

Belle Vue Rangers

caster—and they will have the best wishes of all well-wishers of the code in their great venture. We have no fixture with Doncaster, but Cardiff are at Belle Vue on October 6th and we travel to Wales on the last Saturday of the year. Other fresh opponents we have from last season are Halifax and Hull.

OUR VISITORS

For our opening match we welcome Oldham, with whom we had two such close games last season. Oldham won by a single point (15-14) at Belle Vue, while at Watersheddings the Rangers gained a two-nil success. Two of our former players, Bryn Day and "Bill" Ratchford, are now with Oldham, and Doug. Phillips and Dai Rees played there previous to joining our club. We hope that to-day's match will provide a grand start to a good season at Belle Vue.

LOCAL "DERBY" ON SATURDAY

The Rangers are at home again on Saturday when we have Salford as visitors. Our local rivals will again prove a great attraction and a big crowd can be expected.

LANCASHIRE CUP-TIE

In the first round of the Lancashire Cup our opponents are St. Helens, the first leg taking place at St. Helens a

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week on Saturday and the return at Belle Vue on Thursday, September 6th (kick-off 6.30).

JOIN THE SUPPORTERS' CLUB TODAY

Application forms obtainable at the Supporters' Club kiosk, Hunters Lane entrance. Last season's members are reminded that it is necessary to renew membership for this present season. Various functions of a rugby nature are planned. Watch this programme for announcements. Ensure participation by joining the Supporters' Club today.

TRIPS TO AWAY MATCHES

Apply at the Supporters' Club kiosk on the ground for full particulars regarding the following matches:—

Sept. 1—St. Helens (1st leg, 1st rd. Lancashire Cup).

15—Widnes.

Several bookings have already been received for a trip to Cardiff for the away fixture on the 29th December, also for a visit to Morecambe Illuminations immediately after the Leigh home match on September 22nd. Apply as above for full details.

WEMBLEY TICKETS

Register your name at once at the Supporters' Club kiosk if you wish to make application for a ticket for the 1952 Wembley Cup Final. Do not delay if you wish to avoid disappointment.

Belle Vue Rangers
(Broughton Rangers
[Belle Vue] Limited)

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BELLE VUE RANGERS v. OLDHAM

Wednesday, August 22nd, 1951

Kick-off 6-30 p.m.

Directors: Alderman W. H. Oldfield, J.P., M.P., J. Kay, and T. Spedding
Secretary-Manager: T. Spedding

CLUB NOTES

As we were the club with an open date, we did not participate in the "big kick-off" last Saturday, and so make a start to the new season this evening. Like Rugby League enthusiasts everywhere, the Rangers' supporters have been eagerly looking forward to the resumption of activities, and an interesting season is in prospect. The visit of the New Zealand touring team should prove a big attraction, and there will be keen competition amongst the home players to represent Great Britain in the Test matches. There should be plenty of opportunity for the younger players who have been on the fringe of honours to gain their first international caps. The tourists visit Belle Vue to play the Rangers on November 24th.

WHITE CHIEF



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There are two new clubs in the league this season—Cardiff and Don-

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Kick-off 6-30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22nd, 1951

Kick-off 6-30 p.m.

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BELLE VUE

v.

WEMBLEY

Saturday, August 25th, at 7 p.m.

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WRESTLING

IN THE KINGS HALL

Saturday, August 25th at 7 p.m.

Farmer's Boy v. David Armstrong

George Gregory v. Alf Robinson

Tony Baer v. Jack Atherton

Tommy Mann v. Johnny Williams

WRESTLING WEDS. & SATS. at 7-0

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Threequarters

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3—MORGAN

4—THATCHER

5—PIMBLETT

Half-backs

6—PRICE

7—REES

Forwards

8—AYLES

9—HUNT

10—GWYTHYR

11—TONGE

12—PHILLIPS

13—TIERNEY

OLDHAM TEAM

Colours—Cherry & White

Full Back

1—RATCHFORD

Threequarters

2—WARHAM

3—WARD, K.

4—DAVIES, A.

5—PLATT

Half-backs

6—STIRRUP

7—GOODFELLOW

Forwards

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9—KEITH

10—DAY

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BELLE VUE RANGERS

v.

SALFORD

Saturday, 25th August, 1951

Kick-off 3-0 p.m.