



**GLOUCESTER RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB**

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# Gloucester v. St. Luke's College

KINGSHOLM - GLOUCESTER

**WEDNESDAY, 29th NOVEMBER, 1967**

**Kick-off 7-15 p.m.**

*Official Programme* - *Price 6d.*

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Referee: **M. KEST** (Somerset Society)

## GLOUCESTER (RED AND WHITE)

- Full Back**  
**1 E. STEPHENS**
- Threequarters**  
**2 N. J. FOICE** (Gloucestershire) RIGHT WING  
**3 R. G. PITT** (Gloucestershire) RIGHT CENTRE  
**4 R. JARDINE** LEFT CENTRE  
**5 J. DIX** LEFT WING
- Half Backs**  
**6 J. T. HOPSON** (Gloucestershire) OUTSIDE HALF  
**7 M. H. BOOTH** (R.A.F. : Glo'shire : Eng. Trials) SCRUM HALF
- Forwards**  
**8 J. L. FOWKE** (Gloucestershire)  
**9 M. HAMBLIN**  
**10 M. H. BURTON**  
**11 J. S. JARRETT** (Gloucestershire)  
**12 A. BRINN** (N. Midlands : Gloucestershire)  
**13 G. G. WHITE** (Somerset)  
**14 D. OWEN** (Gloucestershire)  
**15 R. SMITH** (Gloucestershire : England Trials)



**FLOODLIGHT GAMES**  
 Wednesday, Dec. 6th  
**Clifton**  
 Wednesday, Feb. 14th  
**Loughborough Cols.**  
 (All Pay)

## ST. LUKE'S COLLEGE (C) Represented County

- Full Back**  
**15 R. CODD**
- Threequarters**  
**14 P. WATSON** RIGHT WING  
**13 P. SWEET** (C) RIGHT CENTRE  
**12 J. DAVIES** (C) LEFT CENTRE  
**11 P. KNIGHT** (C) LEFT WING
- Half Backs**  
**10 I. WRIGHT** (C) OUTSIDE HALF  
**9 J. MOORE** SCRUM HALF
- Forwards**  
**1 P. BAXTER**  
**2 M. GIDDY**  
**3 G. REES** (C)  
**4 L. SMITH**  
**5 B. DAVIS** (C)  
**6 R. WILLIAMS** (C)  
**8 R. GLASHIER** (C)  
**7 M. SWAIN**

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## OUR VISITORS

This evening, for the second attractive fixture under our wonderful new floodlights, we extend a cordial welcome to St. Luke's College, Exeter, newcomers to our fixture list.

St. Luke's come to us with an impressive record, for although they lost to Rosslyn Park in London last Saturday by 11 points to nil, this was only their fourth defeat of the season. One of their other defeats was against Cheltenham at the Athletic Ground a few weeks ago in a floodlight game, but on that occasion they were not at full strength. Despite this, they were undoubtedly the more skilful and polished behind the scrum, and with more possession might have beaten the Town, who are enjoying an exceptionally fine season.

On this display, and their reputation for constructive rugger, we look forward to another entertaining game this evening, when we feel sure that St. Luke's will agree that our floodlights, like the Kingsholm turf, are without peer in the world of rugby.

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## KINGSHOLM KACKLE

Last Saturday's lucky programme number was 251, held by Mr. Richard Drinkwater, of 32 Newark Road, Gloucester, who was the richer by £5. Congratulations to Richard, who must bid fair for the title of Gloucester Rugby Club's keenest supporter – home and away !

Supporters are reminded that there are only a few seats left on the special train to Twickenham for the Varsity match next Tuesday week, December 12th. Full details may be obtained from the Central Station.

Our skipper, Don Rutherford, is now happily recovering from a nasty attack of bronchitis, while there is better news, too, of hooker Derek East, who can walk with reasonable comfort following his severe knee injury, though he is unlikely to be back in action on the rugger field for several weeks yet.

Although without so many players selected for County duties last Saturday, Gloucester acquitted themselves admirably against Newbridge and were rather unlucky to lose.

After a remarkable start to their first season in the Gloucester Cribbage League, the Rugby Club lost their second successive match last week, even the previously unbeaten Colin Teague losing for the first time, with Nigel Jackson as his partner. Nevertheless, Gloucester R.F.C. are still well placed near the top of the North section.

Next Saturday, December 2nd, brings the visit of the Dark Blues to Kingsholm, kick-off as usual at 3-15 p.m. Oxford "Unifurniture" as the Gloucestershire opening batsman, Arthur Milton, calls them, pay Gloucester the tribute of providing a stern test for them immediately prior to the Varsity match.

A.R.