

Teddington C1's in Action at Guildfordians, 7th October.

Game 1: Teddington C1 2 Warlingham 2

A game that we led by 2 tries until second half when we gave the ball away easily and they capitalised. We should have won this game easily as we had the greater possession and looked the stronger side. However, a harsh lesson for the boys that it's never over 'till its over!

Game 2: Winbledon 3 Teddington C1 1

Our tackling was poor and passing was not up to scratch which really decided the result.

Wimbledon were very well organised and looked like they were used to playing together – something we should progress towards.

Game 3: Farnham 1 Teddington C1 0

We competed well in this game and came close to getting a try on many occasions. However, again tackling was poor and passing of ball let us down.

Game 4: Teddington 0 Brighton 6

Brighton A must be a very formidable outfit! Whilst the boys got a run around, they stuck at the task will be better prepared later in the season. In the last 5 minutes of second half the boys started to play some great Rugby and pushed forward coming close to a few tries but again giving the ball away. This is a great reflection of their character.

Overall the results were not what we have come to expect, but the boys performed creditably and in the right spirit. We must remember that many of the players were playing in their first ever Festivals compared with a number of more established teams.

Thanks to Guildfordians for hosting us and enabling us to give a festival opportunity to many new faces.