

CARDIFF RUGBY CLUB CENTENARY YEAR



CARDIFF v HARLEQUINS

MONDAY, 11th APRIL, 1977

KICK OFF 3 p.m.

Official Programme 10p

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Once again we extend a hearty welcome to this famous club who come to the Arms Park on their now traditional Easter Monday fixture which started way back in season 1881/82. It would not tax anyone's memory to name the famous internationals who have represented this club, who throughout the years have epitomised the best that open Rugby can offer. Alas space does not allow.

It is opportune, however, to remind the Cardiff followers that our heaviest defeat of last season was brought about at Twickenham 32-19 by the Harlequins, who played magnificent Rugby on this occasion.

On looking through Danny Davies' detailed history of these fixtures it is amazing to note that the Harlequins have won at Cardiff on nine occasions out of a total of 17 wins overall.

It has been said during the last decade that the Harlequins are at a disadvantage by playing Cardiff at the end of the Easter Tour, but the above statistics seem to prove otherwise.

Cardiff have on several occasions in their Centenary Year worn the 'Harlequin type' jersey of squares rather than hoops thus reverting back to the original Cardiff kit. Discussions are now taking place as to whether Cardiff should make it a permanent change. What do you think?

D.M.J. (the poor man's Dai Hayward)

KNOW THE LAWS

By FRED CROSTER

Did you have a go at Saturday's quiz? I hope so, and look forward to giving that pint for the first all correct. Here are the answers:

1. The Cup. If a draw after full time, the result would be decided as follows:
 - (a) the greater number of tries
 - (b) the number of goals (converted tries)
 - (c) extra time of 10 minutes each way

- (d) if still a draw — goal kicking. 5 kicks each from the 22m. line or behind by different players
- (e) goal kicking continued with different kickers and then
- (f) if still a draw each team will hold the Cup for six months each.

Let's hope it doesn't happen. I allowed THREE answers for this lot, so:

4. For the definition of a 'tackle' to apply, the player carrying the ball must be held so that, while he is so held, the ball touches the ground, or, if he is on his feet, he is unable to free himself without delay and he cannot play the ball without releasing it.
5. 'Accidental' offside! Unless the infringing team gain an advantage, the referee should allow play to proceed.
6. If an offside player is within 10m. of a player waiting to play the ball he MUST retire IMMEDIATELY, without attempting to interfere with play in order not to be penalised for 'offside'.
7. The 'offside' line in a 'Ruck' is the hindmost foot of the rearmost player of his own side in the 'Ruck'.
8. For a 'Maul' to become a 'Ruck' the ball must be on the ground between the players involved.
9. If a player blatantly held back on his way to score a certain try then shakes off the defence and goes on to score the conversion must take place from in front of the posts.
10. The body responsible for the changes in the laws of our game is the International Board, with Hermas Evans and Ken Harris the Welsh Union delegates.

How did you get on? Not too bad were they?

Wednesday, 20th April: **CARDIFF v. SWANSEA** 7.15 p.m.
Saturday, 23rd April: **CARDIFF v. SYDNEY** 3 p.m.
Saturday, 30th April: **W.R.U. CUP FINAL (National Stadium)**
CARDIFF v. NEWPORT 3 p.m.

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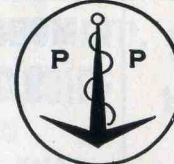
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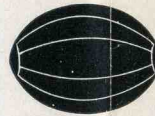
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13. P. EVANS	Right Centre
12. P. BOLLAND	Left Centre
11. C. CAMILLERI	Left Wing
10. J. O'BRIEN	Outside Half
9. T. HOLMES	Inside Half
1. G. WALLACE	Forwards
2. M. WATKINS	
3. B. NELMES	
4. P. RAWLINS	
5. C. SMITH	
6. R. DUDLEY-JONES	
8. T. CHARLES	
7. S. LANE	
J. DAVIES	
M. McJENNETT	



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Harlequins

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D. A. COOKE	13.
P. J. GRANT	12.
G. E. WOOD	11.
G. E. GILBERT	10.
S. WINSHIP	9.
P. SAPSFORD	1.
D. M. BARRY	2.
J. N. WHIPP	3.
N. O. MARTIN (Captain)	4.
P. JACKSON	5.
P. B. SIMMONS	6.
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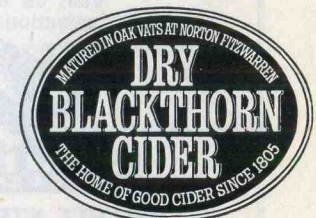
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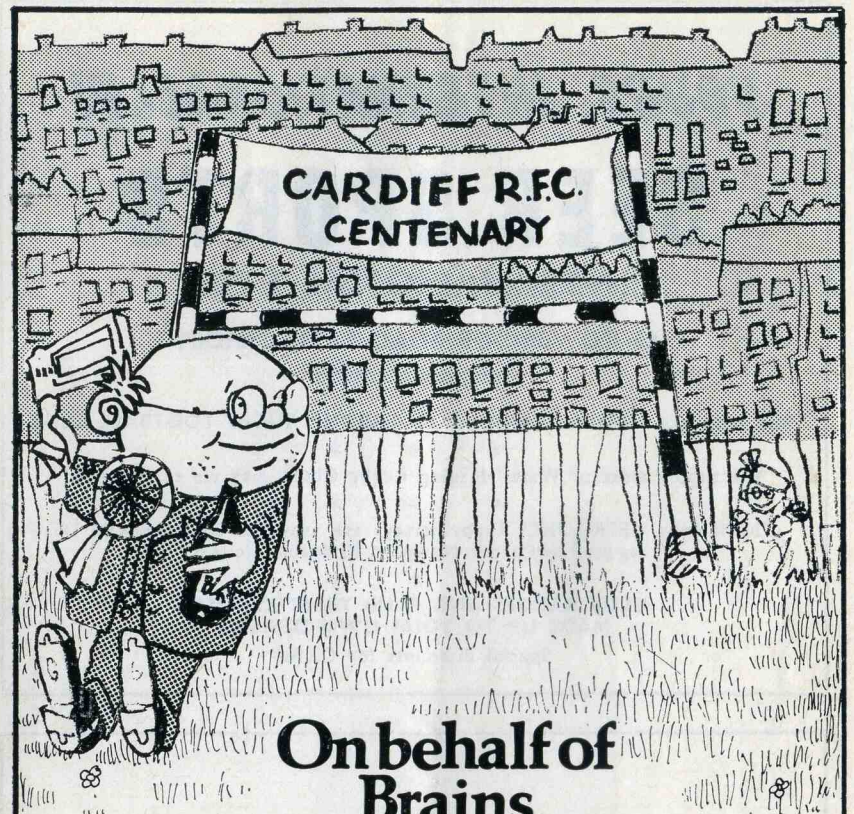
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1976			
SEPTEMBER			
Wed.	1	Llandaff	H 40-3
Sat.	4	Sevens Tournament	H.....
Wed.	8	Bristol	A 24-3
Sat.	11	Wolfhounds XV	H 9-20
Wed.	15	Penarth	H 62-15
Sat.	18	Coventry	H 25-12
Wed.	22		
Sat.	25	Overseas International XV*	H 24-13
Wed.	29	Aberavon	A 10-14
OCTOBER			
Sat.	2	Argentine	H 25-29
Sat.	9	Northampton	A 20-16
Wed.	13	Bristol	H 26-0
Sat.	16	Cambridge Un. (am)	H 15-6
Wed.	20	Bridgend	A 29-11
Sat.	23	Harlequins	A 29-11
Wed.	27	Neath	A 13-19
Sat.	30	Italy*	H 54-22
NOVEMBER			
Wed.	3	Pontypool	A 4-15
Sat.	6	Oxford University	H 50-16
Sat.	13	Ebbw Vale	H 25-7
Sat.	20	Aberaman (Cup)	H 54-3
Sat.	27	Llanelli	H 4-17
DECEMBER			
Sat.	4	Swansea	A 28-13
Wed.	8	Newport	H 14-12
Sat.	11	Moseley	H 24-18
Sat.	18	Cardiff Coll. (Cup)	H 42-16
Mon.	27	Crawshays XV	H 40-16
1977			
JANUARY			
Mon.	3	Pontypool	H P
Sat.	8	Llanelli (Cup)	H 25-15
Sat.	22	Neath	H 18-9
Sat.	29	Aberavon	H 28-10
FEBRUARY			
Sat.	5	Coventry	A 22-17
Sat.	12	Pontypridd	H 9-12
Wed.	16	Llanelli	A 19-24
Sat.	19	Ebbw Vale	A 0-28
Sat.	26	Pontypool (Cup)	A 10-10
MARCH			
Fri.	4	London Welsh	H.....
Sat.	12	Munster	H.....
Wed.	23	Bridgend	H.....
Sat.	26	Newport	A.....
APRIL			
Sat.	2	Gloucester	A.....
Sat.	9	Barbarians	H.....
Mon.	11	Harlequins	H.....
Sat.	16		
Wed.	20	Swansea	H.....
Sat.	23	Sydney*	H.....
Sat.	30	W.R.U. Cup	
MAY/JUNE Tour to Canada			



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