

<b>GRFC Season Record 1971-72</b>		
Season Record	Played 49, <b>Won 37</b> , <b>Lost 9</b> , <b>Drawn 3</b> Points For 821, Against 414.	
Most appearances	J.Watkins 45, E.J.Stephens 44, R.Clewes 41, M.Nicholls 40, J.Jarrett 39, M.Booth 38, M.Potter 38	
Leading scorers	Tries: R.Clewes 13, R.Jardine 10, J.Watkins 9 Conversions: E.J.Stephens 34, D.Hargreaves 11 Penalties: E.J.Stephens 102, D.Hargreaves 8 Dropped goals: M.Booth 5	
Sep 4	Gloucester 26    Clifton 11	Tries: R.Clewes, J.Jarrett, M.Potter, E.J.Stephens Conversions: E.J.Stephens (2) Penalties: E.J.Stephens (2)
Sep 8	Newbridge 6    Gloucester 3	Penalty: E.J.Stephens
Sep 11	Gloucester 16    Coventry 15	Try: R.White Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Sep 15	Moseley 12    Gloucester 12	Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Sep 18	Broughton Park 9 Gloucester 24	Tries: J.Watkins, T.Palmer Conversions: E.J.Stephens (2) Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Sep 25	Gloucester 12    Bristol 12	Try: N.Jackson Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalties: E.J.Stephens (2)
Sep 30	Bath 3    Gloucester 12 (National K.O Cup)	Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Oct 2	Bedford 3    Gloucester 13	Try: D.Hargreaves Penalties: E.J.Stephens (2), D.Hargreaves
Oct 6	Gloucester 16    Ebbw Vale 12	Try: R.Clewes Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Oct 9	Gloucester 12    Harlequins 4	Try: J.Watkins Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalties: E.J.Stephens (2)
Oct 13	Cheltenham 6    Gloucester 18	Tries: G.White (2), T.Palmer Penalties: E.J.Stephens (2)
Oct 16	Gloucester 18    Newport 0	Try: A.Brinn Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Oct 23	Gloucester v Stroud	Cancelled due to club's county commitments
Oct 30	Gloucester 16 Oxford University 6	Try: R.Clewes Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Nov 3	Pontypool 0    Gloucester 29	Tries: G.White (2), R.Clewes, Dick Smith, R.White Conversions: E.J.Stephens (3)

		Penalty: E.J.Stephens
Nov 6	Leicester 31      Gloucester 9	Penalties: E.J.Stephens (3)
Nov 13	Gloucester 23      Moseley 10	Tries: J.Bayliss (2), J.Watkins, N.Jackson Conversions: D.Hargreaves (2) Penalty: D.Hargreaves
Nov 17	Cambridge University 6 Gloucester 13	Try: J.Dix Penalties: E.J.Stephens (3)
Nov 20	Aberavon 7      Gloucester 6	Penalties: E.J.Stephens (2)
Nov 27	Gloucester 14      Lydney 3	Tries: R.Clewes, J.Herniman Penalties: R.White (2)
Dec 4	Saracens 20      Gloucester 12	Try: D.Owen Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalty: E.J.Stephens Drop goal: M.Booth
Dec 8	Bristol 4      Gloucester 15 (National KO Cup)	Try: R.Clewes Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalties: E.J.Stephens (3)
Dec 11	Gloucester 24      Bath 16	Tries: J.Bayliss, N.Jackson, E.J.Stephens Conversions: E.J.Stephens (3) Penalties: E.J.Stephens (2)
Dec 18	Coventry 27      Gloucester 17	Tries: J.Jarrett, N.Jackson, R.Jardine Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalty: E.J.Stephens
Dec 27	Gloucester 67      O.M.T's 3	Tries: D.Hargreaves (3), S.Clewes (3), Dick Smith (2), R.Jardine (2), A.Brinn, R.Clewes Conversions: D.Hargreaves (8) Penalty: D.Hargreaves
Jan 1	London Scottish 7 Gloucester 6	Penalties: E.J.Stephens (2)
Jan 8	Gloucester v Leicester	Cancelled due to S.West group decider
Jan 15	Gloucester 28      Wasps 3	Tries: R.Jardine (2), D.Hargreaves, J.Watkins, R.Clewes Conversion: D.Hargreaves Penalties: D.Hargreaves (2)
Jan 22	Gloucester 16      Newbridge 6	Try: J.Watkins Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Jan 29	Bridgend 0      Gloucester 6	Penalty: E.J.Stephens Drop goal: M.Booth
Feb 2	Gloucester 23 St.Luke's College 14	Tries: R.Clewes (2), M.Burton

		Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalties: E.J. Stephens (3)
Feb 4	Bristol 12      Gloucester 9	Try: J.Watkins Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalty: E.J.Stephens
Feb 12	Bath 7      Gloucester 28	Tries: S.Clewes, R.Cowling, J.Watkins Conversions: E.J.Stephens (2) Penalties: E.J.Stephens (3) Drop goal: M.Booth
Feb 19	Gloucester 16      Swansea 10	Try: A.F.Parsloe Penalties: E.J.Stephens (3) Drop goal: E.J.Stephens
Feb 23	Gloucester v Loughborough Colleges	Cancelled due to floodlight ban during miners' strike.
Feb 26	Gloucester 12      Aberavon 9	Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Mar 4	London Welsh 4 Gloucester 9 (National K.O Cup)	Try: M.Potter Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalty: E.J.Stephens
Mar 11	Gloucester 17      Richmond 0	Tries: J.Bayliss, M.Nicholls Penalties: D.Hargreaves (3)
Mar 15	Gloucester 21      Cheltenham 3	Tries: R.Cowling, J.Dix, J.Bayliss Convesrions: E.J.Stephens (3) Penalty: E.J.Stephens
Mar 18	Guy's Hospital 13 Gloucester 33	Tries: R.Jardine (3), J.Dix, D.Hargreaves, R.Clewes Conversions: E.J.Stephens (3) Penalty: E.J.Stephens
Mar 25	Coventry 6      Gloucester 6 (National K.O.Cup semi-final)	Penalty: E.J.Stephens Drop goal: E.J.Stephens
Mar 27	Newport 3      Gloucester 9	Try: J.Dix Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalty: E.J.Stephens
Mar 30	Lydney 6      Gloucester 16	Tries: J.Watkins, D.Owen Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalties: E.J.Stephens, T.Palmer
Apr 1	Gloucester 18      Headingley 6	Try: D.Owen Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Apr 3	Gloucester 29 Birkenhead Park 4	Tries: R.Clewes (2), R.Jardine (2), D.Pegler Conversions: E.J.Stephens (3) Penalty: E.J.Stephens

Apr 4	Gloucester 16      Stroud 6	Try: R.Nicholls Penalties: E.J.Stephens (4)
Apr 8	Cardiff v Gloucester	Cancelled due to waterlogged pitch.
Apr 12	Ebbw Vale 27      Gloucester 3	Penalty: E.J.Stephens
Apr 15	Sale 3              Gloucester 12	Try: J.Bayliss Conversion: E.J.Stephens Penalty: E.J.Stephens (2)
Apr 17	Gloucester 16      Pontypool 4	Try: J.Watkins Penalties: E.J.Stephens (3) Drop goal: M.Booth
Apr 19	Northampton 16   Gloucester 7	Try: F.Reed Penalty: E.J.Stephens
Apr 22	Penzance-Newlyn 13 Gloucester 21	Tries: J.Horner (2), S.Clewes Penalties: E.J.Stephens (3)
Apr 29	Gloucester 17      Moseley 6 (National K.O.Cup Final at Twickenham)	Tries: R.Morris, J.Dix Penalty: E.J.Stephens Drop goals: T.Palmer, M.Booth
<b>Gloucester United</b>		
Season Record	Played 33, <b>Won 23</b> , <b>Lost 7</b> , <b>Drawn 3</b> Points For 858, Against 334.	
Leading scorers	Most tries: T.Parsloe 22, J.Horner, J.Dix 15, S.Clewes 13, G.White 10 Most conversions: D.Hargreaves 30, R.Moody 25 Most penalties: D.Hargreaves 15, R.Moody 11	
Captain	Hal Symonds	
Sep 4	Luctonians 17 Gloucester United 41	Tries: G.White (3), R.Moody, J.Dix, A.Rees, R.White, N.Jackson Conversions: S.Boyle (2), J.Saville Penalty: S.Boyle
Sep 11	Coventry Extra Firsts 38 Gloucester United 18	Tries: S.Clewes (2), R.Morris, J.Dix Conversion: R.Moody
Sep 18	Gloucester United 94 Abergavenny 7	Tries: D.Hargreaves (4), H.Symonds (3), J.Dix (3), R.Moody (3), S.Clewes (2), J.Haines, J.Spalding, T.Parsloe Conversions: D.Hargreaves (11) Dennis Hargreaves scored 38 points
Sep 25	Bristol United 8 Gloucester United 12	Tries: J.Dix + penalty try Conversions: D.Hargreaves (2)

Sep 29	Cinderford 6 Gloucester United 26	Scorers unknown
Oct 2	Gloucester United 54 Cleeve 6	Tries: S.Clewes (4), J.Dix (3), T.Parsloe, R.Moody, M.Best, D.Williams, R.Morris Conversions: S.Clewes (3)
Oct 9	Richmond Vikings 15 Gloucester United 9	Try: D.Diamond Conversion: D.Hargreaves Penalty: D.Hargreaves
Oct 16	Newport United 22 Gloucester United 23	Tries: R.White (2), D.Diamond Conversion: D.Hargreaves Penalties: D.Hargreaves (3)
Oct 30	Newport High School Old Boys 10 Gloucester United 0	
Nov 6	Gloucester United 27 Leicester Extra Firsts 12	Scorers unknown
Nov 13	Moseley United 13 Gloucester United 4	Try: D.Diamond
Nov 20	Gloucester United 52 Ebbw Vale Athletic 0	Tries: N.Jackson (3), D.Hargreaves, S.Clewes, R.Moody, J.Horner, G.White, P.Winnell, R.Butler Conversions: D.Hargreaves (6)
Nov 27	St.Paul's College (Cheltenham) 9 Gloucester United 13	Try: F.Ewers Penalties: J.Saville (3)
Dec 4	Gloucester United 33 Nottingham Corsairs 3	Tries: D.Pegler (2), G.White (2), J.Saville, J.Horner, Conversions: R.Moody (3) Penalty: R.Moody
Dec 11	Bath United 7 Gloucester United 30	Tries: R.Butler, S.Clewes, J.Herniman, J.Dix, J.Horner Conversions: R.Moody (2) Penalties: R.Moody (2)
Dec 18	Gloucester United 10 Coventry Extra Firsts 18	Try: R.Moody Penalties: D.Hargreaves (2)
Jan 1	Gloucester United 48 Cheltenham United 0	Tries: T.Parsloe (3), R.Nicholls (2), P.Tate (2), J.Haines (2), J.Saville Conversions: R.Moody (4)
Jan 8	Leicester Extra Firsts 15 Gloucester United 15	Tries: G.White, T.Parsloe, J.Spalding Penalty: R.Moody
Jan 15	Cleeve 14 Gloucester United 14	Tries: R.White, G.White, T.Parsloe Conversion: R.White

Jan 22	Pontypool Athletic 7 Gloucester United 13	Try: J.Dix Penalties: D.Hargreaves (3) Jan 29 Gloucester United 37 Pontypool Athletic 0 Tries: T.Parsloe (2), J.Haines (2), R.Butler, P.Tate, J.Dix Conversions: R.Moody (3) Penalty: R.Moody
Feb 5	Gloucester United v Bristol United	Cancelled due to waterlogged ground
Feb 12	Gloucester United 27 Bath United 22	Tries: T.Parsloe (2), P.Tate, R.White, R.Nicholls Conversions: R.Moody (2) Penalty: R.Moody
Feb 19	Llantwit Major 7 Gloucester United 8	Tries: R.White, G.White
Feb 26	Cheltenham United 9 Gloucester United 43	Tries: S.Clewes (2), J.Horner (2), T.Parsloe, G.White, D.Pegler, G.Davies Conversions: R.Moody (4) Penalty: R.Moody
Mar 4	Gloucester United Newport High School Old Boys	Postponed
Mar 7	Gloucester United 29 Cinderford 10	Tries: J.Horner (3), R.Moody, P.Winnell Conversions: R.Moody (3) Penalty: R.Moody
Mar 11	Keynsham 3 Gloucester United 8	Tries: F.Reed, J.Horner
Mar 13	Gloucester United 11 North Gloucester Combination 17	Tries: J.Horner, T.Parsloe Penalty: R.Moody
Mar 18	Gloucester United 49 Evesham 3	Tries: R.White (2), R.Morris (2), T.Parsloe (2), J.Haines, P.Winnell, S.Clewes, F.Reed Conversions: R.Moody (3) Penalty: R.Moody
Mar 24	Gloucester United v Birmingham United	Cancelled so that team could see firsts play at Coventry in Semi-final of National Knock-out Competition
Mar 26	Gloucester United 23 Newport United 4	Tries: J.Herniman, F.Reed, J.Horner, T.Parsloe Conversions: D.Hargreaves (2) Penalty: D.Hargreaves
Mar 30	Gloucester United 39 Gloucestershire Police 0	Tries: J.Horner (3), T.Parsloe (2), R.Morris,

		D.Hargreaves Conversion: D.Hargreaves Penalties: D.Hargreaves (3)
Apr 8	Gloucester United 9 Cardiff Athletic 16	Try: J.Horner Conversion: S.Clewes Penalty: R.Moody
Apr 10	Gloucester United 4 Newport United 4	Try: T.Parsloe
Apr 13	Gloucester United 35 Moseley United 12	Tries: R.Butler (2), J.Haines, D.Hargreaves, J.Spalding, H.Symonds Conversions: D.Hargreaves (4) Penalty; D.Hargreaves
<b>Gloucestershire</b>		
Sep 20	Glamorgan 52 Gloucestershire 12 (Friendly, played at Penygraig)	Tries: P.Knight, J.Luff Conversions: J.Gabitass (2) Gloucester players: R.Etheridge, R.Clewes, J.Bayliss, K.Richardson, F.Reed, M.Burton, A.Brinn, J.Watkins, M.Potter Bob Clewes, Keith Richardson, Fred Reed & John Watkins were playing their first games for the County.
Oct 7	Gloucestershire 24 Monmouthshire 8 (Friendly, played at Gloucester)	Tries: P.Knight (2), N.Evans, D.Turley Conversion: G.Sargent Penalties: G.Sargent (2) Gloucester players: R.Etheridge, J.Watkins, M.Burton
Oct 23	Somerset 17 Gloucestershire 36 (County Championship, played at Bath)	P.Knight (3), J.Gabitass, C.Williams, R.Etheridge Conversions: E.Stephens (3) Penalties: E.Stephens (2) Gloucester players: R.Etheridge, E.Stephens, R.Cowling, M.Nicholls, M.Burton, A.Brinn
Nov 13	Cornwall 13 Gloucestershire 10 (County Championship, played at Redruth)	Try: J.Cannon Penalties: E.Stephens (2) Gloucester players: R.Etheridge, E.Stephens, R.Cowling, M.Nicholls, M.Burton, A.Brinn
Nov 27	Gloucestershire 14 Devon 4 (County Championship, played	Tries: J.Gabitass, A.Morley, E.Stephens

	at Bristol)	Conversion: E.Stephens Gloucester players: E.Stephens, J.Bayliss, R.Cowling, M.Nicholls, M.Burton, A.Brinn, J.Watkins, D.Smith
Jan 8	Gloucestershire 24 Somerset 0 (Group Play-Off, played at Gloucester)	Tries: A.Morley (2), P.Knight, R.C.Hannaford Conversion: J.Gabitass Penalties: J.Gabitass (2) Gloucester players: E.Stephens, R.Cowling, N.Jackson, D.Smith
Jan 22	Gloucestershire 38 Berkshire 19 (Championship Quarter-Final, played at Bristol)	Tries: A.Morley (2), P.Knight, R.C.Hannaford, D.Watt, J.Cannon, D.Smith Conversions: J.Gabitass (2) Penalties: J.Gabitass (2) Gloucester players: R.Jardine, R.Cowling, M.Burton, A.Brinn, D.Smith This was Richard Jardine's first game for the County.
Feb 19	Middlesex 16 Gloucestershire 19 (Championship Semi-Final, played at Richmond)	Tries: P.Knight, A.Morley Conversion: J.Gabitass Penalties: J.Gabitass (2) Drop goal: R.Redwood Gloucester players: R.Jardine, R.Cowling, M.Burton, A.Brinn, D.Smith
Mar 11	Warwickshire 6 Gloucestershire 11 (Championship Final, played at Coventry)	Tries: A.Morley, R.C.Hannaford Penalty: E.Stephens Gloucester players: R.Jardine, E.Stephens, R.Cowling, M.Burton, A.Brinn, D.Smith Gloucestershire won the County Championship for the 10 <sup>th</sup> time, but the first success since 1937.
<b>Other</b>		
Dec 18	Probables 17 Possibles 13 (England Trial Game, played at Bristol)	M.Burton and A.Brinn played for Possibles
Jan 1	England 37 The Rest 6 (England Trial Game, played at Twickenham)	M.Burton played for England and A.Brinn for The Rest. Mike Burton played for England against Wales, Ireland, France and Scotland

		Allan Brinn played for England against Wales, Ireland and Scotland.
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