



GLOUCESTER RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

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GLOUCESTER v. CLIFTON

KINGSHOLM - GLOUCESTER

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23rd, 1969

Kick-off 7-0 p.m.

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GLOUCESTER

(Red and White)

- FULL BACK**
- 1 **E. J. STEPHENS**
- THREEQUARTERS**
- 2 **R. CLEWES** R.W.
3 **J. BAYLISS (c)** R.C.
4 **T. PALMER (c)** L.C.
5 **J. GROVES (c)** L.W.
- HALF BACKS**
- 6 **T. HOPSON (c)** O.H.
7 **M. BOOTH (c)** S.H.
- FORWARDS**
- 8 **A. NIELD**
9 **P. KOCERHAN**
10 **M. BURTON (c)**
11 **R. LONG (c)**
12 **J. S. JARRETT (c)**
13 **G. WHITE (c)**
14 **R. NEWTON**
15 **R. SMITH (c) (Capt.)**

FIRST XV FIXTURES

Sept. 2 Lydney H 54-6
5 Broughton Park H 30-0
7 Moseley H 8-8
12 Cheltenham H 19-17
14 Coventry A 9-9
19 Clifton A 12-9
21*Bective Rangers H 20-6
25 Cardiff H 15-6
28 Bristol A 9-6

Oct. 2*Coventry H 15-8
5 Bedford H 21-22
10 Ebbw Vale H 16-6
12 Harlequins A 3-16
16*Bosuns H 30-8
19 Newport A 0-29
26 Old Blues H 59-0
30 Stroud H 19-5

Nov. 2 Leicester H 9-3
9 Moseley A 8-39
16 Aberavon H 11-12
23 Newbridge A 3-3
27*St. Luke's Coll. H 9-9
30 Oxford Univ. A 3-23

Dec. 7 Pontypool H 15-8
14 Bath A Can.
21 Coventry H 9-14
26 O.M.T.'s H 42-10
28 Newbridge H Can.

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- 14 **P. MARTIN** R.W.
13 **G. STEER** R.C.
12 **W. BAILEY** L.C.
11 **N. CATWAY** L.W.
- HALF BACKS**
- 10 **G. BYAS** O.H.
9 **J. CANNON** S.H.
- FORWARDS**
- 1 **D. ROGERS**
2 **M. ROBINSON**
3 **J. RAINE**
4 **A. JACOBS**
5 **K. PLUMMER**
6 **G. WATSON (Capt.)**
8 **T. HOWARD**
7 **M. WYETH**
- FIRST XV FIXTURES**
- Jan. 4 Lond.Scottish H 11-12
11 Leicester A 8-12
18 Saracens A Can.
25 Cambridge Univ H 27-5
- Feb. 1 Bristol H 5-6
7 Bath H Can.
13 Army H Can.
15 Swansea A Can.
19*Loughbro'. Col. H Can.
22 Aberavon A Can.
26 Cheltenham A 6-3
- Mar. 1 Northampton H 16-11
5 Bath H 8-6
8 R.A.F. H 25-8
12 Ebbw Vale A 6-6
15 Guys Hospital H 24-11
19 Moseley A 9-24
22 Newport H 3-8
26*Leicester H 0-6
29 Wasps A 22-14
- Apr. 3 Lydney A 19-8
5 New Brighton H 25-9
7 Fylde H 20-21
12 Pontypool A 15-6
16 Cheltenham A 16-5
19 Sale H 28-16
21 Bath A 19-13
23 Clifton H
26 Penzance A
28 Plymouth A
May 1 Stroud A
3 Exeter H

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OUR VISITORS

This evening we extend a cordial welcome to our neighbours from the south of the county, Clifton, who like to play their rugger, as intended, with the accent on handling. With Gloucester in such brilliant form and engineering clever moves, we look forward to an enjoyable game.

Clifton's visit to Kingsholm last season was on Wednesday evening, December 6th, 1967, when Gloucester won by 27 points to 6. Gary White, John Groves, Dick Smith, Richard Jardine and Ron Pitt scored Gloucester's tries, three of which were converted by Don Rutherford, who also kicked a penalty goal and a dropped goal.

KINGSHOLM KACKLE

This is certainly a memorable season for Dick Smith and the lads, who are to be congratulated on another great win over Bath on Monday evening at the Recreation Ground, a feat which few clubs achieve. Gloucester took their tally for the season to 760 pts.—an amazing total.

With the season drawing to an end no apology is made for appealing to members, friends and supporters for volunteers to join players and committee men in helping with the numerous jobs necessary to give Kingsholm a much-needed "spring-clean". These 1,001 jobs will have to be started as soon as the present season ends, and every assistance will be appreciated. You do not have to be skilled tradesmen, and those willing to give a little of their leisure time during the summer months are invited to contact secretary Terry Tandy or any committee member.

Gloucester go on their annual tour of Cornwall and Devon this weekend, and will be all out to beat both Penzance-Newlyn and Plymouth Albion to set up a new club record of victories in a season.

But there is still plenty of rugger at Kingsholm for the enthusiasts. Tomorrow evening is the Junior Cup Final of the North Gloucestershire Combination, when Longlevens "A" and Tredworth Athletic join battle for the coveted trophy. Kick-off is at 6-30 p.m.

Next Saturday, also with a 6-30 p.m. kick-off, Kingsholm stages the match between Gloucestershire Colts and Warwickshire Colts.

On return from their tour Gloucester meet Stroud at Fromehall Park next Thursday, May 1st, then end the season with the match against Exeter at Kingsholm on Saturday week, May 3rd. A.R.

LUCKY PROGRAMME NUMBERS - SALE GAME

No. 375. Mr. R. Scuffins, 24 Russett Close, Tuffley, Gloucester, won £5.

No. 587. Mr. Vaughan, 8 Windrush Road, Tuffley, Gloucester, won the cans of beer.