

"Gorau Chwarae, Chwarae Têg"

Canrif ô Rygbi 1895 - 1995 A Century of Rugby

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CLUB MILESTONES

A chronological summary

1895 A team called 'All Blacks' formed in the area. This team was later called ' Curwen Stars'

1900 Curwen Stars joined Llanelli & District Rugby Union

1913 Curwen Stars joined Welsh Rugby Union

1923 A separate team was set up at Cwmgors colliery called the'Mond team'

1926 The 'Mond team won the 'Mond Cup'

1927 Curwen Stars disbanded and left WRU due to General Strike

Mond team also disbanded due to General Strike

July 1927 Cwmgors RFC formed and joined Swansea & District Rugby Union

1930's Cwmgorse RFC won ' Jim Rapsey' Cup

1937 A separate team made up of unemployed miners was also set up in the area

1938 Cwmgors RFC won Swansea and District Challenge Cup

1938 Cwmgors RFC readmitted to Welsh Rugby Union

1946 Curwen Juniors Boys' Club Team set up

1946 Curwen Juniors win Welsh Association of Boys' Clubs Cup in their first season

1947 Curwen Juniors win Welsh Association of Boys' Clubs Cup again

1947/48 Cwmgors RFC beat Llanelli RFC in a 'missionary match '

1950 Club moved grounds from Parc Howard Cwmgors to Parc y Werin and changed headquarters from New Star Hotel to Caegurwen Arms

1963 West Wales RFU Cup Finalists

1970 West Wales RFU Challenge Cup Winners

1994 New Clubhouse Built

1995/ 1996 National League 7B Champions

A Brief History of Cwmgors Rugby Football Club

<u>"Gorau Chwarau - Chwarau Teg "</u>

<u> 1895 - 1927</u>

Rugby has been played at Cwmgors since 1895 when a team called the "All Blacks" came into being . Subsequently the team became known as the ' Curwen Stars ' whose ground was at Parc Howard , Cwmgors. This team joined the Llanelli and District League at the beginning of the 1900's and became a member of the Welsh Rugby Union in 1913. However , owing to financial difficulties caused by the General Strike of 1926 , the club disbanded in 1927 and left the Welsh Rugby Union.

Another team was also formed at Cwmgors Colliery in 1923 which won the Mond Cup in 1926. The players were all under 18 years of age and played in Cherry and White .They were known as the ' Mond ' team after Alfred Mond who owned the colliery .

This team only played against other collieries in the district and playing for the team was considered to be the same as working in the colliery in that any injury sustained on the field would be treated as an injury sustained at work.

Playing for this team were two future Welsh Caps, Claude Davey and Will Davies (Tir Bach). Both players later joined Swansea R.F.C. and received their first Welsh Caps in 1930 and 1931 respectively. The colliery team won several trophies but also disbanded during the General Strike of 1926.

In July 1927 when it looked as if there would be no more rugby at Cwmgors, Mr. David Pritchard, who had played as prop forward for the Colliery team and Curwen Stars, called a meeting by placing notices on street lamp-posts in and around the Gwmgors and Gwaun Cae Gurwen areas with the help of a few friends. There was an excellent response from the younger element of the area and because ' Dai ' Pritchard had called the meeting he was asked to Chair the meeting. He continued in this capacity until 1982 when he became the longest serving Chairman in the Welsh Rugby Union.

At this meeting it was unanimously decided to form a team under the name of **Cwmgors Rugby Football Club** which joined the Swansea and District Rugby Union and established its headquarters at the New Star Hotel, Cwmgors . Soon after joining the Swansea and District Rugby Union the Club Chairman and the new Secretary Mr. Morgan Lewin were required to attend their first Swansea and District meeting where they were able to draw up a full fixture list for the 1927 / 28 season. The treasurer from the Club's inception was Will ' Strib 'Davies who continued in this role until his retirement in 1952.

Initially the new club's meetings were held in the front room of the New Star Hotel where the landlord would usually light a fire. However as few pints were drunk during meetings lighting the fire was not seen to be very cost effective by the landlord and resulted in the team having to move its headquarters and changing rooms to the Abernant Inn - ' The Brew '. The team now had a lengthy walk down and along the railway line to the ground at Parc Howard to play their home games. At the ' Brew ' players had the ' luxury ' of two tin baths in which to wash after a match. One of these tubs was of course for the use of the visiting team and meant that all the players would rush back from Parc Howard after a match in order not be last to use the tub and having to wash in what was by then very dirty and cold water. It seems that some players made an art out of finding short cuts to the ' Brew ' after matches!

The Club at this time only supplied jerseys to players and for all games away from home any members travelling on the team coach had to pay for half the cost of the bus. It is also reported that one of these early teams used to play their rugby in hobnailed boots, as the players could not afford to buy proper rugby boots.

The first President of the Club was Mr. DP Rees, the Clerk in Chief to the Gwaun Cae Gurwen Group of Collieries. The group consisted of the Gwaun Cae Gurwen Collieries, the New Cwmgors Colliery, the Raven Colliery, and the Ynys Colliery. He was a staunch member of Llanfair Church and lived at 32, Carmel Street.

<u> 1930 - 1940</u>

One of the major problems the Club experienced in the 30 's was in trying to raise a full team on Saturdays if the Club was playing away. This was because most of the team worked in the local colliery and a Saturday shift did not end until 2.00 p.m. However a list of players would usually be handed to the colliery manager or perhaps he would receive a telephone call from DP Rees and all problems in getting players released early would inevitably be overcome. The men whose early release was usually requested included Gerald Morris, Emlyn Coedwr, Cyril Rees and Will Hayden who went on to captain Amman Utd. R.F.C. These informal arrangements unfortunately only continued until the collieries were taken over by Amalgamated Anthracite when such grace and favour ceased.

During the 30 's , as a member of Swansea and District Rugby Union, the team won the 'The Jim Rapsey Cup' but was defeated by Bwllchymynydd (Loughor) in another final by two penalty goals to converted goal - 6 points to 5. One Cwmgors player of this era went on to achieve fame in another sport. This was Tommy Davies who went on to become the Welsh Middleweight Boxing Champion.

The winter of 1937 saw the setting up of a separate team of unemployed miners who played in the area for a period of some three months. The reason for the setting up of this team was that the waterways of Canada were frozen over at this time and as Canada was then a major importer of Welsh anthracite coal the local collieries were forced to close for a period of three months. The colliers therefore had the opportunity to organize themselves into an ad hoc team for that short period of time.

As mentioned earlier both Claude Davey and Will Davies obtained their first Welsh caps in 1931 and in the late 1930's another international player in the making left Cwmgors for Llanelli and gained three Caps for Wales - Emrys Evans. Emrys played against England in 1937 and against Ireland and Scotland in 1939 and would have gained many more caps but for the outbreak of War.

As a result of the winning the Swansea & District Rugby Union Championship in 1938 the Club was again admitted as a member of the Welsh Rugby Union and this change was agreed at the Club's General Meeting of 1938. Due to the outbreak of war however the Club did not have its new membership confirmed immediately by the Welsh Rugby Union and was not actually admitted to the West Wales Rugby Union until the war ended. There is no doubt that achieving this status was due mainly to the unstinting efforts of its Chairman David ' Dai ' Pritchard who had re-moulded the Club from its early days with the Swansea and District Rugby Union. It was considered a tremendous achievement to have a senior Welsh Rugby Union Club in the village of Cwmgors.

Amman Valley Chronicle & East Carmarthen News

Cwmgors and Gwaun Cae Gurwen News

Both our young International Rugbyites are included in the Welsh XV to meet England at Swansea next Saturday week. **Claude Davey and Will Davies** are as popular at home as they are with the national crowd and we all wish them another day of great success on the St. Helen's ground

January 7th.1932

Our two internationals **Claude Davey** and **Will Davies** acquitted themselves quite honourably at the Irish-Welsh game on Saturday at Cardiff

March 17th. 1932

Cwmgors man and his Bicycle

AFTER THE GAME WAS OVER

A Cwmgors young man was involved in rather a piquant situation at Cardiff on Saturday last on the occasion of the Wales v Ireland International match.

He was innocent enough to leave his bicycle , which he had ridden from Cwmgorse that morning, in the care of two strange boys on his arrival in the city. When the game was over neither the bike nor the boys were to be seen. He informed the police of his loss with no result and he had to come home by bus.

It is a pity for the young man for he had been on the dole for a long time and he has no relatives at all in the district.

April 17th 1932

On Wednesday in last week the Tabernacle Hall was crowded out, the occasion being the presentation of his own photograph, in oils, to **Mr Will Davies**, Wales's Rugby wing forward

Will Davies was given his International cap in the game against the Springboks early this season and signalled his entry into International matches by scoring the only try for his team in that game. He has retained his place ever since and today is acclaimed on all sides as the finest wing forward in the four countries. It was only natural therefore that his many friends if his native village should show their regard for him in some manner such as this .

The meeting was presided over by **Mr.D.P Rees** chief clerk of the Amalgamated Anthracite Collieries and right well did he do his work . An excellent programme had been got together . Among the artistes were :

Handel John's Mouth Organ Quartet, the Celtic Glee Singers, Brynamman, Mr Jack Williams

Mr Emrys Davies, Mr Emrys Williams, Mr DL Davies Cwmtwrch, and Mr John Alban Davies.

The presentation was made by Dr Phillips who in his remarks spoke very eulogistically of **Will Davies**' fine type of character and of the great honour he had brought his native village.

The following gentlemen also spoke: - Mr Dan Jones M.E. Cwmgors , Rev TM Roderick , Rev. WJ Jenkins, Mr HM Fuller , Mr Tom Harry (Swansea RFC) , and Mr Watcyn Thomas representing the Welsh team .

Mr Willie Low sang some topical verses of his own composition and Mr Rhys Evans, Alltfab, acted as accompanist. The concert was of a very high order indeed and so it should be for **Will Davies** is one of the finest fellows that ever wore a jersey.

<u> 1946 - 1950</u>

Despite having been readmitted to the West Wales Rugby Union the general lack of organization and co-ordination that existed at the end of the War meant that fixtures could not easily be arranged during the 1945 / 1946 season. One tournament in which the Club did actually play was a 7-a -side tournament at Stradey Park , Llanelli. The team played well but lost in the semi-final mainly due to an injury to Joe Davies, which resulted in the Club having to play with only 6 men. One of the teams in the final of this tournament was the touring New Zealand (Kiwis) team and their Captain (Sherratt , wing) came to the Cwmgors changing room to commiserate with the team as he felt the Club would have made the final had it been able to field a full side in the semi-final.

During this post war period Curwen Juniors started playing on the Common near Carreg Silfaen and played in the Swansea and District League under the guidance of Percy Edwards who was their Superintendent with Glyn Davies and Harry Clerk being the Coach and Treasurer respectively.

On its inception in 1946 this team captured the Welsh Association of Boys Clubs Cup but was later disqualified for having included one over aged player. The following year they again won the same Cup after defeating Nant y Moel in the final at Treorchy. The team was known in many areas as the miniature' All Blacks ' due to the way in which the forwards and backs combined to keep the ball flowing in a very expansive manner. Members who played for this team still remember the excellent team spirit that was engendered at that time as well as the fact that the only perk was the provision of free transport to away matches courtesy of ' Twm Blaengarnant ' who was a coach operator and an ardent supporter of the team.

From the ranks of this team emerged many players who went on to represent Cwmgors R.F.C. when they eventually became old enough to play senior rugby. Even more notable was that it also produced a future senior international and Neath outside half in the form of Denzil Thomas and a Welsh trialist second row in Arwyn Morris who played for Swansea RFC. Three other members of the team went on to represent the Glamorgan County Boys Club Team and were awarded ' Badges ', which were awarded in place of ' Caps ' in those days, by the South Wales Federation of Boys Clubs. These players were lorrie Davies - Full Back , Ken Rees - Scrum Half and Eurof Davies - Flanker.

It became a tradition that Cwmgors R.F.C.'s regular Christmas Day game would be played against Curwen Juniors . Play however was not allowed to start until the afternoon because of the Christmas services at the local churches and chapels. This again was due to D.P. Rees's influence as was the decision to hold a pre ' General Meeting ' meeting between the Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer to discuss the Club accounts and sign a bank form confirming the Club's funds and funding for the following season. This pre - General Meeting meeting was held before going into the long room at the New Star Hotel where by now the club's headquarters had again been relocated and where ' DP ' would get ' the Royal treatment ' from all the Club officials. Members would thank him profusely for all his efforts during the year hoping that he would continue to help the Club field it's strongest side for away games.

Another memorable event in the history of the Club took place at the end of the 1947 / 48 season when Cwmgors RFC beat a full Llanelli RFC team which contained five full Welsh internationals in what was known as a ' Missionary Match '. This match was arranged to take place at Parc Howard, Cwmgors, as a tribute to Jess Cole, a former Cwmgors player who had moved on to play for Llanelli. The five internationals fielded by Llanelli included Peter Rees - wing, Handel Gravelle - scrum half, Carwyn James - outside half and Stan and Ossie Williams - 2nd row. There were ' great expectations ' on the day of the match and entry tickets were put on sale from the front room window of Mr. Oswald Morgan who lived opposite the team ' s headquarters at the New Star Hotel. The result was a stunning 6 points to 3 win for the village team who scored two tries to their illustrious opponents' one try and there was tremendous jubilation in the area after the match. The young lads from the Boys' Club/ Curwen Juniors team who had graduated to this winning Cwmgors team were full of praise for the more senior players in the team who had taught them so much about the skills of the game. Gerald Morris, who also played first class rugby, was described as an inspiring centre three-quarter while Tom Paddock was thought of as a wily old workhorse in the front

row of the scrum. Rod Davies - flanker, Emlyn Thomas (Coedwr) - full back and Dai 'Cheena' (prop) all gave the youngsters confidence and inspiration. In the match itself no one did better than Cwmgors' 2nd row where Evan James (Ianto Gorsto) and Gwyn Davies who had joined the club from Morriston RFC and was an uncle of Mervyn Davies who was to play at number eight for Wales in the 70 's, nullified the efforts of Llanelli 's Stan and Ossie Williams in the linesout. There was no prouder man on the day than the Club Chairman, Mr. David Pritchard, who himself was deserving of far greater recognition from the Welsh rugby establishment.

One of the players from this team recalls that it was seriously believed by all the players at that time that swallowing a small amount of Vaseline before a match would have beneficial effects! Apparently they thought that Vaseline would lubricate their airways and therefore help them to avoid them becoming breathless during the match. Another player of this era, namely Vincent Jones, used to ask his team-mates after a match if they wanted to see and hear his chicken impressions and, of course, he subsequently became known to everyone as ' Ceiliog ' (Cockrel) .

CWMGORS R.F.C. FIXTURE LIST 1948 - 49

(Affiliated to the Welsh Rugby Union and West Wales Rugby Union)

Patron : Lord Dynevor President : Teddy Jones Esq. Cwmgorse Life Members : Messrs Claude Davey Will Davies David Pritchard

Chairman : Mr David Pritchard Vice Chairman : Mr Watcyn Thomas Treasurer : Mr William Davies Secretary :

Mr T Gwyn Jones Committee :

David Jones , D. Ronald Jones , Ellis Jones , D. Emlyn Jones , D.J. Jones , David Lewis , Tom Morgan ,

Fred Lewis, Bence James.

Captain : Meirion Jones Vice Captain : Iorrie Davies First Aid : Johnny Vaughan

Assistant First Aid : Arwyn Rees

Headquarters : New Star Hotel Cwmgorse

Colours : Scarlet

Ground : Howard Park

Date 1948	Opponent	Ground		Result
Sept 2	Trebanos	. Home		0 - 0
4	Brynamman	Away		3 - 25
11	Kidwelly	Home		3 - 0
18	Llangenech	Home		11 - 0
25	Loughor	Away		3 - 16
Oct 2-	Hendy	Home		0 - 0
9	Bynea	Away	26 - 6	
16	New Dock Stars	Away		6 –
23	Open	-		
30	Amman Utd	Away		0 - 5
Nov 6	Hendy	Away		5 - 5
13	Carmarthen Quins	Away		0 - 0
20	Felinfoel	Home		16 - 9
27	Aberystwyth	Home		21 - 3
Dec 4	Ystalyfera	Away		3 - 8
11	Llandybie	Home	8 - 3	
18	Bynea	Home	8 - 3	
25	Brynamman	Away		
1949				
Jan 1	Cwmllynfell	Home		8 - 3
8	Skewen N.O.R	Home		6 - 3
15	Amman Utd	Home		6 - 3
22	Llangenech	Away		3 - 3
29	Ystradgynlais (Cup)	Away		6 – 8
Feb 5	Ystalyfera	.Home		9 - 21
12	Llandybie	Away	8-14	
19	Carmarthen Quins	Home		9 - 8
26	Pontyberem	Away		6 - 6
Mar 5	Kidwelly	. Away		0 - 0
12	Brynamman	Home		8 - 0
19	Pontyberem	Home		3 - 3
26-	Skewen NOR	Away		8 - 10
Apr 2	Lloughor	Home		9 - 6
7	Trebannos	Away		12 -3
9	Morriston	Home		9 - 3
16	Aberystwyth	Away		11 -5
21	Morriston	Away		18 -0
23	Felinfoel	Away		3 -13
30	New Dock Stars	Home		3 - 0

<u>1950 - 1960</u>

As mentioned earlier the Club found at this time that it had another talented player in its' ranks . This was Denzil Thomas who played at outside half and who went on to play for Neath and was also capped as outside half for Wales against Ireland in 1954 where put over the winning drop goal - the last 4 point drop goal ever scored for Wales.

During the early ' 50 's the ground at Cwmgors, Parc Howard, was closed to allow Sunleys to opencast the field due to the coal shortage after the War. The Club moved to Parc y Werin, where the local authority, Pontardawe District Council, had prepared a new field and this is where the Club still plays today. The headquarters were also transferred to the Cae Gurwen Arms and the team changed in the old PowerHouse of the Welfare Hall, which had showers and other facilities.

The Club experienced more downs than ups in the West Wales Rugby Union until 1951 / 52 when it won its way into the top four playoffs of the West Wales Rugby Union. The Club actually won its way through to the Championship Final against Skewen at the Vardre R.F.C. ground but unfortunately lost the title by a narrow margin. The next good season was in 1963 when the Club fought their way through to the Final of the West Wales Rugby Union Challenge Cup competition only to be beaten by Tumble at Stradey Park after extra time.

<u> 1960 - 1970</u>

During the 1969 / 70 season the Club defeated Crynant by 6 points to nil in atrocious conditions at the Gnoll Ground at Neath to win the West Wales Rugby Union Challenge Cup. This cup winning combination compares favourably with the Club's best teams in the inter-war and immediate post-war years. It was a notable achievement for the Club to win its first ever major West Wales Trophy. Senior members are unanimous that it was the most successful season, both on and off the field, in the annals of the Club and the majority of West Wales critics - probably the most knowledgeable bunch in Wales - agree by virtue of the fact that the team played attractive rugby at all times.

The club Captain at this time was Keith Evans who had been outside-half for Neath for a number of seasons and who was also a Welsh trialist. Keith made an immense contribution to the Neath team which won the Unofficial Welsh Rugby Championship in <u>1966?</u>. He was also responsible for guiding a good Neath 7 to a memorable triumph in the 1964 Snelling 7 - a side Tournament at Cardiff Arms Park. Keith also played for the Glamorgan County team, and at outside half for West Wales against the Fijian's at Stradey Park and again for the West Wales team which narrowly lost to Brian Lochore's 'All Blacks at St. Helens, Swansea in 1967. When Keith returned to play for the Club in 1969 he was chosen Captain by the players and succeeded in attracting some thirty to forty players to train together three times a week. The result was that the Club scored nearly 100 points in 7 games during September and when the ' star ' players were injured there were plenty of fit players to take their place and the vast experience of the captain kept the side happy with the selection procedure.

The following is the Chairman's verbatim address as delivered by Dai Pritchard at the presentation night following the cup win when every member of the team was awarded an inscribed tankard by Claude Davey :

' It has been a memorable year in the history of Cwmgors Rugby Football Club by winning the West Wales Rugby Union Challenge Cup for the first time ever and also being fifth in the Championship table. The Cup Final played at the Gnoll ground - Neath, against Crynant on Friday evening 24th April, although played in atrocious conditions throughout, attracted a large crowd of supporters from the district with men and lady supporters shouting themselves hoarse in their encouragement for Cwmgors to win, which I as Chairman greatly appreciated. This together with the singing of the Cwmgors Rugby Football Club Ladies Supporters Club in the stand which skipper Keith Evans and his players must have heard for they continually kept Crynant desperately defending in their own 25. It was our finest hour and one that we shall remember for a long-time to come. This team was well led by captain Keith Evans, whose experience was invaluable, this ex-Neath player and Welsh trialist, proved a superb and tactical player and he burst through the opposition at times as if he knew every blade of grass at the Gnoll'

SOUTH WALES GUARDIAN 30thApril 1970 WEST CUP GOES TO CWMGORS Evans schemes Crynant downfall Crynant nil, Cwmgors 6 pts.

Cwmgors have done it at last !

When flanker Ron Vickers chased a grubber kick to score 10 minutes into the second half of the West Wales cup final on Friday, the match was as good as won .

And the coveted challenge cup was on its way to Cwmgors fore the first time. From there on , as it had been in the first half, Cwmgors were right on top , and only conditions which defied description stopped them piling on more tries.

Chief architect of their impressive victory was fly half and skipper Keith Evans. Evans played as if he was on intimate terms with every blade of grass and every rise and depression on the Gnoll ground. And so he should be , it was his stomping ground for six illustrious seasons with Neath.

Memorable

When Evans was chaired off the field to receive the trophy, it was a memorable scene especially for club chairman David Pritchard, who has held the reins at Cwmgors for 43 years.

Although Crynant hooker Jarvis won most of the scrums, his halfbacks Jeff Thomas and Barry Michael could make no headway against a rampaging pack.

Cwmgors almost scored after 15 minutes when Keith Evans broke clear. But his pass, a yard from the line, was knocked forward by Ron Vickers.

Disallowed

Soon after Crynant heaved another sigh of relief when referee Meirion Joseph disallowed a try by Jeff Davies. Put clear by Darrel Cole, Davies raced 25 yards to ground the ball between the posts but Mr Joseph ruled that his adjustment of the pass he received from Cole was not correct.

After 20 minutes Cwmgors hearts soared again when Keith Evans set off on a defence - splitting run, waltzing his way through to send lock John L. Davies over for a brilliant try near the posts. Gethin Thomas missed the conversion.

Hero

Hero of Crynant during this hectic first half - and throughout this match - was full back Norman Bater. Bater, more than anyone else was instrumental in repelling the Cwmgors raids, falling bravely before the marauding pack, and saving his line with many timely marks.

After 10 minutes of the second half, Cwmgors went further ahead with a try by Vickers. They almost scored again when Evans placed a neat grubber kick only for Bater to save the situation in the nick of time with a fly kick to touch.

Deserved

But by now, the superiority of Cwmgors was plain to see and Crynant were a well beaten side. Evidence supporting this was that Crynant had only entered the Cwmgors half three times in the first period. and Cwmgors were not called upon to drop out from their own 25 throughout the match.

Surely a well deserved victory after 24 years as members of the West Wales Rugby Union.

<u>1970 - 1980</u>

The most recent full International player from the club is Gareth Edwards. He went from Gwaun Cae Gurwen Primary School to Pontardawe Technical College and then on to Millfield Public School and eventually Cardiff R.F.C.. As their scrum half he made history by becoming the youngest player ever to captain Wales . He of course subsequently became a British Lion and Barbarian. Gareth Edwards is also the second youngest player in the world ever to Captain his country . An interesting point to note here is that up to 1980 only three players had scored tries for Wales against South Africa and two of these were former Cwmgors players - Will Davies and Gareth Edwards . The third was Bleddyn Williams of Cardiff RFC.



Information required urgently

<u> 1990 - 1995</u>

In the 90 's great strides were made on the playing front with the Club achieving promotion in 1993/94 from Division C West Wales Rugby Football Union to Division 7 of the National Leagues.

Off the field and thanks to the dedication and foresight of Management Committee members 1994 / 95 saw the culmination of several years careful and thorough investigation, deliberation and negotiation in that a decision was taken to drastically improve the Club 's Headquarters and to implement this decision without delay.

This decision involved firstly the demolition of the Welfare Hall at G.C.G., which the Club had purchased in 1984 and which was falling into disrepair and would prove too expensive to refurbish and maintain. Additionally the adjoining Minor Hall needed to be extended and refurbished so that additional facilities were made available to Club members and the local community. The objective was to ensure the Club 's future prosperity and development and to serve the local community from which the Club 's most precious assets in the form of players and supporters would be forthcoming as well as helping to ensure the well-being and development of the community itself

The final decision to proceed with these proposals was made at a Management Committee meeting in October 1994 and by the end of November all the necessary arrangements in the form of planning, finance, grant aid, tendering and contracting were complete with the full and much appreciated co-operation of both West Glamorgan County Council and Lliw Valley Borough Council, The Welsh Development Agency, The Amman Valley Urban Regeneration Strategy, Barclay 's Bank plc, Welsh Brewers plc, The Sports Council for Wales and the Foundation for Sport and the Arts,

The actual demolition of the Welfare Hall started on the 28th. November and by the end of December this had been completed. In January 1995 the reconstruction work on the Clubhouse was commenced and this was completed by the end of March. Internal refurbishment, the provision of equipment and new staffing arrangements, as well as new car parking and Beer Garden areas were all completed when the new Clubhouse officially opened its doors on _____April 1995.

The full extent of the changes to the Clubhouse are shown in an alternative document which is also currently being produced under the title of ' Cwmgors RFC - A Business Plan '. Also shown are the new responsibilities which the Club will inherit when it assumes responsibility for the maintenance, security and management of Parc Y Werin from Lliw Valley Borough Council following recent Government guidelines . These responsibilities include managing the Rugby, Bowls, Tennis, Cricket and other facilities which are to continue to take place within the boundaries of the park.

Information required urgently

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INTERNATIONALLY CAPPED PLAYERS

CLAUDE DAVEY WILL DAVIES GARETH EDWARDS EMRYS EVANS DENZIL THOMAS

'B' INTERNATIONAL

JEFF DAVIES

INTERNATIONAL TRIALISTS

ARWYN MORRIS KEITH EVANS

SCHOOLBOY INTERNATIONALS

DARREL COLE JEFF DAVIES GARETH EDWARDS GETHIN EDWARDS GORDON REED JEFF REED

YOUTH INTERNATIONALS

JEFF CUNNINGHAM GETHIN THOMAS

INTERNATIONAL REFEREES

TOM PRITCHARD

DAVID PRITCHARD SELWYN LEWIS WINSTON JONES

CWMGORS PLAYERS WHO HAVE PLAYED FOR FIRST CLASS TEAMS

JESS COLE	LLANELLI	WING FORWARD
EVAN JAMES	NEATH & MAESTEG	WING & PROP
GERALD MORRIS	NEATH& LLANELLI	WING FORWARD
IORRIE DAVIES	NEATH	FULL BACK
EUROF DAVIES	LLANELLI	WING FORWARD
VINCENT JONES	NEATH	HOOKER
BILLY'SCILI'DAVIES	SWANSEA	PROP
HOWELL DAVIES		
GETHIN THOMAS	SOUTH WALES POLICE	
RON VICKERS	NEWBRIDGE	WING FORWARD
GETHIN EDWARDS	CARDIFF	OUTSIDE HALF
STEPHAN JONES	SWANSEA	OUTSIDE HALF
WAYNE JONES	NEATH	FULL BACK / OUT HALF
GWYNFOR HIGGINS	SWANSEA	WING
ITHEL DAVIES	BRIDGEND	OUTSIDE HALF
LEIGHTON GERRARD	NEATH, ABERAVON	PROP
GORDON REED	LLANELLI, MOSELEY, WARWICKSHIRE	
	WARWICKSHIKE	WING FORWARD
JEFF REED	DEVENPORT ST. LUKES	WING FORWARD
JEFF DAVIES	SWANSEA	WING

<u>Club Captains - 1927 to 1995</u>

1927-28	Ewart Jones	1964-5	Gethin Thomas
1928-29	Ewart Jones	1965-66	leuan Bevan
1929-30	Guy Llewelyn ?	1966-67	Roydon Davies
1930-31		1967-68	Adrian Davies
1931-32		1968-69	Gordon Reed
1932-33	John W. Jones(Methi)	1969-70	Keith Evans
1933-34	Bryn Williams	1970-71	Huw Llewelyn Davies
1934-35		1971-72	Randall Lloyd
1935-36	Glyn James	1972-73	John Ronald Evans
1936-37	Wally Morris	1973-74	Huw Llewelyn Davies
1937-38	Gerald Morris	1974-75	Darrell Edwards
1938-39	Gerald Morris	1975-76	Randall Lloyd
1939-40		1976-77	Gethin Edwards
1945-46	Graham Jones	1977-78	Gethin Edwards
1946-47	Jess Cole	1978-79	Keith Davies
1947-48	T.J. Paddock	1979-80	Matthew Ennis
1948-49	Meirion Jones	1980-81	Darrell Edwards
1949-50	Rod Davies	1981-82	Peter Williams
1950-51	Gerald Morris	1982-83	Peter Smith
1951-52	Will Morgan	1983-84	Steven Davies
1952-53	Will Morgan	1984-85	Ian Williams
1953-54	Will Morgan	1985-86	Ian Williams
1954-55	Arwyn Morris	1986-87	John Llewelyn
1955-56	Arwyn Morris	1987-88	Ithel Davies
1956-57	Bill(Scilli) Davies	1988-89	Mark Evans
1957-58	Will Morgan	1989-90	Mark Evans/Danny Williams
1958-59	Neville Windsor	1990-91	Clyde Evans
1959-60	Dai Morris	1991-92	Danny Williams
1960-61	Bill(Scilli) Davies	1992-93	
1961-62	Brian(Bach) Edwards	1993-94	
1962-63	Bill(Scilli) Davies	1994-95	
1963-64	Bill(Scilli) Davies		

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<u>CWMGORS RFC MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE</u> <u>FROM 1948</u>

Season 1948 - 49 Patron : Lord Dynevor President : Teddy Jones Ground : Howard Park HO : New Star Hotel Secretary : T Gwyn Jones Treasurer: William Davies Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : Wat Thomas Committee: David Jones, D Ronald Jones , Ellis Jones , Emlyn Jones , DJ Jones , David Lewis , Tom Morgan , Fred Lewis , Bence James Season 1949 - 50 President : Teddy Jones Patron : Lord Dynevor Ground : Howard Park HQ : New Star Hotel Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : Wat Thomas Secretary : T Gwyn Jones Fix Sec : D Ronald Jones Treasurer: William Davies Committee: David Jones, Emlyn Jones, DJ Jones, David Lewis, Tom Morgan, Fred Lewis, Percy Edwards, WP Davies, Rees Williams, G Thomas Season 1950 - 51 Season 1951 - 52 President : Teddy Jones Ground : Parc Y Werin Patron : Lord Dynevor HO : New Star Hotel Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : Wat Thomas Secretary : T Gwyn Jones Fix Sec : D Ronald Jones Treasurer: William Committee: Orlando Jones, David Lewis, Gerald Morris, W W James, Idris Smith, Emlyn B Jones, Dan James, Davies Percy Edwards Ground Parc Y Werin Season 1952 - 53 President : Teddy Jones Patron : Lord Dynevor HQ : New Star Hotel Chair : D Pritchard Vice Chair : Wat Thomas Secretary : DB Lewis Treasurer: WJK Davies Fix. Sec.D Ronald Jones Committee: Orlando Jones, David Lewis , Gerald Morris , W.W. James, Idris Smith, Gwyn Jones, Jess Cole , Glyn Davies Season 1953 - 54 Patron : Lord Dynevor President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin HQ : New Star Hotel Vice . Chair : Wat Thomas Secretary : DB Lewis Treasurer: WJK Davies Fix. Sec : D Ronald Jones Chair : D Pritchard Committee: D. Ronald Jones, Orlando Jones, David Lewis, Gerald Morris, Ron Rees, Idris Smith, Gwyn Jones, Iorrie Davies, Glyn Davies Season 1954 - 55 Patron : Lord Dynevor President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin HO : New Star Hotel Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : Wat Thomas Secretary : D Ronald Jones Treasurer: WJK Davies Committee: Orlando Jones, David Lewis, DB Lewis, Gwyn Jones, Iorrie Davies, Glyn Davies, Emlyn Jones, WW James, Tom Pritchard , JD Thomas , Vincent Jones , Sam Windsor Season 1955 - 56 Patron : Lord Dynevor President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin HQ : New Star Hotel Vice . Chair : Wat Thomas Secretary : D.Ronald Jones Chair : D Pritchard Treasurer: WJK Davies Committee: Orlando Jones, David Lewis, DB Lewis, Glyn Davies, Tom Pritchard , JD Thomas , Vincent Jones , Sam Windsor , D Llewellyn, Curwen James , DT Jones , D Campbell , John Morgan Season 1956 - 57 Patron : Judge Rowe Harding President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin HO: Caegurwen Hotel Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : Wat Thomas Secretary : Treasurer: WJK Davies Committee: Orlando Jones, David Lewis, Glyn Davies, Tom Pritchard, JD Thomas, Vincent Jones, Sam Windsor, D Llewellyn, Curwen James, John Morgan, EC Thomas, Cliff James, Evan L Bevan Season 1957 - 58 Patron : Judge Rowe Harding President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin HQ : Caegurwen Hotel Chair: D Pritchard Vice . Chair : Wat Thomas Secretary : EC Thomas Treasurer: Alun James Committee: David Lewis, Glyn Davies, Tom Pritchard, JD Thomas, Vincent Jones, Sam Windsor, D Llewellyn, Curwen James, John Morgan, Cliff James, William Davies, DR Jones, Benny Thomas, John Mathias, Ken Rees Patron : Judge Rowe Harding President : Teddy Jones Season 1958 - 59 Ground Parc Y Werin HO: Caegurwen Hotel Chair: D Pritchard Vice . Chair : Wat Thomas Secretary : EC Thomas Treasurer: Alun James Committee: David Lewis, Glyn Davies, Tom Pritchard, JD Thomas, Vincent Jones, D Llewellyn, Curwen James, John Morgan, Cliff James. DR Jones , Ken Rees, A Harries , Mel Hopkin , Arwyn Morris , Clive Pritchard , V Rees Patron : Judge Rowe Harding President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin Season 1959 - 60 HQ : Caegurwen Hotel Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : D Lewis Secretary : EC Thomas Treasurer: Alun James Committee: Glyn Davies, Tom Pritchard , JD Thomas , Vincent Jones , Curwen James, John Morgan , A Harries , Arwyn Morris , Clive Pritchard , G Jones , WB Evans , Keith Williams, MGK Davies , EB Jones Season 1960 - 61 Patron : Idris Hughes President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin HQ : Caegurwen Hotel Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : D Lewis Secretary : Arwyn Morris Treasurer: Alun James Committee: Glyn Davies, Tom Pritchard, JD Thomas, Vincent Jones, Curwen James, A Harries, Clive Pritchard, WB Evans, Keith Williams, MGK Davies, EB Jones, O Jones, DJ Thomas Patron : Idris Hughes President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin Season 1961 - 62 HQ : Caegurwen Hotel Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : D Lewis Secretary : Arwyn Morris Treasurer: Alun James Committee: Glyn Davies, JD Thomas, Vincent Jones, A Harries, Clive Pritchard, WB Evans, Keith Williams, MGK Davies, EB Jones, O Jones, Alun Williams, Alun James, Colin Roach, Lyn Smith, JR Davies Season 1962 - 63 Patron : Idris Hughes President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin HQ : Caegurwen Hotel Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : D Lewis Secretary : Arwyn Morris Treasurer: Ken Rees Committee: Glyn Davies, JD Thomas, Vincent Jones, Clive Pritchard, WB Evans, Keith Williams, MGK Davies, EB Jones, O Jones , Alun Williams , Alun James , Colin Roach , Lyn Smith , JR Davies , Will Morgan Season 1963 - 64 Patron : Sid Williams President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin HQ : Caegurwen Hotel Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : D Lewis Secretary : Arwyn Morris Treasurer: Ken Rees Glyn Davies, JD Thomas, Vincent Jones, Clive Pritchard, WB Evans, Keith Williams, MGK Davies, EB Jones, O Jones, Alun Williams, Alun James, Colin Roach, Lyn Smith, JR Davies, Will Morgan Season 1964 - 65 Patron Sid Williams President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin HQ : Caegurwen Hotel

Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : WB Evans Secretary : Arwyn Morris Treasurer: Ken Rees Committee: Glyn Davies , JD Thomas , Vincent Jones , JR Davies , MGK Davies , EB Jones, Keri Moses , Will James , EC Thomas , Alun Williams , Lyn Smith , Will Morgan

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President : Teddy Jones Ground Parc Y Werin Season 1965 - 66 Patron Sid Williams HQ: RAOB Club Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : WB Evans Secretary : Arwyn Morris Asst Sec lyn Smith Treasurer: Ken Rees Committee: Glyn Davies, JD Thomas, Vincent Jones, JR Davies, MGK Davies, EB Jones, Keri Moses, Will James, Alun Williams . Gareth Morgan , Hubert Roach , Brian Edwards , Neville Windsor Season 1966 - 67 Patron : Sid Williams President : Teddy Jones Ground : Parc Y Werin HO: RAOB Club Chair : D Pritchard Vice Chair : WB Evans Secretary : Arwyn Morris Asst. Sec.: Lyn Smith Treasurer : Ken Rees Committee: Glyn Davies, JD Thomas, EB Jones, MGK Davies, Will Morgan, Gareth Morgan, Keri Moses, Alun Williams, Hubert Roach , Neville Windsor , Alun James , DJ Thomas , Tom Jenkins Season 1967 - 68 Patron : Sid Williams President : Teddy Jones Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ: RAOB Club Chair: D Pritchard Vice Chair : WB Evans Secretary : A Morris Asst. Sec : Lyn Smith Treasurer: Alun James Committee: Glyn Davies, JD Thomas, EB Jones, MGK Davies, Will Morgan, Gareth Morgan, Keri Moses, Alun Williams, Hubert Roach , Neville Windsor , Alun James , DJ Thomas , Tom Jenkins , VK Jones , President : Teddy Jones Ground : Parc Y Werin Season 1968 - 69 Patron : Sid Williams HO: RAOB Club Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : WB Evans Secretary : A Morris Asst. Sec: Lyn Smith Treasurer: Alun James Committee: Glyn Davies , MGK Davies , Will Morgan, Gareth Morgan , Keri Moses , Neville Windsor , DJ Thomas , Tom Jenkins , Lyn Smith , Iorrie Davies , Mike Manning , John R Morgan , T Gwyn Jones Season 1969 - 70 Patron : Gwynaf Williams President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ: Welfare Club GCG Chair: D Pritchard Vice . Chair : WB Evans Secretary : A Morris Asst Sec : Lyn Smith Treasurer: WJK Davies Committee: MGK Davies , Will Morgan, Gareth Morgan , Keri Moses , Neville Windsor , DJ Thomas , Tom Jenkins , Lyn Smith , John R Morgan T Gwyn Jones , Billy Davies , Winston Jones , John Morris Season 1970 - 71 Patron : Gwynaf Williams President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HO: Welfare Club GCG Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : WB Evans Secretary : A Morris Treasurer: Alun James MGK Davies , Will Morgan, Gareth Morgan , Keri Moses , Neville Windsor , DJ Thomas , Tom Jenkins , Lyn Smith , Committee: John R Morgan, T Gwyn Jones, Winston Jones, Jimmy Thomas, Haydn Davies, Don Griffiths, Glen Sheldon, Mike Manning Season 1971 - 72 Patron : Gwynaf Williams President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : Welfare Club GCG Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : WB Evans Secretary : A Morris Treasurer: Alun James Committee: MGK Davies , Will Morgan, Gareth Morgan , Keri Moses , DJ Thomas , Lyn Smith , T Gwyn Jones , Winston Jones , Jimmy Thomas, Haydn Davies, Glen Sheldon, Kenwyn Jenkins, Gwynfor Thomas, Terry James Season 1972 - 73 Patron : Gwynaf Williams President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ: Welfare Club GCG Chair: D Pritchard Vice . Chair : WB Evans Secretary : Keith Evans Treasurer: Lyn Smith Committee: MGK Davies , Gareth Morgan , DJ Thomas , T Gwyn Jones , Winston Jones , Haydn Davies , Glen Sheldon , Gwynfor Thomas, Terry James , Alan Windsor, GD Thomas , Clive Pritchard , Keith Williams , Joe Davies , John Francis Season 1974-75 Patron : Gwynaf Williams President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : Welfare Club GCG Chair: D Pritchard Vice . Chair : Glen Sheldon Secretary : Keith Evans Treasurer: Lyn Smith Committee: MGK Davies , Gareth Morgan , T Gwyn Jones , Glen Sheldon , Alan Windsor , Clive Pritchard , Keith Williams Joe Davies, Islwyn Bowen, Jeff Bright, Dorian Evans, Gary Thurlow, Winston Jones, Dainville Williams Season 1973-74 Patron : Gwynaf Williams President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : Welfare Club GCG Chair: D Pritchard Vice . Chair : Glen Sheldon Secretary : Keith Evans Treasurer: Lyn Smith MGK Davies, Gareth Morgan, T Gwyn Jones, Glen Sheldon, Terry James, Alan Windsor, Clive Pritchard, Committee: Keith Williams Joe Davies, Islwyn Bowen, Jeff Bright, Dorian Evans, Gary Thurlow, Ken Llewellyn Patron : Gwynaf Williams President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ: Welfare Club Season 1975-76 GCG Secretary : Keith Evans Treasurer : Lyn Smith Chair: D Pritchard Vice Chair : K LLewelvn Committee: MGK Davies , Alan Windsor , Clive Pritchard , Keith Williams , Jeff Bright , Gary Thurlow , Dainville Williams Ken Llewellyn , Gordon Reed , Nigel Jones , Terry James , Lyn Jeremiah , Arthur Samuel Season 1976-77 Patron : Gwynaf Williams President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HO: Welfare Club GCG Chair: D Pritchard Vice . Chair : K Llewelyn Secretary : Keith Evans Treasurer: Arthur Samuel Committee: MGK Davies , Clive Pritchard , Keith Williams , Jeff Bright , Dainville Williams , Nigel Jones , Terry James , Gareth Morgan Patron : Gwynaf Williams Season 1977-78 President : Claude Davey HQ: Welfare Club GCG Ground : Parc Y Werin Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : MJK Davies Secretary : Nigel Jones Treasurer: Arthur Samuel Committee: Clive Pritchard, Keith Williams, Jeff Bright, Dainville Williams, WJK Davies, WB Evans, Gareth Morgan, Kerri Moses , Raymond Williams , Billy Davies , Gary Morris Season 1978-79 Patron : Gwynaf Williams President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : Welfare Club GCG Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : K Moses Secretary : Arwyn Morris Treasurer:WJK Davies Committee: MGK Davies , Clive Pritchard , Keith Williams , Jeff Bright , Gareth Morgan ,, Raymond Williams , Billy Davies , Gary Morris Ron Williams, Keri Davies Season 1979- 80 Patron : Gwynaf Williams President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HO: Welfare Club GCG Chair : D Pritchard Vice . Chair : K Moses Secretary : A Morris Fix Sec : Gareth John Treasurer: WJK Davies Committee: MGK Davies , Clive Pritchard , Keith Williams , Jeff Bright , Gareth Morgan , Raymond Williams , Ron Williams , page\ 19

Keri Davies , Winston Jones , Terry James , Randall Lloyd

Season 1980 - 81

Season 1981 - 82 Patron : Eifion Davies President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : Caegurwen Arms Chair: D Pritchard Vice . Chair : K Moses Secretary : A Morris Fix. Sec : Gareth John Treasurer: WJK Davies Coach : IanWagstaff

Committee: Clive Pritchard , Keith Williams , Jeff Bright , Gareth Morgan , Gethin Edwards , Raymond Williams , Northy Davies , John Jones , Randall Lloyd , Winston Jones

Season 1982 - 83 Patron : Eifion Davies President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : Caegurwen Arms Chair: Randal ILloyd Secretary : Winston Jones Fix.Sec : John Jones Treasurer: WJK Davies Coach : Ian Wagstaff Committee: Keith Williams , Jeff Bright , Raymond Williams , Northy Davies , John Jones , Keith Davies , Colin Harries , Lee Kelly ,

John Price Colin Morris, Paul Williams, David Windsor

Season 1983 - 84 Patron : Eifion Davies Life Patron : David Pritchard President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Wer in Promotor : Jeff Bright Chair: Randall Lloyd Secretary : Winston Jones Fix. Sec : John Jones Treasurer: WJK Davies Committee: Jeff Bright , Northy Davies , John Jones , Lee Kelly , John Price , Paul Williams , David Windsor , Alun Thomas , Michael Smith , Eddie Ryan , Haydn Thomas

Season 1984 - 85 Patron : Eifion Davies President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin

Chair: Randall Lloyd Secretary : Winston Jones Fix. Sec : John Jones Treasurer: Michael Smith

Committee: Jeff Bright , Northy Davies , John Jones , Paul Williams , David Windsor , Alun Thomas , Haydn Thomas , Gareth Evans

Meirion Llewellyn, David Jones

Season 1985 - 86 Patron : Eifion Davies President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin

Chair: Randall Lloyd Secretary : Winston Jones Fix. Sec : Gareth Evans Minute Sec : Paul Beaumont Treasurer: Michael Smith Committee: Jeff Bright, Northy Davies, Paul Williams, David Windsor, Alun Thomas, Gareth Evans, Byron Morgan, John Thomas

Andrew Hicks

Season 1986-87

Season 1987 - 88 Patron : Eifion Davies President : Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : The Clubhouse New Road GCG Chair: Randall Lloyd Vice Chair: Andrew Hicks Secretary : Winston Jones Fix. Sec : Malvern Evans Minute Sec : Paul Beaumont Treasurer: Alun Thomas

Committee: Jeff Bright, Paul Beaumont, Paul Cooke, Harry Davies, Northy Davies, Brandon Evans, Gerwyn Evans, Martin Evans, Gerwyn Howells, Byron Morgan, Roger Morgan, Rhodri Morris, Ian Rees, Peter Smith, John S Thomas, Jeff Walters, John Thomas, Andrew Hicks

Season 1988 - 89 Life Patron : Michael Irons President :Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : The Clubhouse New Road GCG

Chair : Randall Lloyd Secretary : Winston Jones Fix. Sec : Malvern Jones Treasurer: Alun Thomas

Committee : Jeff Bright , Gerwyn Evans , Byron Morgan , John S Thomas , John Williams , Mansel Williams , Glan Jones , Roger Morgan , Rhodri Morris , Ian Rees , Colin Davies

Season 1989 - 90 Life Patron : Michael Irons President :Claude Davey Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ :The Clubhouse New Road GCG

Chair : David Harris Secretary : Winston Jones Fix. Sec : Malvern Jones Treasurer: Alun Thomas

Committee: Jeff Bright, Byron Morgan, John S Thomas, John Williams, Mansel Williams, Glan Jones, Tom Hadley, Colin Davies

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Season 1990 - 91 Life Patron : Claude Davey President : Michael Irons Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : The Clubhouse New Road GCG

Chair : David Harries Secretary : Winston Jones Asst Sec : D Adrian Jones Fix. Sec : Malvern Jones Treasurer: Alun Thomas Committee : Jeff Bright , Byron Morgan , John S Thomas , John Williams , Mansel Williams , Glan Jones , Iwan Smith , Paul Davies , Nigel Davies , Tom Hadley

Season 1991 - 92 Life Patron : Claude Davey President : Michael Irons Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : The Clubhouse New Road GCG

Chair :David Harries Finance Secretary :Winston Jones Secretary : D Adrian Jones Fix. Sec : Malvern Jones Treasurer: W.Keith Davies Committee: Jeff Bright , John S Thomas , John Williams , Glan Jones , Iwan Smith , Paul Davies ,

Nigel Davies, Richie DaviesTyrone Edwards, Darren Harries, Alwyn Howells, Stuart Morgan

Season 1992 - 93 Life Patron : Claude Davey President : Michael Irons Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : The Clubhouse New Road GCG

Chair : David Harries Finance Secretary :Winston Jones Secretary : D Adrian Jones Fix. Sec : Malvern Jones Treasurer: W.Keith Davies

Committee: Jeff Bright, John S Thomas, John Williams, Glan Jones, MJ Williams, Paul Davies, Ian Lewis, Alwyn Howells, Tyrone Edwards, Roger Morgan, Eirian Jones, Paul Cooke, Leighton Milner, Ryan Leonard, Stephen Davies, Kevin Walters

Season 1993 - 94 Life Patron :Claude Davey President :Michael Irons Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : The Clubhouse New Road GCG

Chair : David Harries Vice Chair : John Williams Finance Secretary :Winston Jones Secretary : Alun Thomas Fix. Sec: Malvern Jones Treasurer: W Keith Davies ,

Committee: Jeff Bright, John S Thomas, Alwyn Howells, Stuart Morgan, Stephen Davies, Andrew Hicks, Roger Morgan, Leighton Milner, Mansell Williams, Kevin Walters

Season 1994 - 95 Life Patron :Claude Davey President :Michael Irons Ground : Parc Y Werin HQ : The Clubhouse New Road GCG

Chair : David Harries Vice Cha\ir ; John Williams Secretary / Treasurer :Winston Jones Fix. Sec : Stuart P. Morgan

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Committee: Jeff Bright , John S Thomas , Alwyn Howells , Andrew Hicks , Nick Bevan , Mansel Williams Roger Morgan , Leighton Milner , Mansell Williams , Kevin Walters

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