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Know Your Team

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TEAMS 2011





2011 – Know Your Team

[By Scott Woodward \(Updated to Jan.18, 2010\)](#)

The NRL Season 2011 is the most open I have ever studied, and it is possible to find a positive argument for every team.

No doubt the Raiders will struggle without their most influential player Terry Campese for at least three months, and the Cowboys have lost their big off season buy Brent Tate to a tragic injury in the 4 Nations Final. Champions the Dragons will also struggle after losing three forwards and having to play in the U.K. in the World Club Challenge against Super League Champions Wigan Warriors at DW Stadium in Wigan on Feb. 27.

Injuries and suspensions played a major part in the outcome of the 2010 season, also the NRL not allowing the Storm to play for points and the Sea Eagles, Broncos and the Rabbitohs losing several key players through injury late in the season. Other teams like the Titans and the Panthers were let down by poor coaching decisions at vital times in sudden death games. The Dragons also had their share of injuries but Wayne Bennett was able to hold together his same squad for most of the year and cleverly “nursed” key forwards Weyman and Smith so they would be ready for the finals, and in doing so underlined his stature as the “Bart Cummings” of Rugby League.

I believe the bookmakers have got it wrong as I do not rate the Dragons as the top team in 2011, but they are so well drilled that they will be odds on to win most games they play. The Roosters, Tigers, Rabbitohs and the Storm can only improve; while the Panthers will miss their gun strike forward Pritchard who will add a dimension on the left edges for the Bulldogs. The talented Warriors still lack a “go to man” and the predictable Titans only have one. The Eels were the most disappointing team in 2010 but have a new coach and a new opportunity. They certainly have the talent, but still need to find an organiser. Manly welcome back their star fullback Stewart but have a rookie halfback to blood, although they have one of the best packs. The Knights look so much better with Gidley at halfback but the coach is likely to play him at one, while the Sharks must find a class halfback, but maybe they have found a winning coach.



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Brisbane Broncos

2011 RATING:

=7th

Scott's Likely Team –

(All Teams assessed to Jan 18, 2011)

- 1. Josh Hoffman**
- 2. Dale Copley/Dane Gagai**
- 3. Gerard Beale/Alex Glenn**
- 4. Justin Hodges**
- 5. Jharal Yow Yeh**
- 6. Darren Lockyer***
- 7. Peter Wallace***
- 8. Shane Tronc/Nick Kenny**
- 9. Andrew McCullough/Ben Hunt**
- 10. Ben Hannant/Mitch Dodds**
- 11. Sam Thaiday**
- 12. Matt Gillett/Ben Te'o**
- 13. Corey Parker**

14. Scott Anderson
 15. Dane Carlaw
 16. Josh McGuire
 17. Corey Norman/Guy Williams
- * Denotes critical to team structure

Brisbane Broncos

Ins: Ben Hannant (Bulldogs), Fred Lang Shiu (Eels), Jamie Furminger (Ipswich Jets), Dane Carlaw (Catalan Dragons)

Outs: Ashton Sims, Tariq Sims (Cowboys), Israel Folau (AFL), Lagi Setu (Religious Mission), A. Winterstien (Cowboys), Andrew Clayton (Sharks)

Re-signed:

Matt Gillett (2013), Ben Te'o (2012), Shane Tronc (2012), Ben Hunt (2012), Josh Hoffman (2012), Mitchell Dodds (2012), Corey Norman (2012), Gerard Beale (2012)

Off Contract: Rohan Ahern, Denan Kemp



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Ivan Henjak

RATING: 5/10 (Last Season 4/10)

I did not rate him last year and he missed the semis with a star studded list. Henjak demonstrated that his coaching defensive strategies are substandard and the Broncos must have Lockyer on the field to help out. He gains a point for surviving - just.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP:

When the coach and the skipper don't swap Xmas cards we have a problem, but personalities aside, this is a definite Premiership list. Despite the immense talent Henjak has not been able to coach his players to play out a full 80 minutes consistently and their defensive structure is poor when they are under pressure near their line. They topped the NRL in line breaks last season, but were at the bottom for meters conceded; line breaks conceded, off loads conceded and missed tackles.

Inglis walking out is a face slap and weakens their left side immeasurably plus the question mark if Hodges will make it back to his world class best to replace Folau on the right. On the bright side Gillett and Hoffman have progressed to Origin class.

TO MAKE TOP 8:

Could lose 5 players for Origin but providing Lockyer stays healthy they should play semis.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON:

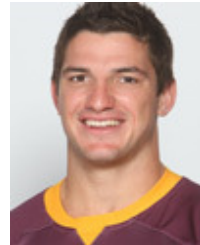
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MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:



Darryn Lockyer

YOUNG GUN:



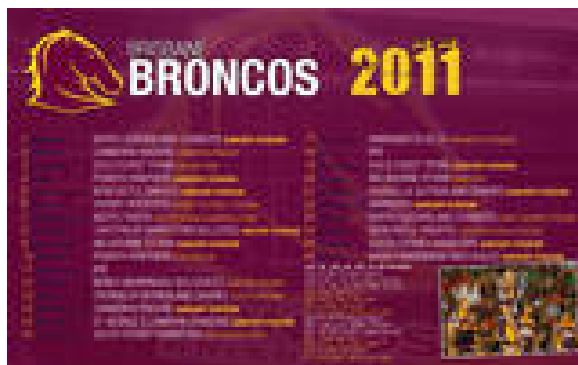
Matt Gillett

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 6th

2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 10th

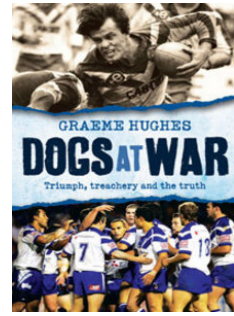
2011 RATING:

=7th





Canterbury Bulldogs



2011 RATING: =12th

Scott's Likely Team

1. **Steve Turner**/Ben Barba
 2. **Michael Lett**/ Steve Turner
 3. **Jamal Idris**/Jonathan Wright/Junior Tia Kilifi
 4. **Josh Morris***
 5. **Bryson Goodwin**
 6. **Ben Roberts**/Kris Keating/Aidan Sezer
 7. **Trent Hodkinson**
 8. **Aiden Tolman**/ Greg Eastwood (available after round 12)
 9. **Michael Ennis***
 10. **Andrew Ryan**/Michael Hodgson
 11. **Frank Pritchard**/Andrew Ryan
 12. **Grant Millington**/Jamal Idris
 13. **David Stagg**

 14. Ryan Tandy
 15. Chris Armit/Sam Kasiano
 16. Ben Barba/Dene Halatau
 17. Mickey Paea/ Gary Warburton
- * Denotes critical to team structure

Ins: Michael Lett (Dragons), Kris Keating (Eels), Trent Hodkinson (Sea Eagles), Frank Pritchard (Panthers), Greg Eastwood (UK), Jonathan Wright (Eels), Grant Millington (Sharks), Aiden Tolman (Storm)

Outs: Jarrard Hickey (UK), Danny Williams, Yileen Gordon (Panthers), Blake Green (UK), Luke Pattern (UK), Ben Hannant (Broncos), Brett Kimmorley (Retired), Daniel Harrison [Manly Sea Eagles], Ratu Tagive [Wests Tigers], Nathan Massey [Canberra Raiders], Paki Afu [Parramatta Eels], Marmin Barba [Parramatta Eels]

Re-signed:

Andrew Ryan, David Stagg (2012), Ben Barba (2012), Ryan Tandy (2012), Jake Foster (2012), Martin Taupau (2012), Sam Kasiano (2012), Aidan Sezer (2012), Michael Hodgson (2011)

Off Contract: Joel Romelo, Shane Neumann, Tim Winitana, Heka Nanai, Brad Morrin, Danny Williams, Corey Payne.



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Kevin Moore

RATING: 6/10 (Last season 8/10)

His reputation took a battering in his second year as head coach especially as his team were very predictable in the forwards and really struggled defensively. He has a new look list in 2011 and Kimmorley to assist him with some tough decisions.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP:

Hodkinson needs to find a yard in pace and he must improve his tactical kicking game to hold down 7, but the big call is skipper Ryan must move to the front row like Steve Price did. The forward pack finally has second phase options with Pritchard and Eastwood (and maybe Idris) who has graduated into a world class prop, something the dogs have been lacking.

If the Bulldogs are to play top 4 footy they must find an effective 6 and 7 combination that can organize and talk to their forwards like Kimmorley did. The jury is out on the untried Keating, Roberts, Sezer and Hodkinson. The Bulldogs are similar to the Broncos as they have never had problems in scoring tries but often struggle in defence.

TO MAKE TOP 8:

They have plenty of depth and some outstanding juniors, especially the special Kasiano and Sezer, but they must improve their defence.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON:

No

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:



Michael Ennis

YOUNG GUN:



Sam Kasiano

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 2nd

2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 13th

2011 RATING:

=12th





Canberra Raiders

2011 RATING: =12th

Scott's Likely Team

- 1 - **Josh Dugan***/David Milne
- 2 - **Daniel Vidot**
- 3 - **Jarrold Croker**
- 4 - **Joel Thompson**/Blake Ferguson
- 5 - **Blake Ferguson**/Reece Robinson/Drury Low
- 6 - **Michael Picker**/Terry Campese(inj)*
- 7 - **Matt Orford**/Josh McCrone/Sam Williams
- 8 - **David Shillington**/Dane Tilse
- 9 - **Glen Buttriss**/ Travis Waddell
- 10 - **Tom Learoyd-Lahrs**/Brett White
- 11 - **Joe Picker** /Trevor Thurling
- 12 - **Bronson Harrison**
- 13 - **Allan Tongue (c)***/Shaun Fensom

14 - Mark Nicholls/Nathan Massey

15 - Danny Galea

16 - Sam Mataora/Mark Appleton

17 -Josh Papalii/Mark Ioane

* Denotes critical to team structure

Canberra Raiders

Ins: Brett White (Storm), Blake Ferguson (Sharks), Nathan Massey (Bulldogs), Mark Ioane (Warriors), Matt Orford (UK)

Outs: Troy Thompson (Storm), Scott Logan (Retired), Adam Mogg (Retired), Brett Kelly (France), Marc Herbert (UK), Justin Carney (Roosters), Cameron Bruest (Eels), Joel Monaghan(sacked himself, moved to UK)

Re-signed:

Trevor Thurling (2013) Joel Thompson (2013), Josh Papalii (2013), Alan Tongue (2012), Josh Dugan (2012), Josh McCrone (2012), Michael Picker (2012), David Milne (2011), Danny Galea (2011), Glen Buttriss (2011).

Off Contract: Brett Kelly



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: David Furner

RATING: 6.5/10 (Last Season 6.5)

Highly over rated with his team often setting up big leads and getting beaten with a poor game plan and structure, not having Campo early in 2011 will test him.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP:

Like his coach, Matt Orford is overrated but his experience and ability to talk on field will be a godsend until Campo returns. For the Raiders to be a threat he must be at his best.

TO MAKE TOP 8:

The young Raiders forwards topped the NRL last season for metres gained and with the improvement in David Shillington, Tom Learoyd-Lahrs and Dane Tilse plus the injection of kids Mark Appleton, Sam Mataora, Mark Ioane and future international Josh Papalii they are sure to command respect again.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON:

Definite chance if they lose Campese all year.

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:



Terry Campese (Out till R. 12)

YOUNG GUN:

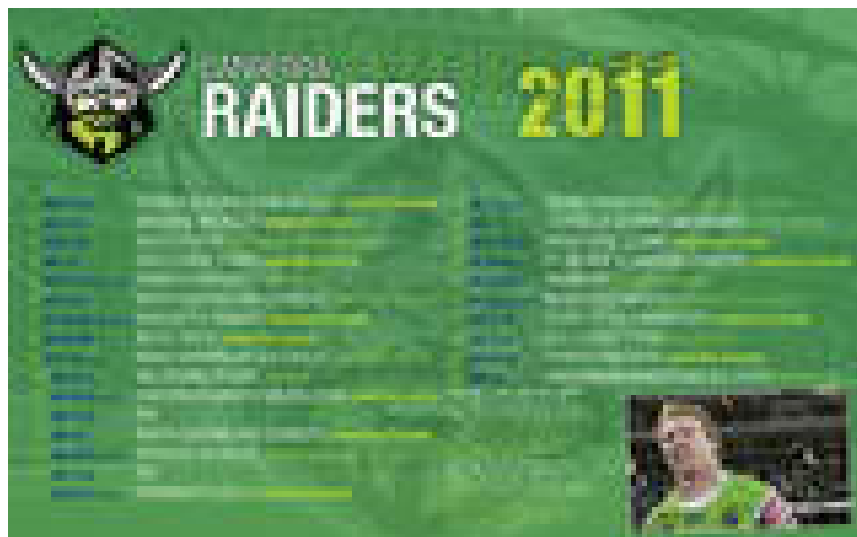


Josh Papalii

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 13th

2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 7th

2011 RATING: =12th





Cronulla Sharks

2011 RATING:

16th

Scott's Likely Team

- 1 Nathan Gardner**/Ryan Tongia
- 2 Isaac Gordon**/Ryan Tongia
- 3 Colin Best**
- 4 Dean Collis**
- 5 John Williams**/Nath Stapelton
- 6 Wade Graham**/Anthony Tupou
- 7 Tim Smith**/Wade Graham/Albert Kelly
- 8 Kade Snowden**
- 9 John Morris**/ Paul Aiton
- 10 Luke Douglas**
- 11 Jeremy Smith**
- 12 Anthony Tupou**
- 13 Paul Gallen***

- 14 Broderick Wright
- 15 Siosiai Vave/ Taulima Tautai
- 16 Josh Cordoba/Andrew Clayton
- 17 Stuart Flanagan

* Denotes critical to team structure

Cronulla Sharks

Ins: Wade Graham (Panthers), Jeremy Smith (Dragons), Colin Best (Rabbitohs), John Williams (Cowboys), Ryan Tongia (Titans), Guy Borgas (Titans), Andrew Clayton (Broncos), Kose Lelei (Bulldogs).

Outs: Luke Covell (Retired), Trent Barrett (Retired), Blake Ferguson (Raiders), Grant Millington (Bulldogs), Kyle O'Donnell (Knights), Josh Lewis (Toulouse Olympique), Reece Williams (retired), Adam Cuthbertson (Dragons), Coach Ricky Stuart (NSW SOO)

Re-signed:

Paul Gallen (2013), Josh Cordoba (2012), Isaac Gordon (2012), Ricky Leutele (2012), Tyson Frizzell (2012), Taulima Tautai (2011), Stuart Flanagan (2011).

Off Contract: John Mannah, Reece Williams, Scott Porter, Ben Pomeroy



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Shane Flanagan

RATING: New

He indicated that he wants Tim Smith which signposts a major concern. I am prepared to give him some slack and watch what he does with his 6 and 7 as his fullback is a runner and not a ball player. Graham at 7 and Tupou at 6 would be my combination.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP:

Not without a class halfback and new coach Flanagan will rely heavily on major buy Wade Graham, but Tim Smith and Albert Kelly are not the answer for the crucial number 7 spot. It is a concern that the coach has put his support behind Tim Smith when he has proven consistently has he is out of his depth. The Sharks also require a class hooker but have a world class supporting forward pack that will take them a long way for their speedy backline. Not far off pace.

TO MAKE TOP 8:

Paul Gallen stay on the field.

A chance if not many injuries and Jeremy Smith and

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON:

can only improve on the disaster Ricky Stuart left him.

The jury is out on incoming coach Flanagan, but he

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:

YOUNG GUN:



Paul Gallen



Wade Graham

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 5th

2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 15th

2011 RATING:

16th





Gold Coast Titans

2011 RATING: =7th

Scott's Likely Team

- 1 **William Zillman**/Preston Campbell
 - 2 **Kevin Gordon**
 - 3 **Steve Michaels**/Esi Tonga,
 - 4 **Joseph Tomane**/ Clinton Toopi
 - 5 **David Mead**
 - 6 **Preston Campbell**/Luke Capewell/Richie Williams
 - 7 **Scott Prince***
 - 8 **Anth Laffranchi** /Matt White
 - 9 **Nath Friend***/Kayne Lawton
 - 10 **Luke Bailey**
 - 11 **Mark Minichiello**/Greg Bird
 - 12 **Greg Bird**/ Anth Laffranchi
 - 13 **Ash Harrison**

 - 14 Brad Meyers/Ben Ridge
 - 15 Will Matthews/Ryan James
 - 16 Bodene Thompson/Michael Henderson /Sam Tagataese
 - 17 Jordan Rankin, Dom Walsh/Riley Brown/Luke O'Dwyer
- * Denotes critical to team structure

Gold Coast Titans

Ins: Joe Vickory (Dragons), Luke Capewell (Souths), Sam Martin (Storm), Richie Williams (Burleigh Bears)

Outs: Matt Rogers (retired), Jordan Atkins (Eels), Aaron Cannings, Josh Graham, Selesi Berdie, Marshall Chalk, Ryan Tongia (Sharks), Guy Borgas (Sharks)

Re-signed:

Kevin Gordon (2014), Bodene Thompson (2013) Sam Tagataese (2013), Ben Ridge (2013) David Mead (2013), Matt White (2012), Shannon Walker (2011), Clinton Toopi (2011).

Off Contract: Shannon Walker, Riley Brown



SCOTT SAYS:

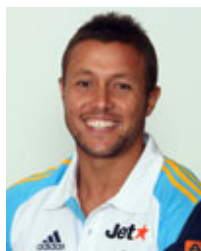
COACH: John Cartwright **RATING:** 7/10 (Last season 7.5/10)
He chose players out of key positions in the sudden death semi in 2010 and must take a huge part of the blame. Laffranchi was wasted as a prop forward and Zillman should have played fullback. The Titans attack remains single pointed and forwards small.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP: Coach dropped back in rating after stuffing up in semis last season when he played Laffranchi in the front row in place of the powerful White and moved Zillman to the wing for Campbell after a man of the match performance at fullback. He also played Bird on his weaker right side. Not sure if Presto is the answer to replace Rogers at pivot and Bird is much better in the forwards but must play either lock or take Minis spot on the left. The Titans are not far off the pace but over the past two seasons not much has changed with Prince being the only point of attack.

TO MAKE TOP 8: A fit Prince should ensure they play semis but borderline.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON: Without Prince they will struggle to win a game. Workaholic Nathan Friend and Bird are also key.

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:



Scott Prince

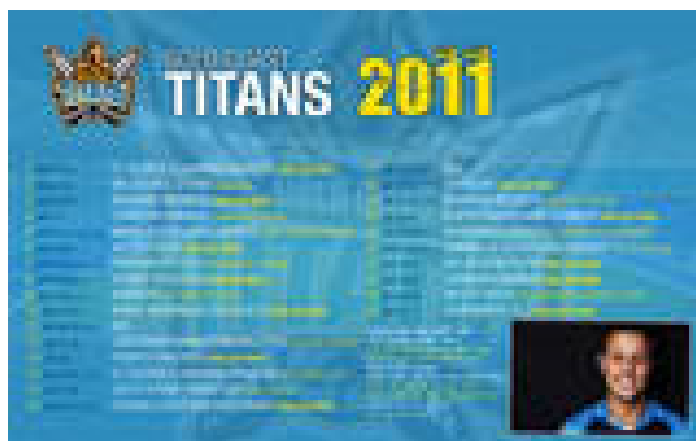
YOUNG GUN:



Bodene Thompson

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 3rd **2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS** 4th

2011 RATING: =7th





Manly Sea Eagles

2011 RATING: =7th

Scott's Likely Team

1. **Brett Stewart***/William Hopoate
 2. **Michael Robertson**/Michael Oldfield
 3. **Steve Matai**
 4. **Jamie Lyon***/Tony Williams
 5. **David Williams**
 6. **Keiran Foran**/Jamie Lyon
 7. **Daly Cherry-Evans**/Keiran Foran
 8. **Jason King**
 9. **Matt Ballin***
 10. **Brent Kite**
 11. **Anthony Watmough***
 12. **Shane Rodney** /Tony Williams/Dan Harrison
 13. **Glenn Stewart***

 14. Dean Whare/James Buhner
 15. Matt Cross/Joe Galuvao
 16. George Rose/ Darcy Lussick
 17. Vic Mauro/James Cunningham
- * Denotes critical to team structure

Manly Sea Eagles

Ins: Dan Harrison(Bulldogs),Tim Robinson (Eels), Liam Foran (Newtown Jets).

Outs: Ben Farrar (Catalans), Trent Hodgkinson(Bulldogs), Josh Perry (St Helens), Lama Tasi (Roosters), Chris Bailey(UK)

Re-signed:

Anthony Watmough (2014), Jamie Lyon (2013), Steve Matai (2013), Kieran Foran (2013), Daly Cherry-Evans (2013), Michael Oldfield (2012)

Off Contract: Terrence Seu Seu



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Des Hasler

RATING: 7.5/10 (Last season 7.5)

He has shown a dislike to play young promising players over an injured experienced player and failed to plug the second half collapse in their games in 2010. They remain a feared outfit who are well drilled with little errors. Needs to prey for Stewart's recovery.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP:

A very young and untried 6 and 7 combination at this level will make a Premiership virtually impossible although they boast arguably the best forward pack but their season will come down to how well their gun fullback Brett Stewart comes back from injury and the mental scars from his court case. Hasler must be concerned that his team did not play for 80 minutes last season often conceding big leads and collapsing in the second half. Much more genuine speed this season but a huge doubt over the frail Cherry-Evans to play the crucial 7 position for 26 weeks.

TO MAKE TOP 8:

Providing Brett Stewart is available all season they will play in the semis, but reports on his rehab are mixed, borderline.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON:

No, although they have some challenges.

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:



Brett Stewart

YOUNG GUN:



Dan Harrison

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 5th

2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 8th

2011 RATING:

=7th





Melbourne Storm

2011 RATING: =4th

Scott's Likely Team

1. **Billy Slater***
 2. **Anthony Quinn**/Matt Duffie
 3. **Beau Champion**/Chase Stanley
 4. **Dane Nielson**
 5. **Justin O'Neil**/Bronx Goodwin
 6. **Gareth Widdop**/Cam Smith/Luke Kelly(inj)
 7. **Cooper Cronk***
 8. **Bryan Norrie**
 9. **Cam Smith***/Maurice Blair/Ryan Hinchcliff
 10. **Adam Blair**
 11. **Kevin Proctor**
 12. **Sika Manu**
 13. **Ryan Hinchcliff**/Maurice Blair
14. Adam Woolnough/TroyThompson
 15. Todd Lowrie/ Rory Kostjasyn
 16. Maurice Blair
 17. Atelea Vea/Jaiman Lowe
- * Denotes critical to team structure

Melbourne Storm

Ins: Maurice Blair (Panthers), Jaiman Lowe (Souths), Elijah Niko (Warriors), Troy Thompson (Raiders), Adam Woolnough (free agent), Tu'u Maori (Newtown Jets), Robert McLeod (Cowboys), Jordan White (Cowboys), Matt McGahan (NZ Rugby Union), Cade Umaga (NZ Rugby Union), Beau Champion (Rabbitohs)

Outs: Assistant coach Stephen Kearney (Eels), Brett Finch (UK), Jeff Lima (UK), Ryan Hoffamn (Wigan), Greg Inglis (Rabbitohs), Aiden Tolman (Bulldogs), Hep Gahill, Louis Fanene, Will Isa, Sinbad Kali, Luke MacDougall, Bill Rogers, James Woolford

Re-signed: Bryan Norrie, Justin O'Neill, Dane Neilsen, Rory Kostjasyn.

Off Contract: Brett Anderson, Luke MacDougall.



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Craig Bellamy **RATING:** 9.5/10 (unchanged from last season)
Astute coach who I hate to bet against as he has this uncanny knack of getting the best out of his players every week and uses unfashionable types to play robotic roles for him. "Bellyache" is not a fan of second phase play from his forwards and relies on control of the ruck, possession and his brilliant backs.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP: If young Widdop can make the grade from England fullback to club pivot the Storm have a shot. They will still field a formidable forward pack including Manu and Blair, as well as three of the four spine players in the National team. The brilliant Bellamy will bust his gut to show the NRL that he can win under the cap. It would be a brave man to suggest he cannot. They lack depth during Origin.

TO MAKE TOP 8: Certain to play semis.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON: No

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:



Cam Smith

YOUNG GUN:



Gareth Widdop

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS:4th (Won P'ship)**2010** Points Not Counted

2011 RATING: =4th





New Zealand Warriors

2011 RATING: =7th

Scott's Likely Team

- 1 Lance Hohaia*
- 2 Kevin Locke
- 3 Jerome Ropati
- 4 Kris Inu
- 5 Manu Vatuvei
- 6 James Maloney/Isaac John/Carlos Tuimavave
- 7 Brett Seymour/Shawn Johnson
- 8 Sam Rapira
- 9 Aaron Heremaia*/Shaun Berrigan
- 10 Russell Packer
- 11 Simon Mannering
- 12 Michael Luck/Ben Matulino
- 13 Feliti Mateo

- 14 Lewis Brown
 - 15 U.Ta'ai/ Jacob Lillyman
 - 16 Joel Moon
 - 17 Sione Lousi/Jeremy Latimore
- * Denotes critical to team structure

New Zealand Warriors

Ins: Feleti Mateo (Eels), Kris Inu(Eels), Steve Rapira (Cowboys), Shaun Berrigan (UK).

Outs: Steve Price (retired), Brent Tate (Cowboys), Ian Hendersen(Catalans), Jesse Royal (retired), Pat Ah Van(Bradford), Siua Likiliki(Knights), Nafe Seluini (Panthers), Elijah Niko (Storm), Mark Ioane (Raiders)

Re-signed:

Manu Vatuvei (2014), Ben Matulino (2013), Michael Luck (2012), Lewis Brown (2012), Ukuma Ta'ai (2011), Brett Seymour (2011), Jeremy Latimore (2011), Jacob Lillyman (2011)



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Ivan Cleary **RATING:** 5.5/10 (Last season 4/10)
His list has enormous talent but they still lack a "go-to" man. Selecting Brett Seymour as his key play maker is a major concern.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP: It would surprise, but The Warriors have the roar talent to defeat any team but lack discipline at crucial times in key games. Same Rapira could become the world's best go forward and key to their chances.

TO MAKE TOP 8: They have the forward power and the talent in the back line but with no class organizer and no "go to" man. Toss a coin.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON: Too much depth all over the park.

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:

YOUNG GUN:



Lance Hohaia



Shaun Johnson

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 14th **2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS:** 5th

2011 RATING:

=7th





Newcastle Knights

2011 RATING: =12th

Scott's Likely Team

1. **Shannon McDonnell**/Kurt Gidley*/Akuila Uate
2. **James McManus**/Shannon McDonnell
3. **Junior Sau**
4. **Adam MacDougall**/Siua Likiliki
5. **Akuila Uate**
6. **Jarrold Mullen***/Ben Rogers
7. ***Kurt Gidley**/*Jarrod Mullen
8. **Mark Taufua**/Evam Tuimavave
9. **Isaac De Gois***
10. **Antonio Kaufusi**/Dan Tolar
11. **Nev Costigan**
12. **Cory Patterson**
13. **Steve Southern**/Matt Hilder

14. Chris Houston, Cam Ceraldo/Joel Edwards
15. Zeb Taia /Con Mika
16. Richie Fa'aoso/ Kyle O'Donnell
17. Beau Henry

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Knights

Ins: Beau Henry & Nev Costigan (Dragons), Siuatonga Likiliki (Warriors), Steve Southern (Cowboys), Kyle O'Donnell (Sharks), Maipele Morseau (Storm), Korbin Sims (Broncos), Kurt Mann (Central Comets), Chris Houston.(unsigned)

Outs: - Ben Cross (UK), Steve Simpson (retired), Scott Dureau (Catalan), Cooper Vuna (Rugby Union)

Re-signed:

Ben Rogers (2012), Joel Edwards (2012), Mark Taufua, Adam MacDougall, Jarrod Mullen, Ethan Cook (NYC Team of the Year lock), Zane Tetevano, Peter Mata'utia, Kevin Naiqama, Josh Ailaamai, Tyrone Roberts, Chris Houston.

Off Contract: Wes Naiqama, George Ndaira.



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Rick Stone **RATING:** 5/10 (Last season 6/10)
Players love him, but everything he does is predictable and his team is poor defensively consistently. He must play Gidley at 7 based on what we witnessed in 2010 and take a risk with the exciting Uate at fullback. Wow, that would be some spine.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP: A rough chance if Gids plays 7. They are strong all over the park and boast an excellent spine providing Gids is 7 and Mullen is 6.

TO MAKE TOP 8: Borderline, but they have excellent forward depth.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON: Would need a heap of injuries including Gidley.

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:

YOUNG GUN:



Kurt Gidley



Kyle O'Donnell

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 7th **2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS:** 11th

2011 RATING:

=12th





North Queensland Cowboys

2011 RATING: =15th

Scott's Likely Team

1. **Matt Bowen***
2. **Kalifa FiaFia-Loa**
3. **Will Tupou**/Ash Graham
4. **Willie Tonga**
5. **Antonio Winterstein**
6. **Ray Thompson**/Michael Morgan
7. **Jonathan Thurston***
8. **James Tamou**
9. **Aaron Payne***/James Seyeyaro/Clint Amos
10. **Matthew Scott**
11. **Scott Bolton**
12. **Gavin Cooper/Dane Hogan**
13. **Dallas Johnson**

- 14., Isaak Ah Mau, Leeson Ah Mau
15. Ashton Sims/Tariq Sims
16. Jason Taumalolo/Ricky Thorby
17. Ben Jones, Shannon Gallant

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North Queensland Cowboys

Ins: Brent Tate (Warriors, injured), Antonio Winterstein (Broncos), Ash Sims (Broncos), Tariq Sims (Broncos), Dallas Johnson (Catalans), Ricky Thorby (Dragons), Kalifa FiaFia_Loa (Dragons), Blake Leary (Storm), Gavin Cooper (Panthers), Josh Bateman (Panthers), Ben Jones (Roosters)

Outs: Luke O'Donnell (UK), Steve Southern (Knights), Willie Mason (UK), Steve Rapira (Warriors), Carl Webb (Parra), John Williams (Sharks), Ty Williams (retired), Clint Amos (retired), Ben Harris (retired), Arana Taumata (Panthers), Anthony Watts (Sydney Roosters), Donald Malone (Released), Obe Geia (Released).

Re-signed:

Johnathan Thurston (2013), James Tamou (2013), Dane Hogan (2012), Ray Thompson (2012), James Seyeyaro (2012), Isaak Ah Mau (2011), Clint Amos

Off Contract: Grant Rovelli



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Neil Henry

RATING: 6/10 (Last season 7)

Like the Broncos there is no love lost between coach and skipper and Henry to date has been unable to find a workable solution. Look out if he does.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP:

The injury to Brent Tate is a major body blow and may snuff out any hope they had of being a surprise Grand Finalist as he completed an awesome backline and now has the "Rock" Dallas Johnson to stiffen the defence in the forwards. Fit and well Thurston is still the best player in the world for mine.

TO MAKE TOP 8:

The Origin will hurt them, but you have to like the off season changes but they must keep their best 17 on the field as they lack backline depth and the Tate injury has blown their claims big time. Watch for zip zip Seyeyaro and the very special Taumalolo who although still a "baby" is a future star.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON:

Most definitely if they lose Thurston.

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:

YOUNG GUN:



Jonathan Thurston



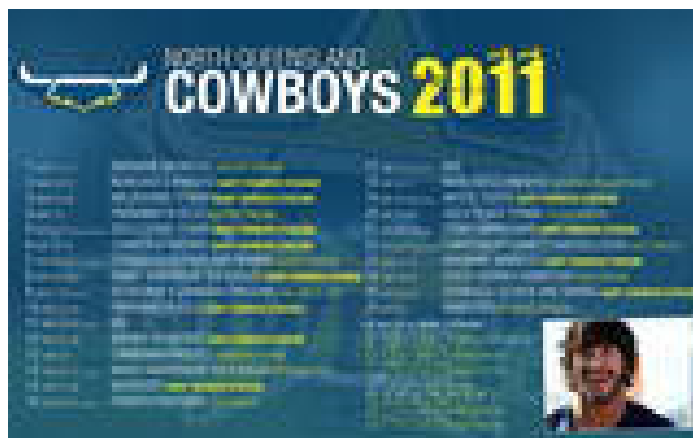
James Seyeyaro

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 12th

2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 15th

2011 RATING:

=15th





Parramatta Eels

2011 RATING: =4th

Scott's Likely Team

1. **Jarryd Hayne***
 2. **Luke Burt**
 3. **Tom Humble**/Paul Whatuira/Chris Walker/Jacob Loko
 4. **Joel Reddy**
 5. **Chris Walker** /Chris Hicks
 6. **Daniel Mortimer**/Tom Humble/Casey McGuire/Cameron Bruest
 7. **Jeff Robson**/Daniel Mortimer
 8. **Justin Poore**
 9. **Anthony Mitchell**/Matthew Keating/Casey McGuire
 10. **Fui Fui Moi Moi***
 11. **Justin Horo**
 12. **Ben Smith**
 13. **Nathan Hindmarsh***/Reni Matua (after May 19)
 14. Tim Mannah
 15. Carl Webb
 16. Shane Shackleton
 17. Paul Whatuira, Jacob Loko
- *Denotes critical to team structure

Parramatta Eels

Ins: Carl Webb (Cowboys), Reni Matua (suspended, available to play May 19, 2011), Casey McGuire, (UK), Jordans Atkins (Titans), Paki Afu (Canterbury Bulldogs), Marmin Barba (Canterbury Bulldogs), Brad Murray (Sydney Roosters), Cameron Bruest (Canberra Raiders), Chris Walker (Catalans Dragons, ESL), Jacob Loko (SG Ball), Chris Hicks (UK), Paul Whatuira

Outs: Feleti Mateo (Warriors), Kris Inu (Eels), Nath Cayless (retired), Kris Keating (Bulldogs), Jon Wright (Bulldogs), Tim Robinson (Sea Eagles), Fred Lang Shiu (Broncos), Tamana Tahu (Released), Eric Grothe Jnr (retired)

Re-signed:

Justin Horo (2013), Luke Burt (2012), Fui Fui Moimoi (2012), Daniel Mortimer (2012), Eric Grothe (2011)

Off Contract: Brendan Oake



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Stephen Kearney

RATING : 6/10 (debut season)

He will be great with the players, but the jury is out on his ability as an NRL head coach and how strong he is tactically. His mentors have been Bellamy and Bennett, but it is a concern that he sees the disappointing Mortimer as a starting 6 or 7.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP:

Last season's pre post favourite and coming from a highly disappointing contribution. They have a real potential Premiership list and it remains to be seen if the new coach can get the best out of them. No Tahu is a bonus.

TO MAKE TOP 8:

Moral if Moimoi and Hayne stay fit.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON:

No

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:

YOUNG GUN:



Jarryd Hayne



Jacob Loko

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS:

8th (Runners up in GF)

2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS:

12th

2011 RATING:

=4th





Penrith Panthers

2011 RATING: =7th

Scott's Likely Team

1. **Lachlan Coote**/ Michael Gordon/Coedi Towney
 2. **Sandor Earl**/Adrian Purtell
 3. **Michael Jennings**
 4. **Brad Tighe**/Michael Gordon/Arana Taumata
 5. **Michael Gordon**/Brad Tighe
 6. **Travis Burns**/Arana Taumata
 7. **Luke Walsh***
 8. **Tim Grant**
 9. **Kevin Kingston**/Masada Iosefa/Nafe Seluini
 10. **Petro Civoniceva**
 11. **Joseph Paulo**/Nathan Smith
 12. **Trent Waterhouse**/Yileen Gordon
 13. **Luke Lewis***

 14. Sam McKendry
 15. Matt Bell
 16. Nigel Plum
 17. Daine Laurie
- * Denotes Critical to team structure

Penrith Panthers

Ins: Arana Taumata (Cowboys), Yileen Gordon (Bulldogs), Nafe Seluini (Warriors), Coedi Towney (The Entrance, Bunderburg Cup)

Outs: Frank Pritchard (Bulldogs), Wade Graham (Sharks), Gav Cooper (Cowboys), Maurice Blair (Storm), Josh Bateman (Cowboys), Shane Elford (Retirement), Daniel Penese (Dragons)

Re-signed:

Michael Jennings (2015), Sam McKendry (2015), Tim Grant (2015), Luke Lewis (2014), Lachlan Coote (2014), Kevin Kingston (2013). Travis Burns (2013), Petero Civoniceva (2012), Michael Gordon (2012), Luke Walsh (2012), Brad Tighe (2012), Joseph Paulo (2012), Nigel Plum (2011)

Off Contract: Frank Puletua



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Matthew Elliot **RATING:** 5/10 (unchanged from last season)
Highly over rated and can't fathom how he let the promising Wade Graham go for Travis Burns and Arana Taumata in such a crucial position as pivot. He relies heavily on bombs.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP: They have the list to beat any team, but the coach barely rates a pass mark and tiny Luke Walsh will struggle in the big games. Losing Pritchard weakens the left side and Petro Civoniceva looks past his best.

TO MAKE TOP 8: They shouldn't miss but with a poor half combination and a risk over the coach anything can happen.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON: Too much talent all over the park.

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:



Luke Lewis

YOUNG GUN:



Nafe Seluini

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 11th **2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS:** 2nd

2011 RATING:

=7th





St. George Illawarra Dragons

2011 RATING: =4th

Scott's Likely Team

1. **Darius Boyd**
2. **Brett Morris**
3. **Mark Gasnier**
4. **Matt Cooper**
5. **Jason Nightingale**/Peni Tagive
6. **Jamie Soward***
7. **Ben Hornby**/Kyle Stanley
8. **Michael Weyman**
9. **Nathan Fien**/Ben Hornby/Cameron King/Dean Young/Mitchell Rein
10. **Dan Hunt**
11. **Ben Creagh**/ Daniel Penese
12. **Beau Scott**
13. **Dean Young***

14. Matt Prior/ Adam Cuthbertson
15. Jon Green/Junior Paulo/David Gower
16. Trent Merrin/ Michael Greenfield
17. Kyle Stanley

* Denotes critical to team structure

St George-Illawarra Dragons

Ins: David Gower (Tigers), Daniel Penese (Panthers), Adam Cuthbertson (Cronulla Sharks).

Outs: Jeremy Smith (Sharks), Neville Costigan (Knights), Beau Henry (Knights), Michael Lett (Bulldogs), Jarrod Saffy (RU: Rebels), Ricky Thorby (Cowboys), Kalifa Fai Fai Loa (Cowboys), Luke Priddis (Retirement)

Re-signed:

Jamie Soward (2013), Michael Weyman (2013), Matt Prior (2013), Ben Hornby (2013), Trent Merrin (2012), Michael Greenfield (2011), Jon Green (2011)

Off Contract: Bronx Goodwin, Nick Emmett



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Wayne Bennett **RATING:** 9.5/10 (unchanged)
The NRL's greatest ever coach who achieved what he came to Sydney to do last season. Love to see him take the shackles off young Kyle Stanley and start with him in 2011.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP: I'm prepared to bet against the Premiers based on losing three important forwards and everything fell in place for them in 2010. I am sure Bennett will think they can get the running double, but under the odds for mine. The smoking gun is Kyle Stanley who is a star and potentially their best player.

TO MAKE TOP 8: Living legend Wayne Bennett is the coach, enough said, but Smith is a huge loss and they will not want to lose the injury prone Weyman. Their defence starts with four away games plus the club Challenge in England, not ideal.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON: No.

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:



Jamie Soward

YOUNG GUN:



Kyle Stanley

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: Won Minor Premiership
2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: Won Minor Premiership (**Premiers**)

2011 RATING: =4th





South Sydney Rabbitohs

2011 RATING:

3rd

Scott's Likely Team

- 1 Rhys Wesser**/Greg Inglis
- 2 Fetuli Talanoa**/Kane Morgan
- 3 Dylan Farrell** /Junior Vai vai
- 4 Greg Inglis**
- 5 Nathan Merrit**
- 6 John Sutton***
- 7 Chris Sandow**
- 8 Luke Stuart**/Ben Ross
- 9 Isaac Luke***
- 10 Roy Asotasi**
- 11 Sam Burgess**
- 12 Dave Taylor**
- 13 Michael Croker**/Ben Lowe

- 14 – Eddy Pettybourne/Chris McQueen
- 15 – Scott Geddes/Shayne Corrigan
- 16 – Dave Tyrrell/Shannon McPherson
- 17 – Jason Clark

* Denotes critical to team structure

South Sydney Rabbitohs

Ins: Ben Ross (retired), Greg Inglis (Storm)

Outs: Colin Best (Sharks), Jaiman Lowe (Storm), Luke Capewell, Craig Stapleton, Garrett Grossman, Beau Champion (Storm), Jaimie Simpson (Huddersfield UK)

Re-signed:

Fetuli Talanoa (2013), Ben Lowe (2012), Scott Geddes (2012), Eddy Pettybourne (2012), Shannon McPherson (2012), Chris McQueen (2012), Shayne Corrigan (2012), Jason Clark (2012), Rhys Wesser (2011), Junior Vai Vai (2011)

Off Contract: Garret Crossman



Sydney Roosters

2011 RATING: =1st

Scott's Likely Team

- 1 Anthony Minichiello**
- 2 Kane Linnett**/ Phil Graham
- 3 Justin Carney**/Mitch Aubusson
- 4 Shaun Kenny-Dowall**
- 5 Sam Perrett**
- 6 Todd Carney***/Braith Anasta (during Origin)
- 7 Mitch Pearce***/Anthony Watts (during Origin II & III)
- 8 Mose Masoe**/Frank-Paul Nuuausala
- 9 Jake Friend**/ Mark Riddell/Anthony Watts
- 10 Jason Ryles**/ Jared Waerea-Hargreaves
- 11 Braith Anasta***/Anthony Cherrington/Tom Symonds
- 12 Mitch Aubusson**
- 13 Nat Myles**

- 14 Boyd Cordner
 - 15 BJ Leilua/Lama Tasi/Tinirau Arona
 - 16, Daniel Conn/Aidan Guerra
 - 17 Martin Kennedy
- * Denotes critical to team structure

Sydney Roosters

Ins: Anthony Watts (Cowboys; incurred injury & earmarked to stand in for Pearce at halfback during Origin but not expected to be available for Round 12 to 13), Justin Carney (Raiders), Lama Tasi (Sea Eagles), Tinirau Arona (Newtown Jets). Mark Riddell (Wigan UK)

Outs: James Aubusson (Unsigned), Nick Kouparitas (UK), Lopini Paea (UK), Jason Baitieri (Catalans Dragons), Brad Murray (Eels), Samuel Brunton (Sacked), Anthony Gelling (Sacked), Jacob Miller (Tigers), Trent Robinson (Defence coach to Les Catalans ESL), Ben Jones

Re-signed:

Mitchell Aubusson (2013), Anthony Minichiello (2012)

Off Contract: James Aubusson



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Brian Smith **RATING:** 8/10 (unchanged from last year)
Got is wrong in the Grand Final playing kid BJ Leilua on the wing, but clearly one of the best mentors in world footy as most players improve under him. Perfect fit for Roosters.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP: 2011 was always going to be their year and will boast a superior 17 to their Grand Final list with the injection of future stars Cordner, Cherrington, Tasi and Justin Carney. Pearce and Todd Carney give the Roosters the best half combination in the NRL but will be lost during Origin and Watts may not be back. The challenge for Coach Smith is his skipper Anasta and where to play him as Carney has his 6 jersey and he does not offer any impact when selected in the forwards playing more like a left center. His fullback Minichiello statistically does not rate in the top 10 fullbacks, but everyone loves him and he is contracted till 2012 as a veteran.

TO MAKE TOP 8: Certain for play offs.

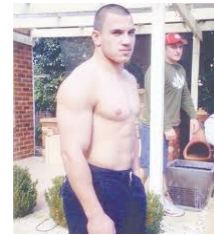
TO WIN WOODEN SPOON: Not for many years.

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:



Todd Carney

YOUNG GUN:



Justin Carney

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: Wooden Spoon
2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 6th (Runner up in Grand Final)

2011 RATING:

=1st





West's Tigers

2011 RATING: =1st

Scott's Likely Team

- 1 **Wade McKinnon**/Tim Moltzen/Beau Ryan/Jake Mullaney
- 2 **Lote Tuqiri**,
- 3 **Blake Ayshford**
- 4 **Chris Lawrence**
- 5 **Taniela Tuiaki**/Beau Ryan/Ratu Tagive
- 6 **Benji Marshall***
- 7 **Tim Moltzen***/Robert Lui/Jacob Miller
- 8 **Bryce Gibbs**/Jason Cayless
- 9 **Robbie Farah***
- 10 **Keith Galloway**/ Todd Payten
- 11 **Gareth Ellis**
- 12 **Simon Dwyer**/Ben Murdoch-Masila
- 13 **Chris Heighington**

- 14 A.Fifita/Willie Mataka
- 15 Liam Fulton
- 16 Mark Flanagan/Rocky Trimarchi
- 17 Mitch Brown

* Denotes critical to team structure

West's Tigers

Ins: Matt Evans (Rabbitohs), Tegele Naiyarvovo(NZ), Evander Waitoa (NZ), Ratu Tagive (Bulldogs), Jacob Miller (Newtown Jets), Steve Folks (formerly conditioner coach now assistant to Sheens)

Outs: David Gower (Dragons), Assistant Coach Royce Simmonds (St Helens)

Re-signed:

Benji Marshall (2015), Gareth Ellis (2013), Liam Fulton (2013), Keith Galloway (2012), Wade McKinnon (2012), Taniela Tuiaki (2011).

Off Contract: Daniel Fitzhenry, Junior Moors



SCOTT SAYS:

COACH: Tim Sheens

RATING: 7.5/10 (unchanged)

It took Sheens 18 months to work out that Benjy is not a halfback and he also thought Lawence could play pivot, but he looks to have his team worked out now and will be a threat in every game. They were primed for every big game in 2010 and very unlucky.

TO WIN PREMIERSHIP:

They have a strong argument to suggest they were very unlucky not to win the 2010 Premiership. It is a credit to coach Tim Sheens that they went so well considering they lost their halfback Tim Moltzen and leading try scorer (22 tries in 2009) Taniela Tuiaki last season.

If Moltzen can come back 100% his combination with Farah and Marshall will offer the Tigers an awesome spine, but we have yet to see Warriors reject McKinnon at his best playing fullback and the highly regarded Mullaney could be the answer.

TO MAKE TOP 8:

Definitely if Farah stays fit.

TO WIN WOODEN SPOON:

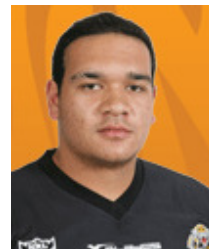
Marshall and Farah would have to be injured.

MOST IMPORTANT PLAYER:

YOUNG GUN:



Robbie Farah



Ben Murdoch-Masala

2009 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 9th

2010 AFTER 26 ROUNDS: 3rd

2011 RATING:

=1st



Know Your Teams Rating

Round	STARTING BANK	Scott's	Bet	Market	You			
1	1,000	Rated Line	%	\$1.92	Invest	Collect	Win/Loss	Progress
GAME	TEAMS							
Fri	BRONCOS	-7.50		-8.5				
	COWBOYS	7.50	0%	8.5	-	-	-	-
Fri	BULLDOGS	5.5	5%	6	50	96	46	46
	TIGERS	-5.5		-6				
Sat	PANTHERS	-5.5		-6.5				
	KNIGHTS	5.5	5%	6.5	50	96	- 50	- 4
Sat	RAIDERS	-7.00		-8				
	SHARKS	7.00	0%	8	-	-		-
Sat	ROOSTERS	No Line	0%	No Line	-		-	-
	RABBITOHS	No Line		No Line				
Sun	STORM	-6	5.00%	-5.5	50	96	46	42
	SEA EAGLES	6		5.5				
Sun	TITANS	No Line	2.50%	2	25	48	23	65
	DRAGONS	No Line		-2				
Mon	WARRIORS	-4	2.50%	-5.5	25	48	- 25	40
	EELS	4		5.5				

Investment Games in Green

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Round 1 : March 11 – 14

Brisbane Broncos
Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs
Penrith Panthers
Canberra Raiders
Sydney Roosters
Melbourne Storm
Gold Coast Titans
Warriors

vs. North Queensland Cowboys
vs. Wests Tigers
vs. Newcastle Knights
vs. Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
vs. South Sydney Rabbitohs
vs. Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
vs. St George-Illawarra Dragons
vs. Parramatta Eels

Round 2 : March 18 – 21

North Queensland Cowboys
Parramatta Eels
South Sydney Rabbitohs
Canberra Raiders
Sydney Roosters
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
Melbourne Storm
Wests Tigers

vs. Newcastle Knights
vs. Penrith Panthers
vs. Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs
vs. Brisbane Broncos
vs. Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
vs. St George-Illawarra Dragons
vs. Gold Coast Titans
vs. Warriors

Round 3 : March 25 – 28

Canterbury Bulldogs
North Queensland Cowboys
Parramatta Eels
Penrith Panthers
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
Gold Coast Titans
Warriors
Wests Tigers

vs. Sydney Roosters
vs. Melbourne Storm
vs. South Sydney Rabbitohs
vs. Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
vs. Newcastle Knights
vs. Brisbane Broncos
vs. St George-Illawarra Dragons
vs. Canberra Raiders

Round 4 : April 1 – 4

Brisbane Broncos
Parramatta Eels
Newcastle Knights
South Sydney Rabbitohs
Canberra Raiders
Sydney Roosters
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
Melbourne Storm

vs. Penrith Panthers
vs. North Queensland Cowboys
vs. St George-Illawarra Dragons
vs. Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
vs. Gold Coast Titans
vs. Wests Tigers
vs. Warriors
vs. Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs

Round 5: April 8 – 11

Brisbane Broncos

vs. Newcastle Knights

North Queensland Cowboys
St George-Illawarra Dragons
Penrith Panthers
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
Melbourne Storm
Warriors
Wests Tigers

Round 6 : April 15 – 18

North Queensland Cowboys
Parramatta Eels
Newcastle Knights
Penrith Panthers
South Sydney Rabbitohs
Sydney Roosters
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
Gold Coast Titans

ANZAC Day / Easter

Round 7 : April 22 – 25

Canterbury Bulldogs
Parramatta Eels
Canberra Raiders
Sydney Roosters
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
Melbourne Storm
Wests Tigers

Round 8 : April 29 – May 1

Brisbane Broncos
North Queensland Cowboys
St George-Illawarra Dragons
South Sydney Rabbitohs
Canberra Raiders
Melbourne Storm
Gold Coast Titans
Warriors

vs. Gold Coast Titans
vs. Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs
vs. Canberra Raiders
vs. Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
vs. Parramatta Eels
vs. Sydney Roosters
vs. South Sydney Rabbitohs

vs. Canberra Raiders
vs. Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs
vs. Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
vs. Melbourne Storm
vs. St George-Illawarra Dragons
vs. Brisbane Broncos
vs. Warriors
vs. Wests Tigers

vs. South Sydney Rabbitohs
vs. Gold Coast Titans
vs. Newcastle Knights
vs. St George-Illawarra Dragons
vs. Penrith Panthers
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vs. Warriors
vs. Brisbane Broncos

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vs. Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
vs. Parramatta Eels
vs. Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
vs. Wests Tigers
vs. Newcastle Knights
vs. Sydney Roosters
vs. Penrith Panthers

AAMI Country v City Origin : May 7 Port Macquarie

VB Test Match : May 7 Melbourne

Round 9 : May 7 – 9

Brisbane Broncos
St George-Illawarra Dragons
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
Warriors

vs. Melbourne Storm
vs. North Queensland Cowboys
vs. Canberra Raiders
vs. Gold Coast Titans

Round 10 : May 13 – 16

Canterbury Bulldogs
North Queensland Cowboys
Newcastle Knights
Penrith Panthers
South Sydney Rabbitohs
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks

vs. St George-Illawarra Dragons
vs. Parramatta Eels
vs. Warriors
vs. Brisbane Broncos
vs. Wests Tigers
vs. Sydney Roosters

Melbourne Storm vs. Canberra Raiders
Gold Coast Titans vs. Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles

Round 11 : May 20 – 23

Parramatta Eels vs. Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
Canberra Raiders vs. Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs
Sydney Roosters vs. Newcastle Knights
Warriors vs. South Sydney Rabbitohs
Wests Tigers vs. Penrith Panthers

Harvey Norman State of Origin – Game I : May 25

Round 12 : May 27 – 30

Canterbury Bulldogs vs. Gold Coast Titans
North Queensland Cowboys vs. Sydney Roosters
St George-Illawarra Dragons vs. Wests Tigers
Newcastle Knights vs. Parramatta Eels
Penrith Panthers vs. South Sydney Rabbitohs
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles vs. Brisbane Broncos
Melbourne Storm vs. Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks

Round 13 : June 3 – 6

Canterbury Bulldogs vs. Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
Parramatta Eels vs. St George-Illawarra Dragons
South Sydney Rabbitohs vs. Melbourne Storm
Canberra Raiders vs. North Queensland Cowboys
Sydney Roosters vs. Warriors
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks vs. Brisbane Broncos
Gold Coast Titans vs. Penrith Panthers
Wests Tigers vs. Newcastle Knights

Round 14 : June 10 – 13

Brisbane Broncos vs. Canberra Raiders
St George-Illawarra Dragons vs. Gold Coast Titans
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles vs. North Queensland Cowboys
Melbourne Storm vs. Sydney Roosters
Warriors vs. Wests Tigers

Harvey Norman State of Origin – Game II : June 15

Round 15 : June 17 – 20

Brisbane Broncos vs. St George-Illawarra Dragons
Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs vs. Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
North Queensland Cowboys vs. Warriors
Newcastle Knights vs. Penrith Panthers
South Sydney Rabbitohs vs. Gold Coast Titans
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles vs. Parramatta Eels
Wests Tigers vs. Melbourne Storm

Harvey Norman Women in League Round

Round 16 : June 24 – 27

St George-Illawarra Dragons vs. Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
Newcastle Knights vs. Sydney Roosters
Penrith Panthers vs. North Queensland Cowboys
South Sydney Rabbitohs vs. Brisbane Broncos
Canberra Raiders vs. Parramatta Eels
Gold Coast Titans vs. Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks

Warriors	vs. Melbourne Storm
Wests Tigers	vs. Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs
Round 17 : July 1 – 4	
St George-Illawarra Dragons	vs. Newcastle Knights
Parramatta Eels	vs. Brisbane Broncos
Penrith Panthers	vs. Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs
Sydney Roosters	vs. Canberra Raiders
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks	vs. South Sydney Rabbitohs

Harvey Norman State of Origin – Game III : July 6

Round 18 : July 8 – 11

Canterbury Bulldogs	vs. Melbourne Storm
Parramatta Eels	vs. Wests Tigers
Newcastle Knights	vs. North Queensland Cowboys
Sydney Roosters	vs. Penrith Panthers
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles	vs. South Sydney Rabbitohs
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks	vs. Canberra Raiders
Gold Coast Titans	vs. Warriors

Round 19 : July 15 – 18

Brisbane Broncos	vs. Gold Coast Titans
North Queensland Cowboys	vs. Wests Tigers
St George-Illawarra Dragons	vs. Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
Newcastle Knights	vs. Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
Penrith Panthers	vs. Parramatta Eels
South Sydney Rabbitohs	vs. Sydney Roosters
Canberra Raiders	vs. Melbourne Storm
Warriors	vs. Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs

Round 20 : July 22 – 25

Canterbury Bulldogs	vs. Parramatta Eels
Penrith Panthers	vs. Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
South Sydney Rabbitohs	vs. Warriors
Canberra Raiders	vs. St George-Illawarra Dragons
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks	vs. Newcastle Knights
Melbourne Storm	vs. Brisbane Broncos
Gold Coast Titans	vs. North Queensland Cowboys
Wests Tigers	vs. Sydney Roosters

Round 21 : July 29 – August 1

Brisbane Broncos	vs. Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
North Queensland Cowboys	vs. Penrith Panthers
St George-Illawarra Dragons	vs. South Sydney Rabbitohs
Parramatta Eels	vs. Melbourne Storm
Newcastle Knights	vs. Gold Coast Titans
Sydney Roosters	vs. Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles	vs. Wests Tigers
Warriors	vs. Canberra Raiders

Round 22 : August 5 – 8

Brisbane Broncos	vs. Warriors
Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs	vs. North Queensland Cowboys
Newcastle Knights	vs. Canberra Raiders
South Sydney Rabbitohs	vs. Parramatta Eels

Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
Melbourne Storm
Wests Tigers

Round 23 : August 12 – 15

North Queensland Cowboys
St George-Illawarra Dragons
Parramatta Eels
Penrith Panthers
Canberra Raiders
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
Gold Coast Titans
Warriors

Round 24 : August 19 – 22

Newcastle Knights
Penrith Panthers
South Sydney Rabbitohs
Sydney Roosters
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
Melbourne Storm
Gold Coast Titans
Wests Tigers

Round 25 : August 26 – 29

Brisbane Broncos
Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs
North Queensland Cowboys
St George-Illawarra Dragons
Parramatta Eels
Canberra Raiders
Manly-Warringah Sea Eagles
Wests Tigers

Round 26 : September 2 – 4

Brisbane Broncos
Canterbury-Bankstown Bulldogs
St George-Illawarra Dragons
Newcastle Knights
Sydney Roosters
Cronulla-Sutherland Sharks
Gold Coast Titans
Warriors

vs. Sydney Roosters
vs. Gold Coast Titans
vs. Penrith Panthers
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Likely NSW Blues Team:



1. Jarryd Hayne (Parramatta Eels) 2. Brett Morris (St George Illawarra Dragons) 3. Michael Jennings (Penrith Panthers) 4. Jamie Lyon (Manly Sea Eagles) 5. Akuila Uate (Newcastle Knights) 6. Todd Carney – (Sydney Roosters) 7. Mitchell Pearce (Sydney Roosters) 8. Michael Weyman (St George Illawarra Dragons) 9. Robbie Farah (Westes Tigers) 10. Kade Snowden (Cronulla Sharks) 11. Luke Lewis (Penrith Panthers) 12. **Paul Gallen – Captain (Pictured)** – (Cronulla Sharks) 13. Greg Bird (Gold Coast Titans) **Interchange:** 14. Kurt Gidley (Newcastle Knights) 15. Tom Learoyd-Lahrs (Canberra Raiders) 16. Tim Mannah (Parramatta Eels) 17. Anthony Watmough (Manly Sea Eagles)

Likely QLD Maroons Team:



1. Billy Slater (Melbourne Storm) 2. Darius Boyd (St George Illawarra Dragons) 3. Greg Inglis (Melbourne Storm) 4. Willie Tonga (North Queensland Cowboys) 5. Jharal Yow Yeh (Brisbane Broncos) 6. **Darren Lockyer – Captain (Pictured)** – (Brisbane Broncos) 7. **Johnathan Thurston (Pictured)** (North Queensland Cowboys) 8. Matthew Scott (North Queensland Cowboys) 9. Cameron Smith (Melbourne Storm) 10. Dave Shillington (Canberra Raiders) 11. Nate Myles (Sydney Roosters) 12. Sam Thaiday (Brisbane Broncos) 13. Ashley Harrison (Gold Coast Titans) **Interchange:** 14. Cooper Cronk (Melbourne Storm) 15. Ben Hannant (Brisbane Broncos) 16. Neville Costigan (St George Illawarra Dragons) 17. Dave Taylor (South Sydney Rabbitohs)

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