

# WOMEN'S RUGBY DEVELOPMENT LAKAPI SAMOA

Edition 2 22nd June 2021

## LAST MONTH RECAP

Get into Rugby/Quickrip Festival **PALAULI DISTRICT** 

26 May 2021



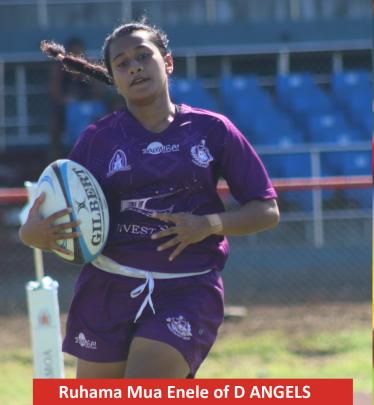
## **Junior Lakapi Championships**

LAUNCHED #EqualPlayingField 26 May 2021

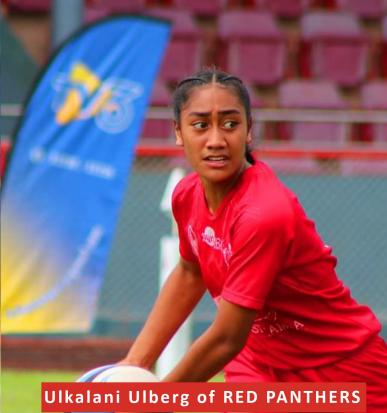
A historical event that provide opportunities for our emerging athletes to be trained and played in the high performance level.







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#### FEATURED TEAMS

Tuasivi College in the red jersey taking on the field against Falealili College.



Palauli i Sisifo College won the Schools Rugby 7s Championships for the very first time



Schools Rugby Championships I 12 MAY 2021 | Lakapi Samoa High Performance Unit

## FEATURED COACH

Tiana Tooa Travis



28 years old.
Head Coach/Manager
Vainuu, Mulifanua
Women's Team

Started playing rugby in 2009 in the Satapuala Rugby Club Played for Manusina for

4 years.

14 years old. Tepatasi Rugby Club

MVP- Aleipata Rugby Union 15s Season 2021

### FEATURED PLAYER

Maysell Faatalaala



Tiana ended her playing career after the Manusina camapaign in the Oceania 7s in 2018. Her injury didn't stop her from contributing to the sport she love She recruited the first ever women's club team from Mulifanua and started her coaching career in 2019." My injury gave me another opporunity to give back to the sport I love. It is very challenging but I enjoy coaching the young girls and wome of my village"

"Playing rugby helps me gain my confident, in whatever I do in school and in my family". Valasi started playing through the Get Into Rugby introductory program when she was 9 years old.