



Manchester Rugby Club Under 9s



Winners Manchester Festival 07-08
Winners Littleborough Festival 07-08

Coaches

Dave Wright
Gareth Jones
Ian Thompson
Simon Ogdon
Terry Chatterton



Manchester Boys Raise Funds for Wooden Spoon Charity



Manchester under 9s went shopping in February at the local Waitrose Supermarket in Cheadle Hulme, the boys packed customers bags with a little help from their parents. The monies raised during the 3 hours of back wrenching (sorry Mums and Dads) will go towards the cost of the tour plus a large donation towards the rugby charity – 'Wooden Spoon'. Its hoped that a presentation of the cheque can be made by Manchester Under 9s before the Fylde 1st XV game on the 12th April. Thanks must go to the management at Waitrose for their help and hospitality

Fixtures

Mar 2nd – Wilmslow (h)
Mar 9th – Vale of Lune (Festival)
Mar 16th – Lymm (h)

Shark Attack

Manchester Under 9's newsletter appeared in the Sale Sharks match programme when the Sharks hosted Leeds earlier this month



Coach 'Dangerous Dave' also got a mention; Dave pictured left commented "

I've managed to keep my feet firmly on the ground"

Manchester 'B' 6 – Sandbach 'B' 2

Another tremendous performance from the development team, some serious handling training the week before paid off. The Sandbach coaches commented after the game that their boys couldn't keep up with the pace and speed of our players. Well done boys keep up the hard work

Blackpool Tour April 12th & 13th

Final payment is now due; please pass on cheques to Heather and Jayne. Thanks go in advance to Ian and Sarah Thompson for all the hard work

Manchester 'A' 5 – Sandbach 'A' 0

A solid performance against a determined Sandbach side which played a hard running game that didn't reflect some great rugby in the final score. Although the poor weather conditions didn't help a passing game, the boys managed to put together some great attacking waves and sweeping moves – well done boys

U9s End of Season Party Friday May 17th

Plans are being prepared for an end of season bash at the rugby club, probably a BBQ and a couple of glasses of Pims. More details to follow

Vale of Lune Festival

All teams entering the festival have been asked by the organisers to ensure that all parents, coaches and players read the rugby code of conduct, the squad will be announced after the Wilmslow game. Good luck, play well and see if you can bring back another trophy! but remember your are representing Manchester Rugby Club

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