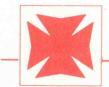
Vancouver Island Rugby Union



CRIMSON TIDE

OFFICIAL PROGRAM



VANCOUVER ISLAND RUGBY UNION Victoria, British Columbia

The 1985/86 rugby season is certainly going to be one of the most interesting in years for Vancouver Island rugby fans.

The Crimson Tide are the defending McKechnie Cup Champions and recent winners of the first Labatt's Classic, emblematic of the Canadian Inter-city Championship. In addition, we have very strong Under-23 and junior squads this year.

You can look forward to the inter-city union competition as well as visits from Sussex County, Cardiff RFC and Orrell RFC in the spring. Also currently under negotiation is a visit from Wellington Rugby Union of New Zealand in March 1986.

The representative teams committee, the coaches, and the players are dedicated to providing exciting winning rugby for Island fans this season.

Thank you for your support.

Les G. Underwood President VIRU



Crimson Tide vs Cardiff

Nanaimo, B.C. Wednesday, May 21st, 1986 at 6:30 p.m.

A WELCOME TO CARDIFF

CARDIFF RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

Founded in 1876 and bearing one of the most illustrious names in club rugby throughout the world, the Cardiff club can reflect upon the one hundred and ten years of playing the game with great pride. As the city of Cardiff developed industrially so the rugby club grew with it. Great names of Welsh rugby are a part of its history, names like Gwynne Nichols, Rhys Gabe, Percy Bush, then Danny Davies and Arthur Cornish, followed by Cliff Jones and Wilfred Weeler. In Post War years it has been men like Jack Mathews, Beddyn Williams, Cliff Morgan, Barry John, Gerald Davies, Gareth Edwards and Terry Holmes. Accompanying the Cardiff team to Canada will be another great name in Welsh and Cardiff teams, Gareth Davies. He played twenty times for Wales and scored thirty eight points in international games. In the recent Schweppes Cup semi-final against Glamorgan Wanderers Gareth scored all of Cardiff's twenty one points. He was again to the fore in the cup final when in an exciting game Cardiff overcame Newport to win the Schweppes Cup and once again give Cardiff the emblematic championship of Welsh rugby.

The principle purpose of the Cardiff club's visit is to participate in the centennial celebration of the James Bay Athletic Association, and to this end will be playing a centennial celebration game against the club on Saturday May 24th 1986 in Victoria. Many of the administrators and players will be renewing their aquaintance with Hans DeGoede, James Bay's captain, who played for the Cardiff club in the 1978-79 season.

In its own Centennial year Cardiff toured British Columbia. Many of us will recall the game between Cardiff and the Crimson Tide and look forward to a great game on this occasion.

We welcome the Cardiff Rugby Football Club to Vancouver Island, and trust this will be a memorable occasion for our friends from Wales and for all rugby people on the Island.

L.G.M.

CRIMSON TIDE

CARDIFF R.F.C.

(15)	I. HYDE-LAY (Cowichan)	Full Back	M. RAYER	(15)
()	14) 13) 12) 11)	P. MONOHAN (Oak Bay)* T. WOODS (JBAA)* I. STUART (Cowichan)* J. HAWTHORNE*	Right Wing Centre Centre Left Wing	G. CORDLE A. DONOVAN M. RING C. JONES	(14) (13) (12) (11)
	10) 9)	M. WYATT (UVIC)*† B. GREY (Oak Bay)	Stand Off Scrum Half	G. DAVIES N. O'BRIEN	(10) (9)
	1) 2) 3) 4) 5) 6) 7)	P. TONGE (Castaways) C. MacLAUGHLIN (Oak Bay)* T. ARTHURS (UVIC) M. HOLMES (UVIC) M. FELIX (Cowichan)* M. MOSS (Cowichan) R. SAMUELS (Castaways) T. SINCLAIR	Prop LH Hooker Prop TH Lock Lock Flanker Flanker No. 8	S. BLACKMORE A. PHILLIPS † C. COLLINS K. EDWARDS H. STONE O. GOLDING R. LAKIN T. CROTHERS	(1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8)
Replacements:			Replacements:		

- (16) M. CARDINAL R. McINNES* H. DEGOEDE*
- D. PARKER
- (20) O. WALSH

(21) M. McDOWELL (Cowichan)

Coach: J. Davis

Asst. Coach: D. Hyde-Lay

Referee: Alex Biddlecombe Touch Judges: David Horton Brian Staff

Coach: R. Beard Asst. Coach: P. Nyhan Manager: D. Hayward

(16) J. SOUTO

(18) P. REES

(17) **D. WRIGHT**

(19) M. PARRY

(20) M. HADLEY

Manager: Capt. J. Poole Physio: D. Devlin

Physician: Dr. Houston, Senior

† Captain

* Internationals

UPCOMING MATCHES

Tuesday, May 27th B.C. Under 23 XV vs Orrell 6:30 K.O. Cowichan

Saturday, May 31st Crimson Tide vs Orrell 2:30 K.O. Royal Athletic Park

Wednesday, June 4th Canada 'B' vs Japan 7:30 K.O. Royal Athletic Park



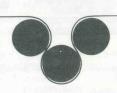
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Wishing the Tide success in the 85-86 season

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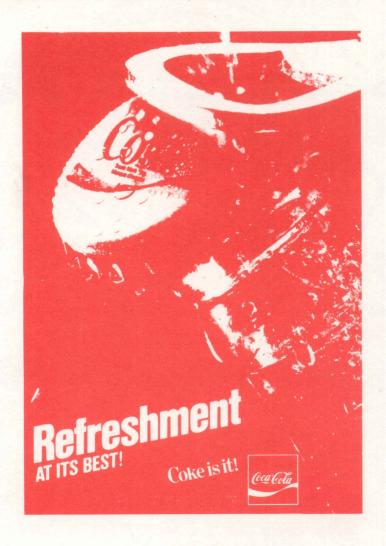
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Good Luck to the
Crimson Tide
in your 1986 season!



Pat Hallam of Chandlers,
Christian Gayfer of
the Saanich Keg and
Rene Briede of the Fort St. Keg
wish the Tide success
for the 85-86 season.
After the game or after practise
The Keg and Chandler's have
got it!

CHANDLERS



Good Luck to the
Crimson Tide this season.
Mr. Reg Mooney
&
The Staff of
Goodwill Bottling