



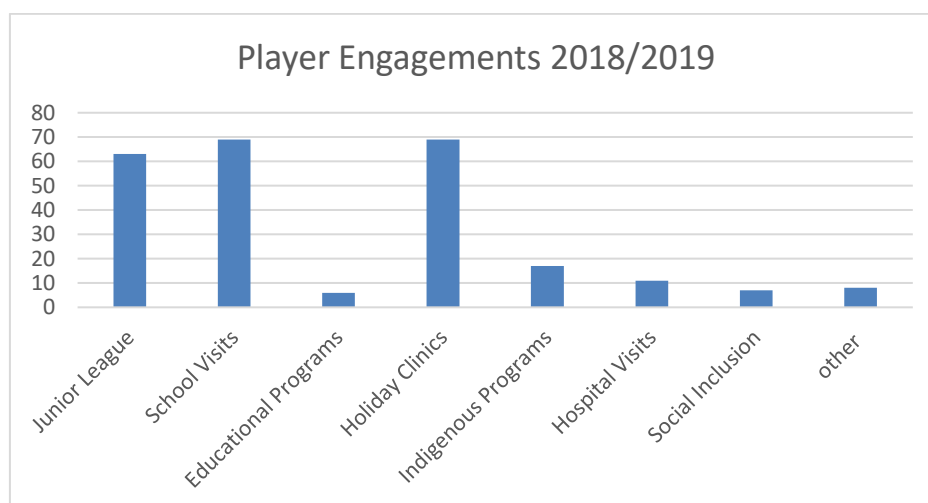
What's Making News;

In a fitting end to the 2019 season, players from the NRL squad finished the season off on a high heading into the community attending numerous events in between their final reviews.

Visits were conducted at St George and Wollongong Hospital, school visits in St George and Illawarra, as well as helping to celebrate Footy Colours and Day and R U OK Day activations.

In total for 2019 the NRL squad took part in a huge 250 community engagement, equating to approximately 750 hours. Below is a breakdown of the programs they were involved in.

In addition, players from NRLW, Jersey Flegg, SG Ball, Harlod Matthews and Tarsha Gale also volunteered their time at key engagement including, Holiday Clinics, Kids Big Day out and primary school blitz assemblies.



50/50 Charity Raffle

This year the 50/50 charity raffle has raised a total of \$38,215.00. Below is a breakdown of the charities and the amount raised at each game.



VENUE	ATTENDANCE	CHARITY ALLOCATION	CHARITY AMOUNT
Jubilee Stadium	10,080	St George Junior League	\$ 1,712.43
Jubilee Stadium	13,409	St George Junior League	\$ 1,664.42
WIN Stadium	14,268	Illawarra Division Rugby League	\$ 1,804.45
WIN Stadium	14,586	Illawarra Aboriginal Medical Services	\$ 1,202.30
WIN Stadium	7,008	Southern Youth and Family Services	\$ 1,006.25
WIN Stadium	5,578	NSW Rural Fire Service	\$ 778.19
WIN Stadium	9,159	IHMRI	\$ 1,216.30
Jubilee Stadium	9,645	St George Junior League	\$ 1,432.36
Jubilee Stadium	6,532	SSMRF	\$ 1,260.31
Jubilee Stadium	9,087	Cancer Council NSW	\$ 2,254.56
SCG	9,136	Men of League Foundation	\$ 958.24

TOTAL	\$ 15,289.81
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Congratulation to Corey Norman making the final four of the [Ken Stephens Medal](#), receiving his spot in the final four as 'people choice' vote. Ultimately Sia Soliola (Raiders) emerged as the overall winner.

Although Corey did not win the Ken Stephens Medal, he is still driven to giving back to the disadvantage and will continue to have [a positive impact](#) on people's lives and was recognised by the club taking out the 2019 St George Illawarra Dragons Community Involvement award.

Kezie Apps was also nominated for the [Veronica White Medal](#) recognising her contribution in the community, with Honey Hireme (New Zealand Warriors) named as the inaugural winner of 2019.

^8 Articles featured on dragons.com.au during September 11th – October 9th



October		
1	NRL League Stars	Todd Park Blakehurst
9	NRL League Stars Holiday Clinic	Collegians Stadium
10	NRL League Stars Holiday Clinic	Croom Road Sporting Complex
10	NRL League Stars intro	Mt St Thomas PS
11	NRL Safe Tackle	Sid Parrish Park
15	NRL League Stars	Hurstville PS
16	NRL Dusty and Friends	Hannans Road PS
16	NRL League Stars	St Thomas Mores
16	NRL League Stars	Carlton South PS
18	NRL Dusty and Friends	Tullimbar PS
18	NRL Safe Tackle	Sid Parrish Park
18	NRL Sporting Schools	Ulladulla PS
18	NRL League Stars	Mt St Thomas PS
18	NRL Sporting Schools	St Marys By the Sea PS
18	NRL League Stars	Our Lady of Lourdes

18	NRL League Stars	Danebank PS
21	NRL LIFT Program	Ulladulla HS
22	Dream Believe Achieve	James Cook Boys HS
22	NRL LIFT Program	Cedars College
22	NRL School to Work	Albion Park High School
22	NRL School to Work	Dapto High School
22	NRL School to Work	Illawarra Sports High
22	NRL School to Work	Kanahooka High School
22	NRL School to Work	Lake Illawarra High School
22	NRL School to Work	Oak Flats High School
22	NRL School to Work	St Joseph's High School
23	NRL Dusty and Friends	Hannans Road PS
23	NRL League Stars	Carlton South PS
23	NRL League Stars	St Thomas Mores
24	NRL League Stars	Mt St Thomas PS
24	NRL League Stars	Our Lady of Lourdes
24	NRL School to Work	Ulladulla High School
24	NRL School to Work	Warilla High School
24	NRL School to Work	Warrawong High School
24	NRL School to Work	Wollongong High School
25	NRL Safe Tackle	Sid Parrish Park
25	NRL Sporting Schools	Ulladulla PS
25	NRL Premier Sporting Challenge	Dapto High School
25	NRL League Stars	Danebank PS
28	NRL LIFT Program	Ulladulla HS
28	NRL League Stars	Hurstville PS
29	NRL League Stars	Thirroul PS
29	NRL League Stars	Sussex Inlet
29	NRL Behind the goal post program	Illawarra Sports High
29	NRL School to Work	Albion Park High School
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