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NEWSLETTER FROM TRUST HOUSE MEMORIAL PARK

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BREAKING NEWS

WBRFU Club Competition

2013 Top Points Scorers to date (Both Competition)

Cameron Hayton 151
Joseph Thompson 112
Tipi Haira 103

Tui Cup Top Try Scorers

Nathan Hunt 6
Teihana Brown 5
Inia Kata 4
Damian Kamo Paku 4
Dan Griffin 4
Johan Van Vliet 4

Top Points Scorer Tui Cup

Nick Olson 50
Cameron Hayton 34
Tom Meuli 33

TUI CUP Round three

Tries 23
Conversions 11
Penalty 6
Drop Goal 0
Total 155

Conversion % to Tries All Rounds

Greytown 69
Martinborough 62
Gladstone 57
Eketahuna 50
Marist 50
East Coast 42
Pioneer 736
Bush 33
Carterton 20

2013 Club Senior Reserves

1st Round
WINNER:
Tuhirangi

GRAND FINALS DAY

SATURDAY
3rd August
COME PACK THE PARK

Check our
www.waibush.co.nz
for this weeks
Senior draw

DEAD BALL CHARLIE'S HIGHLIGHT OF THE WEEK

Well if you weren't there, you missed a great day of action at Trust House Memorial Park yesterday. The day started brilliantly with a fantastic game of footy between Kuranui 1XV and Makoura College 1XV with Makoura getting on top in the second half. Then the Bush boys repelled the USA in a tough encounter.

Afterwards Pioneer RFC provided the best "hangi" in town. And the crowdwell someone told Dead Ball Charlie that was best crowd for a pre-season game in years.



This week we had 2014 hits on our Facebook posts plus we emailed over 200 people our newsletter.



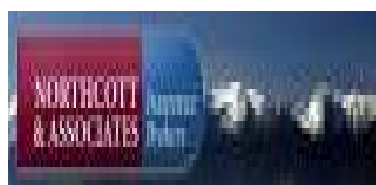
The Last Hurricanes
Home game is
Saturday
6th July
vs. Highlanders



Rugby Season
Passes are
available for \$60
from the Office.
This covers the
whole club
season and all
the
Representative
Game played at
Trust House
Memorial Park.



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ADMINISTRATION REPORT

Nunn Shield

Well done to the Eketahuna Boys for retaining the Nunn shield for this week. A tough battle will be fought with the Greytown team this weekend at Greytown. Both team will be fighting to have this under their belt.

It is the small things that count

Tape on fields – player's tape cause damage to fields mowing equipment and is a hygiene issue. Let's get the players to take a bit of effort to place their used tape in a bucket near the field after the game. The ground staff will love them.

Bar Licenses

We don't want any club to lose their license – make sure your club has excellent controls over alcohol around your club facilities and plan for the majority not the minority.

IMPORTANT NOTICE for Managers

Team cards must be correct – if you have a player registration issues seek advice from WBRU (Doug Bracewell 027-628-0404 or Debby 021-176-5554) prior to Saturday. Incorrect team cards will jeopardise the integrity of the competition.

Old Timers Days Coming Up

22nd June	Carterton & Marist
29th June	East Coast & Gladstone

COMMUNITY RUGBY REPORT

Primary Schools 7's

A tournament involving 6 Masterton Primary Schools got underway yesterday .

Schools involved are Opaki, Fernridge, Hadlow, Solway, MPS and Douglas Park (2 teams). The games were played at Hadlow and refereed by teenage volunteers. Teams comprised children of both genders wanting to play the modified game of tackle rugby.

A feature of the games was the opportunity for Year 5-6 students to develop their running, catching and passing skills. With more space available it was apparent that the smaller faster kids were in their element. The tournament continues till the end of the term

RDO REPORT

Big thank you to Makoura College and Kuranui College 1st XV for their curtain raiser game in which Makoura won 39-12 . You all represented your school with pride and respect.

The tribute to the late Robert Hickland at Rathkeale College after the game was very moving experience. Robert passed away after been injured in a tackle in 2008.

Rathkeale 1st XV 27 Fielding 1st XV 22.

2013 WBRU Rep Team Coaches & Managers Nomination

The WBRU are now accepting applications for the following Representative Teams:

WBRU B's, Under 20's, Under 18's, Under 16's & Under 14's. Please forward your CV to rdo@waibush.co.nz or contact Stacey Grant on 027 3916-311.

Also application for the JAB U11 & U13 too please

LAST WEEKS RESULTS

Premiers:

Eketahuna 47 vs. Marist 17

East Coast 28 vs. Martinborough 14

Pioneer 27 vs. Carterton

Greytown 29 vs. Gladstone 3

Bush BYE

Senior Reserves:

Eketahuna 7 vs. Pioneer 40

MRS 11 vs. East Coast 7

Carterton 5 vs. Marist 24

Greytown 15 vs. Tuhirangi 25

Bush BYE



We're on the Web!!

www.waibush.co.nz

JAB DRAW

For the weekly JAB draw check our website or our Facebook page.

Any questions give Cynthia a call
06 377 1339
Or 0275 553 596

Senior Premier Points Table

Team	Played	Wins	Draws	Losses	Bonus Points	F/A	Points
Pioneer	4	3	1	0	3	27	17
Eketahuna	4	3	0	1	4	55	16
Greytown	3	3	0	0	3	120	15
East Coast	4	3	1	0	1	59	15
Gladstone	4	1	1	2	0	-26	6
Bush	3	1	0	2	1	-70	5
Martinborough	3	0	1	2	2	-23	4
Carterton	4	0	0	4	1	-77	1
Marist	3	0	0	3	0	-65	0



College Draw

Rathkeale 1XV
Vs. Francis Douglas 1XV
Rathkeale 10.30am

Wairarapa College 2XV
Vs. PNBHS Colts
Wai Col 12.30 pm

Wairarapa College 3XV
Vs. Makoura 1XV
Wai Col 11.15 am

Rathkeale 2XV BYE

Rathkeale Green
Vs. Chanel
Rathkeale 10.00 am

Makoura vs. Rathkeale 15
Makoura 10.00 am

Wai Col Gold
vs. Wai Col Blue
Wai Col 10.00 am

Kuranui
Vs. Rathkeale White
Kuranui 10.00 am

Senior Reserves Point Table End of Round One

Team	Wins	Draws	Losses	Defaults	Bonus Points	F/A	Points
Tuhirangi	10	0	0	0	7	223	47
MRS	7	0	3	0	6	167	34
Pioneer	7	0	3	0	6	160	34
Martinborough	6	0	4	0	8	170	32
Greytown	6	0	4	0	7	100	32
Marist	5	0	5	0	8	-19	28
East Coast	4	0	6	0	7	-14	24
Bush Sports	4	0	4	2	5	-15	21
Carterton	3	0	6	1	2	-143	15
Eketahuna	2	0	8	0	4	-215	12
Gladstone	1	0	9	0	2	-386	6

HEARTLAND VS. USA DEBRIEF

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**A Rugby game
is only 80
minutes, your
team mates are
with you for life**

Play Rugby!



Wairarapa-Bush had to dig deep for their 30-23 win over United States Collegiate at Memorial Park, Masterton, yesterday.

The home team looked to have the game in the bag when they went to halftime with a comfortable 24-3 advantage but the second spell was a completely different story, United States Collegiate dominating the action and closing the gap to 24-23 with seven minutes remaining.

Unfortunately for the visitors, however, they could not maintain the momentum when it mattered most and it was Wairarapa-Bush who had the final say, first-five Glen Walters landing two long-range penalty kicks to ensure they started their season on a winning note.

There were some promising signs in the Wairarapa-Bush performance.

Up front their scrummaging effort in the first half was outstanding, illustrated by the fact they managed to claim two tightheads, something virtually unheard of these days. And they also clearly had the better of their opposition in the rucks and mauls in that first 40 minutes when their physicality often had the visitors back-peddalling at a great rate of knots.

The close-quarter defence of the Wairarapa-Bush pack was also impressive, more particularly in the second spell when the Collegiate forwards launched several short passing rushes. Several times they threatened to get across the line only to be thwarted by the aggressive tackling of the home side.

The Wairarapa-Bush backs were always prepared to chance their arm on attack and while the number of basic handling and passing errors was more than they would have liked, it was encouraging to see them breach the advantage line on numerous occasions. Defensively they were generally sound although there were times when they allowed the speedy Collegiate backs too much latitude in space.

Front rowers Finnbarr Kerr-Newell, Richard Puddy and Campbell Lawrence were three of the standout individuals for Wairarapa-Bush, not only for the stability they provided at scrum time but also for their mobility about the paddock. Lawrence, especially, was a difficult man to stop with ball in hand.

Locks Lachie McFadzean and Clark Butcher used their height and athleticism to good effect in the lineouts and the riches Wairarapa-Bush have in the loose forward department was apparent with skipper Johan Van Vliet, James Goodger, Johnie McFadzean and Nathan Iro all playing a prominent role.

The soundness of the inside combination of Zeb Aporo and Glen Walters was a feature of the Wairarapa-Bush back play, along with the the ability of Tapaga Issac at second-five to punch holes in the opposition defence with his hard, straight running.

Fullback Nick Olson was typically elusive on the counter attack.

United States Collegiate would have been disappointed with the lack of fire up front in the first half but they certainly lifted their effort in the second. In rugged lock John Cullen they had one of the best forwards on the paddock and flanker Kyle Sumsion was not far behind him. Midfielders Stephan Tomison and Mike Haley and fullback Jake Anderson were lively in the backs.

Johnie McFadzean, Van Vliet, Nathan Hunt and Issac scored tries for Wairarapa-Bush and Walters kicked two penalties and two conversions.

Sumsion and John Cullen scored tries for Collegiate and Jake Anderson kicked three penalties and two conversions. **Gary Carfell WTA**