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**GLOUCESTER RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB**  
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# **GLOUCESTER v. COVENTRY**

**KINGSHOLM, GLOUCESTER**

**SATURDAY, 23rd OCT., 1965. Kick-off 3-15 p.m.**

*Official Programme - Price 6d.*



## OUR VISITORS

This afternoon we give a cordial welcome to Coventry, one of the main attractions at Kingsholm each season.

It is unfortunate that, because of County commitments today, Gloucester have to field a much weakened side against such powerful opponents, as indeed they have done for several years. (Supporters will not readily forget the hiding the lads received at Coundon Road last season).

However, our worthy fixture secretary has now succeeded in making alternative arrangements, and this will be the last time that Gloucester meet Coventry on a County Match date. Next season they will play them in September, an arrangement that will now stand for future years, with the return fixture, as at present, in mid-December.

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## KINGSHOLM KACKLE

Congratulations to the nine Gloucester lads who have been selected to play in the County Championship game at Weston-super-Mare this afternoon. While we wish Gary White success, it is only natural for us to hope he will be on the losing side.

In the corresponding match at Kingsholm last season Coventry won an exciting game by 14 points to 12. Place kicking failures cost Gloucester the match – (Don Rutherford was playing in the second England Trial at Fylde that day!) – for although Terry Hopson, Brian Hudson, Nick Foice and Peter Ford all scored tries, not one of them was converted.

A familiar figure missing from the Coventry side this afternoon is George Cole, their scrum-half and prolific goal kicker. We wish him a speedy recovery from his injury – as, indeed, do Warwickshire, who felt his absence last week when they lost their opening County Championship game to East Midlands. A.R.

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**SATURDAY, 30th October**

**Kick-off 3-15 p.m.**

**GLOUCESTER v. OXFORD UNIVERSITY**

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**INTERNATIONAL MATCHES, 1966, AT TWICKENHAM**

**15th January, 1966 ENGLAND v. WALES**

**12th February, 1966 ENGLAND v. IRELAND**

Tickets : Covered Stands 31/- ; Ringside Seats 10/6

Enclosure 6/6 - Ground 5/6 (All inclusive of booking fee).

Ticket applications will only be accepted from members, in writing, to T. R. TANDY, Hon. Sec., G.R.F.C., 17 Ogbourne Close, Longlevens, Gloucester, by Monday, 1st November, 1965.

*N.B. The Secretary will not accept telephone calls re tickets etc. at his place of business*

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