



BC Sinks At South Shore



Straight and True: BC Flanker Justin Bolebruch hits Lock Ian Ward

BC Rugby falls to South Shore Anchors on a windy day in Bourne, MA

BCRFC V. SOUTH SHORE ANCHORS: Saturday, April 1st

BC 12 South Shore Anchors 29

Scorers: Tries: Gore, Twardak; Con: Kalas

In week two of their spring season, BCRFC traveled to Bourne, MA to play the South Shore Anchors RFC. BC knew going into the match that it would be very physical, as the Anchors are a men's club side, and had much bigger and older players than the Eagles. Carrying over momentum from the previous week's successes at Fairfield, BC was determined to overcome the challenge that lay ahead of them and continue their winning ways.

The match kicked off on a cold and overcast day, with the strong winds playing a huge part in the game plan of both teams. South Shore applied early pressure, which led to a try at the 3 minute mark, and continued to play a very fast and physical game. BC tried to run wide early, but trouble at the lineout and numerous knock-ons kept the dangerous BC backs at bay.

Even amidst the lack of forward momentum, BC was able to turn crafty play at the breakdown into a try. At the 10 minute mark, Flanker Justin Bolebruch stole a ball from a South Shore ruck, and quickly passed to Outside Center Jon Gore, who made a dazzling cut to evade four defenders on his way to the first BC try. The moment would be short lived, however, as South Shore was able to counter with 29 total points. BC may have been down, but they ended the game on a high as Inside Center Patrick Twardak sliced through the South Shore defense on his way to the second BC try. As the whistle sounded, BC walked off the field knowing that they had given an immense effort against a quality South Shore side.

BCRFC will travel to Washington, D.C. this upcoming weekend to participate in the Cherry Blossom Rugby Tournament. The Cherry Blossom is regarded as the most prestigious rugby tournament on the east coast, and BC will take their place along other national powers Navy and Ohio State. For more information on this weekend's action please see www.bc.edu/rugby.

BOSTON COLLEGE: 1. John Jordan, 2. Tom Burgess, 3. Steve Walsh, 4. Ian Ward, 5. Karl Danso, 6. Lou Somma (Will Morrow at 15:00), 7. Justin Bolebruch, 8. Jared Long, 9. Kyle Ramachandran, 10. Phil Albanese, 11. Ed Kalas, 12. Patrick Twardak, 13. Jon Gore, 14. Girard Gibbons, 15. Nick Ng

Head Coach: Brendan Worley ('98)

Spring "Shorties" Competition

BC-B V. DARTMOUTH- C

BC-B 19 Dartmouth-C 0

Scorers: Tries: Sama 2, Margulies; Con: Reilly 2

BC-B V. HARVARD-B

BC-B 0 Harvard-B 10