

RUCK & MAUL

Official SCRUM Inc. Newsletter



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Welcome SCRUM members to the Ruck & Maul newsletter. Bringing you updates on all SCRUM and PNG Rugby related activity on a quarterly basis. SCRUM stands for Supporters Club of Rugby Union in Morobe.

SCRUM LUNCH #57 – March 17th

Ruck & Maul editors have been busy sorry for the delay! But Both Kim Hughes and Nick Penn were our guests. Their attendance helped SCRUM raise K96,000 from the luncheon and auction proceeds. After no events this past few years due to covid, we are grateful to all 280+ guests for the money raised to help with our Rugby Development Programs in Morobe Province.

NEXT SCRUM LUNCH = FRIDAY Nov 17th



Kim Hughes



RAMU RUM & GIN

SCRUM LEGEND & FOUNDATION MEMBER

The SCRUM committee presented long serving SCRUM committee member and SCRUM Legend Mark Tynan with a small gift of appreciation. It's a small thank you for his contribution, which has been immense since SCRUM was first established in the early 90's. Engraved key ring and beer glasses ->

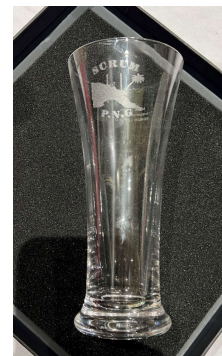
Tyno will remain a SCRUM legend for life, and will continue to attend Luncheons in Lae. Its worth mentioning that Tyno also served as SCRUM President from 1996 – 2007.



Tyno & Bart



Key Ring



glasses

HOLIDAY CAMP AT SCRUM OVAL

School Holiday Rugby camp on at SCRUM oval right now! 26th June- 8th July. There are 4 schools participating & a total of 150 students will go through fundamental skills preparation for their 15s aside challenge next month. This is a great way for schoolboys and girls to spend their holidays!

Thanks to Robin (SCRUM's Rugby Development Officer) and his team for their efforts. SCRUM oval is available for HIRE. For sporting or social events. Contact the committee for more details.

Schoolboys training down at SCRUM oval



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FEEDBACK from TISOL HEAD MASTER LAE INTERNATIONAL PRIMARY SCHOOL

"On a sporting front, we have developed a very strong link with SCRUM, led by Robin Tarere. His team are superbly organized and provide safe training and competition experiences for our students, both boys and girls. In our recent tournament against other schools, we got 1st place in 5 different categories."

- **Tim Springham**



SCRUM MERCHANDISE

You don't need to attend a famous SCRUM lunch to own some SCRUM branded Merchandise. We have quality SCRUM ties for sale! On the day or any time in between. Email our admin team:

tahuni.mararos@chemcaregroup.com.pg

SCRUM MEMBERSHIP

Corporate = K380 + GST

Individual renewal = K130 + GST

New member with tie = K220 + GST

Become a Member
JOIN TODAY!



Down memory lane, PNG PUKPUKS (CROCODILE) Rugby 7's during the 1994 Hong Kong 7's showcasing our Mascot which is a stuffed crocodile from PNG, with our placard bearer carried on the heavy tabletop with Bart Philemon, who was the first team manager to the first PNG PUKPUKS team to the world recognised tournament back in the Late 70's.

After the tournament the Mascot was brought back and displayed at the Lae Mainland Holdings Head Office.

Geoffery Homerang, **Robin Tarere**, Bart Philemon, Paul Tienstien, & **David Tiki**.



SCRUM Patron – Bart Philemon SCRUM RDO – Robin Tarere LM

SCRUM SURVEY COMING SOON....

Your feedback is important! The committee will be sending a quick survey to members to get some feedback and tips about our luncheons! And ways we can improve. So keep a look out it'll reach your inbox in the coming weeks.

Check out our NEW Website.

www.scrum.org.pg



If you have sporting memorabilia you wish to donate, SCRUM would be grateful as money raised from auction helps us implement our schoolboy rugby programs



BIG THANK YOU to KINA BANK! For a donation of K20,000 to SCRUM Inc to help run our junior schoolboy Rugby Development Program in Morobe. From Left, Committee Angus King & Tahuni Mararos. Right: Livingston Nenjipa & Baimu Sauka at KINA BANK HQ