



Weymouth R.F.C. Newsletter



Monthly

December



Weymouth R.F.C. 1st XV Season 2011-12
Back row L to R: Paul Harding (Head Coach), Gw Paroku, Harry Charles, Alex Villanor, Pat Merrit, Nick Sheppard, Jonathan Mason, David Oakford, John Leather, William Quick, Joel Wilson, Ryan Keeble-Kraetsch, Ben MacConnachie.
Front row L to R: Craig Barber, Adam Hoxey, Joe Gibson (Vice-Captain), Des Quick (President), Glyn Arnold (Chairman), Julian Quick (Captain), George Carter, Nathan Abani, Sue Berry (First Aid)

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Diff	B Pts	Pts	Adj st
Weymouth	8	7	0	1	239	72	167	7	35	0
Swanage & W II	8	6	0	2	215	116	99	5	29	0
Westbury	8	6	0	2	199	118	81	3	27	0
Warminster	8	5	0	3	159	108	51	2	23	0
Sherborne II	8	4	0	4	140	143	-3	5	22	0
Bridport	8	3	0	5	140	159	-19	5	17	0
Frome II	8	4	0	4	91	168	-77	1	17	0
Ivel Barbarians	8	4	0	4	232	132	100	5	16	-5
North Dorset II	8	3	0	5	170	231	-61	3	15	0
Bournemouth III	8	3	0	5	152	185	-33	4	11	-5
Salisbury II	8	2	0	6	129	196	-67	4	7	-5
Ellingham & Ringwood II	8	1	0	7	103	341	-238	2	6	0

Weymouth 1st Xv are top of Dorset & Wilts 1 South and after the victory against Westbury they are in the final of the Dorset & Wilts cup. The date & venue of the final is still to be confirmed but we will be playing Supermarine. Well done to the team, Pablo Harding and the Coaching Staff, keep up the good work.

Xmas & New year Games / Training dates

17th December 3rd Xv Home to Dorchester III,
26th December Boxing Day Game KO 1300,
7th January 1st Home to Salisbury & 2nds
Home to North Dorset III
Mini & Youth Xmas Party is on Sunday 18th
December and then we are Back on the 8th
January.
**Senior Training will be cancelled from the
17th December till the 3rd January.**
**Mini & Youth mid week training will stop
from the 18th December and resume on the
4th January**

Seasons Greetings

We wish you all a merry

Christmas & Happy

New Year .



Annual Boxing Day game 2011



Every year we look forward to the boxing day game and this year is not exception. The game will be played between the Chairman's XV and Presidents XV.

Meet at the club 12 o clock , kick off 1300 everybody that brings there boots will get a game !

Volunteer of the Month November 2011

The volunteers of the Month for October 2011 are Chris Plummer and Ben & Lisa Kiff

Chris for those of you that don't know, is one of the Senior playing coaches at the club and on match days he supports the 2nd XV team as coach and team manager.

Ben & Lisa Kiff are part of the team of volunteers that coaches the under 6's at the club, Lisa is team manager and Ben helps to deliver the fun games to the young players.

Under 13's & 14's win away at Lychett



The under 13's & 14's played Lychett and both teams were worthy winners.

The under 13's won 47-14 & the under 14's won 24-12 a good result for both teams. Well done to all of the players and the coaches / team manager and first aiders for there help and support



Under 9's vs. Blandford

Weymouth 15 v Blandford 5 & Weymouth 35 v Blandford 5

Weymouth's solid defending and some great attacking moves saw Weymouth U9's produce two impressive wins against Blandford. Two tries were scored by Ian Clements and the other by Toby Diment-Aylott in match one. With a further 3 tries by Ian Clements, 2 by Harry Baker, 1 by Toby Diment-Aylott and the last one scored by Sam Burton in match two. The team worked hard and some good defensive work was carried out by Brodie Miller, Reid Hutchins, Callum Carter, Liam Howlett, Harvey Weston and Jules Hicks





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Match day photographs

The website is regularly updated with photos from all of the games and events, please take time to view the photos and thank you to all of the photographers. The page also contains links to Idris Martin and Mark Freeman's photo galleries.

www.weymouthrfc.org.uk/gallery/index.asp



The Vets vs. Blandford which we narrowly lost 20-15. If you look carefully you will see Ian Tibble with his Fabulous Moustache which he has grown in Support of Movember

Date for your Diary, Sunday 11th December



Weymouth Ladies vs. Southampton Ladies Kick Off 14:00 at the Club. Come along and support the ladies in there first game. The Bar will be Open

Injured Players Get Well Soon



The club has a list of injured player as does most clubs and we wish them a Speedy Recovery. The players on the sideline at the moment include Kevin

Leatham, George Carter, Ryan Lewendon, Chris Hurrell, James Borrington & Chris Calton



Gordon Tye and Matt Horton playing for the 2nd XV against Wheatsheaf Cabin Crew. The 2nds went on to win 46-0, the team are now 3rd in Dorset & Wilts 2 South. Well done to the Team and a special thank you to coach Chris Plummer & Captain Kevin Leatham



The club is sporting some fabulous moustaches in support of Movember. The picture is off David Stone and Chris Calton showing off there examples

Next month we will have some more photos



LAW'S LOW-DOWN

Sign Language

Do a ref's waving arms leave you confused? Well, Premiership official David Rose is here to help by demonstrating the key signals...

<p>Penalties are shown by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>	<p>Free-kicks are given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>	<p>Advantage is given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>	<p>Scrum is given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>
<p>Forward pass is given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>	<p>Knock-on is given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>	<p>Not reconing is given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>	<p>Tackle not releasing is given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>
<p>Not making ready is given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>	<p>Offside of backle is given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>	<p>Diving to ground is given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>	<p>Unplayable ball is given by the referee's right arm held straight up in the air. The referee's left arm is held straight out to the side. The referee's right hand should be held flat.</p>

Rugby Union : The Scrum

The scrum is a means of restarting play after a stoppage which has been caused by a minor infringement of the Laws (for example, a forward pass or knock on) or the ball becoming unplayable in a ruck or maul. The scrum serves to concentrate all the forwards and the scrum halves in one place on the field, providing the opportunity for the backs to mount an attack using the space created elsewhere.



The ball is thrown into the middle of the tunnel between the two front rows, at which point the two hookers can compete for the ball, attempting to hook the ball back in the direction of their team mates. The team who throws the ball into the scrum usually retains possession, because the hooker and scrum half can synchronise their actions. Once possession has been secured, a team can keep the ball on the ground and in the scrum and attempt to drive the opposition down field. Alternatively, they can bring the ball to the hindmost foot of the scrum, where the ball is then passed into the back line and open play resumes again.