



## ***Killara West Pymble Rugby Club***

***Round 07 26/7/08***

### ***Coach's report vs Redfield***

Round 4 was to be our last home game of the year. We were hosting the Redfield boys for their first visit to Lofberg. They had been travelling well of late getting a few wins on the board. Hopefully their pilgrimage to World Youth Day last week was not going to have the big fella on their team. The coaching staff were kept on their toes once again with late pullouts and late arrivals but that just seems to be par for the course these days. Ant and I might go and do some juggling courses in the off season. Anyway, we finally got 15 on the park with Woodley on the wing for the first time since 1978. Macca started at 9 and Moppy had the C next to his name.

The game turned out to be one of the strangest games I have ever coached. Chaos is probably a good word. We had to play four different half backs including Macca, Dilmah, Jake and finally Tubby. In hindsight it was amusing trying to watch these guys try and hit Joel on the chest, he was the big guy with black hair and a slightly darker complexion. Aside from that we played really well, everyone had a dig and we dominated Redfield for most of the game. We won the game 24-5 grabbing yet another bonus point and Moppy's first official win, if you don't count forfeits, as captain. It is very rewarding to see the team finally gelling and even more pleasing to see that we have not thrown the towel in when things were getting a bit tough. Let's see if we can keep the wet sail stiff and the spinnaker full as we wind the season down with two away games to go against Terrey Hills and Clovelly.

Sheep had an absolute blinder for 3 points and players player and grabbed a couple of tries, Paul Buncombe continued a great season for 2 points and Moppy and Rohan grabbed 1 each. Points could have gone to a number of others but some things just stick in your mind when everyone plays well. Apologies to the guys who did not get much of a run but it is a tough call, when you have not had a lot of wins, to know when is the right time to make changes. Well done again keep the wins coming.