



Rugby Results

Team	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4	Round 5	Round 6	Round 7
6A Player of the Match	Marist 65 def. Iona 0 Leo Mylne	Villa 54 def. Marist 0 Hugh Southward	Marist 73 def. SPC 0 Eddie Leyden	SLC 35 def. Marist 0 Felix Katter	Villa 21 def. Marist 19 Team Performance	Marist 14 def. Iona 0 Jack Mannix	Marist 40 def. Padua 10 Hugh Southward
6B Player of the Match	Marist 29 def. Iona 15 Eli Jennings	Marist 24 drew ATC 6A 24 John Guinea	BYE	Marist 72 def. SPC 0 John Guinea	Washout	Marist 94 def. Villa 0 Riley Newton-Perry	Marist 36 def. Padua 14 James Graham
6C Player of the Match	Marist 22 def. Villanova 0 John Guinea	Marist 45 def. SPLC 6A 5 Henry Trebbin	Marist 62 def. Villanova 5 Cian Dillon	Marist 29 def. Padua 7	Marist 19 def. Iona 17 Josiah Cossart	Marist 6C 29 drew Marist 6D 29 Alex Spencer	Marist 6C 55 def. SPLC 6A 10 Paddy Beacroft
6D Player of the Match	Iona 6C 21 def. Marist 10 Will Merritt	BYE	Marist 31 def. Padua 6C 10 Felix van Boxel	SPLC 6A 32 def. Marist 0 Will Merritt	BYE	Marist 6C 29 drew Marist 6D 29 Harrison Kerse	Villa 6C 24 def. Marist 6D 7 Alex Spencer





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5A Player of the Match Robbie Dixon	Marist 14 Iona 14 Marist 7 Padua 7	Marist 67 def. ATC 0 Patrick Silec	Marist 47 def. SPC 7 Robbie Dixon	SLC 26 def. Marist 17 Paddy James	Iona 33 def. Marist 15 Charlie Maher	Marist 45 def. Iona 21 Robbie Dixon	Marist 36 def. SPC 5 Ben van de Meeburg
5B Player of the Match Oscar Dimitrijevic	Marist 17 def. Iona 5	Villa 17 def. Marist 0 Henry Hart	Marist 70 def. SPC 0 Reise Hohn	Marist 57 def. SLC 0 Tyson Thomas	Marist 15 def. Iona 0 Oscar Hirst	Marist 50 def. Padua 0 Hamish Stuttart	Marist 27 def. ATC 5A 19 Nate Townsley
5C Player of the Match Orlando Dodds	Iona 32 def. Marist 12	Marist 5C 29 def. Marist 5D 5 Orlando Dodds	Marist 91 def. Padua 0 Zach Riordan	Marist 50 def. SLC 0 Paddy Caughley	Marist 58 def. Iona 5D 0 Paddy Caughley	Marist 5D 24 def. Marist 5C 12 Lachie Hughes	Marist 36 def. Villa 0 Orlando Dodds
5D Player of the Match Tom Brown	Marist 28 Iona 5 Marist 40 Padua 5C 0	Marist 5C 29 def. Marist 5D 5 Oliver Milton	Marist 33 def. Villa 5C 12 Henry Laherty Lincoln Dearlove	Marist 79 def. Iona 5E 17 Nick Rush	Marist 82 def. Padua 5C 5 Alex Craig Roy Stevens	Marist 5D 24 def. Marist 5C 12 Nick Rush	Marist 51 def. SLC 5C 5 Flynn Julicher
5E Player of the Match Flynn Julicher	Iona 43 def. Marist 20	BYE	SLC 5C 33 def. Marist 19 Jack Alexander	Marist 22 drew Iona 5D 22 Lachie Levens	Iona 35 def. Marist 22 Tomas Christsen	Marist 82 def. Padua 5C 7 Archie Elstrob	Marist 30 def. Iona 17 Team Performance





Around the Grounds

6A

Marist 6A 40 def. Padua 10

Player of the Match – Hugh Southward

A near-flawless first-half performance set the tone for Marist 6As impressive 40 -10 victory over Padua in the final game of the season.

Marist dominated the opening half, with the forward pack laying the perfect platform through their direct and disciplined approach. Consistently working around the corner and carrying hard through the middle of the field, the forwards gave Padua little opportunity to settle into the contest. Their relentless go-forward created space out wide, allowing the Marist backs to showcase their speed and skill. Time and again, the outside backs found room to move through a stretched and scrambling Padua defensive line.

The result was a commanding 28-0 lead at halftime and arguably the side's most complete half of rugby for the season.

While a handful of defensive lapses allowed Padua to get onto the scoreboard in the second half, Marist responded well. The back five tightened their defence considerably, with Madden McQuinn leading the way. His willingness to throw himself into every tackle ensured Padua found little joy in the wider channels.

The influence of Jack Mannix and Lachie Mitchell was immense throughout the contest. Both controlled the game expertly, with Mitchell's ability to hold up the pass and deliver the ball to charging forwards right on the advantage line proving a constant weapon. Their game management and leadership allowed Marist to maintain pressure and play the match on their terms.

The "Pillars of Power", Will Barden and Hawk Williams, were at their hard-running best all morning, forcing the Padua defence into countless try-saving tackles. Felix Katter was tireless at the breakdown, competing fiercely for possession and disrupting opposition ball whenever the opportunity arose.

Raf Ferguson and Ben Travers both produced strong performances, carrying with purpose throughout the match and deservedly crossing for tries. Max Davis also impressed, working tirelessly in both attack and defence and maintaining his effort levels across the full 50 minutes.

Player of the Match honours went to Hugh Southward, who produced his finest performance of the season. Hugh's development as a ball runner has been a feature of the year, and against Padua he consistently threatened the defensive line with powerful and intelligent carries. The highlight of his performance was his understanding of attacking shape, recognising that the second and third phases often provide the best opportunities to attack a retreating and disorganised defence.

Leo Mylne returned from AFL commitments in style, adding three more tries to his season tally and reminding everyone of his finishing ability. Eddie Leyden also delivered arguably his best performance of the season, running with confidence and purpose while looking dangerous every time he touched the ball.

Out wide, both Luca Bryant and Henry Wilton were regularly involved and created several attacking opportunities, while Finn Sheehan continued his development at fullback. His positioning,





composure, and confidence under pressure have grown significantly throughout the season, and he was once again rock-solid at the back.

While the season featured some memorable highs and a few challenging lows, this group has consistently demonstrated its potential. The boys have grown as players and teammates, and performances like this provide a glimpse of what they are capable of when they trust the systems and play for one another.

Thank you to all players and families for a fantastic season. Your commitment, support, and enthusiasm have been greatly appreciated.

All the best, and congratulations on a season to be proud of.

6B

The mighty 6Bs wrapped up their phenomenal season with a thrilling win over Padua to finish the season undefeated! The boys showed incredible heart, with the score being within 3 points with 15 minutes to go, they backed each other up and finished strong.

Player of the game goes to James Grahem for his excellent team first mentality, making plays, setting up teammates and truly inspiring his teammates with his motivation. The 6Bs should be incredibly proud of their performance and their season, congratulations boys!!

6C

Marist 6C completed an undefeated season with a convincing 55-10 victory over SPLC 6A, securing the Premiership in the process. Having previously defeated SPLC earlier in the season, Marist entered the match knowing a win would guarantee the title. The team delivered another strong performance, combining disciplined defence with fast, effective attack to control the game throughout. Their consistency, teamwork, and commitment were on full display, and the final whistle marked a deserved Premiership victory and a memorable finish to an outstanding season.

6D

Villa 6C 24 def. Marist 7

Player of the Match – Alex Spencer

In their final game of the season, Marist 6D produced a determined performance against Villanova College 6C, showing plenty of character despite going down 24-7.

Marist started the match strongly and looked ready for the challenge. However, defensive lapses at crucial moments allowed Villanova to gain easy metres and establish excellent field position. Villa's powerful midfield pairing proved difficult to contain, with their size, speed, and strength enabling them to capitalise on scoring opportunities and build a 17-0 lead by halftime.

The second half was a much-improved performance from the Marist boys. With a renewed focus on defensive effort and ensuring tackles stuck, the team matched Villanova physically and competed strongly across the park. Although Villanova managed to add another converted try, Marist refused to fade and continued to fight until the final whistle.





Their persistence was rewarded late in the match when they crossed for a converted try, ensuring they finished both the game and the season on a positive note. While Villanova claimed the overall victory, Marist can take pride in holding their opponents to a 7-all scoreline in the second half.

Alex Spencer was a deserving recipient of the Player of the Match award. His crunching tackles, strong carries, and tireless work rate set the standard for his teammates throughout the contest.

A special thank you must also go to the boys from the 6C team who made themselves available to play multiple games throughout the day. Their willingness to support their teammates and contribute wherever needed was greatly appreciated and reflects the strong spirit within the Marist Rugby program.

The result brings the season to a close, and while there were challenges along the way, the team showed resilience, growth, and a commitment to improving each week. These experiences will provide a strong foundation moving forward.

5A

A fantastic way to finish the season, with a dominant 36–5 victory over St Pat's.

The boys controlled the game from start to finish, playing some excellent, flowing rugby that showcased the hard work and development shown throughout the season. Ball movement was sharp, support play was outstanding, and the team consistently applied pressure across the field. The result was several well-worked tries and a performance that reflected the team's commitment and effort.

Defensively, the boys were equally impressive, limiting St Pat's opportunities and maintaining control throughout the contest.

A special congratulations to Ben van de Meeburg, who was deservedly named Man of the Match. Ben was outstanding all afternoon, making a significant impact with his work rate, skill, and leadership around the field.

Well done, gentlemen. A great team performance and a fitting way to finish the season. You should all be proud of what you've achieved this year.

5B

The 5Bs emerged with a hard-fought win in what was a tough and niggly match against the might of ATC's 5A team. The opposition had some big boys in their ranks and seemed determined to truck it up through the middle. Marist, on the other hand, played a far more balanced game with the ball moving through the hands. Nate Townsley, on the left wing, had a ripper of a game and used his searing speed to score a first half hattrick which kept our noses in front at half time.

Some crucial missed tackles allowed ATC to tie the game up at 19 all and it was a rather nervy last 10 minutes. We played with composure however and marched our way upfield where Reuben Els





kicked an important penalty kick (under huge pressure) before we scored another try through the tireless Harry Casey to ice the game in our favour. With time up, ATC tried to score a consolation try but stout defence on our line forced a knock on. There were huge celebrations on the fulltime whistle as Marist celebrated the win and a season that has only one blemish - a defeat to a virtual opposition A team at Villanova.

Everyone played their part in this win, but Arlo Swenson (back in the team from the Cs) was elusive

will ball in hand and Jock McKenze was outstanding in stealing opposition ball. This was a great game to wrap the season up and the 5Bs should be hugely proud of their efforts and improvement over the course of the season. Well done everyone!

5C

5D

MCA 5D finished their season in style with a 51–5 win over SLC 5C, capping off an undefeated season. The boys played with great energy throughout the game and worked hard for each other from start to finish.

It was another strong team performance, with everyone contributing in both attack and defence. The positive attitude and teamwork shown by the group all season were once again on display.

A special mention goes to Flynn, who was named Man of the Match. Playing both prop and wing, including spending time in the unfamiliar position of prop, Flynn had an outstanding game. The highlight was a brilliant full field try on the wing that showcased his determination and effort.

Congratulations to all the boys on a fantastic season and a well-deserved undefeated record.

5E

The 5E boys finished their season in style with a cracking game against Iona. The muddy field made for plenty of fun, and the boys absolutely loved every minute of it. The team worked hard for each other, showed great teamwork and played with plenty of energy. Their efforts paid off with a fantastic 30–17 win over Iona. This week, Man of the Match goes to the entire 5E team. Every boy contributed, gave their best and played their role in a great team performance. The boys should be proud of themselves, not just for this game but for the whole season. It has been great to watch their skills, teamwork and confidence grow each week. Well done on a fantastic season, boys!

