

# The Saints' Scandal Sheet

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## Editor's Message

Greetings Saints! Welcome to the first issue of The Saints' Scandal Sheet, the official newsletter of the Saints Rugby Club. The goal of this publication is to keep club members informed, engaged and enlightened on a bi-weekly basis during the rugby season, and monthly throughout the off-season.

If you have any news worthy of the Scandal Sheet, please send it to [scandal@saintsrugby.com](mailto:scandal@saintsrugby.com). The next Scandal Sheet will come off the presses on 1 April.

F\*\*\* the Hornets,

Jack Mason, Scandal Sheet Editor

## Registration Night

Kick off the rugby season early by taking part in the most exciting and important part of the year: paying your dues!

Come out this Friday, 5 March to The Joyce On 4th between 6:00pm and 9:00pm and enjoy the libations and hospitality offered one of our new sponsor pubs. Plus, if you pay your dues, you'll receive a free gift, compliments of the Saints.

For 2010, you have a choice of membership options. Pick the plan that's right for you.

Gold Membership: \$500

- 0 Volunteer Hours required
- Lump-sum payment only

Silver Membership: \$400

- 10 Volunteer Hours required
- Lump-sum payment only

Bronze Membership: \$400

- 20 Volunteer Hours required
- Payable in installments

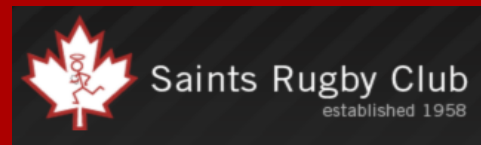
Student Membership: \$300

- 25 Volunteer Hours required
- Payable in installments

## Roughnecks Fundraiser

Come one, come all to the Saints night out at a Calgary Roughnecks game! On 10 April, the Roughnecks will be showcasing their championship-calibre lacrosse skills against the Colorado Mammoth, and the Saints will be there. Tickets are \$20 each, but must be purchased by 27 March. Order forms will be available at the Registration Night on 5 March. Forms may be dropped off at the Joyce on 4th on 26 March 5:00-7:00pm and 27 March 2:00-4:00pm. For more information, e-mail Hiro: [hais\\_2@hotmail.com](mailto:hais_2@hotmail.com).

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## Managers Needed

The Calgary Saints are looking for volunteers to fill three positions as Team Managers for the Alberta Club Competition 2010:

- Senior Men Division 1
- Senior Men Division 2
- Senior Women

The season runs from April -September 2010. The schedule and duties are:

Thursday (6:30pm -8:30pm)

- Organize equipment/ balls/water
- Confirm players for upcoming games and verify registration status (cards)

Game Day (90 minutes before kickoff - 30 minutes after game)

- Organize equipment/ balls/water and team jerseys
- Liaise with officials
- Fill out game sheet
- Assist coach with player management

Games will usually be on Saturday afternoons, with the odd game on a weekday evening prior to a long weekend. Occasional travel is required.

For more information, please contact Michael Shelley at [saints-rugby@hotmail.com](mailto:saints-rugby@hotmail.com).



**Why don't rugby players have mid-life crises?**  
*They stay stuck in adolescence.*

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### New Sponsor Bars

Calgary's Best Pubs will be the Saints' sponsor bars for 2010. With your Saints membership card, you'll get great food discounts at Dixon's, Limericks, Donegal, The Seanachie, The Kilkenny and the Joyce on 4th, and the club will benefit from every dollar you spend.

Membership cards will be available at the Registration Night on 5 March at the Joyce on 4th.



The Saints Rugby Club is not affiliated with the Super Bowl XLIV Champion New Orleans Saints. We've been around longer, so if anything, they would be affiliated with us.



### A Fond Farewell

Our captain and friend, John Runchel has left us to return to Australia. We will miss his presence and leadership, but most of all, we will miss his hat. His dirty, greasy, faded, beat-up ball cap. He wore it at every single training session, meeting and club function. That hat has become so familiar to all of us, it's almost like we're losing a close friend. Goodbye, John's Greasy Cap. You'll be missed.

### The Scandal Sheet, by the numbers:

- 8.5** Weeks to go before the season kicks off
- 3** Sides fielded by the Saints in 2010
- 15** Players per side that must be registered by 15 March
- 6** Pubs that now sponsor the Saints
- 1** Cost of a dry rib - in cents - at all six pubs, every Wednesday
- 0.9** Cost of said dry rib if you show your Saints card
- 3** Provincial Titles the Saints will win in 2010!