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WAIRARAPA BUSH RUGBY

NEWSLETTER FROM TRUST HOUSE MEMORIAL PARK

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BREAKING NEWS

WBRFU Club Competition

Dead Ball Charlie's Rugby Premier Stats:

2012 Winner: Greytown

2013 Top Points Scorer to date: Cameron Hayton 90 Gladstone Tipi Haira 66 Martinborough

2013 Top Try Scorer to date: Cameron Hayton 8 Gladstone

> Tavita Isaac 7 Greytown

2013 Leading Club Kapene Cup: Greytown

> 2012 Winner: Pioneer

2013 Leading Club Senior Reserve: Marist Goal Kick percentage was 63% (Conversions to tries only)

Total Points Scored in this Round 249 Average Points per game 50 Total points For 146 (average 36 points) Total points Against 69 (average 14) Total Tries Scored 35 **Total Conversions** 22 **Total Penalty Goals** 10 **Total Drop Goals** 0

Congratulations to Nick Olson & Courtney Percy On their arrival of Lily Olson (while the Olson cup was being contested against Marist on Saturday)

DEAD BALL CHARLIE'S HIGHLIGHT OF THE WEEK

Highlight of the week is Premiers breaking the 1,000 points barrier after round five. 1,114 to be precise. And what about Cameron Hayton from Gladstone fast approaching 100 points (90 to date) and Tavita Isaac from Greytown right on his toes.

Give a big hand to Puketoi as well get on the park and by all accounts were more than competitive. Lets get behind all our clubs and if any guys are looking seriously at a winter of X-Box - Dead Ball Charlie says play rugby!



ADMINISTRATION REPORT















Nunn Shield

Well done to Martinborough who retained the Nunn shield for another week. Next up the Marty boys have Pioneer at Jean Street.

Rules of Nunn Shield

This is contested at each round robin game in both rounds during the season between the holding team and their opponents.

Last club holding at the end of round two is the Winner of the Nunn Shield for that year.

Player Registrations—Remember if a player is NOT registered you could lose your team points.

COMMUNITY RUGBY REPORT

To date there have been 15 yellow cards. A slight improvement on last year but still requires a concerted effort from everyone.

A reminder of the player code of conduct recently released by NZRU as part of the Applaud programme

- Play for enjoyment
- Play hard but play fair
- Be committed to your team. Attend all practices and matches
- Never argue with the referee. Control your temper at all times
- Work equally hard with yourself and your team
- Be a good sport.
- The goals of the game are to have fun, improve your skills and feel good.

RDO REPORT

FINAL Rugby Smart Sunday 28th April 10.30am Wairarapa Bush Union rooms if your Senior and Secondary Schools coach has not done this please get them there.

Thank you to all coaches who have attended the course.

Good win to Wairarapa College 1^{st} XV 35-5 over Wainuiomata 1^{st} XV in the weekend.

Tip of the week players who wear blade boots in the wet expect to slip over could cost your team a win . Be prepared have two sets of boots.

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2013 HEARTLAND DRAW

| Date 24 August | Team North Otago |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 31 August | West Coast |
| 7 September | Mid Canterbury |
| 14 September | Horowhenua Kapiti |
| 21 September | King Country |
| 28 September | Buller |
| 5 October 12 October | East Coast Thames Valley |
| 19 October | Semi's TBA |
| 26/27 October | Finals TBA |

2013 SENIOR A POINTS TABLE

| Team | BYEs | Wins | Draws | Losses | Defaults | Points |
|---------------|------|------|-------|--------|----------|--------|
| Greytown | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 24 |
| East Coast | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 19 |
| Martinborough | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 17 |
| Gladstone | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 16 |
| Eketahuna | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 13 |
| Pioneer | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 12 |
| Carterton | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 8 |
| Bush Sports | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 7 |
| Marist | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 5 |
| Puketoi | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |

2013 SENIOR RESERVES POINTS TABLE

| Team | BYEs W | ins | Draws | Losses | Defaults | Points |
|---------------|--------|-----|-------|--------|----------|--------|
| Marist | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Pioneer | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Tuhirangi | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Martinborough | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | |
| Greytown | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | |
| Bush Sports | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | |
| Masterton Red | | | | | | |
| Star | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | |
| Eketahuna | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | |
| Carterton | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | |
| East Coast | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | |
| Gladstone | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | |

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Venue Oamaru Masterton Ashburton Masterton

Masterton

Westport Masterton

Paeroa



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JAB News

For any questions in regards to JAB contact Cynthia on 06 377 1339, 0275 553 596 Or paehou@xtra.co.nz Or Guy Williams 06 372 2822

Happy 50th to Reisy for the 18th April He doesn't look a day over 40!!!!!!

Heard the celebrations lasted well into the night.

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| The Hurricanes |
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| Next game is |
| Friday |
| 26th April 2013 |
| vs. Stormers |
| At Palmerston North |
| Show your |
| support |
| |

Quinny's Corner

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To be New Zealand's number 1 Heartland Union



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

Play Rugby!



Have you noticed that at every game there is always someone who screams out at the AR (the Touchy) that he has missed a knock-on or throw forward or hasn't told the ref about some perceived misdemeanour by an opposition player. Most of those calls are quite rightly ignored by the ARs.

So what are the AR's priorities. Listening to sideline comments is not one of them.

The AR's first priority is judging when the ball is out and who will throw it in and from where. His second priority is being near the corner flag when things get tight near the goal line and his third priority is to report **Foul Play** incidents. Add to that, his job behind the posts and managing substitutions and all of a sudden you see why the knock-ons and forward passes are well down the list.

But the Touchy is allowed to "advise" the referee when he sees CLEAR AND OBVIOUS incidents which the referee may have missed.

CLEAR AND OBVIOUS – that's not a guess. That's not an off-the-ball issue that has no bearing on possession and it certainly doesn't mean a reaction because someone is shouting in his ear.

So if you are sitting beside someone who wants to give advice to the AR every minute of the game ask him to let them do their job. If the AR'S interfered with the game as often as spectators demanded, our game would be brought to a stand-still. Players don't want that. Referees don't want that. And neither do spectators.

Otherwise it will be getting dark before the final whistle. And then we'll all miss the try in the corner, wont we!

The Whistle Blower

THIS WEEKS DRAWS

Both the Premiers and Reserve draw is now out. Live on our web page Remember.

Premiers @ 2.30 pm

Nunn Shield Game Pioneer vs. Martinborough Jeans Street

> Bush vs. Gladstone Pahiatua

Greytown vs. East Coast Greytown

Marist vs. Carterton Trust House Memorial Park No 1

Puketoi vs. Eketahuna Puketoi

Reserves @ 1.00 pm Bush vs. Gladstone Pahiatua Greytown vs. East Coast Greytown

Marist vs. Tuhirangi Trust House Memorial Park NO 2

Masterton Red Star vs. Eketahuna Trust House Memorial Park NO 1

Pioneer vs. Martinborough Jeans Street

> Carterton BYE

Please note any inquiries re our Club Competition contact Doug Bracewell on 0276 280 404 or doug@waibush.co.nz Or 06 3788369