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**SWANSEA CRICKET  
AND FOOTBALL CLUB**  
FOUNDED 1873

ST. HELEN'S GROUND, SWANSEA

**SWANSEA** 46

-v-

**GLOUCESTER** 16

**SATURDAY, 3rd SEPTEMBER, 1983**

**Kick-Off — 3.00 p.m.**

Programme — 20p (Donation to Club)

**THE SWANSEA CRICKET & FOOTBALL CLUB**

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# SWANSEA

Colours : All White

- 15 MARK WYATT\*
- 14 TONY SWIFT\*
- 13 KEVIN HOPKINS
- 12 DAVID RICHARDS\* (Capt.)
- 11 ARTHUR EMYR
- 10 MALCOLM DACEY\*
- 9 HUW DAVIES
- 1 GARETH JOHN
- 2 JEFF HERDMAN
- 3 KEITH COLCLOUGH
- 4 BARRY CLEGG\*
- 5 TREVOR CHEESEMAN\* or  
MIKE GRIFFITHS
- 6 GARETH ROBERTS
- 8 MIKE RUDDOCK
- 7 MARK DAVIES\* or ROY LEWIS  
TREVOR CHEESEMAN\*

Replacements: CARL DOUGLAS, HUGH GILSON

*W R BLYTH \**

Referee:  
Mr. KEN ROWLANDS, Ynysybwl

Cefnwr	Full Back
Asgell Dde	Right Wing
Canolwr De	Right Centre
Canolwr Chwith	Left Centre
Asgell Chwith	Left Wing
Maswr	Outside Half
Mewnwr	Inside Half
Y Rheng Flaen	Prop
Bachwr	Hooker
Y Rheng Flaen	Prop
Clo	Lock
Clo	Lock
Blaenasgell	Flanker
Wythwr	No.8
Blaenasgell	Flanker

# GLOUCESTER

Colours : Red & White

- 15 TIM SMITH
- 14 PHIL PRITCHARD
- 13 RICHARD MOGG
- 12 PAUL TAYLOR
- 11 NICK PRICE
- 10 MIKE HAMLIN
- 9 STEVE BAKER
- 1 GORDON SARGENT (Capt.)\*
- 2 STEVE MILLS\*
- 3 PHIL BLAKEWAY\*
- 4 JOHN ORWIN
- 5 JOHN BRAIN
- 6 JOHN GADD
- 8 MIKE TEAGUE
- 7 MIKE LONGSTAFF

Replacements: M. DURKIN, K. WHITE

\* denotes Internationals

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FOOTBALL CLUB**

**OFFICERS 1983-84**

Life Patron:  
His Hon. Judge Rowe Harding  
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Club Chairman: Ivor Morgan  
Hon. Treasurer: Alun Thomas  
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J. Gwyn White  
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Hon. Fixture Sec.: Vivian Davies

Captains:  
1st XV: D. Richards  
2nd XV: K. Williams

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John Morgan, Peter Ridgewell,  
Jack Timothy, Ted Chapman,  
Miss Margaret Pughe, Mr. Alf  
Leonard, G. Lindenburn.

## FOREWORD

Last season was undoubtedly the most successful in the Club's history. Not only did Swansea play quality rugby and collect the majority of the awards available, it was also reflected in the healthy financial position of the Club as presented by Treasurer, Mr. Alun Thomas.

Last season's successful captain, David Richards, has been elected to take charge again this season in what promises to be another exciting one. In addition to the home international matches, we also have a visit to this country by Japan in October, and the tour to Rumania by Wales in November.

To open the new season at St. Helen's, our visitors are from the heart of the English west country rugby stronghold — Gloucester. They are, of course, renowned for their forwards and regularly provide a steady supply to the English pack.

They have at their disposal an impressive front row of international players in Gordon Sargeant, who captains the side, prop Phil Blakeway, a Barbarian and British Lion, and hooker Steve Mills. Second row forward Steve Boyle was one of the few successes on the recent New Zealand tour. They also have, in flanker John Gadd, an experienced player at England U-23 and B level.

Gloucester have been successful in the RFU John Player Cup competition. They held the Cup in 1972, 1978, and shared the trophy with Moseley in 1982.

Swansea have appointed a new Chairman to succeed Mr. Norman Blyth. He is Mr. Ivor Morgan, a former Swansea player and WRU referee. He did sterling work with the Athletic and was Chairman for five years. We wish him every success in his new office. While congratulating Mr. Morgan, we also pay tribute to Mr. Norman Blyth who has held the post for the past three years. He carried out his duties with dignity and is held in high esteem in rugby circles.

GLAN LEWIS

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