



# 2010 REBEL SPORT SUPER 14 KICK OFF

WEEK 12 • 29 April 2010



## NEW ZEALAND TEAMS WEEK ELEVEN RESULTS ...

Fri 23 Apr 19:35	Chiefs 25 v Cheetahs 25	Hamilton
Fri 23 Apr 23:45	Western Force 24 v Crusaders 16	Perth
Sat 24 Apr 19:35	Highlanders 31 v Hurricanes 33	Dunedin
Sun 25 Apr 03:05	Sharks 23 v Blues 10	Durban

## COMING UP FOR NEW ZEALAND TEAMS IN WEEK TWELVE...

Fri 30 Apr 19:35	Highlanders v Waratahs	Invercargill
Sat 1 May 05:10	Stormers v Crusaders	Cape Town
Sat 1 May 19:35	Hurricanes v Chiefs	Wellington
Sun 2 May 01:00	Cheetahs v Blues	Bloemfontein

## LOOK OUT FOR ...

**Centurion McCaw:** All Blacks and Crusaders Captain Richie McCaw is set to make his 100<sup>th</sup> Super Rugby appearance in their Rebel Sport Super 14 match against the Stormers in Cape Town on Friday night. His 100 comes nine years after making his debut against the Hurricanes. McCaw who has scored 22 tries in his Crusaders career, is about to join an exclusive club of New Zealand Super Rugby centurions: Tana Umaga, Justin Marshall, Anton Oliver, Caleb Ralph, Greg Somerville, Reuben Thorne, Doug Howlett, Leon MacDonald, Justin Collins and Keven Mealamu. And to mark the milestone, he'll be presented with a wee gift at the end of their next home game against the Brumbies on 14 May.

**Congratulations:** The Highlanders v Hurricanes match saw some great milestones: Dane Coles played his 50<sup>th</sup> first class game, Tamati Ellison played his 50<sup>th</sup> game for the Hurricanes and Hosea Gear played his 150<sup>th</sup> first class game.

**Breaking the ties:** We're coming to the business end of the season and things are looking pretty tight, so it's timely to remind everyone what happens when teams are tied on points: (a) the team with the highest points differential will be considered the leading team; (b) if (a) doesn't break the tie, the tie will be determined by the result of the round-robin match between the two sides; (c) if (b) doesn't break the tie, the team that scored the most tries during the round-robin will be considered the leading team.

**Matter of stats:** The Waratahs lead the Highlanders 11 wins to three and 365 points to 274. The Stormers have failed to dampen the Crusaders on 10 occasions and have conceded 411 points while scoring just 261 against the red and blacks. The Hurricanes and Chiefs are neck and neck – eight wins and 345 points to the Canes and seven wins and 335 points to the Chiefs (including last year's semifinal). The Cheetahs have never beaten the Blues. There was a draw when the sides first met in 2006, but since then it's been one-way traffic. The Blues have scored 155 points at an average of 38.75, while the Cheetahs have scored just 79.

**Things that come in threes:** Historically, the Highlanders and the Stormers haven't racked up too many wins over their week 12 opponents – each chalking up three wins against the Waratahs and the Crusaders respectively. The Stormers have already lost three times this season and if the Highlanders beat the Sydney-siders it'll be their third win of the season.

**Get to the matches:** The easiest way to secure your seats to watch the Hurricanes at Westpac Stadium is to buy them online at [www.ticketmaster.co.nz](http://www.ticketmaster.co.nz). You can also call Ticketmaster on 0800 111 999 and buy tickets at the gate on game day, but make sure you arrive with plenty of time. Generally, gate sales start two to three hours before kick-off. Note: All tickets sold at gate incur an additional \$2 charge. To see the Highlanders in the deep, deep south, go to Ticket Direct Outlets, the ICC Booking Office, Stadium Southland and Rugby Park Stadium or phone 0800 4TICKET. Take a Kid to Footy packs are available - one adult and one child in the stand (unallocated seating, but seats in an allocated area) for \$23 any additional kids just \$5 each.

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## REBEL SPORT SUPER 14 COMPETITION LADDER

AFTER WEEK 11

		P	W	D	L	F	A	PD	B4	B7	Pts
1	Bulls	10	8	0	2	359	253	106	6	1	39
2	Stormers	10	7	0	3	271	127	144	3	3	34
3	<b>Crusaders</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>34</b>
4	Reds	10	7	0	3	295	196	99	4	2	34
5	Waratahs	10	7	0	3	297	227	70	4	1	33
6	Brumbies	10	6	0	4	273	236	37	1	2	27
7	<b>Hurricanes</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>27</b>
8	Sharks	10	5	0	5	231	236	-5	1	4	25
9	<b>Blues</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>25</b>
10	<b>Chiefs</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>-35</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>24</b>
11	Force	10	3	0	7	189	296	-107	1	1	14
12	<b>Highlanders</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>-86</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>
13	Cheetahs	10	2	1	7	192	337	-145	0	1	11
14	Lions	10	0	0	10	234	437	-203	3	2	5

### KEY

- P Games Played
- W Games Won
- D Games Drawn
- L Games Lost
- B4 **B**onus Point for scoring **four** tries
- B7 **B**onus Point for losing team for getting within **seven** points of winner
- F Points scored **F**or
- A Points scored **A**gainst
- PD Points **D**ifferential
- Pts Overall **P**oints

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## TOP NEW ZEALAND POINTS SCORERS

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Player	Team	Tries	Cons	Pens	DGs	Points
Stephen Donald	Chiefs	2	22	25	-	129
Dan Carter	Crusaders	-	15	24	1	105
Stephen Brett	Blues	1	18	17	2	98
Israel Dagg	Highlanders	4	11	16	-	90
Willie Ripia	Hurricanes	-	6	15	-	57

## TOP COMPETITION POINTS SCORERS

AFTER WEEK 11

Player	Team	Tries	Cons	Pens	DGs	Points
Morne Steyn	Bulls	5	31	29	1	177
Quade Cooper	Reds	4	24	23	1	140
Stephen Donald	Chiefs	2	22	25	-	129
Matt Giteau	Brumbies	1	16	22	1	106
Dan Carter	Crusaders	-	15	24	-	105

## TOP COMPETITION TRY SCORERS

AFTER WEEK 11

Player	Team	Tries
Joe Rokocoko	Blues	7
Gerhard van der Heever	Bulls	7
Drew Mitchell	Waratahs	6
Kahn Fotuali'i	Crusaders	5
Zac Guildford	Crusaders	5
Richard Kahui	Chiefs	5
Michael Killian	Lions	5
Wynand Olivier	Bulls	5
Rene Ranger	Blues	5
David Smith	Hurricanes	5
Pierre Spies	Bulls	5
Morne Steyn	Bulls	5
Lachie Turner	Waratahs	5

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REBEL SPORT SUPER 14 MATCH SCHEDULE • All kick-offs New Zealand time

Date & Time	Week 1	Venue	Date & Time	Week 8	Venue
Fri 12 Feb 19:35	<b>Blues 20 Hurricanes 34</b>	<b>North Shore City</b>	Fri 02 Apr 19:35	<b>Hurricanes 26 Crusaders 26</b>	<b>Wellington</b>
Sat 13 Feb 00:05	Western Force 15 Brumbies 24	Perth	Fri 02 Apr 23:05	Western Force 16 Stormers 15	Perth
Sat 13 Feb 06:10	Cheetahs 34 Bulls 51	Bloemfontein	Sat 03 Apr 17:30	<b>Blues 32 Bulls 17</b>	<b>Auckland</b>
Sat 13 Feb 19:35	<b>Crusaders 32 Highlanders 17</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>	Sat 03 Apr 19:35	<b>Chiefs 27 Highlanders 21</b>	<b>Mt Maunganui</b>
Sat 13 Feb 21:40	Reds 28 Waratahs 30	Brisbane	Sat 03 Apr 21:40	Waratahs 40 Cheetahs 17	Sydney
Sun 14 Feb 04:05	Lions 13 Stormers 26	Johannesburg	Sun 04 Apr 03:05	Sharks 30 Reds 28	Durban
Sun 14 Feb 06:10	<b>Sharks 18 Chiefs 19</b>	<b>Durban</b>	<b>BYE BRUMBIES/LIONS</b>		
Week 2			Week 9		
Fri 19 Feb 19:35	<b>Highlanders 15 Blues 19</b>	<b>Dunedin</b>	Fri 09 Apr 19:35	<b>Chiefs 19 Bulls 33</b>	<b>Hamilton</b>
Fri 19 Feb 22:45	<b>Reds 41 Crusaders 20</b>	<b>Brisbane</b>	Sat 10 Apr 14:30	<b>Highlanders 27 Western Force 41</b>	<b>Queenstown</b>
Sat 20 Feb 05:00	Sharks 20 Cheetahs 25	Durban	Sat 10 Apr 17:30	<b>Blues 21 Stormers 33</b>	<b>Auckland</b>
Sat 20 Feb 07:00	<b>Lions 65 Chiefs 72</b>	<b>Johannesburg</b>	Sat 10 Apr 19:35	<b>Crusaders 20 Waratahs 13</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>
Sat 20 Feb 19:35	<b>Hurricanes 47 Western Force 22</b>	<b>Wellington</b>	Sat 10 Apr 21:40	Brumbies 61 Cheetahs 15	Canberra
Sun 21 Feb 04:05	Bulls 50 Brumbies 32	Pretoria	Sun 11 Apr 05:10	Lions 26 Reds 41	Johannesburg
Sun 21 Feb 06:10	Stormers 27 Waratahs 6	Cape Town	<b>BYE SHARKS/HURRICANES</b>		
Week 3			Week 10		
Fri 26 Feb 19:35	<b>Crusaders 35 Sharks 6</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>	Fri 16 Apr 19:35	<b>Chiefs 15 Stormers 49</b>	<b>Hamilton</b>
Sat 27 Feb 06:10	Stormers 17 Brumbies 19	Cape Town	Fri 16 Apr 21:40	<b>Brumbies 13 Hurricanes 23</b>	<b>Canberra</b>
Sat 27 Feb 19:35	<b>Hurricanes 33 Lions 18</b>	<b>Wellington</b>	Sat 17 Apr 17:30	<b>Blues 38 Western Force 17</b>	<b>Auckland</b>
Sat 27 Feb 21:40	<b>Reds 18 Blues 27</b>	<b>Brisbane</b>	Sat 17 Apr 19:35	<b>Crusaders 45 Cheetahs 6</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>
Sun 28 Feb 00:05	<b>Western Force 19 Chiefs 37</b>	<b>Perth</b>	Sat 17 Apr 21:40	Reds 19 Bulls 12	Brisbane
Sun 28 Feb 04:05	<b>Cheetahs 24 Highlanders 31</b>	<b>Bloemfontein</b>	Sun 18 Apr 03:05	Lions 28 Sharks 32	Johannesburg
Sun 28 Feb 06:10	Bulls 48 Waratahs 38	Pretoria	<b>BYE WARATAHS/HIGHLANDERS</b>		
Week 4			Week 11		
Fri 05 Mar 19:35	<b>Chiefs 18 Reds 23</b>	<b>Hamilton</b>	Fri 23 Apr 19:35	<b>Chiefs 25 Cheetahs 25</b>	<b>Hamilton</b>
Fri 05 Mar 21:40	Brumbies 24 Lions 13	Canberra	Fri 23 Apr 21:40	Reds 16 Stormers 13	Brisbane
Sat 06 Mar 19:35	<b>Crusaders 33 Blues 20</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>	Fri 23 Apr 23:45	<b>Western Force 24 Crusaders 16</b>	<b>Perth</b>
Sat 06 Mar 21:40	Waratahs 25 Sharks 21	Sydney	Sat 24 Apr 19:35	<b>Highlanders 31 Hurricanes 33</b>	<b>Dunedin</b>
Sun 07 Mar 04:05	<b>Stormers 33 Highlanders 0</b>	<b>Cape Town</b>	Sat 24 Apr 21:40	Waratahs 19 Brumbies 12	Sydney (ANZ)
Sun 07 Mar 06:10	<b>Cheetahs 28 Hurricanes 12</b>	<b>Bloemfontein</b>	Sun 25 Apr 01:00	Bulls 51 Lions 11	Pretoria
<b>BYE BULLS/WESTERN FORCE</b>			Sun 25 Apr 03:05	<b>Sharks 23 Blues 10</b>	<b>Durban</b>
Week 5			Week 12		
Fri 12 Mar 19:35	<b>Chiefs 19 Crusaders 26</b>	<b>Hamilton</b>	Fri 30 Apr 19:35	<b>Highlanders v Waratahs</b>	<b>Invercargill</b>
Fri 12 Mar 21:40	Waratahs 73 Lions 12	Sydney	Sat 01 May 05:10	<b>Stormers v Crusaders</b>	<b>Cape Town</b>
Sat 13 Mar 21:40	Brumbies 24 Sharks 22	Canberra	Sat 01 May 19:35	<b>Hurricanes v Chiefs</b>	<b>Wellington</b>
Sun 14 Mar 04:05	<b>Bulls 50 Highlanders 35</b>	<b>Pretoria</b>	Sat 01 May 21:40	Brumbies v Reds	Canberra
Sun 14 Mar 06:10	<b>Stormers 37 Hurricanes 13</b>	<b>Cape Town</b>	Sun 02 May 01:00	<b>Cheetahs v Blues</b>	<b>Bloemfontein</b>
Sun 14 Mar 19:30	Reds 50 Western Force 10	Brisbane	Sun 02 May 03:05	Lions v Western Force	Johannesburg
<b>BYE CHEETAHS/BLUES</b>			Sun 02 May 05:10	Bulls v Sharks	Pretoria
Week 6			Week 13		
Fri 19 Mar 19:35	<b>Blues 39 Brumbies 34</b>	<b>Auckland</b>	Fri 07 May 19:35	<b>Hurricanes v Reds</b>	<b>Wellington</b>
Sat 20 Mar 06:10	<b>Bulls 19 Hurricanes 18</b>	<b>Pretoria</b>	Sat 08 May 05:10	<b>Bulls v Crusaders</b>	<b>Pretoria</b>
Sat 20 Mar 17:30	<b>Crusaders 46 Lions 19</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>	Sat 08 May 19:35	<b>Chiefs v Waratahs</b>	<b>Hamilton</b>
Sat 20 Mar 19:35	<b>Highlanders 16 Sharks 30</b>	<b>Dunedin</b>	Sat 08 May 21:40	<b>Brumbies v Highlanders</b>	<b>Canberra</b>
Sun 21 Mar 00:10	Western Force 10 Waratahs 14	Perth *	Sun 09 May 01:00	<b>Lions v Blues</b>	<b>Johannesburg</b>
Sun 21 Mar 04:05	Stormers 21 Cheetahs	Cape Town	Sun 09 May 03:05	Cheetahs v Western Force	Bloemfontein
<b>BYE REDS/CHEIFS</b>			Sun 09 May 05:10	Sharks v Stormers	Durban
Week 7			Week 14		
Fri 26 Mar 19:35	<b>Highlanders 39 Lions 29</b>	<b>Dunedin</b>	Fri 14 May 19:35	<b>Crusaders v Brumbies</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>
Fri 26 Mar 21:40	<b>Brumbies 30 Chiefs 23</b>	<b>Canberra</b>	Fri 14 May 21:40	<b>Waratahs v Hurricanes</b>	<b>Sydney</b>
Sat 27 Mar 06:10	Cheetahs 10 Reds 31	Bloemfontein	Sat 15 May 05:10	Sharks v Western Force	Durban
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Sun 28 Mar 00:10	Western Force 15 Bulls 28	Perth	Sun 16 May 01:00	Cheetahs v Lions	Bloemfontein
<b>BYE STORMERS/CRUSADERS</b>			Sun 16 May 03:05	Stormers v Bulls	Cape Town

All match details for the semifinals will be announced following the conclusion of Week 14 matches.

Semifinals will be played on Friday 21 May and Saturday 22 May (local time). The Rebel Sport Super 14 Final will be played on Saturday 29 May (local time).

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