



SOUTH COAST GROUP 7 RUGBY LEAGUE



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Grand Finals

Saturday 26th September - Centenary Field



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WELCOME TO GRAND FINAL DAY 2026

On behalf of Harrigan Ford South Coast Group 7 Rugby League and our Board of Directors, it is our pleasure to welcome everyone to Centenary Field for the 2026 Group 7 Grand Final Day.

Today is the culmination of another fantastic season of Rugby League on the South Coast and an opportunity to celebrate the teams who have earned the right to compete on our biggest stage.

Congratulations to all Clubs and Match Officials taking part today. Reaching a Grand Final is a tremendous achievement and something every Player, Coach, Referee Association member, family and supporter should be extremely proud of.

We would also like to extend a sincere thank you to everyone who has contributed to the 2026 season, to our Clubs, Players, Coaches, Trainers, Match Officials, Staff, Sponsors, Spectators and Supporters who continue to make Group 7 Rugby League such an important part of our local communities.

Most importantly, we acknowledge our incredible Volunteers.

You are the lifeblood and heartbeat of the Group 7 Rugby League competition. From setting up grounds and working canteens and gates, to managing teams, running water, marking fields and completing the countless jobs behind the scenes, our game simply does not happen without you.

Your time, your passion and your commitment to your Clubs and to Rugby League are something we are incredibly grateful for.

To everyone joining us at Centenary Field today, thank you for being part of our biggest day of the season.

To all teams taking the field enjoy the occasion and represent your Club with pride.

WE ARE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER

Ashton Sims
Football Operations Manager
South Coast Group 7 Rugby League



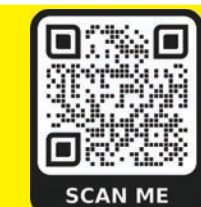
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1ST GRADE

Grand Final





Kiama Knights
KIAMA R.L.F.C

VS



ALBION PARK OAK FLATS EAGLES

KICK OFF 3.00PM
SATURDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER
AT CENTENARY FIELD, ALBION PARK



Centenary Field – Saturday 26th September

1st Grade – 3.00pm Interchange: D Chamberlin

Referee: B Simon TJ – T Jordan & C Spowart Lehmann

KIAMA		ALBION PARK OAK FLATS	
1	Brad Killmore	1	Jack Talbott
2	Kye Deane	2	Mitchell Potts
3	Max Jennings	3	Billy Hayburn
4	Callan Thistlethwaite	4	Jiye Ellis
5	Tom Atkins	5	Dallas Harrison
6	Sam Hooper	6	Leroy Murray
7	Cameron Vazzoler	7	Drew Hutchison
8	Matt Nicholson	8	Matthew White
9	Daniel Martin	9	Vili Mahe
10	Taj Roberts	10	Rhys Kennedy
11	Toby Lane	11	Ryan Jones
12	Tom Angel	12	Zaan Weatherall
13	Keiran Poole	13	Josh Sainsbury
14	Jack McDonald	14	Brock Skelly
15	Ryan Hodgson	15	Hayden Whatman
16	Ashton Thurgate	16	Mase Hillcoat
17	Joshua Hitchins	17	Vaenuku Vatuvei
19	Matt Morris	17	Jarryd King
		19	Jack Walsh
		20	Rydge Smith
		21	
Coach	Matt O'Brien		
Co-Coach	Steve Ross		
Manager	Josh Norris		

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RESERVE GRADE
Grand Final



VS

KICK OFF 1.15PM
SATURDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER
AT CENTENARY FIELD, ALBION PARK



Centenary Field – Saturday 26th September

2nd Grade – 1.15pm

Referee: J Geordan TJ – D Chamberlin & P Hadfield

SHELLHARBOUR

ALBION PARK OAK FLATS

1	Ben De La Fosse	1	Jesse Prinsse
2	Darcey O'Toole	2	Caden Hooper
3	Kyron Ebbs	3	Blake Jones
4	Chris Borneman	4	Lexin O'Dea
5	Vinnie Scotti	5	Byron Webber
6	Jordy Vergis	6	Levi Valesini
7	Hamish McLaurin	7	Scott Austin
8	Dan Lovell	8	Ashton O'Dea
9	Jub Young	9	Brodie Breakspear
10	Remi Mant	10	Tui Ieremia
11	Jordan Morn ©	11	Will Booth
12	Watisoni Duritti	12	Rhys O'Dea
13	Dean Hodgson	13	Jake Hollingsworth
14	Lochie Greatz	14	Kyle Williams
15	Brad Nicholson	15	Keith Simpson
16	Luke Green	16	Logan Stubbs
17	Curtis Faughlin	17	Jordan Hutchison
18	Peni Botiki	18	Sam Ribeiro
19	Jack Owens	19	Jack Walsh
20	Tyson Piercy		
21	Alex Hjalton		
22	Obed Kharwin		

Coach Shane Donoghoe

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Centenary Field – Saturday 26th September

Under 18's – 11.30am

Referee: T Hoobin TJ M Arregui & J Law

STINGRAYS

- 1 Deakin Ingram
- 2 Kobi Hayward
- 3 Cyrus Willis
- 4 Blake Degouviea
- 5 Cole Motbey
- 6 Tyler Lewis
- 7 Harry Oshea
- 8 Joel Crewdson
- 9 Ryland Coelho
- 10 Mace Scofield
- 11 Tom Voase
- 12 Preston Ruiz
- 13 Josh Lakeman
- 14 Lachie Eirth
- 15 Noah Jackson
- 16 Marcus Cuthbert
- 17 Flynn Furney
- 18 Bailey Roche
- 19 Riley Gilroy
- 20 Landyn Lopez

Coach Trey Barlow

BERRY SHOALHAVEN

- 1 Jarrah Thomas
- 2 Kael Christopher
- 3 Sonny Jamieson
- 4 Max Marshall
- 5 Noah Walker
- 6 Dylan Stewart
- 7 Tahj Webb
- 8 Harry Carr
- 9 Jett Creary
- 10 Lucas McLeod
- 11 Taj Barrett ©
- 12 Brodie Neasbey
- 13 Will Tan
- 14 Kayde Whitfield
- 15 Hayden French
- 16 Lucas Walker
- 17 Jamie O'Brian
- 18 Dylan George
- 19 Marcus Grima
- 20 Bailey Newham
- 21 Kyrone Crockett

Coach Kane Barrett
Manager Ian Webb



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OPEN WOMENS TACKLE

Grand Final





KICK OFF 10.15AM
SATURDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER
AT CENTENARY FIELD, ALBION PARK



Centenary Field – Saturday 26th September

OWT 9's – 10.15am

Referee: K Whitford TJ – J Scofield & J Lalic

STINGRAYS

- 1 Grace Adams
- 2 Keeleigh McCauley
- 3 Shante Lenartowicz
- 4 Maddy Bullock
- 5 Ruby Faughlin
- 6 Alex Wallace
- 7 Riley Scott
- 8 Tiana Kore
- 9 Tayla Davis
- 10 Tyeisha Tighe
- 11 Sibeal McNamara
- 12 Ebony Turner
- 13 Renee Jones
- 14 Emily Summerville
- 15 Kiahni Starr
- 16 Gamali Gatt

Coach Leash Janssen

SHELLHARBOUR

- 1 Emma Walters (C)
- 2 Charlotte Beahan
- 3 Jaye Lacey
- 4 Rhiannon Brown
- 5 Jess Rosskelly
- 6 Olivia Mitchell (VC)
- 7 Zali Yeo
- 9 Mia Kunkler
- 10 Cassie Angeloska
- 11 Bree Moreton
- 12 Millie Cunich
- 13 Siannon Holloway
- 14 Kiana Williams
- 23 Jayla Commins
- 24 Brody Preston
- 25 Arley Hourn

Coach Ronald Kissell

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HISTORIANS REPORT

Another Grand Final Day with reigning premiers Kiama and minor premier Albion Park Oak Flats meeting for the first time ever in a first-grade premiership decider. This is surprising as Kiama entered the competition in 1914 and Albion Park in the early 1930's. Each Club has won thirteen premierships. Kiama 1925, (30 and 33 as Kiama-Bombo), 45, 46, 47, 48, 50, 69, 83, 85, 2019, 25, Albion Park 1944, 49, 63, Albion Park Oak Flats 64, 75, 98, 99, 2000, 03,06, 07, 09, 12.

Shellharbour and Albion Park Oak Flats have met in six premiership deciders each winning three. Albion Park Oak Flats in 1966, 76, 2008. Shellharbour in 1973, 75, 2006. Shellharbour have won 19 premierships and Albion Park Oak Flats 8 (including 1938 when they combined with Jamberoo).

Berry Shoalhaven Heads are attempting back-to-back premierships after breaking a 42-year drought last year. Stingrays of Shellharbour are trying for their first premiership and in their only grand final were beaten by Shellharbour in 2020. Berry were premiers in 1947, 72, 73, 83 and 2025.

The first Womens Tackle Nines grand final will be a local derby between Shellharbour Sharks and Stingrays of Shellharbour.

New Premiers. With four Grand Finals played last Sunday there were three new premiers Regan Cup Warilla Lake South, Ladies Tag 2 Shellharbour and Regan Cup Ladies Tag Robertson. Milton Ulladulla retained their Ladies Tag 1 premiership. Today First, Reserve and 18's could provide new premiers.

Congratulations to all the Referees and Touch Judges appointed on grand final day particularly Balunn Simon controlling his initial first grade decider at a young age.

To everyone who assisted to organise another big season appreciation. A big thanks to Brad Moulds for receiving and publishing all the results each weekend a big job and to Bar TV for their coverage of the games particularly their camera people out in all sorts of weather. Not forgetting the all-important Sponsors both at Group and Club level.

Grand Finals of the Illawarra South Coast Junior Merged Competitions were played At WIN Stadium with Group Seven teams having their most success since the competition commenced in 1998. Results:

Boys Tackle – 13.1 Albion Park Oak Flats 18 Nowra Warriors 6, 13.2 Helensburgh 40 Western Suburbs 10, 14.1 Albion Park Oak Flats 16 Shellharbour 14, 14.2 Milton Ulladulla 42 Thirroul 6, 15.1 Corrimall 14 Collegians 12, 15.2 Albion Park Oak Flats 24 Helensburgh 20, 16.1 Berry Shoalhaven Heads 30 Western Suburbs 22, 16.2 Kiama 10 Stingrays of Shellharbour 4.

Girls Tackle – 14.2 Milton Ulladulla 14 Dapto 12, 14.1 Albion Park Oak Flats 16 Shellharbour 4, 16.2 St Georges Basin 20 Dapto 4, 16.1 Gerringong 24 Stingrays of Shellharbour 16.

2026 Premiers in Former Country Areas. (Our Grand Final today is the last to be completed). Northern Rivers Casino (after 36 years), Newcastle South Newcastle, Hunter Valley Waratah Mayfield, Illawarra Collegians, McCarthur Camden, Peter McDonald (Gp 10-11) Forbes, Central Coast Wyong, Canberra Queanbeyan Kangaroos, George Tooke Shield Harden, Woodbridge Cup Oberon, Castlereagh Cup Cobar, Community Cup Western Riverina Goolgowi, Outback Mildura, Group 2 Macksville, 3 Wingham, Hastings Kendall, 4 Gunnedah, 9 Gundagai, 16 Tathra, 19 Urulla, 20 Tullibigeal-Lake Cargelligo, 21 Scone.

John O'Dwyer OAM Historian.

Group 7 Junior and Senior Rugby League Life Member



A huge thank you to Harrigan Ford, who came on board in 2026 as the Naming Rights Sponsor of Group 7 Rugby League. Your support and commitment to local rugby league has played an important role in making this season such a success.

We'd also like to sincerely thank our valued partners Better Beer, REMONDIS and REACT for their continued support throughout the 2026 season.

We are incredibly grateful to have such fantastic businesses backing Group 7 Rugby League and helping us continue to grow our game across the region.



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