





Ragbi 13 federacija Srbije Turneja Australija 2016





Serbian Rugby League Tour to Australia 2016

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Reč predsednika

Ragbi liga je sport za koji su ljudi sa naših prostora stvoreni i bilo je samo pitanje dana kada će se vratiti u Srbiju, nakon dešavanja koja su ga istisnula sa mape sportova u našoj zemlji, a koja nemaju veze sa sportom.

To se desilo 2001. godine i od tada uz fanatičan rad ljudi koji ga vode i ogroman talenat i rad naših igrača nižemo samo uspehe. Usredsređeni smo na razvoj domaće lige i rad sa mlađim kategorijama, a rezultat je taj da je naša reprezentacija osvojila Šampionat Evrope B 2014/2015, ostavivši iza sebe Rusiju, Italiju i Ukrajinu.

Turneja u Australiji, zemlji ragbi lige, je korak dalje u razvoju našeg sporta i korak bliže učešću na Prvenstvu Sveta. Zbog toga smo početkom godine angažovali i vrhunskog trenera kakav je Brajan Smit.

(Slika: Brajan Smit i Predrag Pantić)

Word of the President

Rugby League is a sport for which our people are created, and it was only a matter of time when it would be returned to Serbia after the events that pushed it aside and aren't related to sport at all.

This happened in 2001 and since then, with the help of the people who run it and along with amazing talent and hard work of our players, we are on the road of success. We are focused on the development of the domestic competitions and work with youth, and the result is that our team won the European Championship B 2014/2015, leaving behind big nations like Russia, Italy and Ukraine.

The tour in Australia, the country of rugby league, is a step forward in the development of our sport and a step closer to participation in the World Cup. To that end, SRL have appointed current Wakefield Trinity Wildcats and renowned, experienced Australian coach Brian Smith as a consultant.

(Photo: Brian Smith and Predrag Pantic)



Početak ragbija 13 u Srbiji

Srbija je jedna od retkih zemalja u svetu koja se može pohvaliti da ima dugu tradiciju igranja ragbi lige. Početak je vezan za pedesete godine prošloga veka, kada je ostvarena saradnja sa Francuskom ragbi 13 federacijom. Zahvaljujući Draganu Maršićaninu i Miletu Erceganu, u to vreme čelnim ljudima Saveza sportova Jugoslavije, 26.09.1953. godine na stadionu JNA pred oko 8.000 gledalaca

odigrana je promotivna utakmica između dve francuske selekcije. Ubrzo nakon ove promotivne utakmice, u Beogradu je 01.11.1953. godine osnovan prvi klub u Jugoslaviji — Ragbi klub Partizan.

Very beginning of rugby league in Serbia

Serbia is one of the few countries in the World that can boast that it has a long tradition of playing rugby league. The beginning is tied to the fifties of the XX century, when it cooperated with the French Rugby League Federation. Thanks to Dragan Marsicanin and Mile Ercegan, at that time, the top officials of the Sports Association of Yugoslavia, on 26th September 1953 the JNA stadium in front

of around 8,000 spectators two French selections played first ever rugby league match in Yugoslavia. Shortly after this promo match, in Belgrade on 1st November 1953 was established the first club in the country — Rugby Club Partizan.





general Secretary of Serbian Rugby League, with first Rugby League Cup from Blagoje Stoiljkovic, Australia 2016 Tour/Team Manager and Jovan Vujoševic

Blagoje Stoiljković said:

SERBS IN AUSTRALIA – LET'S STAND TOGETHER FOR THE 2017 RUGBY LEAGUE WORLD CUP!

"Rugby League existed in Serbia from 1953 to 1964 and was reestablished in 2001."

The Serbian Rugby League National team are the 2015 Champions of the European Championship Group B (http://www.rlef.eu.com/european-shield), ahead of Russia, Italy and Ukraine. Our results are:

Date/ Datum	Round/ Kolo	Home/ Domaćin	Awai/Gost	Results/Rezultat
17.05.2014	1	SERBIA	UKRAINE	40-14
21.06.2014	2	RUSSIA	SERBIA	20-6
20.09.2014	3	SERBIA	ITALIA	45-6
16.05.2015	4	SERBIA	RUSSIA	20-15
20.06.2015	5	ITALIA	SERBIA	14-21
12.09.2015	6	UKRAINE	SERBIA	4-64



Home ground of Serbian Rugby League National Team - Stadium NC Makis in Belgrade

The Serbian Rugby League National team are highly ranked in Europe, currently sitting in 6th place (http://www.rlef.eu.com/index.php) and 11th in



the world (http://www.rlif.com/rankings).

The Serbian Rugby League National team has a great chance to qualifying for the 2017 Rugby League World Cup (in Australia, NZ, and PNG). SERBIA is in Group A with Wales and Italy:

Date	Round	Host	Awey	
15/10/2016	1	WALES	SERBIA	
22/10/2016	2	SERBIA	ITALY	

2017 Rugby League World Cup - European Qualifying Fixtures:

Teams finishing first in Groups A and B go straight to the RLWC 2017. 2nd Pool A v 2nd Pool B play in a play off at Leigh, England, 4th November 2016, for the third European place at the RLWC2017. In Group B are: Ireland, Russia and Spain.

The Serbian Rugby League National team have a planned Tour of Australia, from 28^{th} January to 8^{th} February.





- to play an international game vs the Philippines, on Friday 5th February, New Era stadium, Cabramatta, Sydney, NSW at 19:30
- to participate on Serbian Sydney Festival, 6^{th} and 7^{th} February





The goals for the tour are:

- to merge the best Serbian domsetic players with the best Serbian heritage players from Australia in order to form the best team for the European Qualifications;
- to activate/raise the interest of the Serbian Community for the (Q) RLWC 2017;
- to set up a fund for the Serbian heritage players to be able to come for the Qualifiers in Europe in October 2016.

We are grateful to the Serbian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Ministry of Youth and Sport of Serbia, Busko Tours, Faculty of Business Studies and Law, NSW Compensation Lawers (Sydney and NSW) and our tour General Sponsor AirSerbia/Etihad for supporting the tour.



Serbian Rugby League National team list

NO	PLAYER SURNAME	PLAYER NAME	DOB	Hight/ Waight	Club
1	ANDJELIC	DAVID	27/04/1994	184/101	Blacktown Workers Ron Massey (NSW)
2	BLENKINSOP	JOSHUA	24/09/1998	178/82	Burleigh Bears U18 (QLD-
3	COTRIC	ILIJA	26/09/1995	188/110	Bush Rangers (ACT-Canberra)
4	DOBRIC	STEVAN	11/04/1996	182/84	Belrose Eagles,
5	GRKINIC	REECE	03/08/1994	176/86	Cabramatta West Magpies (NSW)
6	LUKENIĆ	DEJAN	18/06/1991	188/110	N/A
7	MARJANOVIC	JOSHUA	22/06/1995	186/80	Kawana Dolphins,
8	NEDIC	ADAM	25/02/1992	186/100	Gunghalin Bulls RLFC (ACT-
9	RADAN	ILIJA	13/04/1989	186/102	Mona vale raiders (NSW)
10	RADOJEVIC	MILAN	18/4/1986	185/85	Fassifern, Southside Brisbane
11	STRBAC	NIKOLA	15/12/1991	194/103	N/A
12	VUJANOVIC	GEORGE	09/01/1992	187/105	East Tigers, Brisbane (QLD)
13	ČALIĆ	MILOŠ	31/08/1992	189/100	RLC RED STAR BELGRADE
14.	DEDIĆ	VLADISLAV	10/05/1993	180/85	RLC RED STAR BELGRADE
15.	DEDIĆ	VOJISLAV	19/05/1992	186/95	RLC RED STAR BELGRADE

16	JAŠARI	DŽAVID	05/04/1993	179/70	RLC PARTIZAN BELGRADE
17	NEDELJKOVIĆ	STEFAN	27/12/1991	196/114	RC DORĆOL BELGRADE
18	STEVANOVIĆ	STEVAN	06/02/1992	188/110	RC DORĆOL BELGRADE
19	VUKANOVIĆ	DALIBOR	07/07/1986	185/95	RC DORĆOL BELGRADE
20	ZOGOVIĆ	MILOŠ	18/06/1989	168/70	RLC RED STAR BELGRADE





Tour Management and Coaching Staff

Name	Surname	Position
Blagoje	Stoiljkovic	Tour/Team Manger
Brian	Smith	Advisor
Jason	Green	Head Coach
Ilija	Radan	Ass. Team Manager:
Shane	Millard	Ass. Head Coach:
Mitchell	Henderson	Strength and conditioning coach
Adrian	Craft	Tackling/Defense Coach
Cameron	Dyer	Physio







Serbian Rugby League National team Australian tour kit





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- -Ministry of Youth and Sport of Serbia
- -Serbian Consulate in Sydney
- -St. George church, Cabramatta

Companies:

- -AirSerbia/Etihad General Sponsor
- -NSW Compensation Lawyers (Sydney and NSW)
- -Busko tours
- -Fakultet za poslovne studije i pravo (Faculty of Business Studies and Law)

Sport's Clubs:

- -Basketball Club Obilic
- -Bonnyrigg White Eagles FC
- -Cabramatta RLC

Serbian Clubs:

- -Bonnyrigg
- -Srpska Narodna odbrana, Canley Vale
- -St. Sava, Hoxton Park

Serbian festivals:

- -Serbian Sydney Festival
- -Serbian Film Festival

Serbian web sites/FB pages and groups

- -Club Parada
- -Srbi u Australiji
- -Srbi u Australiji Serbs in Australia

- -Serbs in Australia
- -Aussie Serbs
- -Serbs Australia
- -Serbs Sydney

Restaurants:

- -Madera Warwick Farm
- -Voulez Vouz Sydney

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- -Tas Baitieri
- -Anna Byrne
- -Yvonne Purtell

RLEF:

- -Danny Kazandjian
- -Ramond Safi

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- -RTS (Dragan Caran)
- -MIS TV (Zoran Podinic)
- -Serbian Voice (Joca Gajeskov)
- -SBS (Dragan Cvetanovic)
- -Vesti (Sergej Pricip)

Persons and Families:

- -Mate Granic
- -Aleksandar Milosevic
- -Nikola Dabic
- -George Nikolic
- -Durdevic Zivota and Milka
- -Garzaniti Frank and Rose
- -Stoiljkovic Milorad and Snezana
- -Stoiljkovic Jovica and Rada



















