

## News

### **International Rugby Sevens Adelaide - Bring your mates!**

With a little over a week to go we would like to encourage everyone in the SA Rugby community to organise as many of their “non-rugby” friends as possible to attend the 2010 International Rugby Sevens Adelaide.

The Sevens is now in its fourth year and the event has been a wonderful showcase for Rugby in the State. The Sevens post-event survey states that ‘word of mouth’ is the important way people find out about Sevens.

The SA Rugby community is vital in continuing to encourage more non-rugby people to experience Sevens. In 2009, the event post-event survey showed that all but 11% of people attending the event were somehow connected with Rugby i.e. they played rugby, belonged to a club or watch Rugby on television.

The key message that we would like the non rugby community to understand is that the Rugby Sevens has a brilliant carnival atmosphere and is great fun to attend even if you don’t have a great understanding of the game itself.

There are fantastic prizes on offer for those that attend the Sevens in fancy dress and with ticket prices starting at just \$17 it is great value.

For more information on how you could promote the Sevens to your friends and colleagues call the SA Rugby office on 7224 8150 or go to [www.adelaidesevens.com.au](http://www.adelaidesevens.com.au)

### **2010 Bartercard Cup**

All entries have now been received for the Bartercard Cup. The first round for both the Premier and Grade competition will be played on Friday 9 April.

A memo detailing the draw and rules will be distributed to clubs by COB Friday 12 March.

### **Advanced Coaching Course – 18 March**

Wallabies Assistant Coach Jim Williams will be running an advanced coaching course at Adelaide Oval No. 2 on Thursday 18 March commencing at the SA Rugby Office at 6pm. Jim will be covering defensive patterns from phase play, the breakdown and will refer to new laws at the breakdown. All who are interested in attending are to contact Carl Jones on (08) 7224 8158 or email their name, contact email and phone number to [carl.jones@sarugby.com.au](mailto:carl.jones@sarugby.com.au)

### **2010 Elizabeth Sevens – Change of Date**

The date for the 2010 Elizabeth Sevens has been moved from Saturday 6th March to **Saturday 27th March**. The new date will make for a larger and more enjoyable a day of rugby. Due to a number of requests, a women’s competition has now been included.

### **Superhero Saturday at the Rugby Sevens**

Here is your chance to win your club a Gilbert Training ball pack by simply rounding up your mates and heading to the International Rugby Sevens Adelaide on Saturday 20 March dressed as your favourite SUPERHERO.

To be in the running all you have to do is have your photo taken at the photo booth in Sevens Central. Yep it’s that easy!!

For more information on Superhero Saturday go to <http://www.adelaidesevens.com.au/sevens.rugby/page/67483> or email [mel.summers@sarugby.com.au](mailto:mel.summers@sarugby.com.au) Gilbert is a great sponsor of SA Rugby.

To purchase Gilbert balls for your club contact Cathy at SA Rugby on 7224 8150 or [cathy.heuzenroeder@sarugby.com.au](mailto:cathy.heuzenroeder@sarugby.com.au)

### **Purchase your Club’s MyButcher meat through [www.meatright.com.au](http://www.meatright.com.au)**

Clubs can now purchase mybutchers meat through meatright’s Sausage Sizzle area at [www.meatright.com.au](http://www.meatright.com.au)

- All catering and sausage sizzle needs can be ordered on line for delivery or collection
- Including Steaks, Kebabs, Sausages, bread, sauce, onions, salads , napkins and more
- Easy and convenient one stop shopping for busy volunteers and coordinators

Don't forget food is a great way to bring people into your club and foster that community atmosphere and a sausage sizzle is an easy way to raise funds for your clubs – no one can resist the aroma of a sausage and onion cooking.

For more information, please contact:

Renee Buckley on 0434 690 703 or

[renee@meatright.com.au](mailto:renee@meatright.com.au) or

Margot Sage on 0434 690 732 or

[margot@meatright.com.au](mailto:margot@meatright.com.au)

### **Southern Warriors Wine Fundraiser**

The Southern Warriors are holding a wine fundraiser to assist in raising funds for their trip to the National Championships in Canberra in June. You can purchase a mixed dozen case for \$120 with \$40 from each case going towards the Southern Warriors.

To download an order form, please go to the following link:

[http://www.sarugby.com.au/news\\_2010\\_02\\_02.html](http://www.sarugby.com.au/news_2010_02_02.html)

Forms are to be returned to Mel at SA Rugby [mel.summers@sarugby.com.au](mailto:mel.summers@sarugby.com.au) or fax (08) 8231 8066 by Friday 30 April. Any queries please call the SA Rugby office on (08) 7224 8150.

## **Coaching, Officiating & Development**

### **Coaching and Officiating E-Newsletter**

The first edition of the Coaching & Officiating Newsletter was sent out to a list of SA Rugby Coaches and Referees last week. If you did not receive the newsletter and would like to be added to the recipients list, please subscribe by emailing your name and contact email address to [referees@sarugby.com.au](mailto:referees@sarugby.com.au)

More information on the Coaching and Officiating Newsletter can be found at the following link:

[http://www.sarugby.com.au/news\\_subscribe.html](http://www.sarugby.com.au/news_subscribe.html)

### **2010 Active Club Program – Funding Workshops in May**

Is your club a sport or active recreation organisation? Is your club looking for funding? The Active Club Program provides financial assistance to eligible sport or active recreation organisations to provide active recreation and sport programs and services in the community. There are three Active Club Program funding categories:

- Programs and equipment
- Facilities
- Youth At Risk

In order to assist community-based clubs with their applications for funding, the Office for Recreation and Sport will be conducting several funding workshops.

Funding workshops will be conducted at the following locations:

Date	Time	Location
Monday 22 March	6:30 – 8:30pm	Happy Valley Sports and Social Club, Taylors Road, Aberfoyle Park
Wednesday 24 March	7 – 8pm	Room 3, Greenwith Community Centre, The Golden Way, Greenwith
Monday 29 March	7 – 8pm	City of Salisbury - John Harvey Gallery 12 James Street, Salisbury
Wednesday 7 April	10 – 11am	Office for Recreation and Sport 27 Valetta Road, Kidman Park
Wednesday 7 April	6 – 7pm	Office for Recreation and Sport 27 Valetta Road, Kidman Park

**Registrations are essential.** To register for one of the funding workshops please contact an Active Club Program Funding Consultant at the Office for Recreation and Sport on 7424 7708 or via email at [ORSGrants@sa.gov.au](mailto:ORSGrants@sa.gov.au)

Further information including organisation eligibility, guidelines and application forms are available from the ORS website: [www.recSPORT.sa.gov.au](http://www.recSPORT.sa.gov.au)

Applications Close: 5.15pm Monday, 10 May 2010

## **2010 Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA) & Liquor Licensing Laws (LLL)**

In South Australia, clubs that sell or serve alcohol must hold a liquor licence. An accredited Responsible Services Badge bar staff member must be present where alcohol is sold or supplied. Clubs that do not serve alcohol, but allow alcohol to be brought into the club's premises and consumed, still require a Limited Club Licence. Holders of a liquor licence/permit have legal responsibilities as laid down by the Liquor Licensing Act 1997.

Throughout February and March, RSA and LLL courses will be held in Kensington Gardens, Salisbury North, Noarlunga, Glandore, Brighton and North Adelaide.

For the February/March course schedule, please go to the following link:

[http://www.goodsports.com.au/images/stories/rsa\\_flyer\\_lpg\\_feb2010.pdf](http://www.goodsports.com.au/images/stories/rsa_flyer_lpg_feb2010.pdf)

## **2010 Grant Opportunities for Clubs**

For a list of grant opportunities for clubs in 2010, please go to the Club Development page on the SA Rugby website:

[http://www.sarugby.com.au/res\\_development.html](http://www.sarugby.com.au/res_development.html)

and click on 'Grant Opportunities for Clubs in 2010'.

## **Office for Recreation and Sport Training and Development Opportunities**

The 2010 ORS Training Calendar is available at the following link:

<http://www.recsport.sa.gov.au/coaching-officiating/courses.html>

Club committees and coaches should view the 2010 Training Calendar and register for upcoming courses.

## **Office for Volunteers Newsletter**

Read this fortnight's edition of the Office for Volunteers' electronic newsletter, *The State of Volunteering On-line*, by visiting

<http://www.ofv.sa.gov.au/newsletter.htm>.

## **General Notices**

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### **Gilbert Ball Orders**

Gilbert is the official ball of SA Rugby. We encourage all clubs to use Gilbert balls and support our fantastic sponsors. To order your balls for the 2010 season contact Cathy at SA Rugby on (08) 7224 8150 or go to the following link for an order form:

[http://www.sarugby.com.au/corporate\\_merch.html](http://www.sarugby.com.au/corporate_merch.html)

### **2010 International Rugby Sevens Adelaide Tickets**

The 2010 International Rugby Sevens Adelaide will take place from 19-21 March. Tickets are on sale now through Ticketek – visit [www.ticketek.com.au](http://www.ticketek.com.au) or phone 132 849.

### **2010 SA Rugby Life Member Nominations**

2010 Life member nominations need to be submitted by 22 March 2010. Please go to the following link to download the SARU qualifications document:

[http://www.sarugby.com.au/about\\_members.html](http://www.sarugby.com.au/about_members.html)

### **KooGa – Official kit provider to SARU**

Please note that KooGa remains the official stock merchandiser for SA Rugby in 2009 and gear is available through SA Rugby or KooGa at [www.wrskooga.com](http://www.wrskooga.com). Contact the South Australian KooGa Sales Representative, Richard Wasley, on 0410 434 224. **KooGa** are also suppliers of **Silver Fern training equipment** [www.silverfernaust.com.au](http://www.silverfernaust.com.au)

## Dates for the Diary

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### **10 March**

SmartRugby Course  
Elizabeth RUFC

### **15 March**

2010 team nominations to SA Rugby

### **18 March**

Advanced Coaching Session  
SA Rugby Office  
6pm

### **19 March**

2010 International Rugby Sevens Adelaide  
Business Lunch  
Adelaide Convention Centre

### **19-21 March**

2010 International Rugby Sevens Adelaide

### **24 March**

SmartRugby Course  
Southern Suburbs RUFC

### **27 March**

2010 Elizabeth Sevens  
Elizabeth RUFC

### **31 March**

SA Rugby 2010 Draw sent out to Clubs

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