

CLUB EVENTS

22 Aug	Treasure Hunt	12 Dec	Christmas Night
12 Sep	Quiz Night	29 Jan	Burns Supper
31 Oct	Oktoberfest	20 Feb	Games Night
28 Nov	Ladies Day	26 Mar	Race Night

All players, supports, family and friends of Leith are invited.



LEITH RUGBY FIXTURES 2015/16

Pre-Season

AUGUST

08 H	Kilmarnock
13 H	Forrester
15 A	Murrayfield Wanderers
22 H	2nd XV v Hynadland
22 H	1st XV v Lismore

BT Edinburgh Shield

OCTOBER

03 A	Linlithgow
24 A	Ross High or Broughton

BT East Division 2

SEPTEMBER

05 H	Liberton
12 A	Portobello
19 H	Ross High
26 A	Broughton

OCTOBER

17 H	Langholm
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NOVEMBER

07 A	Inverleith
14 H	Penicuik
21 A	Trinity
28 H	Edinburgh Northern

DECEMBER

05 A	Liberton
12 H	Portobello

JANUARY

09 A	Ross High
16 H	Broughton
23 A	Langholm
30 H	Inverleith

FEBRUARY

20 A	Penicuik
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MARCH

05 H	Trinity
26 A	Edinburgh Northern



THE CONSTITUTION BAR

LEITH RUGBY
V
KILMARNOCK RFC

08 AUG 2015

LEITH RUGBY
OPEN DAY





"If you would like to get into rugby, as a player, volunteer or social member, get in touch."

Kenny Dannfald
Club Captain

Hello and Welcome to Academy Park on our RBS RugbyForce Open Day. I would like to extend a warm greeting from all at the club to today's opponents, Kilmarnock RFC. The Ayrshire men play their games in BT West Division 1 so will be a tough test for Leith, however an important one, as we gear up for a tilt at the BT East Division 2 title. The last time Leith played Kilmarnock was back in the days of black in white in 1982ish when most(!) of our squad were not even born and Club President Jim Smith graced the field. All at Leith hope Kilmarnock RFC members enjoy their day at Academy Park and catch up with a beer in the clubhouse after.

I'd also like to welcome all the new players who have joined us this preseason, crucial as we expand into the reserve league which is a huge step for the club. If you would like to, or know of someone who would like to, get into rugby then get in touch, the more the merrier!

I'd like to say a big 'Bine ati venit' to our guest from Romania and Hospices of Hope. We're kicking off our partnership with our adopted nation of Romania for the Rugby World Cup where we will have many events on to support both Scotland and Romania as they get to the final!

Finally I would like to welcome all the supporters, officials, club members and volunteers. Without you local community rugby clubs like ours would not be possible. If you have been impressed by Leith Rugby and would like to become a social member or volunteer, please contact us via our website leithrugby.com.

Preseason has brought a number of new faces to Leith Rugby as well as the return of several familiar ones. To help you get to know some of the new players we have profiled a few below.

CONOR KERR



Versatile forward Conor Kerr joined us early in preseason and despite touch 'not being his game' he turned out to keep fit in our touch tournament over the summer. He also came along to the awards night despite not knowing anyone. What's more amazing is he came back following the night meaning our patter isn't that bad! Connor can play all over the pack and looks a useful addition to the squad.

CRAIG WILLIAMSON



Having joined from former BT East Division 2 rivals Forrester, Craig has had an impressive start at Leith. Starting at 12 in our first preseason game v Kinross, Craig notched up a couple of tries in our victory. With the ability to cover both centre positions and wing, the Northern Irishman, looks like he will fit well into a dynamic Leith back line in the upcoming season.

LUKE MCKINNEY



It's quite hard to miss Luke to be honest! The big man has added some bulk to our pack which never goes amiss. The 2nd row come number 8 put in an impressive man of the match performance against Kinross and bagged his first Leith try in the process. Luke has an impressive turn of speed and is aggressive in the tackle. We're all hoping for more performances like last weeks in the months to come.

ALICK ROSS



Student Alick was another new recruit joining us from Ellon in Aberdeenshire. A hooker, Alick has looked promising so far in preseason with some of his lineout throws even going straight (Cookie say that will never catch on at Leith). Alick is another player we are delighted to welcome to Leith and we're sure he'll be important in the coming season.

Want to join them? Contact us to find out more on leithrugby.com

LEITH RUGBY TREASURE HUNT PUB CRAWL!

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WHEN: SAT 22 AUGUST | 7PM
£5 PER PERSON

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