

CHESTER GLADIATORS

A WHOLE DIFFERENT BALL GAME



Club Newsletter – Issue 1 (April 2008)

Latest News

The club have been accepted into the Impact Sports RL Merit League for the 2008 season – you can find out more about the league by clicking the link on our website.

Our new club website is now 'live' and can be found at www.chestergladiators.com.

We have agreed a deal with Chester RUFC that will see us play our home games on the 1st team pitch at Hare Lane.

We are working hard to raise funds to enable us to purchase a new kit and training equipment as well as building awareness of the club. Please continue to spread the word amongst friends, family and work colleagues.

Training

Training will continue to take place each Thursday at 7.00 PM.

We will be moving from Hoole Park to Chester RUFC in the near future so please make sure you give Jim your contact number if you haven't already.

Your Committee

We have now established a formal club committee as follows:

President: Geoff Williams
Chairman: Jim Green
Honorary Secretary: Shane Kirrane
Treasurer: Clare Vernon
Press Officer: Tim Vernon
Club Development Officer: Paul Foster
Fundraising Coordinator: Paula Condliffe

New committee members or volunteers will always be welcome. If you would like to get involved or know someone who might be interested please speak to one of the committee members.

2008 Fixtures

We have arranged six fixtures already and are hopeful of setting up another two shortly.

Sat. 24th May
South Humber Rabbitohs (Away)

Sat. 31st May
Wigan Riversiders (Home)

Sat. 28th June
Wolverhampton Warlords (Away)

Sat. 12th July
North Derbyshire Chargers (Home)

Sat. 26th July
Wigan Riversiders (Home)

Sat. 2nd August
Wolverhampton Warlords (Home)

Please let Jim or Paul know if you are not available for any of these dates.

2008 Season Membership

In order to ensure that we can cover the substantial cost of insurance and setting up the club we have set the annual membership fees for 2008 as follows:

Full member: £30.00
(£10.00 discount for students)

Associate member: £20.00
(Non-playing membership)

All members will receive a free club polo shirt, monthly newsletter and additional benefits throughout the season such as discounted tickets for the end of season presentation.

Membership fees are required as soon as possible along with a complete registration form.

Weekly match fees of £3.00 will also be payable for each game you play in. These will cover the cost of pitch hire, providing refreshments and providing a qualified referee.

If you would like to discuss payment instalments or have any questions please speak to Jim.

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Chairman

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Club development officer

Paul Foster (07834 352143)

We are currently looking to attract potential club sponsors. If you can think of a company or individual who may be interested please speak to a member of the committee.



We are looking into arranging a team social that will take in a live Super League match at Warrington Wolves – a great chance to experience the thrill of professional rugby league for those of you who are new to the game! The dates we are looking at are 26th May (Castleford Tigers) & 15th June (Hull KR) and will arrange some group travel if there is sufficient interest.

We are hoping to arrange discounted admission to the game for members and will try to set up a meeting with some of the players. Please let one of the committee members know if you are interested.