

BRIDGEHAUGH

18TH FEBRUARY I 3PM



STIRLING COUNTY RFC 1ST XV



KELSO RFC

TODAY'S MEN'S FIRST TEAMS



STIRLING COUNTY

- 1. Kevin Crainey
- 2. Callum Hunter
- 3. Cameron Murphy
- 4. JC Brough
- 5. Euan Cairns
- 6. Adam Elder
- 7. Shaun MacDonald (c)
- 8. Calum MacPherson
- 16. Alex Dunlop
- 17. Callum Richardson
- 18. Harry Henderson

- 9. David Scott
- 10. Lewis Jamieson
- 11. Ben Yarrow
- 12. Liam Carroll
- 13. Mikey Heron
- 14. Scott Shedden
- 15. Angus Hunter
- 19. Keir Singleton
- 20. Adam Crozier



KELSO RFC

- 1. Grant Shiells
- 2. Charlie Marshall
- 3. Terry Logan
- 4. Angus Common
- Keith Melbourne
- 6. Cammy Thompson
- 7. Archie Cowens
- 8. Bruce McNeil
- 16. Euan Knox
- 17. Allan Frame
- 18. Liam Tait

- 9. Andy Tait
- 10. Liam Herdman
- 11. Angus Roberts
- 12. Frankie Robson (C)
- 13. Dwain Patterson
- 14. Nik Stingl
- 15. Greg Ponton
- 19. Cammy Brown
- 20. Murray Hastie



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome all to this 17th fixture of the Tennent's National One League competition.

I extend a warm welcome to Bridgehaugh to all visitors, sponsors, and members, along with a special welcome to today's opponents Kelso RFC and their President Neil Hastie.

County finds themselves in a relegation battle after losing to Biggar 25 -14, in a hard-fought battle at the Gytes. Kelso, however, in their last fixture two weeks ago at Poynder Park, they beat Dundee Rugby 31-0. Kelso sits on top of the table with 70 points and will be looking to solidify that position when they visit Bridgehaugh. They will be confident as they beat County 50-17 in the earlier season fixture. County sits third bottom with 27 points alongside relegation contenders Stewarts Melville RFC and Aberdeen Grammar RFC.

Nothing more must be said, both teams will be desperate to win. Let's hope for a cracker of a game.

May the best team win.

County's next fixture in Tennent's National One is away next Saturday 25th February 2023 to Highland RFC with a 3.00pm kick-off.

2ND XV

The Second XV had a great win on Friday 3rd February against GHK winning 59-15. This was also the senior debut of five of our U18 players who all played their part in this win, the Division One West Reserve League. The next fixture is on Saturday 4th March at home to Glasgow Accies Second XV.

County Women

Congratulations to the County Women's team who won the Tennent's Premiership (Women), in a fantastic rugby spectacle at Bridgehaugh, when they beat Corstorphine RFC. This weekend they now play Cartha Queens Park at Bridgehaugh in the first round of the Sarah Beaney (Women's) Cup with a 2.00pm kick-off. The next round of the cup is on Sunday 26th February against Watsonians at Myreside with a 1.00pm kick-off.

Let's hope for some great games and enjoyment of rugby today and over the weekend, may the best teams win.

We have several planned events coming in 2023 so please keep an eye on our social media platforms for the details of these. We also have a variety of hospitality packages available for upcoming fixtures.

If anyone is interested in taking a table for hospitality or a place at a table, for any fixtures, please contact Daryl, our Events Manager at the club or by email EDM@stirlingcounty-rfc.co.uk

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Our thanks also go to shirt sponsors Douglas Park Stirling, Johnston and Carmichael, Belhaven and Stirling Crematorium for the warm-up tops.

Remember if you would like to purchase any Stirling County rugby clothing our shop is online and you can access the shop by going to the club website.

To all our visitors, members, and supporters, please enjoy the rugby and enjoy your day.

John Gibson

John T. Gibson

President, Stirling County R.F.C. 2022 – 2023





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