



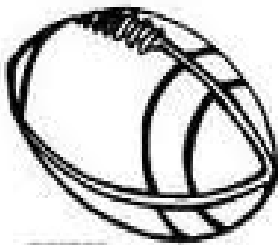
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IT HAS BEEN A TOUGH OLD YEAR!

Our teams are at the business end of the season and the scars are showing!

In what has been an unprecedented year for injuries, the depth of our playing strength is being severely tested, but through it all we are still managing to field teams every week and fighting to the end.

Premier (Division One) alone has now used 46 players up the end of last week, and this has meant numerous players have been pulled into this team, and therefore potentially weakening their own teams. It is however great experience for these players!

The Management Committee wish to extend it's thanks to players, coaches and managers for their co-operation sharing players across various grades. To our supporters I hope you truly understand how difficulty this has been, and that everyone is aiming to have the best possible results at season end.

At this point teams are in the following competitions

Premier —will drop down to the play semi finals in the plate commencing 15 July

Premier Reserve - just missed the Top 8 and will now play in the Bowl competition

Colts Premier—Continue round robin play in section 2

Division 3 Gold—travelling well and a serious contender in the Metro Senior Championship competition

Division 3 Lions— competing well in the Metro Senior Reserve round robin competition

HAVE YOU COMPLETED THE CLUB QUESTIONNAIRE?

Recently a link was sent to all members to allow you to complete the 2017 membership questionnaire. If you haven't taken the opportunity already, we encourage you to do so to have your say.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NBRFC2017>

2017 Blazer Day

Our annual Blazer Day event was held on Saturday 24 June 2017.

Initiated in 2010, the motivation for Blazer Day was to get those players that had played 50 Division One games back supporting the Club, many who may have drifted away over the years.

Around 40 blazer club members were present at various stages on the day and all of these players have been presented with 50 game, and 100 games badges if applicable, over the past 8 years.

Two new blazer club members joined this Group this season - John Vili (debut 2014) and Stefan Moir (debut 2013). We now have 96 players that have played in excess of 50 Senior Division One games.

Players only started receiving blazers in the 1990's, so the Club has retrospectively awarded players prior to this date with blazers. This year's two recipients were -

Graham Stanley

Halfback

1959-1974 (includes playing in 1968 Championship Winning team)

100 + Games

Coached Div 1 over 3 periods 1970-90

Lately became a prominent lawn bowler

Remains connected to the Club through his son Brett who manages Colts Premier, and grandson Jackson who plays in the same team

Ceddie Smith

1st Five

1961-1972 (includes playing in 1968 Championship Winning team)

191 games

Took up coaching the year after he retired helping Dick Hockley and Ron Eastgate through to 1975

Took over as sole coach from 1976 - 1983

Won CSB Cup in 1977 and 1980

Won CSB Trophy in 1978

Won DCL Shield in 1979

He also coached in 1986 with John Te Amo, in 1989 with Graham Stanley and in 2000 with Ian Penrose

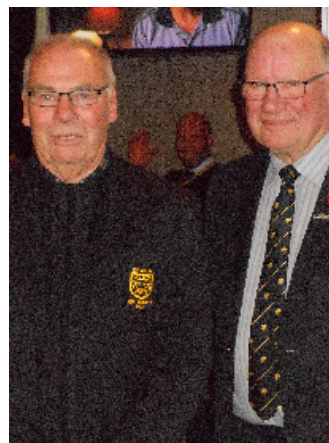
Was a key part of the rebuild of the Clubrooms in the 1980's

Life Member

Trustee



GRAHAM STANLEY



CEDDIE SMITH

2017 PRIZEGIVING

Friday 25 August 2017

PUT THIS DATE IN YOUR DIARY NOW

DIVISION 3 GOLD PROFILE

With a core of the old Div 3 which didn't have a team last year, added with players from diverse backgrounds. A rag tag of a team with over 20 years difference between the youngest and oldest members. Despite players coming from all over the show, we have gelled to put it together on the pitch, lead by David Cattermole's experience, and a strong pack from the old Div 3.

Coaches Andrew Littlejohn and Tess Ah Kuoi, and U13s coach Josh Pitcher managing are watched over by the veteran overlord Elliot Norton. The hardest part of the job is to make sure we have a team on the pitch as like the other teams at the club we have had our fair share of injuries, but thanks to the input of the Colts, Div2 and the Div 3 Lions we have managed to conjure up a record of 7 wins 3 losses and 1 draw. We have still a bit of work to do to make the top 4 but we are tracking well, and with 2 games left it is in our hands. Players and games played this season below (up to Saturday 8 July 2017)

Tess Ah Kuoi
Coach

Player	Played
Quentin Vui	9
Te Amaru Tutaki (Tam)	6
Greg Richardson (Rigga)	4
Rick van Olphen	10
Will Tuiloma	7
Reuben Burke	10
Neilson Leach	3
Luke O'Malley	6
Kao Hurunui	7
Justin Bright	8
Andre Haitana	8
Clint Williams	4
Eric Ah Kuoi	11
Codey Bolton	10
Shayne Lewis (Lewy)	4
Corbin Haitana	8
Jonny Brennan (JB)	7
David Cattermole	11
James Weber	11
Slade Pirini	5
Iafeta Toma	7
Reagan Keown	9
Dayne Wipou	3

Player	Played
Dean Nesbitt (Div 2)	3
Matt Burnside (Div2)	5
Tim Harris (Div2)	4
Nathan Mitchell	7
Alby Wilson (Div2)	2
Connor Stephenson	3
Shaun Sorby (U18s)	1
Julian (Colts)	1
Bailey Hamilton (Colts)	1
James (Colts)	1
Ziggy (Lions)	1
Reuben K (Colts)	1
Sid W (Colts)	1
Kaleb (Colts)	1
Adrian Strauss (Div 2)	1
Andrew Littlejohn (Coach)	1
Nick McCrostie	1

JUNIOR SECTION QUIZ EVENING Friday August 4th.

Tables for 6 people \$60. Get a team together for a great night out. Tickets on sale

Email to book a table summa.atkinson@xtra.co.nz or wedlakes@gmail.com

DIVISION 3 LIONS PROFILE

New Brighton Lions are the latest senior team to join the NBRFC stomping yard in 2017.

With an experienced forward pack and new talent added to the backs, this mixture of players have settled into the fast pace of the Division 3 grade with many challenges and setbacks. However, as the season has progressed and with more games played together, the pride has endured and snapped back with a few wins in the Metro Reserve grade. Week in and week out, the lads continue to prove that on and off the field they stand together as a team and most importantly, as brothers. Saturday is for the boys, nice nice nice.

Lina loane
MANAGER

FORWARDS	BACKS
Asovale Luma	Alexander Leupolu
Benjamin McBride	Barry Burton
Dallas Barlow (Vice Captain)	Brian loane
Evile Tuua	Brock Hatton
Gareth Davies	Caron Davies
James Klemick	Henry Tauti
Joseph Faletanoai (Captain)	Jake Campbell
Junior Filifili	Joshua Kalauta
Kaa Tuakanakore	Karl Henry
Knox Lealavaa	Laurence Charles
Motu Faavesi	Paddy Caffell
Nathan Harry	Peter Foese
Nikolas Ellery	Ryan Strijbis
Stephen Coleman	Simon MacGregor
Troy Tumahai	TeNawe Hooper-Whiti
Wayne Simpson	Torstine Timo
Head Coach	Brian loane
Managers	Lina loane, Corey Counihan
Assistant Manager	Brian Barlow

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GO FOR GOLD RESULTS

Week One			
1st	\$500	3	Nikos Cummings-Toone
2nd	\$200	83	Tony Claxton & Paul Kendall
3rd	\$100	121	Paulie Jorda-Gonzalez
4th	\$100	8	Trevor Stokes
Week Two			
1st	\$200	84	Buzz March
2nd	\$100	39	Stuart Higginson
3rd	\$100	27	Margaret Kelso 'Gem Syndicate'
4th	\$50	42	Jeannie & Kevin Odgers
Week Three			
1st	\$200	14	Lois Burleigh
2nd	\$100	67	Steve Muir
3rd	\$100	21	Ron Vette
4th	\$50	28	Elliot Norton & Ray Withers
Week Four			
1st	\$200	4	Paulie Gonzalez
2nd	\$100	48	Kevin London
3rd	\$100	13	Shireen Spaul
4th	\$50	6	John Te Amo
Week Five			
1st	\$500	49	Andrew Littlejohn
2nd	\$200	11	Brian Pawson
3rd	\$100	103	Dave Bowick & Peter McLaren
4th	\$100	88	Dawne Aitchison
Week Six			
1st	\$200	110	Steve Crotty
2nd	\$100	110	Steve Crotty
3rd	\$100	67	Steve Muir
4th	\$50	79	Marcel Cummings-Toone
Week Seven			
1st	\$200	85	Tony Hall
2nd	\$100	60	Wayne Turner
3rd	\$100	107	Ching Evans
4th	\$50	39	Stuart Higginson
Week Eight			
1st	\$200	48	Kevin London
2nd	\$100	85	Tony Hall
3rd	\$100	38	Wayne Turner
4th	\$50	70	Grant Webley
Week Nine			
1st	\$500	107	Ching Evans
2nd	\$200	47	Ceddie Smith
3rd	\$100	93	Bill Barry
4th	\$100	13	Shireen Spaul
Week Ten			
1st	\$200	105	Dean Hanham & Heather Warne
2nd	\$100	86	Alan Hyett
3rd	\$100	97	Hunter Ritchie
4th	\$50	65	Margaret Kelso 'Gem Syndicate'

Week Eleven			
1st	\$200	65	Margaret Kelso 'Gem Syndicate'
2nd	\$100	66	Roddy Butt
3rd	\$100	64	Greg Lamb
4th	\$50	113	De Garnham Family
Week Twelve			
1st	\$200	54	Rob Mather
2nd	\$100	41	Nigel & Kate Turner
3rd	\$100	22	Brian Woodhead & Les Forrester
4th	\$50	31	Bryan Brown
Week Thirteen			
1st	\$200	22	Brian Woodhead & Les Forrester
2nd	\$100	14	Lois Burleigh
3rd	\$100	9	Allie & Becky McConnell
4th	\$50	54	Rob Mather
Week Fourteen			
1st	\$200	55	Chris & Christine Bates
2nd	\$100	66	Roddy Butt
3rd	\$100	19	Ross Workman/Ross Henry
4th	\$50	84	Buzz March
Week Fifteen			
1st	\$200	136	Chelsea Kershaw (c/o Paulie)
2nd	\$100	98	Rob Marr
3rd	\$100	72	Andrew Kelso
4th	\$50	56	Anthony Chapman



Health and Safety

As you will be aware, the Government has introduced new Health and Safety legislation that has implications for all Sports Clubs.

The Club has established a Health & Safety Policy and it will be on display in various parts of the Clubrooms.

Roddy Butt is our Health and Safety Officer, and all members are encouraged to bring any potential hazards to his attention so we can mitigate any potential issue.

Health and Safety Policy Statement

The New Brighton Rugby Football Club is committed to maintaining a safe and healthy environment for members, visitors, and other persons within its operating facilities.

Health and Safety is everyone's business, and everyone is expected to share in our commitment to avoid all accidents and incidents, which may cause personal injury, property damage or loss of any kind.

All members and others are expected to act safely at all times to ensure their own welfare and that of their fellow members and others within our operating facilities.

We will make every reasonable effort to ensure the safety of member's and others by:

- Providing and maintaining a safe environment.
- Providing suitable facilities.
- Ensuring all equipment is safe.
- Ensuring all members and other people at/or in the vicinity of our facilities, are not exposed to unmanaged or uncontrolled hazards caused by our operations.
- Developing and implementing emergency and evacuation procedures.

To achieve this we will:

- Systematically identify and control all known hazards in our facilities. Where there are significant hazards we will take all practicable steps to eliminate, isolate and/or minimise these hazards to prevent any injury or damage.
- Inform all members and others of these hazards and the hazard control.
- Ensure members are properly supervised during work/club activities.
- Display emergency and evacuation procedures.
- Record all incidents and accidents that occur during work or club activities, and take all practicable steps to prevent a re-occurrence of any such incident or accident.
- Carry out planned self-inspections to monitor Health and Safety issues.
- Ensure all members are given reasonable opportunities to participate effectively in ongoing processes for the improvement of Health and Safety.