



# **BROTHERS RUGBY CLUB**

## **2023 U14 & U15**

### **PROGRAM INFORMATION**

We are excited about the upcoming 2023 rugby season and look forward to welcoming new players and families, as well as our returning players and families.

The BJRU competition structure for these age groups is a full two term season (Terms 2 and 3).

We are committed as a Club to ensuring your child can continue developing their skills and love of rugby with Brothers. In 2023, we have a number of measures in place to allow players flexibility to participate in their teams based around other school and sporting commitments (eg larger squad sizes).

It is important to us that we allow a connection to be maintained between the Club and players in these age groups so please contact us if you have any queries or concerns.

#### **CLUB CONTACTS**

For any queries you may have about the upcoming season, we have several people you can contact.

- U14 & U15 Age Group Coordinator – TBC
- Registration Queries – Karen Nichols [karen@brothersrugby.com](mailto:karen@brothersrugby.com)
- General Enquiries – [admin@brothersrugby.com](mailto:admin@brothersrugby.com)
- Junior Development Coordinator – TBC

#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

- **Registration**
  - All registrations are completed online through Rugby Explorer. For instructions & online link please refer to the website page <https://brothersrugby.com/juniorrugby/>
- **In Season**
  - Training @ Crosby Park
    - Term 1 – Friday 5.30-6.45pm
    - Terms 2 & 3 – Wednesday
      - U14 5.30-6.45pm
      - U15 6.45-8.00pm
  - Matches will be scheduled by BJRU to be played on Sundays. Teams are placed into graded divisions at a level that suits each team's ability.
  - There are no training sessions or games during school holidays.

## KEY DATES

<b>Tues 20 December 2022</b>	2023 Registrations Open	Online through Rugby Xplorer	
<b>Wed 25<sup>th</sup> January to Wed 15 Feb</b>	U10-U16 NextGen Skills Academy – 4 weeks	U14 & U15 6-7pm	Windsor Park
<b>Friday 24<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	First Training Session	5.30-6.45pm	Crosby Park Vic Walsh Oval
<b>Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Community Event – Crosby Park Long Lunch	12.30pm	Crosby Park
<b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Term 2 Training Starts	U14 5.30-6.45pm U15 6.45-8pm	Crosby Park Fields TBC
<b>Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> April</b>	BJRU Skills Dev Round 1	Draw TBC by BJRU & published in Team App	
<b>Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Competition Game	Draw TBC by BJRU & published weekly in Team App & Rugby Xplorer Match Day App	
<b>Sun 3 September</b>	Grand Finals	Albany Creek	
<b>Fri 8 September</b>	U13-Jnr Colts Trophy Evening	Crosby Park, Albion	

## JUNIOR CLUB COMMUNICATION

The 'Team App' Application has been implemented as a main communication avenue for the 2023 BRC Junior Rugby Program. The App provides a streamlined and simple communication channel and will allow for greater distribution of important information.



### Team App Process:

Download Team App from your App Store (iphone or Android)

- Search for – Brothers Rugby Club
- Become a member
- Choose relevant playing age group or groups
  - Eg. U14 Parents select U14
- Please note you can join multiple groups.
- Reminder to current users to switch from 2022 age groups and join your updated 2023 age groups.
- Agree and Join
- Please turn on notifications.