



**The Mako Shark is the mascot for the Marymount College Rugby League program.**

**It was chosen due to Marymount Colleges association with the water, as well as the Mako being the fastest shark in the water (and one of the top five man-eaters).**

## **MARYMOUNT MAKOS RUGBY LEAGUE**

Marymount College has a proud history as a competitive Rugby League school. The Rugby League Program at Marymount begins in Marymount Primary School and continues in Years 7-12 where the boys play against Gold Coast Independent Colleges on a Thursday afternoon in Term 3.

Marymount U15 and Open Teams participate in the Titans Cup & Challenge competitions on Wednesday nights in Term 2. Marymount were the open age **Titans Cup Premiers** in 2017. A hotly contested 1<sup>st</sup> XIII is selected to participate in the Queensland Independent Secondary Schools Rugby League Competition (Confraternity), which is the largest schoolboy Rugby League carnival in Australia with over 46 Catholic and Independent Colleges from around Queensland and beyond. During Term 3, for the first time, the 1<sup>st</sup> XIII were included in the nationwide-wide GIO Trophy competition.

In 2017, Marymount College won the **Bob Lindner Trophy** (second tier of A Division) and **NRL Referees' Fair Play Award** at Confraternity after a highly competitive tournament. With the support of the Queensland Cup Burleigh Bears we look forward to continually improving our performance in all areas. The Marymount Makos have developed an excellent spirit, are dedicated to performing to the best of their ability and pride themselves on their discipline on and off the field.

### **Facilities**

An onsite full weights gymnasium, including a core and cardio room, is used by the Marymount Rugby League Program, as well as the full-sized Rugby League field. Both of these, along with expert coaching, helps improve the boys' Rugby League ability.

### **Goals**

Education is the primary focus. Boys must perform well in class to remain in the Rugby League Program. We aim to improve the following qualities in each of our boys:

- Discipline on and off the playing field
- Character development of all program members in line with the College Mission Statement
- Respect for all officials, opposition players, spectators and team mates
- Resilience when decisions do not go the player's way, in all facets of life
- Determination for all boys do their best at all times
- A team mentality where the efforts of all members are valued
- Commitment to, and sacrifice for, the Marymount Rugby League Program



## Coaching Team

### Mr Jason Hamilton

Head Coach, Jason Hamilton has 27 continuous years of coaching experience across a range of football codes and other sports. He has been a part of Marymount's Rugby League program for the last 11 years and has been instrumental in the move towards a disciplined approach by all Rugby League players at all times. Jason has coached the 1st XIII since 2008. An English, and Advanced Sport teacher at the College, Jason has held a variety of roles as Middle Leader including Pastoral Coordinator and presently as Head of Careers and Vocational Education and Training.

### Mr Matt Geyer

Matt Geyer has been at Marymount College since 2015. At present, he is enjoying the responsibility of being Head of Sport. Matt teaches Maths, Advanced Sport and Humanities to Years 7-10. Matt has been a Junior Rugby League coach on the Gold Coast for nine years and has coached the U/14s and Opens teams at Marymount during his three years of teaching at the College. Matt brings a wealth of experience to the Rugby League Program with his 268 NRL games with the Melbourne Storm and playing State of Origin for New South Wales. His focus on building the person before building the player aligns perfectly with the goals of our Rugby League Program at Marymount College.

### Mr Matt Foster

Matt Foster has a strong history with Marymount College having been the Strength and Conditioning Coach and Skills Coach for the past eight years. The association goes further as Matt comes into the school from TAFE to teach the Certificate II in Sport & Recreation/Certificate III in Fitness qualification.

Matt was previously a professional Rugby League player for 14 years in England with the Leeds Rhinos, Keighley Cougars and Sheffield Eagles. He developed his taste for coaching and developing athletes with Keighley as he headed the scholarship program which worked with talented athletes aged 12-16 years. Matt coached Keighley Cougars U18s Academy team and in 2008 coached the England Students in the Universities World.

Since being in Australia eight years ago Matt's experience has seen him undertake roles with the Titans Mal Meninga and Cyril Connell Cup teams, as Strength Coach, work with Burleigh Bears as an U20s Assistant Coach and since 2015 become Head Coach of the successful Burleigh Bears A grade team. Matt is now the Assistant Coach to the Q Cup side.

## SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

| Level of Sponsorship   | Apparel Location  | Additional Benefits   |
|--|---|---|
| Platinum Sponsor \$2000 (or the value of) per year for 2 years | Front of Marymount Makos Titans Cup Jersey, training singlet, training t-shirt and team polo  | <p>Opportunity to present team with jerseys at commencement of season during whole school assembly.</p> <p>Opportunity to present players with awards at Marymount College Rugby League Presentation Function</p> <p>A framed jersey with photo of the Confraternity team and a certificate of thanks from Marymount College.</p> |
| Major Sponsor \$1500 (or the value of) per year for 2 years    | Back Top of Marymount Makos Titans Cup Jersey, training singlet, training t-shirt and team polo   | <p>Opportunity to present team with jerseys at commencement of season during whole school assembly.</p> <p>Opportunity to present players with awards at Marymount College Rugby League Presentation Function</p> <p>A colour photo of the Confraternity team and a certificate of thanks from Marymount College.</p>             |
| Gold Sponsor \$1250 (or the value of) per year for 2 years     | Back Bottom of Marymount Makos Titans Cup Jersey, training singlet, training t-shirt and team polo  | <p>Opportunity to present players with awards at Marymount College Rugby League Presentation Function.</p> <p>A colour photo of the Confraternity team and a certificate of thanks from Marymount College.</p>  |
| Silver Sponsor \$1000 (or the value of) per year for 2 years   | Sleeve of Marymount Makos Titans Cup Jersey, training singlet, training t-shirt and team polo   | <p>Opportunity to present players with awards at Marymount College Rugby League Presentation Function</p> <p>A colour photo of the Confraternity team and a certificate of thanks from Marymount College.</p>   |
| Bronze Sponsor \$500 (or the value of) per year for 2 years    | Front or back of Marymount Makos dress shorts, training singlet, training t-shirt and team polo   | <p>Opportunity to present players with awards at Marymount College Rugby League Presentation Function</p> <p>A colour photo of the Confraternity team and a certificate of thanks from Marymount College.</p>   |
| Blue Sponsor \$250 (or the value of) per year for 2 years      | <p>This level of sponsorship is to support the Marymount Rugby League Program and to play a part in continued growth.</p> <p>Front or back of Marymount Makos training singlet and training t-shirt</p> | <p>A colour photo of the Confraternity team and a certificate of thanks from Marymount College.</p>   |

## PUBLICITY AND PROMOTION

Throughout the season, the boys will be featured in the Marymount College weekly newsletter, which has a distribution of over 1000 families. They will have all games promoted with photos via our College Facebook page, which has a following of over 1500.

Photos with boys wearing their jerseys will be used in the Marymount College Rugby League Program brochure, which is distributed to existing Marymount College students, and enrolling families from Year 5 onwards.

Marymount Makos will be featured on the Titans Cup & Challenge webpage.

Marymount Makos will be featured in hard copy and electronic publications produced by QISSRL (Confraternity Carnival).

## SPONSORSHIP FORM

Thank you for your support of Marymount College Rugby League Program.

Please complete the form below and we will send an invoice for your selected sponsorship level, each year for three years.

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| Business Name:  |   |
| Contact Name:   |   |
| Sponsorship Level:  | <input type="checkbox"/> Premium <input type="checkbox"/> Major <input type="checkbox"/> Gold <input type="checkbox"/> Silver <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze <input type="checkbox"/> Blue |
| Contact Phone:  |   |
| Business Address:   |   |
| Email:  |   |
| Logo Artwork  | Please supply your company logo in the following formats jpeg, png, pdf<br>If you have a Style Guide for your logo please provide   |
| I am unable to provide sponsorship but would like to make a donation of goods/services: |   |

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Mail: Attention: Mr Jason Hamilton

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