

Welcome to "Roosters On The Run..." - The Roosters Hockey Club periodic community club update on the activities, adventures and achievements of the club and its members.



### President's Report

I hope all our members and supporters had a fantastic break over Christmas and New Year's.

The Club congratulates all players selected over the summer in either Qld squads or Indoor teams.

With the 2019 season imminent there has already been extensive preparation by the executive and volunteers, and a hive of activity on many fronts.

Pre-season training is fully underway for Div1 squads, and our "all welcome" combined junior & senior player 4-week pre-season skills & fitness program has proven very popular. Don't miss out - plenty of space on that first-rate RBSSC Athletics Field & you're very welcome to join the next 3 weeks on a pro-rata basis!

Excitingly, the club is organising a series of Senior trial games at the Nikki Hudson Hockey Field at Runaway Bay:

- Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> February - Men's Divisions 1-3 against Bulimba Men;
- Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February - Full Senior Club Men & Women vs Ipswich Tigers (tbc).
- 1-3 March - The Core Cup, Maryborough, Div1 M & W 9s (TBC)

Other trials are being negotiated, and to make the most of these opportunities, training will start back on February 12<sup>th</sup> for Seniors.

Training rosters, team allocations & coaches will be issued shortly; and the registration portal will open in the next week.

The Roosters' AGM is now 6pm Thurs Feb 7<sup>th</sup> at RBSSC - Please attend and meet or offer to assist your Executive / Portfolio Directors.

I'm excited about what 2019 will bring for the Roosters Hockey Club & look forward to seeing everyone in action again as stick meets ball.

Daniel Oliphant - Club President



### GET YOUR GAME ON WITH PRE-SEASON!!!

Attention all junior and senior players looking to get ready for the new season!

Pre-season training with Ant Dolkens is already underway, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, at Runaway Bay Super Sports Centre.

Tuesday will be turf based skills and Wednesday will be fitness on the Athletics track for 4 weeks.

Open to all clubs! - You can still sign on! (Fees apply)

Training times from 5:30pm - 6:30pm.

Please register your interest with an email to [vp\\_juniors@roostershockey.com.au](mailto:vp_juniors@roostershockey.com.au)



### What can YOU do?

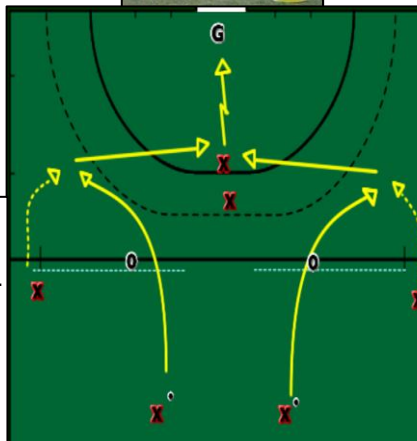
For the Roosters Hockey Club to continue its momentum in becoming the "Club of Choice" - we need to recruit some more "hands-on" in a few areas.

Our goal is to establish an even stronger club structure where our "Roosters Family" works together so there is "a team for every task" ...

Assistance currently would be great in:

- Additional coaching staff;
- Website / social media management;
- Construction &/or planning;
- Vice Treasurer;
- Sponsorship, travel or marketing;
- Fostering the "Roosters Family Business Network";
- Event planning / social calendar;

If you have a skill, business or experience that can help the club, listed above or not - Please let us know!!



### Are you a play-maker? Reckon you know the secret to hockey team success? Want to find out?

We are still looking for some Coaches and Assistant Coaches for this season. Fee subsidies apply for those Coaches that are appointed to a team.

Assistant Coach roles will be for those just starting with lower divisions AND for those wishing to learn from more experienced coaches by observing and assisting.

In an effort to increase the coaching levels at the club we also intend to run several Coach the Coaches sessions throughout the season for the coaching staff, with the club covering the cost of any assigned coach to gain at least level 1 certification.

Put your hand up by email: [info@roostershockey.com.au](mailto:info@roostershockey.com.au)

### Strategic Priorities

- H**ome base/field/Clubhouse
- O**pportunity for Excellence
- C**ommunication - internal & external
- K**(c)oaching
- E**conomic/operational sustainability
- Y**our Club (social)

Coming Soon:

### "Buy-A-Brick"

How you as Roosters Members can invest in YOUR Club and YOUR Clubhouse...



### The Roosters' "Family Business" Program:

"Referred by Roosters!"



### A Pantheon of Champions... "Off-season - what off-season??"

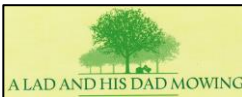
Roosters acknowledge the superb efforts and achievements of the following:

- Sam Basille - Aust Country Tour Fiji
- Josh Baxter - Old U21M Indoor team
- Emma Hawley - Old U21W Indoor team
- Ella Brown - Old U18W squad
- Rayleigh Brown - Old U18W Indoor (shadow)
- Jade Reid - Old U18W squad.
- Dayle Dolkens - Old U18W squad, Old U18W Indoor (shadow)
- Casey Dolkens - Australia U23W China tour.
- Charli Woosnam - Old U18W Indoor, Old U18W squad

### Sponsors



### Supporters



### Community Partners

The Roosters Hockey Club wishes to acknowledge and thank the following individuals, representatives and organisations for their cooperation, assistance and support - past, present and future.

- David Crisafulli, State MP for Broadwater
- Cr Cameron Caldwell, Division 3 GCCC
- Stuart Robert, Federal MP for Fadden
- Mark Boothman, State MP for Theodore
- All the volunteers that assist on the field and behind the scenes.

Major Venue Partner



Affiliate



### ROOSTERS DATE CLAIMERS

- Annual General Meeting (Amended) Thursday, 7th February
- Registration Day Saturday 9th Feb, time TBC
- Official Senior Training starts 12th February
- Official Junior Training starts 19th February
- Youth Week 3 - 14 April

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