

YOUTH WORLD CHALLENGE TOUCH SERIES

2009

When Touch Football Australia and Touch New Zealand agreed to a Youth Test Series early in 2009 they effectively hijacked the planned Third Youth World Cup. The event was to be hosted by New Zealand but lack of planning and proper budgeting and a recently installed new C.E.O. caused the Federation to cancel the World Cup event

New Zealand and Australia knew the Test series would be disruptive to the World Cup so the host country planned the Youth Challenge to compensate as many countries had committed resources to attend the World Cup.

The Federation did not sanction the event but endorsed it as a Federation Member conducted event and was played from Wednesday 14th February to Saturday 17th February. The Trans Tasman Youth Test Series was played on the 16th and 17th

TEAMS

BOYS	GIRLS	MIXED
Australia 18	Australia 18	Australia 18
Australia 20	Australia 20	Australia 20
New Zealand 18	New Zealand 18	New Zealand 18
New Zealand 20	New Zealand 20	New Zealand 20
South Africa 20	Singapore 20	Singapore 20
	South Africa 18	
	South Africa 20	



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Youth World Challenge Results

Wednesday 14th January 2009

11:00 AM	Mixed	New Zealand 20X	19	Singapore 20X	0
11:00 AM	Girls	New Zealand 18G	20	South Africa 18G	0
12:00 PM	Boys	New Zealand 18B	17	South Africa 20B	2
1:00 PM	Girls	New Zealand 20G	14	South Africa 20G	1
1:00 PM	Girls	Australia 20G	19	Singapore 20G	0
2:00 PM	Mixed	Australia 18X	24	Singapore 20X	1
3:00 PM	Girls	Australia 18G	19	South Africa 18G	0
4:00 PM	Boys	New Zealand 20B	18	South Africa 20B	2
5:00 PM	Girls	New Zealand 20G	20	Singapore 20G	0
5:00 PM	Girls	Australia 20G	15	South Africa 20G	1
6:00 PM	Mixed	Australia 20X	22	Singapore 20X	0

Thursday 15th January 2009

10:00 AM	Mixed	New Zealand 18X	19	Singapore 20X	1
11:00 AM	Girls	New Zealand 20G	9	South Africa 18G	0
1:00 PM	Girls	New Zealand 18G	19	South Africa 20G	2
1:00 PM	Girls	Australia 18G	21	Singapore 20G	0
2:00 PM	Mixed	Australia 20X	24	Singapore 20X	0
2:00 PM	Boys	Australia 18B	18	South Africa 20B	4
3:00 PM	Girls	Australia 20G	17	South Africa 18G	0
5:00 PM	Girls	New Zealand 18G	17	Singapore 20G	0
5:00 PM	Girls	Australia 18G	17	South Africa 20G	1
6:00 PM	Boys	Australia 20B	18	South Africa 20B	1
6:00 PM	Mixed	New Zealand 20X	19	Singapore 20X	0

Friday 16th January 2009

11:00 AM	Girls	South Africa 18G	2	South Africa 20G	5
2:00 PM	Mixed/Boys	Singapore 20X	0	South Africa 20B	16
3:00 PM	Girls	South Africa 18G	9	Singapore 20G	6

Saturday 17th January 2009

11:00 AM	Girls	South Africa 20G	14	Singapore 20G	1
1:00 PM	Mixed/Boys	Singapore 20X	0	South Africa 20B	12
3:00 PM	Girls	South Africa 18G	9	Singapore 20G	0

2009 RESULTS - BOYS 18/20 YEARS DIVISION

Competition Table

After Preliminary Rounds		P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts	Diff	Ave
1	Australia 20	1	1			18	1	3	17	18.0
2	New Zealand 20	1	1			18	2	3	16	9.00
3	New Zealand 18	1	1			17	2	3	15	8.50
4	Australia 18	1	1			18	4	3	14	4.50
5	South Africa 20	4		4		9	71	4	-62	0.13
		8	4	4	0	80	80		0	

Team Results

AUSTRALIA 20 - 1st			
South Africa 20	Won	18	1
MVP -		18	1

NEW ZEALAND 20 - 2nd			
South Africa 20	Won	18	2
MVP -		18	2

NEW ZEALAND 18 - 4rd			
South Africa 20	Won	17	2
MVP -		17	2

AUSTRALIA 18 - 4th			
South Africa 20	Won	18	4
MVP -		18	4

SOUTH AFRICA 20 - 5th				
1	Australia 18	Lost	4	18
2	New Zealand 18	Lost	2	17
3	New Zealand 20	Lost	2	18
4	Australia 20	Lost	1	18
PO	Singapore 20	Won	16	0
PO	Singapore 20	Won	12	0
MVP -			37	71

Competition Table - Including Finals

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Dif	Ave
Australia 18B	1	1			18	4	14	4.50
Australia 20B	1	1			18	1	17	18.0
New Zealand 18B	1	1			17	2	15	8.50
New Zealand 20B	1	1			18	2	16	9.00
South Africa 20B	6	2	4		37	71	-34	0.52
<i>Mixed Teams</i>	<i>2</i>		<i>2</i>		<i>0</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>-28</i>	0.00
	12	6	6	0	108	108	0	

2009 RESULTS - GIRLS 18/20 YEARS DIVISION

Competition Table

After Preliminary Rounds		P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts	Diff	Ave
1	Australia 18	3	3			57	1	9	56	57.0
2	Australia 20	3	3			51	1	9	50	51.0
3	New Zealand 20	3	3			43	1	9	42	43.0
4	New Zealand 18	3	3			56	2	9	54	28.0
5	South Africa 20	4		4		5	65	4	-60	0.08
6	Singapore 20	4		4		0	77	4	-77	0.00
7	South Africa 18	4		4		0	65	4	-65	0.00
		24	12	12	0	212	212		0	

Team Results

AUSTRALIA 18 - 1st				
South Africa 18	Won	19	0	
Singapore 20	Won	21	0	
South Africa 20	Won	17	1	
MVP -		57	1	

AUSTRALIA 20 - 2nd				
Singapore 20	Won	19	0	
South Africa 20	Won	15	1	
South Africa 18	Won	17	0	
MVP -		51	1	

NEW ZEALAND 20 - 3rd				
South Africa 20	Won	14	1	
Singapore 20	Won	20	0	
South Africa 18	Won	9	0	
MVP -		43	1	

NEW ZEALAND 18 - 4rd				
South Africa 18	Won	20	0	
South Africa 20	Won	19	2	
Singapore 20	Won	17	0	
MVP -		56	2	

SOUTH AFRICA 20 - 5th				
1	New Zealand 20	Lost	1	14
2	Australia 20	Lost	1	15
3	New Zealand 18	Lost	2	19
4	Australia 18	Lost	1	17
PO	South Africa 18	Won	5	2
PO	Singapore 20	Won	14	1
PO				
MVP -			24	68

SINGAPORE 20 - 6th				
1	Australia 20	Lost	0	19
2	New Zealand 20	Lost	0	20
3	Australia 18	Lost	0	21
4	New Zealand 18	Lost	0	17
PO	South Africa 18	Lost	6	9
PO	South Africa 20	Lost	1	14
PO	South Africa 18	Lost	0	9
MVP -			7	109

2009 RESULTS - GIRLS 18/20 YEARS DIVISION

SOUTH AFRICA 18 - 7th					
1	New Zealand 18	Lost	0	20	
2	Australia 18	Lost	0	19	
3	New Zealand 20	Lost	0	9	
4	Australia 20	Lost	0	17	
PO	South Africa 20	Lost	2	5	
PO	Singapore 20	Won	9	6	
PO	Singapore 20	Won	9	0	
MVP -			20	76	

Competition Table - Including Finals

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Dif	Ave
Australia 18	3	3			57	1	56	57.0
Australia 20	3	3			51	1	50	51.0
New Zealand 18	3	3			56	2	54	28.0
New Zealand 20	3	3			43	1	42	43.0
Singapore 20	7		7		7	109	-102	0.06
South Africa 18	7	2	5		20	76	-56	0.26
South Africa 20	6	2	4		24	68	-44	0.35
	32	16	16	0	258	258	0	

2009 RESULTS - MIXED 20 YEARS DIVISION

Competition Table

After Preliminary Rounds		P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts	Diff	Ave
1	Australia 20	2	2			46	0	6	46	Ω
2	New Zealand 20	2	2			38	0	6	38	Ω
3	Australia 18	1	1			24	1	3	23	24.0
4	New Zealand 18	1	1			19	1	3	18	19.0
5	Singapore 20	6		6		2	127	6	-125	0.02
		12	6	6	0	129	129			

2009 RESULTS - MIXED 18/20 YEARS DIVISION

Team Results

AUSTRALIA 20 - 1st			
Singapore 20	Won	24	0
Singapore 20	Won	22	0
MVP -		46	0

NEW ZEALAND 20 - 2nd			
Singapore 20	Won	19	0
Singapore 20	Won	19	0
MVP -		38	0

AUSTRALIA 18 - 3rd			
Singapore 20	Won	24	1
MVP -		24	1

NEW ZEALAND 18 - 4rd			
Singapore 20	Won	19	1
MVP -		19	1

SINGAPORE 20 - 5th				
1	New Zealand 20	Lost	0	19
2	Australia 18	Lost	1	24
3	Australia 20	Lost	0	22
4	New Zealand 18	Lost	1	19
5	Australia 20	Lost	0	24
6	New Zealand 20	Lost	0	19
PO	South Africa 20B	Lost	0	16
PO	South Africa 20B	Lost	0	12
MVP -			2	155

Competition Table - Including Finals

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Diff	Ave
Australia 18	1	1			24	1	23	24.0
Australia 20	2	2			46	0	46	Ω
New Zealand 18	1	1			19	1	18	19.0
New Zealand 20	2	2			38	0	38	Ω
Singapore 20	8		8		2	155	-153	0.01
<i>Boys Teams</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>			<i>28</i>	<i>0</i>	28	
	16	8	8	0	157	157	0	

TOUCHDOWNS SCORED - BOYS 20

AUSTRALIA	19	NEW ZEALAND	18	South Africa	8
Michael Singh	3	Tama Guthrie	6	Player 2	3
Alyd Owen	3	Ryan Mauriohooho	4	Brent	1
Justin Otto	3	Josh Mana	2	Player 15	1
Ben Moylan	2	Brad Christian	2	Player 5	1
Ben Antonio	2	Tivoli Guthrie	2	Player 6	1
Greg Dillon	2	Sam Robinson	1	Player 8	1
Michael Petrie	1	Kyle Joyce	1		
Dean Springfield	1				
Rhys Jacks	1				
Dylan Thompson	1				
Most Touchdowns in one game		Most Touchdowns in one game		Most Touchdowns in one game	
Three scorers - 3 against South Africa		Tama Guthrie - 6 against South Africa		Player 2 - 2 against Australia 18's	

TOUCHDOWNS SCORED - BOYS 18

AUSTRALIA	18
Kristian Congoo	3
Nicholas Good	2
Peter Norman	2
Matthew Moylan	2
Cody Green	2
Lawrence Oberlauer	2
Dylan Taikato-Simpson	2
Mitchell Lauder	1
Daniel O'Brien	1
Chris Taiters	1
Most Touchdowns in one game	
Kristian Congoo - 3 against South Africa	

NEW ZEALAND	17
Pomare Ormsby	5
Trent Wallace	3
Nathan Symes	3
Anthony Utanga	3
Apirana Pewhairangi	2
Sage Magele	1
Most Touchdowns in one game	
Pomare Ormsby - 5 against South Africa	

TOUCHDOWNS SCORED - GIRLS 20

AUSTRALIA	51	NEW ZEALAND	38	SOUTH AFRICA	9
Bianca Mounsey	8	Te Ao Moana Te Amo	5	Amy Van Zuydam	3
Samantha Hopkin	8	Morgan Marrow	5	Shona Pepper	2
Nicky Albery	8	Anien Bester	4	Alison James	1
Nicole Beck	5	Maggie Leota	4	Nthabeleng Nkhatho	1
Stephanie Halpin	4	Condis Cardie	3	Taryn-Lee Rightford	1
Amy Regal	4	Aleisha Berryman	3	Nabeelah Boltman	1
Ashleigh Dobbins	3	Melissa Buchanan	2		
Amy Chippindale	3	Lillian Pompey	2		
Ashley Dind	3	Rebecca Smeele	2		
Cobie-Jane Morgan	2	Niall Williams	2		
Justine Johnston	2	Kylie Joe	2		
Ali Brigginsshaw	1	Chyna Hohepa	2		
		Amy Sutherland	1		
		Nicole Lightfoot	1		
Most Touchdowns in one game		Most Touchdowns in one game		Most Touchdowns in one game	
Samantha Hopkin - 6 against South Africa		Anien Bester - 3 against South Africa		All Scorers - 1 against various teams	

TOUCHDOWNS SCORED - GIRLS 18

AUSTRALIA	57	NEW ZEALAND	54	SOUTH AFRICA	3
Alicia Quirk	8	Shannon Francois	12	Megan Miller	1
Eliza Naseby	7	Kelsey Berryman	6	Hannah Ward	1
Kristin Wuruki	6	Roxette Mura	6	Gomolemo Seete	1
Emilee Cherry	5	Kahurangi Watene	5		
Candice Humm	5	Kendall Flutey	4		
Kimberley Resch	5	Jordan Grant	3		
Jessica Shaw	5	Sarah Young	3		
Samantha Hammond	5	Talisua Tipelu	3		
Kirsty Beer	4	Samantha Burton	3		
Marikki Watego	3	Jessica Drummond	2		
Emily Reed	2	Riane Barton	2		
Grace Griffin	2	Leonie Keith	2		
		Awhina Savage	1		
		Shani Wells	1		
		Rikki-Maree Moore	1		
Most Touchdowns in one game		Most Touchdowns in one game		Most Touchdowns in one game	
Three scorers - 4 against various teams		Shannon Francois - 7 against Singapore		All Scorers - 1 against various teams	

TOUCHDOWNS SCORED - MIXED 20

AUSTRALIA	46	NEW ZEALAND	38	SOUTH AFRICA	16
Oscar Sanft	6	Mark Hodson	6	Player 7	5
Brendan Andrews	5	Kelly Brazier	3	Player 5	4
Jason Schmidt	4	Maahia Nathan	3	Player 2	2
Amanda Skwarko	4	Jason Te Huia	3	Player 9	1
Nathan Wong	4	Stacey Mahara	3	Player 10	1
Stephanie Jackson	4	Kylie Holmes	3	Player 12	1
Kelly Jones	4	Kimo Houltham	3	Player 14	1
Ryan Jacks	3	Kiera Pennell	3	Player 16	1
Jess McCall	3	Jenna Clarke	3		
Ben Wiczorek	3	Aroha Griffiths	2		
Emma Haines	3	Sasu Wihapi	2		
Stuart Hayes (WNG)	2	Ashley Dunlop-Hogan	2		
Tyson Brough	1	Moko Marr	1		
		Chloe Morris	1		
Most Touchdowns in one game		Most Touchdowns in one game		Most Touchdowns in one game	
Sanft & Wong - 4 against Singapore		Three scorers - 3 against Singapore		Player 7 - 5 against Singapore	

SINGAPORE	2
Han Siong Derrick Ng	1
Muhammad B Taib	1
Most Touchdowns in one game	
Both Players - 1 against Aust. & NZ 18's	

TOUCHDOWNS SCORED - MIXED 18

AUSTRALIA	24
Elin Mortimer	4
Haylee Henderson	4
David Shaw	3
Patricia Michaelopoulos	2
Jacob Kara	2
Savannah Pratten	2
Ryley Jacks	2
Mitchell Fanning	2
Emily Edwards	2
Scott Daley	1
Most Touchdowns in one game	
<i>Mortimer & Henderson - 4 against Singapore</i>	

NEW ZEALAND	19
Lara Diamond-Brahne	4
Jerome Henry	3
Sarah Gunn	3
Te Ate Jackson	3
Dani Maxwell	2
Shaquille Stone	1
Kymbillie Raynes	1
Jonathan Ale	1
Brock Taylor	1
Most Touchdowns in one game	
<i>Lara Diamond-Brahne - 4 against Singapore</i>	



EACH NATIONS RESULTS - 2009

Australia	P	W	L	D	F	A
Boys 20	1	1			18	1
Girls 20	3	3			51	1
Mixed 20	2	2			46	0
Boys 18	1	1			18	4
Girls 18	3	3			57	1
Mixed 18	1	1			24	1
	11	11	0	0	214	8

New Zealand	P	W	L	D	F	A
Boys 20	1	1			18	2
Girls 20	3	3			43	1
Mixed 20	2	2			38	0
Boys 18	1	1			17	2
Girls 18	3	3			56	2
Mixed 18	1	1			19	1
	11	11	0	0	191	8

South Africa	P	W	L	D	F	A
Boys 20	6	2	4		37	71
Girls 20	6	2	4		24	68
Mixed 20	0					
Boys 18	0					
Girls 18	7	2	5		20	76
Mixed 18	0					
	19	6	13	0	81	215

Singapore	P	W	L	D	F	A
Boys 20	0					
Girls 20	7		7		7	109
Mixed 20	8		8		2	155
Boys 18	0					
Girls 18	0					
Mixed 18	0					
	15	0	15	0	9	264

Nations Total Results

All Divisions	P	W	L	D	F	A	AVE
Australia	11	11	0	0	214	8	26.8
New Zealand	11	11	0	0	191	8	23.9
South Africa	19	6	13	0	81	215	0.38
Singapore	15	0	15	0	9	264	0.03
	56	28	28	0	495	495	

Biggest Wins

Divisions	Team	Score	Opponent
Boys 20's	Australia	18 - 1	South Africa
Girls 20's	New Zealand	20 - 0	Singapore
Mixed 20's	Australia	24 - 0	Singapore
Boys 18's	New Zealand	17 - 2	South Africa
Girls 18's	Australia	21 - 0	Singapore
Mixed 18's	Australia	24 - 1	Singapore

RECORDS - 2009 - RECORDS

Best Attack

Excluding Finals

Teams	TD	Ave.	Divisions	Teams	TD	Ave.
Australia & NZ	18	18.0	Boys 20's	Australia & NZ	18	18.0
Australia	51	17.0	Girls 20's	Australia	51	17.0
Australia	46	23.0	Mixed 20's	Australia	46	23.0
Australia	18	18.0	Boys 18's	Australia	18	18.0
Australia	57	57.0	Girls 18's	Australia	57	57.0
Australia	24	24.0	Mixed 18's	Australia	24	24.0

Including Finals

Best Defense

Excluding Finals

Teams	TD	Ave.	Divisions	Teams	TD	Ave.
Australia	1	1.0	Boys 20's	Australia	1	1.0
Australia & NZ	1	0.33	Girls 20's	Australia & NZ	1	0.33
Australia & NZ	0	Ω	Mixed 20's	Australia & NZ	0	Ω
New Zealand	2	2.0	Boys 18's	New Zealand	2	2.0
Australia	1	1.0	Girls 18's	Australia	1	1.0
Australia & NZ	1	1.0	Mixed 18's	Australia & NZ	1	1.0

Including Finals

Best For and Against

Excluding Finals

Teams	Ave.	Divisions	Teams	Ave.
Australia	18-1	18.0	Australia	18-1
Australia	51-1	51.0	Australia	51-1
Australia	46-0	Ω	Australia	46-0
New Zealand	17-2	8.50	New Zealand	17-2
Australia	57-1	57.0	Australia	57-1
Australia	24-1	24.0	Australia	24-1

Including Finals

Most Touchdowns Scored by an Individual

Divisions	In the overall event	In one game
Boys 20's	6 Tama Guthrie, New Zealand	6 Tama Guthrie, New Zealand
Girls 20's	8 by three Australian scorers	6 Samantha Hopkin, Australia
Mixed 20's	6 Sanfit (Aust) / Hodson (NZ)	5 Player No.7, South Africa
Boys 18's	5 Pomare Ormsby, New Zealand	5 Pomare Ormsby, New Zealand
Girls 18's	12 Shannon Francois, New Zealand	7 Shannon Francois, New Zealand
Mixed 18's	4 by three scorers (Aust & NZ)	4 by three scorers (Aust & NZ)