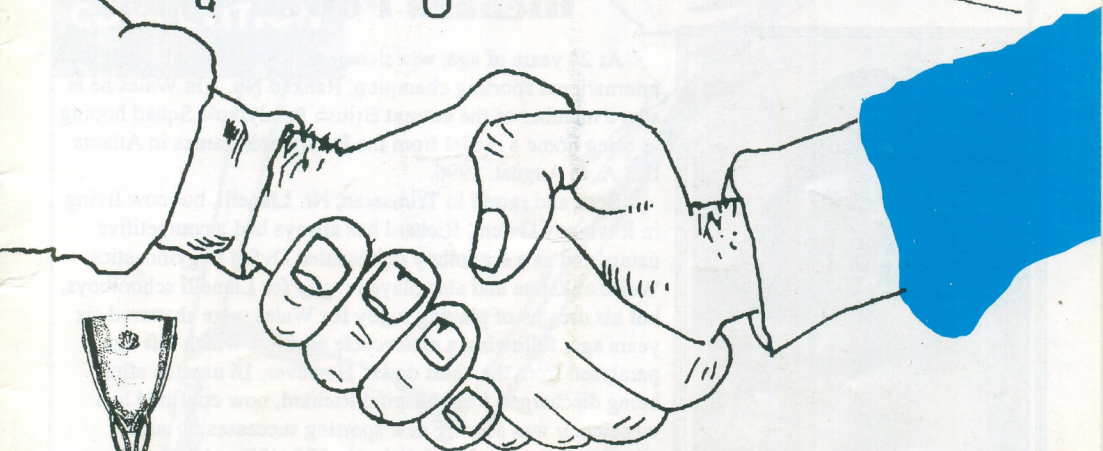
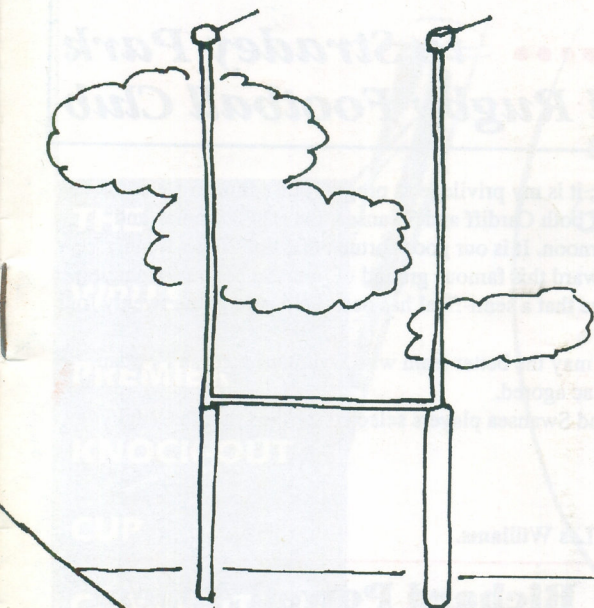




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Welcome..... to Stradey Park and Llanelli Rugby Football Club

On behalf of everyone at Llanelli R.F.C., it is my privilege as programme editor to welcome the management, players and supporters of both Cardiff and Swansea, the BBC cameras and everyone else to Stradey Park this afternoon. It is our good fortune that the Welsh Rugby Union organising committee have seen fit to award this famous ground of ours the honour of staging this cup semi-final encounter. It is the third time that a semi-final has been held here in the twenty four years of the relaunched cup competition.

I wish both clubs the very best of luck and may the better team win. Dymunaf y gorau i'r ddau glwb, a'r clod i'r tîm sy'n chwarae'n ymosodol ac agored.

Finally congratulations to all the Cardiff and Swansea players selected for next months Rugby World Cup.

Llongyfarchiadau a phob lwc i chi gyd.

Croeso cynnes i Lanelli.

Les Williams.

Richard Powell Appeal

At 24 years of age, wheelchair athlete Richard Powell is an international sporting champion. Ranked No. 1 in Wales he is also a member of the current British Paralympic Squad hoping to bring home a medal from the Paralympic games in Atlanta U.S.A. in August. 1996.

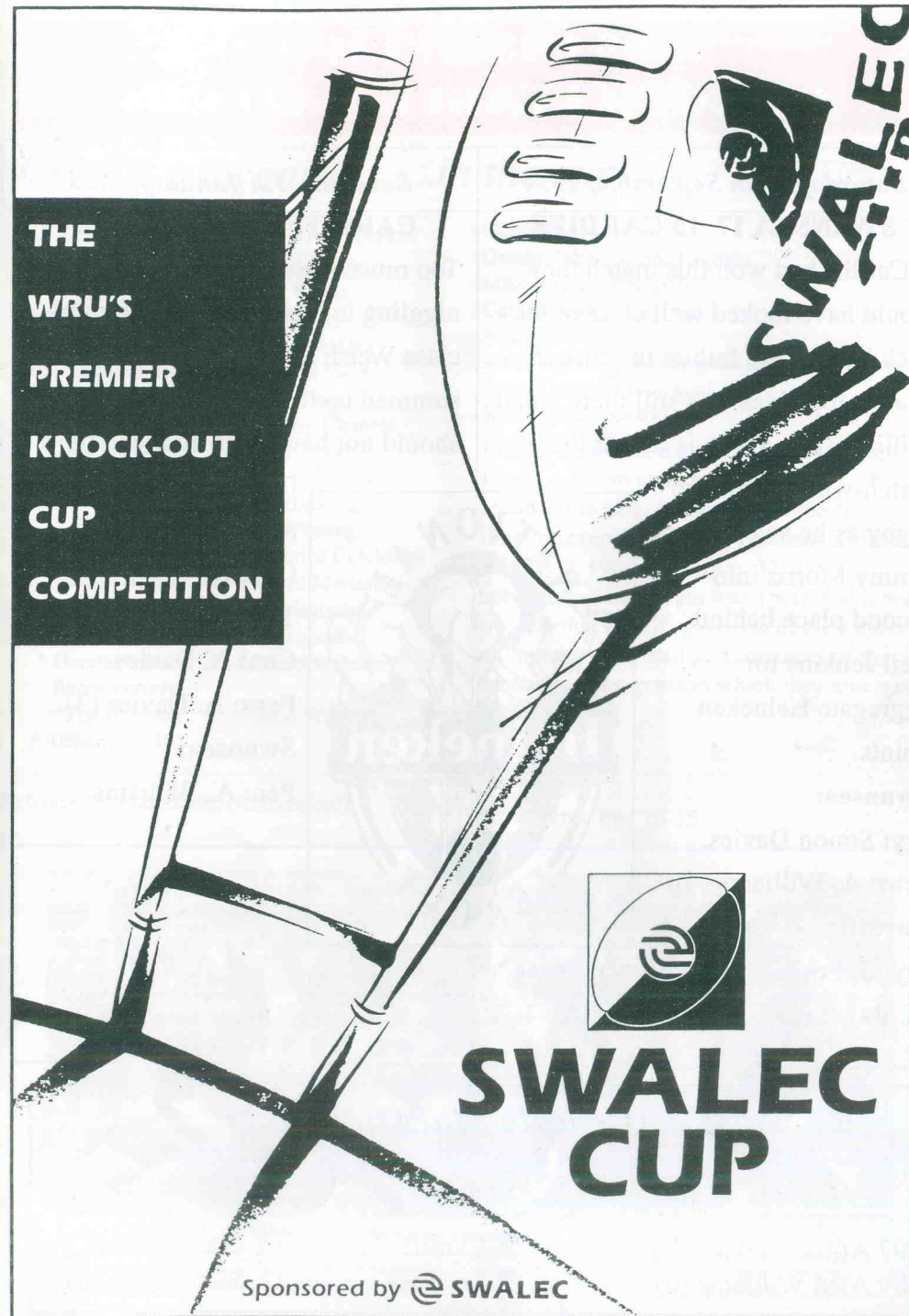
Born and raised in Trimsaran, Nr. Llanelli, but now living in Rhymney Gwent, Richard has always had a competitive nature and as a schoolboy represented Dyfed in gymnastics, Wales at karate and also played rugby for Llanelli schoolboys, but his dreams of playing rugby for Wales were shattered six years ago, following a motorcycle accident which left him paralysed from the chest down. However, 16 months after being discharged from hospital Richard, now confined to a wheelchair was scoring new sporting successes through wheelchair racing. Specialising in 800, 400 and 200 metre events (Richard is currently ranked 3rd in the world at 200 metres), the sport has taken him to many parts of the globe. Richard also competes at longer distances having won the Dublin marathon in 1994.

He made history by being the first disabled athlete to be a member of the abled bodied squad at the Commonwealth games at Victoria, Canada, August 1994 where he came 7th in the marathon.

To continue competing with the world's best, Richard is seeking to purchase the very latest racing chair which costs £2,300. Any donation you are able to give today would help this most dedicated athlete to achieve his ambition. Should you require further information, or perhaps be able to help arrange sponsorship, please contact::

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1994/95 REVIEW OF BOTH LEAGUE MATCHES

Saturday, 24th September, 1994

SWANSEA 17 13 CARDIFF

If Cardiff had won this match they would have looked well clear of the pack but the old failure to score tries against top sides was still there. Aled Williams proved he is one of the best match-winners in club rugby as he swept past Jimmy Morris into second place behind Neil Jenkins for aggregate Heineken points.

Swansea:

Try: Simon Davies.

Pens: A. Williams (4).

Cardiff:

Try: S. Ford. Con: M. Rayer. Pens:

M. Rayer (2)



Saturday, 7th January, 1995

CARDIFF 16 3 SWANSEA

Too much fighting and too much niggling in this poor advert for top-class Welsh rugby. The only try summed up the match - it probably should not have been awarded for a

forward pass to the reliable Steve Ford.

Cardiff:

Try: S. Ford.

Con: A. Davies.

Pens: A. Davies (3).

Swansea:

Pen: A. Williams.

League Statistics

Points	Team Tries	Individual Tries
207 Adrian Davies (C)	79 Cardiff	18 Steve Ford (C)
189 Aled Williams (S)	47 Swansea	11 Simon Hill (C)

The Last Meeting....

Cardiff v Swansea.....in the cup

TEAMS IN THE 1987 FINAL

Cardiff 16	- 15	Swansea
Michael Rayer	15	Mark Wyatt
Gerald Cordle	14	Mark Tittley
Alun Donovan	13	Kevin Hopkins
‡ Mark Ring	12	Malcolm Dacey
Adrian Hadley	11	Arthur Emyr
Geraint John	10	Anthony Clement
Chris Hutchings	9	Robert Jones
Jeff Whitefoot	1	Keith Colclough
Alan Phillips (c)	2	Paul Hitchings
Ian Eidman	3	David Young
Howard Stone	4	* Maurice Colclough
Robert Norster	5	Richard Moriarty (c)
Robert Lakin	6	Paul Moriarty
John Scott	8	John Thomas
* Gareth Roberts	7	Richard Webster
Replacements:		
* Tim Crothers		* John Williams
‡ Richard Cardus		

Cardiff:

Geraint John - 3 penalty goals

Mike Rayer - drop goal

Gerald Cordle - try

Swansea:

Mark Wyatt - 2 penalty goals and 1 conversion

Tony Clement - drop goal

Kevin Hopkins - try

For the first occasion the Schweppes Cup Final went into extra time before Cardiff retained the Cup, winning it for the fifth time in seven years at the National Ground on May 2, 1987, in front of 37,500 spectators. The margin was 16-15 and it was ironical that Cardiff gave one of their most unimpressive overall performances of the season in a big game in which they emerged winners.

Half time 9-3

Full time 9 - 9

After extra time 16-15

Referee: Winston Jones (Ammanford)



Cardiff, Cup winners in 1987 for the fifth time in seven years, Back row (left to right): W. Jones (referee), R. Beard (coach), J. Whitefoot, I. Eidman, M. Ring, R. Lakin, H. Stone, G. Roberts, R. Norster, J. Scott, T. Crothers, R. Cardus, C. Norling (touch judge), W. D. Bevan (touch judge), R. Ayres (physio). Front row: S. Blackmore, N. O'Brien, G. Cordle, M. Rayer, C. Hutchings, A. Donovan, A. J. Phillips (capt), G. John, A. Hadley, D. Evans, I. Greenslade.

M.R. HALL - Centre. Date of Birth: 13.10.65. 6ft 1in. 15st. 0lbs. International Record: 39 Caps
Michael Robert Hall has skippered Cardiff for the last three seasons and fought his way back into the Welsh squad after injury. Started his senior career with Maesteg and Bridgend and won Blues in 1987 and 1988 with Cambridge University. He scored a try hat-trick against Portugal at Lisbon in May, 1994 in a World Cup qualifier and notched two tries against Canada at Toronto. A broken wrist against Tonga finished his tour of the South Seas but he made a quick return to the Cardiff and Wales sides this season. He is a BSc (Hons) in Economics and a BA(Hons) in Land Economy and is a Chartered Surveyor. Mike will captain Wales in this years RWC

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C. JOHN - Outside Half/Centre. Date of Birth: 20.2.73. 6ft 2ins. 12st. International Record: Uncapped
Chris John is another versatile player who has appeared in three back line positions for Cardiff. Won caps for Welsh Schools Under-18, Wales Youth and Wales Under-19 as an outside-half and was in the Cardiff Youth team that won the Welsh Youth Cup at the National Ground in 1992. A student at Bristol University, he has seven Wales Under-21 caps.

S. FORD - Wing. Date of Birth: 16.8.65. 6ft. 0ins. 12st 7lbs. International Record: 8 Caps
Stephen Ford hails from a splendid Rumney family of rugby players that still support the local club, even though three of them have tasted success elsewhere. Older brother Phil turned professional and won 11 caps for Great Britain and appeared for Wales against France this year. Younger brother Edwin played first-class rugby at Pontypridd before breaking a leg. He has since returned to Rumney. Steve won the first of his eight caps against Ireland in 1990 and marked the occasion with a try. He is this seasons leading try scorer in the Heineken League. He is a self employed carpet fitter.

RWC 95

C. LAITY - Centre. Date of Birth: 19.6.65. 5ft. 10ins. 13st. 7lbs. International Record: Uncapped
Colin Laity was born and raised in Cornwall and represented the county in the English Championship final. He made three cup appearances for Neath in 1988, 1989 and 1990. Played for South and South West Divisional sides and England Students before opting to play for Wales on a residential qualification. He made his Wales B debut against France in 1988 and scored a try at the National Ground for the Barbarians against Australia in the same year. Captained the Welsh Colleges and South Glamorgan Institute and joined Cardiff three seasons ago. He is a teacher at Westbourne School, Penarth.

N. WALKER - Wing. Date of Birth: 15.6.63. 5ft. 11ins. 12st. 9lbs. International Record: 6 Caps
Nigel Walker only took up the sport again after a ten year lapse two seasons ago. In that short time he has won six caps and twice scored tries against France and one against England. After failing to win a Welsh Schools cap he turned his attentions to athletics and became a world class high hurdler. He won bronze medals at the 1987 World and European Indoor Championships over 60m hurdles and was a semi-finalist in the 100m hurdles at the 1984 Olympic Games. He reached two Commonwealth Games finals, finishing fourth and fifth, was fourth at the 1986 European Championships. He also ran at the 1987 World Championships and has a best 100m time of 10.35 secs. Notched a try hat-trick on his representative debut for Wales A in Holland.

A. DAVIES - Outside-Half. Date of Birth: 9.2.69. 5ft. 10ins. 12st. 10lbs. International Record: 6 Caps
Adrian Davies is one of the most talented all-round footballers in Wales. He set a Heineken League record of 264 points to steer Cardiff to second place. After skippering the Welsh Schools, Under-18 and Wales Under 19 teams he went to Cambridge University where he won three Blues. He also won a Blue at soccer, a sport in which he won a Welsh Schools Under 15 cap. Brothers Graham and Lloyd also played for Cambridge in the Varsity Match. Launched his senior career at Neath and picked up a Division One winner's medal with them in the inaugural season of league rugby.

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A. MOORE - Scrum-Half. Date of Birth: 6.9.68. 5ft. 10ins. 12st. 10lbs. International Record: Uncapped
Andrew Moore was voted Man-of-the-Match in last year's Cup Final victory over Llanelli. Played for the Welsh Schools Under-18 team in 1984 and went on to play for the Welsh Students and Welsh Development Squad. Scored the winning try for Oxford University in the 1990 Varsity match when he opposed Booth. Had one season with Bridgend before returning to Cardiff.

RWC 95

M. GRIFFITHS - Prop. Date of Birth: 18.3.62. 5ft. 11ins. 16st. 7lbs. International Record: 32 Caps
Michael Griffiths won the first seven of his caps from Bridgend, a club he joined from Ystrad Rhondda. Started life as a soccer player before turning to rugby and learning his front row trade under the expert eye of Ian Stephens. Joined Cardiff in 1989 and toured Australia with the British Lions the same year. Missed the whole of the 1993 Five Nations Campaign after breaking his shoulder in a mountain bike accident in Lanzarote. He is a self-employed builder.

RWC 95

J. HUMPHREYS - Hooker. Date of Birth: 27.2.69. 6ft. 0ins. 15st. 0lbs. International Record: Uncapped
Jonathan Humphreys is currently employed by Cardiff as one of their two rugby development officers, along with vice-captain Hemi Taylor. He studied at Cardiff Institute and the Polytechnic of Wales and won Wales Student caps against France, England and Scotland in 1992 and England in 1990. He also played in the Students World Cup in Italy in 1992.

RWC 95

L. MUSTOE - Prop. Date of Birth: 30.1.69. 5ft. 11ins. 15st. 0lbs. International Record: Uncapped
Lyndon Mustoe began his rugby at Chepstow Comprehensive School before joining the town side in the Monmouthshire Championship. It didn't take long for Pontypool to discover his talents and he joined them in 1990. He won honours for Wales at Youth, Under-19, 20 and 21 levels. Capped by Wales A against Holland and Ireland A and played again for the A team in four of their five victories last season. He is a bricklayer.

S. ROY - Lock. Born 25.12.68. 6ft. 6ins. 17st. 4lbs. International Record: Uncapped
Dr. Stuart Roy was a Christmas Day baby, born in Ely (Cambridgeshire, not Cardiff), but moved to Anglesey when very young. Educated at Menai Bridge and Bristol University (MB, ChB). Played for Bangor Youth and had one appearance for Neath. Welsh Schools cap, toured New Zealand with Wales Under-19 and represented Wales in the Students World Cup of 1988 and 1992 in France and Italy. Won two Under-21 caps and was on the replacements bench for Wales at Twickenham in 1992. A qualified medical practitioner.

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D. JONES - Lock. Date of Birth: 14.11.70. 6ft. 10ins. 18st.. 7lbs. International Record: 4 Caps
Derwyn Jones is one of the tallest men in Welsh rugby. He joined Cardiff after having played for both Llanelli and Northampton in 1992 whilst studying at Loughborough University. He began his first-class career with Neath and won Under-21 caps against Ireland in 1991 and Scotland in 1992. A debut for Wales A followed against North of England at Pontypool in October 1993 and last season he also played against Ireland A at Donnybrook and France A at Cardiff as well as helping Cardiff to win the Welsh Cup. He is a Police Officer with the Gwent Constabulary. He won his first full Welsh cap against South Africa on 26.11.94.

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H. T. TAYLOR - Flanker. Born 17.12.64. 6ft. 2ins. 14st. 7lbs. International Record: 10 Caps
Hemi Takatou Taylor was born in Morrinsville. New Zealand where he had a trial for the New Zealand Colts before appearing in provincial rugby for both Waikato and Wairarapa Bush. He moved to Wales in 1986 joining Newbridge and making his debut against Neath that year before playing in over a century of matches for the Gwent club. He transferred to Cardiff for the 1992-93 season. He was awarded his international cap against Portugal at Lisbon in the World Cup qualifier, in May 1994 soon after recovering from an appendicitis operation. He is a Rugby Development Officer for Cardiff RFC.

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O. WILLIAMS - Flanker. Date of Birth: 10.10.65. 6ft. 5ins. 15st. 7lbs. International Record: 1 Cap
Owain Williams is the younger of two brothers who have both played for Wales. Five times capped, Gareth also played in the back row, and was a replacement on the British Lions tour to South Africa. It was in Namibia ten years later that Owain earned his only cap to date as No. 8 in the 34-30 second test win in Windhoek. He did, however, go one better than his brother by scoring a debut try. Won a Welsh Schools Under-18 cap against Canada in 1983 before going to South Glamorgan Institute. Won Welsh Students caps against France and England in 1986 and 1987. First came to prominence on the senior scene at Glamorgan Wanderers before joining Bridgend. Figured in the 1990 cup final for Bridgend when they lost to Neath. Joined Cardiff two seasons ago. He is a TV designer.

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E. W. LEWIS - No. 8. Born 29.8.68. 6ft. 4ins. 16st. 8lbs. International Record: 34 Caps
Emyr Wyn Lewis gained fourteen caps as a blind side flanker before having a spell at No. 8. His two-try performance at Windhoek in the final test against Zimbabwe in 1993 was perhaps his best test display and he followed with an outstanding match against the South African Barbarians. He was the Player-of-the-Year in Wales in 1992 and was in the Llanelli side that defeated Australia that year. Educated at Ysgol y Dderwen and Ysgol Bro Myrddin, he appeared for Carmarthen Athletic Youth before making his Scarlets debut. This season he switched to Cardiff. He is a Police Officer with the Dyfed-Powys Police.

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J. HEWLETT - Centre/Scrum-Half. Date of Birth: 30.5.74. 5ft. 8ins. 12st. 11lbs. International Record: Uncapped
Jason Hewlett is Mr. Versatile at the Arms Park having played wing, centre, outside-half and scrum-half for the Welsh Schools Under-15 team before playing outside-half for the Under-18 side. He reverted to scrum-half the following season and has also played for Wales Youth, Under 19 and Under 21. Missed five months of last season with knee ligament damage and was on the bench for every cup round. Is a student at Swansea Law School and has Wales Under21 caps.

A. BOOTH - Scrum Half. Date of Birth: 8.12.68. 5ft. 10ins. 13st. 5lbs. International Record: Uncapped
Andrew Howell Booth was educated at Bishop Gore School, Swansea before earning degrees at Swansea (Hons in Business Studies) and Cambridge (Land Economy) where he also won Blues in 1989 and 1990. Played first for Neath while still at school and captained Welsh Schools. Welsh Students and Wales under-21. A cup finalist with Neath in 1988 and a Wales B cap. Andy has been on the bench for Wales 8 times - he was in the 1991 World Cup squad - without winning a full cap. He is an insurance broker.

M. BENNETT - Flanker. Date of Birth: 26.1.68. 6ft. 1ins. 14st. 7lbs. International Record: Uncapped
Mark Bennett rejoined Cardiff from third division Ystradgynlais two seasons ago. Capped by the Welsh Schools Under-18 team in 1986, he went to study at Swansea University. Played for the Wales Students against England in 1988. England and France in 1989 and France in 1990. He also appeared in the 1988 Students World Cup, scoring a try against France.

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H. STONE - Flanker/No. 8. Date of Birth: 1.8.61. 6ft. 3ins. 15st. 10lbs. International Record: Uncapped
Howard Stone packed down alongside former Wales team manager, Rob Norster, in the second row in the Cardiff side that won the cup in 1987. A versatile and loyal player, he has also played across the back row for the club. Played for Wales A against Holland in 1993 and for East Wales against the Japanese tourists last season. Was a try-scorer for East Wales against West Wales two years ago.

A. L. P. LEWIS - Prop. Date of Birth 13.6.73. 5ft. 10ins. 15st. 0lbs. International Record: Uncapped
Andrew Leighton Paul Lewis who was educated at Christ College, Brecon after spending years in Togo as a youngster (because of his fathers job), scored a try on his last appearance at the National Ground - for Cardiff Youth as they beat Maesteg in the Welsh Youth cup final. Capped at under 18 Youth and at Under-21 levels. Andy is a student in Swansea.

H. R. BEVAN - Hooker. Date of Birth: 20.10.64. 5ft. 11ins. 14st. 6lbs International Record: Uncapped
Huw Rowland Bevan was a prop for the Grand Slam Welsh Schools Under-18 team in 1983. He had previously won caps at Under-15 and Under-16 levels and went on to play for the Welsh Students while at South Glamorgan Institute before moving on to the Arms. Park. He is a schoolteacher.

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M. A. RAYER - Full Back. Date of Birth: 21.7.65. 5ft. 10ins. 13st. 3lbs. International Record: 22 Caps
Michael Anthony Rayer is now recognised as one of the world's leading full-backs. He gained his first cap in the 1991 World Cup as replacement for Tony Clement and has since taken the field as a replacement on five other occasions. He has been one of Cardiff's most outstanding full-backs and is as steady in defence as he is speedy in the counter attack. He joined Cardiff from the local Llandaff North club, from where he had skippered Wales Youth at rugby and has scored over 300 league points in five seasons. He replaced Nigel Walker against Japan and Scotland, scoring one try in the former and two in the latter from the left wing. His try-scoring continued with one for Cardiff in the 1994 Cup final and another for Wales against Fiji at Suva. Also plays baseball for Wales B. Sadly broke his leg at Treorchy last October.



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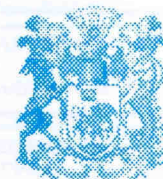
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Chris John	<i>Cefnwr</i>	15	<i>Full Back</i>	A. Clement (Capt)
Steve Ford	<i>Asgell Dde</i>	14	<i>Right Wing</i>	A. Harris
Mike Hall	<i>Canolwr De</i>	13	<i>Right Centre</i>	R. Boobyer
Geraint John	<i>Canolwr Chwllth</i>	12	<i>Left Centre</i>	D. Weatherley
Simon Hill	<i>Asgell Chwllth</i>	11	<i>Left Wing</i>	S. Davies
Adrian Davies	<i>Maswr</i>	10	<i>Outside Half</i>	A. Williams
Andy Moore	<i>Mewnwr</i>	9	<i>Inside Half</i>	Robert Jones
Mike Griffiths	<i>Y Rheng Flaen</i>	1	<i>Prop</i>	C. Loader
Jonathan Humphreys	<i>Bachwr</i>	2	<i>Hooker</i>	G. Jenkins
Lyndon Mustoe	<i>Y Rheng Flaen</i>	3	<i>Prop</i>	K. Colclough
Stuart Roy	<i>Clo</i>	4	<i>Lock</i>	P. Arnold
Derwyn Jones	<i>Clo</i>	5	<i>Lock</i>	A. Moore
Mark Bennett	<i>Blaenasgell</i>	6	<i>Flanker</i>	A. Reynolds
Emyr Lewis	<i>Wythwr</i>	8	<i>No. 8</i>	S. Davies
Hemi Taylor	<i>Blaenasgell</i>	7	<i>Flanker</i>	R. Appleyard

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Owain Williams
Andy Booth
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M. Thomas
R. Moriarty
S. Moore
R. Jones
Robbie Jones

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ANTHONY CLEMENT Date of Birth: 8.2.67. 5ft 10in. 14st. 0lbs.
 Occupation: Leasing Executive (Day's Contract Hire)
 Honours: Wales B (3 caps), Wales (34 caps) Lions (89 & 93) Barbarians (4 appearances)
 Previous Club: Morriston Youth.

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SIMON JAMES DAVIES Date of Birth: 16.1.68. 5ft. 11in. 12st.
 Occupation: Police Constable
 Honours: Wales World Cup 7's, Barbarians, Wales A, Wales Youth, British Police.
 Previous Clubs: Bonymaen RFC, South Wales Police RFC and Llanelli RFC.

ANTHONY SEAN MARSHALL Date of Birth: 1.6.68. 5ft. 10in. 14st.
 Occupation: Coachpainter for Newport Transport
 Honours: Wales Youth, Monmouthshire.
 Previous Clubs: Fleur-de-Lys, Pontypridd, Cross Keys

STEPHEN BARCLAY Date of Birth: 17.10.69. 5ft. 11in. 11st. 7lbs.
 Occupation: Engineer
 Honours: Welsh Senior Schools (5 caps), Welsh Students (7 caps), West Wales, 2 Blues.
 Previous Club: South Gower RFC, Oxford University, Neath RFC

RODDY BOOBYER Date of Birth: 11.6.72. 6ft 0in. 13st
 Occupation: Trainee Accountant
 Previous Club: Tondy, Maesteg

DAVID JULIAN WEATHERLEY Date of Birth: 9.5.72. 5ft. 9in. 13st. 4lb.
 Occupation: Student
 Honours: Wales Youth, Wales U19, Wales U21, Wales Students, West Wales Alban Selection, F Troop.
 Previous Club: Waunarlwydd Youth.

SHANE McINTOSH Date of Birth: 22.12.68. 6ft. 15st. 7lb.
 Occupation: Administration Officer
 Honours: Scotland A and Development
 Previous Clubs: Pontypridd, West of Scotland.

DAVID ALED WILLIAMS Date of Birth: 26.1.64. 5ft. 6in. 12st. 2lb.
 Occupation: Costing Surveyor
 Honours: Wales (Namibia, 1990), Wales A, Barbarians, Wales World Cup Sevens 1993.
 Previous Clubs: Bridgend, Llandovery, Llanelli.

LYNDON GRIFFITHS Date of Birth: 17.2.74 5ft. 6in. 11st 2lb.
 Occupation: Student
 Honours: Welsh Youth, Under 20s, Under 21.
 Previous Club: Pencoeed RFC

ROBERT NICHOLAS JONES Date of Birth: 10.11.65. 5ft. 7in. 12st. 2lb.
 Occupation: Development Executive
 Honours: Wales (52 caps), 2 Lions Tours (3 caps), Barbarians,
 Previous Clubs: None

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CHRIS MACDONALD Date of Birth: 8.12.71. 5ft. 8in. 12st. 8lb.
 Occupation: Policeman
 Honours: British Police, Crawshays Cap, Welsh U21 Cap.
 Previous Club: Narberth

IAN MARTIN BUCKETT Date of Birth: 23.12.67. 6ft. 1in. 16st.
 Occupation: Business Development Manager
 Honours: Wales Cap v Tonga
 Previous Clubs: Rhyl, Oxford University

KEITH COLCLOUGH Date of Birth: 15.3.58. 5ft. 11in. 15st. 7lb.
 Occupation: Manager (Door Fabrications)
 Honours: Welsh Schools, Welsh Academics, Welsh Crawshays
 Previous Clubs: None.

RICHARD LLEWELLYN Date of Birth: 29.12.66. 6ft. 1in. 16st. 12lb.
 Occupation: Sales Executive
 Previous Clubs: Duvant

GARIN RICHARD JENKINS Date of Birth: 18.8.67. 5ft. 10in. 16st.
 Occupation: Schools Liaison Officer
 Honours: Wales B, Wales A, Wales (26 caps), King, Country, Provincial, 14 appearances.
 Previous Clubs: Ynysbywl, Pontypool.

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MARCUS THOMAS Date of Birth: 13.1.74. 5ft. 9in. 14st. 10lb.
 Occupation: Student
 Honours: 4 Welsh Schools Caps U18
 Previous Clubs: Glais.

RICHARD DANIEL MORIARTY Date of Birth: 1.5.57. 6ft. 6in. 114.5kg.
 Occupation: Company Director
 Honours: 22 Welsh caps.
 Previous Clubs: Morriston, D.H.S.O.B. (Durban S.A.), Western Suburbs (Sydney, Australia)

MARK LLEWELLYN EVANS Date of Birth: 27.10.67. 6ft. 6in. 18st.
 Occupation: Steel Erector
 Honours: Carmarthenshire County, Welsh Counties, F Troop, Crawshays, Welsh Development Squad, West Wales.
 Previous Clubs: Carmarthen Quins, Aberavon.

PAUL ARNOLD Date of Birth: 28.4.68. 6ft. 5in. 16st. 6lb.
 Occupation: Shop Manager
 Honours: Wales U21, Barbarians, Wales A, Wales (10 caps)
 Previous Club: None.

ROB APLEYARD Date of Birth: 9.12.72. 6ft. 2in. 15st.
 Occupation: Police Officer
 Honours: Welsh U19, Welsh U21's, Welsh A, British Police.
 Previous Clubs: Pembroke RFC, Neath College

ALAN REYNOLDS Date of Birth: 24.1.66. 6ft. 1in. 15st.
 Honours: Wales Youth and Wales (2 caps)
 Previous Club: None

DAVID IAN DAVIES Date of Birth: 4.1.67. 6ft. 3in. 17st.
 Occupation: Police Officer
 Honours: Welsh Senior Schools, Welsh Youth, Wales B, British Police.

STUART DAVIES Date of Birth: 2.9.65. 6ft. 3in. 17st. 4lb.
 Occupation: Environmental Health Officer, Swansea C.C.
 Honours: 13 Welsh Caps, Barbarians.

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IWAN WYN JONES Date of Birth: 11.2.66. 6ft. 1in. 14st.
 Occupation: Police Officer
 Honours: Wales B, Barbarians, Crawshays.
 Previous Clubs: Llanelli RFC, Wrexham RFC, Tumble RFC, Bangor University RFC.

ROBBIE JONES Date of Birth: 8.11.72. 5ft. 6in. 12st.
 Occupation: Student/Masseur
 Honours: Welsh U21. Previous Club: Waunarlwydd

CHRISTIAN DAVID LOADER Date of Birth: 26.10.73. 5ft. 11in. 16st. 7lb.
 Occupation: Student
 Honours: Welsh U15, 16, 18 (2 years), captain, U19, U21 (2 years).

ANDY MOORE Date of Birth: 25.1.74. 6ft. 7in. 17st. 11lb.
 Occupation: Student
 Honours: Wales U18 Soccer & Rugby, Wales Youth, Wales U19 & Wales 21
 Previous Club: Wrexham

WARREN LEACH Date of Birth: 26.1.73. 5ft. 10in. 13st.
 Occupation: Student
 Honours: Welsh Youth, Welsh U19 squad. Previous Club: Llandybie RFC

CELLAN HOPKINS Date of Birth: 24.6.70. 5ft. 9in. 14st.
 Occupation: Electrician
 Honours: Crawshays Youth, Breconshire County U21, Presidents XV, Welsh U21 squad. Previous Club: Ystradgynlais.

Sands of Time

Stradey Park's previous Cup Semi-finals Saturday, 7th April, 1990

ABERAVON 6 V 12 BRIDGEND

Lyndon Lewis	15	Arwel Parry
Phil Ruddal	14	Glen Webbe
John Jardine	13	John Apsee (Cpt)
Kevin George (Cpt)	12	Luc Evans
Gwilym Wilkins	11	Richard Diplock
Neil Forrester	10	Aled Williams
Brendan Roach	9	Kevin Ellis
Mark Thomas	1	David Austin
David Williams	2	Wayne Hall
Anthony Woodward	3	Paul Edwards
Mike Tobin	4	Paul Kawulok
Ian Spender	5	John Barrington
John Jenkins	6	Simon Bryant
Phil Hamley	8	Owain Williams
Graham Evans	7	Mike Budd

Replacements

A. Jones, G. Matthews	M. Jones, O. Read,
B. Shenton, P. Sutton	R. Howley, L. Phillips
J. Jones, P. Morgan	N. Spender, P. Yardley

Referee: Mr. Derek Bevan, Clydach



Saturday, 7th April, 1990

A moment of magic from John Apsee, the captain Cool of Bridgend, helped catapult his side into the Welsh Cup final. With Bridgend trailing 6-4 to gutsy Aberavon, it needed something special and Apsee provided it. He picked up eight metres from the line with the Aberavon defence covering the expected pass to his wing, he jinked back inside and scored a sparkling try which must have impressed the two male streakers. Bridgend picked up three tries altogether and just about deserved the daunting privilege of meeting Neath in the final. But Aberavon put up a brave fight at Stradey Park as they battled like tigers to foil their rivals who boasted six Welsh internationals. Aberavon harried and chased their opponents all over the pitch but they could not find a chink in the rock-solid Bridgend defence. Bridgend took the lead in the 12th minutes when flanker Mike Budd tore over for a try from the back of a scrum. Parry missed the conversion, but Bridgend were sure that their superior know-how would produce a hatful of points. Aberavon had other ideas and deprived them of any further scores before the interval. It was a nightmare of a day for the kickers of both sides as the swirling wind took the ball in several different directions after it was booted into the air.

Aberavon full back Lyndon Lewis was the first to find the target after 61 minutes of play. Bridgend were caught off side as they tried to stem a series of frenzied Aberavon attacks and Lewis made no mistake with a fine kick from 40 metres. Three minutes later Bridgend were caught off-side again and this time Neil Forrester succeeded from 35 metres to put Aberavon in the lead. With neither side seeming likely to score again it took Apsee's piece of magic to get Bridgend back on course. Aberavon lost two players through injury and this disrupted their pack in the later stages. Owain Williams took advantage and sped over from the back of a five metre scrum to collect Bridgend's final try, but Aberavon could hold their heads high after putting up such a courageous fight.

SCOREBOARD

Bridgend: tries, Budd, Apsee, O. Williams. Aberavon: pens, Lewis, Forrester.

Bridgend v Neath
Saturday, 24th April, 1993

BRIDGEND 15 V 33 NEATH

Chris Bradshaw	15	Paul Thorburn
Glen Webbe	14	James Reynolds
Philip Wintle	13	Anthony Donovan
Luc Evans	12	Huw Woodland
Gwilym Wilkins	11	Steve Bowling
Matthew Lewis	10	Mathew McCarthy
Robert Howley	9	Rhodri Jones
David Rees	1	Brian Williams
Ian Greenslade	2	Andrew Thomas
Richard Shaw	3	John Davies
Simon Jenkins	4	Glyn Llewellyn
Andrew Gwilym	5	Gareth Llewellyn (Capt)
Simon Bryant	6	Martyn Morris
Nigel Spender	8	Steve Williams
*David Bryant (Capt)	7	Adrian Varney

Replacements

N. Flay, M. Jones,	M. De Maid, L. Gerrard,
D. Davies, D. Austin	J. Bird, M. Whitson
S. Jones, O. Lloyd	I. Boobyer, L. Isaac

*Replaced by O. Lloyd

Referee: Mr. Robert Yeman (Taibach)



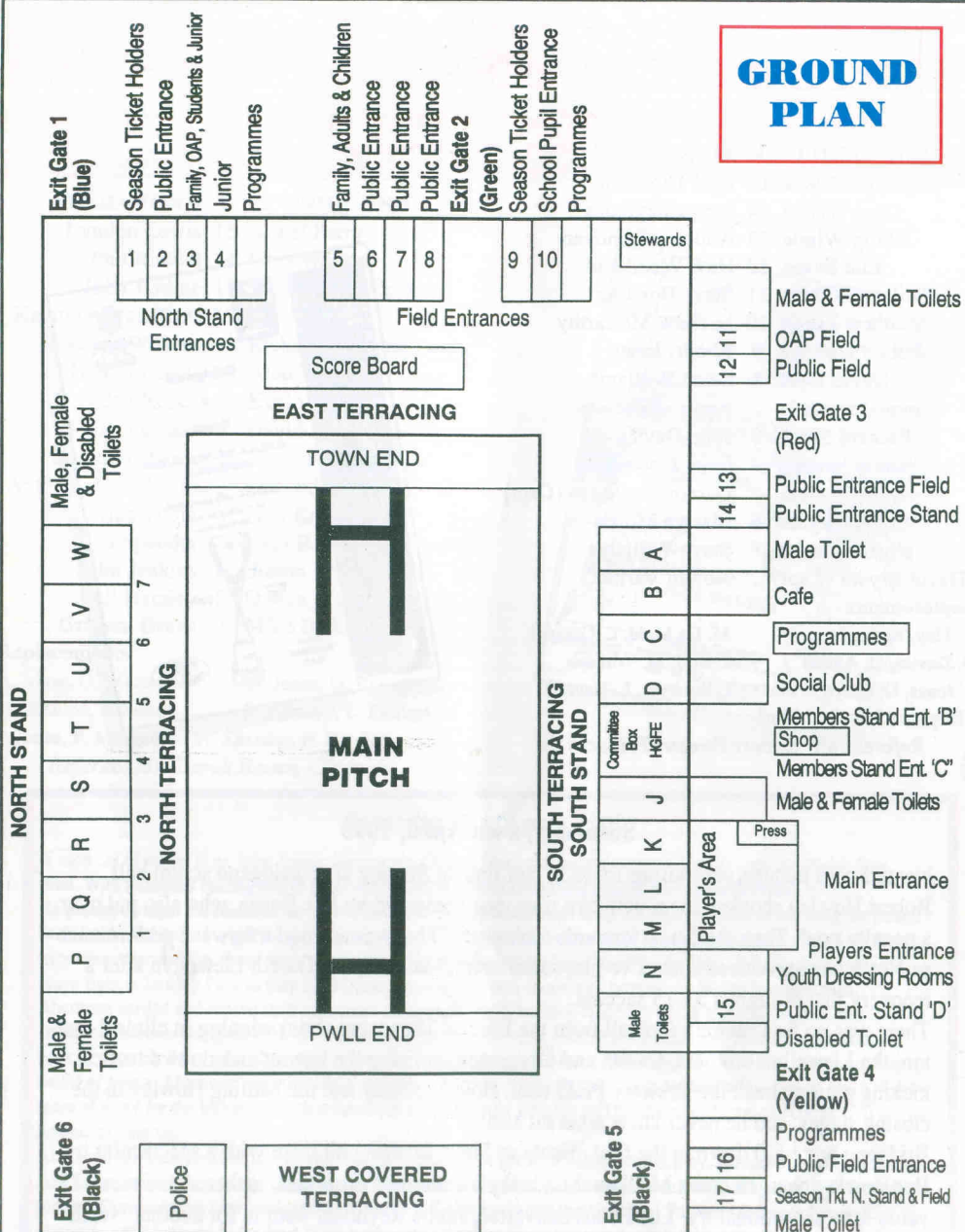
Saturday, 24th April, 1993

Neath found themselves trailing 15-13 at half time at Stradey after Bridgend scrum half Robert Howley shocked them with two tries, one converted by Luc Evans, who also put over a penalty goal. Then the Gnull forwards took over. "That was as good a forward performance as Neath have produced since I've played for them," said skipper Gareth Llewellyn after a recovery that brought a 33-15 success.

There was no free running football from the Blacks. They went about winning in clinical fashion, the Llewellyn brothers, Gareth and Glyn, monopolising the lineout and shrewd tactical kicking pinning back the Brewery Field men. However, they lost the battling Howley in the closing stages, and he never knew what hit him!

Bridgend were 5-0 down in the first minute as Steve Bowling hit them with a spectacular try. But Howley charged down Matthew McCarthy's attempted drop-shot, gathered and raced 75 yards for a sensational try. Luc Evans converted, Jamie Reynolds went in for another Neath try, but Luc Evans equalised with a penalty goal and then Howley, with a huge dummy, went over, for his second try. Paul Thorburn closed the gap to two points with a penalty shot. Thorburn added a second penalty goal and Reynolds, Thorburn and McCarthy scored tries, one converted by Thorburn.

GROUND PLAN



EMERGENCY PROCEDURE

In the event of any emergency at Stradey Park, you will hear a Police message over the Public Address System. This will be preceded by a loud chime. Please remain where you are and listen carefully to the Police message. Comply immediately if it affects your area. Stewards, Police Officers and Officials will direct you to safe areas or onto the playing area.

WRU Challenge Cup Winners

1972

Neath bt. Llanelli 15-9

1973

Llanelli bt. Cardiff 30-7

1974

Llanelli bt. Aberavon 12-10

1975

Llanelli bt. Aberavon 15-6

1976

Llanelli bt. Swansea 16-4

1977

Newport bt. Cardiff 16-15

SCHWEPES CUP

1978

Swansea bt. Newport 13-9

1979

Bridgend bt. Pontypridd 18-12

1980

Bridgend bt. Swansea 15-9

1981

Cardiff bt. Bridgend 14-6

1982

*Cardiff 12, Bridgend 12

*Winners on more tries rule,

1983

Pontypool bt. Swansea 18-6

1984

Cardiff bt. Neath 24-19

1985

Llanelli bt. Cardiff 15-14

1986

Cardiff bt. Newport 28-21

1987

Cardiff bt Swansea 16-15
after extra time

1988

Llanelli bt. Neath 28-13

1989

Neath bt. Llanelli 14-13

1990

Neath bt. Bridgend 16-10

1991

Llanelli bt. Pontypool 24-9

1992

Llanelli bt. Swansea 16-7

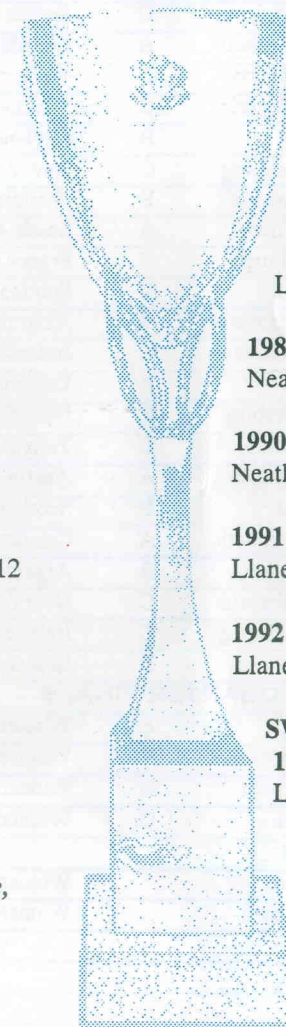
SWALEC CUP

1993

Llanelli bt. Neath 21-18

1994

Cardiff bt. Llanelli 15-8



Dates for your diary...

THE 1995 RUGBY UNION WORLD CUP FULL MATCH PROGRAMME

Date	Time	Venue	Pool	Competitors
FIRST ROUND POOLS				
Thursday, 25 May	1430	Cape Town	A	Australia v South Africa
Friday, 26 May	1600	Rustenburg	D	Scotland v Ivory Gold Coast
	1800	Pretoria	D	France v Tonga
	2000	Port Elizabeth	A	Canada v Romania
Saturday, 27 May	1300	East London	B	Western Samoa v Italy
	1500	Bloemfontein	C	WALES v Japan
	1700	Durban	B	England v Argentina
	2000	Johannesburg	C	New Zealand v Ireland
Tuesday, 30 May	1230	East London	B	Western Samoa v Argentina
	1430	Cape Town	A	South Africa v Romania
	1800	Rustenburg	D	France v Ivory Gold Coast
	2000	Pretoria	D	Scotland v Tonga
Wednesday, 31 May	1300	Port Elizabeth	A	Australia v Canada
	1500	Bloemfontein	C	Ireland v Japan
	1700	Durban	B	England v Italy
	2000	Johannesburg	C	New Zealand v WALES
Saturday, 3 June	1300	Rustenburg	D	Tonga v Ivory Gold Coast
	1500	Stellenbosch	A	Australia v Romania
	1700	Pretoria	D	Scotland v France
	2000	Port Elizabeth	A	Canada v South Africa
Sunday, 4 June	1300	East London	B	Argentina v Italy
	1500	Bloemfontein	C	New Zealand v Japan
	1700	Johannesburg	C	Ireland v WALES
	2000	Durban	B	England v Western Samoa
KNOCK OUT QUARTER FINALS				
Saturday, 10 June	1300	Durban	E	Winners D v Runners-up C
	1500	Johannesburg	F	Winners A v Runners-up B
Sunday, 11 June	1300	Cape Town	H	Winners B v Runners-up A
	1500	Pretoria	G	Winners C v Runners-up D
SEMI-FINALS				
Saturday, 17 June	1430	Durban		Winners E v Winners F
Sunday, 18 June	1430	Cape Town		Winners G v Winners H
PLAY-OFF				
Thursday, 2 June	1430	Pretoria		
FINAL				
Saturday, 24 June	1430	Johannesburg		