



BROTHERS RUGBY CLUB

McDonald's Little Brothers

3 & 4 (turning 5) Born 2019 & 2020

2024 PROGRAM INFORMATION

We are excited about the upcoming 2024 season and look forward to welcoming new players and families, as well as our returning participants to McDonald's Little Brothers.

The Little Brothers Program is structured for participants (born 2019 and 2020). It is a four-term program (Terms 1, 2, 3 and 4) with the option to participate in any number of terms that suit your child's schedule in 2024.

The McDonald's Little Bros program is a weekly skills development course and offers a fun and innovative introduction to sport which focuses on developing:

- Physical movement patterns
- Balance and stability
- Hand eye & general coordination activities
- Ball familiarisation
- Game awareness

The activities are easy to complete and encourage the children to work together to build their confidence and make new friends.

2024 Term Dates

Term 1 Monday 29 January – Saturday 23 March

Term 2 Monday 22 April – Saturday 15 June

(No Sessions on Anzac Day Thurs 25 April or Labour Day Mon 6 May)

Term 3 Monday 15 July – Saturday 7 September

Term 4 Thursday 10 October – Monday 2 December

Weekly Session Times

The program runs on a term basis, each consisting of 8 weeks. With multiple sessions each week you can attend as many as you want. However, there are no makeup sessions.

- Monday 3:30pm – 4:15pm
- Thursday 9:15am – 10:00am
- Saturday 7:30am – 8:15am

Please note there are NO SESSIONS the first week back after school holidays or on Public Holidays.

HOW TO REGISTER ONLINE through Rugby Xplorer from Tuesday 19 December 2023

In Term 1, parents are given the option to register their child for Term 1 only to start with (Cost \$130 includes full year insurance) or take up the offer of paying for 3 terms (an extra \$260 for the entire year) and getting Term 4 free of charge.

\$130 per term includes Insurance, club training shirt, player merchandise item and a sticker in the first term registered.

[Rugby Xplorer sign up/login is accessible via the web](#)

- Once the App is Downloaded or upgraded or accessed via the web, sign-Up/login using your email and password.
- Login and click "Register" in the lefthand side menu.
- Click on "Find a Club"
- When asked "Who would you like to register?" Click on your account if you have one or else create one and register as a volunteer.
- Then switch to your child's profile or create an account for your child.
- When asked Enter Club Name type in Brothers Rugby Club Albion (Juniors) and select Next
- Select Player; Modified Rugby Participant - Little Rugby; Season
- Click through all contact detail pages etc.
- This will charge \$130 for Term 1.
- If parents would like to take up the offer in Term 1 to pay for the year (Pay for 3 terms and get Term 4 free) select that "add on" option and there will be an extra charge of \$260 totalling \$390 at the payment gateway.

CLUB CONTACTS

General & registration queries admin@brothersrugby.com.

Communication

Throughout the season you will receive regular communications regarding the Little Brothers program, term reminders and weather updates affecting the scheduled sessions.

Communication directly from the club will be sent via Stack Team App, Instagram or Facebook, see links below.

Documentation about the program can also be found in the documents tab of Stack Team App.

JUNIOR CLUB COMMUNICATION

The 'Stack Team App' application has been implemented as a main communication avenue for the 2024 BRC junior rugby program. The app provides a streamlined and simple communication channel and will allow for greater distribution of important information.

Stack Team App Process: [Watch on YouTube](#)

Download Stack Team App from the App Store or Android app

- Search for – Brothers Rugby Club
- Become a member.
- Choose relevant playing age group or groups
 - Eg. Little Brothers Parents select Little Bros
- Please note you can join multiple groups.
- Reminder to current users to switch from 2023 age groups and join your updated 2024 age groups.
- Agree and Join
- **Please turn on notifications.**

