

OLD COLLEGIANS RUGBY NEWS.

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Teams for Round 2 - April 15th.

	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
F.B.	WATTERS	MILLER	D. FARRAH	WHITEHOUSE
W	LEICKE	SMITH	PELESKA	DAWSON
W	CLUES	TRENGOVE	CLARK	WHITING
O.C.	SCHARTZER	YEATES	BIVEN	CHATFIELD
I.C.	HUTTON	GAMLIN	SANGER	KERR GRANT
5/8	WATTERS R.	DAVIDSON	TYE	DUTTON (1)
$\frac{1}{2}$	HAUSER	BAINBRIDGE	SUTTELL	HAYES
B.A.	BOSWELL	ROBERTS	QUODLING	DESFONTAINES
B.A.	THEILE	MILLAR	OWENS	HAWSE
L.	JACOBS	SCOTT	DOUGLAS	P. FARRAH
2 R	SZUSTER	PEARSON	BENNETT	GOODWIN
2 R	FRANKS	LESLIE	MOONEY	MUNDAY
F.R.	GRACE	MANSON	MAXWELL	MCCARTHY
F.R.	GJERIN	TUBENHAUSER		TONKINS
H.	BURGESS	BOLADIS	DUTTON (3)	MESENER

These teams are subject to alteration and if your name does not appear arrive at the 4th grade game with your gear and be ready to play as your club needs you.

1st Grade.

The opening match of the 1972 season proved to be a disappointment for the first XV, because after leading 3-0 for most of the game, the team was beaten by Glenelg when the latter scored a converted try a few minutes before no side. Glenelg, from all accounts are likely to be our main opposition again this season and with only two complete rounds to be played this season, this loss could be costly in the tussle for the minor premiership.

Collegians were most impressive in the first half and after a hotly contested beginning we looked to have Glenelg's measure for much of the term without fully extending our resources. The grudge element was ever present which provided a couple of blatant incidents. Collegians forwards were playing well at this stage, giving little away in the quest for possession, and most members defended well. We saw a number of well executed backline movements, which despite a little trouble in judging passes, looks good for future games. Penalties were freely given each way and Collegians only score was a penalty goal kicked by Schwartz, which for a while put the team on its toes as a long passage of play ensued within ten yards of Glenelg's line where we did everything but score.

1st Grade Cont.

With the advent of rain in the second half Collegians play deteriorated, and Glenelg were allowed to look dangerous at times. They certainly had it in for our backs at times, and rightly so because our combination was working extremely well. Glenelg showed more ability to handle the wet ball than we did and scored a try, which was converted, to take the lead and eventually win.

Amongst Collegian's forwards Boswell was most impressive. The backs were dominated by the Hauser, Watters combination. Fern S₂uster played a good game along with Chris Watters, Neil Schwartzter and Dave Farrow.
J.D.

2nd Grade

Main game of the day at Bailey Reserve last Saturday was Collegians II's versus Glenelg's II's. A very pleasing game for all concerned and especially for Alan Desfontaines - Team Coach.

The Team was somewhat sceptical about playing what appeared to be a bigger, faster, heavier and perhaps more practiced Glenelg side. However, even from kick off we seemed to be confident and willing to dictate play despite lost of ball from most set play.

Slight advantage may have been with us in the first half, regarding slope and weather conditions. Good attacking and defensive play was the order of the half. A Glorious backline combination, initiated from a short quick "25 dropout" by Gordon (always thanking) Bainbridge, between Davey Trengove and Rod Gamlin (after a few somersaults) resulting in a corner try by the former.

Second half was more of a sluggish one but at times both our forwards and backs looked dangerous. A quick backline movement with a gutsy effort by "Tulley" resulted in another try this time to Rod Gamlin. Our play was virtually marred only once, close to the end of the game, when backs failed to tackle properly and gave away an easy try for Glenelg. Final score 8-4 (our way)!

Forwards played well (especially Frank Millar bustling and aggravating their half and 5/8th. Tackling in the backs was generally good Tulley dishing out a few "Heavies" (hate to be on the receiving end). Although we did not gain much ball from set play (practice required) "Dog" Roberts scored very well in "Line outs" and what ball we gained we made use of.

Best players :- Forwards - Millar, Roberts, Cooper
Backs - Bainbridge, Leicke(Tull) Davidson. A.D.

3rd Grade

Sorry about the thirds but we have no match coverage from this corner. Sufficient to say that they won and Dave Biven scored his usual try. Best Players were Sanger, Tye, Goodwin, Quodling, Yeates and Owens.

It is hoped that a report from the Team managers will be made available to the editors from the future matches.
H.K.G.

Fantastic (Fit) Fabulous Fighting Fours

The fighting fours did not have a good start to the '72 season losing badly, being unsettled with players in unacustomed positions. No doubt this will be rectified for the second match and the Fours will once more play in the dashing style that we all know and love. However, do not think from the scores 30-18, that the team did not fight on. All points were scored for us in the last 15 minutes, starting with a magnificent try from P. Farrah.

Best Players :- P. Farrah and L. Hayes.

Training

Tuesdays and Thursdays at Tregenza Oval. Don't let your mates down come to training and work hard for a couple of hours a night and let your face be seen in the crowd.

Subs are now due - payable to D. Leslie and A Davidson

- \$12.50 - Senior players
- \$ 7.50 - Junior players
- \$ 7.50 - Associate Members

Sunday Sport Special

All who attended have deep sympathy for those who did not, as an extremely good time was had by all. That nectar of the Gods, a beautiful amber colour, flowed nicely all day, supported by some of the best meat to come off a B-B-Q. Among the social climbers, and jet set, were seen:- Greg Jacobs, gloriously decked out in a white plaster cast, who decided that it needed a wash. Dick Dutton, dressed in a very natty pint tankard, who celebrated his 21st by going for a swim. Bert Rogers was also to be seen playing at being master chef ably assisted by his underling Drunken Leslie. Also to be seen in a sea of faces singing raucous rugby songs, was the well known non-drinker Eric helping to demolish a keg. Observed under a weeping willow were John Boswell and Tulley who seemed to be trying to pull each other's heads off - not too sure what was going on! Many thanks to the girls for preparing the salads and meat, also to P. Farrah and D. Leslie for providing the arena and to Duncan once again, for doing most of the heavy organising.

Special Bulletin

Two vacancies exist on the management board of the S.A. Rugby Union O.C.'s have been asked for nominations for these positions. Apply

- Bert Rogers - Bus. 62 6112
Home 32 1568 or
- T. Maxwell - Bus. 51 6971
Home 67 2719

Saturday 15/4/72 Games

All players to be organised (stripped) 30 minutes before the start of their respective games.

- 1st Grade - Old Collegians v's University - Waite Oval 3.00 p.m.
- 2nd Grade - " " " " - Tregenza Oval 3.00 p.m.
- 3rd Grade - " " " " - Waite Oval 1.30 p.m.
- 4th Grade - " " " Salisbury Teachers - Tregenza 1.30 p.m.

Next Social Function

A chance to gain back the cash you forked out for subs (or earn yourself enough to pay them '!!!')

Sat. 29th April - bring your own grog to Dave Jacobs place for a few games (gambling, pool-billiards, pin ball, chocolate wheels, etc.) Sure to be a great evening undercover in "The Bakery" - there are a few dark corners to get to know your girls (or someone else's) a little better if you desire.

Dave Jacobs Joint,
60 Weller Street,
GOODWOOD PARK

Lost and Found.

1. Lost from last year, 2 medical kits urgently required as a substitute for 'The Magic Water'. Please bring them, whoever has them, to training, either Tues. or Thurs. nights to be restocked.
2. Lost several players from last year. How the H... can Max and the selectors pick teams if we haven't seen or heard from a few of you chaps - Get out and train!
3. Lost several balls from last year (about 8 in fact). Expensive equipment, if you are going to be irresponsible its no wonder subs are going up. Help team managers look after our gear - players and spectators alike please.
4. Lost 2 full sets of jumpers - admittedly some are in a 'sorry state' but if you have a club one bring it to games and look after them - They're another one of our high expense items. Team jumpers are only being supplied to the Firsts this year so tow the line blokes (Get it on for Old Coll!)

Found - Next week - results of this week's Lost column!!!

Clubhouse Report.

As spectators at the A grade match observed, work is progressing at a fine rate of knots. (All subscriptions, donations etc. gratefully received.)