



PENRITH AND DISTRICTS
JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE

**2025 SENIORS
BY-LAWS**

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INTRODUCTION

This handbook incorporates the rules and By-Laws for the Penrith and District Junior Rugby League Competition for Clubs participating.

These By-Laws should be read in conjunction with the NSWRL Community Rugby League Policies and Procedures Manual. Note: All correspondence regarding any Competition matter is to be directed through your local League Administrator.

The Penrith and Districts Junior Rugby League Club Limited, NSWRL and NSW Community Rugby Leagues Association reserves the right to make changes and / or amendments to any Policy, Procedure or Appendix, or add new policies to the NSWRL COMMUNITY RUGBY LEAGUE POLICIES & PROCEDURES MANUAL and Penrith and Districts Junior Rugby League Club Limited by-laws at any time as they see fit.

Any changes will be notified to District Administrators and Zone / Regional Managers in a timely manner for distribution to Clubs.

Blake South
General Manager
Penrith and Districts Junior Rugby League Club Limited



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CHANGES & ADDITIONS

This manual is a living document and the policies and procedures contained within may change from time to time.

Each year the Manual, and any changes required to Policies, Procedures and Appendix that were identified within the previous year, will be reviewed and approved by the Penrith and Districts Junior Rugby League Board. This review will be undertaken in September of each year. The approved Manual will then be distributed to the District by way of upload to the Panthers Juniors website and via email, and will be a live document from the 1st November each year.

The Penrith and Districts Junior Rugby League Association reserves the right to make changes and / or amendments to any Policy, Procedure or Appendix, or add new policies to the Penrith and Districts Junior Rugby League Association POLICIES & PROCEDURES MANUAL at any time as they see fit. Any changes will be notified to Club Executives in a timely manner for distribution to members.

APPLICATION OF POLICIES & PROCEDURES & SITUATIONS NOT COVERED IN THIS MANUAL

For the avoidance of any doubt, it is intended that this Policies & Procedures Manual shall apply to all rugby league matches played under the auspices of the NSWRL, the District Clubs and the NSWRL Regional Members for the 2021 Rugby League season and beyond. Each club that participates in these matches, and its registered players and officials, shall comply fully with the provisions of this Policies & Procedures Manual.

If there is a situation not covered within this Policies & Procedures Manual, please refer to other current documents including:

- » International (13s+) Laws
- » Junior League Laws (6-12s)
- » www.playrugbyleague.com
- » 2024 Referee Laws and Interpretations document

Should the situation still remain 'not covered' then the situation should be referred to the Panthers Juniors General Manager for determination.



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SITUATIONS NOT COVERED IN THIS MANUAL

If there is a situation not covered within these Policies and Procedures, please refer to:

NSWRL 2024 RULE BOOK

<https://www.nswrl.com.au/about/documents/>

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Should the situation still remain 'not covered' then the situation should be referred to your Junior League Administrator for determination. If the Junior League Administrator is unable to resolve the situation, please refer to the NSWRL Junior League Association for determination.

2024 SUNDAY FOOTBALL CRITERIA



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SECTION 1

1.1 LICENSING & SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

1. In order to participate in all PDJRL and NSWRL Community Rugby League Competitions, team on-field playing gear (jersey) must include the PDJRL 'CABE' Logo and Shield and the NSWRL logo.
2. New PDJRL sponsors that may come on board may have a requirement for logo placement on playing or off field apparel and as such clubs must adhere to the direction given anytime to them

1.2 CLUB CRITERIA & FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

1. Clubs are required to meet all criteria and financial criteria outlined in the Sunday Football criteria document

1.3 VENUE CHANGES

1. If a change is necessary PDJRL will make the ultimate decision on where and when the game is played, this will be final.
2. If there is an allocated off weekend this is to be used as a washout weekend, no exceptions the game must be replayed.
3. In the case that neither club can provide a suitable venue, the PDJRL will reschedule the match to an alternative venue selected by the PDJRL

1.4 ADMISSION CHARGES AND TICKETS

1. Adults: to a maximum of \$10
2. Concessions: to a maximum of \$5
3. Children 15 and under: to a maximum of \$5
4. Finals chargers will be charged by the PDJRL and will be adjusted where applicable.

1.5 BALL PERSONS

1. Ball persons must have at least 10 years of age
2. Each hosting club must supply at least 2 ball persons for each competition match
3. Identified in-a specific shirt stating ball person



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2.1 FEES, FINES & FORFEITS

PLEASE REFER TO 2025 PDJRL BY LAWS FOR FEES AND FINES TABLE EXCLUDING BELOW.

1. Sanctions to be handed out for withdrawal of teams, after nomination are as follows:
2. Prior to draw commencement, forfeit of team nomination fee only
3. During draw construction after the date set by the junior league in calendar, forfeit of team nomination fee, plus a fine of \$1,000.00
4. Should a team be withdrawn from time draw is completed, through to any stage of the season, a forfeit fee of \$1,000/\$500.00 per game will be issued for the remaining games of the season that are missed, applicable from time of draw competition
5. A mercy rule score line will be awarded to the non-offending team for each game missed
6. Any prior fixtures played, these score lines will also be adjusted (up or down) to mercy rule, to keep the integrity of the competition for +/- differential
7. A show cause will be issued to the offending club as to why they should be granted a license for the corresponding competition for the following season
8. No refunds will be given for team nominations
9. The General Manager may impose further penalties as per the Panthers Juniors By-Laws & Constitution, over & above the sanctions listed here within.
10. The General Manager may seek council with the Board of Management for further penalties over & above the sanctions listed here within, in line with the Panthers Juniors By-Laws & Constitution
11. The decision issued from the General Manager will be final, and no right of appeal may be entered into
12. The club maybe able to apply for the other competition for the following season. This application needs to be in writing, to the General Manager
13. Standard forfeit sanctions apply for Under 17s and down
14. Don Feltis 19s & 1st Grade will be granted 1 forfeit only at a cost of \$1,000.00, and loss of 2 competition points. A 2nd forfeit will activate team withdrawal process.
15. Barry Nicol & Jan Cameron 19s & 2nd Grade will be granted 2 forfeit only at a cost of \$1000 each, and a loss of 2 competition points. A 3rd forfeit will activate team withdrawal process.



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2.2 REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

1. All registrations that require a clearance (where a player has played previously for another club) must be initiated before 30 June. – PDJRL BY-LAW
2. Max number of players per team – Opens will be maximum of 25 with the option for a dispensation to hold an extra 5 players (30) players (on application to the PDJRL General Manager)
3. Under 19's will be at 23 max numbers with the option for a dispensation to hold an extra 2 player (25) players (on application to the PDJRL General Manager).
4. Refer to NSWRL Policies and Procedures

MAXIMUM NUMBER OF PLAYER REGISTRATIONS PER TEAM

UNDER 19	23 (25)
OPEN AGE	25 (30)



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2.3 CLEARANCE/TRANSFER – GENERAL RULES

1. Any transfer for 17s Males will still follow the 2-player rule, If the player is transferring into an Open Men's team the player will be declined with the 2-player rule if necessary and an appeal must be submitted with evidence of agreement. The player may not play 17s that season if approved at the new club.
2. Any transfer of a 17-year-old into Sydney Shield or Ron Massey cup team will not be given portability back to a 17-year-old team, they will only receive portability back into Opens men's competition.

TRANSFERS – DEVELOPMENT AND REPRESENTATIVE PLAYERS

3. If the club currently has four (4) Panthers Juniors Development protection list players for their age group, the clearance/transfer of protection list will be refused
4. All Panthers protection top 30 list players may not transfer out of the team they were selected from; these transfers will be denied. Extreme circumstances may be applicable and will need to be submitted through the appeals system and a decision will be made by the appeals committee in conjunction with Pathways.
5. Any player who is identified as an external representative player or Non-Panthers internal player (Harold Matthews, SG Ball, Tarsha Gale, Lisa Fiaola, Jersey Flegg and NSW Cup) will be adjudicated on within the four (4) player team cap by the Panthers Pathways Manager and the Pathways team in conjunction with the JL General Manager and appeals committee. Any decision will be communicated to clubs.



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2.4 NUMBER OF PLAYERS ON THE FIELD

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM NUMBER OF PLAYERS REQUIRED ON FIELD FOR EACH AGE GROUP			
AGE	MINIMUM NUMBER TO TAKE FIELD	MAXIMUM NUMBER TO TAKE FIELD	MAXIMUM TIME LIMIT TO TAKE FIELD
UNDER 19	9	13	Full-Time
OPEN AGE	9	13	Full-Time

2.5 GAME MANAGEMENT – DURATION / PERIODS / BALL SIZE

AGE	NUMBER OF PERIODS	DURATION PER PERIOD	BALL SIZE
UNDER 19	2	35 minutes	International
OPEN AGE (WOMEN)	2	30 minutes	International
OPEN AGE (MEN)	2	40 minutes	International



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2.6 COMPETITION STRUCTURES

For PDJRL competitions, the competition structure, by-laws and method of conducting the competitions each.

- 1) The Panthers Juniors competitions will be renamed and included in this rule book to the following:
 - A. Don Feltis Cup Open Men's
 - B. Jan Cameron Trophy Reserve Grade
 - C. Barry Nicol Shield Open Men's
 - D. Don Feltis Cup Under 19s
 - E. Barry Nicol Shield Under 19s
 - F. Jan Cameron Trophy Under 19s (If competition is required)
 - G. Don Feltis Cup Under 17s
 - H. Barry Nicol Shield Under 17s
 - I. Jan Cameron Trophy Under 17s (If competition is required)
 - J. Don Feltis Cup Under 16s
 - K. Barry Nicol Shield Under 16s
 - L. Jan Cameron Trophy Under 16s (If competition is required)
 - M. Don Feltis Cup Open Women's
 - N. Barry Nicol Shield Open Women's
 - O. Don Feltis Cup Under 19s Women's
 - P. Barry Nicol Shield Under 19s Women's
 - Q. Don Feltis Cup Under 17s Women's
 - R. Barry Nicol Shield Under 17s Women's
- 2) PDJRL reserves the right to change the competition name of any competition, should it need to as part of a sponsorship package.

2.7 TIME OFF DURING A MATCH

1. There will be time off for ages 19s to opens with a 30-minute cap per time off.



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2.8 COMPETITION POINTS

THE FOLLOWING POINTS SYSTEM CAN BE ADOPTED FOR COMPETITIONS IN NSWRL.

1. PDJRL Points system

WIN – Two (2) points for the winning team

DRAW – One (1) point for each team

LOSS – Nil points awarded to losing team

FORFEIT – Two (2) points awarded for the non-offending team

BYE – Two (2) points for the team that has the Bye

2.9 GROUND SIGNAGE AND FIELD REQUIREMENTS

1. All clubs are required to make advertising and signage space available to the PDJRL at their respective venue as per PDJRL participation agreement and criteria
2. The Hosting club is responsible for ensuring all field lines are marked and painted strict accordance with the NRL laws of the games, including correct coloring i.e. red line for 20m and 40m lines. Click on link for the [NSWRL Field Line Marking](#) guide
3. Corner posts must be supplied with dimension of 1.25m high

2.10 MATCH FOOTAGE

1. All PDJRL competition matches will be filmed throughout the season by BarTv
2. Match footage is available to both clubs and referees.
3. Where applicable venues may be required to supply platforms for viewing within the NSWRL guideline specifications
4. Platform measurements =3mx3m
5. Platform height – 3m is recommended, minimum accepted will be 2m
6. Safety rail must be as a minimum 1m above platform deck
7. A covered roof of a minimum height of 2m above the safety rail. Roofing scaffold should protrude a minimum distance of 1 metre out from the front edge of the platform.
8. Platform entry must be by secured ladder or staircase
9. Minimum carry weight of the platform is four people (500kg)
10. Any games in a NSWRL conference competition will not be guaranteed to be filmed.



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SAFETY

1. Any platform erected for use by cameramen to record NSWRL sanctioned competition matches must conform to all WH&S, statutory authorities and Work Safe Codes of Practice and Regulations. It is the responsibility of the club having the platform erected to ensure that it meets all of the above requirements.

2.11 MATCH REVIEW/ JUDICIARY

1. In PDJRL competitions 17s to Open age all matches will be filmed by Bar TV. The option for placing players on report will be available. The referees will have the ability to place players on report for any reason applicable in the laws of the game.
2. When placed on report the players will be required to show their jersey number to the camera. This will be lodged by Bar Tv.
3. All footage will be reviewed by PDJRL in conjunction with NSWRL and will hand out breach notices where applicable.
4. All ground managers and team managers will be required to mark the time and jersey number on the scoresheet.
5. If teams are seen to be not following the procedure will result in forfeit.

3.1 PLAYER OF THE YEAR AWARDS

1. Coaches will be asked to nominate player of the match points in a 3,2,1 system each week and will be cumulated throughout the year.



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3.2 INTERCHANGE

INTERNATIONAL FOOTBALL (U17'S TO OPENS)

Interchange rules are as per the Laws of the game. In International Rugby League matches:

1. Teams may sign on and use up to seventeen (17) players only in all divisions in international games only. Coaches who do not support this rule do not have to use the additional players if they prefer not to do so.
2. Each team will be allowed to carry an 'eighteenth' player who will be known as the 'Concussion Sub'. This must be identified to the opposition manager at time of sighting cards, and marked as such on the printed score sheet as 'Concussion Sub'. This player can be activated, under the following conditions:
 1. When 2 players have been ruled out of the match under Community Rugby League HIA Protocols
 2. If a player is fouled by an opponent, and the offender is dismissed from the field, sin binned or put on report, and the fouled player is caused to leave the field due to a suspected HIA
3. For age groups U17's to Open age, in all competitions other than DFC U19s & Open Age, only 10 interchanges are allowed each game per team.
4. For the DFC U19s and Open Age (not including reserve grade), only 8 interchanges are allowed each game per team.
5. In the event of a head injury or concussion, a free interchange will be given for the player leaving the field however, that player will not be permitted to return to the field of play for the remainder of the match.
6. The Interchange Sheet must be completed for all fixtures

THE FOLLOWING RULES NEED TO BE FOLLOWED WHEN INTERCHANGING PLAYERS:

7. Interchange may only occur during general play (i.e. when the ball is in motion), after any scoring has been completed, or if play has been temporarily suspended by the Referee (e.g. injury or caution)
8. Maximum of two (2) interchange of players may take place at any one time
9. A replaced player MUST cross the touchline or dead ball line prior to his replacement taking the field
10. Interchange must not be made after the referee has ordered a scrum and cannot be made until the scrum has been completed. Unless it is to replace a bleeding player and the referee has signaled blood bin



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3.3 SIN BIN

1. Players sent to the sin bin by the Referee should immediately leave the field without comment, must report to the official table and obey all reasonable directions and remain there under supervision until he is authorised to re-enter the field of play.
2. The sin bin clock will commence when the player reports to the official table.
3. Players who leave the sin bin without permission face substantial penalty.

3.4 SEND OFF

1. Any player who has been dismissed from the field of play please refer to NSWRL policies and procedures

3.5 BLOOD BIN

1. The Referee may direct a player who is bleeding to leave the field for attention and if necessary change any part of his / her playing uniform.
2. When a player leaves the field for the Blood Bin, the letters BB should be endorsed in the replaced player's column on the sign on sheet.
3. If a player is replaced because of the Blood Bin rule, provided the player who replaced the affected player is in turn replaced by the Blood Bin player when he returns to the field, it will not count as a replacement
4. Only the Referee can determine whether a player should be put in the Blood Bin. If a player is taken off without the knowledge of the Referee it will be deemed as a normal replacement in U6's to U13's competitions. That player cannot go back on the field except for Senior football where there is unlimited interchange
5. Any player returning to the field of play after being in the Blood Bin must exchange places with the player that replaced him. If a different player comes off, he shall be deemed to be a replacement.
6. Clubs are expected to provide proper receptacles for the collection of blood soiled bandages.



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3.6 SUNDAY TEAM TRAINER'S REQUIRED

1. All Sports trainers (blue, yellow and orange) must register with their club via MySideline.
2. Blue shirt Sports Trainers must, as a minimum, hold a current NRL Level 1 Sports Trainers qualification and complete the yearly mandatory updates as per the NRL On Field Policy
3. All Orange shirt Sports Trainers must hold a current NRL Level 2 Sports Trainers qualification and complete the yearly mandatory updates as per the NRL On Field Policy.
4. All Yellow Shirt trainers must hold a valid League safe accreditation complete the yearly mandatory updates as per the NRL On Field Policy.



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4.1 PLAYER POINTS INDEX SYSTEM (PPIS)

1. A Player will have only their playing history for previous 4 seasons considered for categorisation purposes (unless they have not played since the end of the 2018 season or their continuity in the game has been disrupted by Covid cancelled competitions) (*Registered with club prior to competition cancellation).
2. A Player will be categorised at the highest level they have played in Seasons 2020 – 2024
3. A Player must play not less than ten (10) competition matches (in any one season) at any level to be correspondingly categorised at that level. However, if a player has an accumulative total of 10 games over the 5-year period they will be categorised at that level.
4. For the purposes of categorisation, a Player need only take the field in a competition match for such to count as having played the whole competition match.
5. The squad management section maximum registrations of My Sideline Admin are still applicable. However, in the instance of using essentially (2 x Squads) plus the potential of Under 19s (Still maximum 20), these 3 x Squads will be locked your administrator can move players in/out of squads as you need them and select them on the My Sideline Manager app as required with all players. All age groups/squads will be Required to have the maximum numbers by rule by the Panthers Juniors.
6. Players can move between divisions freely, without penalty, so long as you don't exceed the 100/60 points per competition. (IE: Player coming back from a long injury. You can play him through your Jan Cameron side for a week or two and promote back into the Don Feltis side when ready.)
7. Jan Cameron Finals Eligibility you need to play 3 of your last 5 games in the Jan Cameron competitions to qualify
8. Under 18s girls/Open women's, you need to play 3 games to qualify for finals.

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9. Each participating club shall attribute a point's value to each player and submit same at the time of registration of such player. It is the responsibility of the club and player to ensure that the assessment sheet is properly completed and signed.
10. Not less than 7 days prior to Round 1 of Season 2024, and on Thursdays by 11am prior to each Round if a new player is registered, before 30th June
11. All under 19s players will be required to have a PPIS form filled out.
12. Each player whose name appears on any official match sheet for Feltis Cup, Nicol Shield and Cameron Trophy, must have their individual points allocation recorded where indicated in such match sheet.
13. Any player that does not have points allocated to them cannot take the field



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14. The subject team must have their total points allocation recorded where indicated in the relevant match sheet.
15. Any enquiry by any Club regarding the points allocated to a Player from another Club must be submitted through the same process as a match dispute before the due time.
16. Any Club determined by the PDJRL to have exceeded their total point's allocation for any given match shall automatically be forfeited and be liable to pay a forfeit fine refer to fine table 2024 PDJRL By-Laws.
17. It is a breach of the PPIS policy to supply false or incorrect information. Convictions may result in possible suspension from the PDJRL for the individual, player &/or administrator who signed off on the PPIS form (up to 2 years), loss of competition points (no limitation) for the team and fines for the offending club, or any other action against the club that the BoM deem necessary.
18. Auditing will take place on all teams/clubs throughout the season
19. Any clubs with a link to a NSWRL Major Competition team (Sydney Shield, Jersey Flegg, Ron Massey Cup and Harvey Norman Women's Premiership) are only permitted to play five (5) players from that higher-level team on the one weekend in the PDJRL (no more than five (5) can participate)
20. A player will be considered a 'Major Competition' player once they have played four (4) or more combined matches in any Major competition in that season. In reference to section 11, if a player on portability has played less than four 'Major Competition' matches, they will not be considered as part of the five (5) player quota when playing in PDJRL.
21. When a higher-grade team has a BYE, players can only participate for the non-bye team if they have previously participated for the same team prior to the BYE. If they have never played for that team, then they cannot play. This includes teams from NSWRL Major Competitions (Sydney Shield, Ron Massey Cup, Jersey Flegg and Harvey Norman Women's Premiership).
22. A 'Major Competition' player will qualify for finals in the team where they have played the majority of matches during the regular season. If the combined majority of matches played are in a Major Competition, they may not play in PDJRL finals.
23. If a 'Major Competition' player plays in more than one NSWRL Major Competition throughout the season (For example, a player who plays in both Ron Massey and Sydney Shield matches in the same season), the accumulated total of matches played across these competitions will count as matches played in a Major Competition.
24. Players who participate in any higher level NSWRL Major Competitions (Sydney Shield, Ron Massey Cup, Jersey Flegg and Harvey Norman's Women's Premiership) or Junior Representative Competitions, shall not be permitted to return and play in the PDJRL on that same weekend.



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CLUB JUNIOR DEFINITION

25. Any Player who is registered in 4 seasons of junior international level rugby league with the subject Club.

GUIDELINES:

26. Player to be indexed at the highest level at which they have played in the last 5 years. (e.g.: John Doe played NSW Cup in 2018 & 2019. He then played RMC in 2020, 2021 & 2022. He would be indexed as Category B – 20 points. However, because he only played for 2 years at the NSW Cup level, and 3 at RMC level, he is entitled to three (3) discount points off the indexed number of twenty (20), meaning his new points index is seventeen (17)

27. Players who have played 4 years of international rugby league with the same club they are playing Open for now (e.g.: U13, 14, 15, 16 or U14, 15, 16, 17) will attract a 5-point (5) point discount off their indexed points (Min of one (1) points indexed still applies). This also applies if said player leaves to play in NSWRL Major Competitions and returns to their junior club (e.g.: Jimmy Smith has played U14-U19 at Hawkesbury City, is given a contract to play at Brothers Sydney Shield, then returns to Hawkesbury City after three (3) years, then the five (5) point discount will apply to his overall indexed number)

28. If a local junior who has played the last four (4) international rugby league years (as per above) with the same club they are playing Open for now is selected to play at higher level (NSWRL Major Competitions) for up to two (2) years (but not exceeding) (e.g.: Jersey Flegg competition) and returns to their junior club, they will not be assessed at the higher level they participated in, the following year. (e.g.: Steve Smith has played at St Clair for four (4) consecutive years, at 19 years of age is playing Jersey Flegg. After two (2) seasons with Jersey Flegg, at the age of 21, he returns to St Clair to play Opens, he would be indexed as Category G as a first year Open Age player)



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- 29. A player who has played the previous four (4) years with their club (any international age including multiple Open Age years) will receive a 5-bonus point deduction, however, cannot go below the minimum one points. IE – Players final score is 10, their new score will be 5
- 30. No player shall be assessed below one (1) points
- 31. Points are not cumulative i.e., only one level per player.
- 32. Discounts are not cumulative.
- 33. Players and clubs must fill out and sign each player points with name and NRL ID number and sent to the PDJRL via Cognito form
- 34. It is the responsibility of the club and the player to ensure that the Assessment Sheet is properly completed and signed.
- 35. The Player Assessment Document is valid for one (1) season only, and is to be submitted each year
- 36. Anything outside these guidelines that you need clarification on, please address this in writing, via email to the Panthers Juniors General Manager

EXTREME TEAM CIRCUMSTANCES

- 37. In situations where a player has local player status and has registered with their club for the upcoming season and that club is subsequently unable to field a team in that grade, 50% of the players points value will be deducted at the players new club.
- 38. A player assessment form will not be assessed by the PDJRL if it is not fully completed, legible and signed by the player and club official.

SCALE

Don Feltis Cup		Barry Nicol Shield & Jan Cameron Cup	
POSITION	2024 POINTS	POSITION	2024 POINTS
Grand Finalists (1 & 2)	80 Points	Grand Finalists (1 & 2)	50 Points
Finalists (3-6)	85 Points	Finalists (3-6)	55 Points
Non-Finalists	90 Points	Non-Finalists	60 Points



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PLAYER POINTS INDEX

CATEGORY	CRITERIA	POINTS
A	<p>Player has appeared in 10 games or more in the NRL or Super League</p> <p>OR</p> <p>If player hasn't played at Category A level in the last 5 years, player is assessed as Category B</p>	<p>25</p> <p><i>(Maximum discount 5)</i></p>
B	<p>Player has appeared in 10 games or more in QLD or NSW Cup</p> <p>OR</p> <p>If player played less than 10 games in Category B or hasn't played at Category B level in the last 5 years, player is assessed as Category C</p>	<p>20</p> <p><i>(Maximum discount 5)</i></p>
C	<p>Player has appeared in 10 games or more in Ron Massey Cup</p> <p>OR</p> <p>If the player played less than 3 games in Category C in the year the player played, they are assessed as Category E</p> <p>OR</p> <p>If the player has played more than 3 but less than 10 in Category C or hasn't played in Category C in the last 5 years, the player is assessed as Category D</p>	<p>15</p> <p><i>(Maximum discount 5)</i></p>
D	<p>Player has appeared in 10 games or more in Jersey Flegg</p> <p>OR</p> <p>If the player played less than 10 games in Category D or hasn't played in Category D level in the last 5 years, the player is assessed as Category E</p>	<p>8</p> <p><i>(Maximum discount 5)</i></p>
E	<p>Player has appeared in 10 games or more in Sydney Shield</p> <p>OR</p> <p>If the player played less than 10 games in Category E or hasn't played in Category E level in the last 5 years, player is assessed as Category F</p>	<p>6</p> <p><i>(Maximum discount 5)</i></p>
F	<p>Player has played in any Open Age competition for one year or more</p>	<p>2</p> <p><i>(Maximum discount 1)</i></p>
G	<p>Player in their first year of Open Age rugby league</p>	<p>1</p> <p><i>(No discount applied)</i></p>



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