



BLUES TAG

CLUB INFORMATION



WHAT?

- Boys & Girls offerings in U11, U13, U15, U17 age groups
- Conference style competition, however a push to have local competitions within district would require a minimum of 6 teams. Day of play, flexible depending on number of teams.
- Competitions will begin 27/28th April (Round 3)
- Representative pathway- June Long Weekend- Regional Championship, District Championship- July School Holiday weekend.
- To be eligible for 2019 Blues Tag Championship days:
Players must be participating in a NSWRL affiliated in season regular competition.
All players will only be eligible to represent the district of the club they are registered to.

WHY?

- Inclusive style of Rugby League open to players from all backgrounds and skill level
- Improved attacking skills= Catch & Pass, eyes up footy
- Players are more likely to take on the defensive line, as there is no tackle element
- More opportunities for new players to your club, increased volunteer base, create an inclusive club culture.
- Players will have the opportunity to represent their district through a Representative Pathway.
- Local Government Councils are applying more pressure to Junior League Clubs to show use of your ground, this is a great way to increase the usage of your green space.
- Increase revenue via greater canteen revenue and fundraising options.
- Potential for conversion into tackle numbers.

FEEDBACK FROM 2018

- "The girls loved this competition and I hope that next year we have more age groups for the girls to participate in. The interest around the grounds was huge and I think the competition will succeed with a bit more advertising early in the season. A very successful concept and looking forward to participating next year".
- "Not having to tackle allowed them to understand how the game was played without the pressure of having to worry about tackling".
- "Players were excited to participate in rugby league without the intimidation of playing contact against players that had played rugby league for years".

WHAT WILL OUR CLUB GET?

- 1 set of tags per team- 15 of each colour.
- Match footballs
- Increased club membership

BLUES TAG SHORTS VELCRO PLACEMENT INFORMATION:

Clubs are responsible for sourcing Blues Tag shorts with the dimensions listed below. These are available through most licensed suppliers

- 40mm thick waistband
- 50mm width vs 55mm height of Velcro tab, cross stitched
- 40mm from the end of the waistband to the top of the Velcro tab
- 210mm from the centre of the front of the shorts
- 250mm from the centre of the back of the shorts



LEAGUE TAG

U 11 - A SUMMARY OF MAJOR ASPECTS OF PLAY



 90 X 48M FIELD SIZE	 8 players	 20 mins X2 GAME TIME	 2 MINIMUM # OF PASSES	 6 per Set # OF TAGS
 0 Min 2 Max MARKER	 KICK RE-START BY SCORING TEAM	 CONVERSIONS ALLOWED	 KICKING ALLOWED IN GENERAL PLAY	 DEFENDERS STAND BACK 5M

U 13-U 17 - A SUMMARY OF MAJOR ASPECTS OF PLAY

 100 X 68M FIELD SIZE	 11 players	 25 mins X2 GAME TIME	 0 MINIMUM # OF PASSES	 6 per Set # OF TAGS
 0 Min 2 Max MARKER	 KICK RE-START BY NON-SCORING TEAM	 CONVERSIONS ALLOWED	 KICKING ALLOWED IN GENERAL PLAY	 DEFENDERS STAND BACK 5-10M



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