



Wally Monthly

The monthly missive from Old Walcountians RFC

EASTER 2015

They think it's all over.....but not quite!

With one game to go for the senior sides, you'd be excused for thinking that the season is tapering to an end. You couldn't be more wrong!!

The next few weeks sees plenty of action and events taking place at the club and we encourage all of you to get involved.

Inside, you will find details of said action and events including a club away day to Deal, the Reunion Lunch, the annual club dinner and a very special event that is a little way off but needs your attention now!

All of this in addition to a very important fixture on 11th April when the First XV take on an Old Emanuel side who are looking to finish at the top of the pile. As much support as possible is required and much appreciated.

We hope that you enjoy the Easter break and look forward to seeing you on 11th April.

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The recent renovation of the toilets left no stone unturned and caters for all members, no matter how gravitationally challenged they are...

OWRFC Fixtures, news, events, photos and match reports are available at: <http://www.pitchero.com/clubs/oldwalcountiansrfc/>

U21's Surrey Cup Semi-Final—2nd April

The U21s take on Cobham in the Surrey Cup this Thursday. **7pm kick off at Clockhouse.**

Please do come along to cheers the lads on and, perhaps, start the Easter weekend with a pint or two.

This game promises some top quality rugby so come along and get a glimpse of some future Old Walcountians.

President's Reunion Lunch—April 11th 2015

A final reminder that this years reunion lunch takes place very soon. **Please do let Rocky know (mightartuk@aol.com) if you are coming as we need to know the numbers for catering!**

In addition to raffle prizes kindly donated by yourselves (all donations are welcome!), Stuart Gambel will be conducting a fund raising auction so please bring plenty of spare cash or your chequebooks.

It would be really nice to see more of those who have recently retired from playing, (or are thinking about it), coming along to keep alive the traditions of active support for playing Rugby at Old Walcountians.

See you on the 11th.



Washer Cup 2015

This years Washer Cup will take place on **Wednesday 8th April**. Kick off is at 7.30pm.

This is the annual fixture between a young OWRFC XV and a WCGS XV.

The fixture is in memory of Steve Washer, a much loved club member, and offers an introduction into senior rugby for the senior boys at the school.

It is therefore important that plenty of you get up to watch and cheer on both sides.

The club side will feature many of the U21 squad and other returning students so there will be some familiar faces on show.

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Please do look into them and utilise their services where appropriate.

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Deal or No Deal?

Who likes a day beside the seaside?

Who likes watching Shampain rugby?

Who likes a leisurely Beer and BBQ?



If you answered “Me” to any of the above, then we have the trip for you! Your OWRFC Vets will be participating in a one day tournament in Deal on **Saturday 18th April**.



We are returning to this excellent shindig, which ex-Count Ted Schofield is organising on behalf of Deal & Betteshanger RFC. We need to know numbers **now**, which will tell us how large a coach we need. We'll be setting off early-ish on Saturday morning, and returning the same evening.

So, if you are 35 or older and fancy a run out, contact Simmo now. The more we have, the less time we have to play!!

We already have a motley band of support signed up, both young and old, but we'd like more. Again, please let Simmo know ASAP if you want a place on the (fun) bus.



There are teams coming from Holland and Belgium among others, so the day promises good rugby, a beer tent, hog roast and BBQ. What's not to like?

Please contact Simmo asap, to book your seat, steve.simmonds@oup.com or [07796 303390](tel:07796303390).



Club Dinner 2015

Friday 8th May - 6.30pm

This year's club dinner will be one to remember (intake permitting!).

So what will the ticket price of £40 get you?

- ◆ Three course meal with wine, coffee and cheese.
- ◆ Guest speaker, former Leicester Tigers, England and British & Irish Lion, **Harry Ellis**.
- ◆ Speeches from the great and the good, well, Mr Chairman.
- ◆ Annual Club Awards (no guarantee that you'll get one!)
- ◆ The chance to celebrate the successes of the season with your team and club-mates

In addition there will also be a Q&A session with Harry Ellis so have a poser prepared!

Entertainment this year will be interactive and will feature many familiar faces. Its one not to be missed!!



To secure your ticket, please contact Dan Bell ASAP and make £40 available to him post haste.

This is the show piece event of the season. Don't miss out!!

Contact Dan Bell at dbell@dngbm.co.uk to secure your seat and arrange payment

Don't delay, arrange your ticket today!!

Old Walcountians RFC 84th Anniversary (1932 – 2016)

Dinner, Dance, Bed & Breakfast

(any excuse for a night out and a good old knees up - particularly for those who's knees may not last until the 85th anniversary!)

to be held at

The Brighton Hilton Metropole Hotel on Saturday 16th January 2016



ticket includes;

Pre-function drinks, a 5 course dinner, half bottle of wine, a **free** raffle with excellent prizes, dancing to a popular live band, an overnight stay in a typical Hilton quality double or twin room with full use of the Brighton Metropole facilities and an international choice for your breakfast on Sunday morning

All of this for only £125= per head!

There are only **100** places – yes, only **100** available for this exclusive OWRFC event – 10 tables of 10

so, act fast and secure your seats now!

Contact Jerry Warwick at jerry.warwick@atkinsglobal.com or 07760.495284

A £25.00p deposit will be required per person with the booking



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