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LLANHARAN vs RESOLVEN



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DIVISION 2 CUP



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CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

A big welcome to all visitors and players from Resolven RFC as we kick off our 2023/24 Division 2 Cup Campaign!

It is not that long ago when our club were able to make the trip to the Principality Stadium and watch the boys lift the National Bowl

It is a day that will live long in the memory!

Such an experience is infectious, and the coaching staff have made it evident, that it's something the team are keen to repeat, despite moving up a division, and will be facing stiff opposition.

Resolven definitely fit that category, as they hold their own in a very competitive Division 2 West Central division.

This promises to be an exciting, highintensity fixture, with both teams eager to progress to the next round.

And if that doesn't quench your rugby enthusiasm (or your thirst) then you can enjoy the Rugby World Cup Final in the Clubhouse after the game!!

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MORE FROM THE SCRIBE RESOLVEN

It appears that the Club was founded in 1885. Two representatives of a Newport (Mon) Engineering firm arrived in Resolven to install boilers at Glyncastle Colliery. These young men were playing members of Newport RFC and during their stay combined business with pleasure by training to keep themselves fit. The first rugby ball was seen at "Cae'r Berllan" (Orchard's Field) in the vicinity of the present library. The unusual activity of Charlie Thomas and Alf Morgan soon gained the curiosity of the locals who required no second invitation to join in. A local team soon followed and so was born the game of Rugby Union Football in the village.

Following reorganisation of Rugby in Wales in 1994 the club progressed from Division Seven to the dizzy heights of Division Two. In 1995 – 96 the Glamorgan County Silver Ball was won in a memorable encounter with Penygraig at the Brewery Field.

Resolven have had a modest start to the season – but won at Maesteg Celtic last week.



THE SCRIBE LOOKS BACK TEN YEARS

SWALEC NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Oct 26 BRIDGEND ATHLETIC 21 LLANHARAN 23

We fought a desperate but successful battle to claim victory at Newbridge Fields after surrendering a 16-3 lead and trailing 21-20 into stoppage time. Our saviour was Codey Rees who calmly slotted the late penalty that won the game and took his league tally to an impressive 107.

The opportunity came on the back of a superb effort from Nathan Huish and his pack, props Tom Piper and Simon Collins offering valuable aid as we put

the Athletic under huge pressure, taking a head in the process.

The ref somehow found an extra nine minutes of time to prolong the tension, but we were not giving up what was rightly ours.

Head coach Matthew Lloyd summed it up as a good win against tough

opposition.

"It was always going to be tough after their excellent away win at Bargoed. Changes were made for this game and it's all credit to the players that the win was achieved.

"The squad has far more depth to it this year than in past seasons and the

players will benefit later in the campaign.

"We will look at the footage of this game and try to improve our discipline because it left us on the wrong side of the referee in many points scoring situations.

The pack performance was all the more praiseworthy as enforced changes meant a makeshift second row – but Huw Thomas and Adam Scanlon, happier in back row roles, were equal to the task and didn't take a backward step.

Llanharan tries - Harry Davies, Ryan Evans. Cons 2 and pens 3 - Codey

Rees.

Bridgend Ath tries – Rhys Jones, Aled Thomas. Pens3 and con – Steven Lewis.

LLANHARAN15 RICHARD LOVERING14 HARRY DAVIES13 RYAN EVANS12 GABRIEL DAVIES

11 TOM FARRAR-EVANS 10 CODEY REES 9 MATHEW WILLIAMS (TOM MARLEY)1 SIMON COLLINS 2 NATHAN HUISH (C)3 AARON ELLIOTT (TOM PIPER) 4 HUW THOMAS5 ADAM SCANLON 6DAFFY DAVIES)7 SCOTT MALONE8 LEWIS YOUNG

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NATIONAL LEAGUE DIVISION 2 EAST CENTRAL

2023/24FIXTURES



September December March

02/09/2023

Gilfach Goch

LLANHARAN

09/09/2023

LLANHARAN

Llanishen

16/09/2023

Penarth

LLANHARAN

30/09/2023

Caerphilly

LLANHARAN





Watch the Rugby World Cup at LLANHARAN

October

21/10/2023

Cilfynydd

LLANHARAN

November

04/11/2023

LLANHARAN

Pentyrch

11/11/2023

Taffs Well

LLANHARAN

18/11/2023

LLANHARAN

Llantrisant

25/11/2023

Trehamis

LLANHARAN

02/12/2023

LLANHARAN

Llantwit Fardre

09/12/2023

LLANHARAN

Gilfach Goch

16/12/2023

Llanishen

LLANHARAN

30/12/2023

LLANHARAN

Penarth

January

06/01/2024

LLANHARAN

Caerphilly

13/01/2024

Cowbridge

LLANHARAN

20/01/2024

LLANHARAN

Cilfynydd

27/01/2024

Pentyrch

LLANHARAN

February

17/02/2024

LLANHARAN

Taffs Well



Watch the Six Nations at LLANHARAN RFC

POS	TEAM	PL	W	D	L	TB	LB	PTS
1	LLANHARAN	5	5	0	0	5	0	25
2	PENARTH	5	4	0	1	5	0	21
3	CAERPHILLY	6	4	0	2	4	1	21
4	LLANISHEN	6	4	0	2	4	1	21
5	PENTYRCH	5	3	0	2	2	0	14
6	TREHARRIS	6	3	0	3	1	0	13
7	TAFFS WELL	6	2	0	4	2	2	12
8	COWBRIDGE	5	2	0	3	2	1	11
9	CILFYNYDD	4	2	0	2	2	0	10
10	LLANTWIT FARDRE	5	1	0	4	2	2	8
11	GILFACH GOCH	4	1	0	3	2	0	6
12	LLANTRISANT	5	0	0	5	2	0	2

02/03/2024 Llantrisant

LLANHARAN

09/03/2024

LLANHARAN

Trehamis

23/03/2024

Llantwit Fardre

LLANHARAN

30/03/2023

LLANHARAN

Cowbridge

All fixtures are subject to change. Please visit www.llanharanrfc. co.uk for the latest fixture news, and follow us on social media.







VICE PRESIDENTS HOSPITALITY FIXTURES

As part of our generous Vice Presidents package we are pleased to announce the fixtures that have been allocated for hospitality for the Season 2023/24, that includes a buffet and drink allocation.

v PENTYRCH 4/11/23

v TAFFS WELL 17/2/24

DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

To upgrade your membership please enquire at the club



MANAGEMENT

LLANHARAN



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All orders to be in by Sunday 5th November to guarantee a Christmas delivery.





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PITCH SIDE PERIMETER BOARD SPONSORSHIP

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.

MATCH AND MATCH BALL SPONSORSHIP

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.
- Logo placement supported by a statement naming your organisations the Official Match Sponsor on pre and post match social media posts of your chosen fixture



Benefits of this package include:

- 2 invited guestsfor 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 Ball 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 Ball 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 Ball Sponsor before and during your chosen fixture.
- Logo placement supported by a statement naming your organisation as the Official Match Sponsor on pre and post match social media posts of your chosen fixture.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT GARETH MORGAN









Senior Citizens' Christmas Lunch 2023

Llanharan Community Council invites Senior Citizens within our community of Llanharan, Brynna, Llanilid and Ynysmaerdy to attend the 2023 Christmas lunch.

The event will be held on Tuesday 19th December (Brynna OAP) and Wednesday 20th December (Llanharan OAP) at Llanharan RFC.

Arrival at midday for dinner to be served at approx 12.15 pm

Please fill in a slip, ensuring <u>all</u> parts of the form are completed and return it either to one of the boxes situated in local shops or by returning to the Council office at 2A Chapel Road, Llanharan by Friday 8th December 2023.

Extra bookings cannot be taken after this time.

You will then be issued with a ticket.

Seating will be on a first come-first served basis.

Slips are available in local shops or call into our office on Chapel Road.

01443 231430 Clerk@Llanharan-cc.gov.wales

Social



Make Llanharan RFC your preferred venue for weddings, parties and events, with extremely competitive rates and special added discounts for our members.

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!

The Line-ups



LLANHARAN

- 15 SCOTT JONES
- 14 TOM BUCKLE
- 13 MORGAN JONES
- 12 ROSS PRITCHARD
- 11 LEON BURTON
- 10 LEWIS COGBILL
- 9 IWAN BARTLES
- 1 RHYS TALOR
- 2 TOM JENKINS
- 3 JAY FLETCHER
- 4 JOE BUCKLE
- 5 OWAIN HOWE
- 6 IEUAN EVANS
- 7 JACK THOMSON
- 8 IEUAN PRING

MATCH OFFICIAL

LLANHARAN v RESOLVEN

Saturday

28 October 2023 DAIRYFIELD

KICK-OFF 14:30

REFEREE: STEVE CURTIS

RESOLVEN

- 15 LOUIS REES
- 14 NATHAN DAVIES
- 13 NATHAN ORRELLS
- 12 JOEL HEALEY
- 11 JAY PRITCHARD
- 10 JOSH BOWEN
 - 9 JAMES THOMAS
 - 1 GARY PRYSE PROPY RHENG FLAEN
 - 2 NIKI REED HOOKER/BACHW
 - 3 CERI ADAMS
- 4 DYLAN SUNDERS
- 5 ASH MORGAN
- 6 JACOB VAUGHAN
- 7 DANIEL ANDREWS
- 8 ANTYHONY LEE

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