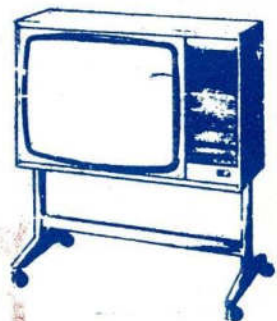


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Highest Score: Wakefield Trinity 78, Batley 9 (Aug. 1967)

Heaviest defeat: Hull 69, Wakefield Trinity 11 (Jan. 1921)

Attendance record: 37,906 Post-war 28,736 (1964)

Most appearances: 618 (Harry Wilkinson) 1929/30-1948/49

Highest career points: 4,488 (Neil Fox)

Highest career goals: 1,836 (Neil Fox) Tries: 272 (Neil Fox)

Points: 407 in a season (N. Fox 1961/62) 33 in a match (N. Fox 1967/68) Goals: 163 in a season (N. Fox 1961/2)

12 in a match (N. Fox 1967/68 & 1970/71) B. Ward (1970/71)

Tries: 38 in a season (Fred Smith 1959/60, David Smith 1973/74)

7 in a match (Fred Smith 1958/59, Keith Slater 1970/71)

Most victories in succession—23 in 1961/62

Successive games without defeat—28 in 1961/62

Most league victories in succession—17 in 1961/62

Successive league games without defeat—21 in 1961/62

Club Notes

by J. C. Lindley

Two successive high-scoring victories over Salford (by an aggregate of 74pts against 35) brought our side back into fifth position of the First Division. Fifteen tries (9 at Belle Vue and 6 at Salford) alongside 14 goals and a drop goal gave our side a confidence boost against an obviously disjointed Lancashire side.

Last week-end the 'Red Devils' regained some of their pride and form with a home victory in the first round of the John Player Trophy over Wigan - a side defeated only twice in their 9 Second Division matches to date. On the same day, however, we had the disappointment of being knocked from the same Trophy trail at the initial hurdle at Naughton Park, Widnes.

Our side showed determination and character in fighting back from an immediate 5pts deficit and a similar blow at the start of the second half and were threatening the home line in the dying minutes after Fletcher's second try, converted from the touchline by Diamond, had taken us within 3pts of the Widnes scoreline.

The Lancashire side - despite having lost a number of their experienced Cup-winning players to Fulham - showed that they still have a side capable of challenging for honours. The fact that our side gave them more than a few anxious moments in the final quarter was one of the satisfactions for the large Wakefield following. Nevertheless, disappointment was the main lasting reaction for players and supporters alike on the journey back on the M62.

This afternoon we return to league football and welcome Oldham for the first time since gaining promotion from the Second Division. Last season there was a great revival of interest and success at Watersheddings and the Club maintained their team strengthening to equip their side to maintain such success in the higher division.

Despite their enterprise, a mixture of injuries and bad luck have brought disappointment to Oldham's cause. They currently stand in 12th berth, immediately above the relegation zone presently occupied by Halifax, Leeds, Leigh and Workington.

Under the charge of player-coach Bill Francis, and with such experienced campaigners as Brian Lockwood, Geoff. Clarkson and Clive Sullivan in their ranks, they had hoped for a better reward. Oldham recruited Mick Parrish from Hunslet earlier in the campaign and his goalkicking prowess has already been evident, as has his general work in the centre.

One of the success stories at Oldham this term has been the rise of their young loose-forward Terry Flanagan. Eighteen months ago he was playing with Saddleworth Rangers 'Under 18's'. A month ago he made a tremendous impact in Great Britain's Under 24 side against New Zealand - a performance which took him into Britain's Test Squad.

Trinity and Oldham last met in the 2nd round of the R.L. Challenge Cup on our Wembley-bound trail of 1979. Then at Watersheddings, we were successful by 19pts to 7. Our hopes will be of returning to winning ways with a similar triumph this afternoon whilst our visitors will be striving to repeat their league win of 9-2 over Champions Bradford N. at Oldham a fortnight ago before their excursion onto the trophy trail was ended narrowly at York last Sunday.

FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

First Team	Sun 7 Dec 3.30 Home v ST HELENS
A Team	Wed 3 Dec 7.30 Away v CASTLEFORD
	Sat 6 Dec 2.30 Away v BATLEY
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During the evening, the annual presentations will be made of the Jonathan Parkin Award (for 'outstanding service to the Wakefield Trinity Club') and the Dpug. Cowling Trophy (to Trinity's 'Colt of the Year').

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A Team v York Home L 9-15
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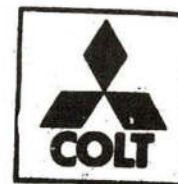
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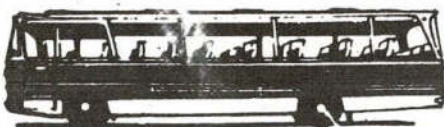
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Friday, 14 November at The Willows
SALFORD 17 TRINITY 32
Goals: Diamond 7
Tries: Rayne, Thompson 2, Topliss, Fletcher, Day
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There are still some vacancies on the weekend trips to Wembley for the 1981 Rugby League Cup. Anyone interested should come to the Sales Bar today or phone K. Sykes on Wakefield 892064.

Today at half time our first members free draw will take place for a major prize. Its therefore too late for new members to get into this draw. However, there will be quite a few other free draws throughout the rest of the season, so its still not too late to join the Supporters Club. Membership cards priced 50p Adults and 30p Juniors and OAP's will be on sale today. Remember, Supporters Club Members get a 10p reduction in coach fares to away games and all members, provided they book are guaranteed a seat on the coaches. Recently people have been turning up at the compound without booking a seat on the coach. These people should remember that they are not guaranteed a seat and if coaches are full they will be left behind. If they wish to travel regularly they should join the Supporters Club and book a seat in advance - then they will be guaranteed a seat.

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Three Quarters										
A.FLETCHER.....	11	0	0	10	30	89	0	0	44	132
K.SMITH.....	1	0	0	0	0	78	112	8	26	310
S.DIAMOND.....	11	47	0	6	112	78	169	1	17	390
B.JULIFF.....	11	0	0	8	24	78	0	0	40	120
T.DAY.....	9	0	0	5	15	9	0	0	5	15
W.MORRELL.....	5	0	0	1	3	14	0	0	3	9
S.TINKER.....	3	0	0	1	3	26	0	0	8	24
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