



HARLEQUIN FOOTBALL CLUB

HARLEQUINS

V

CARDIFF

RUGBY FOOTBALL UNION GROUND - TWICKENHAM

Saturday, 27th October 1979

Kick-off 3.00 p.m.

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME **10p**

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HARLEQUINS

Colours: Light Blue, Magenta, Chocolate
French Grey, Black and Light Green

CARDIFF

Colours: Cambridge Blue and Black

15	K. M. Bushell	Full Back	C. Webber	15
14	D. Bowman	R. Wing	D. Thomas	14
13	G. Birkett*	R. Centre	P. Daniels	13
12	A. A. Dent	L. Centre	N. Hutchins	12
11	G. Gilbert	L. Wing	A. Yeandle	11
10	J. H. Macaulay	Fly Half	W. G. Davies	10
9	C. St.J. Lamden	Scrum Half	Team to be announced B. Williams before match	9
1	T. Claxton	Forward	B. Nemes	1
2	I. C. Smith	Forward	A. Phillips	2
3	M. Claxton	Forward	I. Eidman	3
4	R. F. Best	Forward	P. Rawlins	4
5	C. R. Kelly	Forward	B. Worster	5
6	S. R. R. Edlmann	Forward	T. Charles	6
8	A. C. Alexander (Capt.)	Forward	J. Scott	8
7	D. H. Cooke	Forward	R. Lakin	7

Replacements:

- 16 D. Hoade
17 N. Booth

Replacements:

M. Murphy
M. Watkins

Referee: Mr. G. R. Crawford (London Society)

*International

Programme Notes . . .

The Harlequins will always be proud of being the first London club to play at Cardiff Arms Park—in 1882—and the fixtures between today's sides have ever since then had a special air about them, being, of course, normally played at the two national H.Qs. Last season, it somehow seemed inappropriate to play Cardiff at S.M.G.—especially since they trounced us 36-12. However, the return game, on our Easter Tour, was very different. The 'Quins deservedly led at half-time, only to go down finally by 15-21 : a truly exciting match.

Last Saturday saw an uncanny sporting coincidence. In the world championship fight in Johannesburg, the eventual winner was hammered for six rounds, but without going down. He then landed one heavy punch in the seventh, from which his opponent never fully recovered, and then went further and further ahead, until the eventual decision was quite beyond doubt. A few hours earlier, a remarkably parallel situation saw the Harlequins make the storming start and Rosslyn Park produce the stamina for a convincing win.

As the old poster used to say—"That's Fosh, that was!", so today the 'Quin's backs are deployed to bring Graham Birkett back into the centre, with Graham Gilbert moving to the wing and John Macaulay coming in as fly-half, while the pack again remains unchanged.

Today, we introduce the Bootsy Barrett Prize of the Month—one pint of cheap bitter, in the Committee bar afterwards, for the first correct answer to "Who was the last Harlequin to sleep throughout his match?"

NEXT HOME MATCH

HARLEQUINS

versus

BATH

Saturday, 3rd November, 1979

Kick-Off 2.45 p.m.

at the

**STOOP MEMORIAL GROUND
CRANEFORD WAY, TWICKENHAM**

Tickets from: Messrs. KEITH PROWSE & CO. LTD., 74 Cornhill, E.C.3 (283 1841)
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1st XV FIXTURES—Season 1979/80

Date	Time	Opponents	Ground	Result	For	Against
Sept. 8		Northampton	Northampton	Won	12	7
9		Maidstone	Maidstone	Won	15	7
15	3.00	Llanelli	Twickenham	Won	25	21
22	3.00	Leicester	Twickenham	Lost	6	21
29	3.00	London Welsh	Twickenham	Won	29	13
Oct. 6	2.45	Swansea	Twickenham	Lost	10	11
13	2.45	Gloucester	Twickenham	Lost	6	15
20	2.45	Rosslyn Park	Twickenham	Lost	9	18
27	2.45	Cardiff	Twickenham	Lost	19	23
Nov. 3	2.30	Bath	Twickenham			
10		Richmond	Richmond			
17	2.30	Oxford University	Oxford			
24		Cambridge University	Cambridge			
†Dec. 1	2.15	Blackheath	Twickenham			
8	2.15	Bedford	Stoop Memorial			
15		Bath	Bath			
22	2.15	Richmond	Twickenham			
29	2.15	London Scottish	Twickenham			
Jan. 1	2.15	Nottingham	Stoop Memorial			
5		The Army	Aldershot			
12		Blackheath	Blackheath			
19		Birkenhead Park	Birkenhead			
26	2.30	Esher (Player Cup)	Stoop Memorial			
Feb. 2	2.30	Metropolitan Police	Stoop Memorial			
9		Llanelli	Llanelli			
16		Headingley	Headingley			
23	2.45	Royal Navy	Stoop Memorial			
Mar. 1		Leicester	Leicester			
8		Bedford	Bedford			
15		Coventry	Coventry			
22		London Welsh	Old Deer Park			
29	3.00	Bristol	Twickenham			
April 5		Swansea	Swansea			
7		Cardiff	Cardiff			
12		Rosslyn Park	Roehampton			

†Re-Union Day.

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