

| <b>GRFC Season Record 1969-70</b> |   |   |
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| Season Record                     | Played 57, <b>Won 31</b> , <b>Lost 24</b> , <b>Drawn 1</b> Abandoned 1<br>Points For 761, Against 619   |   |
| Most appearances                  | R.Clewes 50, J.Spalding 49, M.Potter 48, M.Nicholls 44,<br>D.Brooks 41  |   |
| Leading scorers                   | Most tries: R.Clewes 24, G.White 12, D.Brooks 10<br>Most conversions: E.Stephens 29, T.Palmer, J.Spalding 11<br>Most penalties: E.Stephens 33, T.Palmer 13, J.Spalding 10<br>Most dropped goals: T.Hopson 4, E.Stephens 3 |   |
| Sep 1                             | Gloucester 60<br>Philadelphia University 0  | Tries: G.White (2),<br>E.Stephens (2), R.Jardine (2),<br>T.Palmer, Dick Smith,<br>T.Hopson, J.Dix, M.Burton,<br>J.Spalding, R.Clewes,<br>M.Potter<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (6),<br>J.Spalding (3) |
| Sep 3                             | Cardiff 22 Gloucester 3   | Penalty: J.Spalding   |
| Sep 6                             | Gloucester 6 Broughton Park 11  | Try: N.Jackson<br>Penalty: E.Stephens   |
| Sep 10                            | Cheltenham 15 Gloucester 17   | Tries: R.Clewes,<br>E.Stephens, G.White<br>Conversion: E.Stephens<br>Penalty: E.Stephens<br>Drop goal: T.Hopson   |
| Sep 13                            | Gloucester 9 Coventry 15  | Penalties: E.Stephens (3)   |
| Sep 16                            | Gloucester 16 Wolfhounds 6  | Tries: G.White, E.Stephens,<br>Dick Smith<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (2)<br>Penalty: E.Stephens   |
| Sep 20                            | Bective Rangers 3<br>Gloucester 13  | Tries: R.Clewes, R.Cowling,<br>T.Palmer<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (2)  |
| Sep 24                            | Newbridge 9 Gloucester 5<br>(Abandoned due to bad light<br>and rain)  | Try: G.White<br>Conversion: Paul Butler   |
| Sep 27                            | Gloucester 8 Bristol 16   | Try: T.Palmer<br>Conversion: E.Stephens<br>Penalty: E.Stephens  |
| Oct 1                             | Gloucester 15 Ebbw Vale 11  | Try: T.Hopson<br>Penalties: E.Stephens (4)  |
| Oct 4                             | Bedford 17 Gloucester 8   | Try: T.Hopson<br>Conversion: E.Stephens<br>Penalty: E.Stephens  |
| Oct 8                             | Gloucester 49 Stroud 14   | Tries: D.Brooks (2),<br>R.Clewes (2), Dick Smith,<br>R.Morris, T.Palmer,<br>M.Burton, A.Brinn, M.Potter<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (6),   |

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|        |   | J.Spalding (2)<br>Penalty: E.Stephens  |
| Oct 11 | Gloucester 14      Harlequins 6                               | Try: Dick Smith<br>Conversion: T.Palmer<br>Penalties: T.Palmer (3)   |
| Oct 15 | Gloucester 3      Bosuns 16                                   | Penalty: T.Palmer  |
| Oct 18 | Gloucester 21      Newport 6                                  | Tries: G.White, R.Morris,<br>R.Clewes<br>Conversions: T.Palmer (3)<br>Penalties: T.Palmer (2)  |
| Oct 25 | Gloucester 27      Old Blues 0                                | Tries: D.Brooks, J.Horner,<br>K.Richardson, R.Morris<br>Conversions: Paul Butler (3)<br>Penalty: Paul Butler<br>Drop goals: J.Spalding,<br>M.Booth |
| Oct 29 | Gloucester 15      Clifton 3                                  | Tries: T.Hopson, D.Brooks<br>Penalties: Paul Butler,<br>M.Booth<br>Drop goal: T.Hopson   |
| Nov 1  | Leicester 15      Gloucester 12                               | Tries: J.Haines, M.Potter<br>Penalty: T.Palmer<br>Drop goal: T.Palmer  |
| Nov 8  | Moseley 14      Gloucester 17                                 | Tries: D.Brooks, R.Jardine,<br>J.Spalding<br>Conversion: J.Spalding<br>Penalty: J.Spalding<br>Drop goal: R.Jardine                                 |
| Nov 12 | Gloucester 0      Cheltenham 6<br>(Midland Floodlit Alliance) |  |
| Nov 14 | Aberavon 14      Gloucester 5                                 | Try: A.J.L.Fielding<br>Conversion: J.Spalding  |
| Nov 19 | Cambridge University 23<br>Gloucester 19                      | Tries: D.Brooks, Dick Smith,<br>J.Spalding<br>Conversions: Paul Butler,<br>J.Spalding<br>Penalties: J.Spalding (2)                                 |
| Nov 22 | Gloucester 13      Lydney 0                                   | Tries: R.Morris (2), J.Horner<br>Conversions: Paul Butler (2)  |
| Nov 26 | Gloucester 18<br>St.Luke's College 6                          | Tries: A.J.L.Fielding,<br>M.Booth, R.Clewes, J.Jarrett<br>Conversions: T.Palmer (3)  |
| Nov 30 | Gloucester 8<br>Oxford University 13                          | Try: K.Richardson<br>Conversion: Paul Butler<br>Drop goal: T.Hopson  |
| Dec 6  | Pontypool 9      Gloucester 14                                | Tries: J.Jarrett (2), J.Dix<br>Conversion: T.Palmer<br>Penalty: T.Palmer   |

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| Dec 13 | Gloucester 39   | Bath 13                                     | Tries: M.Potter (2),<br>D.Brooks, R.Clewes, J.Dix,<br>J.Spalding, K.Richardson<br>Conversions: T.Palmer (3)<br>Penalties: T.Palmer (4) |
| Dec 20 | Coventry 20   | Gloucester 9                                | Tries: R.Clewes,<br>K.Richardson<br>Penalty: T.Palmer  |
| Dec 26 | Gloucester 16   | O.M.Ts 6                                    | Tries: D.Brooks, J.Bayliss,<br>J.Spalding, R.Clewes<br>Conversions: J.Spalding (2)   |
| Dec 27 | Gloucester 12   | Pontypool 6                                 | Tries: R.Clewes (2)<br>Penalties: E.Stephens (2)   |
| Jan 3  | London Scottish 32                                    | Gloucester 3                                | Try: R.Morris  |
| Jan 10 | Gloucester 6  | Leicester 8                                 | Tries: G.White, J.Horner   |
| Jan 17 | Gloucester 6  | Wasps 0                                     | Tries: R.Clewes (2)  |
| Jan 23 | Bridgend 16   | Gloucester 0                                |  |
| Jan 27 | Coventry 20   | Gloucester 6<br>(Midland Floodlit Alliance) | Try: J.Jarrett<br>Drop goal: T.Hopson  |
| Jan 31 | Gloucester 11   | Plymouth Albion 6                           | Tries: K.Richardson,<br>J.Bayliss<br>Conversion: Dick Smith<br>Penalty: Dick Smith   |
| Feb 5  | Ebbw Vale 9   | Gloucester 0                                |  |
| Feb 12 | Gloucester v Army                                     |   | Cancelled due to snow  |
| Feb 14 | Bath v Gloucester                                     |   | Cancelled due to snow and<br>frost   |
| Feb 18 | Gloucester 14   | Loughborough Colleges 3                     | Tries: K.Richardson,<br>M.Nicholls, R.Clewes,<br>G.White<br>Conversion: R.Etheridge  |
| Feb 21 | Gloucester 19   | Swansea 3                                   | Tries: T.Hopson (3),<br>R.Clewes<br>Conversions: G.White (2)<br>Penalty: G.White   |
| Feb 23 | Gloucester 8  | Newbridge 0                                 | Tries: T.Hopson, R.Clewes<br>Conversion: M.Booth   |
| Feb 27 | Gloucester 9  | Aberavon 10                                 | Tries: D.Brooks, J.Jarrett<br>Penalty: Dick Smith  |
| Mar 4  | Leicester v Gloucester<br>(Midland Floodlit Alliance) |   | Cancelled due to snow  |
| Mar 7  | Northampton v Gloucester                              |   | Cancelled due to snow  |
| Mar 14 | Gloucester 15   | Richmond 16                                 | Tries: M.Nicholls,<br>A.J.L.Fielding, R.Clewes<br>Penalties: J.Spalding (2)  |
| Mar 18 | Bristol 14  | Gloucester 15                               | Tries: R.Clewes, P.Hayward<br>Penalties: J.Spalding (2)  |

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| Mar 20                   | Gloucester 20   | Guy's Hospital 6  | Tries: J.Jarrett, R.Clewes, R.Etheridge, A.J.L.Fielding, K.Richardson<br>Conversion: J.Spalding<br>Penalty: J.Spalding |
| Mar 26                   | Lydney 11   | Gloucester 27     | Tries: Dick Smith, J.Dix, G.White, A.J.L.Fielding<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (3)<br>Penalties: E.Stephens (3)          |
| Mar 28                   | Gloucester 17   | Headingley 3      | Tries: J.Spalding, R.Clewes, Dick Smith, R.Jardine<br>Conversion: E.Stephens<br>Penalty: E.Stephens                    |
| Mar 30                   | Gloucester 15   | Birkenhead Park 3 | Tries: J.Horner (2), G.White (2), A.J.L.Fielding   |
| Mar 31                   | Stroud 14   | Gloucester 6      | Try: J.Dix<br>Penalty: J.Spalding  |
| Apr 4                    | Fylde 19  | Gloucester 3      | Try: M.Nicholls  |
| Apr 10                   | Gloucester 3  | Moseley 3         | Try: A.Brinn   |
| Apr 13                   | Newport 45  | Gloucester 9      | Penalties: E.Stephens (2)<br>Drop goal (from a mark): E.Stephens   |
| Apr 18                   | Sale 13   | Gloucester 6      | Try: J.Dix<br>Penalty: E.Stephens  |
| Apr 20                   | Gloucester 14   | Cheltenham 6      | Tries: J.Watkins, D.Brooks<br>Conversion: E.Stephens<br>Penalties: E.Stephens (2)                                      |
| Apr 25                   | Penzance-Newlyn 6   | Gloucester 17     | Try: R.Clewes<br>Conversion: E.Stephens<br>Penalties: E.Stephens (4)   |
| Apr 27                   | Redruth 9   | Gloucester 14     | Try: M.Bayliss<br>Conversion: E.Stephens<br>Penalties: E.Stephens (3)  |
| Apr 28                   | Exeter 9  | Gloucester 11     | Try: G.White<br>Conversion: E.Stephens<br>Penalty: E.Stephens<br>Drop goal: E.Stephens                                 |
| May 2                    | Gloucester 16   | Liverpool 20      | Tries: R.Clewes, M.Potter<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (2)<br>Penalty: E.Stephens<br>Drop goal (from a mark): E.Stephens |
| <b>Gloucester United</b> |   |                   |  |
| Season Record            | Played 33, <b>Won 19</b> , <b>Lost 13</b> , <b>Drawn 1</b><br>Points For 469, Against 370                                     |                   |  |
| Leading scorers          | (From the "Pink-un" 25 April 1970)<br>Most Tries: J.Watkins 9, A.Collard, J.Dix 6, R.Hopson 5, J.Horner, P.Ford, R.Urquhart 4 |                   |  |

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|         | Most Conversions: E.Stephens 17, M.Booth 10, Paul Butler 7<br>Most Penalties: M.Booth 18, E.Stephens 12, Paul Butler 7,<br>P.Meadows 4<br>Most Drop goals: M.Booth 4 |   |
| Captain | Pete Meadows   |   |
| Sep 6   | Moseley United v<br>Gloucester United  | Cancelled due to fixture mix-up   |
| Sep 13  | Coventry Extra Firsts 31<br>Gloucester United 3  | Penalty: P.Meadows  |
| Sep 20  | Gloucester United 17<br>Pontypool Athletic 9   | Try: J.Watkins<br>Conversion: Paul Butler<br>Penalties: Paul Butler (4)   |
| Sep 24  | Cinderford 6<br>Gloucester United 9  | Try: P.Collard<br>Penalties: P.Meadows,<br>C.Wheatman   |
| Sep 27  | Bristol United 17<br>Gloucester United 10  | Tries: M.Bayliss + ?<br>Conversions: M.Booth (2)  |
| Oct 4   | Gloucester United 15 Cleeve 6  | Tries: J.Horner, J.Watkins<br>Penalties: M.Booth (2), Paul Butler   |
| Oct 11  | Newport High School Old Boys 20<br>Gloucester United 9   | Tries: J.Dix, R.Wicks,<br>M.Bayliss   |
| Oct 18  | Newport United 41<br>Gloucester United 24  | Scorers unknown   |
| Oct 25  | Richmond Vikings 21<br>Gloucester United 14  | Try: J.Watkins<br>Conversion: R.Wicks<br>Penalties: R.Wicks (2),<br>P.Meadows   |
| Nov 1   | Gloucester United 3<br>Leicester Extra Firsts 15   | Try: J.Watkins  |
| Nov 8   | Moseley United 28<br>Gloucester United 6   | Scorers unknown   |
| Nov 15  | Gloucester United 38 Crumlin 0   | Tries: P.Kocheran,<br>M.Burton, J.Dix, J.Watkins,<br>A.Fielding, J.Horner,<br>R.Jardine<br>Conversions: Paul Butler (4)<br>Penalties: Paul Butler (2)<br>Drop goal: M.Booth |
| Nov 22  | Abergavenny 6<br>Gloucester United 21  | Tries: A.Collard, J.Dix<br>Penalties: M.Booth (4)<br>Drop goal: C.Locke   |
| Nov 29  | Newbury 0<br>Gloucester United 20  | Tries: J.Watkins, A.Collard<br>Conversion: M.Booth<br>Penalties: M.Booth (4)  |
| Dec 6   | Gloucester United 21<br>Nottingham Corsairs 0  | Tries: R.Morris, R.Hopson,<br>G.White, Paul Butler<br>Conversions: M.Booth (2),   |

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|        |   | Paul Butler<br>Penalty: M.Booth  |
| Dec 13 | Bath United 3<br>Gloucester United 11                     | Tries: R.Hopson,<br>R.Etheridge<br>Conversion: R.Etheridge<br>Drop goal: M.Booth   |
| Dec 20 | Gloucester United 0<br>Coventry Extra Firsts 16           |  |
| Dec 27 | Cheltenham United 6<br>Gloucester United 17               | Tries: M.Booth, R.Hopson<br>Conversion: M.Booth<br>Penalties: M.Booth (2)<br>Drop goal: M.Booth                                      |
| Jan 3  | Gloucester United 23<br>Abergavenny 5                     | Tries: M.Burton, R.Jones,<br>D.Pegler, R.Urquhart,<br>R.Hopson<br>Conversion: R.Etheridge<br>Penalty: M.Booth<br>Drop goal: R.Hopson |
| Jan 10 | Leicester Extra Firsts 22<br>Gloucester United 0          |  |
| Jan 17 | Cleeve 15<br>Gloucester United 12                         | Tries: R.Urquhart (2),<br>D.Pegler<br>Penalty: E.Stephens  |
| Jan 24 | Gloucester United v Luctonians                            | Cancelled due to<br>preparations for South<br>Africans v Southern<br>Counties game.  |
| Jan 31 | Bristol University 9<br>Gloucester United 9               | Tries: J.Horner, D.Astle<br>Penalty: E.Stephens  |
| Feb 9  | Gloucester United 16<br>Bristol United 5                  | Tries: P.Meadows,<br>R.Jardine, M.Booth<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (2)<br>Drop goal: M.Booth   |
| Feb 14 | Gloucester United v Bath United                           | Cancelled due to snow  |
| Feb 21 | Luctonians 11<br>Gloucester United 26                     | Tries: P.Ford (2), R.Wicks,<br>E.Stephens + penalty try<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (4)<br>Penalty: E.Stephens                        |
| Feb 28 | Crumlin 14<br>Gloucester United 17                        | Tries: R.Jardine, J.Watkins<br>Conversion: E.Stephens<br>Penalties: E.Stephens (3)   |
| Mar 4  | Gloucester United 12<br>Luctonians 5                      | Tries: J.Bayliss, A.Collard<br>Penalties: E.Stephens (2)   |
| Mar 7  | Gloucester United 10<br>Newport High School Old Boys<br>3 | Tries: Dick Smith, A.Collard<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (2)  |
| Mar 10 | Gloucester United 16<br>Cinderford 3                      | Tries: J.Dix (3)<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (2)<br>Penalty: E.Stephens   |

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| Mar 14                 | Pontypool Athletic 5<br>Gloucester United 21                                    | Tries: P.Meadows,<br>A.Collard, C.Williams<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (3)<br>Penalties: E.Stephens (2)  |
| Mar 23                 | Gloucester United 30<br>Cheltenham United 3                                     | Tries: R.Pitt (2), J.Watkins,<br>D.Pegler, G.White, Dick<br>Smith, M.Booth<br>Conversions: E.Stephens (3)<br>Penalty: E.Stephens  |
| Mar 28                 | Swindon 5<br>Gloucester United 22   | Tries: Paul Butler, J.Watkins,<br>R.Hopson, R.Wicks,<br>M.Bayliss, J.Horner<br>Conversions: M.Booth (2)   |
| Apr 11                 | Moseley United 14<br>Gloucester United 6  | Try: R.Jones<br>Penalty: P.Meadows  |
| Apr 13                 | Gloucester United 3<br>Newport United 11  | Drop goal: Paul Butler  |
| Apr 18                 | Gloucester United 8   Solihull 15   | Try: R.Taylor<br>Conversion: T.Hopson<br>Drop goal: T.Hopson  |
| <b>Gloucestershire</b> |   |   |
| Sep 23                 | Glamorgan 38<br>Gloucestershire 14<br>(Friendly, played at (Bridgend))          | Try: P.Simmons<br>Conversion: E.Stephens<br>Penalties: E.Stephens (3)<br>Gloucester players:<br>E.Stephens, M.Burton,<br>A.Brinn, D.Smith<br>This was Eric Stephens' first<br>appearance for the County   |
| Oct 25                 | Cornwall 9   Gloucestershire 12<br>(County Championship, played<br>at Redruth)  | Try: P.Hayward<br>Penalties: J.Morris (3)<br>Gloucester players:<br>J.Bayliss, T.Hopson,<br>A.Brinn, P.Hayward, D.Smith<br>Phil Hayward only played<br>one season with Gloucester<br>and this was his first<br>Gloucestershire appearance.<br>He went on to play for<br>Harlequins. |
| Nov 8                  | Gloucestershire 28   Devon 17<br>(County Championship, played<br>at Gloucester) | Tries: T.Hopson, P.Hillard,<br>J.Morris<br>Conversions: J.Morris (2)<br>Penalties: J.Morris (2)<br>Drop goals: J.Morris (2),<br>T.Hopson<br>Gloucester players:<br>J.Bayliss, R.Morris,<br>T.Hopson, A.Brinn,<br>P.Hayward, D.Smith   |

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|              |   | John Morris the Lydney scrum-half scored 19 points. Roy Morris made his first County appearance   |
| Nov 22       | Somerset 6 Gloucestershire 23<br>(County Championship, played at Bridgwater)                | Tries: J.Bayliss, J.Morris, P.Hayward<br>Conversion: J.Morris<br>Penalties: J.Morris (4)<br>Gloucester players: J.Bayliss, T.Hopson, A.Brinn, P.Hayward, D.Smith<br>John Morris scored a further 14 points in this game                               |
| Jan 10       | Hertfordshire 3 Gloucestershire 23<br>(Championship Quarter-Final, played at Croxley Green) | Tries: J.L.Berry, T.Hopson, P.Knight<br>Conversion: J.Morris<br>Penalties: J.Morris (3), R.White<br>Gloucester players: T.Hopson, A.Brinn, P.Hayward, D.Smith   |
| Feb 7        | Gloucestershire 9 Lancashire 6<br>(Championship Semi-Final, played at Gloucester)           | Try: P.Knight<br>Penalties: J.Morris (2)<br>Gloucester players: J.Bayliss, T.Hopson, A.Brinn, P.Hayward, D.Smith  |
| Mar 14       | Staffordshire 11 Gloucestershire 9<br>(Championship Final, played at Burton-on-Trent)       | Tries: R.C.Hannaford, M.Collins<br>Penalty: J.Morris<br>Gloucester players: J.Bayliss, T.Hopson, A.Brinn, J.Jarrett, D.Smith<br>A big upset, Gloucestershire were firm favourites to win. This proved to be Terry Hopson's final game for the County. |
| <b>Other</b> |   |   |
| Nov 15       | Whites 19 Blues 11<br>(England Trial Game, played at Moseley)                               | A.Brinn and P.Hayward (try) played for Blues  |
| Dec 6        | Probables 5 Possibles 0<br>(England Trial Game, played at Twickenham)                       | P.Hayward played for Possibles  |
| Dec 31       | Western Counties 3 South Africans 3<br>(Tour Game, played at Bristol)                       | Gloucester players: T.Hopson, A.Brinn, P.Hayward, D.Smith   |