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We feel that, as a club, we have much to be proud of so far this season and we want as many Oldham people as possible to share in the entertainment we are providing.

We returned to winning ways in our last home game against Featherstone Rovers, scoring five tries in a 26-8 victory which took us back to the top of the Slalom Lager championship.

The performance was particularly pleasing because it included two splendid debuts by our two Australian recruits Paul Taylor and Chris Phelan, who are settling down quickly to life at Watersheddings.

Off the field, things are also moving smartly in the right direction, with the Lifeline Appeal continuing to make steady progress and arousing a lot of interest each week as each £1,000 winner is named.

The first £1,000 went to a syndicate of four workers at British Aerospace in Chadderton, while local business man Stuart Lawton took the second major prize, and Phil Robinson of Shaw won the third.

The first draw took place here at Watersheddings, the second at the Church Inn, Huddersfield Road, and the third at Funnies, Huddersfield Road. These notes were compiled before the fourth draw was made, but it is encouraging to note that the draws themselves are also arousing a great deal of interest.

The winning numbers for the first three draws were: 0478, 0823, 1029. The fourth draw, last Tuesday night, was due to be made at the Navigation, Manchester Road.

The Lifeline organisation is also to have a special draw soon for Christmas hampers, to be worth about £50 each.

Nat Lofthouse, the former England soccer star, made our first draw and at our last home game we had the pleasure of the company of Shirley Strong, the women's 100 metres hurdles silver medallist in the Los Angeles Olympics last summer.

Shirley was here to make the monthly draw for the Ambassador Club, and she was just as delighted to share our company as we were hers.

For those of you who may be here for the first time this season and interested in obtaining further information about the Lifeline Society, the Ambassador Club or the lottery, full details can be obtained from 626-4501 (Lifeline) or 620-4870 (lottery and Ambassador Club).

Next Sunday we travel to York in the first round of the John Player Special Trophy, and we hope to have as much support as possible behind us on the day when we bid to make amends for our early and disappointing exit from the Lancashire Cup.

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HISTORICAL NOTES ON HULL KINGSTON ROVERS by Tom Webb

THE early days of Hull Kingston Rovers, originally Kingston Amateurs, were spent on many grounds before finally settling at their present well-equipped enclosure. The first ground at Gillett Street off the Hessle Road was bounded by a footpath which acted as the touch line, hence the expression "Flag Edge Touch" by which their ground was known. A move was made to a plot of land off the Anlaby Road. Moves were made in fairly quick succession to Chalk Lane, Dairycoates, the Star and Garter ground on Hessle Road, the Albert United cricket field and then 3 years at the Hull Athletic Club Company's fine enclosure at the Boulevard now owned and occupied by Hull F.C., who moved in about the start of the 1895-96 season.

The premier trophy on Humberside in those long gone days was the "Hull Times" Cup which Rovers first won away back in 1887-88 when Hull Britannia were defeated. Other leading contenders for the trophy were White Star, Hessle Trinity, Three Crowns and Hull "A", all with the exception of the last named having been outlived.

In the Boulevard days the club relied on the fishermen for their support and the decision to move from West to East Hull was bitterly fought, some holding that the club would die without its old support. Others felt that a move across the city would safeguard the club's future and this section led by Charles Ward won the day.

During the spell at the Star and Garter the club had dropped its old title of Kingston Amateurs to become the Hull Kingston Rovers, a name now respected wherever Rugby Football is played.

Rovers have produced some wonderful players over the years, and have been really outstanding in having top class full backs and loose forwards. The best known custodians have been Herbert Sinclair who came from Spennymoor long years ago, Alfred ("Bunker") Carmichael father of George Carmichael who joined Bradford Northern, Laurie Osborne and Wilf McWatt and that list could contain addition names of top calibre men.

Jack Feetham who played for Rovers "A" at 14 years of age became the top loose forward of his day and he was a member later of the star studded Salford team of the late 1930s. Others to wear the number 13 shirt were Arthur Moore, George Saddington, Ted Tattersfield later with Leeds, Fred Brindle who also served Huddersfield and Castleford, Bryn Goldswain, Derek Turner and Alec Dockar. Bryn and Derek helped to build up the successful Oldham side of a quarter of a century ago.

Alec Dockar started playing Rugby League when he was nine years old and he represented Hull Schoolboys two years later and Yorkshire Schoolboys when he was still only 13 years old. He went to Hull F.C. for trials but was not retained so he signed for Rovers as a winger before developing into an international loose forward.

When the Hull Kingston Rovers Centenary Book was published by Mike Ulyatt last season, I met Bill Land at the presentation. Bill was the longest serving director of Rovers and was chairman of the ground committee. Of course we were already old friends and he was on the club board when I was covering Oldham matches for the "Rugby Leaguer". A cutting in my Rovers' scrap book shows that Bill was on the board in 1958-59 along with Wilf Spavin, chairman, Ron Chester vice-chairman, Lou Harris old time player and Frank Parkinson president of the Supporters' Club among others. Bill succeeded to the chair in due course. Mike Ulyatt, 28 Blackthorn Lane, Willerby, Hull, HU10 6RD can still supply some centenary books on receipt of £1.50 which includes postage.

WELCOME TO HULL K.R.

ROLL ON THE FAVOURITES

HULL K.R. are not the Slalom Lager championship favourites for nothing, but because they must have the strongest squad of players of First Division standard in the Rugby League.

Last season the Robins became the first club to clinch the big double of championship and premiership and already this season they are pressing strongly for First Division honours as well as finishing Yorkshire Cup runners-up to derby rivals Hull K.R.

In the past six seasons they have the First Division championship twice, the premiership twice, and the Challenge Cup once and it would be a brave man indeed who would back against them in lifting at least one major trophy in the 1984-5 campaign.

They must have fancied their chances of success in the Yorkshire Cup final at Boothferry Park before a crowd of 25,000 when they held a commanding lead, but Hull K.R. stormed back to lift a trophy which has surprisingly eluded the Rovers over the past few years.

Under the guidance once more of Roger Millward, Rovers won their first eight matches this season before slipping to a rather surprisingly heavy home defeat by Wigan the week before the Yorkshire Cup final.

Much of their success so far this season has been due to the ball-playing capabilities of loose-forward David Hall, who can be a devastating distributor if given the opportunity.

Kiwi internationals Mark Broadhurst at prop and Gary Prohm in the centre are also enjoying a great season, with Broadhurst working superbly in the front-row and Prohm running in the tries consistently.

Rovers have a big panel of quality players at their disposal. Consequently, it is difficult to imagine what the line-up at today's match might be, though it would be surprising if there were not at least ten internationals in the team.

From George Fairbairn at full-back to Hall at loose-forward, the team is brimming over with talent.

Winger Gary Clark toured last summer and has recently been named in the England under-21 side to face France later this month, while Ian Robinson and David Laws are none the worse for not having won international recognition.

Rovers suffered a blow recently when Kiwi international scrum-half Gordon Smith damaged his knee ligaments to face a long absence from the game, but in Paul Harkin, the Robins have a ready-made and experienced replacement.

Mike Smith, a man of vast international experience, has been playing at stand-off half, while a representative pack might read: Broadhurst, Watkinson, Ema, Burton, Kelly, Hall.

Before the season started Rovers were hoping to have John Dorahy back for another season from Sydney, and big forward Noel Cleal also crossing the world with him.

These signings did not materialise, yet Rovers have still recruited from Down Under, notably by capturing Chris Anderson, the former Widnes wing, who toured here in 1982 with the all-conquering Kangaroos.

Gavin Miller, a back-row forward, who has been showing up well in the "A" team, has also joined the Craven Park establishment from Down Under.

Anderson has been performing well in the Rovers successful "A" team in the No.6 jersey, and either of these two Aussies could make an appearance today along with players such as David Lydiat, Roy Holdstock and Chris Rudd.



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- 1981: Mick Adams — Widnes
- 1982: George Fairbairn — Hull K.R.
- 1983: David Topliss — Hull
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David Oxley said: "I am delighted that the Player of the Month competition is under way again and equally pleased to see an international company like Frigidaire taking such a big interest in Rugby League".

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BRIAN BATTY Daily Mail

SO wide open is the Slalom Lager First Division championship that it would take a brave man now to put his head on the block and name the title winners.

Bookies favourites Hull, after six games, were as far adrift as 13th place yet those who dismiss them as possible champions do so at their peril.

The reason is that few clubs have shown anything like real consistency and form is really haywire — on both sides of the Pennines.

Bradford Northern have built up a powerful challenge after a hiccup at Workington while Oldham's sudden injury crisis saw them stumble with two successive defeats.

Hull K.R. also tripped unexpectedly at home to Wigan and so at the time of writing this column we have four clubs locked in the lead and many others well within striking distance.

St. Helens have come up fast on the rails following the introduction of Mal Meninga to their ranks and they are playing some of their best football for seasons.

But so slim is the gap between the top clubs and those in the middle of the table that the situation could be drastically changed by Christmas.

It is a very similar situation in the Second Division where Mansfield Marksmen have been the surprise packet forcing their way right among the title challengers.

Swinton and Whitehaven have set a fair pace but cannot rest while Mansfield maintain their bid along with vastly improved Carlisle.

Not many people would have expected Carlisle to have done so well, getting into an early stride and coach John Atkinson is clearly getting a fine response from his Cumbrian side.

York's slump has surprised many people while Salford have found it necessary to reshape their side to revive their efforts.

But if anyone was handing out the medals at this stage it would be to Runcorn Highfield where Geoff Fletcher has done a marvellous job in lifting his men up the League.

All in all it is very early to start speculating but the belief that this is going to be a most interesting season is growing with every week as the surprised come at a steady rate.

SUPPORTERS CLUB NEWS

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The Supporters Club would like to welcome all the players and the committee and our visitors over the Pennines, Hull Kingston Rovers. Today's match, hoping we have a good, clean and entertaining match, we would like to invite all the supporters to our canteens situated at different parts of the ground and to our souvenir shop at the Pavilion end and the programme shop at the Waterhead end.

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Subs: Ward for Lund, Halkyard did not play.

Barrow: Tickle, Ball (goal), French (try), Wainwright, Fawkes, Mason, Cairns, Mantle, Szymala, Evans, Flynn, Irving, Hadley.

Subs: McConnell did not play and Lupton for Evans.

Referee: P. Massey (Salford). Attendance 2,828. Half-time score: 4-5.

10 YEARS AGO

Saturday, November 9th, 1974

Oldham 3 Bradford Northern 12 (Players No.6 Trophy)

Oldham: Murphy, Elliott (try), Larder, Wainwright, Barton, Treasure, McCone, Ashcroft, Taylor, Hughes, Hall, Welding, Farrell.

Subs: incomplete, Blair did not play, other one unknown.

Bradford: Mumby (3 goals), Lamb, Ward, Marston, Gant, Blacker (try), Seabourne (try), Ramsey, Jarvis, Forsyth, Jackson, Joyce, Fearnley.

Subs: Carlton for Blacker and Pattinson did not play.

Referee: W. H. Thompson (Huddersfield). Attendance 2,113. Half-time score 0-5.

15 YEARS AGO

Tuesday, November 11th, 1969

Wigan 12 Oldham 0 (B.B.C. Floodlit Cup, Second Round)

Wigan: Tyrer (3 goals), Wright (try), Francis, Rowe, Eastham (try), Kevin O'Loughlin, Jackson, Stephens, Clarke, Ashcroft, Hogan, Ashurst, Laughton.

Subs: Mills for Stephens, other one unknown.

Oldham: Murphy, Elliott, Crellin, Beverley, Mullarkey, Sayer, Smith, Gardiner, Taylor, Russell, Irving, McCormack, Fletcher.

Subs: not known.

Referee: R. Jackson (Halifax). Attendance 3,010. Half-time score 5-0.



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9—Workington (2.30)	W 44-2	A
12—Widnes (7.30)	W 18-2	H
16—COUNTY CUP	L 26-32	A
23—Leeds (3.00)	W 18-14	A
30—Leigh (3.00)	W 12-8	H

OCTOBER

7—Barrow (2.30)	W 34-12	A
14—Warrington (3.00)	L 15-16	H
21—St. Helens (3.00)	L 5-32	A
28—Featherstone (3.00)	W 26-8	H

NOVEMBER

4—Bradford (3.00)	A	
11—Hull KR (3.00)	H	
18—JOHN PLAYER TROPHY		
25—Warrington (3.00)	A	

DECEMBER

2—JOHN PLAYER TROPHY		
9—Barrow (3.00)	H	
16—Hull KR (3.00)	A	
23—Leeds (3.00)	H	
26—Widnes (3.00)	A	

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AUGUST

31—Salford	A	
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SEPTEMBER

8—Workington	H	
15—Carlisle	A	
21—Widnes	H	
27—Leigh	A	

OCTOBER

12—Warrington	A	
27—Featherstone	A	

NOVEMBER

2—Bradford	H	
9—Salford	H	
20—Wigan	A	
23—Warrington	H	

DECEMBER

1—Carlisle	H	
8—Barrow	A	
14—Swinton	H	
21—Widnes	A	
28—Halifax	A	

1985

JANUARY

1—Halifax (3.00)	H	
6—Featherstone (3.30)	A	
13—Bradford (3.00)	H	
20—Castleford (3.00)	H	
27—Wigan (3.00)	A	

FEBRUARY

3—Hull (3.00)	H	
10—CHALLENGE CUP		
17—Leigh (3.30)	A	
24—CHALLENGE CUP		

MARCH

10—St. Helens (3.00)	H	
17—Hull (3.00)	A	
24—Hunslet (3.30)	A	
31—Workington (3.00)	H	

APRIL

5—Halifax (7.00)	A	
8—Wigan (3.00)	H	
21—Castleford (3.30)	A	

1985

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MARCH

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15—Halifax	H	
22—Leigh	A	
30—Workington	A	

First Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Oldham	10	8	0	2	227	118	16
St. Helens	9	7	0	2	218	137	14
Bradford N	9	6	0	3	199	114	12
Leeds	9	6	0	3	202	120	12
Hull K.R.	8	6	0	2	183	109	12
Widnes	10	6	0	4	172	186	12
Wigan	8	5	0	3	168	127	10
Halifax	10	5	0	5	224	201	10
Leigh	11	5	0	6	251	253	10
Warrington	9	4	0	5	162	195	8
Featherstone	11	4	0	7	152	195	8
Barrow	9	4	0	5	311	282	8
Hull	7	3	0	4	187	117	6
Castleford	9	3	0	6	154	165	6
Workington	9	1	0	8	83	268	2
Hunslet	10	1	0	9	147	343	2

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