MEMBERSHIP PACKAGES





SEASON MEMBER HOTLINE

I300 GO BRONCOS (1300 46 2766267)

9.00am – 4.30pm Monday – Friday

www.broncos.com.au



MEMBERSHIP PACKAGES



"On behalf of the Brisbane Broncos board, players and staff I would like to welcome you as a Season Member.

Whether this is your first season or your 21st season I'm sure it will be one to remember.

Our great club wouldn't be where it is today without the loyal support and backing of our Season Members.

It's by far the best and most cost effective way to ensure you don't miss any of the action at Suncorp Stadium. With 2008 marking the Centenary of Rugby League there promises to be plenty of action and excitement.

Welcome, and may you thoroughly enjoy the journey."

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Bruno Cullen, Managing Director Brisbane Broncos



All Season Members* who submit their application/ renewal form by 29 February 2008 will automatically go into the draw to WIN the ultimate "Behind the Scenes" experience with Wayne Bennett and the Broncos.

This rare and privileged opportunity will be awarded to the winner of the Season Member Draw.

The winner will sit with Wayne Bennett, in the Coaches Box, during a Season 2008 home match at Suncorp Stadium. This prize also includes exclusive access to the players dressing shed before and after the match.

A signed 2008 Broncos jersey will be presented to the winner, by the Broncos captain, to keep as a reminder of this unforgettable day.

Please refer to the Terms & Conditions on page 19 for full details.

*Renewal form/application must be received by February 29, 2008 in order to be entered into the draw. The winner will be announced at the Broncos first home match in 2008. See terms and conditions for full details.

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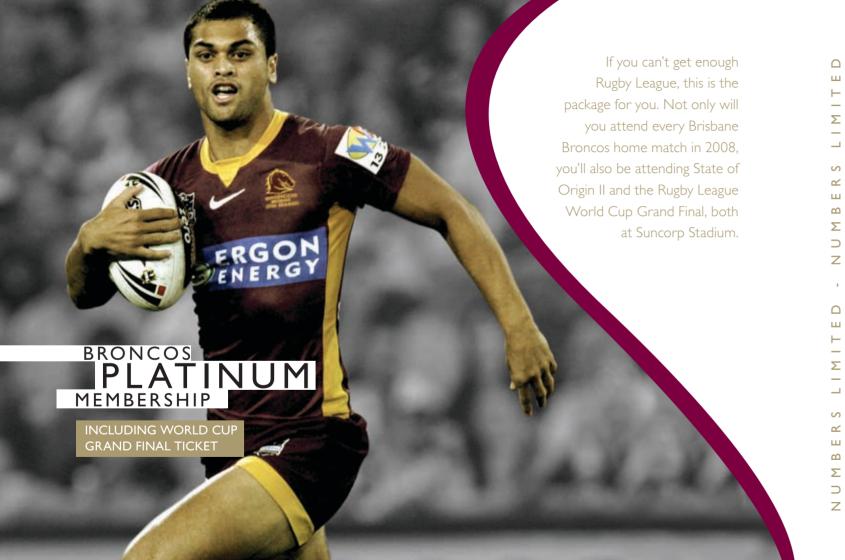


BRONCOS 2008 MEMBER BENEFITS

(Ticketed packages only)

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A ticket to the Rugby League World Cup Grand Final to be held at Suncorp Stadium in 2008	•			
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A ticket to four Blockbuster Broncos home matches in 2008 (matches nominated by the Broncos)				•
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Exclusive Broncos 2008 member flag	•	•		
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12 month subscription (three issues) to the official club magazine - Bronco!	•	•		
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10% discount at the Broncos official merchandise store, located at the Broncos Leagues Club	•	•	•	•
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Access to the Members Only Lounge at Suncorp Stadium	•	•	•	•
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Membership to the Broncos Leagues Club (valid July 08- June 09) – must be over 18	•	•	•	•
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Entry into the exclusive Season Members Draw to win the "Ultimate Game Day Experience"	•	•	•	•



RENEWING MEMBERS ONLY

 Your choice of a reserved seat in any area (gold, maroon, blue or white) for all 12 Broncos home matches

 A ticket to State of Origin II to be held at Suncorp Stadium in 2008 (Please note: your Origin ticket will be in the upper tier of the Western Stand)

 A ticket to the Rugby League World Cup Grand Final to be held at Suncorp Stadium in 2008

(Please note: your RLWC Grand Final ticket will be in the upper tier of the Western Stand)

- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member cap
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member flag
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member lanyard, card holder and season draw card
- 12 month subscription (three issues) to the official club magazine Bronco!
- 12 month subscription to the exclusive member e-newsletter 'Member Mail' (valid email address must be provided)
- 10% discount at the Broncos official merchandise store, located at the Broncos Leagues Club
- Preferential access to NRL finals tickets, including the NRL Grand Final
- Access to the Members Only Lounge at Suncorp Stadium
- VIP entry to Suncorp Stadium through the Members Only turnstiles
- Membership to the Broncos Leagues Club (valid July 08 June 09)*
- Free train/bus transport to and from every Broncos 2008 home match
- Entry into the exclusive Season Member Draw to win the "Ultimate Game Day Experience"



Please refer to Terms and Conditions on page 19 for details relating to concession and junior packages
*To register for Broncos Leagues Club membership, members must be 18 years or over.



By far the most popular Broncos season membership package. Fantastic value for every supporter and every budget.

- Your choice of a reserved seat in any seating area (gold*, maroon, blue or white) for all 12 Broncos home matches
 *Gold seating only available to renewing members
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member cap
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member flag
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member lanyard, card holder and season draw card
- 12 month subscription (three issues) to the official club magazine
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REMIUM MEMBERSHIP

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dult \$310	Concession \$260	Junior \$140	I Adult + I Junior \$400
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Please refer to Terms and Conditions on page 19 for details relating to concession and junior packages.

**To register for Broncos Leagues Club membership, members must be 18 years or over.

Adult \$230 Concession \$170 Junior \$115 | Adult + | Junior \$310



A grass roots package for supporters wishing to get along to every game and ensure a reserved seat.

- A Reserved seat at all 12 Broncos home matches in the designated Die Hard Fan areas*
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member lanyard, card holder and season draw card
- 12 month subscription to the exclusive member e-newsletter 'Member Mail' (valid email address must be provided)
- 10% discount at the Broncos official merchandise store, located at the Broncos Leagues Club
- Preferential access to NRL finals tickets, including the NRL Grand Final
- Access to the Members Only Lounge at Suncorp Stadium
- VIPentry to Suncorp Stadium through the Members Only turnstiles
- Membership to the Broncos Leagues Club(valid July 08 June 09)**
- Free train/bus transport to and from every 2008
 Broncos home match
- Entry into the exclusive Season Member Draw to win the "Ultimate Game Day Experience"



Please note: there are no concession or junior prices available in the Die Hard Fan package

*The Die Hard Fan membership is available in only the green areas on the seating map.

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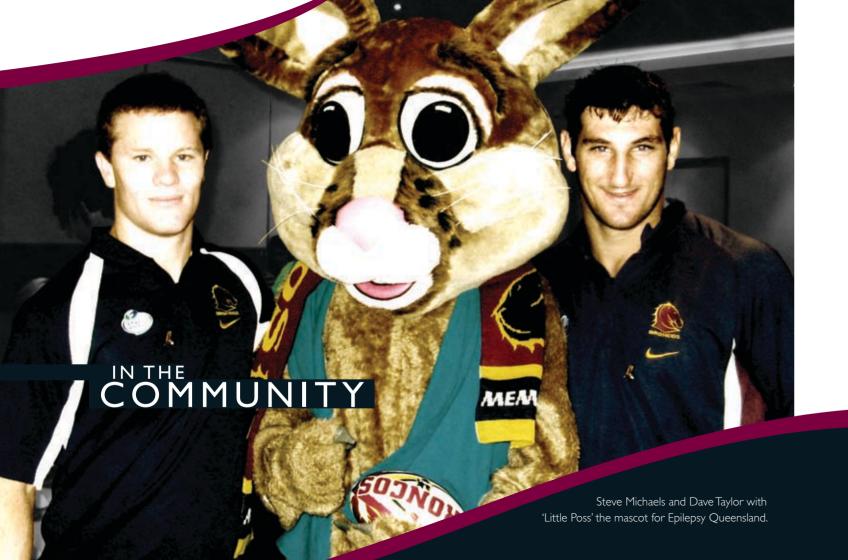
If you can't commit to 12 games, but still wish to enjoy the benefits of being a Broncos Season Member, this is your package.

- Your choice of a reserved seat in either the maroon, blue or white seating areas* for four (4) Blockbuster Broncos home matches in 2008**
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member lanyard, card holder and season draw card
- 12 month subscription to the exclusive member e-newsletter 'Member Mail' (valid email address must be provided)
- 10% discount at the Broncos official merchandise store, located at the Broncos Leagues Club
- Preferential access to NRL finals tickets, including the NRL Grand Final
- Access to the Members Only Lounge at Suncorp Stadium
- VIP entry to Suncorp Stadium through the Members Only turnstiles
- Membership to Broncos Leagues Club (valid July 08 June 09)***
- Free train/bus transport to and from each Awesome Foursome Broncos home match
- Entry into the exclusive Season Member Draw to win the "Ultimate Game Day Experience"



Please see terms and conditions on page 19 for details relating to concession and junior packages.

^{*} Renewing Awesome Foursome members will be allocated their same seat if it is still available after full season members have been allocated. If their seat is not available, renewing members will be allocated the next best available seat. New Awesome Foursome members will be allocated the best available seat based on when their application form is received. **These four matches will be selected by the Broncos once the 2008 draw has been released. The selected Awesome Foursome matches can be found on the Broncos website in January 2008. ***To register for Broncos Leagues Club membership, members must be 18 years or over.



BRONCOS IN THE COMMUNITY

The Brisbane Broncos are committed to making a positive contribution to the community both in Brisbane and regional Queensland. By involving our players we hope to raise awareness and increase donations for many worthwhile causes.

QLD Police Service - Project Safehands

The Broncos are involved in the promotional activities to raise awareness in the community of Project Safehands.

Epilepsy Queensland

Dave Taylor and Steve Michaels are the official Ambassadors for Epilepsy Queensland. The Broncos also funded the production of the television commercials featuring Dave and Steve.

Motor Neurone Disease Association of Queensland (MNDAQ)

The Broncos are providing funding for equipment maintenance, such as walking frames and wheelchairs, loaned to sufferers and their families.

Rosies

The Broncos are sponsoring Rosies quarterly newsletter, which attracts a growing circulation of 8,000. Rosies provides outreach services, friendship and hope to homeless and abandoned people.

St Vincent de Paul

The Broncos have provided financial support to set up two new Buddy Programs that give underprivileged children the chance to attend theme parks and other entertainment venues with appropriate supervision.

Diabetes Australia, Queensland (DAQ)

The Broncos are providing the funding required to provide sandals to the indigenous youth in far North Queensland affected by diabetes.

RSL Queensland

RSL Queensland sponsored the Broncos game day t-shirt in Round One of 2007 with all funds raised going to their cause.

Brisbane Broncos Charities Fund

The Brisbane Broncos Charities Fund (BBCF) was established in 1989 and has donated over \$500,000 to recognised youth charities.















STAMPEDE

If you can't get to the game, show your support for your team with a 2008 Stampede merchandise pack. Perfect for regional and interstate supporters.

- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member cap
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member flag (flag pole not included)
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member lanyard, card holder and season draw card
- Broncos fridge magnet
- Broncos key ring
- Broncos sticker sheet
- Broncos 2008 team poster
- 12 month subscription (three issues) to the official club magazine – Bronco!
- Membership to Broncos Leagues Club (valid July 08 June 09)*
- 12 month subscription to the exclusive member e-newsletter, 'Member Mail' (valid email address must be provided)

PRICE: \$35 (incl. postage and handling)

CLUB BUCK

For youngsters who love the Broncos. The Club Buck Pack is jam-packed full of Broncos goodies.

- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member cap
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member flag (flag pole not included)
- Exclusive Broncos 2008 member lanyard, card holder and season draw card
- Broncos fridge magnet
- Broncos key ring
- Broncos sticker sheet
- Broncos 2008 team poster
- Broncos 'hand clapper'
- Birthday card featuring player autographs (date of birth must be provided)
- 12 month subscription to the exclusive member e-newsletter, 'Club Buck' (valid email address must be provided)
- Members ID card
- Invitation to the annual Club Buck coaching clinic (held at the Broncos Leagues Club in 2008)

PRICE: \$35 (incl. postage and handling)

^{*}To register for Broncos Leagues Club membership, members must be 18 years or over.



FREOUENTLY ASKED OUESTIONS

How do I apply for my membership?

In order to apply for a Brisbane Broncos Season Membership you need to complete and submit either a membership renewal form (renewing 2007 members) or a membership application form (new members). Brochures and forms are available by calling 1300 GO BRONCOS (1300 46 2766267). Please note, season memberships cannot be purchased from Ticketek outlets or via the Ticketek Hotline (132 849).

How will my account be configured?

Season Members can choose to configure their account in one of two ways:

Primary/Secondary: One buyer (the primary account holder) owns one or more seats in the account. Only the primary account holder receives correspondence sent in the mail and only the primary account holder has the right to renew the seats and make any changes to the account. This booking method is commonly used by families. It is still important to supply the details of the secondary members so their membership card can be personalised. All the members details must be submitted together.

Group: Each person in the account gives permission for a single person to book and pay on behalf of the group for 2008. All members in the account own their own seat. Each member in the account receives all correspondence sent in the mail and all members in the account have the right to renew their own seat. They are also able to make changes to their individual account. All the members details must be submitted together.

What is a seating link?

If all members in your account wish to sit with members in another account you will need to request a seating link. The seating link request should appear on the application forms of all accounts involved. This request can be made in the appropriate space on the application/ renewal form. New members can only request to sit with renewing members if they provide the renewing members account number. Seating links can not be guaranteed.

How do I apply for disabled seating?

Members with a disability, that needs to be considered in relation to their seating allocation, should include a note explaining the nature of their specific seating requirements with their application form. This should include the need for wheelchair seating and, if required, the need for a carer seat co-located. Limited parking for persons with a Blue parking permit is available and must be pre-booked. To arrange disabled parking please call (07) 3331 5000 during business hours.

Can I order paper tickets to access the venue instead of a membership card?

Yes. If you order paper tickets you will still receive a plastic membership card. This is for identification purposes only and will not gain you access to the venue. Season Members can order paper tickets for a fee of \$4.80 per reserved seat.

Can I order a gift certificate?

Yes. We understand that memberships are often a present and that the membership package may not arrive in time for that special occasion. If you require a gift certificate, please complete the gift certificate section on the renewal/application form. A gift certificate will be sent to the nominated address, free of charge, within two weeks of receiving the renewal/application form. Gift certificates are not valid for entry to the stadium, and do not guarantee the package that was applied for:

How can I pay for my membership?

The following forms of payment are accepted:

Credit cards: VISA, Mastercard, Amex and Diners Club.

Please note that all charges against credit cards will appear on your statement as a payment to Ticketek as they process the fees on behalf of the Brisbane Broncos.

Bank, personal and company cheques & money orders: Should be made out to Ticketek Pty Ltd. All members paying by this method must write their full name and phone number on the back of the cheque or money order

Debit cards: Debit cards that act as a credit card are accepted where they are backed by VISA or Mastercard, All other debit cards are not accepted.

Part Payments: Please see the part payment section in the terms and conditions for full explanation. Part payments may be paid by providing a single credit card for charging both installments

Cash: Members wishing to pay by cash can purchase their membership at the Broncos headquarters during business hours. Level | Reception, Fulcher Rd, Red Hill. Please DO NOT post cash in the mail.

N.B. Eftpos is not an accepted payment method.

How will I know if my membership application has been received?

Renewing members: Members wishing to check that their renewal form is received can go to the Members link at www.broncos.com.au. Simply type in your existing account number and you will be able to view whether or not your application has been logged. This data is updated every Friday. If your application hasn't been logged, please check again the following Friday.

New members: New members do not hold an existing account number. New members will receive a letter in the mail confirming receipt of their application. This letter will be sent to Member A on the application form, within two weeks of receiving the application. We ask that the primary account holder then notifies all members within this account.

When will my seat be allocated*?

The allocation of seats to members is carried out as follows:

- Alloc. I: Renewing full season members that renew the same package (e.g. Premium) and the same seat(s)
- Alloc. 2: Renewing full season members that renew the same seat(s) and change the package (e.g. upgrading from Premium to Platinum)
- Alloc. 3: Renewing full season members that request a seating change Renewing full season members that change their package (e.g. upgrading from Premium to Platinum) and also change their seat(s)

Renewing[^] full season members that add new members to their account

Allocation 3 will be seated in priority order according to the "Member Since Status" of the longest standing member in the account. Refer to Terms and Conditions for full explanation of "Member Since Status".

- Alloc 4: New full season members (best seat available)
 - New full season members will be allocated their seat(s) according to the date their application is received.
- Alloc 5: Renewing^ Awesome Foursome members
 - Renewing Awesome Foursome members will be allocated their current seat(s) if it is still available. If not, they will be allocated the next best available seat(s).
- Alloc 6: New Awesome Foursome members
 - New Awesome Foursome members will be allocated their seat(s) according to the date their application is received and will be allocated the best available seat(s).
- * All members requesting a seating link on their application form will have their application processed according to when the last person in the seating link submits their form.
- ^ Renewal form must be received by the renewal deadline.

When will I receive my membership package?

- Alloc I: Packs will be mailed prior to Christmas
- Alloc 2 & 3: Packs will be mailed prior to the end of January
- Alloc 4, 5 & 6: Applications received prior to 8 February will have their packs mailed prior to the end of February

All applications received after 8 February, and prior to 29 February, will have their packs mailed prior to the first home match.

All applications received after 29 February, will be contacted with details regarding the collection of your membership pack in time for your first home match.

Packages for secondary account holders will be sent to the primary account holder.

What will I receive in my membership pack?

Each ticketed membership pack includes:

- A Season Members card for each seat (if paper tickets are ordered and paid for, these will also be included)
- Redemption coupons for each item of merchandise that the member is entitled to
- A Broncos Leagues Club information flyer including information on how to apply for Leagues Club membership
- 2008 Season Member T-shirt application form

N.B Platinum members will not receive their State of Origin or Rugby League World Cup Grand Final ticket with their pack – these will be posted out separately prior to these matches.

When will I receive the merchandise that is included in my pack?

Season Members will receive their merchandise redemption coupon(s) in their membership pack. Season Members can redeem their merchandise at any of the first four home matches by presenting their coupon(s) at either of the merchandise outlets located under the big screens inside the stadium. Club Buck and Stampede packs will be posted. Postage of these packs is included in the price.

Is my membership transferable?

Yes. If you are unable to attend a match you may give your membership pass to a friend/ relative. Please be aware that entry to the stadium will be subject to the class of the membership (e.g. an adult will not be admitted with a junior membership pass).

How do I replace my membership card if it is lost or stolen?

You will need to contact the Season Member Hotline (1300 GO BRONCOS) to arrange a replacement card. The barcode of the original card will be cancelled. If there are sufficient games remaining in the season a replacement card will be supplied, alternately paper tickets will be supplied. A fee of \$20.00 applies for the replacement of each lost/stolen card.

If I leave my card at home can I still access the venue?

Yes. You will need to queue at the Ticketek office Supervisors window (located at the Southern or Northern Stand), with photo identification, and request that a replacement ticket be issued for your seat(s). Your season member card will still remain valid for all other games in the season.

How do I purchase extra home match tickets?

Extra home match tickets must be purchased through Ticketek Visit the Broncos website at www.broncos.com.au and follow the links to book online or call Ticketek on 132 849. We cannot guarantee that one-off match tickets will be available near your season seat(s).

How do I purchase tickets for Broncos away matches?

Full details for purchasing tickets to away matches can be found at www.broncos.com.au

How do I get to the games?

Members commuting to and from Broncos home matches can show their season pass to access free public transport on buses and trains. For all transport enquiries call TransLink on 13 12 30 or visit their website.

Who do I contact if I have a question about my membership?

The Broncos Season Member Hotline is 1300 GO BRONCOS (1300 46 2766267)

The hotline is open from 9.00am until 4.30pm on business days. It is not operational on weekends or public holidays.

For ticketing queries on a weekend match day, members will need to go to the box office at the stadium when gates open.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 2007 Season Members wishing to renew their seats for 2008 have an exclusive renewal period until close of business on Friday 12 October 2007. From Monday 15 October 2007 any seats not renewed may be made available for purchase to upgrading/new members.
- 2. All prices included in the membership brochure are inclusive of GST
- Part Payment:
 - Renewing full season members who are not making any changes to their membership package or seat can choose to part pay by equal installments in November/December
 - Renewing full season members who are making changes to their seat, package, or account can choose to part pay by equal installments in December/January
 - All new members and all Awesome Foursome members may choose to part pay by equal installments in January/February
 - By selecting the part payment option you have entered into an agreement to ensure sufficient funds are available for both installments
 - -The Brisbane Broncos will not issue reminders or invoices for part payment installments and reserve the right to refuse or cancel a part payment agreement.
 - A one-off fee of \$10 will be applied to each credit card used in part payment transactions.

 -The \$10 fee will be added to the first installment
 - Renewing Members part paying in November/December will have their payment processed in the second week of each month
 - Renewing Members part paying in December/January will have their part payment processed in the second week of each month
 - Members part paying in January/February will have their part payment processed in the second week of each month
 - Members should be aware that the decision to make part payments does not affect the
 order in which their seats are allocated. It will however affect the dispatch date of the
 membership package as this will not be sent until the second installment has been paid
 - Part payments must be made using the same credit card for both installments
- 4. Dishonoured Credit Card Payments:

If a credit card payment is declined by your bank, you will be contacted regarding an alternate form of payment. If the further payment option is not successful your order will be removed from the seating allocation queue and referred to the Brisbane Broncos Membership Manager

5. Dishonoured Cheque Payments:

If a cheque is dishonoured, you will be contacted for a further form of payment. All dishonoured cheques will incur an immediate fee of \$20 as these fees are applied by the bank. If the further payment option is not successful your order will be removed from the seating allocation queue and referred to the Brisbane Broncos Membership Manager.

6. Member Since Status:

On becoming a Season Member with the Brisbane Broncos the date of your first purchase is recorded against your account. When seating is being allocated your "Member Since Status" will be taken into account. Long standing members will be allocated their requests, where possible, prior to new members based on each members "Member Since Status".

- 7. Junior and Concession membership
 - Junior: to qualify as a junior you must be 12 years or younger on March 1 2008. Children under 4 years of age on this date may enter the venue for free, but must be seated on the lap of an accompanying adult
- Concession: Concession memberships may be purchased by persons holding a current Seniors card, Pension card or Full Time Student card. Please note that Health Care Cards are not accepted as a form of concession. It is a condition of these concessions that you agree to present your concession ID upon entry to the venue, if requested.
- 8. If for some reason you are no longer able to attend Brisbane Broncos matches during the season you can give your season pass to another person. However, members should be aware that there is legislation in Queensland relating to the resale of tickets at Suncorp Stadium and breach of these laws may attract criminal penalties.
- All Season Members must take responsibility for updating all personal details so the Brisbane Broncos can communicate effectively with them. The Brisbane Broncos hold no responsibility for member's failure to update their personal details. To update your personal details please call the Season Member Hotline (1300 GO BRONCOS).
- 10. The 10% discount at the Broncos official merchandise store, which is available to Season Members upon presentation of the season member card. This offer is not redeemable for cash and cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer. The Broncos official merchandise store is located at the Broncos Leagues Club, Fulcher Road, Red Hill.
- 11. The Season Member prize ("Ultimate Game Day Experience") will be open to all Season Members whose application/renewal form is received by 29 February 2008. The winner will be drawn at random on 7 March 2008 and will be notified via phone. The winner will be announced at the first Broncos home match of 2008. The winner, along with one friend/relative, will be invited to sit in the Coaches Box at Suncorp Stadium during a 2008 home match. The prize will also include access to the player's dressing sheds before and after the match. After the match the winner will be presented with a signed 2008 Broncos jersey by the captain of the team. The prize is not redeemable for cash and redemption is subject to match approval from the Coach and Football Manager. The winner must give at least 14 days notice, prior to the match they wish to redeem their prize at, to the Brisbane Broncos Membership Manager. The winner will be published on Broncos website for one month following the first home match.
- 12. Your privacy is important to the Brisbane Broncos and we have procedures in place to ensure that your information remains confidential. We are mindful that your personal details are private and as such, we will only disclose your information in accordance with the Privacy Act 1988. You may access your private information held on our database by contacting the Season Member Hotline (1300 GO BRONCOS). You have the right at any time to refuse to receive marketing material. A copy of the Brisbane Broncos Privacy Policy explaining the way your information is collected, held and disclosed is available on our website at www.broncos.com.au or can be obtained by contacting the Season Member Hotline (1300 GO BRONCOS)
- All memberships are subject to the terms of entry of Suncorp Stadium.
 Go to www.suncorpstadium.com.au for full details
- 14. All memberships are subject to the terms of ticket sale from Ticketek. Go to www.ticketek.com.au for full details
- All details outlined in the Frequently Asked Questions on page 19 & 20 form part of the Terms and Conditions

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The year-long calendar of celebrations will incorporate key moments in each club's history, landmark events in the Telstra Premiership, the Centenary Test, the Centenary Year State of Origin series and, finally, the Centenary World Cup.

A National Museum Exhibition will also travel Australia's East Coast,

THE CENTENARY FOR ME IS AS MUCH A CELEBRATION OF THE GAME'S PAST AS IT IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO LAUNCH INTO THE NEXT CHAPTER. IT IS A GREAT HONOUR TO BE PART OF SUCH A MONUMENTAL YEAR AND IT IS CERTAIN TO BE SOMETHING I LOOK FONDLY ON WHEN MY RUGBY LEAGUE CAREER IS OVER. IT IS ALWAYS A PRIVILEGE TO PULL ON THE GREEN AND GOLD JERSEY, BUT TO DO SO IN THE GAME'S CENTENARY YEAR WILL BE THAT MUCH MORE SPECIAL.

AUSTRALIAN CAPTAIN, DARREN LOCKYER

I SALUTE THE CONTRIBUTION THAT RUGBY LEAGUE HAS MADE TO AUSTRALIA'S NATIONAL IDENTITY, IT'S A TOUGH GAME. IT STARTED AS A WORKING MAN'S GAME; IT'S BECOME EVERY MAN'S GAME NOW. IT STILL RETAINS THAT WORKING CLASS CHARACTER AND THAT'S PART OF ITS HEART AND SOUL AND I HOPE IT ALWAYS DOES, BUT IT IS ALSO A GAME THAT HAS REACHED OUT TO THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY.

AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER, MR JOHN HOWARD

THE CENTENARY OF RUGBY LEAGUE IS NOT ONLY A MILESTONE IN SPORTING TERMS, BUT A VERY CLOSE REFLECTION OF THE GROWTH AND CHANGE WITHIN THE QUEENSLAND COMMUNITY OVER THE PAST 100 YEARS.

BEING A PROUD NORTH QUEENSLANDER, I GREW UP WITH RUGBY LEAGUE AS A PART OF MY LIFE AND, TO THIS DAY, CONTINUE TO BE AMAZED AT THE SKILL OF PLAYERS AND THE PASSION OF FANS ALIKE.

THE QUEENSLAND GOVERNMENT IS GIVING ITS FULL SUPPORT TO THE CENTENARY OF RUGBY LEAGUE, FROM THE GRASS-ROOTS RIGHT THROUGH TO THE WORLD CUP FINAL IN BRISBANE NEXT NOVEMBER.

MAY WE SEE A FITTING CELEBRATION OF RUGBY LEAGUE'S IMPORTANCE TO OUR GREAT STATE, UNDERLINING THE RICH HISTORY AND BONDS WHICH HAVE EXISTED SINCE 1908.

QUEENSLAND PREMIER, MR PETER BEATTIE

