

Tregenza Times

Old Collegians Rugby Union Club inc.



Wednesday 22nd July 2015

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MORPHETT STREET ENTRANCE.

WHEN: SATURDAY 8TH AUGUST 2015.

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**Mums, Wives, Girlfriends,
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**For The Young
and The Young
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Pamper pack, door prize,
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Cost: \$40.00pp

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Dress Code: Think Pink

Watch OC take on Onkaparinga

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Social Club – Save the Date

<u>Saturday 25th July:</u>	Ladies Day on the balcony supporting breast cancer. For the women of our Club, mums, wives, girlfriends, supporters, players and friends. Join us and be pampered by the boys of OC. Limited tickets – more information following.
<u>Saturday 1st August:</u>	Miss Collegians
<u>Saturday 8th August:</u>	Old Collegians Ball Celebrating 30 Year of Old Collegian's Juniors
<u>Saturday 15th August:</u>	Sponsors/Volunteers Day
<u>Friday 18th September:</u>	Senior Presentation Night
<u>Sunday 20th September:</u>	Junior Presentation Day

1st Grade Match Report

Old Collegians 58 v Southern Suburbs 0

Tries: Riady Perdana, Sandy Taylor, Gary Mann (2), Delano Leen, Paddy Macklin (2), Tim Pickerill, Will Sadler, Jack Campion

Conversions: Will Sadler (2), Stuart Robertson (2)

Best Players: Riady Perdana, Todd Lewis, Paddy Macklin

First Grade starting debut - Todd Lewis

First Grade return - Paul Ka-Boom McFadden

The first grade lost the first encounter against Souths earlier in the season, so it was important to re-establish our credentials and take away a convincing win, particularly in light of the forthcoming two top of the table games with Onkaparinga and Burnside. The 10 try performance went a ways towards this and notably Old Colls were able to keep Souths from crossing our own line.

Old Colls and Souths traded possession and field position early on, then a good take of a high kick by Pickerill deep in our own half provided a counter-attacking opportunity and the backs ran and passed through the hands across the field, where Macklin found space out wide and broke through to score. Old Colls had momentum from the restart as a chip over the Souths line was chased hard and regathered by Sadler to provide a good attacking platform 30m out, with the following driving phases by the forwards pushing closer to the line until Taylor crossed for a try.

Old Colls used their control of the set piece to retain most of the pill for the balance of the first 30 minutes. In short time the driving work of the forward pods took play to the Souths 22 and Macklin forced another hole in the defensive line to cross underneath the posts. Souths showed their frustration and conceded several penalties, one of which was kicked close to their line where Mann scored from a well constructed lineout. The fifth try of the half came following a scrum on our 10m line, as Leen slipped through a gap and offloaded to Macklin, who occupied the last defender and passed to Sadler to score. Souths attacked for the last 10 minutes and spent considerable time in our 22, but our defence held and we took a 29 – 0 lead into the break.

The first 15 minutes of the second half were scrappy from both sides, but eventually a decisive run from Macklin moved us over the gain line and after several phases in South's red zone Smedley put Perdana into space and he crashed over to score under the posts.

Old Colls continued the preference for running play rather than kicking for territory, and the focus on quick phases changing the point of the attack across the field created space and opportunities for Leen and then Pickerill to each score tries.

In the last 10 minutes Old Colls constantly pressured the Souths defence and our forwards ground away to earn two more tries from in close. Firstly, an attempted clearing kick from a Souths-fed scrum on their 5m line was charged down in-goal and Campion dived on the loose ball to score. Finally, Mann made good metres off the back of a scrum in the 22 to be held up over the line, but went again quickly from the next scrum to score in the last play of the game.



2nd Grade Match Report

Old Collegians 20 v Southern Suburbs 0
Forfeit

3rd Grade Match Report

Old Collegians 19 v Barossa 18

Tries: Justin Elder; Dave Nolan (2)

Conversions: Sam Walwyn (2)

Best on Ground: Will McLeay; Justin Elder; Derek Lewis

On Thursday night, yet again we found ourselves short of a back, but with Souths forfeiting Div2, Burgo and Denley were able to help out and make up the numbers. So we started with a strong looking balanced team. We are aggressive from the kick-off and break the line to move close to the Rams 22 where we are awarded a penalty. We win the lineout and rumble the ball forward and to the right for Elder to score. Walwyn converts. Rams are aggressive, especially at the breakdown and win possession running the ball into our half. We hand them a couple of penalties, the second being mid-field where they successfully shoot for goal. 7-3 Another dangerous Rams raid is halted by some great defense from which we regain possession and advance the ball effectively, assisted by a couple of penalties. We win a lineout around the 22 on left wing and move the ball quickly to an unmarked Nolan on the right wing. He trots in for a try and Walwyn again converts bringing the score to 14-3. The ball is moved back and forth for some time until the Rams break out, are awarded a penalty and a few phases later score. McLeay charges down the conversion attempt from in-front. From a left-field lineout win, the ball is moved quickly to the right and finds Stewie and Nolan with an overlap.

Stewie probably could have scored, but to make sure he passed off to Dave for his second. A scuffle breaks out following the lineout as a Rams back rower delivers a Liverpool kiss and a couple of punches to Booboo. He is shown a yellow card and half-time is blown with the score at 19-8.

The Rams start the second half with renewed vigor and look very dangerous. We are scrambling in defense trying to contain them and concede several penalties moving them into our red zone where they take a shot but miss. We are struggling to contain another another attack when the Rams take a penalty kick for touch which should have seen them with the lineout well inside our 22. Instead they relieve the pressure on us by kicking it dead. The ball is being moved up and down the field, mostly between the 22s, neither team being able to finish due largely to the disruption caused by a flood of penalties. We concede a penalty whilst defending close to our line which provides the platform for the Rams to score their second try. 19-15. We work the ball through ferocious defense into the Rams 22 and look like scoring, before knocking on and allowing the Rams to relieve. A serious break-out on the Rams right wing is arrested as the speedy carrier falls victim to a copy-book Chester tackle which also puts him into touch and saves an almost certain try. Rams regain possession and are hammering at our defense inside 10. We concede several penalties which sees Will binned and soon after the Rams scoring again bringing the score to 19-18. In the final gripping minutes we have a call of 'not straight' on a penalty lineout. The pressure is telling on both sides as, for the first time in the match, the resultant scrum has to be reset several times. The ref has had enough and Rams are awarded a scrum penalty. They then hand us a penalty. The lineout is the last play, we win it and kick the ball into touch to win a nail-biter 19-18 against the undefeated Rams. To beat them again we need to smarten up our work at the breakdown – Rams were exceptional. We also need to get clean ball wide where we outflank them.



Women's Match Report

Old Collegians 10 v Southern Suburbs 43

No Match Report

U 18's Match Report

Old Collegians 15 v Burnside 36

After a week of not many on the training track it seemed numbers this week were going to be depleted. Our team showed a lot of character and started the game with 12. We didn't have a front row and as a result it was decided that there would be uncontested scrums. We held Burnside at bay for the first 10 minutes. They then managed to find a hole in our defence. From the restart our quality backline managed to get clean ball and moved it wide with Kaleb crossing the try line after a great run.

A couple of missed tackles saw Burnside run the ball through the middle and out wide to score twice. We had a couple of players join us for the game, which seemed to slow our effort at first, but good play saw us rumble the ball up and one of the new players forced his way through their defence to score. We were still in the game. At half time there was a lot of positive energy within our team, we were up for the contest. After the restart a couple of errors cost us to see them score another 2 tries. Next the try of the day was scored...a clean ball from the base of the scrum and quick hands got the ball to Max Douglass who ran from the 22 through Burnside's defence. It was a team lifting moment; we had a real go on Saturday and showed some passion but run out of gas and missed out on the majority of the points being scored. We need consistent stronger numbers at training; this will help us with our fitness and team structure. Let's give it our best and finish the season off strong. We've got a bye this weekend followed by Burnside at home. We'll have everybody in red and blue behind us.

U 16's Match Report

Old Collegians 40 v Barossa/NEDS 12

Try Scorers: Magnus Illman (3), Rory Illman, Alfie Malcom, Brad Killick

Conversions: Ben Viljoen (5)

With sickness and injury rife in the team (including perhaps at least 6 boys that ordinarily would not have played), along with absenteeism through being the final weekend of school holidays, a squad of only 14 took on a strong NEDS/Rams contingent.

We were fortunate to receive 3 very competent and able volunteers from the U14s to back up our meagre squad of players. Thanks to James Du Preez, George Hewitt and Seaton Siegfried for benching up this week. We hope to see more of these players in the future.

The first half saw our boys dominating the forward play and moving the ball swiftly to the backs. By half time through great team play we had achieved bonus points, going into half time 26-5 up.

As we moved into the second half on this fresh Barossa day, the colds took their toll on the team and NEDS/Rams team stated to come back strongly. Although never under any true threat our boys completed the second half by scoring a further 2 tries and conceding 1.

Well done to the team on Saturday being Brad, Tom, Ben H, James R, Josh, Alfie, Doug, Patrick, Ben V, Rory, Magnus, Jasper, Adam and Michael who gallantly made it up to Lyndoch. Again thanks to James DP, George and Seaton who played out of their skins to support the U16s in their hour of need.

Best players: Everyone.

U 14's Match Report

Old Collegians 69 v Vikings 5 (Wednesday night game 15th July at Gleneagles Reserve)

What a week in rugby for the U14's. The U14's boys were faced with two games close together, their first was played under lights at Gleneagles against Vikings on Wednesday night (15/7) and the second at Lyndoch Oval against the Barossa Rams on the Saturday. The U14's round prior to the school holidays was deferred to avoid any possible injury to those representing the state in a competition on the Gold Coast.

The evening game at Gleneagles against the Vikings and in the freezing cold, started with the Vikings scoring the first try and while the conversion was being attempted the lights went out!! While the lighting system was being reset there was an opportunity for the Old Collegian's boys to absorb the early coaching inspiration and to refocus themselves on the game at hand. This produced a whole different approach from the team who managed to hold the Vikings out from scoring any more tries.

There were tries scored by James Du Preez, Seaton Siegfried, Elijah Moaga, Jacob Osborne, Tane Pardoe and Lefatu Egglestone. Conversions by George Hewitt. It was a great team effort by all our team members, who fully supported those that got over the line.

Old Collegians 104 v Barossa Rams 10

After the unusual training session/game on the Wednesday evening at Gleneagles the team was off to Lyndoch Oval to play the second game of the season against the Barossa Rams. This game was almost a continuation of the game against the Vikings. The Barossa Rams were able to put on a try in the first half and were able to bring it up to the Old Collegian's players, however after the mid game break it was a different story. Where after the Barossa Rams struggled to make an impression on a focussed Old Colls team. In the dying moments of the game the Barossa Rams scored their second try.

The Old Collegian's tries were scored by Oscar Wynne-Jones, Andrew Macfadyen, James Du Preez, Lochie Edwards, George Hewitt, Jacob Osborne, Seaton Siegfried, Max Monfries, Elijah Moaga, Lefatu Egglestone and Jack Richards. Conversions were performed by George Hewitt, Max Monfries and Elijah Moaga. Once again this try scoring achievement would not have been made possible without the contribution by the other team members. Well done everyone.



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U 12's Match Report

Old Collegians 47 v Barossa/NEDS 5

The winter sun shone brightly as Old Cols began scoring soon after the opening whistle.

The first try to Old Collegians was set up by Veaco with a characteristic kick and run. Followed up by Alecia run and pass to Katie who scored. Ethan scored next from a rucked possession within the 20 metre mark. The third try was scored by Bertie, after the ball had travelled down the back line to Xanib. Some rucking ensued and Bertie snatched a high tap and put it down over the line. The fourth try was by Jayden after some excellent team work of rucking and passing out to the backs, and the last try During the first half was scored by Veaco with a great run from midfield. I should mention that Noah nearly scored, putting the ball down inches from the try line. Katie was outstanding as hooker, winning many scrums. Towards the end of the first half a kick by Morris and a 5 meter scrum also nearly resulted in try.

The second half was a more closely contested competition. In this half Old Collegians scored two tries and NEDS one. During this half NEDS put up a concerted effort, helped by some of the Old Collegians players, playing for them as their numbers were low. These players included Dakota, Willem, Callum and Tom Mocatta. Well done to them and any others who played for the opposition. Half way through the second half, there was some terrific defence work on the NEDS try line, where Old Collegians forced a turnover. Having possession, Veaco dribbled the ball (Soccer style) 60 metres with five NED's players on his heels, and then handled the ball to score once safely over the Old Cols try line. The final Old Collegians try was scored by Alecia, who had played well all day, illustrating committed tackling on more than one occasion. Kade and Morris also deserves a mention for their tackling.

The variety of Old Collegians players who scored illustrates what a great team effort was on display for this game. Well done.



U 10's Match Report

Old Collegians v Barossa/NEDS

After a very early and very cold start the u10's kicked off at the Lyndoch Oval. Fielding a strong and eager team, playing on a full pitch, it wasn't long before the players started running the ball and putting points on the board.

Some good strong running saw Max Gordon score two tries and set up some good play earned him player of the match and some committed tackles and clever rugby saw Sam Lindow awarded best tackler for the day.

A really great team effort and the coaching staff pleased to see all the work in practice being implemented into match play. Final score, eleven tries to two. Great work and see everyone on Saturday.



U 8's Match Report

Old Collegians v Barossa/NEDS

The U8s turned up bright and early at a thankfully mud-free Lyndoch Oval on Saturday morning. The Barossa/ NEDs team could only field 3 players, so 6 of the Old Colls players volunteered each half to play for the opposition which meant we could play 9 a side with no-one having to spend time on the bench. This led to a very even match, with some great rugby played as we love to tackle each other! It was great to see Salvi and Eddie running straight and being taken down by 3 or 4 tacklers, to see Tyson and Ivan using their good passes to find space for their team mates, whilst Mawson carried on tackling anything that moved, and Jackson Denley found space and ran the tries in- whoever he was playing for!

Special mentions to Jackson B and Louis for their commitment in the tackle, to Joseph, Noah, Sasha, Marcus and Olly who remembered their coach's words and kept making a line in defence next to the ruck, and to Dyfrig new to the club and in his first game of tackle rugby ever, who ran in a brace of tries and made some good tackles. Player of the day was Finlay, who must have had several bowls full of porridge that morning, as he tackled the big runners with great technique! The team was well led by Tyson who was the captain for the day.



U 7's Match Report

Old Collegians v Barossa/NEDS

Strong turnout but less than most weeks, with 18 which gave both OC Red and OC Blue U7 players more pitch time than usual. We are starting to see some of the younger players really develop and it was great to see a lot more structure in the play, though getting back on side still continues to be something to work on.

Good spread of offensive play with Quillien, Daniel, Hudson, Alex, Anika and Joe Lohse all scoring tries for Old Collegians or for NEDS, for those who filled in to make up a NEDS side; one of the good results from the kids being required to pass a few times before taking a run for the try line. Player of the match went to Hamish for his strong running and aggressive touch/tagging chasing down the NEDS players more than a few times.

Encouragement award to James Hicks for getting some good runs in and Alex Smitham who played his first match for Old Collegians. Final result 7 – 7.



Match Draw – Round 14 - 25th July 2015

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Opposition</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Start Time</u>
Saturday	25 th July	U7's	Onkaparinga	Tregenza Oval	8:10am
Saturday	25 th July	U8's	Onkaparinga	Tregenza Oval	8:10am
Saturday	25 th July	U10's	Onkaparinga	Tregenza Oval	9:10am
Saturday	25 th July	U12's	Onkaparinga	Tregenza Oval	10:10am
Saturday	25 th July	U14's	Onkaparinga	Parkinson Oval	10:10am
Saturday	25 th July	U16's	Onkaparinga	Parkinson Oval	11:20pm
Saturday	25 th July	U18's	BYE		
Saturday	25 th July	Womens	Onkaparinga	Tregenza Oval	11:20am
Saturday	25 th July	3 rd Grade	Onkaparinga	Tregenza Oval	12:40pm
Saturday	25 th July	Reserve Grade	Onkaparinga	Tregenza Oval	2:00pm
Saturday	25 th July	Premier Grade	Onkaparinga	Tregenza Oval	3:20pm

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