



RHS RUGBY NEWSLETTER



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U15 Tournament Team 2012

The team to compete in the South Island Secondary Schools Junior Rugby Tournament has been selected and is as follows:

Name	Form Class	Name	Form Class
Churchill, Conor	10SDB	Kenny, Zack	10RMN
Cooke, Matt	10RMN	McCallum, Patrick	10LLH
Couch, Todd	10NWL	McCallum, Ryan	11MSI
Cox, Jared	9LGM	McClintock, Matthew	10SDB
Duckworth, Luke	10MBI	Mulholland, Harry	10LDS
Dyer, Cameron	11RMM	Peseta, Moresby	10STR
Fordyce, Jack	10RBL	Salton, Robbie	11SSZ
Gardner, George	10HHT	Sim, Josh	10RMN
Gray, Jordan	10STR	Smith, Rhys	10SDB
Howe, Jack	10SMD	Wicksteed, Ben	10LDS
Jenkins, Kerran	10STR	Wilson-Bairds, Naaria	10LDS
Kennett-Smith, Jaydan	10MBI	Wunderink, Caleb	10MBI

The U15 tournament team will play two games prior to the South Island Secondary Schools Tournament, the first against Ashburton College on Tuesday 21st August as part of the annual exchange, and the second against Lincoln College on Wednesday 29th August, kick-off 3. 15 p.m.

WELLINGTON 1ST XV TRIP

Both teams pictured at Takapuwahia Marae. Kori Jones (Captain) is holding the 'Caleb Church – Curtis Tui Memorial Trophy'

Tauhara College are from Taupo and the two sides first met in 2009 at the Southern Skies tournament in Brisbane. Tauhara visited Rangiora in 2010 and the first game for the Memorial Trophy was played. Caleb played for the RHS 1st XV in 2007 and was tragically killed in a car accident in 2009. Curtis Tui was a member of the Tauhara side but lost his battle with cancer in 2009. Both sides are keen to honour these players and build the 'Traditional' fixture between the schools.



Miles Toyota



The game, played at Mana College in Porirua, was played in windy conditions and Rangiora had the wind at their backs in the first half but were unable to take full advantage due to many handling errors and tough Tauhara defence. With the game in the balance at 3-0 to Rangiora a much stronger 2nd half effort was required. Leading from the front captain Kori Jones orchestrated a forward dominated game and patiently built pressure and territory. Two tries were scored as a result and the final score 13-0 to Rangiora. Try Scorers – Brandon Wentworth and Daniel Wills. Penalty to Freeman Eder.

‘It’s great to be building a history with Tauhara College. They are in a very similar position to Rangiora in that they are building a 1st XV and Rugby culture at their school. Both teams stayed together on the Marae and the experience gained was priceless’ said Manager Kerry Sullivan.

PRESS CUP – vs Waimea College 30/6

Waimea College set up their 13-5 win with a very good opening period in which they dominated possession and territory. Within the first 10 minutes they had scored through their hard working forward pack and banked a 3 point penalty as Rangiora again struggled to get out of first gear from the kick-off.

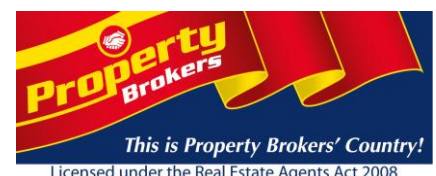
There were some bright patches in the first half but unable to get game patterns going the RHS side couldn’t hold possession for long enough to build any pressure and dogged defence from both sides meant that at times the game appeared very untidy.



After some strong words at halftime the home side up their efforts and began to look like a team as they strung together some good passages of play. With the forwards finally playing with some urgency the Waimea side began to go backwards and the result was a well taken try to prop Wiremu Puha-Tirikatene. At 5-8 the game was there for either side to take. Play centred on the middle of the field and defences held until Waimea took advantage of a defensive lapse that allowed their winger to score in the corner. 5-13.

With renewed energy Waimea were organised in defence and smart with ball in hand. As the clock ran down it was Rangiora who had to chase the game and although they looked likely to break the Waimea line on numerous occasions poor decisions and strong defence prevented this from happening.

Next game: Saturday 28th July, vs Nayland College at Nayland College, Stoke
Kick-off 12 noon



Girls XV

Division 2	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	For	Against	Bonus	Points
RANGIORA	5	5	0	0	233	46	5	25
ST. MARGARET'S	4	3	1	0	150	32	4	16
DARFIELD-ELLESMERE	4	1	3	0	32	236	1	5
MERCY SCHOOLS	5	0	5	0	32	123	2	2

Pictured here Holly Newbury (right), Britney Blackler (below) and Tyler Courtney (below right) last Wednesday playing Ellesmere/Darfield. RHS won 106-5.




2nd XV

Standings								
Team	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	For	Against	Bonus	Points
RICCARTON	6	5	0	1	184	51	5	28
ST. THOMAS	6	4	1	1	153	89	4	22
AREA SCHOOLS	6	4	2	0	183	36	5	21
PAPANUI	6	4	2	0	143	85	5	21
DARFIELD	6	1	5	0	71	171	3	7
RANGIORA	6	1	5	0	31	155	1	5
ELLESMERE	6	1	5	0	37	132	1	5

JUNIOR BOYS – GOLD (Year 10) and GREEN (Year 9)

Standings								
Division 1	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	For	Against	Bonus	Points
RANGIORA GOLD	7	7	0	0	214	30	7	35
HORNBY	5	4	1	0	173	56	6	22
LINCOLN	6	3	3	0	123	144	4	20
DARFIELD	7	3	4	0	129	237	3	15
RICCARTON	5	0	5	0	51	198	1	1
Division 2	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	For	Against	Bonus	Points
ELLESMERE	4	2	2	0	90	64	5	17
CASHMERE	6	3	3	0	165	160	3	15
RANGIORA GREEN	5	1	4	0	71	170	3	7
CATHEDRAL	5	1	4	0	33	152	1	5

RHS 1st XV Sponsor Profile

Company Name:	Kitchen Studio Christchurch
	
Contact:	Philip Vink and Christine Brown
Location:	447a Blenheim Road, Middleton, Christchurch
Description of product/service:	<p>We provide retail sales and installation services for kitchen cabinets, bench tops and appliances.</p> <p>We provide full kitchen solutions starting from personal, in-home consultation and design, though to project management and installation.</p> <p>Our business started in Canterbury 30 years ago and is now a nationwide co-operative covering 17 branches from Whangarei to Invercargill. All our cabinet products are supported by 10 a year warranty plus lifetime guarantees on the hardware fitted.</p> <p>Our designers can also assist with other home projects as well.</p>
Connection to Rangiora High School:	Through Jim Gilbert, First XV coach
Reason for sponsoring 1st XV:	Interested in raising company brand and profile in North Canterbury and the wider Canterbury region.



NEXT MONDAY 30TH JULY

Don't forget to get in this week to book your team in the 1st XV Quiz Night, to be held next Monday 30th July at Monteiths Rangiora. It is a really social, fun night out all the while supporting the 1st XV. Tickets are \$10 head. So get together a team of 6-8 people and sign up/pay at the Payments counter in the Student Office or call Sarah on 0274 306 153. There are a limited number of teams so don't miss out.



RHS 1st XV Player Profile



Name	Jono Wright
Year	Year 13
House	Sheppard
Preferred Position	Flanker
Previous Club	Ashley, Ohoka
Rugby player you admire & why	Matt Todd – great tackler and runner with the ball
Most memorable Rugby moment	Being a part of the Ohoka U16 team winning the final
Favourite Food	Chicken Nuggets
Favourite music	Punk
Other sports played	Basketball, touch, cricket, netball
Interests/hobbies	Playing guitar, sing and play guitar in a band, swimming
Other useful info	Drive a Mazda 325

RHS 1st XV would like to thank both **Lyn Sparks** and **The SportShop Rangiora** for donating the 2012 match balls.



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