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# A Message from the President

I would like to welcome you to Warrington RUFC and I hope you enjoy your afternoon with us. This is my first year as president and I look forward to meeting new friends from the clubs in North 1 West.

Warrington has enjoyed some success over the past years, since our promotion to North 1 West but it doesn't get any easier. This year the competition looks to be even harder with clubs of great tradition such as Birkenhead Park, Broughton Park and Penrith returning this season. I must admit that I am sorry to see the departure of Altrincham Kersal and Rochdale as in life, changes offer new challenges.



Once again, it seems that there will be no such thing as an easy game but that also ensures a good level of entertainment for spectators and enjoyable, testing matches for the players.

We can all contribute in so many ways as those who have gone before us as Members of WRUFC have done. Players need to remember that it is not just about playing. Fund raising and making sure everything runs smoothly on match days and all the other small but essential tasks is not just the province of those of us who are at the age where sadly playing is no longer possible. The more people who volunteer and get stuck in, the stronger our Club will become.

Former players making a perhaps an infrequent visit to the Club are more than welcome we can always find something for you to do! You will have taken a lot out of the game. Please think seriously about what you can put back in, just as there were the "old farts" in your day who made sure that the baths were run, the tea made, the pitch marked, the game refereed, the raffle run and so on.

I would also take this opportunity to thank all spectators, and especially visiting spectators, for buying this programme. We are not a rich club and we must mainly rely on the income which we generate ourselves from sponsorships, events, raffles, occasional donations - and programme sales. So many thanks for your contribution, which helps to fund the playing side of our activities as well as helping us, enhance the outstanding facilities we enjoy at Warrington Sports Club.

So once again, a very warm welcome to all of you, Warrington supporters as well as visitors, match officials and players. We hope you will enjoy the rugby on offer and that you will also enjoy the beer and banter in the bar after the match.

**GEOFF PERKS**

**President, Warrington RUFC**

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## Welcome to Penrith RUFC

Warrington RUFC extends a very warm welcome to the players, officials and spectators of Penrith RUFC who are today's visitors. We look forward to an enjoyable game and hospitality afterwards.

Today also sees the **Past Players lunch** so it will be good to see old faces and remember those who are no longer with us, I am sure tales of past games and events will be shared on what it is hoped will be a good afternoon both on and off the field.

This season has been mixed for both clubs in what is a very tight league where any team can beat anyone. Penrith and Warrington find themselves 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> respectively separated by 3 points so today's game is vital to both clubs. The score when Warrington travelled to Penrith was 22-20 so another close game is expected. Penrith won at home last time out against Anselmians whilst Warrington won away at De La Salle (Salford) so both clubs will be keen to win. The verdict of Coach Andy Roberts on last week's game; "Job done, the five points were essential and we got them, but we still need to up our game in the remaining five matches."

Our visitors Penrith RUFC was founded in the autumn of 1882 by a group of a dozen or so rugby enthusiasts gathered in Great Dockray. As the twentieth century unfolded the Club entered into a brief and unsuccessful period of Northern League Rugby – a forerunner to Rugby League. However, following the Great War, it was decided to return to the Union game. In the early days, play took place on the Foundry Field and though excursions to other bases took place over the years, the Club settled there again following the Second World War.

By 1954 the first ever Clubhouse had been built, the club went from strength to strength and it became obvious that further development would be necessary. However, since the ground belonged to the local Council it became apparent that if they wished to develop in the way they wanted then the solution was to buy their own ground. With the help of a low interest loan from the RFU and similar grant from a Brewery, the Clubhouse and ground were officially opened on 29<sup>th</sup> April 1967.

Penrith like many clubs have good times but they don't last forever and when the flat-roofed sectional building began to age on reaching its promised life-span of 25 years, they had to look at fund-raising for a new Clubhouse. With the help of the National Lottery it took almost two years to prepare an application documents and move through the various stages towards grant approval. In 1997 Peter Brook, President of the Rugby Football Union opened their splendid new Clubhouse and they were ready to move into the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.

On the Rugby front the new century has brought about mixed fortunes. In April 2000 the senior XV won the Cumbria Cup for only the second time in the Club's history. However, less than a year later the entire County suffered from the ravages of Foot and Mouth and none more so than in the Eden Valley of Cumbria. The strong farming connections (and indeed RFU guidelines) forced them to cancel all matches from the end of February 2001 with the net result that the RFU contrived a formula that relegated them from level six to level seven by a margin of less than one point!

In 2003 the senior XV played magnificent rugby to progress through the rounds of the Powergen Intermediate Cup playing away from home on most occasions. The semi-finals saw them once again drawn away to the favourites Hertford only to lose by the dreaded one point margin in the dying seconds of the game. Despite this disappointment the team soldiered on and secured promotion back to level six.

Season 2004-05 saw the senior XV finish third in North Two West and once again lift the Cumbria Cup. The 'A' XV won the Cumbria Shield for the first time in the Club's history and completed a unique double. The following season they were level transferred to North 2 East and rose to the challenge magnificently by taking the league title in the very last game at Durham City in a thoroughly epic match enjoyed by an army of Penrith supporters the like of which had never been seen before.

Season 2007/08 saw our senior XV relegated after two years in North 1 Season 2008/09 saw them back in North 2 East they had an outstanding season resulting in them being crowned Champions of that league with a combination of solid forward play and exciting running from our backs. They found themselves, for the first time, in the National Leagues and looked forward to the challenge. 2009/10 was a highly successful season for the club. The 1stXV finished a superb 3rd in the National 3 League North and won the Cumbria Cup for the second year running. After 5 seasons at that level Penrith have played in North One West or East returning to North One West this season and saw the installation of a 4G pitch which must be good for the Rugby and community in the area.

Geoff Perks  
President Warrington RUFC

## Footnote

**The Warrington club would remind supporters to refrain from the use language that today is considered defamatory, offensive or that could be seen as abuse or harassment to other spectators, players or officials, whether anything you may consider right or wrong in the game you are watching.**

**Thank you**





# THE END OF SEASON KICK OFF



**SATURDAY 13TH APRIL**  
Warrington 1st XV v Birkenhead Park

Warrington 2nd XV v Birkenhead Park  
Wanderers (2nd XV)

Warrington 3rd XV v Sandbach 4ths

# **Perky's Paragraph**

continuing the story of WRUFC

## **THE STORY OF A NEW GROUND ---- BRIDGE LANE ---- Part 1**

In the years following the 1939/45 War, the playing membership of the Warrington Rugby Union Club grew rapidly and in consequence the Committee were faced with either expanding and improving the facilities available at Loushers Lane or eventually moving to a new ground where the future of the club could be established on a permanent basis.

With this problem in mind, two meetings were arranged at different periods with Members of the Warrington Town Council and their advisory Officials, to see if a solution of the problem could be reached and a long term lease granted to the Club. Senior Officials of the Warrington Club on both occasions put forward logical and fair proposals to the Council. Although given sympathetic hearings no practical help was forthcoming, particularly as to the granting of a long term lease, which was eventually rejected.

It was only after this set back that the Committee began to look around for another site which would enable the Club to develop on the lines desired. Initially the American Hospital site at Appleton was viewed but agreement could not be reached with the owners and the scheme was dropped in 1952. From 1955 to 1957 hopes were held for a site on the old Stockton Heath Cricket ground at Appleton. However this site would have proved to be too costly and the Committee had reluctantly to look elsewhere.

In February 1958, 'feelers' were put out to the Runcorn R.D.C. by the President, Mr. C. C. C. Burch about any land which they might have available. The Council proved to be very helpful and understanding about the needs of the Club and in May 1958 they came forward with the area of land which has now been taken over and developed. It has taken 3 years of very hard work, to get the site developed to the present condition as you see it today. One feels that it is appropriate to make mention here of the ready co-operation of the various officials of the Runcorn R.D.C. in the numerous approaches which have been made to them, in particular those of Messrs. R. Patrick Williams the Clerk to the Council, B. G. Preston the Surveyor and M. Yates of his department.

Months of quotation chasing and meetings followed and not a few strings were pulled in efforts to keep the cost of the scheme down as much as possible, but it was only in October 1958 that Ministry approval was obtained. Approaches were then made to the Rugby Football Union about the possibility of a loan, to enable the Club to go ahead with the Ground scheme. The controlling body, realising the urgency of the request, were most helpful. At a Committee Meeting on the 8th January 1959, the good news from the Rugby Football Union was announced—'Loan approved'!

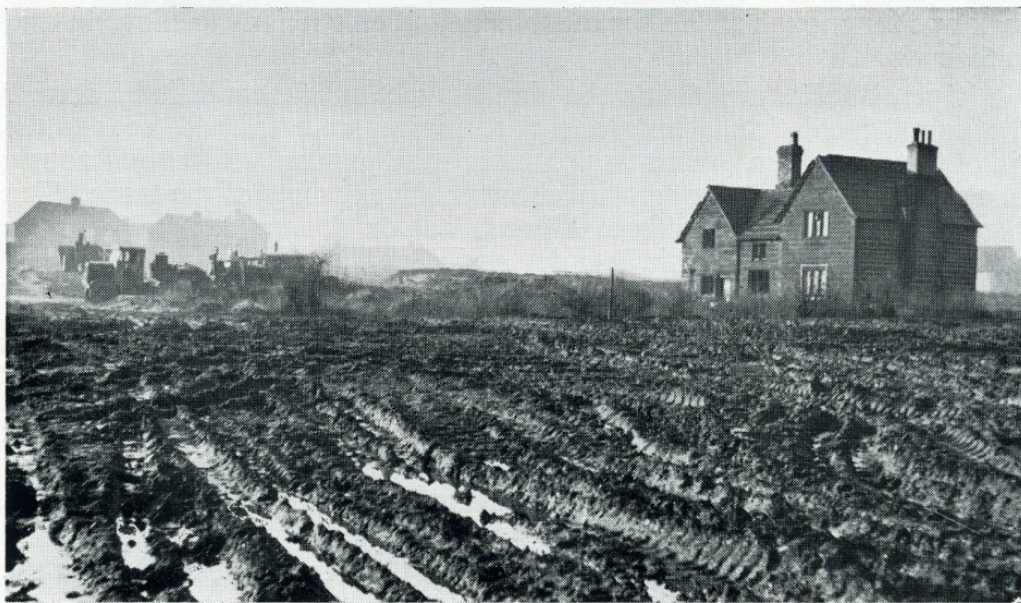
In April the draft Lease from the Runcorn R.D.C. was received and studied by the Committee and their legal advisers. A few minor points were cleared up and the Agreement of the Trustees of the Club obtained that they would join in the Lease. The next hurdle to be overcome was the question of Guarantors to the Rugby Football Union for the Loan they had agreed upon. In addition to the four Trustees six other Members were approached for their help which was very willingly given.

The Club must remain indebted for a long time to the ten very generous members who so readily agreed to act as Guarantors. On such an occasion as the opening of the new ground tonight, it is fitting that their names be mentioned here, as a token of the Club's appreciation. They are Messrs. R. Baker, C. C. C. Burch, G. N. England, M. Fairclough, J. R. Locker, A. W. Marsden, G. A. Marshall, H. Pitchford, H. Simcock, and A. W. Tennant all of whom have played for the Club in the past and have retained their interest in it for 38 years—a record to be truly proud of.

On the 30th September 1959 an Extraordinary General Meeting of Members was held. Questions were fired from all quarters. How much? How are we going to raise the money? Have we a layout plan of the Pavilion ? and many other questions were raised until at last the Chairman Mr. W. H. Land was able to receive a proposition from Stanley Jones seconded by Jack McIntyre that 'This Meeting give their sanction to the change of ground from Loushers Lane to Bridge Lane, Appleton, Cheshire, to obtaining a Loan of £3,000 from the Rugby Football Union and to various other steps the Committee were negotiating'. The vote was taken and the result announced 34 votes in favour; 0 against with 5 abstentions, and the Committee received the vote of confidence which they required.

'Get moving' the cry had been and so the President and the Secretary met Directors of E. M. Smith & Co. Limited during the week following to discuss the levelling of the site. Could we rely upon them to do a first class job at their quoted price? "Yes" was the reply and accordingly the contract was approved by the General Committee.

In October work commenced but the weather decided to take a hand. Weeks of heavy rain prevented the Bulldozer and Scraper from working on the site but soon after Christmas it was obvious that the contracting equipment was winning and the local Press even sent a photographer to take photographs of the progress.



*The above photograph shows levelling work in progress on the new ground in January, 1960. The old Farmhouse since demolished to form the foundation of the new pavilion, is shown in the top right hand corner.*

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## Warrington 2<sup>nd</sup> XV 36 Penrith 2<sup>nd</sup> XV 24

In a pulsating game which saw a total of ten tries, Warrington came out victors by 36-24. Although there were some outstanding individual efforts, the win was a result of excellent teamwork, with forwards and backs combining well.

Belying their lowly position at second from the bottom in the league, Penrith started well and put Warrington under pressure. But it was the home side who scored first, against the run of play, when skipper Craig Byrne crossed for a trademark try, muscling over from 15 yards. Andy Almond converted. Penrith responded almost immediately when their robust pack drove over between the posts and the conversion levelled the scores. Unfortunately, the visitors were reduced to 14 men when their open side flanker was dismissed for illegal use of the head and Warrington took advantage when Luke Turner dashed over but Penrith were quick to answer when a second forwards' try once again levelled the scores.

On the stroke of half time, Warrington went back into the lead courtesy of a great individual effort from the young tyro Tom McEniff, who kicked ahead in his own 22, before kicking on three times and then picking up and outpacing the Penrith full back to score between the posts to allow Andy Almond an easy conversion.

Ten minutes into the second period, good work from the Warrington pack, where Ty Hamblett was outstanding, turned over possession in their own 22 and, once again, Tom McEniff scooted over from long distance. Penrith then ruled the roost for twenty minutes, scoring two tries in the process, one converted, to level the scores once again. However, the game was settled when Will Maudsley ran in two tries in the closing quarter.

This was yet another good team performance," was the summing up of skipper Craig Byrne. "Hopefully we can maintain this when we travel to Sandbach next week."



# Last weeks 1st XV league results & table.

Saturday 2nd March		
Carlisle	15 - 24	Blackburn
Douglas (I.O.M.)	8 - 15	Broughton Park
Firwood Waterloo	20 - 27	Northwich
De La Salle (Salford)	12 - 24	Warrington
Manchester	31 - 7	Burnage
Penrith	42 - 3	Anselmians
Stockport	34 - 24	Birkenhead Park

North One West											
Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	PF	PA	+/-	TB	LB	Pts
1	Carlisle	21	16	1	4	616	396	220	13	2	81
2	Blackburn	21	14	1	6	535	370	165	14	3	75
3	Northwich	21	13	1	7	537	493	44	9	3	66
4	Birkenhead Park	21	13	0	8	568	446	122	11	1	64
5	Douglas (I.O.M.)	21	12	0	9	458	344	114	8	4	60
6	Broughton Park	21	12	2	7	438	321	117	6	1	59
7	Stockport	21	11	0	10	536	483	53	10	4	58
8	Manchester	21	10	1	10	556	525	31	11	3	56
9	Penrith	21	10	0	11	575	610	-35	13	3	56
10	Warrington	21	10	0	11	511	476	35	8	5	53
11	Firwood Waterloo	21	9	0	12	476	429	47	8	7	51
12	Burnage	21	9	0	12	524	582	-58	9	4	49
13	Anselmians	21	3	0	18	297	624	-327	1	3	16
14	De La Salle (Salford)	21	2	0	19	234	762	-528	3	3	14

# Last weeks 2nd XV league results & table.

Saturday 2nd March		
HALBRO North West Leagues		
Altrincham Kersal Cougars (2nd XV)	34 - 35	Liverpool University Veterinarians
Birkenhead Park Wanderers (2nd XV)	68 - 18	Burnage 2nd XV
Broughton Park 2nd XV	12 - 14	Sandbach 2nd XV
Glossop 2nd XV	61 - 12	Fylde Saracens (3rd XV)
Kirkby Lonsdale 2nd XV	5 - 27	Sedgley Park 3rd XV
Warrington 2nd XV	36 - 24	Penrith A XV

Sale Sharks Division 1											
Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	PF	PA	+/-	TB	LB	Pts
1	Birkenhead Park Wanderers (2nd XV)	19	17	1	1	922	288	634	0	0	71
2	Sandbach 2nd XV	19	16	2	1	1028	299	729	0	0	69
3	Warrington 2nd XV	19	11	0	8	469	467	2	0	2	54
4	Broughton Park 2nd XV	19	11	0	8	513	497	16	0	2	53
5	Kirkby Lonsdale 2nd XV	19	9	2	8	383	519	-136	0	1	49
6	Sedgley Park 3rd XV	19	7	1	11	317	648	-331	0	4	45
7	Burnage 2nd XV	19	7	1	11	500	586	-86	0	3	43
8	Liverpool University Veterinarians	19	8	0	11	471	581	-110	0	1	42
9	Fylde Saracens (3rd XV)	19	6	1	12	472	567	-95	0	3	40
10	Glossop 2nd XV	19	6	1	12	376	583	-207	0	0	38
11	Penrith A XV	19	6	0	13	567	656	-89	0	1	37
12	Altrincham Kersal Cougars (2nd XV)	19	5	1	13	344	671	-327	0	1	35

# North One West Fixtures 2018-2019

Date	Opposition	Result	Sponsor
01 Sept	Birkenhead Park (A)	15-19 W	
08 Sept	Northwich (A)	10-20 W	
15 Sept	Burnage (A)	32-25 L	
22 Sept	Blackburn (A)	21-20 L	
29 Sept	Stockport (H)	23-17 W	Chairman's Carvery
13 Oct	Carlisle (A)	20-25 L	
20 Oct	Manchester (H)	48-22 W	
27 Oct	Firwood Waterloo (A)	3-31 L	
3 Nov	De la Salle (Salford) (H)	66-0 W	
17 Nov	Penrith (A)	22-20 L	
24 Nov	Douglas (I.O.M) (H)	26-22 W	
1 Dec	Broughton Park (A)	35-10 L	
8 Dec	Anselmians (H)	39-8 W	
15 Dec	Northwich (H)	30-7 W	Friends of Warrington RUFC
5 Jan 2019	Burnage (H)	11-35 L	
12 Jan	Blackburn (H)	22-36 L	
19 Jan	Stockport (A)	36-28 W	
26 Jan	Carlisle (H)	20-37 L	
9 Feb	Manchester (A)	32-0 L	
16 Feb	Firwood Waterloo (H)	28-30 L	
2 Mar	De la Salle (Salford) (A)	12-24 W	
9 Mar	Penrith (H)		Past Players Lunch
23 Mar	Douglas (I.O.M) (A)		
30 Mar	Broughton Park (H)		
6 Apr	Anselmians (A)		
13 Apr	Birkenhead Park (H)		

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# Warrington RUFC vs. Penrith RUFC

**WARRINGTON RUFC**  
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**PENRITH RUFC**  
Colours: White & Green.

**Saturday 9th March 2019, Kick off 3pm**

**Referee: Dan Taylor, Manchester Society**

15	Darren Norman	Sponsorship Available	Ed Swale (capt)	15
14	Tom McEniff	Sponsorship Available	Brad Taylor	14
13	Luke Gilooly	Sponsorship Available	Jay Rossi	13
12	Steven Pilkington	H G Wood Ltd	James Boustead	12
11	Nathan Beesley	The Specialist Artwork Co.	Jon Fell	11
10	Tom Wood	H G Wood Ltd	Ross Jackson	10
9	Tom Arnold	Sponsorship Available	George Graham	9
8	Daniel Fleming	Sponsorship Available	Mike Raine	8
7	Sean Callander (capt)	Lignum Recruitment	Josh Dowson	7
6	Jonny Evans	Sponsorship Available	Tom Lindsay	6
5	Josh Riley	3M Technologies	Scott Lancaster	5
4	Josh Downes (capt)	Simple Solutions Ltd.	Dan Richardson	4
3	Tom Green	Sponsorship Available	Ryan Lee	3
2	Christian White	Fiona Kellett Physiotherapy	Craig Price	2
1	Clem O'Rourke	Sponsorship Available	Adam Howe	1
16	Jon Ward	Sponsorship Available	Will Morgan	16
17	Phil Lynch	Blue Group	Ian McDowell	17
18	Andy Roberts	Sponsorship Available	Dan Greenwood	18
Andy Roberts		Coach		

*Warm welcome to today's guests, opposition and referee,  
We hope a great day and game is enjoyed by all.*

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# De La Salle 1st XV 12 - 24 Warrington 1st XV

Warrington's all-round pace proved just too much for a competitive and aggressive De La Salle outfit and the four-try bonus point win takes them up to tenth place in the league. Next week sees them play Penrith, who are just one point ahead, at home and a win would move them further away from the relegation zone.

The home side began strongly and put the visitors under early pressure. However, the Warrington defence stood firm and when play eventually moved to the De La Salle half, Warrington secured a good scrum and the ball found Jamie Thompson, who made ground before passing onto Nathan Beasley. The winger, not for the first time this season, showed his electric speed, and outpaced the cover to touch down under the posts. Darren Norman converted.



De La Salle quickly came back and their hard, direct running, excellent off-loading and robust pack, where their excellent tight head prop led the way, soon told Warrington that this was not going to be a stroll in the park. Eventually, the home side were rewarded for their efforts with a good try in the corner and an even better conversion from the touchline to level the scores. Warrington's reply was immediate and direct. Tom Arnold took an excellent catch from the restart and the ball flashed across to Nathan Beasley, who kicked ahead and then won the footrace to the line to score in the corner. Just before half time, Warrington were again pressing on the opposition line. Showing great patience, the Warrington forwards went through the phases before Jamie Thompson spotted a gap in the De La Salle defence and crashed over. Darren Norman converted to make the score 19-7 at the turn-around.

There were two chances to increase the Warrington lead early in the second half. First when they forced a series of penalties in the home side's five yard zone but were unable to drive over from the subsequent line-outs. And secondly, when Jonny Evans, who was outstanding throughout, charged down an attempted clearance kick but was unable to reach the ball before it crossed the dead ball line. However, from the 22 metre restart drop kick, Nathan Beasley caught the ball, made ground across the field before kicking ahead. Darren Norman then showed that pace is not solely the domain of the winger and followed up the kick to touch down. With the four-try bonus point now secure, Warrington probably took their foot off the gas and De La Salle took advantage to bully their way over in the corner. Although the game was now all but over as a contest, De La Salle refused to concede defeat until the final whistle although the highlight of the closing minutes was a thirty yard Warrington driving maul, which could well have gone all the way.

"Job done!" was the verdict of coach Andy Roberts. "The five points were essential and we got them. But we still need to up our game in the remaining five matches."

# Player Appearances

Name		Games this year	Career total	Tries this season	Career total
Arnold	Tom	7 + 2	69	2	31
Barker	Joel	8 + 2	?		
Beesley	Nathan	18 + 1	87	14	61
Byrne	Craig	3	?		?
Caldwell	Max	4 + 4	65	2	22
Callander	Sean	18	116	1	6
Dixon	Ben	4	12	1	1
Downes	Josh	13 + 1	55	3	6
Drummond	Kirk	1	1		
Emmitt	Luke	3 + 2	5		
Evans	Jonny	15 + 5	37	2	4
Fleming	Dan	16 + 2	185		9
Gilooly	Luke	8	18	1	2
Green	Tom	4 + 4	29		4
Griffiths	Dan	1 + 8	39	1	6
Hannon	Jack	10	20		1
Hughes	Kieran	17	123	10	117
Kellett	Harry	1 + 1	12		
Lynch	Phil	18	97	2	6
Maudsley	Will	1 + 1	4	1	1
McEniff	Tom	14 + 4	21	4	5
Norman	Darren	14 + 1	41	3	8
O'Rourke	Clement	14 + 4	112	1	3
Povey	Nick	3 + 1	4		
Pilkington	Steve	21	118	8	51
Riley	Josh	17 + 1	132	1	6
Roberts	Andy	5	99	1	22
Stewart	Alex	7 + 8	15	1	1
Thompson	Paul	9 + 1	272		23
Ward	Jon	1 + 2	38		1
Wardley	Keith	0 + 2	13		
White	Chris	20 + 1	88	4	22
Wood	Tom	18	183	4	57

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## GUINNESS SIX NATIONS TABLE

2019 ▾

POS	TEAM	PL	W	D	L	PF	PA	DIFF	TF	TA	TB	LB	PTS
1	Wales	3	3	0	0	71	47	24	7	5	0	0	12
2	England	3	2	0	1	89	49	40	11	5	2	0	10
3	Ireland	3	2	0	1	68	61	7	9	7	1	0	9
4	France	3	1	0	2	54	78	-24	7	10	1	1	6
5	Scotland	3	1	0	2	56	69	-13	7	10	1	0	5
6	Italy	3	0	0	3	51	85	-34	7	11	0	0	0

### ROUND 1

Fri 01 Feb



FRANCE

19 - 24  
HT 16-0



WALES

Report  
Video  
Stats

Stade de France, Paris

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Sat 02 Feb



SCOTLAND

33 - 20  
HT 12-3



ITALY

Report  
Video  
Stats

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Sat 02 Feb



IRELAND

20 - 32  
HT 10-17



ENGLAND

Report  
Video  
Stats

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## ROUND 2

Sat 09 Feb



**13 - 22**  
HT 10-12



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BT Murrayfield, Edinburgh

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**15 - 26**  
HT 7-12



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## ROUND 3

Sat 23 Feb



**27 - 10**  
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Stade de France, Paris Ref: Nic Berry

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**21 - 13**  
HT 3-10



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Principality Stadium, Cardiff Ref: Jaco Peyper

TV: BBC S4C

Sun 24 Feb



**16 - 26**  
HT 16-12





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Stadio Olimpico, Rome Ref: Glen Jackson


TV: ITV





## ROUND 4



Sat 09 Mar	 <b>SCOTLAND</b>	<b>KO</b> <b>14:15</b> GMT	 <b>WALES</b>	Match Centre
BT Murrayfield, Edinburgh TV: BBC S4C				



Sat 09 Mar	 <b>ENGLAND</b>	<b>KO</b> <b>16:45</b> GMT	 <b>ITALY</b>	Match Centre
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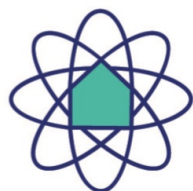
Sun 10 Mar	 <b>IRELAND</b>	<b>KO</b> <b>15:00</b> GMT	 <b>FRANCE</b>	Match Centre
Aviva Stadium, Dublin TV: ITV				

## ROUND 5

Sat 16 Mar	 <b>ITALY</b>	<b>KO</b> <b>12:30</b> GMT	 <b>FRANCE</b>	Match Centre
Stadio Olimpico, Rome TV: ITV				

Sat 16 Mar	 <b>WALES</b>	<b>KO</b> <b>14:45</b> GMT	 <b>IRELAND</b>	Match Centre
Principality Stadium, Cardiff TV: BBC S4C				

Sat 16 Mar	 <b>ENGLAND</b>	<b>KO</b> <b>17:00</b> GMT	 <b>SCOTLAND</b>	Match Centre
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