

Jim Marks

..... played with the University Rugby League team from 1934 until the University Club folded in 1937 and exited the Sydney Premiership competition. The University Club reached its pinnacle when it made the 1926 Grand Final, going down to Souths at the final hurdle. It was all downhill for the University Club until its demise a decade later.

Jim Marks joined University at its lowest ebb. He played in forty three First Grade games with University and was on the losing side in all but one of those matches. Notwithstanding, he still showed sufficient ability and form to be selected for several minor representative teams from 1935 to 1937 including a tour of Country NSW with Sydney Firsts.

Without a team in 1938, Jim Marks came across to Wests and was made Vice Captain of the First Grade team. He played two First Grade games, both of which were losses to add to his tally. However Jim gave good service to Wests in 1938, playing an additional eleven Reserve Grade games.

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Jim Marks Playing Record with Wests

Jim moved to South Australia during the War years and then in the 1950's relocated to Victoria where he lived for the remainder of his life. He died at Werribee, Victoria in June 2000.

POSSIBLES (AU) 12 - 12 PROBABLES (AU) Played 1937

[North Sydney]	Laurie WARD (c)	1	FB	1	Jim SHARMAN	[Western Suburbs]
[Western Suburbs]	Ray HINES	2	W	2	Alf BIRTLES	[North Sydney]
	Bert WILLIAMS	3	C	3	Col MAXWELL	
[Balmain]	Jack REDMAN	4	C	4	Dick ROSER	
	Owen CAMPBELL	5	W	5	A MITCHELL	
[North Sydney]	Roy THOMPSON	6	FE	6	Tommy GRAHAME	
[Souths]	Bob BANHAM	7	HB	7	Fred FELSCH	[Souths]
	R RODDOM	8	FR	8	Frank GRIFFITHS	[Balmain]
	A PARSONS	9	HK	9	Percy FAIRALL (c)	[St George]
[Souths]	Frank CURRAN	10	FR	10	Len KELLY	[St George]
[Newtown]	Gordon McLENNAN	11	2R	11	James MARKS	[University]
[Eastern Suburbs]	Henry PIERCE	12	2R	12	Herb NARVO	[Newtown]
[Eastern Suburbs]	Andy NORVAL	13	L	13	Ray JOHNSTON	[Newtown]

Reserves: Henry Porter, Sid Goodwin, Doug Deitz, Les Mead