

Southside Super 6



Project Overview

The Southside Super 6 is a partnership between Sunnybank, Redlands and Yatala Rugby clubs and local schools. Three of the schools, (Rivermount, Redeemer and Sheldon), will continue their Rugby participation after the sport was removed from the Greater Brisbane Conference (GBC) for 2019. Three new schools will participate in regular competition for the first time. Clairvaux-Mackillop and St Thomas Moore are local catholic schools in the Sunnybank area while the 6th school is a state high school that has signed an agreement/lease to allow the Yatala Rams JRC to use their premises for 10 years.

The competition will initially commence as a Rugby 10's format with the aim to move to Rugby 15s after the passing of the half-draft year in 2019 and the bedding down of ATAR.

There will be 3 age groups that will compete on a Wednesday afternoon in the last 6 weeks of term 1.

Relationship Between the Schools

The schools are geographically bound with a geographical relationships to the sponsor clubs:

Sunnybank: Redeemer; Clairvaux-Mackillop; St Thomas Moore

Redlands: Sheldon

Yatala: Rivermount; Windaroo Valley SHS

Coaching Strategy

The coaching strategy will involve bespoke solutions for each school that will range from:

- provision of qualified coaches
- provision of qualified mentor coaches
- provision of coach education and accreditation

In addition to this there will be a broader range of community coach education programs including:

- Accreditation (Smart Rugby, Foundation, Level 1 and Updates)
- Coach Development Workshops
- Coaches Breakfasts
- Club Coaching Support to Schools

Match Official Strategy

In the first year the match officials will be sourced from the pool of qualified officials through the QRRRA. Payment will be made for officiating with the model that 2 officials will be appointed for each series of 3 games between 2 schools on any given round (6 referees in total each week). The strategy is that the schools and their community members will be integrated into the existing community match official programs at Sunnybank and Redlands.

Region

Southern Greater Brisbane
Queensland

Convenor

Cameron Foley

Status

Year 1 completed Term 1 2019

Current Project Expenditure

Year 1 - \$32,302.00 Approved

Start up Schools' Competition

Local Geographical

Age/Grade: Year 12

Game Form: 10-a-side

Gender: Male

Number of Schools: 6

Schools new to Rugby: 3

Venues

School/Club venues (Home and Away)

The majority of matches will be played at Sunnybank Rugby Club. The exceptions to this will be when the Yatala schools are drawn they will play locally, and Sheldon will host home games on other weeks.

Sustainability

SJRC has a development fund and a documented strategy to develop local schools Rugby to sustain the playing base of the club.

Yatala Rams has a 10 year rights of use lease with the Windaroo Valley SHS and is involved in infrastructure partnering on the school site. There is an inherent mutuality in this relationship. 5 of the schools have demonstrated resource commitments to extra-curricular programs that are sustained within the school.