

CUPS AND SPECIAL PRIZES

Henry A. Gerty Challenge Cup and Replica (for best results in championship events) presented (in remembrance) by his son Bro. W. Brinsley Gerty: Won by P. Ruffli.

Richview Bat (Presented by the Masonic Old Boy's Association for the highest batting average of the season): Won by C. Shaw.

"Rugby Shield" (presented by Masonic Old Boys' Association to the outstanding player of the season): Won by: D. Percy. The Stan Polden Memorial Shield (awarded to the boy who has contributed most to School games during the year): Won by C. Shaw.

The Harry Risk Memorial (presented to the boy who has shown most improvement in cricket during the year): Won by R. Cameron.

CRICKET—1978 Season

Senior Team: N. Shaw, G. Thompson, J. Bell, B. Shaw, K. Patterson (Capt.) S. Curran, R. Cross, S. Cinnamond, J. Magowan, R. Cameron, D. Percy and D. Taylor as sub.

This team had an unlucky year, despite a fair share of talent. There was a lot of team spirit and sportsmanship and this was helped on its way by Sallin Uddim, their coach from Pakistan. Congratulations are due to Jonathan Bell for getting a trial for Leinster Schoolboys.

The top batting averages were: N. Shaw 11.1, G. Thompson 4.3, J. Bell 4.0. The top bowling averages were: K. Patterson 7.7, D. Taylor 8.0, R. Cameron 8.25.

Junior team: R. Leslie, R. Cameron, B. Shaw, P. Abraham, J. Magowan, D. Taylor (Capt.), N. Hillis, G. Bell, I. Young, R. Percy, J. Conway.

This team came out best of all the School teams; they won the most matches. They had quite a good year, on the whole, and this was helped by Julian Weiner, their coach from Australia.

The top batting averages were: R. Leslie 36, R. Cameron 31.7.

The top bowling averages were: J. Magowan 6.1, P. Abraham 6.5, D. Taylor 8.4.

Under 14 Team: J. Montgomery, J. Martin, S. Davis, T. Shaw, N. Johnston, I. Macken, R. Leslie (Capt), S. Leslie, M. Abraham, E. Kodjoe, A. McCarthy, R. Ford, R. Graham, A. Rodgers.

This team also had a bad season, losing all their matches, but they put up a very good fight in every match.

The best bowling averages were: S. Leslie 9.8, J. Montgomery 14.4, R. Ford 14.5.

The best batting averages were: J. Montgomery 4.5, J. Martin 4.4, S. Davis 3.4.

Under 13 Team: M. Stephens, P. Kane, K. Johnston, R. Graham (Capt.) S. Brickenden, G. Boyd, J. Hassard, B. Kinnear, D. Wilson, J. Whitley, M. O'Leary.

This team only played one match and lost it so they cannot be judged on the performance.

The best batting averages were: J. Hassard 9, R. Graham 5, B. Kinnear 3.

The best bowling averages were: M. O'Leary 10, R. Graham 12.

RUGBY REPORT 1977-78

S.C.T.: S. Curran, P. Ruffi, R. Clements, S. Cinnamond, N. Graham, R. Shaw, K. Patterson, J. Sutton, F. Neale, W. Stevenson, M. Hillis, P. Newton, D. Percy (capt.), D. Heath and P. Thomson.

Top scorers were N. Graham 56 pts., N. Shaw 48 pts., and K. Patterson 46 pts. This season's Senior could be described as a physically strong and fit team; this is mainly because of Mr. Bloomer and his hard training routine. In the Senior Cup they fought their way from the 1st round of section A to the 2nd round of 'B' section when they were beaten by Clongowes. In achieving this position they had scored over 100 points overall. Since the Senior had won their half of section 'A', they qualified for a play-off against Sandford Park in the Senior Cup Pennant. This was probably the most unlucky match the team played because they had a lead of 2 pts. 3 minutes before full-time. The final result was 13-8 for Sandford. The seniors had also been entered in the Leinster Schools' League and did well to get to the final stage. The team was withdrawn from the league in order to play in Wanderers 7's. From Masonic six boys had been offered trials: D. Percy, R. Clements, N. Shaw, K. Patterson, J. Sutton and P. Thomson. D. Percy captained the Leinster Schools' 'B' team to play Connaught—R. Clements, N. Shaw and J. Sutton played in that match.

Wanderers 7 a-side: S. Cinnamond, R. Clements, N. Shaw, K. Patterson, D. Percy, P. Thomson and P. Ruffi.

Subs: S. Curran, M. Hillis and P. Newton.

Top scorers were K. Patterson 14 pts., N. Shaw 12 pts. and S. Cinnamond 8 pts. They managed to get to the semi-final stage where they were knocked out by Wesley.

J.C.T.: P. Abraham, R. Leslie, J. Magowan, R. Hillis, G. Bell, D. Taylor, B. Shaw, P. Hughes, R. Cameron, I. Young, R. Mains, J. Conway, R. Percy, T. Stanley and A. R. Bell.