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|  | **DARLING DOWNS SCHOOL SPORT** | Colour QLD GOV |
| **PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CAREFULLY!** |
| **14-15 YEARS RUGBY UNION TRIALS - 2025** |
| The 2025 Regional **14-15 YEARS RUGBY UNION** Trials are to be held on **Wednesday, May 28, 2025**. Schools are to conduct trials to nominate suitable individuals to attend these trials. |
| **SCHOOL BASED NOMINATIONS ONLY: 14-15 Years Boys (born 2010, 2011)** |
| Please note the following details: |  |  |
| **DATE:** | Wednesday, May 28, 2025 |  |
| **VENUE:** | Downlands College, Ruthven Street, Toowoomba |
| **TIME:** | 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  |
| * Individual **SCHOOL** team nominations will be accepted (maximum of 19 players) - from schools in DD and SW Sport Regions. **Schools may make application in writing for additional players to attend the trials, especially in specialist positions of prop, hooker and halfback.**
* Individual nominations will be accepted if a team can’t be formed.
* It is a **SCHOOL’S RESPONSIBILITY** to ensure staff accompany teams to Regional Trials and provide TRS days to cover staff absence from school for these days.
* Teams attending without a team official **WILL BE INELIGIBLE** to compete at the Regional Trials.
* **OFFICIAL MEETING:** A meeting of team officials will be held 8:00am 28 May at Downlands Fields.
* **SELECTION PROCEDURES:** One (1) teacher from each participating district will be nominated as a member of the selection panel.
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| **NOMINATION FEE:** | $16.50 per student. **No money is to be paid at the trial.** |
|  | Students are to go to <https://rssshop.education.qld.gov.au/darlingdowns> and pay for their regional trial fee by **Friday, May 23, 2025.** **The Sports Office will no longer be re-opening the shop after the due date if payment has not been received.****NO PAYMENT = NO TRIAL** |
| **NOMINATIONS CLOSE:** | **WEDNESDAY, May 21, 2025** with: |
|  | **Matthew Wilkie****Downlands College****🕿 4690 9500** **Email:** **wilkiem@downlands.qld.edu.au** |
| **REGIONAL TEAM:**  | At the conclusion of the trials, regional sides will be selected to contest the State Championships at **Padua College Playing Fields, Brisbane (Met North)** from **July 24th – 27th 2025.** Please note that this will be when made to order uniforms will be tried on; sizes for these items must be given to team managers prior to departure. |
| **QUEENSLAND SELECTION:**  | Dependent on the sport, students may be eligible for selection in a Queensland representative team or Merit team. |
| **MEDICAL / PERMISSION FORMS:** | All students must bring a completed DD Trial Permission Form (including the section for Mouthguard Consent) to the regional trial. This will be collected by the Convenor. **NO FORM** **and NO MOUTHGUARD** means the student will be unable to trial on the day. |
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| **CONVENOR:** | **Matthew Wilkie** |  |

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| **NUMBER OF OFFICIALS TO ACCOMPANY ANY SCHOOL TEAM NOMINATIONS:** **Each team must have 1 official present at the trials otherwise the team nomination WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. NO OFFICIAL = NO PLAY.** **It is a SCHOOL’S RESPONSIBILITY to ensure teachers accompany teams to Regional Trials and provide TRS days to cover teacher's absence from school for these days. Teams attending without a team official WILL BE INELIGIBLE to compete at the Regional Trials.****OFFICIAL MEETING: A meeting of team officials will be held at 8.00 a.m. on Wednesday, May 28 at the****Downlands College Playing Fields.****SELECTION PROCEDURES:****One (1) teacher from each participating district will be nominated as a member of the selection panel.** **Please complete the following nomination form and return to Matthew Wilkie.** |

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|  | **NOMINATION FORM** |  |
| **SCHOOL:** | …………………………………………………………………………… |
| **EACH PLAYER TO BRING: 1 jersey, own food, mouthguard, strapping, sunscreen, hat, water.** |
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| **CONTACT STAFF MEMBER:** | ……………………………............................ |
| **PHONE NUMBER:** | ……………………………............................ |
| **NAME OF TEACHER ACCOMPANYING TEAM:** | ……………………………............................ |
| **REMINDERS:**  | * Teams attending without a team official **WILL BE INELIGIBLE** to compete at the Regional Trials.
* All students must bring a completed DD Trial Permission Form (including the section for Mouthguard Consent) to the regional trial. This will be collected by the Convenor. **NO FORM** means the student will be unable to trial on the day.
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| **NOMINATION FEE:**    | * $16.50 per student. **No money is to be paid at the trial.**
* Students and families are to go to the DD School Sport Online shop and pay for their regional trial fee by **Friday, May 23, 2025. The Sports Office will no longer be re-opening the shop after the due date if payment has not been received. NO PAYMENT = NO TRIAL**
* [www.ddschoolsport.eq.edu.au](http://www.ddschoolsport.eq.edu.au) , click the “Pay now – Levies and apparel”.
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| **RETURN THIS FORM BY WEDNESDAY, May 21, 2025 TO:**  | Matthew WilkieDownlands CollegeEmail: wilkiem@downlands.qld.edu.au |

**PLAYER PROFILE**

DIRECTIONS: Please complete the following for submitting. The player profile may well be used for late inclusion of players due to unforeseen events e.g. injuries.

NAME: …………………………………………………………………….. SCHOOL: ……………………………………………………………………..

 USUAL POSITION: ……………………………………………………………………..

ALSO ABLE TO PLAY: ……………………………………………………………………..

HEIGHT: ……………………cm WEIGHT: …………………… kg

Any specialist skills or abilities – e.g. line-out jumper, goal or general play kicker, upper body strength, aerobically very fit, utility, acceleration, specialist tight head: ……………………………………………………………………..…………………………………………

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Rugby experience – e.g. team, positions and number of years played: ……………………………………………………………………..……

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Rugby Representative Honours - Regional or State: ……………………………………………………………………..……………………………….

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Major achievements in other sports - name the sport, position played, number of years, level of competition where applicable: ……………………………………………………………………..……………………………………………………………………………………………..

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Current coach's comments on ability, skills, attitude: ……………………………………………………………………..…………………………….

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