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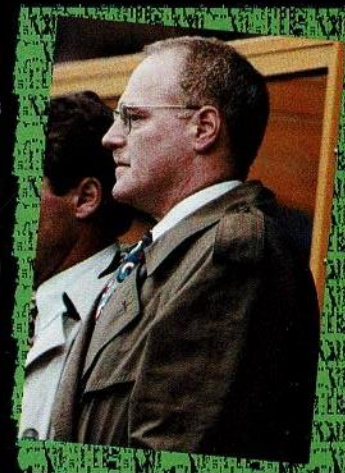


# Welcome to ODSAL

Chris Caisley, Chairman

Welcome to everybody attending Odsal today for the Bulls' penultimate fixture in the 1996 Super League. The last three weeks have been quite amazing, two fabulous home wins against St. Helens and Wigan, followed by a tough and extremely satisfying victory away at Warrington. In terms of our attendance, we were obviously pleased that in excess of 17,000 people turned up for the Wigan match and I can already foresee the day when 15,000 plus attendances for our home matches will be the norm rather than the exception. As the season moves towards a conclusion, the "Bulls' phenomenon" is gathering even greater momentum. I am now receiving correspondence from Bulls' supporters living far away and, for example, people are travelling from as far afield as London, South Wales and Newcastle to watch our home games. Other clubs are also benefiting from our away support as Warrington will surely testify. There must have been between 3,000 and 4,000 of our supporters at Wilderspool last weekend, and I know that this away support is greatly appreciated by our players. I would urge one word of caution to all our supporters, and it concerns the issue of behaviour in front of our ever increasing army of young supporters. I sincerely hope that this is another area where the Bulls can lead the way and show a good example to all of the other teams in Super League by the wholesale condemnation of foul and abusive language. Today's match against Oldham promises to be an entertaining affair, and our visitors have shown on occasions this season that they are quite capable of upsetting the best of opposition. Whilst St. Helens eventually ran away with the game against Oldham last week, there were only a couple of points in it at half time and I am sure that the Bears will be doing all in their power to get back on track today. I have to say how disappointed I was to read the comments made by the Warrington coach after last week's game. Those comments not only contained an attack on the referee but also two of our players involved in a tackle which resulted in a Warrington player being propelled into a TV camera. To my mind there was clearly no deliberate attempt by either of the Bulls' players to do anything other than keep the Warrington player from getting back into the field of play. I would also make the point that the camera should not have been positioned so close to the pitch and Warrington ought to have provided a safe camera position further away. As to Mr Dorahy's comments, all I would say is that in the

past there have been players and club officials who have been found guilty of bringing the game into disrepute for launching less vitriolic attacks against referees. The decision to fast track South Wales (Cardiff) into the Super League was a good one, provided that the club can put forward a sound business plan and get the right calibre of players to compete at the highest level. It is understood that a well known public company is providing some of the necessary funding, but it has yet to be determined how the RFL's portion of funding will be provided, and it promises to be an interesting debate! It is on occasions such as this where club's self interest comes to the fore, but there is a considerable lack of logic behind a proposal whereby the club finishing second in Division One receives only £50,000.00 less than the club finishing third from the bottom of the Super League. Indeed, given the enormous expenditure which Super League clubs have had to bear to make themselves competitive in all areas of their business, there is also a certain lack of logic concerning any proposal which says that they should lose any more of their money. You may recall that the News Corporation funding for Super League clubs started out at £1.1 million, was then reduced to £900,000 and has since been lowered even further. Problems such as this do, however, emphasise the need for the Super League to have its own management structure and control of its own income generating opportunities. As they say "watch this space." In the meantime, Run with the Bulls, we're alright!







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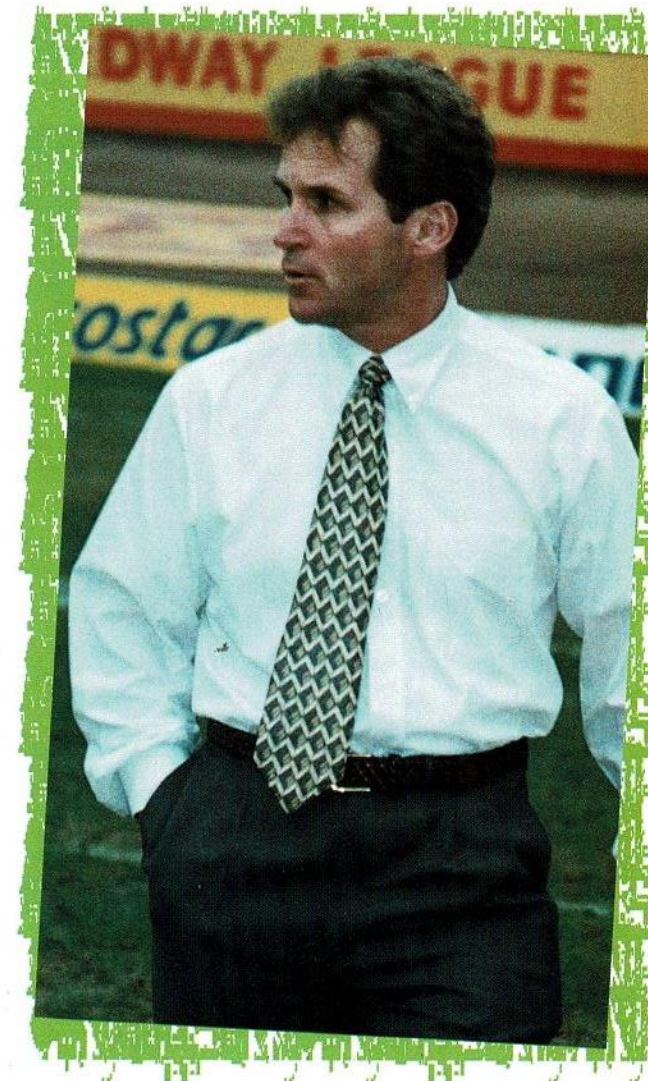
Today we welcome the Oldham Bears to Odsal Stadium knowing that we must rise to yet another challenge to maintain pressure on the two dreams remaining above us in the League ladder. After five matches this season we were 2 and 3, lost at Wembley and have lost one fixture since (Castleford).

Unfortunately that run has not been enough to push us any higher than third due to the results of Saints and Wigan. So despite the glory of the past 4 matches this team of Bulls must do more to prove championship material.

The standard of Rugby League witnessed this first Super Summer League has been tremendous. Even as an impartial observer at last weeks Oldham v St Helens the atmosphere at Boundary Park was great and the Bears really took it to the Saints for much of the game. The fans around me were certainly enjoying themselves and that is what we all want.

With our A-Team continuing their winning ways at the top of the Alliance and our Academy developing into a competitive unit the push for places in the 1st team continues. Don't be surprised with a few more first-team changes in coming weeks. The benefits of a long period of hard work are just about to pay off for some youngsters.

**Enjoy the day.**



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# Oldham Bears Rugby League Football Club

## Visiting the Odsal Stadium

The Bears have suffered heavy defeats against each of the top three clubs in the Super League. Oldham went down heavily to both St. Helens and Wigan in games played on the town's soccer pitch at Boundary Park. The Bulls registered a 30-10 success at the traditional Watersheddings venue whilst the Bears conceding over forty points on their visit to Wigan and over sixty points at St. Helens.

Despite these setbacks Yorkshire born coach Andy Goodway will be satisfied with the overall performance from his outfit who have won four of their eight home games in addition to their away victories at Castleford, Halifax and Leeds, the Bears also recorded a 24-24 draw in Paris.

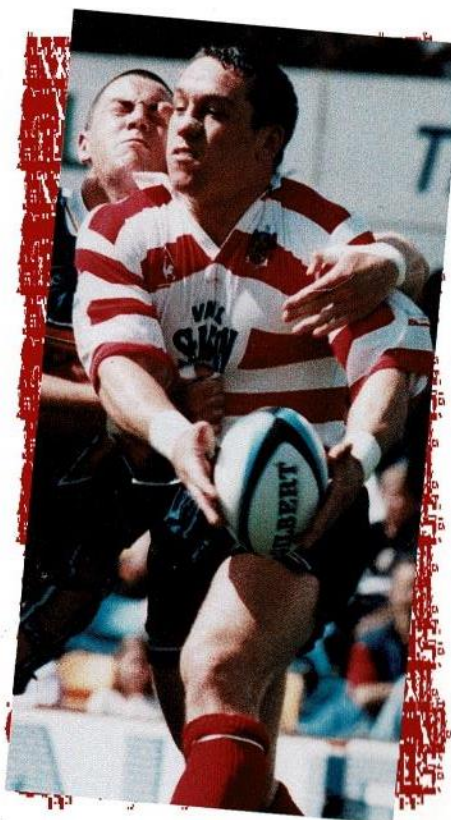
### The Backs...

One of the players to re-gain his form in the Super League has been the former Widnes and Wigan full back **Paul Atcheson**. He joined the Bears in 1995 after making two full appearances for Wales in the 1995 European Championship, in the subsequent World Cup competition he was limited to just one substitute outing against Western Samoa. Atcheson is the leading try scorer for the Bears in the Super League with eight touchdowns.

Right winger **Scott Ranson** was one of the two Oldham players to receive bans after the heated exchange with Castleford in April. A try scorer in the 20-30 defeat to the Tigers a fortnight ago Ranson is a former Swinton player who scored four tries during the Centenary season.

Tongan **Afi Leuila** has missed recent games through injury, he is still expected to be sidelined today with a broken leg. **Rob Myler** is the former Warrington flyer, he played in the eight consecutive games before missing out in the game against Castleford. The Bears have in their ranks one of the most under-rated centres in the Super League. His name is **Darren Abram** after starting his career with Warrington he later played for Chorley, Trafford and Rochdale Hornets before joining Oldham for the best period of his career. Another player who has been on the Lancashire League scene for a while is the goal kicking centre **Paul Topping**. He has returned to the centre position after spending part of

the early Super League season on the substitutes bench. Australian centre **Andrew Patmore**, a former 1995 South Sydney player scored a try on his full debut, helping the Bears to a draw in Paris. He has



### THE BEARS DAVID BRADBURY ▲

# OLDHAM



now returned to Sydney due to a serious groin injury. Last of the regular three quarters is **Adrian Belle**. An October 1993 signing from Rochdale Hornets, despite a strong running style he has still to hit the try scoring charts in any force.

### The Play Makers...

Stand off **Francis Maloney** joined the Bears from Warrington at the start of the Centenary season. A reliable goalkicker who is probably playing the best football of a career which included a spell as a youngster with the Leeds club. Many reckoned he had an outstanding game in the 28-26 Headingley victory - scoring two tries and two games against his old side. Newly sprung in June could be the motto for Irish half back **Martin Crompton**. He scored in four consecutive games for the Bears. A member of Ireland's Emerging Nations World Cup team, he had originally been named in the original 40 man strong, England squad. Formerly with Warrington, a member of their losing 1990 Challenge Cup final team, he later moved to Wigan.

Crompton may well join forces with the Bulls Bernard Dwyer as the Irish take on Scotland in a full international in August which is scheduled to be played in

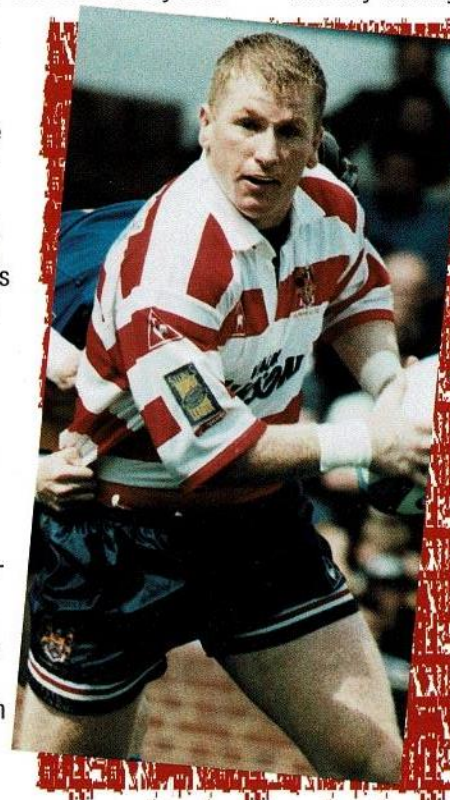
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Former Dewsbury player **Paul Cook** made three consecutive appearances during the absence of Francis Maloney recently. A product of the Academy system with the Crown Flatt club he is the son of Terry Crook the former Wakefield, Bramley and Batley three quarter who is now a commentator for Radio Leeds. Crook was a former team mate of Bulls stars Nathan Graham and Davide Longo.

### The Forwards...

Former Wakefield Trinity and Wigan back row forward **Ian Gildart** has now progressed to the front row of the pack. The six times capped Great Britain Under 21 forward made just eight full appearances for the Bears in the Centenary season. Big **Ian Sherratt** has had two spells with the Oldham club, he re-joined his home town club in November 1991 after a spell at nearby Salford. His career started with Bradford where, in the days of Colts rather than Academy rugby, he had the distinction of being selected for both Lancashire and Yorkshire, he opted for Lancashire. Sherratt

has not played since the defeat against Wigan in June. Another former Bradford front rower is **Craig Richards**. He is the younger brother of Huddersfield's



### THE BEARS MARTIN CROMPTON ▲





## THE BEARS FRANCIS MALONEY ▲

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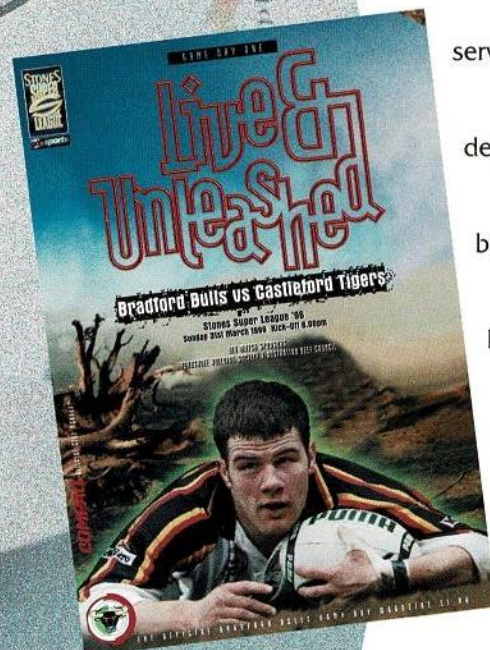
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## A DIFFERENT VIEW OF HISTORY

by Martin Bass

For the last one hundred and one years the meeting at the George Hotel, Huddersfield in August 1895 is generally depicted as the birth of our great game. The reasons behind the split with the Rugby Union as supposed to be "broken-time" payments to players "To allow working men to compete on even terms with the gentlemen amateurs" - from this very basic belief generations of "Rugby" people of both codes have interpreted the divisions between League and Union as a battlefield for the age old British class war or, just as simplistic, the difference between both games has by many been seen as just another example of the great North/South divide.

Protagonists of the League v Union argument have revelled in these naive categorisation for the last seventy-five years at least. Yet the truth is that the snobbery of Rugby Union which is based on the fact that all the prestigious public schools play Union only dates back to the end of the first world war. Prior to the outbreak of the Great War many public schools played, amongst other things, soccer. It was the decision of both the Football Association and the Rugby League (then Northern Union) not to suspend playing at the start of hostilities compared to the RFU who immediately stopped playing as Britain went to war. Within weeks of the armistice the RFU were calling for the influential education establishments to play the "patriotic" game, which they still do. It would be very 'nice' to accept the romantic notion that League was created on egalitarian lines. Sadly the evidence suggests to the contrary. To understand the reasons behind the "split" which led to the ultimate formation of Rugby League we have to look at the state of the game in both Lancashire and Yorkshire at that time. In both counties well organised League structures were in place. In Lancashire clubs competed in a club championship first, second and third class. In the White Rose county clubs were organised into the Yorkshire senior, second, intermediate and third competition. At both sides of the Pennines the senior clubs were more interested in dictating how the county

championship should be contested and, which clubs played in which division. The concept of promotion and relegation being only decided by results would not be tolerated by the "big" clubs who enjoyed their lucrative money spinning fixtures against each other. A report by "Pensee" in the Lancashire Guardian in August 1895 prior to the split makes interesting reading when referring to the "senior" clubs who had by:- "not getting their own way with broken-time payments endeavoured to boss the championship competition in each county in accordance with their own sweet ideas, in a manner which would have made promotion and relegation by merit a mispower and practically rendered it impossible for any of the junior clubs to reach the first division. Being checkmated in this manoeuvre they severed themselves from the competition". My interpretation of the above is that the leading clubs had effectively split before the now famous meeting at the George. Another factor that led to the split was the RFU's attempts to control the game in the North, which in itself would of been treated as an affront by the Yorkshire and Lancashire middle classes who run the game in the North. Only two years earlier in London the RFU had defeated a proposal by Yorkshire club representatives for broken-time payments as well as altering the rules of the RFU so that all further meetings

would be held in the capital, 200 miles away from the nations strongest clubs. The actual meeting at the George was an attempt to organise fixtures amongst the "elite" clubs to secure their own financial interests without the risks of relegation and subsequent decline in attendances and revenue. The traditional assumption that "broken-time" was the sole issue behind the split is unfounded. Three principal reasons can be identified from the evidence for the split. 1. Power; the leading clubs sought to control "their" own destiny and not be subservient to a committee of ex-Oxbridge students in London. The more powerful a club the more prestige for the local businessmen who run it. 2. Financial interest were paramount to a clubs esteem and influence, so profitable fixtures were a necessity. 3. Broken-time payments were only a passing argument in the struggle for control of the game. Both the latter two reasons could be identified as extensions to the first, **POWER**. My argument is backed-up by the fact it took the Northern Union a further ten years before letting the junior clubs have any say in the decision making process of the sport. Whatever reasons behind the split just over a century later we have undoubtedly the greatest game of all, which I must confess is becoming very addictive.

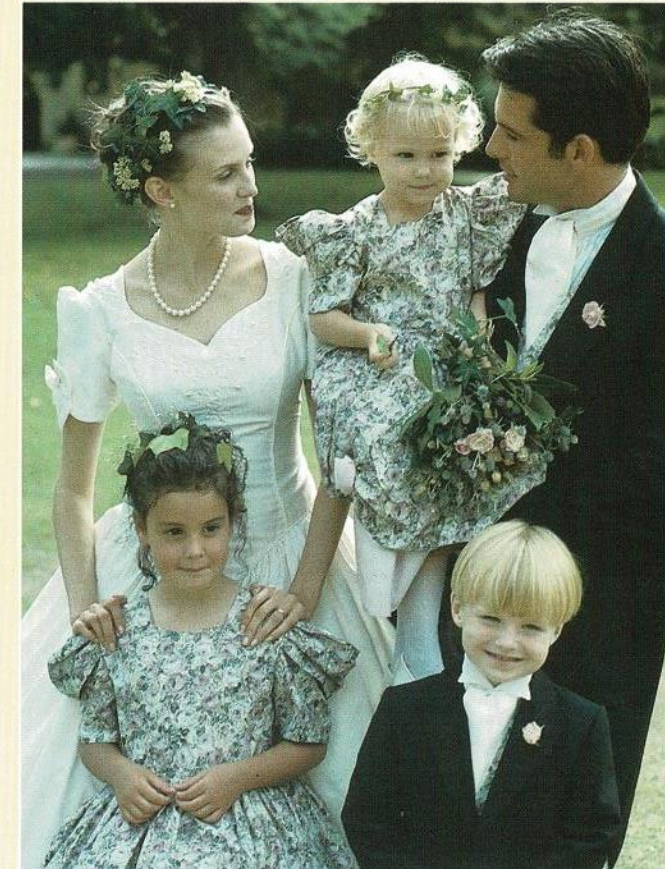


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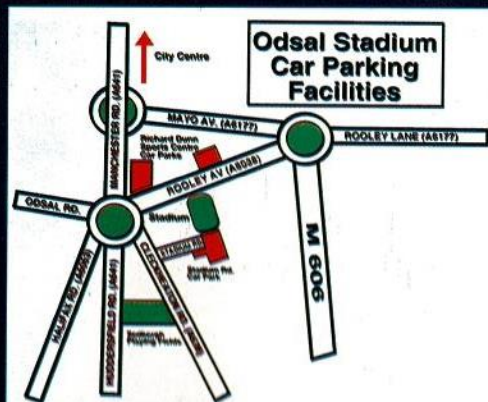
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# T&A TALK



by Nigel Askham

It's a measure of the Bulls' success this season that the player of the season award is likely to be the most fiercely contested for years. There have been so many outstanding contributions it's difficult to know where to start. But here goes!

Skipper Robbie Paul's development into one of the genuine stars of Super League would probably make him favourite. Who will ever forget his three-try effort at Wembley.

But Robbie would be the first to admit it really has been a team effort with several colleagues playing very significant roles. Another big vote catcher should be Graeme "Penguin" Bradley. His influence on and off the field has been immense and he has turned so many games, just as at Wilderspool last week with a touch of class.

Up front too there have been some phenomenal performers. Bernard Dwyer's commitment to the cause never ceases to amaze while James Lowes' appetite for work and skill around the play-the-ball area has been another major factor.

Steve McNamara and Stuart Spruce have helped give the Bulls' a new dimension, while for honest graft week after week there haven't been many better than Brian McDermott.

The coming of age of Matt Calland and Jon Scales has been another cause for satisfaction and so it goes on.

If you think I'm sitting on the fence a little here's my top three:-

1. Robbie Paul
2. Graeme Bradley
3. Bernard Dwyer.

But I wouldn't be that surprised to have the order and even some of the names wrong, it really is that hard to call.

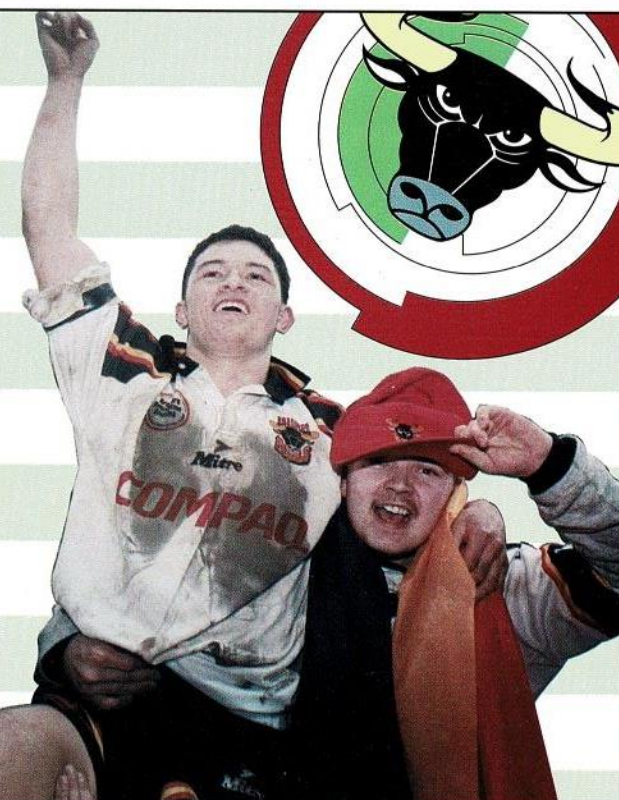
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The Fitzroy people of Melbourne are a down to earth mob. As footy fans they go watch the Lions with coffee in the thermos and cake in the plastic container. Grass roots supporters of an old grass roots football club. A club that has simply failed to keep up with the corporate mentality

of modern sport.

Fitzroy Football Club died last week. True, they continue to the end of the season when Brisbane takes them over. Few even bother to call it a merger. The Lions' identity will fade gradually, but the spirit is already dead. In the battle between global and tribal footy, the casualties have begun. Fitzroy is the next suburb to where I'm living - hell, it's just over the road. My neighbour, Nick, follows the Lions. Goes every week. Last week I went with him to the game with Geelong. It was billed as the last game for the Lions and it was like being amongst a family as they gathered at the bedside of a failing relative.

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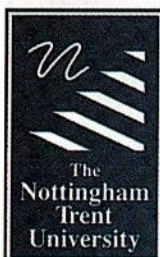
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By Bruce Brunswick

We stood at the Mount Mistake end of the Whitten Oval and the 'Roys were caned when they scored one of their two second-half points, a voice behind me sighed "Closing the gap, 'Roys." You need a sense of humour to follow Fitzroy.

Nick grew up in the old Fitzroy. Not the trendy one it is today - the tough one. His Dad played a bit for the Lions before taking up wrestling seriously. Nick spoke of a season back in the '60's when Fitzroy didn't win a game. Lost five matches by less than a goal - and one of them to Carlton. Like me with Northern and now the Bulls, Nick carries his footy memories with him like a stack of old black and white photos. I guess it's one reason I like him. The blokes we stood with were members of the Giromberti family. Their grandfather arrived in Australia in 1920 and was taken to the footy by the Jewish tailor who lived next door and thus began a long tradition. The old fella would have been proud as hell that his granddaughter and great grandson had flown in from Alice Springs just to be at this game.

Jack Stott was there too. Jack lives in Fitzroy, or has done since he was born four months ago. His Dad felt this was a fitting match for young Jack to cut his footy teeth. Maybe in 80 years time, Jack will be pointed out in Brunswick Street as the old bloke who saw the Lions last match some time last century. But I doubt it. We seem to be losing the significance of memory for such events. It was a day to be there for Fitzroy and they came with their cameras. Husbands and Wives, parents and children,

grandparents and grandchildren. Although outnumbered by the Geelong "Cat" army, they raised a huge heartfelt cheer as the Lions came out. One bloke tossed his Akubra hat into the air. It was an old fashioned gesture to greet an old fashioned club whose 113 years history is about to be consigned to the archives.

At the final siren a couple of old ladies ran on the field and threw their arms around the nearest Fitzroy players. It sparked a wave of emotion amongst Lion fans, sharing the last moments of their club as they knew it. Tears were shed. Friends, relatives and folk who just happened to be standing next to each other hugged and comforted one another. A group of lads began singing the Fitzroy club song, which follows the tune of the French National Anthem. "We are the boys from old Fitzroy..." It was taken up by the 500 or so gathered by the dressing sheds. And so the faithful remained. Tear-stained and torn between leaving and staying, not knowing if they would see their team again.

That night Nick and I shared a few beers and passed around our footy memories. About midnight Nick cried. The Lions were a bunch of losers. Always had been. But he loved them anyway. Couldn't help it. Sport is the one area of public life where the little people still have enough information to form an idea of what is going on. But that's all changing. Is there no room for loyalty in this sanitised, corporate sporting world? Geez, what would I do if it ever happened to the Bulls? Cry too, I guess. But as I've already said, I just don't know anymore.....

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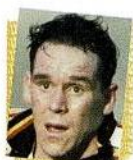
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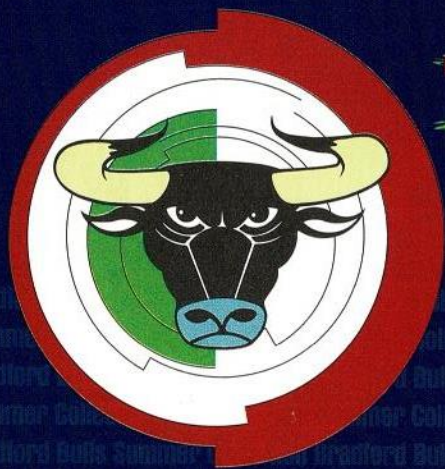
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# SUPPORT



## Welcome

Welcome to Odsal for our return fixture against the Oldham Bears who I am sure will be looking for revenge after our win at Watersheddings earlier this season. What a tremendous show of support at the Wilderspool Dust Bowl last Saturday. Any neutral entering the ground would of thought we were the home side. A special mention to the young lads who produced the banner which simply said: Smith - Genuine - Murphy - Dinosaur. A succinct message that everybody understood.

It was interesting to read in Super League Weekend the other week, regarding summer attendances. Generally attendances are up which should be treated as conclusive, prove that the switch to summer is working. If as a sport we can attract more people through the turnstiles than we did in the winter, even allowing for the counter attractions like the European football championship and the Olympics both of which receive massive media coverage, we should be congratulating the game's leaders for having the courage to switch the season. Admittedly some club attendances are down, but that's due to lack of success of the team and generally poor marketing in most cases.

## On the Road

**WITH THE BULLS TO HEADINGLEY, LEEDS**

Sunday 4th August, 1996

Kick Off 3.00pm

**BY COACH**

Will depart the Interchange

1.45pm

And Odsal

2.00pm

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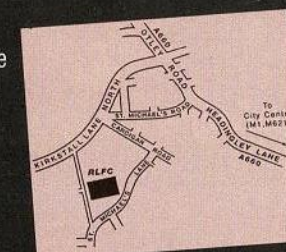
Regret no concessions

**BY ROAD**

From south, east: M1

junction 47, then M621

junction 2 A643 towards city centre. Join A58 (M) and follow signs for A660 (Otley, Skipton). Join A660, which becomes Headingley Lane. Turn left into Kirkstall Lane North, and ground is on left.



From west: M62 junction 27 take M621 to junction 2, then as above.

**TO DERWENT PARK, WORKINGTON**

Sunday 11th August, 1996

Kick Off 3.00pm

**BY ROAD**

From M6 depart junction 40. A66 signposted Keswick, after passing Keswick and Cockermouth, enter Workington. Turn right onto A596 (Bridge Street) and then right onto A597 New Bridge Road (signposted Town Centre) pass Workington Football Club on left, go straight over roundabout and ground is on right. Follow one way system pass Railway Station and entrance is on left.

**NB:** The A66 may be very busy.

**BY COACH**

Will depart the

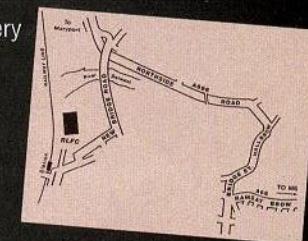
Interchange

at 9.45am

and Odsal at 10.00am

Fares: Adults £10.00

Juniors and OAP's £8.



## Message...

**FOR ANDY PARKIN**

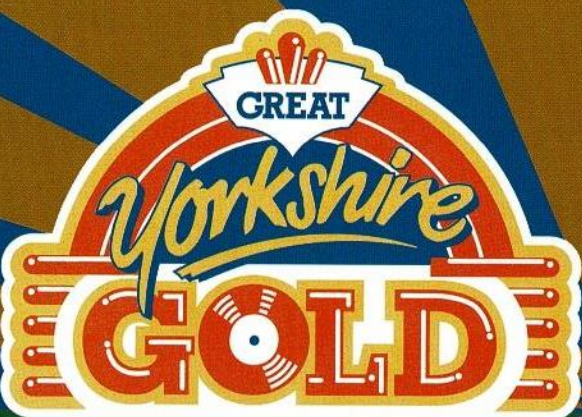
Andy Hughes will meet you outside the Leisurewear Shop immediately after the Halifax match (Sunday 18th August). He will be visiting Bradford that weekend and can be contacted on 631163.

## Wheelchair Appeal

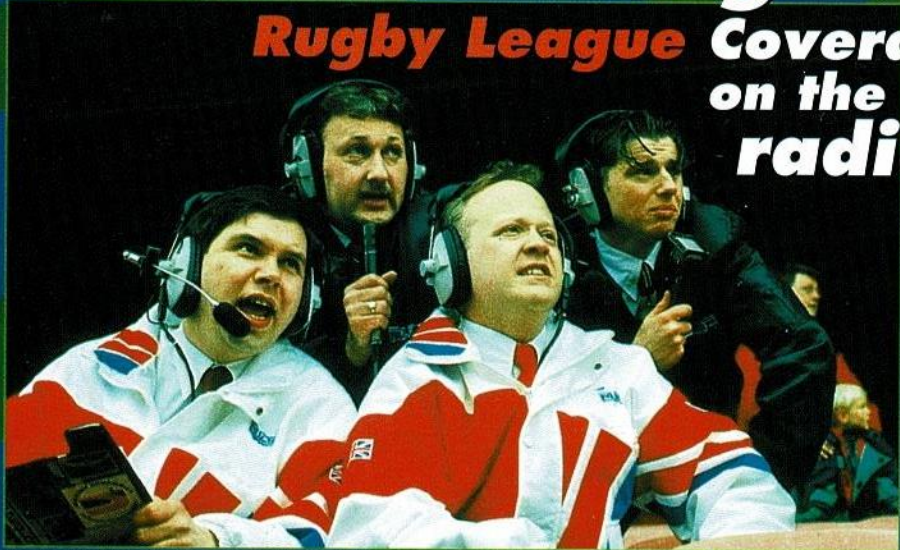
Thankyou very much for allowing us to collect at the recent games against Sheffield Eagles and St.Helens. As well as enjoying the marvellous family atmosphere, we had an excellent response to our appeal and raised the magnificent total of £678, we have now raised £1300 of our original target of £1500, and would once again like to thank all at the Bradford Bulls, and wish them all the success in the future.

**Letter from Paul McCusker, Motorised Wheelchair Appeal, Appeal Organiser & Treasurer.**





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As We

## An alternative game day profile - presenter Steve Long

No wonder Steve is No. 1 in Super League he was voted Britain's No. 1 DJ in 1990. Widnes lad and son of a former Widnes RL player, Steve moved to Bradford in 1985 after 9 years in the Green Berets where he saw service in Northern Ireland.

It was a Belfast landmine and 12 months in hospital that gave Steve his first exposure to children and disabilities and indeed this has been his motivation to become so actively involved in children fund raising charities. All this, and Steve still fits his full time DJ'ing in at Maestros Nite Spot and his daily slot on Bradford Community Radio (FM 106.6).

When Steve was first approached to become game day presenter with the brief to create an atmosphere at Odsal he sought advice from several of his DJ mates - they said it can't be done. Steve is proof of what can be achieved.

Well done mate.

On Bulling Steve up - he's the first to admit it's a team effort between Dave King, the Bullettes, Bullman and Jonnie "Go for it".

Bullman's identity will remain anonymous, except to say he's a big-in as befits a Rugby Union forward who has played for England Under 21's.

Jonnie "go for it" is a play on words on his real name, Jonathan Goeforit.

Some would say it's an unlikely combination... but geez it works. Steve has made it work but I suppose in many ways it appeals to the actor in him.

### WHAT THE LEAGUE EXPRESS SAID ABOUT US BULLS SET A FINE EXAMPLE

**'We don't want gimmicks at Odsal!' That's what a Bradford Northern supporter said about a year ago, before the Brian Smith era got underway.**

Whether the bloke who said that is still a supporter, by now of the Bradford Bulls, is debatable.

But it raises an interesting point.

Are the Bulls riding on the crest of a wave simply on the back of gimmicks?

Or is there something more substantial to their success?

The Wigan fans who made the journey to Odsal on Friday night might like to know that the pre-match entertainment at Odsal isn't the best in Super League simply by chance.

The Bulls have planned every last detail. And they haven't skimped.

Unlike other clubs, who think that entertainment is a few loud rock records and some badly choreographed dancing girls plucked from a local youth club, the Bulls allocated £80,000 for their pre-match entertainment budget for the season.

And they went out to get the right people to put on the show.

Most League fans have a hearty disrespect for the goons who act as pre-match presenters, for example.

But the young bloke at Odsal actually manages to talk to the crowd without being over-bearing or insulting their intelligence.

It just shows what can be done.

And it's even easier when you have a winning team with inspirational players like Robbie Paul and the gang.

It also helps when you remember that Wigan's pack seems to have disintegrated over the last few years. When Terry O'Connor was injured on Friday the game was up for Wigan.

There's yet another nice touch from the Bulls, however

they know how to thank the fans. Just turn over the page to find out.

It must have been a shock for the Wigan fans at Odsal to discover the best team in the Super League - either on or off the pitch!

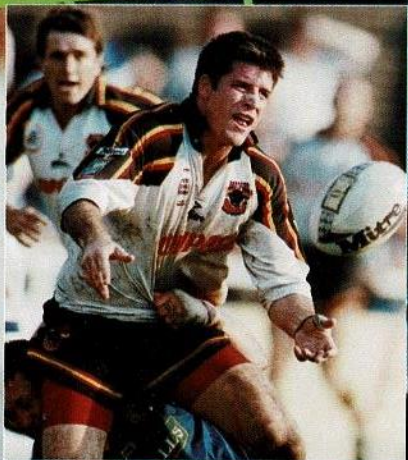


Steve and the gang leading the way in pre-match entertainment

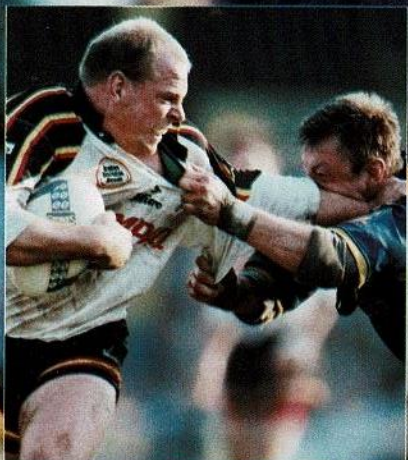
## GAME DAY PROFILE - STEVE LONG



Catch me if you can!



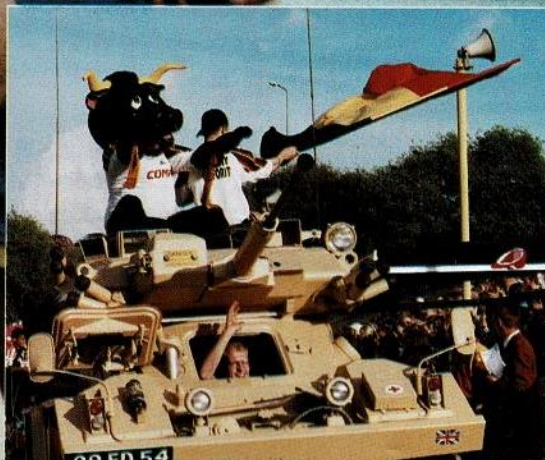
Offloading in the tackle.



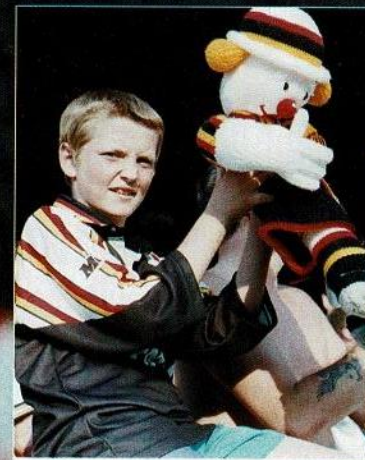
Paul Medley in determined mood.



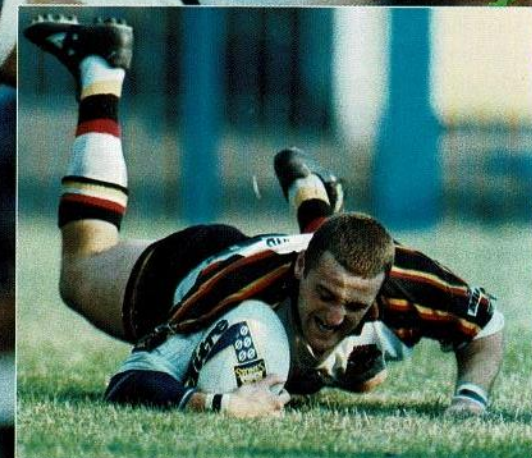
Robbie is held just short.



Bring in the Troops!



"Come on you Bulls"



Over we go!



Sonny Nickle is stopped in his tracks.

# Super League ACTION



# In RESERVE



## Wigan 16 Bulls 34 Thursday 11th July

The Bulls side re-addressed the things they do well, and produced a stunning performance as Wigan had no answers to the problems posed. Superb sliding defence and some solid hits, particularly by Alan Boothroyd, laid an excellent second half foundation. Alan was supported well by the strong running Andy Ireland and Graham Shaw, who produced the kind of performance we know he is capable of. Basically it was good to see a solid team performance, but coach Noble will be looking for further improvement in offence, and an level of performance for the full 80 minutes.

### Stats

Tries: Longo (2), Donohue, Boothroyd, Hamer

Goals: Cook (7)

Man of the Match: Jason Donohue

HT: 12-20

Sets: 36 Completed: 23 Errors: 9

Penalties: For 7, Against 8

Top Tacklers: 1 Andy Ireland (30)

2 Nathan Graham/Warren Jowitt/Tommy Hodgkinson (28)

Top Metre Gainers: 1 Davide Longo 131m (12 hit ups/2 busts) 2

Alan Boothroyd 125m (14 hit ups/1 bust) 3 Andy Ireland 121m (13 hit ups/3 busts)

### Match Report

## Bulls 42 Warrington28

### Thursday 16th July

A Leeds win the previous evening against Hull at Headingley kept up the pressure at the top, but the Bulls responded with this win against an inform Warrington outfit. The side still needs to learn the lessons from the Wigan game, as they "clocked off" again in the second period, giving the Wire an outside chance of snatching a result. Coach Noble is looking for a full 80 minutes concentration. There was however, some wonderful attacking rugby played by the Bulls at times, with Davide Longo capping a fine display, including a good kicking game, with a hat trick of tries. Andy Hodgeson also had another fine game with several strong runs from deep.

### Stats

Tries: Longo (3), Hodgeson, Cook, Yates, Jowitt

Goals: Cook (7)

Man of the Match: Davide Longo

HT: 24-12

Sets: 33 Completed: 16+3 Errors: 14

Penalties: For 3, Against 7

Yardage gains

Simon Knox - 129 (14 hit ups/0 busts)

Andy Hodgeson - 128 (3 hit ups/4 busts)

Davide Longo 126 (9 hit ups/4 busts)

Top Tackler - Warren Jowitt (30)

Next home game 15th August v Leeds K/O 7.30pm.

### ALLIANCE CHAMPIONSHIP 1996

	P	W	D	L	Pts	Diff	Pts
Bradford B	14	12	0	2	397	242	155
Leeds	14	9	2	3	390	262	128
Halifax BS	15	9	1	5	379	322	57
Salford R	14	8	0	6	399	316	83
St.Helens	15	7	0	8	393	383	10
Hull	14	7	0	7	276	323	-47
Wigan	14	6	0	8	398	383	15
Castleford	14	5	2	7	290	277	13
Oldham B	15	6	0	9	299	439	-140
Warrington	15	4	0	11	313	442	-129
Hull KR	14	3	1	10	242	387	-145

### ALLIANCE CHAMPIONSHIP 1996 GAME LIST

Date	Versus	Venue	K.O.
March 28	Castleford Tigers	A	7.30
April 4	Salford Reds	H	7.30
11	St. Helens	H	7.30
18	Wigan	H	7.30
27	Silk Cut Challenge Cup Final		
May 2	Warrington	A	7.30
9	Oldham Bears	H	7.30
16	Hull	H	8.00
24	Hull KR	A	7.30
30	Halifax	H	7.30
June 6	Leeds	A	7.30
13	Castleford Tigers	H	7.30
21	Salford Reds	A	8.00
July 4	St. Helens	A	7.30
11	Wigan	A	7.30
18	Warrington	H	7.30
25	Oldham Bears	A	7.30
August 1	Hull KR	H	7.30
15	Leeds	H	7.30
22	Hull	A	8.00

**NEXT ALLIANCE HOME GAME V LEEDS AUGUST 15TH, KICK OFF 7.30PM**

# Junior Club's Development



Pictured above are members of the recent course held at Yorkshire Martyrs

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| 5. IAN TAYLOR         | 16. TIM FAWCETT       | 27. DEBBIE WRIGHT    |
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| 7. ANTHONY DEACON     | 18. DEREK HARPER      | 29. EDDIE HART       |
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- 2.00pm TEAM MEETINGS SELECT CAPTAIN, NAMES, etc.
- 2.30pm MINI OLYMPICS (on the Track)
- 4.00pm DRINKS BREAK
- 4.30pm SEVENS
- 6.00pm FREE TIME
- 7.00pm B.B.Q.
- 8.00pm COMPETITIONS - BASKETBALL, TENNIS, BASEBALL, FOOTBALL
- 9.30pm SHOWERS
- 10.30pm LIGHTS OUT

#### SATURDAY

- 8.30am BREAKFAST
- 9.15am TEAM WARM UP ON PITCHES 1, 2 & 3. All Warm Ups to contain Ball Handling & Passing Drills
- 9.30am SKILL SESSION "A"
- 10.40am DRINKS BREAK
- 10.50am SKILL SESSION "A2"
- 12.00noon LUNCH
- 1.00pm FREE TIME
- 2.15pm TEAM WARM UP ON PITCHES 1, 2 & 3. All Warm Ups to contain Ball Handling & Passing Drills
- 2.30pm SKILL SESSION "B"
- 3.40pm DRINKS BREAK
- 3.50pm SKILL SESSION "B2"

- 5.00pm TEA
- 6.00pm WARM UP
- 6.15pm SKILL SESSION "C"
- 7.00pm DINNER
- 8.30pm SWIMMING POOL, WATER POLO - RACES
- 9.30pm FREE TIME
- 10.30pm LIGHTS OUT

#### SUNDAY

- 8.30am BREAKFAST
- 9.15am TEAM MEETING
- 10.00am AWARDS
- 11.00am LEAVE AMPLEFORTH
- 1.00pm ARRIVE ODSAL STADIUM, BRADFORD



Members of coaching staff line up for the start of 1996 Summer Camp





# BEEFING UP THE BULLS

Collect your **Sticker** to commence your Heroes Poster at today's game or pick them up from the official restaurant of the Bradford Bulls - Burger King Broadway . . .

This week is **Sticker Week**



## Academy NEWS

From Ian Sutcliffe

### GREAT VICTORY.....

I know that many fans turned up early for the Wigan game and caught at least a glimpse of the superb Academy victory against their Central Park counterparts. The improvement in the side was there for all to see in what was a very good game to watch with a thrilling climax.

The first half tilted in Wigan's favour when they scored two good tries and deservedly went in at the break 10-8 in front despite a fine try from centre Neil Murray. Even at the Hour mark the game was going Wigan's way with two further tries scored against an effort from Matthew Walker and when a Chris Parker effort was disallowed for a forward pass it looked like the game was up. However Parker had different ideas as he steamed onto a pass from Joe Simpson who converted to bring the Bulls to within two points with eight minutes on the clock. Sometimes fate can be cruel and this time it was against Wigan. Joe Simpson sliced an attempted drop goal and Matthew Walker, having by far his best game for the club, appeared from nowhere to snap up the loose ball and dive over to great cheers. What a finish, 30-28 what a victory!

### UNLUCKY DEFEAT.....

Behind leaders Castleford Warrington are probably the hardest side to beat at this level on their own midden. Things started well with the Bulls storming into an early ten point advantage but an injury to key forward James Peacock disrupted the pattern and allowed Wire back into the game. Despite big games from James Walker and Darren Simpson concentration was lost for long enough for Warrington to be in front 20-10 on the hour mark. A late rally proved to be in vain as the Wire held on to win 26-20 as the equalising score just wouldn't come.

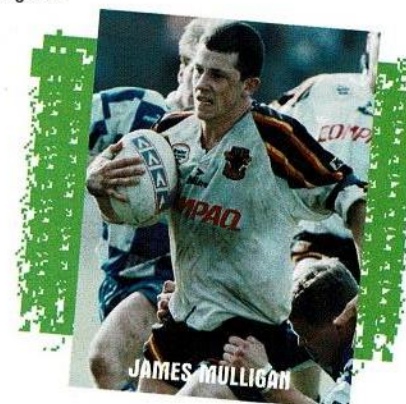
### THE FRENCH CONNECTION.....

Three young French players joined the Academy set up during the last week and are sure to increase competition for places. All three are French Academy internationals and despite their age all have played top grade rugby in the French competition. I am sure you will all give a great Bradford welcome to Eric Anselme (who made his debut from the bench against the Wire), Maha Rambelo and Christophe Toustou as they continue their Rugby League education in this country over the next few months.

### THE ENGINE ROOM.....

I have taken a little bit of stick over the last few weeks

for mentioning the backs to the detriment of the hard grafters in the side. Everybody knows that the backs usually take the glory whilst the forwards just do the work. So here's a mention for the boys up front; the tireless Chris Parker; James Mulligan; James and Matthew Walker, Jon Vaiceskauskas (I still can't get it right on the tannoy!); Steve Maskill; James Fielden and anybody else I've sure to have forgotten. Keep on grafting.....!



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17. STUART FIELDING
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19. JAMES WALKER

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GAME DAY TEN

# Young

# BULLS

by Tracey Heap



LIAM CRAIG

Hi Kids,  
Wow! what a fantastic time the Bulls are having mega wins all round. Wigan, then Warrington we are simply the best! Bradford Bulls are proving to be hotter than July.

Today we have four mascots they are Liam Craig Jackson, James Healey, Esther Mason and Craig Marshall.

Liam will be four years old in September and he attends Nursery in Halifax.

He is a big Bradford Bulls fan along with his Auntie Debbie. Liam loves to get 'Togged' out in all of his Bulls gear and his Auntie Debbie claims he is absolutely "adorabull".

Liam's Grandad Jackson is a 'Blue Sox' fan so Liam is trying to talk some sense into him. Ha!

Liam's favourite Bulls players are Glen Tomlinson and Jon Scales.

James is 6 years old and attends St Francis Primary school.

He enjoys coming to watch the Bulls with his dad Gerrard and he also likes footie (Leeds United). James can't wait to run with the Bulls today and has managed to bring his mum Cath along to join in the fun.

His favourite player is Robbie Paul.

Esther will be 13 in September and attends every Bulls match.

Today will be a dream come true for Esther as she has dreamt of being a mascot for a long time.

She has managed to talk her mum into making a banner and is eagerly waiting to win.

Esther's favourite Bulls players are Robbie Paul, Sonny Nickle, Stuart Spruce and Paul Cook and she would like to make the point of saying it's not just because they're good looking.

Craig is 10 years old and attends Swain House Middle School.

He enjoys drawing, swimming and rugby. He is a big Bulls fan and his favourite Bulls are Steve McNamara, Stuart Spruce and Joe Tamani.

Thanks a lot gang for coming to run with the Bulls, we hope you enjoy your day.

Three mad sad girls who drive for the Royal Mail Lion (Mandy) Kid Viddess (Gwen) and Hellionlegs (Helen) are dying to see the words

"We Bulls Wobble But We Don't Fall Down"

written somewhere in the match day mag so there you are girls we aim to please. A big hello to Virgil and the rest of the P.O. Mob have a nice day!

**"Beefy Gossip"**

**"Player Profile"**

Today's beef is about Stuart Spruce he is 25 years old



CRAG MARSHALL

and has run with the Bulls for 9 weeks now.

Stuart's last school was Bankfield in Widnes and he started playing Rugby at the tender age of 8.

His previous team was Widnes. He loves to eat Chinese, and his ideal place is Widnes! (I may be paranoid but I seemed to get the feeling that Sprucey had that Widnes longing).

His ideal women is his girlfriend Caroline (ah).

His favourite music is Bryan Adams and his first CD was Bryan Adams 'So Far So Good'.

**A Funny Think Happened**

Apart from having the serious hots for Widnes Stuart couldn't think of anything funny or embarrassing that had happened.

So we'll have to get you with a "Gotcha" Sprucey like the poor Bulls player at the Warrington match last week who had been sent for 10 minutes to the sin bin and Sky caught him picking his nose (shame).

**"Luvabull Babes"**

The last "Babe" was actually Gary Christie well done those who guessed correctly.

This Luvabull Babe is a real cutesy he was only a little older than this photo when his pop idol passed away?

Possibly that thing on his head was a model for the first scrum cap Ha.

Answers on a post card please to Luvabull Babes Comp No 5, Odsal Stadium, Bradford BD6 1BS.



**"Torro Bull Poetry"**

**"Come On You Bulls"**

B is for "Bradford Bulls" the Best it would seem

U is Unmistakably the greatest Rugby team

L is 'Lockers' 'Longo' and the lads galore

L is 'Leaders' we'll soon be you know

S is Supporters 'come on you Bulls' lets win some more.

Anthony Heap 9 and Charlotte Heap 7.

There will be no "Torro Bull" jokes as it would seem there are no new jokes that have been sent in from you boring kids come on there's a prize in it for you get those jokes set in (clean only please) poems or stories will also get prizes.



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GAME DAY TEN

# School

# DEVELOPMENT

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TOP: Kids & Teachers at the Andrew Cullen Trophy.  
BOTTOM: Andrew Cullen's Mum with Development Officer Andy Harland and winning captain from St John's Wibsey.

### PUMA LITTLE LEAGUE FESTIVAL HOLMEWOOD BRADFORD FIRST SCHOOLS INVITATION FOR THE ANDREW CULLEN MEMORIAL TROPHY 1996

Following our success this school year, a Puma Little League Festival has been arranged for Saturday 13th July 1996.

Andrew Cullen was a Year 3 pupil at Holmefield First School and was tragically killed in a road accident on the Holmeewood Estate in 1995. Andrew was 7 years old and had just completed a B.F.L. Skills Award Course with Bradford Rugby League Development Officer, Andy Harland.

Following a request from Andrew's mum, it was suggested that a Memorial to Andrew in the form of a Competition be run. Andy Harland has been working along with the Holmeewood First Schools in conjunction with Bradford City Challenge.

The Festival of Puma Little League is a modified game of Rugby League played with 9 players on a reduced pitch.

The Festival will take place on Saturday 13th July 1996 - kick off 10.30am to finish at 1pm.

#### Schools invited:

Dudley Hill First  
Lorne First  
Bierley C of E  
Holmefield  
St.John's the Evangelist  
Morefield First

#### Results:

St.John's beat Holmeewood  
Bierley beat Morefield  
Holmefield beat Dudley Hill  
Lorne beat Morefield  
Lorne beat Bierley  
St.John's beat Dudley Hill

#### Final 1996 Andrew Cullen Memorial Trophy

St.John's won the Shield, Lorne were Runners Up.

### BRADFORD SCHOOLS RUGBY LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP 1996

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#### Under 16 Years:

Greenhead Grammar 24 v Queensbury 42  
Thursday 11th July K.O. 5pm Pit Hill, Holmeewood, Bradford.

#### Under 15 Years:

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Monday 15th July K.O. 5pm Pit Hill, Holmeewood, Bradford.

#### Under 14 Years:

Brighouse High 34 v Yorkshire Martyrs 16  
Tuesday 16th July K.O. 7pm Pit Hill, Holmeewood, Bradford.

#### Under 13 Years:

Mandale 32 v Wyke 16  
Tuesday 16th July K.O. 4.15pm Pit Hill, Holmeewood, Bradford.

#### Under 12 Years:

Yorkshire Martyrs 32 v Gilstead 12  
Monday 15th July K.O. 7.30pm Pit Hill, Holmeewood, Bradford.

#### Under 11 Years:

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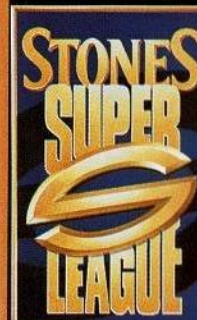


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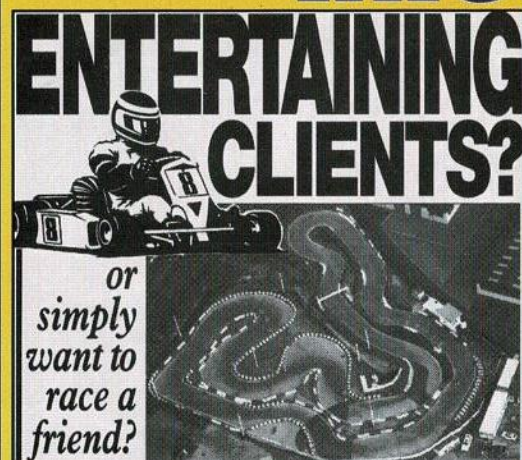
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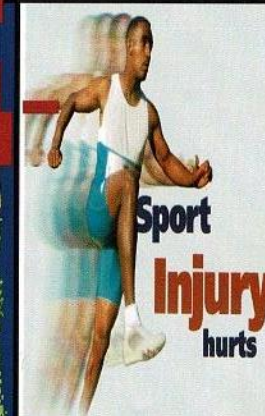
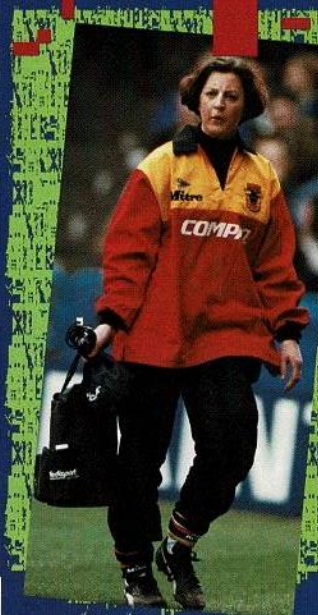
# PHYSIO

with Karen May...

What an exciting 3 weeks we have had. Following what have probably been our best 3 performances against hard opposition, the players have been enjoying a well deserved break from their training programmes. Every time I write I seem to be congratulating the players on their levels of fitness and strength but it really does seem to make my job easier when they are so well prepared for their games. Despite hard games against both Wigan and Warrington, our injury count remains low. Stuart Spruce is making good progress after receiving a knee in the back during a tackle at Warrington, following one the previous week from Wigan, and should be with us for Oldham. Gary Christie will, unfortunately, be missing after receiving a nasty foot injury following an awkward landing from a high ball (his team mate Joe Tamani managed to make his landing on top of Gary's leg....ouch!). Despite his bad bruising and swelling the initial X-rays look clear so things should settle down well. Carlos Hassan is making good progress and is now back to some light jogging work using a new leg brace. We aim to have him back on the pitch for the end of August but a close eye will have to be kept on his progress to make sure we avoid anything which will hinder his healing.

### Top Tips

Prevention of injury is as important as treating injuries to sports physiotherapists. In a few months the football and rugby union season will be upon us again. Now is the time to start our pre-season training. After the lay-off it is important we start slowly and build into our training programme. Before any training a good warm up is required of stretching, jogging and sport specific drills to warm the body up. A good training programme will encompass many components of fitness required for your sport. Endurance which can be achieved by cycling or swimming for 45 minutes to an hour. Speed endurance which is important for the start stop nature of most sports can be developed by fartlek. Fartlek is running for approximately 40 minutes at different speeds ranging from very fast to a walking pace. Strength can be developed in the gym remembering to warm up with light weights first. Speed and power is best developed by a combination of strength work, bounding and running fast. Skill is developed with all the above but is best practiced when the body is fresh and not tired. The most important part of training is rest. The harder the training the longer the rest required between sessions. If a session cannot be completed properly because you are tired, it should not be done. Active rest can be done instead such as a stretching session. Stretching involves increasing the flexibility of the joints and should be carried out daily. Top tip of the day: If you do get injured see a Chartered Physiotherapist or Sports Doctor as soon as possible.



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### VERSUS ST. HELENS

TEAM	BULLS	SAINTS
Meters Run .....	2019	1460
Missed Tackles .....	20	34
Tries .....	9	4
Break Runs .....	14	6
Offloads .....	51	12

### INDIVIDUALS

Meters Run .....	Scales 255	Spruce 246
Offensive Misses .....	Scales 5, Bradley 4, Spruce 4, McNamara 4	
Carries .....	McDermott 22, Spruce 20	
Offloads .....	Lowes 10	
Try Passes .....	McNamara 4	
Tackles .....	Lowes 29, McNamara 28	
Doubles .....	Lowes 5	
Try Savers .....	Spruce 1	
Defensive Wins .....	Donougher 5	

### VERSUS WIGAN

TEAM	BULLS	WIGAN
Meters Run .....	2098	1819
Missed Tackles .....	15	33
Tries .....	4	2
Break Runs .....	3	6
Offloads .....	90	30

### INDIVIDUALS

Meters Run .....	Bradley 203	
Offensive Misses .....	Dwyer 7	
Carries .....	McNamara 26, Lowes 30	
Offloads .....	Lowes 20, Paul 14	
Try Passes .....	McNamara 2, Lowes 2	
Tackles .....	Lowes 38	
Doubles .....	Lowes 8, McNamara 6	
Try Savers .....	Spruce 3	
Defensive Wins .....	Dwyer 7, Bradley 6	

### VERSUS WIRE

TEAM	BULLS	WIRE
Meters Run .....	1583	1476
Missed Tackles .....	18	39
Tries .....	4	4
Break Runs .....	13	6
Offloads .....	44	21

### INDIVIDUALS

Meters Run .....	Paul 233	
Offensive Misses .....	Lowes 8, Bradley 7	
Carries .....	Paul 27	
Offloads .....	Bradley 8	
Try Passes .....	Bradley 2	
Tackles .....	Lowes 34, McDermott 33	
Doubles .....	Lowes 8, Fairbank 7	
Try Savers .....	Spruce 2	
Defensive Wins .....	Nickle 6	

## STONES SUPER LEAGUE 1996 WHAT A MONTH!





## STONES SUPER LEAGUE '96 POINT MAKERS...

	T	G	OG	TOT
Graeme Bradley	7	-	-	28
Matt Calland	11	-	-	44
Paul Cook	2	23	1	55
Jeremy Donougher	7	-	-	28
Bernard Dwyer	7	-	-	28
Karl Fairbank	4	-	-	16
Carlos Hassan	2	-	-	8
Simon Knox	2	-	-	8
Paul Loughlin	6	-	-	24
James Lowe	6	-	-	24
Brian McInerney	4	-	-	16
Steve McInerney	1	55	1	115
Paul Medley	5	-	-	20
Sonny Nichle	2	-	-	8
Robbie Paul	11	-	-	44
Jonathan Scales	12	-	-	48
Stuart Spruce	8	-	-	32
Joe Tamani	2	-	-	8
Glen Tomlinson	3	-	-	12

## LEAGUE POSITIONS...

	P	W	D	L	F	A	D	PTS
St. Helens	17	15	0	2	732	383	349	30
Wigan	17	14	1	2	634	257	377	29
Bradford Bulls	17	13	0	4	574	336	238	26
Warrington	17	10	0	7	440	403	37	20
London Broncos	17	9	1	7	472	369	103	19
Sheffield Eagles	17	8	0	9	490	524	-34	16
Halifax Blue Sox	17	7	1	9	466	440	26	15
Oldham Bears	17	7	1	9	371	512	-141	15
Castleford Tigers	17	7	0	10	440	447	-7	14
Leeds	17	4	0	13	397	517	-120	8
Paris St. Germain	17	3	1	13	332	624	-292	7
Workington Town	17	2	1	14	235	771	-536	5

# Stat FAKES

GD	DATE	TEAM	VENUE	TIME	SCORE	ATTENDANCE
1	Sun 30th March	Castleford Tigers	H BSKYB	6.00pm	30-18	10027
2	Friday 5th April	Sheffield Eagles	A	7.30pm	24-40	5,202
3	Monday 6th April	London Broncos	H	6.00pm	31-24	6683
4	Wednesday 14th April	St. Helens	A	3.00pm	20-26	10,010
5	21st April	Wigan	A	7.30pm	6-22	9672
6	5th May	Warrington	H	6.00pm	36-14	9278
7	12 May	Oldham Bears	A	6.00pm	30-10	4228
8	19th May	Paris St. Germain	H	6.00pm	60-32	8194
9	24th May	Leeds	H	7.30pm	54-8	10229
10	2nd June	Workington Town	H	6.00pm	52-4	8658
11	9th June	Halifax Blue Sox	A	5.30pm	22-20	7187
12	16th June	Castleford Tigers	A	3.30pm	23-26	6275
13	23rd June	Sheffield Eagles	H	6.00pm	64-22	8359
14	29th June	London Broncos	A	6.00pm	16-22	3814
15	5th July	St. Helens	H	6.00pm	58-22	11467
16	12th July	Wigan	H	6.00pm	20-12	17360
17	29th July	Warrington	A	6.00pm	20-30	8423
18	28th July	Oldham Bears	H			
19	4th August	Leeds	A			
20	11th August	Workington Town	A			
21	18th August	Halifax Blue Sox	A			
22	24th August	Paris St. Germain	A			

### SUPER LEAGUE PREMIERSHIP SEMI FINALS

Sunday 1st September

### SUPER LEAGUE PREMIERSHIP FINAL

Sunday 8th September

### SUPER LEAGUE WORLD CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP - QUARTER FINALS

Saturday 14th September

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Saturday 28 September

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Vince Lombardi



## STONES SUPER LEAGUE APPEARANCES...

	A	S
Graeme Bradley	18	3
Matt Calland	18	1
Gary Christie	2	5
Paul Cook	7	2
Jason Donohue	4	1
Jeremy Donougher	15	1
Bernard Dwyer	13	2
Karl Fairbank	14	2
Malcolm Graham	5	1
Jon Hamer	1	1
Carlos Hassan	5	3
Tommy Hodgkinson	1	1
Andy Ireland	1	1
Warren Jovell	1	1
Simon Knox	1	8
David Longo	1	2
Paul Loughlin	14	1
James Lowe	17	1
Brian McInerney	17	1
Steve McInerney	15	1
Paul Medley	1	14
Sonny Nichle	6	7
Robbie Paul	17	1
Jonathan Scales	16	1
Stuart Spruce	9	1
Joe Tamani	8	3
Glen Tomlinson	4	9

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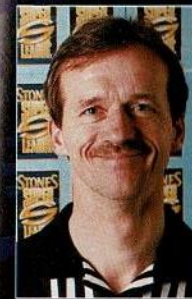
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## Bradford Bulls

- 1 ROBBIE PAUL
- 2 GLEN TOMLINSON
- 3 GRAEME BRADLEY
- 4 DAVIDE LONGO
- 5 JON SCALES
- 7 PAUL COOK
- 8 ANDY IRELAND
- 9 JASON DONOHUE
- 10 NATHAN GRAHAM
- 11 JEREMY DONOUGHUE
- 12 PAUL MEDLEY
- 13 SONNY NICKLE
- 14 TOMMY HODGKINSON
- 15 GARY CHRISITIE
- 16 WARREN JOWITT
- 17 CARLOS HASSAN
- 18 SIMON KNOX
- 19 JON HAMER
- 20 MATT CALLAND
- 21 KARL FAIRBANK
- 22 BRIAN McDERMOTT
- 23 BERNARD DWYER
- 24 PAUL LOUGHLIN
- 25 JAMES LOWES
- 26 STEVE McNAMARA
- 27 JOE TAMANI
- 28 STUART SPRUCE

HEAD COACH/TEAM MANAGER

BRIAN SMITH

ASSISTANTS MATTHEW ELLIOTT/BRIAN NOBLE

We regret it may not be possible  
to announce the interchanges as they occur

## Oldham Bears

- 1 PAUL ATCHESON
- 2 SCOTT RANSON
- 3 DARREN ABRAM
- 4 PAUL TOPPING
- 5 ROBERT MYLER
- 6 FRANCIS MALONEY
- 7 MARTIN CROMPTON
- 8 IAN GILDART
- 9 JOHN CLARKE
- 10 JASON TEMU
- 11 GARY LORD
- 12 JOE FAIMALO
- 13 DAVID BRADBURY
- 14 HOWARD HILL
- 15 AFFI LEVILA
- 16 STEPHEN GARTLAND
- 17 PAUL DAVIDSON
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- 19 IAN SHERRATT
- 20 ADRIAN BELLE
- 21 MICHAEL NEIL
- 22 CHRIS PARR
- 23 GARY BURNS
- 24 ANDREW PATMORE
- 25 MATTHEW MUNRO
- 26 TONY NUTTALL
- 27 PAUL CROOK
- 28 C. RICHARDS
- 29 REECE GUY
- 30 PETER SMITH

HEAD COACH ANDY GOODWAY

### SCRUMS

1	2	3	4	5
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### PENALTIES

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