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30 Year Re-Union Celebrations 10th - 13th June 2010



THE COUNT DOWN BEGINS: 6 months and 2 weeks

Itinerary

DAY 1 - Thursday 10th June - **Bang Tail Muster** (Meet & Greet)

DAY 2 - Friday 11th June - **Bulls Drive** (Golf Game) and **Bulls "Round-Up" Ball**

DAY 3 - Saturday 12th June - **'Running with the Bulls' Game Day** - will incorporate the John Fry Memorial and Golden Oldies Game

DAY 4 - Sunday 13th June - **Bulls Brunch & Raffles at the Enterprise**

Please go to www.ctbullsrugby.com for all information regarding the Bulls 30 year re-union

Invited Guests:

Tom Lawton and Peter Grigg – Both members of the 1984 'Grand Slam' Wallabies



Tom Lawton – Guest speaker for the Bulls Ball, and captain of one of the Golden Oldies Teams.

Tom first represented Australia at the senior level in 1983, and has the unusual distinction of playing for his country before he played for his home state, Queensland. He is the youngest hooker to represent Australia (20) and the biggest.

His 117 kilograms and 185 centimetre frame ensured that the Wallabies had massive fire power at the set pieces. During his career Tom toured with the Wallabies on 13 occasions, and played 41 test matches. He was selected twice to represent in a World XV to play matches against the British Lions and South Africa.

Tom has played for the Australian Barbarians and captained the British Barbarians. He was an integral member of the famous 'Grand Slam' Wallabies of 1984, and the great Bledisloe Cup winning side of 1986.



Peter Grigg - Captain of the opposing Golden Oldies team.

Peter was one of Queensland Country Rugby's success stories, going straight from Townsville to represent his state and gaining a reputation as a resilient, uncompromising winger for Queensland and Australia.

A truck mechanic by trade, Peter was part of the 1980 history-making Reds lineup that notched up Queensland's first win against the All Blacks in 89 years of trying.

Peter annually makes the trek back to Charters Towers to play with the "Mountain Men" in the Gold Field Ashes.

Sponsors:

We are currently looking for sponsors, so if you know of someone who would be willing to be a sponsor of this exciting weekend of Bulls Rugby, please contact Norah Vinson:

norted@bigpond.com

There is a full Sponsorship Proposal on the website – please take the time to see if one of our packages would suit your business?? Our packages come in all shapes and sizes so there certainly is one suited for you!!

Please download the form at <http://www.ctbullsrugby.com/sponsorship.pdf> and show your support of 'The Bulls' club.

Sponsors so far:

- i) **Enterprise Hotel**
- ii) **NQM**
- iii) **Steve Champion Bus Services**
- iv) **Maclean Partners Chartered Accountants**

A big "THANKYOU" must go to the above sponsors who have already sponsored packages, as this event is reliant on valuable local support.

Accommodation:

If you are looking for a bed for the weekend, please try the Cattleman's Rest on 07 4787 3555 or alternatively make sure you contact any friends you may have still here in Charters Towers. The All Souls Saint Gabriel's 90 year re-union is happening on this same weekend and they have booked out most of the Accommodation. Just state you will be attending the Bulls Re-union and for how many nights you would like the room.

Alternatively, if you live in Charters Towers and wish to offer your house to billet participants of the weekend, your name can be added to a list – just let Norah know.

People who have registered so far are:

- i) Greg Bell
- ii) Dale & Bronwyn Cook
- iii) Ted & Norah Vinson
- iv) Andrew & Lesley Reid

We would **DEARLY** love to see **your name** added to this list!!!! **WE NEED** to see this list grow!

- then go to the web site at <http://www.ctbullsrugby.com/registration.pdf>, download the registration form and send it away to the address (on the form) – simple as that!! (*Don't forget your payment!*)

Baby sitting is available in the CWA hall across the road from the Arthur Titley Centre, if you are bringing children with you and you are planning on attending the Bulls "Round - Up" Ball. This Ball is strictly Black Tie and for over 18 years of age.

Peter Hulthen is endeavouring to publish a book of the 30 years of Bulls rugby. Please contact Peter on phone 07 47291192 or 0412 407 749 or email phult@appt.net.au; with any memories you may have. This is your chance to get your stories published!!! **DON'T LEAVE THIS TOO LATE** as Peter is hoping to collate this over the school holidays.....

For this weekend to be successful we need your presence – come along and catch up with mates from the past, watch the young future players of our club, get behind our Reggie's team when they play the "John Fry Memorial" and then be a part of the Golden Oldies frivolities.

Early Bird Prices - \$175 per adult if paid between: 1st Sept 2009 – 30 March 2010 (\$200 after this date)

\$ 65 per child (11-17) if paid as above (\$75 after this date)
(10 and under are FREE)

GO THE BULLS !!