

Wairarapa Bush Newsletter Trust House Memorial Park



22nd April 2015

It's All Go this Friday at Trust House Memorial Park

Friday Night Rugby is here this Friday 24th April 2015

Marist versus Gladstone 7pm kick off

Trust House Memorial Park No 1

Saturday 25th April 2015

Masterton Red Star versus Eketahuna Reserves 1pm

Moose Kapene Cup

Pioneer beats an improving Martinborough team

Marist again come out on top after being pushed by Carterton

Gladstone beat defending champions Eketahuna

Greytown find East Coast more than a handful

ANZAC – WBRU Remembers

**This weekend each rugby game will have a minute silence before
kick off in memory of our fallen soldiers**

THE GRAND OPENING – Further details next week



HURRICANES VS CHIEFS DEVELOPMENT GAME

Thursday 30 April 2015

Trust House Memorial Park

Be first to see the new turf in action

Gates open - 5pm | Game - 7.30pm



**Tickets available from Eventfinda, PGG Wrightson, Wairarapa i-Sites and Carterton Events Centre.
\$15 Stands - \$10 GA - \$5 Youth (12-18yrs) | On the gate: \$20 Stands - \$12 GA - \$5 Youth (12-18yrs)**

IMPORTANT NOTICES

WBRU AGM 13th May 2015 7.00pm at the WBRU Union Clubhouse
RANFURLY SHIELD, THURSDAY 9th July 2.30pm, McLean Park, Napier

Information for teams and players using the new turf

1. Footwear – sprigs are highly recommended
2. Mouthguards compulsory
3. Showering – no mud, no shower? – WRONG, personal hygiene is crucial
4. Team management and reserves must be situated in the red zone
5. Clean Boots
6. No smoking, chewing gum, food or non-sports drinks allowed on the field
7. Flat sole shoes at all times for non-players (other than sports boots)

Rugby gates sales and entrance (Same as 2014 Season)

General Admission \$5.00 (Children under 12 Free, Students \$2.00)

Grandstand \$10.00

Season Pass tickets \$60.00

Car Park (Club Finals and Heartland \$5.00)

1. The ground now has a perimeter fence – access will only be available through the manned gates.
2. WBRU Player Passes – normal conditions apply (WBRU player passes will not give you access to Wairarapa Heartland Football games. There is an hour between the rugby and football, so you can make your choice then if you wish to attend – charges to football matches will be the same as rugby). Look for the weekly “What’s on at the Park” for details

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

It will take a few weeks to bed in the new systems and dealing with the ebbs and flows – we ask for your patience

So how does a normal week now look at the ground?

Monday – Rugby trainings

Tuesday – Football trainings

Wednesday – College Sports

Thursday – Football training

Friday – JAB and Friday games

Saturday – Rugby and Football

Sunday – Rugby trainings and Women’s Football

In 2014 Trust House Memorial Park was used for 100 hours. In 2015, 100 hours will be exceeded in the first 4 weeks after opening.



"Our Rugby -Just brilliant"



Tui Club Rugby this Week 2.30pm
Home ground team named first.

Marist vs. Gladstone (7pm Friday)
(Alistair Payne)

Greytown vs. Carterton
(Shay O'Gorman)

Martinborough vs. Eketahuna
(Paul Thompson)

Pioneer vs. East Coast
(Graeme Reisima)



Burger King Senior Reserve (1pm)

Greytown vs. Carterton
(Dean Goodin)

Marist vs. Gladstone (Friday 7pm)
(Mike Wakefield)

Masterton Red Star vs. Eketahuna
(Pat Baucke)

Pioneer vs. East Coast
(Chris Jefferies)

Tuhirangi - Bye

Burger King Player of the Week

Wins \$50 Burger King Bucks
Voucher: To be Confirmed

This week's Burger King Player of
the Burger Bucks Game is:

Greytown vs Carterton



2015 Stats

Tui Cup 3 Top Points Scorer

Tui Cup Most Tries (More than 5)

Tui Cup Most Conversions

Tui Cup Most Penalties

Ultimate Club Points Machine

Ultimate Try Scoring Premier Team

2015 Nunn Shield

Gladstone hold onto the Nunn Shield

Apologies for the delay in providing a leader board but will be up and running next week. (Ed)

CONCUSSIONS

Please follow the guidelines and ensure all players are wearing mouth guards.

Enjoy the game so all can enjoy the evening.

EVENT MANAGEMENT

Please ensure all fields are roped off and make sure your club's alcohol policies are followed.

TEAM CARDS

The FULL electronic team cards must be presented to the referees – **no exceptions.** If you have any issues contact Doug Bracewell for assistance.



What Saturdays are all about before the big game



The WBS Junior Rugby

Club Rugby Results on Saturdays on Facebook and Web page

Please note these are only **preliminary** scores and are subject to confirmation on Monday when the team cards are received and then entered accordingly.

What's on at the Park

Friday 24th 7pm Marist vs Gladstone

Saturday 25th 1pm MSR vs Eketahuna

Saturday 25th 2.30pm Football

Saturday 25th 5.30 United vs Stop Out

Website stats for last week

2,805 views – "our people just brilliant"

7,777 views month to date

107,693 views since Jan 2014

NEW COMMENTARY BOX

We have new commentary box and big thanks to Mitre 10, Radio Network and Kim Olson who have just made Goff Moorcock the happiest radio commentator in NZ.

Here comes the Professionals





Dead Ball Charlie's Highlights of the week

Can't believe this weekend the new turf and the stadium will be up and running. It's been a train station down at the Park over the last 6 months and DBC can't wait for the first ball to be kicked.

Let's give a big hand to the contractors, Higgins, Polytan, Taylors Electrical, Riggs Zschokke, Electra Fence, Daytech, Robbie Rimene, Farry McLeod, Terry Fleet, Corey Electrical, Sun Alliance, Masterton District Council, Wairarapa Scrap Metal, Logan Gold Walsh, The Sign Factory and the Wairarapa Supporters Club with their new outdoor deck.

And what about those organisations that got behind the project – Trust House, Masterton District Council, Lottery Board, Eastern & Central Community Trust, Wairarapa Bush Rugby Union, Wairarapa United, New Zealand Rugby Union and Capital Football.

To you all

"Our Town – Just Brilliant"

Question of week: Answer on the last page

TRICK QUESTION: Who will be the first ever try scorer on the new artificial turf?

Old Timers/Past Players Dates

Pioneer Rugby Club



College Rugby is about to commence – watch for details.

**Club Rugby
Draws & results**

Look for this logo on our webpage under "Draws/Results" to get all Full Club rugby draws and results.

"OUR RUGBY JUST BRILLIANT"

Team	Wins	Draws	Losses	Bonus	Points
Greytown	1	0	0	1	5
Gladstone	1	0	0	0	4
Marist	1	0	0	0	4
Eketahuna	1	0	0	0	4
East Coast	0	0	1	0	1
Pioneer	0	0	1	0	1
Carterton	0	0	1	0	0
Martinborough	0	0	1	0	0

Team	Wins	Draw	Losses	Bonus	Points
Carterton	1	0	0	1	5
Tuhirangi	1	0	0	1	5
Eketahuna	1	0	0	1	5
Pioneer	1	0	0	1	5
Marist	0	0	1	2	2
Greytown	0	0	0	0	0
East Coast	0	0	1	0	0
Masterton Red Star	0	0	1	0	0
Gladstone	0	0	1	0	0

JAB

JAB rugby will commence again 9th May 2015

CLUB FINALS DAY

Club finals day is 1st August 2015 book this date in to join us at Trust House Memorial Park.

"Our Rugby -Just brilliant"

2015 Ref Talk 3

Each year Referees and players are confronted with changes to the Laws of the game. These either come at the start of the season or are introduced for the First Class season. And to add to the confusion that those changes bring, there have often been “Interpretations” which changed how Referees implemented the Laws which hadn’t even been changed. Well, so far this year.....NOTHING. Same game, Same Laws. It is a breath of fresh air.

But, the lack of law changes has highlighted the deep seated problems which exist in the laws. Scrum engagement is a shambles. Maul Law is another area where confusion reigns and of course the perennial problem at the breakdown.

And here is the problem. Bearing the brunt of the criticism about the Laws is the one participant who has had the least to do with how the law has been written; the referee. My criticism of Referees is how slow we have been to respond and set the law out clearly. Month after month, we have seen teams adjust how they play the game to try to gain an advantage within the laws. And, usually a few weeks after, we see the referee ranks responding to these ‘innovative’ approaches. And in the gap – inconsistent application and interpretation has led to player and viewer confusion.

Here in the Wairarapa I am confident that our Referee Group is well prepared to respond to any innovation at a local level. I hope our local teams are talking through alternative tactics and practicing how to get ‘one over’ on their opponents. That’s what makes rugby such a wonderful sport.

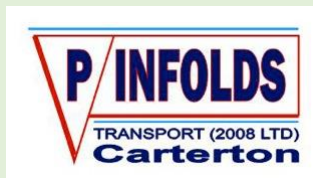
That’s what I will be looking for. I hope you will be as well.

The Whistle Blower.





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Answer:

We are going to take a punt here – Andrew McLean
Gladstone – 60 metre break from a lineout.

