

LAUGHARNE R.F.C.

The Club

The Township of Laugharne is known throughout the literary world as the home of Dylan Thomas. Laugharne RFC is renowned through the rugby world for the enterprising play of its backs and the stern test afforded by its forwards to any team.

Centenary

No-one is quite sure when Laugharne Rugby Football Club was formed or the game itself first played here. Our Centenary year took place in 1993/94 because an 1893/4 team photograph is our earliest actual proof of the Club's formation. However, it is said locally that Laugharne had a Rugby team in 1883, and quite probably in 1879, two years before the formation of the Welsh Rugby Union.

Evidence for 1879 is strong. A newspaper report appeared that year saying Llandeilo had to cancel their football game in Laugharne because of flooding on the railway line outside Llandeilo. The word 'Rugby' was not used, but in those days football was football and the separate names had not fallen into everyday use. Searching through back issues of *The Carmarthen Journal*, we have discovered that 'Rugby' was not referred to as such until many years later.

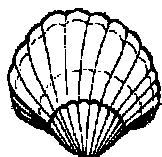
Today

The club has always offered its visitors a very warm welcome on the field and magnificent hospitality off the field. Although in recent years the Club has not enjoyed the success the talent it has produced suggests it should enjoy, it has always played with passion.

Players nurtured at Laugharne have gone to other Clubs to hone their talents. The classic example being Gary Pearce whose totalling skills were developed at home in Laugharne before flourishing with Bridgend RFC, Llanelli RFC and Wales. He was a fine Ambassador for Laugharne RFC. It is a testimony to the Club that players who have tested rugby with the larger Clubs are anxious to end their playing days back home in Laugharne, contributing to the development of the Club.

Contact

George Philips (Club Secretary) - 07970 146775
David Pearce (Treasurer) - 07812 751107



Fountain Inn, The Grist Square
Laugharne
(01994 427392)



WELSH RUGBY UNION
NATIONAL LEAGUE
DIVISION 4 WEST



LAUGHARNE R.F.C.

Fixture List and Sponsorship 2011/12



Supporting
Rugby in the
Local Community

Fountain Inn
&
Wooford Playing Fields
Laugharne



**LAUGHARNE
RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB
SPONSORSHIP 2011/12**

The main aim of Sponsorship is to raise funds to foster and promote Rugby Football in Laugharne. It is hoped the 1st XV can improve on the performance of previous years and do well in their coming 4th Division Fixtures. We are also committed to a full 2nd XV fixture list and had great success in the Llanelli and District League last season.

Over the last few years we have been lucky to have a large variety of sponsors supporting the club, and we are greatly thankful to them all. This years sponsorship has been widened to include additional offers which are broken down as follows and the club hopes that you will continue your support and support at least one.

Please return the slip below with your game selection to George Phillips or contact him on 01994 427519.

Thank you for your support.

Mr Glyndwr Jenkins,
Chairman

SPONSORSHIP REQUEST FORM

Sponsorship	Amount	Selection	Total
Vice President Membership	£35.00	[]	
1st XV Program Sponsor	£50	[]	
1st XV Ball Sponsor	£30.00	[]	
1st XV Match Sponsor	£150 Min	[]	
Field Advertising Board	£100 +VAT + £65 (New)	[]	
			£

SPONSORS DETAIL

Business Name:

Address:

Contact Name:

Tel No:

*Game:

Date:

* Please Mark Fixture List

[] Please invoice me for the above amount.

[] I enclose the above amount with my application.

Signed:

1st XV FIXTURES 2011-12		
DATE	TEAM	Sponsor
10 September 2011	Betws	
24 September 2011	Trimsaran	
15 October 2011	Burry Port	
29 October 2011	Milford Haven	
19 November 2011	Hendy	
17 December 2011	Llanelli Wanderers	
14 January 2012	Llanybydder	
11 February 2012	Neyland	
24 March 2012	Amman United	
7 April 2012	Aberaeron	
21 April 2012	Furnace	