

Rosslyn Park Football Club

v GLOUCESTER
3/11/84



Official Match Programme

106th Season 1984-85

Rosslyn Park v Gloucester

Saturday 3 November 1984 Kick-off 11.30 am.

Rosslyn Park

(Red and White Hoops)

| | | |
|----|---------------------|--------------|
| 15 | J Graves | Full Back |
| 14 | C Carr | Right Wing |
| 13 | J Reed | Right Centre |
| 12 | A McGahey | Left Centre |
| 11 | R Sainter | Left Wing |
| 10 | M Jermyn | Fly Half |
| 9 | G Henderson | Scrum Half |
| 1 | J Kingston | Loose-Head |
| 2 | F Timmons | Hooker |
| 3 | *S Henderson | Tight Head |
| 4 | N Edwards | Lock |
| 5 | S Heaton | Lock |
| 6 | P Taylor | Flanker |
| 7 | M Hill | Flanker |
| 8 | A Brookes | No. 8 |

Gloucester

(Cherry and White)

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| P Ford | 15 |
| A Richards | 14 |
| P Taylor | 13 |
| R Ellis | 12 |
| N Price | 11 |
| M Hamlin | 10 |
| M Hannaford | 9 |
| M Preedy† | 1 |
| K White | 2 |
| R Pascall | 3 |
| J Orwin* | 4 |
| J Brain | 5 |
| J Gadd | 6 |
| I Smith | 7 |
| M Teague | 8 |

Replacements

† International * Captain

Referee: **G Hewitt** (London Society).

1st XV Fixtures and Results Season 1984-85

Home games in bold type.

*London Merit Table game. See press for fixture alterations.

September 1984

| | | |
|-----|---------------------------------|---------|
| 1 | Vale of Lune | W 15-10 |
| 4 | Esher | W 34-12 |
| 8* | Metropolitan Police | W 14-9 |
| 15 | Gosforth | L 6-21 |
| 22 | Fullerians (JPC Round 1) | W 25-9 |
| 29* | Richmond | W 16-15 |

October

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|-----|-------------------------------------|---------|
| 3 | Sussex County (Wed. 7.30 pm) | |
| 6 | Orrell | L 18-36 |
| 13 | London Scottish | L 3-24 |
| 17 | Cambridge University | W 23-13 |
| 20 | Harlequins | L 12-22 |
| 27 | St. Mary's Hospital | |
| 31* | Saracens (Wednesday 7.30 pm) | |

November

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| 3 | Gloucester | |
| 10 | Surrey v Middlesex | |
| 13 | Exeter University (Tues. 7.30 pm) | |
| 17 | Moseley | |
| 20 | Loughborough Colleges (Tuesday 7.30 pm) | |
| 24 | Waterloo | |

December

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|----|------------------------|--|
| 1* | Wasps | |
| 8 | Richmond | |
| 15 | Plymouth Albion | |
| 22 | Coventry | |
| 29 | Bedford | |

January 1985

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|----|---------------------------------------|--|
| 1 | Wasps | |
| 5* | Blackheath | |
| 8 | Durham Univ. (Tues. 7.30 pm) | |
| 12 | Exeter | |
| 13 | Middlesex Cup (4th Round) | |
| 16 | South Wales Police (Wednesday) | |
| 19 | Nottingham | |
| 26 | John Player Cup (Round 3) | |

February

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|----|--------------------------------------|--|
| 1 | Bath (Friday 7.15 pm) | |
| 3 | Middlesex Cup (Quarter Final) | |
| 9 | Sale | |
| 15 | Aberavon (Friday 7.15 pm) | |
| 23 | John Player Cup (Round 4) | |
| 24 | Middlesex Cup (Semi Finals) | |

March

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|-----|--------------------------------------|--|
| 1 | London Irish (Friday 7.30 pm) | |
| 9 | Northampton | |
| 9 | John Player Cup (Round 5) | |
| 16* | London Welsh | |
| 23 | Bristol | |
| 24 | Middlesex Cup (Final) | |
| 30 | Bridgend | |

April

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| 6 | Easter Week-end | |
| 13* | Harlequins | |

Club Notes

This morning as a curtain raiser for the International at Twickenham we welcome our friends from the West country Gloucester, thanking them for agreeing to an early start. Gloucester have had a mixed start to the season with notable victories against Coventry, Waterloo, Maesteg, but coming second against Bristol, Llanelli, Pontypridd and Swansea, however in the latter game against Swansea staging a remarkable comeback having trailed 20-6 at half time to end up losing 20-19. Four of last seasons pack toured South Africa with England in the summer namely Malcolm Preedy, Mike Teague, Steve Mills and John Fidler.

This season Andy Richards, Malcolm Preedy, John Orwin, John Gadd and Mike Teague have all appeared for the county side Gloucestershire, and Richard Pascall has played in both of Kent's games. Andy Richards who joined Gloucester this season from Lydney is their leading try scorer. Having failed to qualify for last years John Player Cup they have now made amends and will be back in business later in the season. Their playing record prior to Wednesdays game is Played 15, Won 8, Lost 7, Points For 246, Against 201.

Already we are entering one of the busiest and in terms of fixtures hardest part of the season, but with the ever increasing number of injuries and illness many of the younger members of the senior squad have found themselves quickly promoted, probably faster than they would have wanted nevertheless they have shown great determination if still lacking in some of the skills. Last Saturdays club results were notable in that the first six teams all won, in spite of County calls and injuries, to those still injured get fit soon lads the club needs you. Finally Dave Barnett has now recovered from his rib injury and is hoping to start playing again this week.

PLAYER PROFILE.

NEIL EDWARDS, aged 20, height 6ft. 4in., weight 16 stone, position lock.

Neil was educated at the City of London School and Oxford Polytechnic. He joined the Park three years ago having previously played with Old Citizens. He has represented the English Polys and is a member of the current Surrey County squad. His other sporting interests include cricket, soccer, water-polo and big game hunting and is apparently well known for singing on tours. He is currently working in estate management.

Next Match at Roehampton. Saturday 10th November. Surrey v Middlesex.

Next Home Game. Tuesday 13th November, v Exeter University. Kick-off 7.30 pm.
