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1873 - The Gloucester Journal on 15 September reported that "at a meeting at the Spread Eagle Hotel for the purpose of enrolling members of a Football Club for the City about 45 gentlemen joined", thus forming Gloucester RFC

Initially playing their home games at The Spa Ground (where Gloucestershire played 56 firstclass cricket matches between 1882 and 1923) the club then moved to the Old College Field in Castle Grim. 1891 - Ground renamed, and on the 10 October, some eleven months before Leicester moved to Welford Road, Kingsholm was opened with Gloucester celebrating an 19-0 victory over Burton-upon-Trent.

1894 - In the days when the measure of a club's strength was the number of international players they had, Gloucester soon had their first representative with Walter Jackson.

1897 - Frank Stout becomes the first player capped directly from Gloucester when he plays for England v Wales at Newport

1900 - The ground was used for the England-Wales game on 16 January, and then had to wait 91 years for its second international, when New Zealand beat the United States Eagles 46-6 in the 2nd World Cup.

1972 - Gloucester become the first ever winners of the English Knockout Cup, beating Moseley 17-6 in the final at Twickenham

1984 - 2 June 1984 is a great day for Gloucester when in Port Elizabeth, South Africa the club supply the whole of England's front-row against the Springboks, but Malcolm Preedy, Steve Mills and Phil Blakeway are unable to prevent South Africa winning 33-15

1978 - Win the John Player Cup after beating Leicester 6-3 in the final

1982 - Uniquely share the John Player Cup when they draw 12-12 in the final with Moseley 1990 - Reach the Pilkington Cup final at Twickenham but are overrun by Bath 48-6. The old "Tump end" of Kingsholm is developed and replaced with Hospitality Boxes

1997 - Motor racing supremo Tom Walkinshaw buys the club and Gloucester sign overseas stars for the first time in the guise of the Saint Andre brothers, Richard Tombs and Terry Fanolua

GLOUCESTER RFC DIRECTORY

Formation of club: 1873

Ground: Kingsholm, Kingsholm Road,

Gloucester, GL1 3AX

Capacity: 10,500 (Seated 1,250)

Colours: Cherry and white hoops and

dark blue trim

Tel: 01452 381087

Honours: Cup Winners (3) - 1972,

1978, 1982.

Best League Finish: 2nd in division one in 1988/89 and 1989/90.

Last Season: Premiership One - 7th, European Conference - Q/F (lost 22-53 to Stade Francais). Tetley's Bitter Cup - 5th round (lost 11-30 to Northampton). Cheltenham & Gloucester Cup - Winners

Owner: Tom Walkinshaw (Arrows F1 owner)

Chief Executive: Hamish Brown

Director of Rugby: Richard Hill Assistants: John Brain, Dave Pointon

Club Captain: Dave Sims

No of International Players: 51

Total No of individual caps: 285

First capped player: Frank Stout,

England v Wales at Newport, 9 Jan 1897

Most capped player (29): Tom Voyce (England 27, Great Britain 2) (1920-26)

Most tries in tests: 9 in 8 tests by Arthur Hudson (1906-10)

Most points in tests: 27 in 8 tests by Arthur Hudson (1906-10)

IN - Andy Dawling (Newbury), Simon Mannix (Sale)

OUT- Craig Emmerson (Leeds Tykes), Andrew Gibbs (Romans, France), Phil Greening (Sale), Alex Morris (Melrose), Martin Roberts

DID YOU KNOW

In the Premiership this season both Leicester and Gloucester have identical goal kicking success ates with 75.3% of their kicks going between the uprights. Harlequins and Saracens jointly top the division with 81.2%

(Moseley), Raphael Saint-Andre

DID YOU KNOW

When Mark Mapletoft scored 27 points against the Tigers at ngsholm last February it was both the best ever league scoring performance for Gloucester AHD the best by any player against Leicester in the league.

(Romans, France)

Note: The above international statistics only include players whilst they were playing members of

Gloucester RFC.



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	Surname	Birthdate	Height	Caps	Previous Club								
1	Forename	Birthplace	Weight										
	FULL-BACKS												
	Chris	17.6.76 Coulsdon,Surrey	6ft 2in 14st 2lb		Exeter								
	WINGERS												
	GREENSLADE-JONES Rory	5.1.75	6ft 2in 15st 2lb		Newbury								
	JEWELL Rob	11.10.78 Bromsgrove	6ft Oin 15st 2lb		Gordon League								
	JOHNSON Brian	27.7.72 Wegberg,W Germany	5ft 11in 13st 4lb		Newbury								
	SAINT-ANDRE Philippe	19.4.67 Romans,France	5ft 11in 14st 6lb	FR 69	Montferrand(FR)								
	LUMSDEN Audley	6.6.67 London	6ft Oin 14st 10lb		Bath								
	CENTRES												
	FANOLUA Terry	3.7.74 Motoutua,W Samoa	6ft Oin 13st 9lb	W5	Otahuhu(NZ)								
	TOMB5 Richard	4.1.68 Te Kuiti,NZ	6ft Oin 14st 10lb	AU 5	NSW(AU)								
	FLY HALVES												
	KIMBER Martyn	20.9.68 Auckland, NZ	6ft Oin 13st 10lb										
	MANNIX Simon	10.8.71 Lower Hutt,NZ	5ft 9in 13st 2lb	NZ 1	Sale								
	MAPLETOFT Mark	25.12.71 Mansfield	5ft 7in 13st 2lb	EN 1	Rugby								
SCRUM HALVES													
	BECK Laurie	2.1.71 Cheltenham	5ft 10in 13st 2lb		Cheltenham								
	BENTON Scott	8.9.74 Bradford	5ft 11in 14st 2lb	EN 1	Morley								
	SANDERS	22.1.71 Penzance	5ft 9in 13st 10lb		Bath								

Most Appearances: 17 - Ojomoh (1 rep), Tombs. 16 - Carter (1 rep), Deacon (1 rep). 15 - Catling (1 rep), Cornwell (5 reps). 14 - Fidler (1 rep), Fortey (7 reps). 13 - Benton (3 reps), Fanolua, Saint-Andre, Sims (5 reps), Woodman (5 reps). 12 - Mannix (1 rep). 11 - Mapletoft (1 rep), McCarthy (4 reps), Pearce (1 rep), Windo (2 reps). 10 - Lebroro.

(1 rep), McCarthy (4 reps), Pearce (1 rep), Windo (2 reps). 10 - Johnson.

Try scorers: 7 - Catling. 6 - Saint-Andre. 5 - Mapletoft. 4 - Tombs. 5- Penalty tries. 2- Fanolua, Lumsden, Ojomoh. 1 - Benton, Dawling, Fortey, Johnson, Mannix.

Points scorers: 131 - Mapletoft. 65 - Mannix. 35 - Catling. 30 - Saint-Andre. 20 - Tombs. 17 - Benton. 13 - Fanolua. 10 - Lumsden, Ojomoh. 5 - Dawling, Fortey, Johnson.

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	Adey	Coleford	17st 2lb													
	VICKERY	14.3.76	6ft 3in	EN 5	Redruth											
	Phil	Barnstaple	19st 9lb													
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	Tony	Gloucester	17st 4lb													
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	Trevor	Plymouth	18st Olb													
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	FORTEY	25.8.75	6ft Oin	Distance of the last	Gordon League											
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	McCARTHY	29.11.74	5ft 10in	-	Bedford											
	Neil	Slough	16st Olb													
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	Richard	Munster, Germany	18st 8lb													
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	Steve	Benin City, Nigeria	16st 9lb													
	DEVEREUX	20.10.68	6ft 3in	100	Spartans											
	Simon	Gloucester	17st Olb													

Only four of Gloucester's 56
Premiership tries this season
have come from forwards (two from
Ojomoh and one each from Dawling
and fortey) although they have
gained another three
five-pointers from
penalty tries.

Discipline - White Cards: 2 -Mapletoft. 1 - Fortey, Jones, Mannix, Ojomoh, Tombs.



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