



NSW BLUES CROSSWORD SOLUTION

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ACROSS

1. Surname of the first NSW State of Origin representative and captain (10)
6. Former Western Suburbs Magpies second-rower, played one game for NSW in 1982, Paul ----- (5)
7. Former NSW captain, current NSWRL chairman and doctor, George ----- (7)
8. Its original value was three, but this was increased to four in 1983 (3)
9. Five-eighths with two SOO titles and two NRL premierships with two different clubs, James ----- (7)
12. Surname of 2019 NSW debutant, Game One (5)
13. Surname of former premiership Broncos and Panthers hooker, played three games for NSW 1998-2001, Luke ----- (7)
18. 2019 "Turbo" charged Blues brothers (9)
19. First name of former Manly player, played eight games for NSW 1997-99, ... Kosef (3)
21. Bulldogs forward, made nine Origin appearances 1986-88, Steve ----- (6)
24. First name of controversial 2010 Dally M winner, played one series for NSW in 2012 (4)
25. Brydens Lawyers NSW Blues vice-captain in 2019 (7)
26. Initials of Blues and Panthers enforcer, involved in iconic Origin stoush (2)
27. First name of NSW and Manly second rower of the 80s, known as "Crusher" (4)
28. Nickname of former NSW player and selector, Manly great and immortal (4)
31. Nicknames of Blues and Sharks centre and keen fisherman (2)
32. Surname of "T-Rex" and "The Wolfman", played five games between them for NSW (6)
36. Surname of father-son combination for the Dragons and NSW (5)
37. First name of premiership-winning coach and player for Manly; played 12 games for NSW 1985-91 (3)

DOWN

1. First name of one of NSW greats, inducted into the NSW The Star Hall of Fame in 2019 (3)
2. Newcastle winger, made five Origin appearances 2011-12 (4)
3. Nickname of former all-time great Eels halfback, played 13 games for NSW in the 80s (6)
4. Blues skipper 1997 (6)
5. Surname of NSW fullback, played three games in 1999 series only, Robbie ----- (4)
7. City which hosted its first ever Origin match in 2019 (5)
10. NSW lock in the first State of Origin match in 1980, Jim ----- (4)
11. Former Manly hookers of the 70s, played eight games for NSW 1978-83 (3)
14. First name of 36 across, the son (4)
15. First name of former Dragons forward of 11 seasons in the 70s and 80s, played eight games for NSW --- Jarvis (3)
16. First name of former NSW and Australian halfback, nicknamed "Turvey" (5)
17. First name of former Penrith forward who coached NSW in 1991 (3)
20. Full name of Knights and Sharks prop, played two games for NSW 2010-11 (4, 7)
21. Nickname of Eels winger, who played a crucial role in the series-winning try in the 2019 Origin series (5)
22. Surname of one of the referees in the 2018 State of Origin series, ... (5)
23. First name of Balmain Tigers and NSW prop known as Blocker (5)
24. Number of years Graham Murray coached NSW (3)
29. Nickname of 25 Across (5)
30. Initials of the brother-in-law of 26 Across, also a NSW great (2)
32. Surname of brothers Graeme and Peter, both played for NSW in the 80s (4)
33. First name of fiery Rabbitohs and Sharks forward, played five games for NSW 1987-77 (3)
34. First name of Blues enforcer, now an actor; NSW won six of nine games he played in (3)
35. Surname of Fijian international, made NSW debut in 2018 (4)