

Official Programme

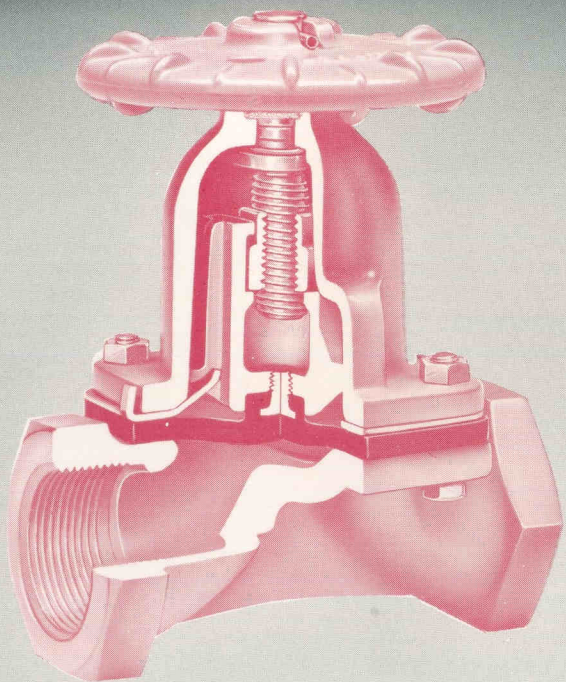
Pontypool Park
Pontypool Rugby Football Club



SAUNDERS

SAUNDERS

VALVES WORLDWIDE



Saunders, the world's largest
Diaphragm Valve manufacturer
just down the road from
Pontypool R.F.C., the world's finest
Rugby Football Club

 **SAUNDERS VALVE COMPANY LIMITED**

makers of Diaphragm, Ball and Butterfly Valves,
Cwmbran, Gwent. Tel. 06333 2044. Telex. 49141

6075

PONTYPOOL PARK

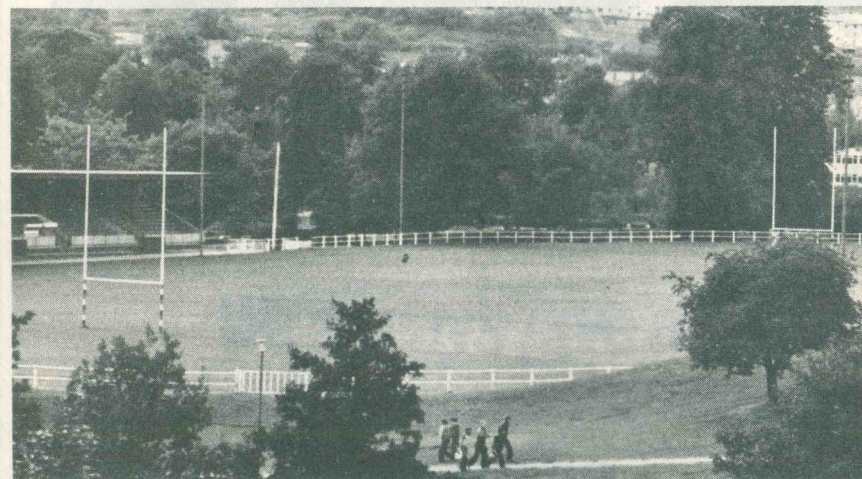
CARDIFF

versus

PONTYPOOL

SATURDAY, 13th JANUARY, 1979

A WARM WELCOME TO PONTYPOOL PARK



Once again we extend a warm welcome to our Cardiff visitors for what now seems to have become an annual Schweppes W.R.U. Cup-tie! This, of course, is the third successive season for our two clubs to meet in the competition and the fourth time in all, the other occasion being in January, 1972, when Cardiff also won.

Cardiff's two previous victories in this season's competition were against Whitland (65pts - 6) and Crumlin (12pts - nil) both at Arms Park. Pontypool's path to the third round being a hard earned 8pts to 3 victory at Cowbridge and a good 34pts to 12 triumph at Pontardulais.

Our visitors today are without two men whose presence had a considerable bearing on the outcome of the last two Cup encounters. I refer, of course, to Gerald Davies and Gareth Edwards. But Barry Nelmes' men have international half-backs Gareth Davies and Terry Holmes to help spearhead their cause. Behind these two, centres Pat Daniels and Mike Murphy could well be the men that the Welsh selectors will turn to in the future. Speedy wing Chris Camilleri could also prove a danger man. Up front, Cardiff can field a strong front row consisting of Barry Nelmes, Alan Phillips and John Dixon and packing behind these is lineout expert Robert Norster. In the back row, Cardiff can select from England international John Scott, Bob Dudley-Jones, Carl Smith, Terry Charles and Stuart Lane.

For Pontypool, it is good to see talented centre Dave Williams back in action. He was certainly missed in his enforced absence.

GRAHAM HOWDEN



As any toothbrush buff will tell you, thoroughly-researched design features and high quality manufacture put the Sensodyne toothbrush range one-up on the competition. With straight handles, rounded contours, double-rounded nylon filaments and a range of brushes to meet the specific needs of patients, Sensodyne toothbrushes can hold their own in any company.

Sensodyne Plaque Remover
a general-purpose toothbrush for adults.

Sensodyne Gentle
for patients with dental hypersensitivity and for post-surgical use by periodontal patients.

Sensodyne Junior
shorter filament length, small head and easy-grip handle make this the brush of choice for children.



Sensodyne Toothbrushes

better designed to fight plaque and tooth decay

If you'd like more information or a sample, write to
Stafford-Miller Ltd., Professional Relations Division, Hatfield, Herts.



**We always give a
matchwinning performance
as well.**

We're the principal stockholders for aluminium, stainless steel and yellow metals in Wales.

And whatever you order from us, we deliver as promised.

Today, however, we're sponsoring the matchball.

Next week, we'd like to give a matchwinning performance of our own.

Telephone Bridgend 55981.

Alcan Metal Centres

Consider it delivered.

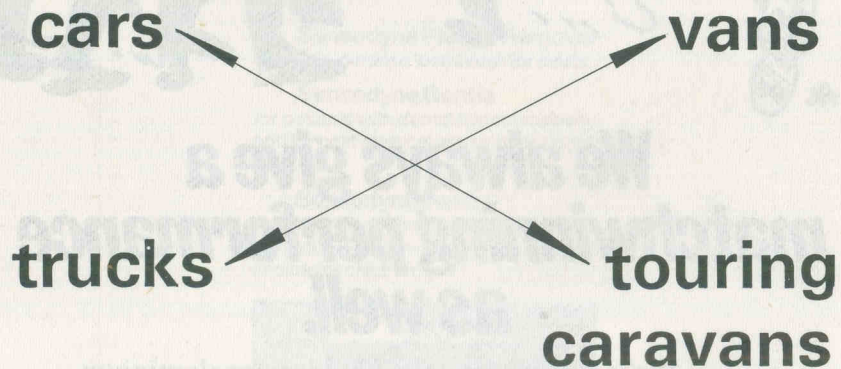


SELF DRIVE HIRE FROM:-

Van Truck Rentals Ltd.
"Autopia"
Llantarnam Road
Cwmbran Gwent

phone Noel Williams or Wyn Davies
at Cwmbran 68612 / 68804

Hours: Monday to Friday 8.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday 8.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.



also 24 hour Express Delivery Service

STOP PRESS :- Why not hire a car
plus caravan for your holiday?
Our rates are most competitive.

**make
a
splash!**



In a beautiful bathroom

Midnight - Flamingo - Jade - Marble - Autumn - Peony
- Avocado - Sun King. Colours to conjure with.
All beautifully displayed and available at

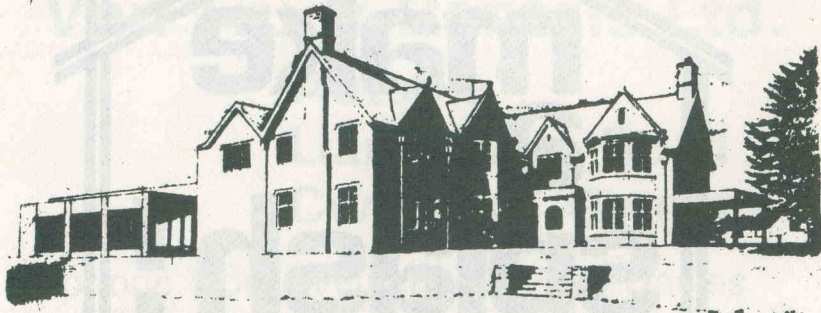
CLARENCE

Pontymoile Showrooms

Tel: Pontypool 3434

OF PONTYPOOL

THE MAES MANOR HOTEL
BLACKWOOD TELEPHONE 224551



FOR YOUR DINNER DANCES, SPECIALITY NIGHTS,
WEDDING RECEPTIONS, EXHIBITIONS,
CONFERENCES, OPEN AIR BARBECUES & MEETINGS.
NOT FORGETTING OUR EXCELLENT RESTAURANT
OPEN TO NON RESIDENTS.

Scotland v. Wales
EDINBURGH — SAT. 20 JAN., 1979

France v. Wales
PARIS — SAT. 17 FEB. 1979

Brochures from

COUSINS TRAVEL

26 ALBANY ROAD, CARDIFF
Tel. (0222) 23618

HEALEY & FOSTER
BUILDING CONTRACTORS

28 Rowan Way, Malpas, Newport

**Specialists in Plastering,
Brickwork and Joinery**

Free Estimates

Tel: NEWPORT 67626
67276



Capitol Coach Group
LIMITED

(OLDBURY ROAD - CWMBRAN)

**For ALL your Travel
Requirements**

QUOTATIONS GIVEN WITHOUT OBLIGATION

BRITISH AND CONTINENTAL TOURS

ARRANGED

Telephone :

CWMBRAN 2212

PONTYPOOL 2094, 3487

USK 2553

NEWPORT 59842

★ 4, 7, 12, 20, 29, 45 & 53 SEATERS ALWAYS AVAILABLE

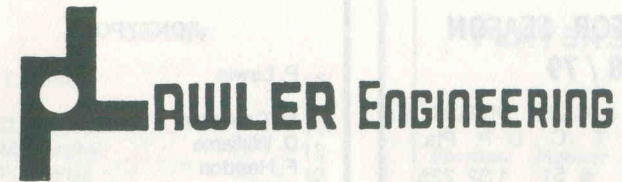
BRYAN WORRALL & Company Limited

MEMBERS OF THE BRITISH INSURANCE BROKERS ASSOCIATION

13, Clytha Park Road, Newport, Gwent, NPT 4PB. Telephone: (0633) 213333

ALL CLASSES OF INSURANCE ARRANGED

Also at CARDIFF and SWANSEA



KEMYS STREET, GRIFFITHSTOWN, PONTYPOOL

Phone : Pontypool 4660

- For the Production Factory we make Jigs and Fixtures.
- For the Foundries we make Dies.
- For Anyone we make Special Purpose Machines.
- For Builders and Householders we make Wrought Iron and Light Prefabrications.

CAN WE MAKE ANYTHING FOR YOU ?

NOEL TRIGG (Sports Equipment) LTD.

6 OSBORNE ROAD, PONTYPOOL, GWENT.

Tel.: Pontypool 57633

Suppliers to Pontypool R.F.C. and all Local Teams

Generous discounts to teams

Brands, Adidas, Patrick, Gola and all top brands

**WISHING TO TRAVEL ?
CONVENIENTLY AND IN COMFORT ?**

Telephone : PONTYPOOL 2944

Bob Truman

12 and 20 SEATER MINI COACHES
TAXI SERVICE - DAY or NIGHT

**Celebration Evening out
Small Parties : for Social or Sporting Events
Weddings a Speciality**

WE SUIT YOUR REQUIREMENTS

SCORERS FOR SEASON 1978 / 79

	A	T	C	D	P	Pts.
P. Lewis	22	6	51	1	32	225
T. Lee	22	10	10		1	63
G. White	15	14				56
G. Davies	20	14				56
P. Crabtree	10	7		3		37
D. Williams	12	8				32
T. Cobner	20	8				32
J. Squire	17	7				28
N. Probert	11	6				24
G. Price	20	5				20
G. John	10	4				16
I. Evans	6	3				12
R. Windsor	13	3				12
S. Sutton	22	3				12
B. Gregory	16	3				12
A. Morgan	4	3				12
Staff Jones	12	2				8
C. Huish	5	2				8
M. Richards	6	1	1			6
Jim Young	1	1				4
John Young	5	1				4
P. Clark	1	1				4
M. Parry	14	1				4
T. Edwards	2	1				4
E. Butler	4	1				4
	115	62	4	33	695	

PONTYPOOL

P. Lewis	15
M. Cashman	14
D. Williams	13
F. Headon	12
G. White	11
P. Crabtree	10
J. Robbie	9
A. Faulkner	1
R. Windsor	2
G. Price	3
J. Perkins	4
S. Sutton	5
J. Squire	6
E. Butler	8
T. Cobner (Capt.)	7

Replacements:

Ivor Taylor	M. Parry
T. Lee	Staff Jones
S. Jones	B. Gregory



Referee: Winston Jones, Ammanford

Next Home Match: Newbridge, 5th February, 1979

CARDIFF

T. Davies	15
D. Preece	14
M. Murphy	13
P. Daniels	12
C. Camilleri	11
G. Davies	10
T. Holmes	9
B. Nelmes (Capt.)	1
A. Phillips	2
J. Dixon	3
P. Rawlings	4
R. Norster	5
T. Charles	6
J. Scott	8
S. Lane	7

Replacements:

P. Elliot	H. Davies
D. Thomas	D. Llewellyn
L. O'Brien	C. Smith

PLAYER'S PROFILE

ROBERT WILLIAM WINDSOR

Position: Hooker

Height: 5 ft. 9 ins.

Weight: 15 st. 6 lbs.

Honours:

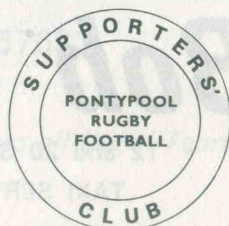
British Lions, Wales 'B', Wales, Barbarians, Monmouthshire, Crawshaw's XV.

Playing background:

Whilst a pupil at Brynglas Secondary School, Bob played for the Newport Schools team. After leaving school, he joined Newport Saracens before moving on to Cross Keys whom he captained. He joined Pontypool in season 1973/74, but he made his debut the previous season against Newbridge on 14th April, 1973, as a light head prop. He scored Pontypool's only try that day and also played against Swansea in the following game. Bob recently played his 150th game for Pontypool, and he has scored over 50 tries for the club. Made his international debut against Australia in 1973 and scored a try in that game, and has since made 25 consecutive appearances. Toured with the Lions in South Africa in 1974, playing in all four tests, and also toured New Zealand in 1977 and played in the first Test. Bob has also toured Canada, Japan and Australia with Wales.

Family background:

Bob was born at Newport, is married with three children, and now lives at Bettws. He is employed as a sales representative for Protect U Limited and his interests outside rugby include baseball.



PONTYPOOL SUPPORTERS' CLUB

CORONA SOFT DRINKS

JOINTLY DONATE A PRACTICE
BALL TO THE LUCKY
PROGRAMME HOLDER



LUCKY NUMBER WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT HALF TIME

PONTYPOOL GLAZING

*Wish every success to
Pontypool R.F.C. during
the Season*

—:—

Call and see us for ALL
your Glass, Patterned and
Clear in stock, cut to size.

DOMESTIC & COMMERCIAL
GLAZIERS

FREE ESTIMATES for —

Aluminium Replacement
Windows, Patio Doors,
Domestic Doors and
Double Glazing.

**20 Clarence Street,
PONTYPOOL**

Tel.: Pontypool 4445

Give us a TRY
and we will CONVERT you.

Washer and Vacuum Cleaner
Repairs and Spares.

PEARSON'S

**34 George Street
PONTYPOOL**

Telephone : 3650

New and reconditioned machines
and vacs. at the right price.

T. J. DAVIES Blaenavon Ltd.

BUILDERS CONTRACTORS
REGISTERED PLUMBERS

VICTORIA WORKS,
ABERSYCHAN

For
REFRESHMENTS
after the Match visit

*

Sidoli's

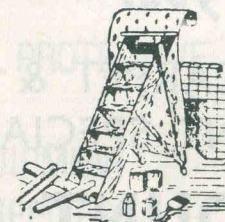
CRANE STREET
PONTYPOOL

*

High-Class Fish Teas and
Suppers — also
Fish & Chips to take Home

D. G. Davies

DECORATOR



- INTERIOR and EXTERIOR DECORATOR
- COMMERCIAL RE-DECORATION
- MULTI-COLOUR SPECIALIST

51 BRYN HEULOG
SUNNYBANK ESTATE, GRIFFITHSTOWN
PONTYPOOL, GWENT. NP4 5SU

TELEPHONE :
PONTYPOOL 3821

PONTYPOOL (WHOLESAVE) WAREHOUSE LTD.

Clarence House, Clarence Street, Pontypool
Tel. Pontypool 4825

your

FURNITURE, CARPET & KITCHEN
EQUIPMENT SPECIALISTS

At DISCOUNT Prices

ALL GOODS ARE SUPPLIED BY LEADING
MANUFACTURER'S AND ARE PERFECT —
NO SECONDS

CARPET MEASURING & ESTIMATING FREE
& WITHOUT OBLIGATION, BY EXPERTS

CARPET FITTING OUR SPECIALITY

DRIVE TO THE DOOR — AMPLE FREE CAR PARKING

CREDIT TERMS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS
READILY AVAILABLE

Open Monday to Saturday 9.0 a.m. to 6.0 p.m.

Friday to 8.0 p.m. — Half-Day Thursday

LET US PROTECT-U

WITH
INDUSTRIAL PROTECTIVE
CLOTHING
SAFETY EQUIPMENT
HYGIENE SUPPLIES
LUBRICANTS



PROTECT-U
LTD.
Sterling Works
Station Approach
Penarth . S. Glam.
Telephone 0222 705115/8



Why not pay us a visit and see our selection of Jewellery which includes Rings, Watches, Silverware, etc.

also Ear Piercing by appointment

WATCH REPAIRS UNDERTAKEN ON PREMISES, Etc.

John Trenchard & Sons

55 WINDSOR ROAD, GRIFFITHSTOWN
PONTYPOOL, GWENT

Telephone: Pontypool 4370

Peake's Coach Tours

Home & Continental Travel

"WESLEY GARAGE", HANBURY ROAD,
PONTNEWYNYDD, PONTYPOOL

Telephone: Pontypool 3844

TIME WAITS FOR NO MAN
so don't get left behind - buy your watch from

G. BADMAN

AND CO. LTD.

Watchmakers & Jewellers 8 Gwent Square, Cwmbran
Tel. 2215

also at Coleford & Monmouth

OMEGA — TISSOT

alliance

CASH & CARRY

IN THE FRONT ROW FOR



**TOP QUALITY PRODUCTS,
BACKED BY LOW PRICES
AND SUPPORTED BY 1st CLASS
SERVICE**

*STRICTLY
BONA FIDE TRADE
CUSTOMERS ONLY-
GET IN TOUCH WITH*

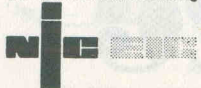
ALLIANCE CASH & CARRY

AT:-

Kingsway East Trading Estate,
Bridgend.
Tel. 0656 3209
Penarth Road West,
Cardiff.
Tel. 0222 30442

Kingsway,
Fforestfach Trading Estate,
Swansea. Tel. 0792 32781
Grange Industrial Estate,
Llanfrechfa Way, Cwmbran.
Tel. 06333 4444

National Inspection Council for
Electrical Installation Contracting



APPROVED CONTRACTOR

PONTYPOOL ELECTRICS

Proprietors : E. J. & B. M. Tippins

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS

Specialists in DOMESTIC AND INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATIONS

Contractors to the Borough of Torfaen

Estimates Free

"PENRHIW," FARM ROAD, PONTYPOOL
GWENT. NP4 5SA

Telephone : Pontypool 2828

READ THE

Free Press

for considered comment
on the

SPORT of the VALLEY

as well as the
General News of the District

The Man's Shop

Clothes' Suitable for all
Occasions

always available at

Williams & Jones
TAILORS' & OUTFITTERS

George St., Pontypool
Gwent

Mr.

Terry

OF
PONTYPOOL
AND
ABERGAVENNY

(MENSWEAR ONLY)

FOR THE LATEST IN MALE
& FEMALE FASHIONS

IF YOU **SKI** ON SNOW, PLASTIC OR GRASS
YOU SHOULD VISIT **Mr. Terry's**

ski shop WHERE WE
CARRY A COMPREHENSIVE RANGE OF
SKI EQUIPMENT

23 COMMERCIAL STREET, PONTYPOOL

TELEPHONE : 55745





G. & B. CHARLES

BUILDING CONTRACTORS

Registered House Builders

TELEPHONE:

PONTYPOOL 2290, 2138

CWMBRAN 3597

Allbright

a great bitter

FIXTURES

SEASON 1978 - 9

Date 1978	Opponents		Date 1979	Opponents	
Sept. 2	Bath	H	Jan. w 3	Pontypridd	H
9	Pontypool J.R.U	H	6	Penarth	A
WED. 13	Newport	H	13	Cup — 3rd Round	
16	Abertillery	H	27	Orrell	A
WED. 20	S.W. Police	A	Feb. M 5	Newbridge	H
23	Bridgend	A	10	Saracens	A
WED. 27	Blaenavon	H	19	Tredegar	H
30	Newbridge	A	24	Cup — 4th Round	
Oct. w 4	Gloucester	H	Mar. 3	Neath	H
7	Maesteg	H	WED. 7	Aberavon	H
14	Bedford	A	10	Cardiff	H
WED. 18	Ebbw Vale	H	MON. 19	Maesteg	A
21	Sale	A	24	Penarth	H
28	Oxford	H	WED. 28	Ebbw Vale	A
Nov. w 1	Cardiff	A	31	Bridgend	H
4	Neath	A	April 7	Abertillery	A
MON. 13	Cross Keys	H	FRI 13	Birmingham	H
18	Cup — 1st Round		14	Nuneaton	H
WED. 22	Pontypridd	A	MON. 16	Orrell	H
25	Aberavon	A	21	Newport	A
Dec. 2	Glamorgan Wanderers	H	WED. 25	Bristol	A
9	Nuneaton	A	MON. 30	Talywain	A
16	Cup — 2nd Round				
WED. 20	Cross Keys	A			
23	Glamorgan Wanderers	H			
30	S.W. Police	H			

Saturday Fixtures Kick-off 3.00 p.m.

Mid Week Fixtures Kick-off 7.00 p.m.

Hughes & Son Ltd., The Griffin Press, Pontypool, Gwent

Welsh Brewers



