

PONTYPOOL RUGBY  
FOOTBALL CLUB



OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

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**GLOUCESTER**

versus

**PONTYPOOL**

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Pontypool Park

Wednesday, 14th March, 1973

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**Gloucester**

<i>Full Back</i>	
E. Stephens	15
<i>Threequarters</i>	
R. Clews	R.W. 14
R. Jardine	R.C. 13
R. Morris	L.C. 12
J. Dix	L.W. 11
<i>Half Backs</i>	
B. Redwood	O.H. 10
J. Spalding	I.H. 9
<i>Forwards</i>	
R. Cowling	1
M. Nicholls	2
K. Richards	3
A. Brinn	4
J. Fidler	5
J. Watkins	6
M. Potter	8
J. Haines	7

*Referee*  
M. S. Lewis  
Cardiff

Next Home Match  
Wed., 21st Mar.  
Maesteg

**Pontypool**

<i>Full Back</i>	
T. Hoskins	15
<i>Threequarters</i>	
G. Collins	R.W. 14
I. Taylor	R.C. 13
B. Thomas	L.C. 12
P. Waters	L.W. 11
<i>Half Backs</i>	
M. Parry	O.H. 10
D. Thomas	I.H. 9
<i>Forwards</i>	
A. Faulkner	1
A. Talbot	2
G. Price	3
R. Williams	4
R. Floyd	5
B. Gregory	6
M. Harrington	8
T. Cobner (c)	7

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**Welcome GLOUCESTER**

Tonight we extend a warm welcome to English opponents Gloucester for the only meeting between the teams this season. Gloucester have such a heavy fixture list that they have had to cut games against Welsh clubs to one per season. Last season Gloucester took our ground record with a fine display of attacking Rugby.

Last week Pontypool consolidated their position at the top of the Welsh MERIT TABLE with a fine display of attacking rugby with a win against Newbridge. The game was fast and open with Newbridge entering into the spirit of things despite losing a player just after half time. Incidentally, Rothmans, the cigarette firm are entertaining the winners of the MERIT TABLE with a dinner to be held at the end of the season. On Saturday Pontypool beat Glamorgan Wanderers at Ely. The game was drab in comparison with recent weeks, but the win kept Pontypool up with the leaders in the championship table. Next Sunday, 18th March, there will be a film show held in the club. The films to be shown include this years Barbarians versus New Zealand game.

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