



THE ARDVRECK SEVENS

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Ardvreck Rugby 7's



Welcome to the Ardvreck Rugby Sevens - this year in conjunction with our inaugural Senior Schools' Fayre. This tournament is one of my favourite events in the school calendar and it is a delight to host so many teams and their supporters. The rugby prowess on show promises to match the most spectacular of firework displays with boys rocketing and exploding onto the field of play, making this a true celebration of the best of prep school sport. Do avail yourselves of the hospitality on offer and take this opportunity to engage with the admissions teams from the senior schools. Please be generous in your support of all players, and officials, and I hope you all have a magnificent day.

Ali Kinge
Headmistress

TIMETABLE

10.00 am	Check-in at pavilion
10.30 am	Pool matches start
12.30 pm	Knock-out ties
2.00 pm	Play offs and Finals
3.15 pm	Presentation at the pavilion



GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Spectators are requested to stay behind the ropes at all times and not encroach on the fields of play. Portaloos are available at the ground for staff, players and visitors. The Pavilion is to be left for officials only, please.

First aid is available from a team from Active First Aid, Scotland.

Homemade soup and barbecued sausages will be available during the afternoon for teams and their coaches and the Friends of Ardvreck tent will once again be full of refreshments available for purchase and this year we will have a Gourlay Burger van selling hot food and cold drinks to all enjoying the rugby action and Senior Schools Fayre.

PARTICIPATING TEAMS

Team:

Ardvreck
Belhaven
Cargilfield
Craigclowan
Dollar
Fettes
Gordonstoun
Lathallan
Loretto
Merchiston
Sedbergh 1
Sedbergh 2
Strathallan
St. Mary's

Colours:

Green and White
Dark Blue and Light Blue
Blue and Red
Light Blue
White and Navy
Chocolate and Magenta
Purple and White
Blue and Red
Red
Blue and Red
Brown and Gold
Brown
Yellow and Blue
Yellow and Green



POOLS

POOL A

**Ardvreck
Dollar
Sedbergh 2
St. Mary's**

POOL B

**Belhaven
Gordonstoun
Loretto
Strathallan**

POOL C

**Sedbergh 1
Lathallan
Merchiston**

POOL D

**Cargilfield
Craigclowan
Fettes**

REFEREES

Mr George Pounder - SRU National Panel Referee

Mr Gregor Nelson - Dollar Academy

Mr Roo Hanrahan - Glenalmond College

Mr Marcus Houlden - Glenalmond College

Mr Lachlan Gaddie - Merchiston Castle School

Mr Jim Thompson - Strathallan School

Mr Andy Douglas - Strathallan School

Mr Peter Gilchrist - Stirling County Rugby Club



POOL MATCHES

Time	Pitch 1		Pitch 2		Pitch 3	
10:30 am	Ardvreck		Gordonstoun		Sedbergh 1	
	Dollar		Strathallan		Merchiston	
10:45 am	Craigclowan		St. Mary's		Belhaven	
	Fettes		Sedbergh 2		Loretto	
11:00 am	Lathallan		No Match		No Match	
	Merchiston					
11:15 am	Dollar		Cargilfield		Ardvreck	
	Sedbergh 2		Craigclowan		St. Mary's	
11:30 am	Belhaven		Loretto		Lathallan	
	Gordonstoun		Strathallan		Sedbergh 1	
11:45 am	No Match		Cargilfield		Dollar	
			Fettes		St. Mary's	
12:00 pm	Ardvreck		Belhaven		Gordonstoun	
	Sedbergh 2		Strathallan		Loretto	





POOL RESULTS

POOL	TEAM	W	L	D	PTS	+	-	POS
A	Ardvreck							
	Dollar							
	Sedbergh 2							
	St. Mary's							
B	Belhaven							
	Gordonstoun							
	Loretto							
	Strathallan							
C	Lathallan							
	Merchiston							
	Sedbergh 1							
D	Cargilfield							
	Craigclowan							
	Fettes							



KNOCK-OUT TIES (MAIN COMPETITION)

Quarter-Final 1 12:45 pm, Pitch 1	Pool C 1st place:	
	Pool D 2nd place:	
Quarter-Final 2 12:45 pm, Pitch 2	Pool B 1st place:	
	Pool A 2nd place:	
Quarter-Final 3 1:15 pm, Pitch 1	Pool C 2nd place:	
	Pool D 1st place:	
Quarter-Final 4 1:15 pm, Pitch 2	Pool B 2nd place:	
	Pool A 1st place:	
Semi-Final 1 1:45 pm, Pitch 1	Quarter-final 1 winner:	
	Quarter-final 2 winner:	
Semi-Final 2 1:45 pm, Pitch 2	Quarter-final 3 winner:	
	Quarter-final 4 winner:	
3rd Place Play Off 2:30 pm, Pitch 1	Semi-final 1 Runner Up:	
	Semi-final 2 Runner Up:	
Final 2:45 pm, Pitch 1	Semi-final 1 winner:	
	Semi-final 2 winner:	

CHARITY COMPETITION

POOL MATCHES AND RESULTS

POOL	TEAM	W	L	D	PTS	+	-	POS
A	Pool A 3rd							
	Pool B 4th							
	Pool C 3rd							
B	Pool A 4th							
	Pool B 3rd							
	Pool D 3rd							

Time	Pitch 1		Pitch 2		Pitch 3	
12:30 pm	A 3rd		B 3rd		No Match	
	C 3rd		D 3rd			
1:00 pm	A 3rd		A 4th		No Match	
	B 4th		B 3rd			
1:30 pm	B 4th		A 4th		No Match	
	C 3rd		D 3rd			

CHARITY FINALS

5th Place Play Off 2:00 pm, Pitch 3	Charity Pool A 3rd:	
	Charity Pool B 3rd:	
3rd Place Play Off 2:00 pm, Pitch 2	Charity Pool A 2nd:	
	Charity Pool B 2nd:	
Charity Final 2:15 pm, Pitch 1	Charity Pool A Winner:	
	Charity Pool B Winner:	

COMPETITION RULES

- Each team will consist of seven players from a squad of up to twelve. Replacements during a tie will be allowed with the referee's permission.
- Teams should assemble before the end of the previous game so that you are able to start as soon as the pitch is free. In the event of a clash of colours the first named team in that tie will change shirts.
- All matches will be six minutes each way. Half time will be one minute. If scores are level in the semi-finals or final at full time, one further period of two minutes will be played until a side scores. If neither side scores during extra time, drop kicks at goal will decide the winner.
- The following 7-a-side law variations will be in operation: Ball not reaching 10 m at kickoff (unless the opposition play the ball), or ball kicked directly into touch from kickoff: free kick at centre. Penalty kick: any form of kick except a place kick from the ground.
- SRU S1 law variations will be followed. (Conversion attempts are taken no wider than the 15m line; 5 points for a try, 2 points for a conversion and 3 points for penalties and drop goals.)
- Tied teams should nominate three kickers each.
- After a toss to determine which team chooses to start, drop kicks are taken alternatively from a spot decided by the referee.
- If scores are tied after three kicks each, sudden death applies using the same order of kickers (an injured kicker may be replaced by another member of the squad).

In the group stages, a win scores two points and a draw scores one point. If two or more teams are level after playing their group matches, the positions shall be decided as follows:

- 1 The largest number of points for
- 2 The least number of points against
- 3 The result of the game between two tied teams
- 4 Drop kick competition

PREVIOUS RESULTS

Year	Winner	Runner-up	Charity Final Winner
1996	Craigclowan	Lathallan	Aberlour
1997	Craigclowan	Ardvreck	Belhaven
1998	Lathallan	Croftinloan	Craigclowan
1999	Lathallan	Cargilfield	Craigclowan
2000	Fettes	Belhaven	Lathallan
2001	Ardvreck	Belhaven	Craigclowan
2002	Belhaven	Fettes	Cargilfield
2003	Craigclowan	Ardvreck	Aberlour
2004	Ardvreck 1	Craigclowan	Ardvreck 2
2005	Ardvreck 1	Loretto	Lathallan
2006	Ardvreck 1	Belhaven	Fettes
2007	Ardvreck 1	Craigclowan	Aberlour
2008	Ardvreck	Cargilfield	Belhaven
2009	Fettes	Cargilfield	Loretto
2010	Merchiston	Ardvreck 1	Strathallan
2011	Merchiston	Cargilfield	Loretto
2012	Merchiston	Cargilfield	Crieff RFC
2013	Cargilfield	Merchiston	Fettes
2014	Merchiston	Cargilfield	Ardvreck
2015	Merchiston	Ardvreck	Fettes
2016	Cargilfield	St. Mary's	Merchiston
2017	Belhaven	Merchiston	St. Mary's
2018	Belhaven	Merchiston	Cargilfield
2019	Merchiston	Strathallan	Ardvreck
2020	No Tournament due to Covid		
2021	Cargilfield	Belhaven	Craigclowan
2022	Merchiston	Fettes	Cargilfield
2023	Lathallan	Loretto	Sedbergh 1



SENIOR SCHOOLS' FAYRE



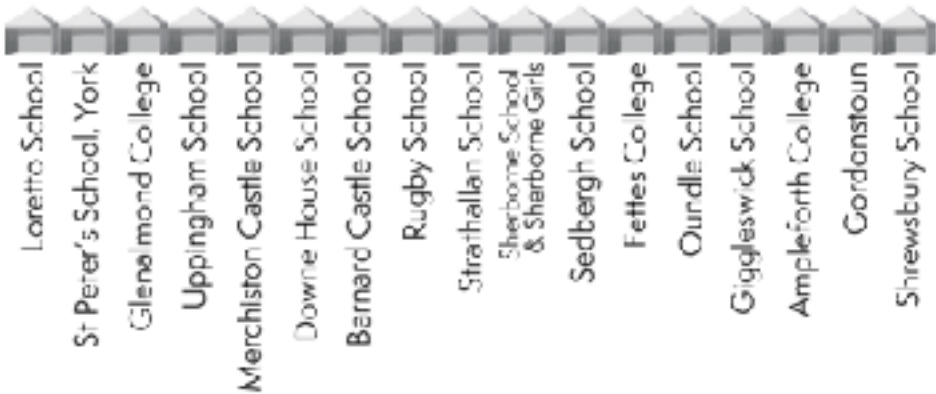


Alongside our legendary and longstanding Ardvreck Rugby Sevens Tournament we are delighted to hold our inaugural Senior Schools' Fayre.

Meet the admissions teams and staff from a number of senior schools to find the very best senior school for your child.

Senior Schools in attendance will be:

- Ampleforth College
- Barnard Castle School
- Downe House School
- Fettes College
- Giggleswick School
- Glenalmond College
- Gordonstoun
- Loretto School
- Merchiston Castle School
- Oundle School
- Rugby School
- Sedbergh School
- Sherborne School
- Sherborne Girls
- Shrewsbury School
- St. Peter's School, York
- Strathallan School
- Uppingham School



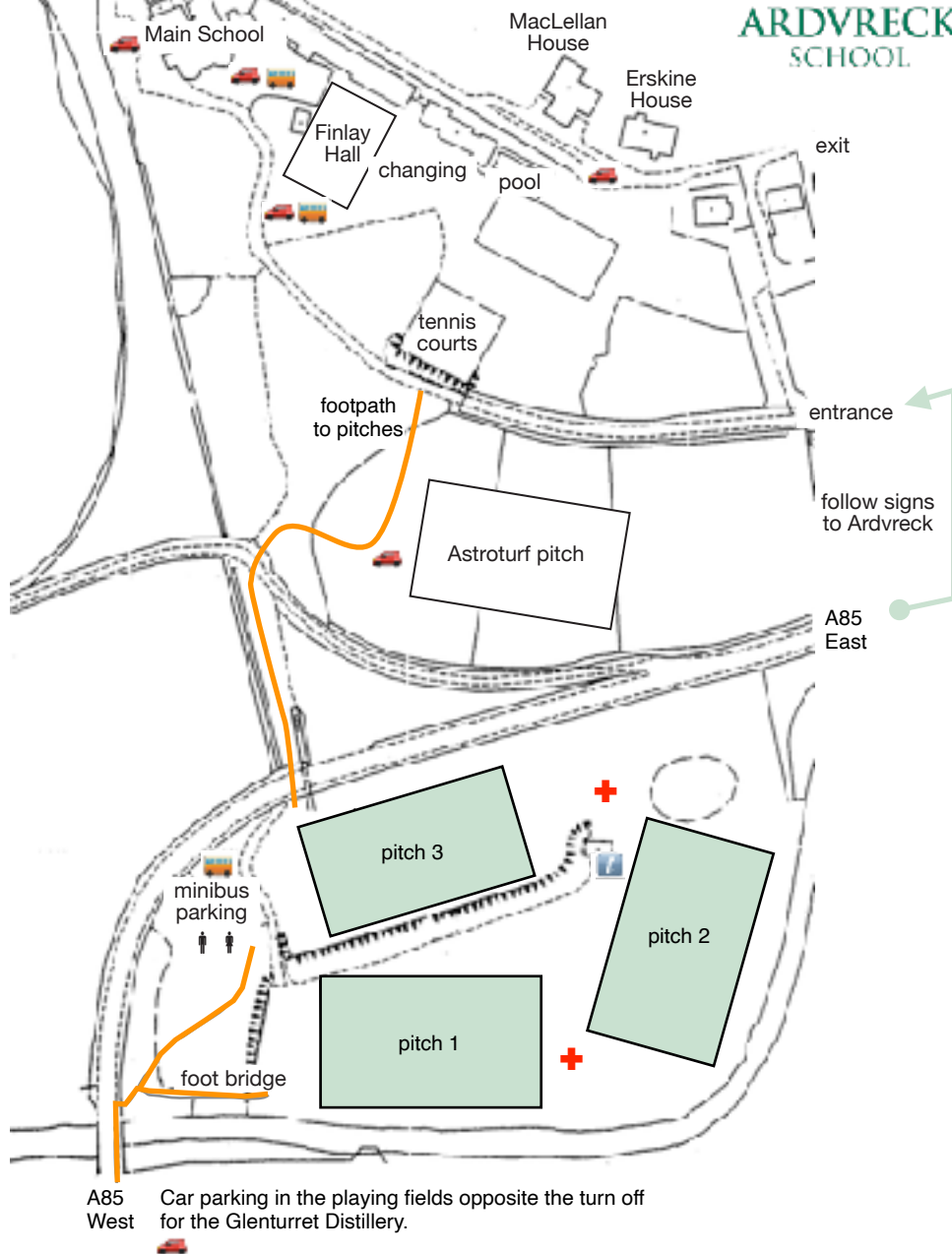


ARDVRECK'S CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Friday 29th November 2024
10am - 12noon
Ardvreck School

Expressive
Arts Centre

The dining room and library are in the main school building





Each year at the Ardvreck Sevens the winners of the Charity Final are invited to nominate a charity to benefit from a collection made during the match. Last year, Sedbergh chose the Scottish Air Ambulance to benefit from the generous sum collected during the Charity Competition.



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