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WAYNE PEARCE

JUNIOR Pearce was a man ahead of his time. Worked on his fitness and monitored his diet as meticulously as any current player, but did it a good decade before the game went full-time professional. Ironically, for a man who looked after his body so well, Pearce was controversially ruled out of the 1986 Kangaroo tour with a knee injury, despite claiming he was right to go. A hero to the Leichhardt faithful, Pearce was a classical defender and powerhouse ball-runner.

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CLUB FOOTY

Balmain 1980-90, 192 games, 33 tries.

REP FOOTY

2 games for City Seconds,
4 games for City Firsts, 2 games for
City Origin; 15 Origins for NSW
1983-88, 3 tries; 16 Tests, 1 World Cup
game, 12 tour games and 1 game v Rest
of the World for Australia 1982-88,
8 tries; 1 game for Oceania v Europe
1984.

GRAND TOTAL: 245 games, 45 tries.

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