

NORTHERN NSW CARNIVAL

# RECORD



HUNTER CENTRAL  
COAST



NORTH COAST



SOUTH COAST



NORTH WEST



JULY 8<sup>TH</sup>, 9<sup>TH</sup>, 10<sup>TH</sup> 2025

BY OLIVER CROFT



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BILAA**



**BUNGGUL**



**GULWI**



**KARNTA**



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Eastlake 1<sup>st</sup> Grade  
Women's Co-Captain





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# CARNIVAL

# UMPIRES



Just as players have a pathway to reach the AFL, umpires in NSW/ACT also have a clear progression toward officiating at the elite level. For many of the NSW/ACT Talent Pathway umpires featured during the Northern NSW Junior Representative Carnival, this is where the journey begins.

The Umpire Talent Pathway consists of four tiers, starting with the introductory level – Next Gen Development. From there, umpires can progress through to Next Gen Advanced, VFL Accelerator, and finally, VFL Development, each level designed to support and prepare them for the next step in their journey.

The success of the Umpire Talent Pathway has been highlighted by a number of NSW/ACT umpires currently officiating at AFL level; including Field Umpire – Nic McGinness, Boundary umpires – Ben Fely, Dan Field Read, David Wood & Michael Barlow and Goal Umpires – Angus McKenzie Wills, Alex Chisholm & Taylor Mattioli. If you would like more information on how to get involved as an umpire in NSW/ACT, please contact [tyler.hollingworth@afl.com.au](mailto:tyler.hollingworth@afl.com.au)

Congratulations to the umpires listed below who have been selected to officiate in the Northern NSW Junior Representative Carnival. We wish all players, coaches, and umpires the best of luck on a successful and enjoyable carnival.



- Noah Brown\*\* – AFL Canberra
- Lars Meskauskas\*\* – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Jack George\*\* – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Holly Bryson – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Riley Johnston – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Chloe Lynch – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Dane McKimm – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Lucas Wood – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Erin Fitchett – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Anthony Everson – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Cooper Smith – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Darren McKimm – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Richard Noone – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Charlie Waters – AFL Hunter Central Coast
- Melissa Bidlingmaier\*\* – AFL North Coast
- Ollie Mat\*\* – AFL North Coast
- Geoff Knight – AFL North Coast
- Tyler Mat – AFL North Coast
- Payton Yole – AFL North Coast
- Tora Whelow – AFL North Coast
- Jude Aspden – AFL North Coast
- Ray Christie – AFL North Coast
- Tess Oriti – AFL North Coast
- Vincent Catchpole – AFL North Coast
- Robbie Bowman – AFL North Coast
- Montana Harvey – AFL North Coast
- Tom Smith – AFL North Coast
- Bruce Alp – AFL North Coast
- Chris Novak – AFL North Coast
- Mark Smith – AFL North Coast
- Harry Fraser – AFL South Coast
- Byron Higgins\*\* – AFL Sydney
- Isaac Leonard\*\* – AFL Sydney
- Skyla Seal\*\* – AFL Sydney
- Max Bird\*\* – AFL Sydney
- Huon Wright\*\* – AFL Sydney

\*\* Denotes the Nex-Gen Development Umpires





# NORTHERN NSW REPRESENTATIVE CARNIVAL 2025

**BY OLIVER CROFT**

**AFL HUNTER CENTRAL COAST JOURNALIST**

The Northern NSW Representative Carnival is one that all officials, players, coaches and volunteers look forward to each and every year. Three massive days of footy are about to take over Coffs Harbour as the best young talent from across four proud regions come together to play for the Simon Smyth Cup.

From July 8 to 10, the Representative Carnival will showcase potential stars of the future within age groups U13, U15, and U17s with both boys and youth girls pulling on their regional colours and going head-to-head. This year's carnival will again be played across two quality venues: C.ex International Stadium and Sport & Leisure Park, adding to the atmosphere. Fierce but friendly rivalry is to be expected between teams from:

- AFL Hunter Central Coast (fielding 15 teams)
- AFL North Coast (all age groups)
- AFL South Coast (all age groups)
- AFL North West (U13s only)

For the players, it's an exciting chance to represent their home region, connect with teammates from other clubs, and put their footy skills to the test on a bigger stage.

Whether you're a family member, a footy tragic (like myself), or just love seeing rising stars in action; this is a carnival not to miss.

Brad Greenshields; Community Football and Competition Manager for AFL Northern NSW, cited that in 2024 the event saw 27 teams play for their program with around 600 players in total playing in 81 matches across the 3 days. It featured 120 coaches, managers and umpires as well as approximately 1,200 spectators each day, showing how the event can bring a large section of the state's footy community to the region.

Designed and written by myself with many contributors from other regions, this record is your souvenir of the carnival; featuring line-ups, fixtures, activities and key information all in one place.

Whatever region you're from, whatever team you're supporting, I hope you have the most enjoyable representative carnival experience.



# CARNIVAL OVERVIEW

Age groups – U13, U15 & U17s Boys. U13, U15, U17s Youth Girls

## REGIONS COMPETING

## TEAMS



FIELDING A COMBINED 15 TEAMS



ALL AGE GROUPS



ALL AGE GROUPS



U13S ONLY



## VENUE:

C.EX INTERNATIONAL STADIUM +  
SPORT & LEISURE PARK



They're competing for the:

Simon Smyth Cup

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# THE SIMON SMYTH *Cup*



Simon Smyth (left) with some of the leaders from the Illawarra teams that helped secure the Simon Smyth Cup at the 2024 Northern NSW Championships.

When the three days of matches at the Northern NSW Championships have been finished, the region that has won the highest percentage of its matches across all of the age groups will be declared the winner of the Simon Smyth Cup.

For the past two years the trophy has been claimed by Illawarra (South Coast) in what are typically close run affairs.

The trophy was named after Simon Smyth, an experienced AFL staff member, who has been a pioneer for more than a decade in growing junior football across the Northern NSW region and has been and continues to be a champion for junior representative football and the benefits it provides for young players.

The honour was bestowed upon him prior to the 2022 edition of the Championships.

There are no winners declared across each individual age group.

The “winner” of the Championship will be the representative program that has the highest match ratio (percentage of wins from matches played) combined across all teams entered by that representative program.







By Casey White

South Coast entered the Coffs carnival in 2022 as the Illawarra Storm and have participated every year since. With the merging of the Illawarra and Shoalhaven 13s, 15s and 17s competitions in 2024/25, we have now rebranded to the South Coast Storm, encompassing players from Woonona to Ulladulla. Our region thrives in the competitive environment of the Coffs carnival, getting to play against the state's best junior footballers, and look forward to this week each season.

Like previous seasons, we will be bringing teams for all six grades, with a mix of Swans and Giants talent pathway players in addition to many first time Carnival attendees.

We thank each of the volunteers who have given their time to leading our junior teams and acknowledge Brad and the team at AFL North Coast who do an outstanding job delivering this carnival. We can't wait to hit the ground running this week.



FOUNDED  
1969

REP. TEAM  
SOUTH  
COAST  
STORM

MOST RECENT  
FIRST GRADE  
MEN'S PREMIERS

WOLLONGONG  
BULLDOGS

MOST RECENT  
FIRST GRADE  
WOMEN'S PREMIERS

FIGTREE  
KANGAROOS



**Active Clubs:** Bomaderry Tigers, Figtree Kangaroos (Men) & Saints (Women), Kiama Power, Northern Districts Tigers, Shellharbour Swans, Wollongong Lions, Wollongong Bulldogs, Bay & Basin Bombers, Albion Park Crows and Port Kembla Eagles.





# TEAM LISTS

## U17 BOYS

*Coach: Ben Muller*

Jackson McKenzie  
Riley Hart  
Angus Lawson  
Drew Brown  
Lachlan Muller  
Campbell  
Thompson  
Jack Thompson  
William Falconer  
Lucas Tanevski  
Mason McMahon  
Jett Richards  
Chris Baerwinkel  
Marshall McDonald  
Harry Jackson  
Vincent Sherrell  
KJ Sullivan  
Will Canaris  
Cooper Garrard  
Bear Holland  
James McLarnen

## U17 GIRLS

*Coach: Peter Frith*

Ayla Clerget  
Aayana Maihi-  
Taniora  
Abbey Brooks  
Ashleigh Barlow  
Eva Christian  
Georgia Staffiero  
Isabella Evans  
Isabella Roso  
Kaylee Monkman  
Molly Coble  
Olive Stevens  
Sarah Beaver  
Sari Clarke  
Chloe Richards  
Emma Trudgett  
Grace Vernon-  
Rogers  
Talia McArthur  
Shayna Eshman  
Tameka Eshman

## U15 BOYS

*Coach: Kenny Ewen-  
Chappell*

Sam Hicks  
Kai Reid  
Bodhi Charlton  
Thomas Pullinger  
Lucas Ball  
Fergus Coughlan  
Xavier O'Connor  
Aidan Clothier  
Braxton Ewen-  
Chappell  
Kieran Ritter  
William Murrie  
Griffin Carey  
Mason Flether  
Reedon Hatton  
Shay Grennan  
Hayden Langhorn  
Kaden Brookfield  
Andrew Bouwens  
Max Cohen  
Charlie Greening  
Jackson Fraser  
Knox Wade







# TEAM LISTS

## U15 GIRLS

*Coach: Tim Cuthbert*

Imogen Moore  
Sienna Foster  
Ava Lipscombe  
Lulu Mastrangelo  
Zoe Howard  
Ella Howard  
Ruby Roberts  
Olivia Chapman  
Annalise Schilko  
Memphis Coble  
Kiah Evans  
Roxy Wood  
Amelia Camarsh  
Kristi Hobbin  
Zoey Cuthbert  
Sarah Bailey  
Ziva O'Connor  
Madison Boyd  
Samantha Green  
Shaye Wicker  
Sophie Roso  
Ki Aia Cardamone

## U13 MIXED

*Coach: Ben Shum*

Cooper Pitts  
Levi Richardson  
Aiden Dimitrievski  
Finn Kelly  
Noah Andrews  
Oliver Williams  
Moreton Ellerington  
Kahlan Hockey  
Sam Murphy  
Fionn Kelly  
Bob Woods  
Patrick Shum  
Walt Shanahan  
Cale Clothier  
Cohen Lewis  
Jack Kingwill  
Hudson Morris  
Taj Hubbard  
Barney Bridger  
Jamie Cox  
Oscar Martin  
Brody Norrie  
Xavier Murphy

## U13 GIRLS

*Coach: Casey White*

Ruby Hobbin  
Amali Tanevski  
Anna Tanevski  
Amari Wicker  
Emma Clunas  
Harriet Wise  
Drew Lisle  
Emerson Boatswain  
Lexie Cardamone  
Layla Burbage  
Chilli Wade  
Josephine Craig  
Isla Williams  
Mila Ward  
Summah Anderson  
Holland Huender  
Havana Huender  
Holly Mills  
Ruby Garnero







By Brad Greenshields

The nickname for the AFL North Coast's representative teams has never been more apt.

The North Coast is fast becoming a Force to be reckoned with.

Each year over the past few years the AFL North Coast's junior representative teams have provided a better standard of football than the year before.

A major factor behind the improvement is the increased player numbers in the junior ranks.

In a competition that spans from Port Macquarie in the south up to Yamba in the north, the number of junior players in the region has grown by more than 50 per cent over the past three years. The introduction in that period of time of two additional girls only age groups as well as a non-competitive age group for those transitioning from Auskick to competitive footy has seen the numbers blossom.

Hopes are now high that the Force boys and girls will provide another strong showing at the 2025 Northern NSW Championships.



FOUNDED

1982

REP. TEAM

NORTH  
COAST  
FORCE

MOST RECENT  
FIRST GRADE  
MEN'S PREMIERS

PORT  
MACQUARIE

Port Macquarie



MOST RECENT  
FIRST GRADE  
WOMEN'S PREMIERS

SAWTELL/  
TOORMINA



**Active Clubs:** Coffs Harbour Breakers, Grafton Tigers, Macleay Valley Eagles, Port Macquarie Magpies, Sawtell-Toormina Saints, Nambucca Valley Lions, Northern Beaches Blues





# TEAM LISTS

## U17 BOYS

**Coaches:**

**Ian 'Eno' Taylor**

**Adrian Carle**

**Ash Angel**

**Miller Baade**

**Riley Bates**

**Lachlan Browne**

**Elijah Carle**

**Ryan Eggert**

**Thomas Epis**

**Roy Gulliford**

**Kale Haese**

**Ignatius Hibberd**

**Freycin Hostettler**

**Riley Humphreys**

**Harrison Kennedy**

**Ned Lucas**

**Isaac Luke**

**Brenton Mance**

**Max Morgan**

**Tobie Quinn**

**Jack Ryan**

**Cody Skidmore**

**Mitchell White**

**Leonard Whyman-**

**Bugmy**

**Beau Willoughby**

## U17 GIRLS

**Coaches:**

**Matt Crawley**

**Asha Lloyd**

**Katika Adams**

**Jamika Macauley-**

**Earnest**

**Molly Bowd**

**Macey Carlyon**

**Matilda Couzens**

**Xahra Donovan**

**Abby Goodall**

**Lily Hooper**

**Camille Hostettler**

**Jasmine Iredale**

**Tully Jarvis**

**Paige Ludzik**

**Bobbi Matthews**

**Hayley McCarthy**

**Laila McLaughlin**

**Akybe Murphy**

**Skye Murphy**

**Matilda Parkhouse**

**Bella Parmenter**

**Eryn Sandry**

**Angie Skipper**

**Josie Straw**

**Hannah Studley**

**Tess Vanderburg**

**Gracie Winfer**

## U15 BOYS

**Coaches:**

**Mark Couzens**

**Peter Mat**

**Vinny O'Connor**

**Jacka Britton**

**Finlay Campbell**

**Jude Couzens**

**Ryley Creaser**

**Sam Dicker**

**Sonny Dusting**

**George English**

**Henry Guthrie**

**Busby Hibberd**

**Henry Hoppe**

**Hunter Lynch-Gale**

**Xavier Mat**

**Max McKeon**

**Arlo Newton**

**Kaden O'Connor**

**Ty Parsons**

**Oto Ryan**

**Jackson Sierakowski**

**Darcy Tait**

**Clancy Tune**

**James Weber**

**Isa Withnall**







# TEAM LISTS

## U15 GIRLS

### *Coaches:*

*David Witte*

*Josh Murphy*

Aria Corcoran  
Ava Fryer  
Abbey Glyde  
Ruby Harpley  
Gia Hudson  
Poppi Hudson  
Ruby Langlands  
Reese Legend  
Tayla Lewis  
Ruby Luke  
Eva Mackay  
Lily McDougall  
Ashley Monaghan  
Grace Morris  
Chloe Murphy  
Kya Murphy  
Natalie Nawauwi  
Frieda Parkhouse  
Harpa Skinner  
Josie Tait  
Zoe Tarlinton  
Tazmyn White  
Grace Witte  
Hayley Woods

## U13 BOYS

### *Coaches:*

*Dan Fryer*

*Gavin McKinnon*

Chase Allen  
Finn Angel  
Noah Bates  
Robbie Bowman  
Kalani Brown  
Evan Campbell  
Vincent Catchpole  
Oscar Churton  
Jasper Dodds  
Mason Embling  
Henry Fryer  
Alby Lindsay  
Hunter Lynch  
Banjo Maggs  
Deziah Marsters-  
Nootai  
Tyler Mat  
Jack Morris  
Brooklyn O'Connor  
Levi Sierakowski  
Jakob Stocks  
Oliver Stocks  
John Taylor  
Flynn Wehlow  
Lachlan Wilson

## U13 GIRLS

### *Coaches:*

*Jaz Murphy*

*Nellie O'Dwyer*

Milly Alaban  
Calli Austin  
Poppy Baade  
Emily Carson  
Akua Childs-Haslam  
Chloe Cooper  
Mikki Eggins  
Alexa Findlay  
Lyla Gault  
Ella Gibson  
Tillie Hardy  
Te'ella Kelly  
Mireille Marshall  
Willow Matthews  
Eliette Munn-Power  
Alita Roberts  
Momiji Ryan  
Coco Tapara  
Sage Walsh  
Ella Witte  
Matilda Witte





By Brad Greenshields

This year marks a significant milestone for the AFL North West's junior representative program.

There hasn't been a Blue Healers junior representative team play since before COVID but this year with an Under 13 Boys team taking to the field, the AFL North West juniors can once again test themselves against strong opposition.

This year the junior competition in the North West has taken on a new guise with junior matches only being played once every three weeks in a Gala Day format.

Designed to overcome the long distances families are required to travel to and from the region's towns, teams play multiple matches each Gala Day while limiting the amount of time families are required to spend in a car.

The move looks to have paid off with junior participation numbers in 2025 up a massive 45 percent compared to last year.

This growth combined with the support of Regional Australia Bank, Squadron Energy and Gordon Barry & Co in Gunnedah means the Blue Healers are now back and barking at the heels of the other Leagues playing at this year's Northern NSW Championships.



FOUNDED

1997

REP. TEAM

BLUE  
HEELERS

MOST RECENT  
FIRST GRADE  
MEN'S PREMIERS

INVERELL  
SAINTS



MOST RECENT  
FIRST GRADE  
WOMEN'S PREMIERS

INVERELL  
SAINTS



**Active Clubs:** Gunnedah & District Bulldogs and Poochettes, Inverell Saints, New England Nomads, Tamworth Kangaroos, and Tamworth Swans.





# U13 BOYS TEAM LIST

## U13 BOYS

*Coaches: Matt Pine and Alan Martin*

Braxton Adams  
Beau Alexander  
Toby Barrow  
Kyle Berg  
Cooper Blair  
Arbie Britton  
Lewis Campbell  
Evan Cullen  
Angus Dalglish  
Oliver Dalglish  
Harrison Faint  
Jack Gill  
Tom Gill  
Mac Jarvis  
Luke Martin  
Mack Oxley  
Sullivan Pine  
Cooper Robinson  
Mitch Robinson  
Hayden Skaines  
Tom Smallwood  
Bailey Thomas  
Ariki Woller





By Emily Brown & Josh Horvath

2025 is shaping up to be another strong year for our Hunter & Central Coast teams. With over 330 athletes selected to represent the region across 15 teams, AFLHCC will be a dominate force and play in many of the games over the 3 day event.

After a strong showing at the 2024 carnival both our Central Coast and Hunter sides are looking to improve on a successful 2024. Despite an interrupted lead up to the Carnival due to wet weather, all 15 sides from the Central Coast, Hunter Metro and Hunter Country are looking strong.

Our representative program is built on a foundation of talent, determination, and unity. Each athlete brings individual skill and commitment, but it's our collective strength, shared purpose, and team-first mentality that set us apart. We take pride in representing our region with integrity, resilience, and a relentless drive to succeed. While AFL South Coast have been successful in winning the Simon Smyth cup two years running, our region will be looking to break the dominance of the South Coast to bring the cup home.

Our Coaches, Team Mangers, and Working Group members have done an outstanding job to get our teams ready in the lead up to the Carnival. As a region we are looking forward to the challenge that awaits.



FOUNDED

2000

REP. TEAM

HUNTER METRO,  
HUNTER COUNTRY,  
HUNTER & CENTRAL  
COAST

MOST RECENT  
FIRST GRADE  
MEN'S PREMIERS

NEWCASTLE  
CITY



MOST RECENT  
FIRST GRADE  
WOMEN'S PREMIERS

KILLARNEY  
VALE



**Active Clubs:** Cardiff Hawks, Killarney Vale Bombers, Maitland Saints, Nelson Bay Marlins, Newcastle City Blues, Terrigal-Avoca Panthers, The Entrance Bateau Bay Blues, Warners Bay Bulldogs, Lake Macquarie Dockers, Muswellbrook Cats, Port Stephens Power, Singleton Roosters, Saratoga Hawks, Niagara Park Ourimbah Dockers, Woy Woy Peninsula Swans and Wyong Lakes Magpies.





# HUNTER METRO TEAM LISTS

## U17 BOYS

*Coach: Gavin Dimery*

Liam Bonham  
Kyle Burr  
Nash Cameron  
Lincoln Catchpole  
James Chugg  
Seamus Dimery  
Gabriel Flynn  
Jack George  
Ale-Xander Kapsimallis  
Max Kocon  
Logan Manning  
Zac Munro  
Hayden Oliver  
Ethan Reeves  
Lachlan Reeves  
Taj Riddle  
Cooper Shields  
Joel Smith  
Malachai Waterford

## U15 BOYS

*Coach: Shane Edmonds*

Charlie Booby  
Mitchell Chalmers  
Thomas Chalmers  
Ayden Collinson  
Zeke Drewe  
Jacob Flynn  
Edward Fogo  
Zane Garvin  
Ethan Hay  
Byron Horvath  
Caleb Isaac  
Nate Jackson  
Tiniwhetu Kapsimallis  
Hunter Lynch  
Jake Marsh  
Lucas Monteiro Burke  
William Munro  
Damon Oneill  
Oliver Saddington  
Chace Saville  
Owen Trickey  
Callum van Huisstede  
Mason van Huisstede  
Lucas Vickery

## U13 BOYS

*Coach: Sam Wilkin*

Jude Baylis  
Thomas Boyle  
Louis Brady  
Thomas Burns  
Layken Campbell  
Lachlan Coulthard  
Danny Doherty  
Toby Doyle  
Leon Fogo  
Isaac Georgalis  
Liam Glynn  
Hudson Gray  
Cohen Hay  
Jimi Nolan  
Lewis Pati  
Ryan Poole  
Spencer Price  
Luke Smith  
Zakai Smith  
Harrison Sturman  
Blake Wildermuth  
Luke Wilkin





# HUNTER COUNTRY TEAM LISTS

## U17 BOYS

*Coach: Steven Kane*

Rocco Ayre  
Archie Bell  
Jake Carpenter  
Darcy Chapman  
cambell Connolly  
Joseph Crouch  
Cohen Denne  
Luke Dinning  
Roman Duthie  
Owen Edgar  
Jeremy Gocher  
John Kirkman  
Edward Mawson  
Noah McCallum  
Fraser McLaughlin  
Louis Murphy  
Riley Sharples  
Xavier Stewart  
Elliott Taylor  
luke tickner  
Harry van Woerkom  
Hayden Waters

## U15 BOYS

*Coach: Coach: Brad Farrell  
& Matt Norris*

*Alazar Abbott-Mebrate  
Aidan Arnott  
Liam Bowling  
James Dare  
Alexander Farrell  
Harrison Kane  
Cooper Marks  
Cooper McIlvenie  
Zak Munro  
Cooper Nagle  
Rhys Neeves  
Cayden Norris  
Lachlan O'Brien  
Brody Patton  
Cooper Rose  
Oscar Schneeweiss  
Cadell Tebble  
Luke Went  
William Whitcombe  
Xavier Whitton  
Max Williams  
Angus Wood*

## U13 BOYS

*Coach: Eric Miller*

Hamish Addinall  
Phoenix Annett  
Tex Ayre  
Josiah Bell  
Noah Booth  
William Campbell  
Brady Carpenter  
Lucas Dagg  
Lenny Geach  
Louis Hearne  
Oscar Keen  
Beau James Kinross  
Thomas Kirkman  
William Lynch  
River Mcnamara  
Sam Miller  
Henry Obrien  
Darcy Robey  
Jake Rooney  
Manny Smith  
Angus Spence  
Levi Wheatley  
Darcy Whitcombe







# CENTRAL COAST TEAM LISTS

## U17 BOYS

*Coaches: Mitch Ede*

Ruben Borg  
Cameron Bullivant  
Hamish Campbell  
koby ede  
Benjamin Eltham  
Kaiden Evans-Andrews  
Thomas Hooke  
Aleksander Lawicki  
Isaac Lear  
Cooper Lott  
Noah Matthews  
Arian McGuinness  
Nate McLaren  
Jett McNamara  
Declan Newport  
Clay Partelle  
Liam Pass  
Eden Pearson  
Tahj Regattieri  
Benjamin Stewart  
Haythem Strik  
Vegas Tahuparae

## U17 GIRLS

*Coach: Rob Gray*

Aurora Barclay  
Nia Donnelly  
Katie Evans  
Hollie Flack  
Addison Gale  
Imogen Gray  
Kiah Greentree  
Olivia Hemming  
Eva House  
Sienna Kennedy-Wilkie  
Amy Lewry  
Jessika Mackie  
Darcy Morrisby  
Maddison Nicol  
Toni Noone  
Mahlia Pollington  
Scarlett Sheridan  
Zahli Taggart  
Jade Tait  
Ella Utumapu  
Evie Walkaden  
Ciara Williams

## U15 BOYS

*Coaches: Enjay Convy &  
Campbell Wilson*

Rasmus Borg  
Harry Cramer  
Cameron Eltham  
Tyson Evans  
Flynn Ferrier  
Max Fletcher  
Lincoln Greentree  
Jordan Gunter  
Finn Heighington  
Quinn House  
Bobby Kerrigan  
Jackson McConaghy  
Zave McKiernan  
Seamus Meares  
Riley Nebauer  
Harry O'Donoghue  
Riley Pass  
Blake Paulley  
Flynn Shackleton  
Tyler Skahill  
Dylan Smyth  
Bronson Webb





# CENTRAL COAST TEAM LISTS

## U15 GIRLS

*Coaches: Jason Fretwell &  
Evie Gordine*

Ruby Betland  
Scarlett Booth  
Madeline Coulton  
Lila Cutugno  
Lily Davidson  
Alexis Georgiou  
Lani Gray  
Ariya Gurnhill  
Brielle Gurnhill  
Daisy Howlett-Fretwell  
Mia Jamal  
Ava Maher  
Sophie McGrath  
Tess Midwinter  
Kalani Quadros  
Maria Richardson  
Coco Sheridan  
Briannah Tandy  
Stella Turner  
Sophie Watson  
Elisha Windley

## U13 BOYS

*Coaches: Ryan Weber and  
Justin Daley*

Tyler Barrett  
Henry Baudinette  
Zane Berge  
Connor Binns  
Marley Brown  
Cooper Daley  
Kade Davidson  
Thomas Diaz  
Logan Eaton  
Hayden Gray  
Max Heighington  
Dane Horne  
Liam Jichi  
Jayden Kavanagh  
Loghan McCall  
Taj McCarthy  
Abel Newell  
Oliver Pass  
Deacon Pettit  
Dashiell Richardson  
Lincoln Rolfe  
Corey Smyth  
William Sugui  
Jude Weber

## U13 GIRLS

*Coach: Holly Bryson*

Faith Booth  
Emmy Clark  
Evie Cousins  
Bella Cramer  
Olivia Daniel  
Polly Dingle  
Aila Durick  
Milla Gale  
Monais Gurnhill  
Andie Horswell  
Zali McLaren  
Lilian Newport  
Aurora Nigro  
Mia O'Dell  
Madison Reed  
Isla Slattery  
Milla Stewart  
Georgina Trampnau  
Aoibhinn Twomey  
Caoimhe Twomey  
Jedda Webb







# HUNTER TEAM LISTS

## U17 GIRLS

*Coach: Jay Pitto*

Marli Brunckhorst  
Ella Burggraaff  
Leah Cookman  
Willow Croft  
Ava Donkin  
Zali Filipcevic  
Una Fitzpatrick  
Scarlett Fox  
Hannah Francis  
Eliza Georgalis  
Pippa Hamilton  
Sienna Harley  
Teagan Hine  
Elki Long  
Madison Marsh  
Jessica McDonald  
Ellen Moran  
Mei Olson  
Sophie Ross  
Aurelia Russell  
Aaleyah Tolar  
Livija Ward  
Ruby Watson  
Rose Williams

## U15 GIRLS

*Coach: Mark Rowntree*

Caitlyn Ashpole  
Imogen Banks  
Georgia Barber  
Holly Blowes  
Zoe Calo  
Makaylie Daymond  
Erin Fitchett  
Aurelia Francis  
Jada Hetherington  
Ella Hofman  
Georgia Hofman  
Charlotte Kelly  
Emily Manning  
Zahra Marchant  
Hannah Peterson  
Emilee Quinlan  
Kupa-Lilli Rowntree  
Maya Smith  
Evelyn Stone  
Georgia Stubbs  
Indiah Towers  
Jorja Warren  
Keira Wilson-Irving

## U13 GIRLS

*Coach: Jonathan Russell*

Scarlet Rose Christie  
Ivy Collins  
Isabella Crouch  
Jane Cruckshank  
Lexi Denne  
Mia Dinning  
Lucy Fay  
Sophie Fox  
Lacey Grey  
Jaala Horadam  
Frankie Long  
Ebony Marchant  
Molly Mawson  
Sierra McIlvenie  
Sophie Patton  
Caitlin Petersen  
Josephine Puxty  
Leura Russell  
phoenix russell  
Emma Shepherdson  
Georgia Skehan  
Georgia Wells



WHO WILL BE THE 2025 SIMON SMYTH CUP

# WINNERS?



HUNTER CENTRAL  
COAST



NORTH COAST



SOUTH COAST



NORTH WEST







Ollie is the designer behind the AFL Hunter Central Coast's gameday Records, crafting each edition for footy fans. Can you match his Representative Carnival knowledge?

By Oliver Croft

1. How many total teams is the AFL Hunter Central Coast providing in total?
2. When does the Regional Academies of Sport (RAS) Program start?
3. What colours are the North West Blue Heelers?
4. What colours are Hunter Country?
5. Are there winners for each individual age group?
6. What is the name of the Cup on offer for the team with the highest match ratio?
7. Who is the provider of the 2025 North Coast Representative Carnival Merchandise?
8. What two venues is the Carnival being played across?
9. How many teams does Hunter have?
10. Who won the Simon Smyth Cup for two consecutive years?
11. Name the regions competing in the carnival
12. Is AFL Victoria involved in this Carnival?
13. Coffs Harbour is known for The \_\_\_\_\_

## ANSWERS

1. 15 Teams 2. October 3. Yellow and Blue 4. Green and White 5. No 6. The Simon Smyth Cup 7. S-Trend 8. C.alex International Stadium + Sport & Leisure Park 9. 3 10. The South Coast Storm 11. (AFL) North Coast, South Coast, Hunter Central Coast, North West 12. No 13. The Big Banana



# **REGIONAL ACADEMIES OF SPORT**

# **AFL Program**



By Simon Smyth

The Regional Academies of Sport (RAS), in partnership with AFL NSWACT, are excited to announce a new pathways program designed to create more development opportunities and support the holistic growth of young athletes in our regions.

This new program will prepare identified athletes for the annual Sydney Swans Academy Trials held in October/November. All athletes involved in the program will be encouraged to trial each year or be working toward that level of performance.

The Northern NSW Representative Carnival in Coffs Harbour will serve as the main recruitment platform for this program. Players from outside the Swans Academy who perform to a high level during this carnival will be invited to participate in the RAS AFL Program.

The program will target both male and female athletes in the following age groups:

- Under 13s
- Under 15s
- Under 17s

The RAS Program will commence in October and run through until April.



# SCORECARD

AFL

PLAY

Grade e.g. U15 Boys

Teams e.g. Hunter Metro VS Hunter Country

Team 1

Q	GOALS	BEHINDS	TOTAL
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2			
3			
4			

**BECOME A  
GOAL UMPIRE!**



Team 2

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AFL  
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# THE HISTORY OF C.EX INTERNATIONAL STADIUM COFFS HARBOUR

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**With a total capacity of 20 000 patrons and 3000 seats, it regularly hosts major sporting events including cricket, rugby league, AFL, and soccer. The stadium famously staged Australia's record-breaking 31-0 win over American Samoa in a 2001 FIFA World Cup qualifier.**

**It has hosted Women's One Day Internationals in cricket, NRL trial matches, City vs Country Origin games, and annual Big Bash League (BBL) fixtures since 2021. AFL and AFLW matches have also featured at the ground, along with the FFA National Youth Championships.**

**The stadium is ideal for both day and night events, and also accommodates concerts and community functions, making it a key sporting and cultural hub for the Mid North Coast.**



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**TEAM TRRA**



**SOUTH COAST**



NORTH COAST





NORTH WEST NSW



HUNTER CENTRAL  
COAST



# UNDER 13S

# FIXTURE

## TUESDAY

- 9.00am - 9.35am | GIRLS | Central Coast v North Coast
- 9.35am - 10.25am | BOYS | Hunter Metro v Hunter Country
- 10.40am - 11.15am | BOYS | North Coast v Central Coast
- 11.20am - 11.55am | GIRLS | Hunter v South Coast
- Noon - 12.35pm | BOYS | North West v South Coast
- 12.50pm - 1.25pm | GIRLS | South Coast v Central Coast
- 1.30pm - 2.05pm | BOYS | Central Coast v Hunter
- 2.20pm - 2.55pm | GIRLS | North Coast v Hunter
- 3.00pm - 3.35pm | BOYS | Hunter Metro v South Coast
- 3.50pm - 4.25pm | BOYS | North Coast v North West

## WEDNESDAY

- 9.20am - 9.55am | BOYS | Central Coast v North West
- 9.20am - 9.55am | GIRLS | South Coast v North Coast
- 10.00am - 10.45am | GIRLS | Hunter v Central Coast
- 11.00am - 11.35am | BOYS | Hunter Country v Central Coast
- 11.40am - 12.15pm | BOYS | Hunter Metro v North East
- 12.20pm - 12.55pm | GIRLS | Hunter Country v South Coast
- Noon - 12.35pm | GIRLS | South Coast v Central Coast
- 1.10pm - 1.45pm | GIRLS | South Coast v Hunter
- 2.00pm - 2.35pm | BOYS | Central Coast v Hunter Metro
- 2.40pm - 3.15pm | BOYS | North West v Hunter Country
- 3.30pm - 4.05pm | BOYS | South Coast v North Coast
- 4.20pm - 4.55pm | GIRLS | Central Coast v South Coast
- 6.00pm - 6.35pm | BOYS | North West v Hunter Metro
- 6.50pm - 7.25pm | BOYS | North Coast v Hunter

## THURSDAY

- 8.30am - 9.05am | BOYS | Hunter Country v North Coast
- 9.10am - 9.45am | GIRLS | Hunter v North Coast
- 10.00am - 10.35am | BOYS | South Coast v North West
- 10.50am - 11.25am | GIRLS | North Coast v South Coast
- 11.30am - 12.05pm | BOYS | Hunter Country v Hunter Metro
- 12.10pm - 12.45pm | GIRLS | Central Coast v Hunter
- 1.00pm - 1.35pm | BOYS | Central Coast v North Coast

# UNDER 15S FIXTURE

## TUESDAY

- 9.00am - 9.45am | BOYS | Central Coast v Hunter Country
- 9.50am - 10.35am | BOYS | North Coast v South Coast
- 10.40am - 11.15am | GIRLS | North Coast v South Coast
- 11.20am - 11.55am | GIRLS | Hunter v Central Coast
- Noon - 12.45pm | BOYS | Hunter Country v Hunter Metro
- 12.50pm - 1.25pm | GIRLS | South Coast v Central Coast
- 1.30pm - 2.15pm | GIRLS | Central Coast v North Coast
- 2.20pm - 2.55pm | GIRLS | South Coast v Hunter
- 3.00pm - 3.45pm | BOYS | Hunter Metro v South Coast
- 3.50pm - 4.35pm | BOYS | Hunter Metro v North Coast

## WEDNESDAY

- 9.20am - 10.05am | BOYS | South Coast v Hunter Country
- 10.10am - 10.55am | BOYS | North Coast v Hunter Metro
- 10.00am - 10.45am | GIRLS | Central Coast v South Coast
- 11.00am - 11.35am | GIRLS | Hunter v North Coast
- 1.10pm - 1.45pm | GIRLS | South Coast v North Coast
- 2.00pm - 2.35pm | GIRLS | Central Coast v Hunter
- 2.40pm - 3.25pm | BOYS | Hunter Metro v North Coast
- 3.30pm - 4.15pm | BOYS | Hunter Country v North Coast
- 4.20pm - 5.05pm | BOYS | North Coast v Central Coast
- 5.10pm - 5.55pm | BOYS | South Coast v Central Coast
- 6.00pm - 6.45pm | BOYS | Hunter Country v Hunter Metro
- 6.50pm - 7.35pm | BOYS | North Coast v Hunter Metro

## THURSDAY

- 8.30am - 9.05am | GIRLS | Hunter v South Coast
- 9.10am - 9.55am | BOYS | Central Coast v North Coast
- 10.00am - 10.45am | BOYS | Hunter Metro v South Coast
- 10.50am - 11.25am | GIRLS | South Coast v Central Coast
- 11.30am - 12.05pm | GIRLS | North Coast v Hunter
- 12.10pm - 12.55pm | BOYS | North Coast v Hunter Country



# **UNDER 17S**

# **FIXTURE**

## **TUESDAY**

- 9.00am - 9.45am | BOYS | North Coast v Hunter Metro
- 9.50am - 10.35am | BOYS | Central Coast v Hunter Country
- 10.40am - 11.15am | GIRLS | Central Coast v Hunter Metro
- 11.20am - 11.55am | GIRLS | North Coast v South Coast
- Noon - 12.45pm | BOYS | Hunter Metro v South Coast
- 12.50pm - 1.35pm | BOYS | Hunter Country v South Coast
- 1.40pm - 2.15pm | GIRLS | South Coast v Central Coast
- 2.20pm - 2.55pm | GIRLS | Hunter North Coast
- 3.00pm - 3.45pm | GIRLS | North Coast v Central Coast
- 3.50pm - 4.35pm | BOYS | South Coast v Hunter Country

## **WEDNESDAY**

- 11.00am - 11.35am | GIRLS | South Coast v Hunter Metro
- 11.40am - 12.15pm | GIRLS | South Coast v North Coast
- 12.20pm - 1.05pm | BOYS | Central Coast v South Coast
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- 5.00pm - 5.35pm | GIRLS | Central Coast v South Coast
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# *Rep. Carnival* **BINGO**



<b>Player with white boots</b>	<b>Team kicks 3 goals in a row</b>	<b>Hearing the team song being sung</b>	<b>Someone in full kit who isn't playing</b>
<b>People lining up at the canteen</b>	<b>Umpire calls holding the ball</b>	<b>A big HANGERRRR</b>	<b>Umpire with blue boots</b>
<b>Coloured head gear</b>	<b>The Simon Smyth Cup</b>	<b>The Simon Smyth Cup being presented</b>	<b>South Coast Storm win by 15 points or more</b>
<b>A seagull</b>	<b>The weather goes above 26 degrees</b>	<b>A smother</b>	<b>Big cheer from the crowd</b>



**PLAY**



In celebration of AFL Kids Go Free, thanks to Coles, we are putting the design of an AFL ball in your hands. Two lucky winners will win 100 x Sherrin footballs in their unique design for their school.

How to enter:

1. Complete the Sherrin football colouring in template.
2. Complete the entry form (link below) and upload your design between 10 June - 13 July 2025.

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**How To Enter**  
1. Complete your design  
2. Head to [play.afl/design-afl-ball](https://play.afl/design-afl-ball)  
3. Complete the entry form, including a photo of your design before the 11.59pm AEST on the 13th of July 2025

**Design Tips:**

- Use your three favourite colours.
- Keep the colours bold and blocked – no gradients or shading.
- Let each colour shine – don't overlap them.
- Simple designs are more impactful.
- Have Fun!

Competition Terms & Conditions (show your parents!): Full competitions T&Cs available at [play.afl/design-afl-ball](https://play.afl/design-afl-ball). Selected winning designs are subject to change pending design restrictions and requirements of Sherrin

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