

CARDIFF RUGBY CLUB

SEASON 1971 - 1972

CARDIFF v BARBARIANS

SATURDAY, 1st APRIL, 1972 KICK OFF 3 P.M.

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

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Cardiff v. Barbarians

"Spring is sprung riz is the grass
I wonder where is the Baa Baas." (with apologies to all concerned)

Well, the famous Touring Club has arrived, bringing with it hopes of sunshine and good carefree Rugby Football. Last seasons game was a disappointing affair which the Barbarians won 11-9 pts., so we are overdue for some traditional Barbarians Rugby Football, full of flair, imagination and running. It used to be difficult for them to decide whether to play it by running or go all out to win, now the game's rules have been changed to favour the side with running skills, so they should have no such dilemma

Mr. C. R. G. Harris, a club member, has sent me a number of interesting details concerning the Barbarians and the Cardiff Club. We had a player in the first Barbarians side to play in 1890, since then we have had 226 selections made from Cardiff, which Mr. Harris thinks may be a record. This includes 34 selections made from Cardiff during 3 overseas tours. Cliff Morgan appears to be the Clubs main representative. Since he appeared 18 times from Cardiff and captained them during the tour of Canada in 1957 and again in South Africa during the 1958 tour. Gordon Wells (15 times), Frank Williams and Gareth Griffiths (13 times) have the next most numerous appearances.

N. H. & S. Biggs played together in a Barbarians side v. Rockliffe April 1894, which is the only occasion that brothers have appeared simultaneously, although Bleddyn Lloyd Cenydd and Tony Williams all played for the Barbarians. Haydn Tanner capt. Barbarians which beat the 1948 Wallabies. Cliff Morgan was in the Barbarians side that beat the Wallabies in 1958 and Meirion Roberts was in the side that beat the 1961 Springboks. It is interesting to note that Wilfred Wooller played many times for the Barbarians but not once as a member of the Cardiff Club.

In 1935 D. Marsden Jones played four games for the Barbarians in five days. Lyn Baxter is the latest Cardiff player to have been honoured by the Barbarians, some ninety years after H. M. Ingledew appeared in the Barbarians list as a founder member. Twenty players have appeared in the Barbarians jersey who never had the fortune to play for Wales, and there was also an Irish International Dr. Tom Wallace who was selected whilst a Cardiff player.

Apart from the interruptions caused by Two World Wars, Cardiff have played an uninterrupted sequence of matches against them since 1890-1891. This remarkable sequences of matches has resulted in Cardiff playing them 87 times, winning 55 and losing 28. We welcome the Barbarians today and hope the actual game lives up to the traditions associated with the future.

D.J.H.

STOP PRESS:

We now know that our opponents in the semi-final of the Welsh Cup will be Neath. This round will be played on APRIL 12th at the Brewery Field, Bridgend. K.O. 7 p.m. We would love to see you all there.

The Ball for this game has been donated by B. K. THOMAS and PARTNERS LTD., Pension and Life Assurance Consultants, 16 Windsor Place, Cardiff

Know the Laws by FRED CROSTER

Holiday time, Quiz time. How the time does fly. Straight in, the questions today and the answers on Monday. Don't forget the usual pint, in the club to the members with all the correct answers. This includes Danny Davies who is so seldom wrong.

- The International Board, Bless them, have made an amendment, for which I and many others will be grateful, in the Knock-on Law for next season. What is it?
- 2. The studs on players boots must conform to certain standards. Do you know what they are?
- 3. If for any reason the referee is unable to officiate for the full period of the game (remember last year?) who decides upon the replacement?
- 4. There are only two occasions when the touch judge is entitled to keep his flag raised when the ball has been thrown in. What are they?
- 5. When is a penalty try awarded and from where is the conversion taken?
- 6. What are the conditions which must be observed before the referee will allow a Fair Catch (A Mark)?
- 7. Where is the 'Offside' Line in a scrummage?
- 8. Where and what is the difference in this Line in a Ruck or a Maul?
- 9. What is the main difference between a 'Ruck' and a 'Maul'?
- 10. Don't look. How many Laws are there in the official Handbook?

Not too difficult are they? After all it is holiday time.

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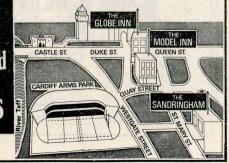
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Date		Opponents Ver	Venue Results		
1971					
Sept.	1	Glamorgan Wands	Н 34-4		
	4	Maesteg	H 26-9		
	8	Bristol	A 19-13		
	11	Blackheath	H 26-13		
	15	Neath	H 13-12		
	18	Coventry	A 10-22		
	22	Pontypool	A 12-15		
	25	Aberavon	H 22-16		
	29	Abertillery	A 3-15		
Oct.	2	Newport	A 4-7		
	6	Penarth	A 30-6		
	9	Northampton	H 24-20		
	13	Pontypridd	A 11-6		
	16	Ebbw Vale	A 18-21		
	23	Cambridge Univ.	H 17-4		
	27	Bridgend	A 6-19		
	30	Pontypool	H 19-6		
Nov.	6	Oxford Univ.	A 30-13		
	11	Clermont Ferrand	A 6-9		
	13	Newport	H 0-6		
	20	Wasps	A 33-6		
	27	Llanelli	A 10-17		

Dec.	4	Swansea	Н	38-6
	11	Harlequins	A	19-12
	18	London Welsh	Н	23-4
	27	Liverpool	Н	17-6
	28	Watsonians	Н	25-13
1972				
Jan.	8	Coventry	Н	22-15
	15	London Welsh	A	7-8
	22	Ebbw Vale	Н	26-6
	29	Aberavon	A	17-12
Feb.	4	Heriot's F.P	Н	8-9
	10	Bristol	H	12-15
	19	Newport	A	17-4
	26	Llanelli	Н	19-3
Mar.	4	Newport	н	25-6
	15	Bridgend	Н	0-6
	18	Swansea	A	17-6
	23	Bath	Α.	
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April	1	Barbarians	HOUSE THE	
	3	Harlequins		•••••
	8	Gloucester	H.	
	12	Neath	A.	
	22	Newbridge	H.	
	29	Snelling Sevens		



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