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Date of Update

- 22nd January
- Northwich U15's beat Macclesfield 43:5 in the Preliminary round of the Cheshire Plate
 - Northwich now play away at Oldershaw in the Quarter Finals on Sunday 1st February
 - Sunday 25th January 2009 - Home match v Anselmians meet 10.00am at Moss Farm
- 21st December
- Northwich U15's beat Congleton 29:0
 - HAPPY CHRISTMAS – next session Sunday 4th January 2009 (more info by text & email)
- 3rd December
- Wednesday night training has been CANCELLED due to the weather
 - Away match at NEW BRIGHTON – meet at New Brighton Rugby Club at 10.00 – Map on Page 2 of this Newsletter – PLEASE CONFIRM AVAILABILITY
- 30th November
- Northwich U15's beat Wilmslow 31:15
 - Wednesday training 6.30pm
 - Sunday 7th December – Match to be arranged
 - Chris Sheppard out for rest of year with broken nose
- 23rd November
- Northwich U15's lost to Chester 5:36 in the Cheshire Cup 1st Round
 - Wednesday training 6.30pm
 - Sunday 30th November – Home match v Ashton on Mersey meet 10.00am at Moss Farm
 - £30 deposits required for Players any other adults interested for Tour
- 16th November
- Northwich U15's lost to Anselmians 0:12
 - Wednesday training 6.30pm
 - Sunday 23rd November – CHESHIRE CUP Away match v Chester meet 10.00am at Chester Rugby Club (map in this newsletter)
 - £30 deposits required for Players and Bilbo (plus any other adults interested) for Tour
- 9th November
- Northwich U15's beat Macclesfield 34:5
 - Wednesday training 6.30pm
 - Sunday 16th November – Away match v Old Anselmians meet 10.00am at Anselmians Rugby Club (map in this newsletter)
 - Email with reference to 2009 Tour to be sent out this week
 - Jack Vandersteen wears Cheshire colours

This Week's Result



Northwich U15's **43**

v

5 Macclesfield U15's



Established Player of the Year

| | Match Attendance | Games Played | Opposition | | | | | | | | | | | | Total Score | | |
|--|------------------|--------------|------------|-----------|---------|------------------|----------|--------|--------------|------------|---------|----------|-----------|--------------|-------------|------------|-----------|
| | | | Caldy A | Congleton | Caldy B | Crewe & Nantwich | Sandbach | Wirral | Macclesfield | Anselmians | Chester | Wilmslow | Congleton | Macclesfield | | Anselmians | Oldershaw |
| 4pts - Ranked 1 st | | | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | | | |
| 3pts - Ranked 2 nd | | | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | | | |
| 2pts - Ranked 3 rd | | | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | | | |
| 1pt - Played | | | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | | 4 | 1 | | | |
| All rankings made by coaches after each game | | | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | | | |
| 1 Jack Vandersteen | 100% | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 | | | 27 |
| 2 Sam Clayton | 100% | 12 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 | | 3 | 1 | 4 | | | 1 | 1 | | | 26 |
| 3 Chris Sheppard | 92% | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 22 |
| 4 Sam Jones | 100% | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 | | | 20 |
| 5 Josh Hall | 100% | 12 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 | | 3 | 1 | 4 | | | 1 | 1 | | | 19 |
| 6 Simon Dale | 75% | 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | | | 18 |
| 7 Mike Gough | 92% | 11 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | 17 |
| 8 Mike Collier | 58% | 7 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | 9 |



Emerging Player of the Year

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|------|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|--|----|
| 1 Joe Halsall | 92% | 11 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | | | | 26 |
| 2 Matt Beesley | 92% | 11 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 4 | | | 23 |
| 3 Luke Murray | 100% | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 21 |
| 4 David Lewis | 92% | 11 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 3 | | 2 | | | 20 |
| 5 Tom Sheridan | 83% | 10 | 1 | | 2 | 4 | | 1 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 19 |
| 6 Ryan Kitt | 75% | 9 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | | 3 | | | 16 |
| 7 Jordan Byrne | 58% | 7 | 3 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | | 2 | | | 2 | 1 | | | 11 |
| 8 Alex Dickenson | 50% | 6 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 2 | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | 7 |
| 9 Tom Bebbington | 8% | 1 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |



Developing Player of the Year

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1 Luke Targett | 83% | 10 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 4 | | | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | | | 27 |
| 2 Samir Zaman | 58% | 7 | 4 | | 3 | 3 | 3 | | 4 | 2 | 3 | | | | | | 22 |
| 3 Steven Parry | 75% | 9 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | 3 | 1 | | 4 | 1 | 2 | | | 18 |
| 4 Joe Williams | 42% | 5 | 1 | 4 | | | 4 | | | 4 | | | | 4 | | | 17 |
| 5 Tom Foulkes | 75% | 9 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | 2 | | 1 | 1 | | | 13 |
| 6 Tom Butler | 58% | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 2 | | | 1 | 4 | | | | 11 |
| 7 Baden Powell | 67% | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | | 1 | | | 2 | 3 | 1 | | | 11 |
| 8 Declan Woodward | 42% | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | | | | 3 | | | | | | | 9 |
| 9 Emilio Hannon | 42% | 5 | 1 | 1 | | 2 | | 3 | | | 1 | | | | | | 8 |
| 10 Jake Bolton | 0% | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |



Total Players on the Day: 25 23 21 21 17 17 17 19 16 16 18 19 0 0

The first half of rugby was the best this season. Even though more points were scored in the second half, Northwich pressurised the 'silk boys' from the very first seconds of the game. If less ball was dropped at vital moments in the first 30 minutes the backs would have scored many more tries. The man of the match award went to Mike Gough whose secret weight training sessions and new healthy living is now impacting his rugby in a big way – well done Goughie.



Scorers

| Top Points Scorer of the Year | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|------------------|----------|----------|--------------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|------------|-----------|-------------|
| Personal Score Accumulator | Caldy A | Congleton | Caldy B | Crewe & Nantwich | Sandbach | Wirral | Macclesfield | Anselmians | Chester | Wirmslow | Congleton | Macclesfield | Anselmians | Oldershaw | Total Score |
| 1 | Matt Beesley | | 5 | | | | | | | 16 | 15 | 10 | | | 46 |
| 2 | Chris Sheppard | 11 | 5 | 7 | | | 9 | | | | 4 | 8 | | | 44 |
| 3 | Jack Vandersteen | | | 10 | | | 15 | 5 | | | | | | | 30 |
| 4 | Luke Murray | 5 | | | | | | | | 10 | | 5 | | | 20 |
| 5 | Mike Collier | 10 | | | | | | | | 5 | | 5 | | | 20 |
| 6 | Jordan Byrne | | | | | | | | | | 5 | 5 | | | 10 |
| 7 | Josh Hall | | | | | | | | | | 5 | 5 | | | 10 |
| 8 | Sam Jones | | 5 | | | | 5 | | | | | | | | 10 |
| 9 | David Lewis | | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 10 | Joe Halsall | | | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 11 | Sam Clayton | | | | | | 5 | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 12 | Steven Parry | | | | | | | | | | | 5 | | | 5 |
| 13 | Alex Dickenson | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 14 | Baden Powell | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 15 | Declan Woodward | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 16 | Emilio Hannon | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 17 | Jake Bolton | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 18 | Joe Williams | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 19 | Luke Targett | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 20 | Mike Gough | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 21 | Ryan Kitt | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 22 | Samir Zaman | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 23 | Simon Dale | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 24 | Tom Bebbington | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 25 | Tom Butler | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 26 | Tom Foulkes | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| 27 | Tom Sheridan | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 |
| Score on the Day | 0 | 26 | 20 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 34 | 0 | 5 | 31 | 29 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 210 |



Cheshire Cup / Plate



| Cup Final | Semi Final | Quarter Final | Round 1 | Preliminary | Preliminary | Quarter Final | Semi Final | Plate Final |
|-----------|------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------------|-------------|
| | | | Wilmslow 8 | Wilmslow 43 | | | | |
| | | Anselmians 0 | Anselmians 10 | Crewe & Nantwich 0 | Northwich 43 | Oldershaw 0 | | |
| | | Chester 0 | Chester 36 | | Macclesfield 5 | Northwich 0 | | |
| | 0 | | Northwich 5 | | | | 0 | |
| | 0 | | Stockport 24 | Stockport 5 | | | 0 | |
| | | Stockport 0 | Macclesfield 10 | Ashton on Mersey 0 | | Crewe & Nantwich 0 | | |
| | | Wirral 0 | Oldershaw 7 | | | New Brighton 0 | | |
| 0 | | | Wirral 48 | | | | | 0 |
| 0 | | | Marple 0 | Marple 15 | | Marple 0 | | 0 |
| | | Altrincham Kersal 0 | Altrincham Kersal 36 | New Brighton 14 | | Winnington Park 0 | | |
| | | Caldy 0 | Dukinfield 0 | | | | | |
| | 0 | | Caldy Beat | | | | 0 | |
| | 0 | | Winnington Park 0 | | | | 0 | |
| | | Lymm 0 | Lymm 17 | | Wilmslow 0 | TBA 0 | | |
| | | Sandbach 0 | Congleton 0 | | Ellesmere Port 0 | Congleton 0 | | |
| | | | Sandbach 106 | | | | | |



This Week's Photos





Training Attendance

| Key | | | 2008 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2009 | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|----|-------------------|-------------------|-----------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| A | Attended session | | Aug | September | | | | October | | | | November | | | | Dec | | | | January | | | | |
| C | Attended County or other session | | 31 | 3 | 7 | 10 | 14 | 17 | 24 | 1 | 8 | 15 | 22 | 29 | 12 | 19 | 26 | 10 | 17 | 4 | 7 | 14 | 21 | 28 |
| P | Part Attendance or watched | | S | W | S | W | S | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | S | W | W | W | W |
| | Did Not Attend | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Training Attendance Table | | | Sessions Attended | Attendance Record | | Pre-Season Training | Pre-Season Training | Sunday Training | Mid-week Training | Sunday Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training | Sunday Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training | Mid-week Training |
| 1 | Jack Vandersteen | 21 | 100% | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| 2 | Josh Hall | 21 | 100% | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 3 | Matt Beesley | 20 | 95% | A | A | A | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 4 | Sam Jones | 20 | 95% | A | A | A | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 5 | Chris Sheppard | 19 | 90% | A | A | A | A | C | A | A | A | A | A | | A | A | P | | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 6 | Luke Murray | 19 | 90% | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 7 | Luke Targett | 19 | 90% | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 8 | Mike Collier | 19 | 90% | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | | A | | P | P | P | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 9 | Simon Dale | 19 | 90% | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 10 | Baden Powell | 18 | 86% | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | | A | | A | A | A | A | A |
| 11 | Jordan Byrne | 17 | 81% | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 12 | Mike Gough | 17 | 81% | | | | A | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 13 | David Lewis | 16 | 76% | | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A | | A | A | | A | A | | A | A | A | A |
| 14 | Joe Williams | 16 | 76% | | A | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | | A | A | | A | A | A | A |
| 15 | Tom Butler | 16 | 76% | | | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A |
| 16 | Tom Sheridan | 15 | 71% | A | A | | | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 17 | Ryan Kitt | 14 | 67% | A | A | A | A | A | | | | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 18 | Sam Clayton | 13 | 62% | A | A | A | | | A | A | | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A | A |
| 19 | Declan Woodward | 12 | 57% | | | A | A | | A | | A | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | | | | | |
| 20 | Tom Foulkes | 12 | 57% | A | | | P | | P | P | | P | P | | P | P | | P | A | | | | | |
| 21 | Steven Parry | 11 | 52% | A | A | A | A | A | | A | A | A | A | | A | | | | A | | | | | A |
| 22 | Emilio Hannon | 10 | 48% | | | | A | A | A | A | | A | | | | A | A | | | | | | | |
| 23 | Joe Halsall | 10 | 48% | | | | A | A | A | A | | A | | A | A | A | | A | A | | | | | |
| 24 | Samir Zaman | 10 | 48% | A | | A | A | | A | | A | | | A | A | | | | | | | | | |
| 25 | Alex Dickenson | 7 | 33% | | | | A | A | | A | | A | | A | A | | | | A | | | | | |
| 26 | Jake Bolton | 1 | 5% | | | | | | | | | | | A | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27 | Tom Bebbington | 1 | 5% | | A | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Attendance for each Session | | | 16 | 18 | 17 | 22 | 19 | 21 | 20 | 20 | 18 | 22 | 22 | 14 | 22 | 22 | 17 | 20 | 15 | 15 | 17 | 19 | 17 | |



This Season's Results



Statistics 2008-09 SEASON Northwich Rugby Club - Under 15's



KEY
T represents a Try
PT represents a Penalty Try
C represents a Conversion
P represents a Penalty
DG represents a Drop Goal

| Date | Opponents (Home in BLACK CAPITALS, Away in Red Lower) | Score | | | Players | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------|---|-------|----|---|---------|----------|-----------|--------------|------------|-------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|-----------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|----------|
| | | L | D | A | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 21-Sep | CALDY 'A' | 0 | 22 | | Dale | Gough | Lewis | Collier | Zaman | Halsall | Clayton | Vandersteen | Jones | Sheppard | Bebbington | Murray | Hall | Byrne | Williams |
| | Replacements | | | | | Sheridan | Powell | Dickenson | | Butler | Targett | | | Foulkes | Parry | Hannon | Beesley | Woodward | |
| 28-Sep | Congleton | 26 | 10 | | Dale | Sheridan | Gough | Collier (2T) | Murray (T) | Halsall | Clayton | Vandersteen | Jones | Sheppard (T+3C) | Byrne | Hall | Williams | Beesley | Woodward |
| | Replacements | | | | Powell | | Dickenson | Kitt | Butler | Targett | | | | Foulkes | Parry | | Hannon | | |
| 12-Oct | CALDY 'B' | 20 | 12 | | Dale | Sheridan | Gough | Clayton | Zaman | Halsall | Butler | Vandersteen | Jones (T) | Sheppard (T) | Foulkes | Hall | Parry | Beesley (T) | Woodward |
| | Replacements | | | | Powell | | Lewis (T) | | | Kitt | Collier | | | | | | Targett | Murray | |
| 19-Oct | CREWE and NANTWICH | 22 | 5 | | Dale | Sheridan | Lewis | Dickenson | Zaman | Halsall (T) | Collier | Vandersteen (2T) | Jones | Sheppard (T+C) | Foulkes | Hall | Murray | Beesley | Woodward |
| | Replacements | | | | | | | Butler | Kitt | Clayton | Targett | | | | | | Hannon | Parry | |
| 26-Oct | SANDBACH | 0 | 39 | | Gough | Sheridan | Clayton | Dickenson | Zaman | Halsall | Murray | Vandersteen | Jones | Sheppard | Byrne | Hall | Williams | Beesley | Targett |
| | Replacements | | | | | Powell | | | | | | | | Foulkes | | | | | |
| 2-Nov | Wirral | 0 | 10 | | Dale | Sheridan | Gough | Clayton | Lewis | Halsall | Kitt | Vandersteen | Jones | Sheppard | Byrne | Hall | Murray | Beesley | Targett |
| | Replacements | | | | | | | Dickenson | | | | | | | | | | Hannon | |
| 9-Nov | MACCLESFIELD | 34 | 5 | | Dale | Sheridan | Gough | Zaman | Lewis | Clayton (T) | Kitt | Vandersteen (3T) | Jones (T) | Sheppard (T+2C) | Parry | Hall | Murray | Beesley | Halsall |
| | Replacements | | | | | Powell | | Butler | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16-Nov | ANSELMANS | 0 | 12 | | Dale | Sheridan | Gough | Clayton | Lewis | Halsall | Kitt | Vandersteen | Jones | Sheppard | Byrne | Hall | Williams | Murray | Woodward |
| | Replacements | | | | | | | Dickenson | Zaman | | | | | Foulkes | | | | Parry | |
| 23-Nov | Chester Cheshire Cup 1 st Round | 5 | 36 | | Gough | Sheridan | Lewis | Clayton | Zaman | Targett | Kitt | Vandersteen (T) | Jones | Sheppard | Foulkes | Halsall | Murray | Beesley | Hall |
| | Replacements | | | | | | | | | | | | | Hannon | | | | | |
| 30-Nov | WILMSLOW | 31 | 15 | | Gough | Sheridan | Lewis | Clayton | Butler | Targett | Kitt | Vandersteen | Jones | Halsall | Parry | Collier (T) | Murray (2T) | Beesley (2T+3C) | Hall |
| | Replacements | | | | | Powell | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21-Dec | CONGLETON | 29 | 0 | | Dale | Sheridan | Gough | Clayton | Butler | Targett | Byrne (T) | Vandersteen | Jones | Sheppard (2C) | Foulkes | Halsall | Collier | Beesley (3T) | Hall (T) |
| | Replacements | | | | | | Powell | | | | | | | Parry | Murray | | | | |
| 18-Jan | MACCLESFIELD Cheshire Plate 1 st Round | 43 | 5 | | Dale | Sheridan | Gough | Clayton | Lewis | Targett | Kitt | Vandersteen | Jones | Sheppard (4C) | Murray (T) | Williams | Collier (T) | Beesley (2T) | Hall (T) |
| | Replacements | | | | | | Powell | | | | | | | Foulkes | | Byrne (T) | Parry (T) | | |