everything, Ruby would win it hands down. Ruby was so keen and loves her footy, she would take every run if you wanted her to. Ruby improved out of site and it was really pleasing to see. The last few games of the year Ruby grew another leg and made some great runs and almost scored on a few occasions. Loved having Ruby in the team. Keep at it Ruby you did really well this year and cut down on the SES volunteering.

TIA SULLIVAN

The teams dance co-ordinator. Had some great routines for when we scored tries for the girls to do. The routines didn't get used much but looked good at training! Tia got a heap better as the year went on started to grasp footy. Really good back half of the year with some good runs and a nice try. Well done Tia, keep working on it.

The girls played against girls 1-2 years older than them, and we didn't win too many games but the effort was there every week, no one gave up and everyone walked off with a smile on their face at the end of the game.

Everyone improved out of site from the start of the year and we had a few stars in the team. These girls will all be better next year as they will be the older girls next year, playing against the younger girls. I think we should expect good things from this team if they stay together. They will all find it much easier next year as they will have a year under their belt and be much bigger, quicker and stronger. Big thanks to Dave Sheargold for his help managing the team throughout the year with all he has on his plate, Dave was a great help. Thanks to the parents who helped out with BBQ, setting up grounds, and working the canteen, really appreciate all your help.





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9GLT DIV 1

Back Row L-R: Dave Sheargold (Trainer), Louisa Roche, Tia Sullivan, Damien Sullivan (Coach)
Front Row: Erin Harrison, Catriona Burns, Paige Sheargold
Absent: Eden Edwards, Ella France, Sophie Roberts, Ruby Syles-Fleming



under 9div2 girls



Coach
Greg Kane

Trainer: Paul Brown

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Riley Helm

Coaches Award: Ivy Driver

Most Improved: Ella Monckton



PIPER BROWN

Piper was our "Touch League Drama Queen". Piper's infectious and bubbly personality is a pleasure to have on the field. Last tackle ball goes to Piper who doesn't make contact with the ball to which she replies I can't kick (information we should have been told before her attempt at kick) or the following: "She is too fast", "I have a stitch and can't run" or "I did what you told me and dived but I missed". Well played Piper it was a privilege having you in the team.

EVELYN DEVANEY

Evelyn approached every game the same way with great enthusiasm and a willingness to learn more about the game. She continued to develop her skills through out the season and managed to score some excellent tries. Everything Evelyn did she had a smile on her face even when the other team were getting on top and scoring tries she would just smile and get back into the game. Well done Evelyn.

IVY DRIVER

Ivy is our quiet achiever. She had the ability to take the first run, make the first touch or just be there ready every play. Ivy scored a memorable try where she ran almost the length of the field and showed excellent speed. I don't recall Ivy saying much more than Hi when she came and thank you when she left but she always seemed to enjoy being part of the team. It was really great coaching you this year and I hope you had fun.

RILEY HELM

Riley was our "Try scoring Guru". It didn't matter where on the field she got the ball she would go searching for the try line, often 10 or 15 metres back but when asked why she went back that far she would respond with a try two tackles later (I think she was just baiting the opposition into a false sense of security and creating her own space. Riley always had a smile on her face and never stopped asking "can I take the tap", "can I kick off". Riley it has been a great season and you have really developed your skills hope to see you again next season.

MATILDA KANE

Matilda loves the opportunity to compete in any sport. This was Her first season at touch like so many other players and I don't think I have seen anyone run so many lengths of a field to either score a try or stop one only to be denied at the last step. She scored some great tries and shut down a number of opposing players. Well Played Matilda.

TALIA KENCH

Talia was our planner who always asked questions about what we should do and how it was to be done. She would always get to the ball first and was not shy in throwing a pass even if it was to an expecting player. Talia scored some great tries with her elusive running and often caught he opposition unaware. It was great fun having you in the team and I hope you continue to play next year and it's been fun coaching you.

BRONTE MONCKTON

Bronte was our youngest player but she had a knack for these Damien Cook like short sharp burst, which often caught the opposition offside. Bronte was always smiling and enjoyed being on the field and at times overstayed her time only to be reminded "Bronte you are off". Well Done Bronte and I hope you come back next year.

ELLA MONCKTON

Ella was always ready to go from the moment she got to the game she was ready to play. She continued to develop her skills through out the season and has improved her game sense. If I asked Ella to run straight then she would, if I asked her to move across in defence she was always there. It was great having you in the team and I hope you come back again next year Ella.

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Girls Touch League
u9 Division 2

Back Row: Rylee Helm., Ivy Driver, Matilda Kane, Piper Brown
Front Row: Greg Kane (Coach), Bronte Monckton, Ella Monckton, Evelyn Devaney, Talia Kench, Paul Brown (Coach)

Adam Wrightson
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under 11div1-1 girls 2018 Grand-Finalists



Coach
Jen Brown

Trainer: Troy Brown

Manager: Dannielle Moffitt

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Jaydon Brown

Coaches Award: Emma Nicholls

Most Improved: Abbey Sheargold



2018 season started out tough with a few early losses. But I saw the potential in all the girls and knew what we had to do. A lot of our girls had played the year before together and saw the gain of Verity coming into the side. As the girls got into the season and training they started showing more and more skill. We started to be competitive and earned respect from the other teams. Mid way through the season we saw 2 extra signings Sarah and Charlotte, which gave our team an extra boost.

The addition of the 2 girls gave the side bit more structure, allowing all the girls to use their strengths to the best of their abilities. Making the semis was an amazing achievement, which made both Troy and myself very proud ... the girls were playing as a team and it showed.

Making the GF was even better, and the girls had done me proud regardless of the result, to us they had already won. Great year from the girls and we are really looking forward to next year.

SARAH BOWNAS

Sarah came to us mid way through the season, she slotted in perfectly joining the girls in the middle of the pack, driving forwards and always getting there for dummy half, she was always looking for that 2nd pass and the raps. Great vision in both attack and defence. Great all round player, loved having her in the team.

JAYDON BROWN

Our little speedster, she finally found her pace! Strong in defence and never let anyone around her. Jayson started to back herself this year even in attack stepping and weaving, though she needs not to worry about mud on the game ball! Many highlights from this little chicky but one that stands out was the no pressure kick that got us into the GF. She's going to be ne hard girl to stop on the bigger field next year!

MIA FOGARTY

Our workhorse, give this girl an instruction and she goes out and does it without question. Always strong in both attack and defence! A force not to be reckoned with. Great vision in the middle and helped led the team around the park. Always putting in 110% for the team. Bring on next year Mia!

CHARLOTTE HALL

Charlotte came to us mid way through the season also and she was a force not to be reckoned with. She was a our other winger who like Jaydon proved that they owned that sideline and no one was getting around her either. Great at talking to the girls in defence and always there in attack to drive the ball forward. Has a great vision, which helped on the 5th with her kicking skills always looking for that open side.

LEAH MOFFITT

Our little pocket rocket, played an amazing season with the joint venture of leading the team around the park. Strong in defence, and a great all round ball player. Did well with linking up with Mia for those rap around's and switches. I'm looking forward to seeing what she can really do next year with more room.

EMMA NICHOLLS

Our little fullback, strong in all area's on the field. Hands that are better than most First Grade Footballer's. She was always putting in 110% on the field and at training. She always listens and was always looking for ways to better herself. She never let anything get to her and always puts her body on the line.

VERITY OGLE

Little Verity, quiet yet always smiling. Have to take my hat off to her, this team consisted of girls all older and in the year above her at school yet she cemented her spot on the team from the get go. Always quiet on game day but yet at training doing everything we had asked her to do. She needs to back herself a little more on game day and she'll eventually become a weapon out there. You did good Vertiy.

ABBEY SHEARGOLD

Our long legged Ab's strong in defence and her enthusiasm and smile was next to nothing. She always gave it her all, she has been a pleasure to coach! She found her spot on the team next to Jaydon and they both worked amazingly together. Highlight of the year, her dancing kick. Loved it! Thanks Ab's....

SHYLIA STANMORE

Our little go getter, I asked one thing from her this year and that was to not give up, and she didn't. She proved to herself that she could do it and from then on just got better and better, she was our little workhorse in attack doing as we asked, running the ball straight, getting the ball down quick and backing up into dummy for the next play. Loved having her on the team she's a great asset.

AVA STYLES-FLEMING

Quiet little Ava, this girls has amazing talent, but doesn't like to be in the spotlight. Played in the link position most of the season until the GF where she had to help out in the middle and she nailed it. Pleasure to coach, always listening and taking everything in. Can't wait to see her use her skills on the big field next year.





BOSCO BULLDOGS JRLFC



2018

11GLT
DIV 1 (1)

Back Row L-R: Danielle Moffitt (Manager), Ava Styles-Fleming, Mia Fogarty, Abbey Sheargold, Emma Nicholls, Jaydon Brown, Jen Brown (Coach)

Front Row: Leah Moffitt, Sarah Bownas, Charlotte Hall, Shylia Stanmore, Verity Ogle



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under 11div1-2 girls 2018 Semi-Finalists



Coach
Christian Eshman

Assistant Coaches: Stuart Hicks

Stuart Rapp

Manager: Nerida Hicks

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Lily Hicks

Coaches Award: Skye Eshman

Most Improved: Kirsten Vernon



Our second season saw five new girls join four girls from last year. It was another fantastic season full of new friendships, fun and laughter. The girls bonded from the start and considering some didn't know anyone, it was great to see each girl grow in confidence around their team mates as the season progressed. I have no doubt their friendships will grow even more over the next few years. It was a difficult start to the season due the fact that I wasn't around for the first three rounds due to work commitments.

This didn't bother the girls though as they hit the ground running winning every game whilst I was absent. We made the semi-final this season and the girls tried to the very end only going down 10-0 in a very tight game against the other very well coached Bosco side.

One of the most pleasing thing this season was every girl tried their best in every game.

I would firstly like to thank Nerida Hicks for being the Manager. You made life so much easier organising everything.

MADISON BROWN

This season was Madie's first season and she improved with every game. She was always smiling and enjoyed all aspects of the season. She tried hard in everything she did. One of my fondest memories of Madie is when I gave her the ball to have a kick at goal. She told me she couldn't do it. Well she proved herself wrong when she nailed it. Well done on a great first season.

TACE EDWARDS

Tace had another strong season and polled well in the best and fairest. Her enthusiasm is something to bottle as she goes 100% at everything she does. Some of Tace's best moments were her length of the field intercepts she took on multiple occasions. Tace was one of the quickest in our team and she scored many tries through her speed. The bigger field next year in the Under 13's will definitely benefit Tace's running and speed. Well done Tace.

SKYE ESHMAN

Skye is one our most consistent players always in the thick of the action. Skye's defensive effort and voice was always pleasing to watch and hear. Skye was one of our best in most games and this is shown by the fact she polled votes in nine games. Skye came second in the Best and Fairest and deserves her Coaches Award. Congratulations on another great season and I look forward to watching you continue to improve and grow as a player over the next few seasons.

HOLLY FARRELL

Holly tried hard all season and her dummy half runs or straight running was a highlight of Holly's play and it was often exactly what the team needed. Holly was always smiling at training and was a pleasure to coach. With another year in the Under 11's next season, Holly will be a force to reckon with. I look forward to watching you play next season and beyond. Well done Holly.

PHOENIX GREEN

Phoenix was a contender for Most Improved as she got better with each game. Her running and defence improved immensely. Three out of the last five games Phoenix featured in the votes. As the season went on Phoenix was passing more which was pleasing to see. With another season in the Under 11's to come, I can see great things on the footy field for you next season. Well done Phoenix on your first year. You were a pleasure to coach.

LYLA HAWKSWORTH

Lyla joined us with only a handful of games to go in the season but she was a valuable member of our squad. Her speed was her strength and in her first game with us she scored a length of the field try by running around the opposition. Well done Lyla.

LILY HICKS

Lily had a great season and was awarded the Best and Fairest Award. Lily was player of the match in five games and polled well in many others. Lily's ball running is her strength as she was always weaving in and out of defenders. Lily was always asking well thought out questions which showed she is gaining an understanding of the game and the role she needs to play. You were a pleasure to coach Lily and your award was very much deserved. Congratulations Lily.

TASMIN RAPP

Tassie was a second year player in the Under 11's and her improvement from last season to this season was huge. She really started to understand her role within the team. Tassie was awarded the Mid-Season Encouragement Award which was well deserved. Tassie was always bubbly at training and was a pleasure to coach. Well done on your season Tassie and I look forward to seeing you improve even more next season.

KIRSTEN VERNON

This was Kirsten's first year playing League Touch and she was a pleasure to coach. Kirsten is a well-deserved recipient of the Most Improved Award. Kirsten's confidence grew with each game and this was evident in the fact Kirsten was the player of the match in the last three home and away games of the season. Kirsten scored several long range tries this season by running down the sideline with defenders chasing. Congratulations on your first season and congratulations on your award.



I would also like to thank the two Stu's - Stuart Rapp and Stuart Hicks for helping on game day. As I wasn't around for the first few rounds as well as for the Semi Final, your assistance was a massive help and greatly appreciated.

Also the assistance and support from every parent was very much appreciated. Whether it be helping at training, bringing oranges, doing the 3-2-1 votes or just offering an encouraging word, every one of you was always there to help us and the girls. I would also like to thank Dave Sheargold, Michelle Price and Kylie Stewart as well as all committee members for your support of the Girls League Touch. Bosco is definitely one to the league leaders when it comes to supporting the Girls League Touch competitions and for the second year running we were the best dressed in full uniform, jackets and bags.

I also want to congratulate Jenny, Troy and all the girls from the other Under 11 Division 1 side for making the Grand Final. A great effort and you guys improved out of site as the season went on.

My last thank you goes to the nine girls that played this year. You are all a credit to yourselves and your parents. I wish all of you good luck next season in your new team as we have to split up with four girls staying in the Under 11's and five going up to the Under 13's.

I am so very proud to be associated with this group of girls and I look forward to watching your Rugby League journey continue.

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under 11div2 girls



Coach

Kylie Stewart

Assistant Coach: Jack Stewart

Manager: Sara Ryan

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Emily Stewart

Coaches Award: Stella Driver

Most Improved: Millie Cowie



2018 was our first year on the bigger field in the 11s and it provided a nice challenge. It's always difficult being the younger half of the competition, but the girls never let it bother them. They turned up each week with smiles on their faces and ready to give it their best. The improvement in the girls' skills at training, particularly our catch / pass and draw and pass was impressive, but we unfortunately struggled to transfer these skills into the game. As we gain more confidence to use these skills and move the ball around more, our game play will improve significantly. Spreading out in attack and moving up in defence are also key elements that will help us to be a real force in the competition next year. When these things click, watch out other teams!

We proved this year that when we put it together, we can match it with the best, so to do this consistently is our challenge for next season.

It was an absolute pleasure to coach the girls again this season. They are a great bunch of girls and are forming some lovely friendships, which is what it's all about.

MILLIE COWIE

Millie has always had plenty of ability and speed to burn, but what was most pleasing this season was her improvement in consistency and effort on the field. Last year, Millie was possibly guilty of being a little hot and cold, but this year, her attitude and effort was excellent all season at training and throughout each game. Millie turned up each week to give it her best and was willing to keep going. She was rewarded with many tries (leading try scorer for the season) and should be really proud of her improvement. Great job, Moo Moo.

STELLA DRIVER

Stella had another great year. She is ever reliable, always gives 100% and is a great listener. It can be a challenge for players to put on the field what's been talked about or practised at training, but this is something Stella really tries to do. Whether she's driving the ball forward in attack, running wide or working hard in defence, you know you can rely on Stella to give it her best and do a great job. A pleasure to coach - well done, Stella.

KEIRA FRANCE

Keira is a pleasure to coach. She always listens, tries her best and is continually improving. One of our best at running forward and her ball skills are impressive. In defence, Keira is super reliable. Despite the fact that some opposition players may be faster than her, Keira stays wide, positions herself well and doesn't let anyone get around her. Keira should be really proud of her efforts this season. Well done, Keira.

EMILY GAVIN

Em was a quiet achiever this season. She seemed to find a happy place for herself on the wing and was certainly reliable in defence. In attack, Em is an elusive runner with the ball and she produced some season highlights with her long weaving runs. Em also played a few games at fullback and did a wonderful job for the team. She is always enthusiastic and needs to back her ability more. You can do it, Em! Great season.

BEL HARRISON

Bel received our mid-season award to encourage her to believe in her speed and ability and get more involved. At times, Bel did this and we saw some great runs. As Bel continues to improve her concentration on the field and stays focused on the game, these attributes will serve her well in both attack and defence. Bel's skills have certainly improved over the season and it's a pleasure to see her enjoying her touch. Great work, Bel Bel.

EVA HARRISON

2018 was Eva's first year of touch league and she was certainly a valuable addition to the team. A fast and elusive runner with the ball, Eva made some great runs throughout the season. Defensively, Eva always worked hard in the middle making plenty of touches and will continue to improve this aspect of her game as she gains more experience. Great season, Eva. Well done.

CLAIRE LAMBERT

In her first season of touch league, Claire quickly got the idea of the game and really enjoyed her footy. Claire brought enthusiasm and a loud voice in defence, reminding everyone to "move up". As she gains experience in the game, she'll continue to get better and better. Mid-season, we discovered Claire's kicking game, which was a vital boost to the team and played an important role for the remainder of the season. Excellent first year of touch league, Claire. Great job.

EMILY STEWART

Emily continued to improve this year and consistently played well week in, week out. She is starting to read the game, has developed a nice side step and was always enthusiastic in both attack and defence. Em's defence was outstanding as she consistently led the way by always moving up and encouraging the other girls to do the same. Great season, Em.

I'd also like to thank the wonderful parents and grandparents that are part of our team for their ongoing support and willingness to help out each week. It's a lovely team environment to be a part of.

Special thanks also to Sara for managing the team this season. You did a brilliant job and you were an enormous help to me. I really appreciate it - perhaps you did too well, as I won't let you go now!

Thanks also to Jack who helped out at every training session and played a valuable role in the girls' skill development.





Bosco Bulldogs JRLFC




Girls Touch League
u11 Division 2

Back Row: Kylie Stewart (Coach), Jack Stewart (Ass. Coach), Emily Gavin, Keira France, Eva Harrison, Sara Ryan (Manager)
Front Row: Stella Driver, Millie Cowie, Emily Stewart, Claire Lambert, Bel Harrison



under 13 girls



Coach
Gerry Donnan

Manager: Michelle Donnan

Award winners

Best & Fairest: Summer Deland

Coaches Award: Charlotte Eshman

Most Improved: Phoebe Hales



We have had an enjoyable season once again. We were put into A grade, and came up against some stiff competition, however all the girls improved, and have played well together as a team.

Ball movement was a lot better, the team 'flowed' and the girls understood the game and plays.

The girls played in regular positions, most of the time, and this seemed to work as the defensive effort was greatly improved.

Our congratulations to all the girls on a great season!

Coach Gerry & Manager Michelle.

SUMMER DELAND

This was Summer's first year in NRL Touch. She has excelled at this sport and is a key player and leader in the team. She is an excellent ball runner, kicker and has scored the most tries this season. With an attitude that "I hate losing" she has tried hard to lift her team mates in all the games during the season and been very vocal. She won player of the week on multiple occasions. Her game day efforts are second to none. Thanks for a great season Summer, we look forward to seeing you play next year!

ZOE DONNAN

Zoe is a dedicated player, who enjoyed listening and developing her skills this season. Her understanding of the game and where to focus is great. Zoe has played at 2nd receiver, centre and wing and given her best efforts. She is a vocal contributor on game day and has worked hard for the team. Thanks Zoe for your efforts this season.

CHARLOTTE ESHMAN

Although one of the youngest players in this team, Charlotte is the number one pick for Full Back. She really enjoys her football and turns up for training every week, and always listens and engaged in team talk. Charlotte has improved in all facets: catching, kicking, evading, running, passing. Some terrific runs out of our back line this year and a safe set of hands, always looking to get to the try line and she did on multiple occasions. She is humble, tenacious and a good team contributor, liked by her team mates. Well done Charlotte!

SHARA FLANAGAN

Shara is a colourful character, well liked by her team mates and aggressive towards her opposition number. "It's touch Shara", was mentioned quite a few times during the season. Shara is the fastest player in the team and played awesome as a winger but liked to get into the middle amongst the action. Shara, what a great season. Thanks for all your efforts! See you next year.

PHOEBE HALES

Phoebe had not played NRL Touch before this season. Her natural ability and skill level development this season have been at the top of the class. One of the fastest players in the team, she also has excellent catching and evasive skills. Phoebe can play in any position and has acted as a utility all season. She listens all the time and likes to understand strategy positioning on game day. Thanks for an awesome season Phoebe, see you next year!

ALYSSE HARRISON

This was Alysse's first year in NRL Touch. During that time we have watched Alysse continue to improve week by week. Alysse always listens well and put into practise what was discussed during games and at training. Congrats on a well-played season Alysse. We hope to see you back next year.

LINDSAY IRELAND

Lindsay is a good listener and tries hard to learn new skills and then practise. Her football has improved a lot since she started just this year. Lindsay does not complain and has had the very responsible wing position, most weeks, and has done well saving almost certain tries from the opposition. A really encouraging year Lindsay. Keep up the good work! You should be proud of yourself.

LILY SHUTTLEWORTH

This was also Lily's first year playing. Lily is a good listener and continued to improve each week. Lily is also our number one conversion kicker! Congratulations on a good season Lily.

LYLA SMART

Lyla has contributed well to the team this season in attack and defence and continues to improve from her sterling efforts last year. She is well regarded by her team mates and has saved a number of opposition tries that were near certain. Lyla has an excellent attitude and commits 110% for the team each and every week. Thanks for another great season Lyla. See you next year!

MADDIE THOMAS

Maddie has competed hard for the team this year, mostly at 1st receiver. Her ball running, passing and general evasion skills have been really good. She is 1st for throwing dummies and completely confusing the opposition. Maddie is also especially vocal and defends her team mates from any opposition sledging. Thanks for another great season Maddie. See you next year.



BOSCO BULLDOGS JRLFC

2018

13GLT DIV 1

Back Row L-R: Gerard Donnan (Coach), Zoe Donnan, Phoebe Hales, Alysse Harrison, Lyla Smart
Front Row: Charlotte Eshman, Maddison Thomas, Summer Deland, Shara Flanagan, Lily Shuttleworth
Absent: Lindsay Ireland, Michelle Donnan (Manager)

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2007	Steve Wilson	2013	Ryan Schulz
2007	Peter Burns	2013	Rob Waugh
2007	Kevin Kelly	2015	Paul Gilbert
2008	Mick Hughes	2015	Neil Skillcorn
2008	Troy Brown	2018	Brad Wardrobe
2009	Peter Lewis		



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We look forward to welcoming you back in 2019.

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