

# THE CITIZEN

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## GLOUCESTER ARE FROZEN OFF

Local rugby was badly affected by heavy overnight frost today with many matches called off.

The big match at Kingsholm where Gloucester were due to entertain Wasps was an early casualty and the other leading local match between Stroud and Esher was also frozen off.

Gloucester secretary Mr. Terry Tandy said that while parts of Kingsholm would have been playable by kick-off time, the area sheltered by the grandstand was frostbound.

Last night's match between Lydney and Clifton was also called off and will be re-arranged. Lydney were training today to prepare for next Saturday's John Player Cup match at London Welsh.

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