

# The Burrow Songbook



In The Burrow, we sing. Many fans have questioned why, when it is such a foreign concept in this country. Yet in many stadiums around the world, singing embraces all aspects of football fandom. It celebrates the triumphs, rally's support behind the team, enhances the ground's atmosphere, and intimidates the opposition through the creation of home ground advantage.

Here we have collated as many of The Burrow songs as could be remembered. You may find it helpful to look up [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) to understand the tune.

We look forward to standing and singing with you in 2011.

## New songs for 2011

### Who's That Riding On The Vespa

*Tune: Glory Glory / God Save Ireland*

[Glory glory] When I was little it was simple life  
was red and green...

I'd jump the fence at Redfern just to see my  
football team...

Then one day I saw him play, a giant man was  
he... And this is what I said... (I SAID!)

[God Save Ireland] Who's that riding on the  
Vespa?

Who's that Pom we all adore?

Sammy Burgess is his name...

And he'll use his massive frame...

To punch a hole through your shit defense and  
score

(Repeat from *Who's that riding on the vespa..*)

### Dave Taylor

*Tune: The ants go marching one by one*

He plays out in the centres for a laugh! A laugh!

He punishes a loaf of bread for Lunch! For  
lunch!

He steps, he kicks,

He likes to pass

He cracks walnuts between his arse

David Taylor... now everybody sing!

Na-na na-na, na-na, na-na, na..na, na..na

Na-na na-na, na-na, na-na, na..na, na..na

### You can't stop Greg Inglis

*Tune: You can't stop the music (Village People)*

You can't stop Greg Inglis

Nobody can stop Greg Inglis

Not a Gasnier,

Not a Lockyer,

Not Chlamydia,

Or an Ian Shubert!

(repeat from beginning)

### Singing Gi-Yippee Yippee I

*Tune: She'll be coming around the Mountain*

Singing G I Yippee Yippee I

Singing G I Yippee Yippee I

Singing G I Yippee, G I Yippee,

Singing G I Yippee Yippee I

### Ben Lowe

*Tune: Love will tear us apart (Joy Division)*

Lowe

Lowe will tear you apart... again

[repeat x 2]

### Dylan Dylan Farrell

*Tune: La Bumba*

Dylan Dylan Farrell

Dylan Dylan Farrell

Is so much better than Shaun Kenny Dow-well

Dylan Farrell, Dylan Farrell



## Most popular Burrow songs

### **There's Only One South Sydney**

*Tune: Winter Wonderland*

There's only one South Sydney!  
One South Sydney!  
Walking along...  
Singing a song...  
Singing glory glory all the way

### **South Sydney Is Wonderful**

*Tune: Oh When the Saints Go Marching*

(Oh South Sydney)  
Oh South Sydney...  
(Is wonderful)  
Is wonderful...  
Oh South Sydney is wonderful...  
You'll never beat our 20 titles...  
Oh South Sydney is wonderful

### **South Sydney Till I Die**

*Tune: H A P P Y*

South Sydney till I die...  
South Sydney till I die...  
I know I am...  
I'm sure I am...  
South Sydney till I die

### **We Love You Rabbitohs**

*Tune: Unknown*

We love you Rabbitohs...  
We do...  
We love you Rabbitohs...  
We do...  
We love you Rabbitohs...  
We do...  
Oh Rabbitohs we love you

### **We're South Sydney**

*Tune: Sailing (Rod Stewart)*

We're South Sydney...  
We're South Sydney...  
Glory glory...  
Red and green...  
Hold your head high...  
Never say die...  
No surrender...  
South Sydney...

### **You are South Sydney**

*Tune: You are My Sunshine*

You are South Sydney...  
My own South Sydney...  
You make me happy...  
When skies are grey...  
You'll never know just...  
How much I love you...  
So please don't take...  
South Sydney away...  
Na na na na na... (repeat 4 times)  
Oh please don't take, South Sydney away..

### **Raaaaaaa-bitooooohhhs**

*Tune: Unknown*

Raaaaaaa-bitooooohhhs...  
Raaaaaaa-bitooooohhhs...  
(Continue)

Take me home Botany Road

*Tune: Country Road (John Denver)*

Take me home, Botany Road  
To the place, I belong!  
Back to Redfern  
South of Sydney  
Take me home, Botany Road  
[repeat continuously]



## Most Popular Burrow Songs (continued)

### **We'll Never Die**

*Tune: Oh Christmas Tree*

We'll never die...  
We'll never die...  
We'll never die...  
We'll never die...  
We'll keep the Souths flag flying high...  
'Cause South Sydney will never die...

### **We Are One**

*Tune: We Are One*

We are one...  
But we are many...  
And we fought...  
For the pride of Redfern...  
We cheer our team...  
And sing with one voice...  
I am...  
You are...  
We are the Rabbitohs

### **We All Follow South Sydney**

*Tune: Lord of the Dance*

We all follow South Sydney...  
Over land and sea...  
We all follow South Sydney...  
On to victory...  
Run, run wherever you may be...  
'Cause we are the boys from South Sydney...  
And we'll run amok wherever you may be...  
'Cause we are the boys from South Sydney

### **Roll Along**

*Tune: She'll Be Comin' Round the Mountain*

Roll along South Sydney...  
Oh roll along...  
To the top of the league where you belong...  
Over 100 years...  
Of blood, sweat and tears...  
The pride of the league is going strong

### **In A Town Where I Was Born**

*Tune: Yellow Submarine*

In a town...  
Where I was born...  
There's a team that plays...  
Rugby league...  
And they're called the Rabbitohs...  
And they play in the...  
Red and green...

We all follow the mighty red and green...  
The greatest football team...  
The world has ever seen...  
We all follow the mighty red and green...  
The greatest football team...  
The world has ever seen...

20 times they've conquered all...  
Many famous names...  
We adore...  
Passion, pride and history...  
The eternal...  
South Sydney...

We all follow the mighty red and green...  
The greatest football team...  
The world has ever seen...  
We all follow the mighty red and green...  
The greatest football team...  
The world has ever seen...

### **One Team in Sydney**

*Tune: Guantanamera*

One team in Sydney  
There's only one team in Sydney  
One team in Sydney  
There's only one team in Sydney



## Other Burrow Songs

### **Our Supporters Are The Best**

*Tune: Unknown*

Our supporters are the best...  
And we do our thing...  
When the lads take to the field...  
This is what we sing...  
South Sydney Rabbitohs we all love you...  
We'll always support and we'll follow you  
through

### **We've Won 20 Times**

*Tune: Sloop John B (Beach Boys)*

We won against Canterbury...  
Sea-eagles then the red V...  
In '67 and '71 it was home...  
We've won 20 times...  
We've won 20 tiiii-iiimes...  
Without changing our name...  
We've won 20 times

### **This Badge Is Your Badge**

*Tune: This Land is Your Land*

This badge is your badge...  
This badge is my badge...  
Since 1908...  
Oh what a fine badge...  
This badge is sacred...  
No one will take it...  
Off the shirt of South Sydney FC

### **Hando Said**

*Tune:*

And Hando said...  
Jump into bed with me...  
He wasn't having a laugh...  
We did it for South Sydney...

### **12 Russell Crowes**

*Tune: 12 Days of Christmas*

On the first day of Christmas my true love gave  
to me...  
A Peter Holmes a Court...  
On the second day of Christmas my true love  
game to me...  
2 Russell Crowe's and a Peter Holmes a Court  
On the third day of Christmas my true love gave  
to me...  
3 Russell Crowe's, 2 Russell Crowe's and a Peter  
Holmes a Court... (continue)

### **We Shall Not Be Moved**

*Tune: American Folk Song*

We shall not...  
We shall not be moved...  
We shall not...  
We shall not be moved...  
Not by the Saints, the Dogs or the Roosters..  
We shall not be moved

### **Have You Heard Of South Sydney?**

*Tune: Unknown*

Have you heard of the South Sydney Rabbitohs...  
Have you seen the red and green...  
Have you heard of the South Sydney Rabbitohs...  
They're the greatest football team...

For they have played in the north of England...  
They have played in the USA...  
But the greatest games in history...  
Were played out Redfern way...

For it's a home of famous heroes...  
And the stories that were told...  
Of Ronny Coote and Bob McCarthy...  
John Sattler and Mario...

And when my life is over...  
And death has left its mark...  
You can scatter all of my ashes...  
On the slopes of Redfern Park



## **We're Going To Win The League**

*Tune: For He's a Jolly Good Fellow*

We're going to win the league...  
We're going to win the league...  
And now you're gonna believe us...  
And now you're gonna believe us...  
And now you're gonna believe us...  
We're going to win the league

## **Stand Up for the Rabbitohs**

*Tune: Go West (Pet Shop Boys)*

Stand Up for the Rabbitohs...  
Stand Up for the Rabbitohs...  
Stand Up for the Rabbitohs...  
Stand Up for the Rabbitohs

## **The Epic**

*Tune: Botany Bay*

South Sydney's the team we all follow...  
The Pride of the league is our name...  
Come down, join the crew from the Burrow...  
We'll travel to every game...

We sing all our songs with great passion...  
We'll sing in the snow, rain and sun...  
And wait till that special old Sunday...  
When the Rabbitohs gets 21...

Oh if I was to see that great Sunday...  
When premiership glory comes by...  
To see the red and green reign champions...  
I'll sing all night long till sunrise...  
So all my South Sydney fanatics...  
Let's all sing this song till that day...  
And when it comes round we'll all drink again...  
Singing 'glory to Souths' all the way...

Singing too-rall, li-oo-rall, li-ad-di-ty...  
Singing too-rall, li-oo-rall, li-ay...  
Singing too-rall, li-oo-rall, li-ad-di-ty...  
We're bound for Homebush Bay

## **Maximus in the Stand**

*Tune: Knick Knack Paddy Wack*

Maximus in the Stand...  
If you hear us clap your hands...  
With a knick knack paddy wack...  
Give a dog a bone...  
Help us bring South Sydney home...

## **ANTI-DRAGONS SONGS**

### **St George Illawarra Franchise**

*Tune: Flintstones*

St George Illawarra, they're a tender loving family  
From the, town of Dapto  
They sold away their history

Records, they are all just in the past  
Trophies, they just sit and gather dust  
St George Illawarra, they're a Super League franchisee...  
FRANCHISEE! FRANCHISEE!

RUPERT MURCDOCHS – DRAGON ARMY!  
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### **1 Premiership**

*Tune: Oh Christmas Tree*

1 premiership, 1 premiership...  
The Dragons have 1 premiership...  
You merged away your history...  
19 behind SSFC...



## The Burrow's Players songs

### Super Johnny Sutton

Tune: B I N G O

Super...  
Super John  
Super...  
Super John  
Super...  
Super John  
Super Johnny Sutton

### Ohh Eddy Eddy

Tune: Son of My Father (Chicory Tip)

Ohh Eddy Eddy...  
Eddy Eddy Eddy Eddy Pettybourne...  
Ohh Eddy Eddy....  
Eddy Eddy Eddy Eddy Pettybourne

### We Drink A Drink A Drink

Tune: Lily the Pink

Ohhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhh....  
We drink a drink a drink...  
To Sutton the King the King the King...  
He's the wizard of our football team...  
He's the greatest...  
Ever 5/8<sup>th</sup>...  
That the world has ever seen

### Issac Luke Is A Tough Kiwi

Tune:

Issac Luke is a tough Kiwi...  
He's not much bigger than a bonsai tree...  
Try and run at him and you will see...  
You'll never ever ever beat...Issac

### Danny Glover's Son

Tune: Knick Knack Paddy Wack

That old man...  
In the one...  
Rhys is Danny Glover's son...  
With a knick knack paddy wack...  
He doesn't need a comb...  
Lethal Weapon bring us home...

### Run Nathan Merritt

Tune: Kookaburra Sits in the Old Gumtree

Ohhh Nathan Merritt runs like a Ferrari...  
Has got a side step like the letter Z...  
Run Nathan Merritt...  
Run Nathan Merritt...  
Fast as hell is he

### We All Agree

Tune: Cielito Lindo

We all agree...  
Roy Asotasi is magic  
We all agree...

### Roy Asotasi is magic

### 99 cent Beau Falloons

Tune: 99 Luft Balloons

99 cent Beau Falloons...  
Na na na na na na na na na....  
99 cent Beau Falloons...  
Na na na na na na na na na...

### Luke Stuart

Tune: Unknown (at this stage)

He hurts, he maims  
He's got two first names  
Luke Stuart, Luke Stuart  
[repeat x 1]

### Dylan Dylan Farrell

Tune: La Bumba

Dylan Dylan Farrell  
Dylan Dylan Farrell  
Is so much better than Shaun Kenny Dow-well  
Dylan Farrell, Dylan Farrell



## The Burrow's Anti-Roosters Songs

### Stand Up for the Rabbitohs

*Tune: Go West (Pet Shop Boys)*

Stand Up, if you hate Roosters, stand up  
If you hate Roosters, stand up,  
If you have Roosters stand up..  
*[repeat while standing and clapping]*

### Cheer Up

*Tune: Daydream Believer*

Cheer up Braith Anasta...  
Oh what can it mean...  
To a...South Sydney junior...  
In a...Shit football team

### 12 Men Went To Bed

*Tune: One Man Went to Mow a Meadow*

One man went to bed...  
Went to bed with Anasta...  
One man and his mobile phone...  
Went to bed with Anasta...  
Two men went to bed...  
Went to bed with Anasta...  
Two men, one man and his mobile phone...  
Went to bed with Anasta...  
Three men went to bed...  
Went to bed with Anasta...  
Three men, two men, one man and his mobile  
phone...  
Went to bed with Anasta... (continue)

### We Hate Roosters

*Tune:*

We hate Roosters oh we hate Roosters...  
We hate Roosters oh we hate Roosters...  
We hate Roosters oh we hate Roosters...  
We are the Rooster haters!  
(can be sung for multiple teams)

### ChimChimenee

*Tune: Mary Poppins Song*

ChimChimenee...  
ChimChimenee...  
Chimchimchere...  
We are the famous South Sydney FC...  
Chimchimenee...  
Chimchimenee...  
Chimchimcherue...  
We hate the scum in the red, white and blue

### Still Hate The Roosters

*Tune: Guantanamera*

Still hate the Roosters...  
You know we still hate the Roosters...  
Still hate the Roosters...  
You know we still hate the Roosters  
(can be sung for multiple teams)

### In Your Double Bay Slums

*Tune:*

In your Double Bay slums...  
In your Double Bay slums...  
You drive a Vitara and think it's a Jeep...  
You wont pay a toll 'cause you're too bloody  
cheap...

In your Double Bay slums...  
In your Double Bay slums...  
You live in a shoe box 900 a week...  
You drink Bondi Blonde 'cause you think its  
boutique...

### Oh I'd rather be a Rabbit than a Cock

*Tune: She'll Be Comin' Round the Mountain*

Oh I'd rather be a Rabbit than a Cock...  
Oh I'd rather be a Rabbit than a Cock...  
Oh I'd rather be a Rabbit...  
Oh I'd rather be a Rabbit...  
Oh I'd rather be a Rabbit than a Cock...



## Anti-Roosters songs cont.

### **The Roosters Family**

*Tune: The Addams Family*

Their Sisters are their Mothers...  
Their Fathers are their Brothers...  
They like to shag each other...  
The Roosters family...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...

Their ground is a museum..  
Nobody goes to see 'em...  
You wouldn't wanna be 'em...  
The Roosters Family...

Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...

Their diseases are contagious...  
Their smell is quite outrageous...  
They haven't washed for ages...  
The Roosters family...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da...  
Da-da-da-da... (sung for multiple teams)

### **Away In A Manger**

*Tune: Away in a Manger*

Away in a manger...  
No crib for a bed...  
The little lord Jesus said...  
'We hate Roosters, we hate Roosters, we hate  
Roosters, we hate Roosters'

### **I'll Always Travel**

*Tune: I Still Call Australia Home*

I'll always travel to support my team...  
From Brisbane to Melbourne to follow my  
dream...  
But no matter how far and how wide I roam...  
I still call the Roosters scum

### **Mark Riddell Ate My Pie**

*Tune: H A P P Y*

Mark Riddell ate my pie.  
Mark Riddell ate my pie,  
I know he did, I'm sure he did,  
Mark Riddell ate my pie.

### **Shit in the hallway**

*Tune: Guantanamera*

Shit in the hallway,  
You only shit in the halllllwayyyy,  
You only shit in the hallway  
(Repeat)