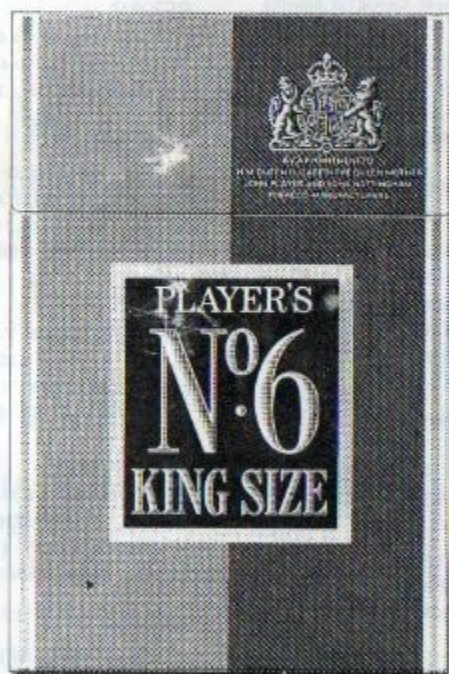


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Oldham, who operate from their Headquarters at The Pavilion, Watersheddings, Oldham, three years ago celebrated the Centenary year of their formation. The present capacity of their ground is 18,500 though their record attendance is 28,000 against Huddersfield in February 1912. How times change!

As a Club they have enjoyed some wonderful records. They have won the R.L. Championship on 4 occasions, the last time in 1956-57; been runner-up on 5 occasions. They won the RL Challenge Cup on three occasions and runners-up four times. The Lancashire County Challenge Cup has been won by them 9 times, 1957-58 and 1959 being their most recent wins but they were runners-up in 1967 and 1969. They won the 2nd Division Championship in 1963-64. These records speak for themselves.

Last season they were immediately below us in the League and only better goal average made that possible. The table showed our relative League positions as:—

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
York	26	16	2	8	447	286	34
Oldham	26	17	0	9	419	325	34

We won at Oldham by 19-5, whilst at home the score of 14-9 was in our favour.

Your Own Rugby Kith

Our referee today is

Mr. A. E. FRYER (Warrington)

He passed his Exam in 1961. He was promoted to Grade 2 in 1972 and to Grade 1 in 1975. He played for Warrington RLFC against the Australian Tourists in 1956. His principal hobbies are Rugby, Tennis, Golf and Gardening. He is a busy man and we trust he has an easy game to handle today.

We welcome our new coach Paul Daley and assistant Brian Gaines. This match is their home debut and, together with Tom Bardy, we are sure we have an excellent coaching staff who have the confidence of directors, players and staff to bring success. What Paul did for New Hunslet he can do for York.

We have heard excellent reports on the performance of Barry Banks on his debut for Gt. Britain Under-24 against France in January. Knowing their source, there can be no doubting their authenticity. Who knows—further honours to come, Barry?

As an acknowledgement of his good display and selection, our Chairman and Board of Directors, with the approval of the R.L. Council, have presented Barry with an inscribed Pint Tankard and his G.B. International Blazer Badge.

The recent spell of dreadful weather has certainly caused havoc in football circles. If there are further spells we can expect a very hectic congestion of fixtures to rearrange.

We have ordered a number of good class York R.L. Club Ties and these will be on sale in the Club Shop under the main stand, as soon as received.

Nex week-end we make the long trip to Barrow to meet them in the 1st Round of the R.L. Challenge Cup. We shall have a tremendous task ahead of us but we are confident that our side will give of its best.

Last season they finished as runners-up to Leigh in the Second Division Championship. They won 21 of their 26 games and lost 5. They scored 521 pts and surrendered 234.

At York we beat them by 6 pts to 5, Barry Banks kicking our three goals. At Barrow we lost 13-3. The previous season Barrow beat us at York by 15-9 in the 1st Round of the Challenge Cup.

In the 1971-72 season we lost to Barrow away by 18-12 but gained ample revenge here at York later in the season with our biggest win ever 60-0; in this game Danny Sheehan scored 5 tries and John Maloney kicked 9 goals. In the same year we drew Barrow away in the second round of the Challenge Cup. We drew 9-9 before a crowd of 9,000. Geoff Wrigglesworth scored our try and Maloney kicked 3 goals. We won the replay at York 15-3; tries from Rippon, Dixon and Young, Maloney kicked 3 goals. The attendance was 7,130. St. Helens beat us 32-5 in the Quarter Final at York. 10,000 attended that match.

We have chartered a train to Barrow — tickets £5 on sale today. We rely on you to make it a sell-out!

Our League scorers to date are:—

TRIES—Gary Smith 8; Terry Morgan 8; Barry Banks 6.

GOALS—Barry Banks 36; Terry Morgan 21.

League positions read:—

DIVISION 1								DIVISION 2							
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts		P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Hull KR	13	12	0	1	298	133	24	Hull	14	14	0	0	377	118	28
Widnes	17	11	2	4	251	151	24	N. Hunslet	13	9	1	3	213	127	19
Warrington	14	12	0	2	257	158	24	York	14	8	1	5	239	222	17
Leeds	19	10	1	8	340	246	21	Dewsbury	13	8	0	5	176	128	16
Wigan	15	10	1	4	281	202	21	Halifax	13	7	1	5	154	98	15
St. Helens	14	9	1	4	276	182	19	Blackpool	12	7	1	4	167	145	15
Bradford N.	14	9	0	5	253	177	18	Oldham	14	7	1	6	158	226	15
Castleford	15	9	0	6	247	233	18	Bramley	14	7	0	7	194	167	14
Workington T.	14	6	2	6	180	126	14	Keighley	12	6	1	5	173	113	13
Wakefield T.	13	6	1	6	173	178	13	Whitehaven	12	5	1	6	149	164	11
Salford	15	5	2	8	218	232	12	Swinton	12	3	1	8	191	191	7
Rochdale H.	14	5	0	9	167	234	10	Doncaster	13	3	0	10	138	297	6
Leigh	17	3	1	13	178	363	7	Huyton	13	0	3	10	122	248	3
Huddersfield	16	3	1	12	188	377	7	Batley	13	1	1	11	76	283	3
Feaststone R.	15	2	1	12	229	351	5								
Barrow	15	1	1	13	134	327	3								

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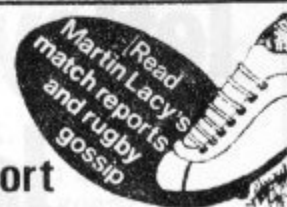
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AUGUST 1978

20 Sun NEW HUNSLET (3.00) H 25-19
(Esso Yorks. Cup 1st)
27 Sun KEIGHLEY (3.00)H 13-6
(Esso Yorks. Cup 2nd)

SEPTEMBER

3 Sun NEW HUNSLET (3.00) H 15-12
10 Sun Swinton (3.00)A 20-11
17 Sun WHITEHAVEN (3.00)...H 32-18
19 Tue HalifaxA 2-4
(Semi-Final Yorks Cup)
24 Sun Keighley (3.15)A 20-4
(John Player Comp 1st Round)

OCTOBER

1 Sun Dewsbury (3.30)A 6-12
8 Sun KEIGHLEY (3.00)H 23-22
15 Sun Whitehaven (3.00)A 9-9
22 Sun DONCASTER (3.00) ...H 32-14
28 Sat Bradford N. (Headingley) 18-8
(Esso Y.C. Final)
31 Tue Bramley (3.30)A 13-2

NOVEMBER

12 Sun Oldham (3.00)A 13-3
14 Tue AUSTRALIA (7.30) ...H 2-29
19 Sun HALIFAX (2.30)H 8-7
26 Sun Batley (2.30)A 5-33

DECEMBER

3 Sun (John Player Comp. 2nd)
10 Sun HUYTON (2.30)H 29-13
17 Sun Blackpool B. (2.30) ...A 31-12
26 Tue Hull (3.00)A 39-18

JANUARY 1979

7 Sun BATLEY (2.30)H P'poned
14 Sun BLACKPOOL B. (2.30) H P'poned
21 Sun Keighley (3.15)A P'poned

FEBRUARY

4 Sun OLDHAM (3.00)H
11 Sun Challenge Cup 1st Round
18 Sun BRAMLEY (3.00)H
25 Sun Challenge Cup 2nd Round

MARCH

4 Sun Doncaster (3.00)A
11 Sun Huyton (2.30)A
18 Sun DEWSBURY (3.00) ...H
25 Sun New Hunslet (3.30) ...A

APRIL

8 Sun SWINTON (3.00)H
16 Mon HULL (3.00)H
22 Sun Halifax (3.30)A

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AUGUST 1978

19 Sat HULL (3.00)L 4-22
26 Sat Hull KR (2.30)A 47-9

SEPTEMBER

2 Sat New Hunslet (3.00) ...A 10-11
9 Sat FEATHERSTONE (3.00) A 31-23
16 Sat HULL KR (3.00)H 17-25
(YSC Cup 1st)
23 Sat Hull (2.30)A 52-10
30 Sat DEWSBURY (3.00)H 15-20

OCTOBER

7 Sat Keighley (3.00)A Postponed
14 Sat YSC Cup 2nd Round
21 Sat Doncaster (3.00)A 17-22

NOVEMBER

4 Sat WAKEFIELD T. (2.30) H 15-42
10 Fri FEATHERSTONE (7.30) H 15-7
18 Sat Halifax (2.30)A P'poned
25 Sat BATLEY (2.30)H P'poned

DECEMBER

9 Sat Wakefield T. (3.00) ...A 18-14
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YORK v OLDHAM

Sun 20th May, 1979 (postponed from 4th Feb.) k.o. 3.00 p.m.

ADDITIONS & AMENIMENTS TO THE PROGRAMME

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PAGE 5 Our leading scorers to date are :-
TRIES T. Day 12; G. Smith 10; B. Banks 9; T. Morgan 8
GOALS B. Banks 55; T. Morgan 38.

YORK'S MAN OF THE MATCH AWARDS:-

B. Banks $4\frac{1}{2}$; G. Smith 3; R. Wileman 2; W. Harris $1\frac{1}{2}$; T. Morgan, S. Cooper & K. Harkin 1;
A. Wardell $\frac{1}{2}$; D. Dunkerley $\frac{1}{2}$.

DIV. II Positions at the end of these notes.

P. 6 Our latest LOTTERY WINNERS are shown in our FREE WEEKLY BULLETIN.

P. 8 & 9 TEAMS are at the end of these notes.

P. 12 OVAL BALL

Saturday 26th May - REFLECTIONS
Saturday 2nd June - DOBBS FERRY
Saturday 9th June - WINNING TEAM

P. 14 SPONSORSHIP as stated.

TODAY'S COLLECTION IS IN AID OF THE YORK SEA CADETS BAND WHO WILL BE PLAYING DURING THE AFTERNOON.

Last Sunday's collection for the JOHN BURKE APPEAL FUND raised the magnificent sum of £120.38.

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We are all delighted that we are now booked for the FIRST DIVISION 1979-80 and offer our congratulations to the players and coaches for making sure of this before today's match. Those of us who saw Tuesday's cliff-hanger against Dewsbury went home relieved of all our recent tensions.

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We pay tribute to HULL K.R., WIDNES & HULL Clubs for their out standing performances. They will be splendid visitors next season.

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We wish to thank all those who have contributed to the welfare of the club this season - full - and part-time staff, voluntary workers and fund-raisers, sponsors and advertisers, but particularly YOU our supporters.

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Finally, let us not forget that in addition to gaining promotion we also reached the final of the Esso Yorkshire Cup Competition and were not disgraced in that match.

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- (Under 11) Huntington v Dringhouses K.O. 6.35p.m.
- (Under 16) Beckfield v Ashfield K.O. 7.30p.m.
- (Under 14) Ashfield v Derwent or
Burnholme v Knavesmire K.O. 6.20p.m.
- (Under 15) Lowfield v Burnholme K.O. 7.30p.m.

Dates to be announced

INTERWORKS Quarter, Semi and Final.

Division Two Table as at 17.5.79

	p.	w.	d.	l.	for	agst	pts.
HULL	25	25	0	0	696	174	50
N. Hunslet	24	20	1	3	427	200	41
YORK	25	16	1	8	408	340	33
Halifax	26	15	2	9	312	198	32
Blackpool B.	25	14	3	8	299	263	31

Finally the spotlight moves onto who is fourth promoted. If Blackpool beat Whitehaven today, they are promoted with 33 points. Should they lose, then Halifax would be promoted with 32 points.

TEAMS FOR TODAY

<u>Y O R K</u>	<u>O L D H A M</u>
1. Gary Smith	1. Martin Murphy
2. Terry Morgan	2. Terry Newell
3. Derek Foster	3. Phil Larder
4. Barry Barber	4. Geoff Munro
5. Martyn Lindley./ Ray Wilson	5. Dave Fricker
6. Geoff Morris./ Terry Day	6. Jimmy Arnold
7. Kevin Harkin./ Brian Hughes	7. Ian Radcliffe
8. Dave Dunkerley	8. Jim Fiddler
9. Ronnie Wileman	9. Roger O'Mahoney
10. Billy Harris	10. Fred Hall
11. Barry Hollis./ Alan Rhodes	11. Colin Hawkyard
12. Martin Horner	12. Gary Walzak
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