

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME.

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Gloucester Rugby Football Club

GLOUCESTER v. LYDNEY

KINGSHOLM, GLOUCESTER

SATURDAY, SEPT. 13th, 1947.

Kick-off 3-30 p.m.

Complete your Day's Pleasure
by visiting
GLOUCESTER HIPPODROME

GLOUCESTER

(Red and White)

Full Back

(1) W. HOOK

Three-quarters

(2) C. CRABTREE

(3) S. DAVIES

(4) K. DANIELL

(5) W. DIX

Half-Backs

(6) F. WALDEN

Fly Half

(7) W. MORELAND

Scrum Half

Forwards

(8) T. PRICE

(9) N. WICKHAM

(10) C. DUNN

(11) R. MORRIS

(12) S. SMART

(14) J. THORNTON

(15) C.S.M. BEAVEN

(16) G. HUDSON (Capt.)

LYDNEY

(Blue and Black)

Full Back

B. WESTON

Three-quarters

K. REES

E. TOVEY

W. D. KEAR

J. C. MORGAN

Half-Backs

D. HUGHES

Fly Half

E. J. PARFITT (Capt.)

Scrum Half

Forwards

B. HOARE

C. THOMAS

E. JONES

J. LEWIS

K. TAYLOR

L. JENKINS

K. PENN

G. CARPENTER

Referee

Mr. W. OWENS
(Bristol)

LAST PERFORMANCES OF

JAMES MASON

ROSAMUND JOHN - PAMELA KELLINO

THE UPTURNED GLASS

also Jane Withers - THE AFFAIRS OF GERALDINE

REX HARRISON

GENE TIERNEY

NEXT WEEK

THE GHOST & MRS. MUIR

also The Jones Family - BIG BUSINESS

TO-DAY

NOTES

Once again our climate is having its effect on Rugby Football, and at the moment of writing these notes the state of the ground makes Gloucester's game this Saturday uncertain. Team selection, too, is made difficult as no match practice has been attempted. After Bristol's experience of losing a player with a broken limb in an unofficial game, any attempt at a practice game was abandoned. New recruits have, therefore, had no chance to show their paces, so for a while selected teams will generally follow last season's form. T. Day, J. Watkins and K. Daniell are unfit at the time of writing, but all hope to be fit soon.

We wish our new captain, Gordon Hudson, every success. As far as is known all the 1st XV players who finished out last season will be available. In addition, Tom Price is anxious to try himself out and Dangerfield has reported his broken leg quite sound. Capt. Farmer and C.S.M. Beaven of the Gloucestershire Regiment who went to Jamaica with the 2nd Battalion last Spring are back in England.

One welcome bit of news is that a spirit of close co-operation between the Rugby Club and North Gloucestershire Combination has materialised, which augurs well for the future of rugby in the City. One of the first results of this is the securing by their mutual efforts of two rugby pitches in the Estcourt Road area for the use of local clubs.

Patrons are reminded that, as last year, the proceeds of the sale of these programmes will be devoted to the Gloucester Rugby Football Memorial Fund. The appeal of our President (A. Alcock, Esq.) at the beginning of last season still holds good, and the promoters of the Fund will continue to make every effort to secure and equip a permanent ground for the use of local clubs, which will be a memorial to old players who fell in the two World Wars. Subscriptions from patrons will be gratefully acknowledged by the Hon. Sec. (Mr. A. Hudson) who, by the way, has already done much to give this Fund a good beginning.

1947				For	Agst	1948				For	Agst
Sept	11	Stroud	...	A	—	Jan	3	London Scottish	A	—	—
"	13	Lydney	...	H	—	"	8	Army	...	H	—
"	20	Moseley	...	A	—	"	10	Leicester	...	A	—
"	27	Bristol	...	H	—	"	17	Devonport Serv.	H	—	—
Oct.	4	Bedford	...	A	—	"	24	Bristol	...	A	—
"	11	Cardiff	...	H	—	"	31	Swansea	...	H	—
"	18	Wasps	...	A	—	Feb.	7	United Services	A	—	—
"	25	Old Blues	...	H	—	"	14	Bath	...	H	—
Nov.	1	Leicester	...	H	—	"	21	Cardiff	...	A	—
"	8	Moseley	...	H	—	"	28	Oxford Univ.	H	—	—
"	15	Bath	...	A	—	Mar.	6	Northampton	A	—	—
"	22	Newport	...	H	—	"	13	Royal Air Force	H	—	—
"	27	Oxford Univ.	A	—	—	"	20	Guy's Hospital	A	—	—
"	29	Richmond	...	H	—	"	27	London Welsh	H	—	—
Dec.	6	Blackheath	...	A	—	"	29	London Hospital	H	—	—
"	13	Old Paulines	H	—	—	"	30	Lydney	...	A	—
"	20	Coventry	...	H	—	April	3	Newport	...	A	—
"	26	Old Mer. Taylors	H	—	—	"	10	Harlequins	...	H	—
"	27	Universities A.U.H.	H	—	—	"	17	Exeter	...	A	—
						"	19	Devonport Serv.	A	—	—

Played ; Won ; Lost ; Drawn ; Points for ; Points agst.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 20th.

Kick-off 3-30

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Kick-Off
3-30

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