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Two teams, two tributes, one rugby community.



United and Gordon League (left); Cinderford RFC U16 Girls and Dings Crusaders (right).

Before their match at Bell Sports & Rugby Park, Cinderford United and Gordon League stood together for a minute's silence in memory of former Cinderford player and much-loved friend Colin Freeman.

Our Cinderford RFC U16 Girls and Dings Crusaders also observed a minute's silence ahead of their fixture, with referee John Wood organising the tribute.

Thank you to both visiting clubs, players, coaches, officials and supporters for paying their respects. These moments remind us that the friendships made through rugby extend well beyond the pitch.

From the pitch to the clubhouse

There is plenty happening across the club this week. Read on for the latest team updates, upcoming matches, our 200 Club draw and events at Bell Sports & Rugby Park.

ON THE PITCH

Around the teams

After a weekend without a fixture, the 1st XV return to National League action on Saturday 31 October, travelling to Somerset to face Taunton Titans.

United head to Bristol to meet Dings Knights, following their 25-16 victory over Gordon League. The Stags welcome Longlevens to Bell Sports & Rugby Park.

SATURDAY 31 OCTOBER

TEAM	FIXTURE	KICK-OFF
1st XV	Away v Taunton Titans Veritas Park	3.00pm
United	Away v Dings Knights Shaftesbury Park	3.00pm
Stags	Home v Longlevens Bell Sports & Rugby Park	2.30pm

Good luck to all three teams, and thank you to everyone travelling to support them.

200 Club: the attendance prize rolls over!

Our monthly 200 Club draw takes place on Thursday 29 October at 7.30pm at Bell Sports & Rugby Park. The attendance prize was not claimed last month, so it has rolled over.

Remember: you must be there when the draw takes place to claim the attendance prize. Donna will also be serving curry and chips for £5.

Matchday hospitality: Redruth at home

Hospitality bookings are now being taken for the 1st XV home fixture against Redruth on Saturday 7 November. Whether you are entertaining guests or planning an afternoon at the rugby, contact Donna on 07983 021786 for details and bookings.

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More than just rugby

Cinderford Padel: be among the first 100

Cinderford Padel is now open. There is an opportunity to become one of its first 100 Founder Members, with membership benefits available through the Playtomic app.

Founder Memberships are released from 9am on Thursday 29 October. Download the Playtomic app and search for Cinderford Padel Club to find out more.



Halloween family party

The Halloween celebrations continue at Cinderford Rugby Club on Sunday 1 November.

4pm–7pm

Music and a best-dressed competition.

£5 per family, payable on the door.

Get the costumes ready and join us for a fun afternoon at the club.

Thank you for being part of Cinderford RFC

To our players, coaches, volunteers, sponsors, supporters and the wider community: thank you for everything you do to keep our club moving forward.

Find more club news, fixtures and events on the Cinderford RFC website.