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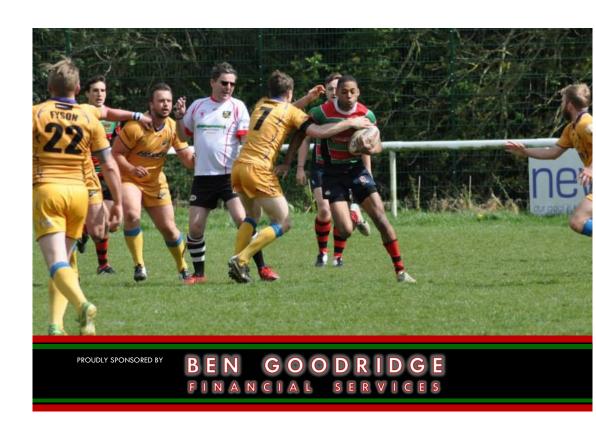






COVENTRY DRAGONS

RUGBY LEAGUE



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LEICESTER STORM



MIDLANDS RUGBY LEAGUE PREMIER 2015

ROUND 1

02.05.15



FIXTURES AND RESULTS

- All games K.O at 2.30pm unless stated

- Home Fixtures in bold

02.05.15	League	Coventry Dragons v Leicester Storm
09.05.15	League	NEW Ravens v Coventry Dragons
16.05.15	League	Northampton Demons v Coventry Dragons
23.05.15	League	Coventry Dragons v Buxton Bulls
30.05.15	League	Boston Buccaneers v Coventry Dragons
06.06.15	League	Coventry Dragons v Birmingham Bulldogs
13.06.15	League	Coventry Dragons v Telford Raiders
20.06.15	League	Derby City v Coventry Dragons
04.07.15	League	Coventry Dragons v NEW Ravens
11.07.15	League	Birmingham Bulldogs v Coventry Dragons
18.07.15	League	Nottingham Outlaws v Coventry Dragons
25.07.15	League	Coventry Dragons v Sherwood Wood Hunt
01.08.15	League	Coventry Dragons v Leamington Royals
08.08.15	League	Buxton Bulls v Coventry Dragons

Welcome to the first edition of the Coventry Dragons weekly ezine and the first game of the season.

This year has been one of rebuilding for the Coventry Dragons. With the appointment of two new coaches in the hugely experienced Mark Hyslop and Scotty Fenton, not to mention the signing of 20+ new players, the Dragons are looking stronger than ever.

The club has enjoyed an unbelievable Pre-season; with the numbers and level of talent expanding exponentially, the Dragons are in a fantastic position to claim their inaugural Midlands Premier League crown.

Coaches and players alike have been chomping at the bit in anticipation of today's game vs Leicester Storm and we hope that we can produce a match-winning, entertaining performance for everyone coming out to cheer us on.

We would like to thanks everyone that has contributed to our season so far, most importantly, our Sponsors Ben Goodridge Financial Services, Scorpion Sports, Activ Solutions and Rowlands and Father.

We hope to see you at this weekend's fixture and hear you cheering us to victory!







THESQUAD

V LEICESTER STORM

STARTING SIDE

- 1. T. ROCHESTER-BREMMER
- 2. L. SMITH
- 3. S. THOMPSON
- 4. D. COLEMAN
- 5. A. ROWLANDS (Sponsored by Headcase Barbers)
- 6. D. THOMPSON (Sponsored by Floors4All)
- 7. M. HYSLOP
- 8. J. RYAN
- 9. H. MARKS
- 10. T. ROWE
- 11. S. HUMPHREYS
- 12. J. MASSON (Sponsored by Activ Solutions)
- 13. A. BARNETT

REPLACEMENTS

- 14. J. MICHAEL-DAVIES
- 15. D. CARBRY
- 16. C. JACKSON
- 17. S. BALL
- 18. S. ROBERTS
- 19. R. WOOD
- 20. C. SLATER

COACHES CORNER



Mark Hyslop

I am hugely looking forward to this weekend's first game. We have had a good 8 week Pre-season and have had a lot of new players. Training has gone better than we could have hoped and we have all gelled well over the last few weeks. We are really happy with the new structure myself and Scott have given to squad to learn, which has been picked up really quickly.

Leicester will be a really tough team but I am very confident what we have been doing in training should provide us with the skills to claim the right result, not to mention an entertaining performance by the boys as well.



Scott Clendenning-Fenton

Joining the Dragons this season has been an exciting time for me and I thank the off field staff for the opportunity. It's been good to work alongside my old mate Sloppy who I played a few seasons up at the Coventry Bears with.

Pre Season has been going for a couple months now and we are all looking forward to getting into our first competitive game and seeing how we get on. Sloppy and I have introduced a new structure of play for the side along with new calls and so far the guys have taken it on board well and been positive about it.

We have brought in a lot of new faces to the squad, giving us great depth and competition in the first team is high. That being said I'm sure it will take a few weeks for us to gel as a team but we are pleased with where we are at.

THE OPPOSITION

Nickname: Storm

Formed: 1986 (Rebranded as 'Leicester Storm' in

2010

Coach: Dean Thomas

Honours:

- Leicester 9s Tournament: 1996 and 1997

- NAMARLA Division Champions: 1987/88

- RLC Central Division: 1997

- RLC South Midlands Division: 2004

- Midlands Rugby League: 2010

Last Time Out: Coventry Dragons 22 - 16 Leicester Storm

Past Record v Leicester Storm:

13.07.13 Coventry Dragons 80 - 22 Leicester Storm

24.05.14 Coventry Dragons 18 - 14 Leicester Storm

19.07.14 Coventry Dragons 22 - 16 Leicester Storm



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