



Successful Exhibition for 125th Anniversary.

A huge thank you to Lloyd Eddy for gathering some wonderful rugby club memorabilia which was on display at a coffee morning held at The Western Hotel on Friday, 22nd February. This was a foretaste of what the reunion could be, with many past memories shared, graced as it was with the presence of Richard Sharp, Harold Stevens, Jimmy Agnew and Charlie Galbraith.

The most talked about items were the immaculate records of our first team fixtures over the seasons, thanks to the incredible, painstaking work of Brian Burrell and Peter James. Our thoughts and prayers are with Peter and his family as he recovers from illness at RCH Truro. We wish him continued and steady progress.

A note of thanks and acknowledgement

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Two publications worth reading if you can get hold of copies are; **“Alright in the End!”**, by Peter Murrish, produced for the club’s centenary year, and **“The First Hundred Years”**, the story of rugby football in Cornwall, by Tom Salmon, where there is a section on the history of St Ives RFC, largely compiled by Peter James. These were researched for information in this programme.

Comparing statistics across the decades:

Note the fluctuations in matches played and points scored.

Year	P	W	D	L	F	A
1903-‘04	20	11	3	6	124	77
1913-‘14	29	20	2	7	293	87
1928-‘29	38	23	1	14	505	232
1937-‘38	36	19	6	11	296	202
1946-‘47	33	14	6	13	237	185
1955-‘56	42	25	2	15	380	227
1968-‘69	46	37	1	8	864	241
1972-‘73	46	29	2	9	1103	434
1987-‘88	44	19	1	14	444	395
1997-‘98	30	7	3	20	422	855
2001-‘02	25	18	1	6	674	426
2012-‘13	20	19	0	1	634	227



Previous results against Falmouth with several of the players

5 th Jan. 1999	23 rd Feb. 1991	4 th Jan. 1975	4 th Jan 1974
Won (H) Cup	Won (A)	Lost (A) Merit	Lost (A)
24-0	33-6	0-11	7-28
B Gibson	K Nankervis	R & D Corin	J Cocking
R Mallet	S Trevorrow	P & C Hendy	A Hart
T Bassett	M Smith	J Denholm	D Mungles
M Rowe	M Moran	R Trigger	R Knowles
C Dunn	I Deacon	B Stevens	M Stevens
J Perkin	J Rowe	M Gee	S Moody
N Laity	J Atkinson	V Thomas	D Boyns
		J Woolcock	T Pascoe

Some considerable and surprising opponents

St Merryn
Bath
Ebbw Vale
Old Paulines
HDCS Old Boys
RNZ Navy XV
Tojans
South Croft
Salisbury
Mufulira Zambia
Public School
Calgary CA
Old Crescent
St Day
Bracknell
Virginia USA
Cardiff
Newport
Henley
Chester
St Eval
Wanderers
Coventry
Old Gaytonians
Neath
Bohemians IRE
Birmingham
Tredegar
Homan's Foundry
Swansea
Bristol