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LLANHARAN vs CANTON



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The Dairyfield, Bridgend Road, Llanharan
Saturday 06.05.2023 | KO 14:30

LLANHARAN v CANTON

DIVISION 3 EAST CENTRAL



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CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

A big welcome to all visitors and players from Canton RFC. Also a warm welcome to all officials for today's match.

Fairwater gave us a big scare last week and was a timely reminder that although we have guaranteed promotion, we can't take our eye off the ball, when there is still the small matter of Division 3 champions still up for grabs.

We expect another stern test against Canton today, who will be keen to finish the season strongly themselves.

The clubhouse will be open throughout the afternoon and into the evening to discuss the game, eagerly await news from the crucial Pentyrch v Penarth fixture, and even raise a glass to the King if you wish, to mark the occasion of the Coronation!

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MORE FROM THE SCRIBE

Canton

The club came into existence in 1876 and for much of its history was a prominent force in Cardiff and District rugby, winning the Mallett Cup seven times.

Records indicate Canton Rovers RFC as an early forerunner in the history of Canton RFC and that the suburb of Canton was a hotbed of rugby teams with the Wanderers, Crescents, Wednesday, United, Harlequins, Crusaders, Institute, Albions, Raglans, Wesleyans, Villa, Canton Loco, Canton Parish Church & Canton St Mary's all playing for the most part in the C&DRU leagues.

In recent years, having originally played near St John's Church and based themselves at the Boar's Head, Canton have established an impressive new HQ at Lawrenny Road in Leckwith.

Many latter-day Canton players have gone on to gain first class honours including Glen Webbe, Mike Knill, Wayne Lewis and John Hickey. The club won the East Central B by a considerable distance a few years ago. This season has been mixed but they've had some decent performances since the turn of the year. We inflicted a heavy 41-17 defeat on them in early April, but some wins subsequently and an agonisingly close one-point reverse at the hands of leaders Penarth suggest that today's game is anything but a formality for us.

However, depending on happenings here and in Pentyrch (v Penarth) we could be champions by tea time – that would be worthy icing on the promotion cake for Scott and the boys as well as the holy coaching triumvirate of Gareth, Andy and Kev.

HUGH SMITH



THE SCRIBE LOOKS BACK TEN YEARS

SWALEC NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

March 15 BRIDGEND ATH 12 LLANHARAN 13 (HT 12-10)

Ryan Evans was the hero for Llanharan in this Friday night game, dropping the match winning goal with the very last kick of the game, his second such score of the night.

The outside half from Tonyrefail, who joined the club from Pontypridd this year, has taken over the number ten shirt left vacant by Codey Rees's injury, and he took his chance with an aplomb that his stricken colleague would have been proud of.

On a night of incessant heavy rain, the result really developed from an amazing lost chance to seal the game by the Athletic.

Ten minutes from time their number eight Sean Derrick made a searing break from a scrum forty metres out. Covering ground at speed and wrong footing Llanharan's last man with ease, he seemed on his way to the posts but went to ground just short and lost possession in a frantic attempt to scramble over the line.

Llanharan won the scrum and then three consecutive penalties from referee Tom Williams put us into Athletic territory.

The pack kept grinding away, but ball retention was difficult in the rain. However, we were awarded a scrum twenty five metres out, Nathan Huish's pack ensured good possession, and replacement scrum half Tom James spun it back to Evans waiting in the pocket.

It was never going to be an easy kick, but the man more at home in the centre and suffering from tonsillitis, made it look easy work as it dropped just over the bar leaving the home team stunned.

Head coach Matthew Lloyd said: "It was a hard-fought match that was always going to be very close and the Athletic played a well-controlled game, living off our mistakes and at times looking very dangerous with the ball in hand. We didn't get into our stride and there was little continuity in our play".

Added backs coach Adam Rosser: "It was difficult to play and was a local derby – one score was always going to be enough to separate the teams and full marks to our boys for their endeavour right to the end."

LLANHARAN:

15 LOREN QUICK 14 HARRY DAVIES 13 MORGAN WILLIAMS (SION SUMMERS 70)12 HARLEY THOMSON11 RHYS WALKER10 RYAN EVANS 9 TOM MARLEY (TOM JAMES 60)1 JAMES GREENFIELD 2 NATHAN HUI SH (C) 3 TOM PIPER (RHYS CLEVERLY 60)4 BILL CAREY 5 JUSTIN BENFIELD6 HUW THOMAS
7 SCOTT MALONE 8 JAMES LOCKE (LEWIS YOUNG 53)

UNUSED REPLACEMENT:RHYS HAINES

Athletic Scores: tries – James Olds, Sean Williams. Con – Jonathan Phillips.
Our scores: Try – Morgan Williams. Drop goals 920 – Ryan Evans. Con – Harley Thomson.

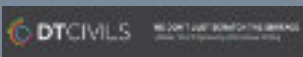
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LLANHARAN REMAINING FIXTURES	
06/05/2023	LLANHARAN v Canton
12/05/2023	LLANHARAN v Pentyrch



LEAGUE - EAST CENTRAL 3

Teams	P	W	D	L	Pts
Penarth	21	19	0	2	92
LLANHARAN	20	18	0	2	88
Pentyrch	17	15	0	2	72
----- Promotion -----					
St Albans	19	13	0	6	59
Fairwater	18	10	1	7	51
Pontyclun	18	8	0	10	41
CRCC	20	7	1	12	40
Canton	20	6	0	14	37
Penygraig	17	5	0	12	29
Cardiff Quins	19	6	0	13	27
Tylorstown	17	2	1	14	17
Old Illtydians	20	2	1	17	1

Home games at The Dairyfield,
Llanharan. CF72 9RD

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06-May-23 FIXTURES

Fairwater	v	Penygraig
LLANHARAN	v	Canton
Pentyrch	v	Penarth
Pontyclun	v	Cardiff Quins
Tylorstown	v	Old Illtydians

Recruitment



RECRUITING U10's RUGBY

TRAINING SESSION
Brynna 3G Pitch
MONDAY 7-8 PM

Hannah 07687 811926

kiddysnet



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U12'S

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Contact Amy 07951946096




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Looking for new players to join us, all abilities welcome.



LLANHARAN RFC YOUTH

TRAINING EVERY THURSDAY ON THE DAIRY FIELD (MAIN PITCH)

6PM
16 - 18 YEAR OLDS

CONTACT PHIL HEARNE
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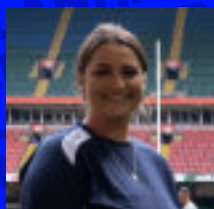
LLANHARAN



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PITCH SIDE PERIMETERBOARD

Benefits of this package include:

- ▶ A large perimeter board to be displayed at all 2021/2022 Llanharan RFC home fixtures.
- ▶ Discounted rates for future seasons.
- ▶ Access to an annual sponsors day event, to include a buffet and 2 free drinks.



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EXCLUSIVE MATCH SPONSORSHIP

Benefits of this package include:

- ▶ 10 invited guests for pre match, half time and post match hospitality for your chosen fixture.
- ▶ Logo placement supported by a statement naming your organisation as the Official Match Sponsor on the pre and post match website report for your chosen fixture.
- ▶ Logo placement supported by a statement naming your organisation as the Official Match Sponsor within the Llanharan RFC digital match day programme of your chosen fixture.
- ▶ Regular messages delivered over the loudspeaker system announcing your organisation as the Official Match Sponsor before and during your chosen fixture.
- ▶ The opportunity to select the Llanharan RFC man of the match and present the post match award to the selected player at your chosen fixture.
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Interested in hiring a venue then call the club on 01443 222209
or

Our Social Secretary Su Gardner-Ponting 07894465622

FEELING LUCKY?

Club Lottery Tickets are available behind the bar. Draws are made every Thursday.

This weeks JACKPOT stands at £5000!

Any changes to the published team will be announced prior to Kick-Off

The Line-ups



LLANHARAN

- 15** CHRIS WILLIAMS
FULLBACK/CEFNWR
- 14** ALEX NEWBOLD
WINGASGELLWR
- 13** HARLEY THOMSON
CENTRE/CANOLWR
- 12** ROSS PRITCHARD
CENTRE/CANOLWR
- 11** TOM BUCKLE
WINGASGELLWR
- 10** SCOTT JONES ©
OUTSIDEHALF/MASWR
- 9** LEON BURTON
SCRUM HALF/MEIWR
- 1** BRANDON NELSON
PROPY RHENG FLAEN
- 2** JACK WALKER
HOOKER/BACHWR
- 3** TOM HARRIS
PROPY RHENG FLAEN
- 4** OWAIN HOWE
LOOKYR AIL RENG
- 5** KIERAN MARTIN
LOOKYR AIL RENG
- 6** JACK THOMSON
FLANKER/BLAENASGELLWR
- 7** LLOYD GREGORY
FLANKER/BLAENASGELLWR
- 8** IEUAN PRING
NO 8/WYTHWR

REPLACEMENTS

TOM JENKINS
JACK DAUNCEY
WILL THOMAS
LOUIS STANSBURY
LEWIS COGBILL

CANTON SQUAD

BACKS:

ASHLEY JONES
TRYSTAN EDWARDS
PETER HUGHES (V CAPT)
CAMERON CANTER
JOSH CROCKER
LUVALE EMERY
LUKE RADFORD
TRYSTAN THOMAS
ELLIS WILLIAMS

FORWARDS

JAMES THOMAS
JOSH RICHARDS
JOE ROWLANDS
CATHAN HOBBS
OLLIE TOONE
RYAN REES
DAN MCGRATH (CAPT)
OWEN CAMPBELL
CONNER MCGRATH
SAM DURNAN
ALLEN REID

LLANHARAN v CANTON
Saturday
6 May 2023
DAIRYFIELD
KICK-OFF 14:30

MATCH OFFICIAL

REFEREE:
ALUN JONES