

Saturday Sept 30th, 2006

League North 2 West

Broughton Park v Bowdon

Andy	O'Grady (Capt)	1	Benjamin	Black
Andy	Wilson	2	Andrew	Hines
Guy	Barlow	3	Nick	Buckley (capt.)
Mark	Poole	4	Matt	Tutty
Jon	Knight	5	Andrew	Saunders
Latham	Parry	6	Matt	Whitely
Robert	Jones	7	Julian	Wright
Peter	MacMahon	8	Neil	Bright
Richard	Gould	9	Daniel	Clegg
Steve	O'Connor	10	Chris	Flanagan
Joe	Kennady	11	Steve	Harrison
Steve	Kiely	12	Francois	Guguen
Alan	Hodkinson	13	Andre	Hechter
Ben	O'Brien	14	Rob	Campbell
Ronan	O'Brien	15	Edward	Barlow

Replacements

David	Gregory (f.r.)	16	David	Brown (f.r.)
Simon	Evans	17	John	Sweetnam
Joe	Wykes	18	Daniel	Wessels

Referee:- Chris Meadows (Manchester Society)

Touch Judge:- Roger James (Bowdon)

Touch Judge:- John Verbickas (Broughton Park)

We hope that the referee has a good game and joins us afterwards together with the Bowdon players and supporters for hospitality and discussion of the finer points of Rugby.

Welcome to the new Broughton Park.

Recent Games.

After the narrow but deserved win against old opponents Wilmslow, Park travelled to Aspatria with confidence. We were once again not at full strength. Moreover whilst still “on the bus” Park conceded an early try through poorly organised defence. Mistakes made when trying to run the ball from deep proved costly as further scores were conceded. Park were by no means out of contention and played well for much of the time. But another late try and penalty put the game beyond us at 25 pts.down. Heads did not drop and our young side exerted great pressure to score an excellent try near the end. Result 25-5pts. Although this time “a bus ride too far” lessons have been learned by our coaches and players and we look forward to the return match next February. Keep it going lads.

Our 2nd XV resumed winning form with a last gasp 35-34pts. win over a dominant Blackburn XV who couldn't quite believe that they had lost. Captain Pete Oakes showed he has lost none of his kicking power as a last second long range penalty was converted for this win. Obviously a lot of structural work required but the talent is there. Well done lads.

The 3rd XV won an entertaining match against Didsbury ToCH 38-29 pts. There are some very good young players in this side who will soon be putting pressure on the teams above them. Keep it up lads.

Our 4th XV playing top of the league Chester XV tried hard only to go down 24-0 pts. The 4th XV a side in transition are getting more competitive and it will only be a matter of time before the

elusive win happens. Keep going lads.

This week our 2nd XV play Birkenhead Park away. The 3rd XV have a tough away game at Leigh whilst the 4th XV play a competitive Winnington park XV at home.

All the best lads.

Today's Game

Welcome today to our opponents Bowdon. This will be a searching game for us, Bowdon know how to survive in this league whilst we are still coming to terms with the different styles in it. To date both sides have a win against keen rivals Wilmslow so it should be an interesting encounter.

We hope their players, supporters and committee enjoy their visit to Broughton Park but not too much. May the best team win. COME ON PARK!!

Spotlight

Spotlight this week is on Captain Andy O'Grady. Andy is another who doesn't need lycra. A product of Park's youth and mini sections, and 6ft and seventeen and a half stones, not many get the better of this experienced prop. Andy has played mainly for Broughton Park and a short time for Waterloo (fortunately he saw the light!). He has represented Lancashire at colts and senior level. Andy has also appeared for the North of England under 21's. A lot of unheralded work is undertaken by Andy who is sure to have a big game today. He was a very good tourist but is now a married man.

Andy thoroughly deserved the big build up Lyn Morgan gave him at the Isle of Man disco, what a mover! Have a good'un today Andy.

North 2 West League Table 2006 - 2007, Level 6

At	Sep 23rd, 2006	Home Games					Away Games					Diff	Pts	- pts
Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A			
1 Lymm	3	1	0	0	24	10	2	0	0	64	27	51	6	
2 Liverpool SH	3	1	0	0	21	7	2	0	0	43	20	37	6	
3 Aspatria	3	1	0	0	25	5	2	0	0	46	37	29	6	
4 Carlisle	3	1	0	0	27	10	1	0	1	40	51	6	4	
5 Winnington Pk	3	1	0	1	46	24	0	0	1	22	24	20	2	
6 Stoke	3	1	0	1	43	55	0	0	1	11	15	-16	2	
7 Vale of Lune	3	1	0	1	43	48	0	0	1	7	21	-19	2	
8 Whitchurch	3	1	0	1	32	35	0	0	1	10	27	-20	2	
9 Broughton Pk	3	1	0	0	20	18	0	0	2	19	44	-23	2	
10 Tyldesley	3	1	0	1	22	33	0	0	1	10	24	-25	2	
11 Bowdon	3	0	0	1	16	22	1	0	1	22	45	-29	2	
12 Wilmslow	3	0	0	2	36	45	0	0	1	18	20	-11	0	

North 2 West League Results 2006 - 2007

23.09.2006	Aspat	Bowdo	Broug	Carli	Liver	Lymm	Stoke	Tylde	Vale	Whitc	Wilms	Winn'
Aspatria		Mar3	#25-5	Feb17	Oct7	Jan27	Oct21	Jan6	Nov11	Apr14	Dec2	Mar17
Bowdon	16-22		Feb17	Oct7	Jan27	Oct21	Jan6	Nov11	Apr14	Dec2	Mar17	Feb24
Broughton Pk	Feb24	Sep30		Jan27	Oct21	Jan6	Nov11	Apr14	Dec2	Mar17	20-18	Feb3
Carlisle	Sep30	Feb3	Oct14		Jan6	Nov11	Apr14	Dec2	Mar17	27-10	Feb24	Jan13
Liverpool SH	Feb3	Oct14	Jan13	Nov4		Apr14	Dec2	Mar17	21-7	Feb24	Sep30	Dec16
Lymm	Oct14	Jan13	Nov4	Dec16	Nov25		Mar17	24-10	Feb24	Sep30	Feb3	Mar31
Stoke	Jan13	Nov4	Dec16	Nov25	Mar31	19-33		Feb24	Sep30	Feb3	Oct14	24-22
Tyldesley	Nov4	Dec16	Nov25	Mar31	7-22	Mar3	#15-11		Feb3	Oct14	Jan13	Sep30
Vale of Lune	Dec16	Nov25	Mar31	35-17	Mar3	#8-31	Feb17	Oct7		Jan13	Nov4	Oct14
Whitchurch	Nov25	Mar31	19-14	Mar3	#13-21	Feb17	Oct7	Jan27	Oct21		Dec16	Nov4
Wilmslow	Mar31	20-22	Mar3	#16-23	Feb17	Oct7	Jan27	Oct21	Jan6	Nov11		Nov25
Winn'gton Pk	21-24	#25-0	Oct7	Oct21	Nov11	Dec2	Mar3	Feb17	Jan27	Jan6	Apr14	