

SPONSORSHIP & HOSPITALITY







WHERE HISTORY IS MADE

Doncaster Knights was officially formed in 1875 as Doncaster Rugby Football Club.

We've continued to grow ever since, shaped by a pursuit of glory, by legendary players and coaches and of course, by the passion and will of our magnificent supporters & Sponsors.

We are proud of our success and our record of 8 promotions in 18 seasons, and as one of the only clubs eligible for premiership rugby, we look forward to what the future holds as we strive to compete in the top league of English rugby.

WE ARE THE ONLY PROFESSIONAL RUGBY UNION CLUB IN YORKSHIRE

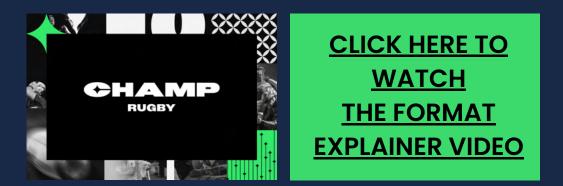


WHAT'S NEW FOR 25/26?

IN MAY 2025, THE SECOND TIER OF RUGBY UNION HAS UNDERGONE A MAJOR OVERHAUL AND REBRAND INTO CHAMP RUGBY. WITH AN EXTENDED LEAGUE OF 14 TEAMS COMPETING AND THE INTRODUCTION OF PLAY OFFS AND RELEGATION THIS HAS CERTAINLY INTRODUCED ASPIRATIONS AND JEOPARDY.

THE REBRAND HAS INTRODUCED A STRONG IDENTITY FOR CHAMP RUGBY, WHICH IS A VERY IMPORTANT PATHWAY FOR PLAYERS TO THE PREMIERSHIP AND INTERNATIONAL CAREERS. ACTIVELY SEEKING SPONSORS FOR THE LEAGUE AND WITH THE INTRODUCTION OF STREAMING FOR GAMES AND ACCESS INTO ADDITIONAL DATABASES – THIS IS GOING TO CERTAINLY RAISE THE PROFILE FOR ALL SPONSORS INVOLVED AT DONCASTER KNIGHTS.

WITH DONCASTER KNIGHTS AND CASTLE PARK HAVING RECENTLY PASSED THE PREMIERSHIP AUDIT THEN WE REMAIN TOTALLY FOCUSSED ON OUR AMBITION OF PLAYING IN THE PREMIERSHIP.





DIGITAL FOOTPRINT

BE PART OF THE GROWING NETWORK OF BUSINESSES WHO HAVE ENJOYED HOSPITALITY AT CASTLE PARK

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MULTIPLE DONCASTER KNIGHTS SOCIAL MEDIA POSTS COLLABORATED WITH ENGLAND RUGBY THIS SEASON (1.4M FOLLOWERS)



COULD YOUR BUISNESS BENEFIT FROM BEING SEEN BY MILLIONS

GROWTH INITIATIVE

As a club, we have a growth strategy to attract crowds of over 3000 fans per game, with plans in place to grow this further and compete in the Premiership.

We have recently invested in a CDP (Customer Data Platform) to use fan data to target them more specifically and to engage with new audiences.

With the new revamped system of Champ Rugby for 2025/26 season, there are plans in place to grow the game with sponsors, databases and streaming.



NEW BUSINESS & CORPORATE HOSPITALTY

AVERAGE OVER

BE PART OF THE GROWING NETWORK OF BUSINESSES WHO HAVE ENJOYED HOSPITALITY AT CASTLE PARK



THE "CHAMP" PACKAGE

2 X CORPORATE HOSPITALITY TABLES AT GAMES OF YOUR CHOICE (10 GUESTS PER TABLE)

4 X SEATED SEASON TICKETS

1 X PITCH-SIDE PERIMETER BOARD OR DRIVEWAY BOARD

1 X PLAYER SPONSORSHIP (OPTIONAL)

LINKEDIN POST TO ANNOUNCE PARTNERSHIP

COMPANY LOGO AND CLICK-THROUGH TO WEBSITE ON KNIGHTS WEBSITE **AND MATCH DAY PROGRAMME**

LOGO TO APPEAR ON PARTNERS LOOP PRE-MATCH

INVITATIONS TO SPONSORS LUNCHES AND NETWORKING EVENTS

EARLY ACCESS TO INTERNATIONAL TICKETS

£1999 ↔ VAT £2300 + VAT £2500 + VAT (plus Player Sponsorship - Forward) (plus Player Sponsorship - Back)



MATCH DAY SPONSORSHIP

MATCH DAY HOSPITALITY - TABLE OF 10 GUESTS

PRE-MATCH SOCIAL MEDIA ANNOUNCEMENT COMPANY LOGO ON SCOREBOARD THROUGHOUT THE GAME

SEVERAL STADIUM ANNOUNCEMENTS TO ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR BUSINESS AS MATCH DAY SPONSOR

> COMPANY LOGO IN DIGITAL MATCH DAY PROGRAMME WITH CLICK THROUGH TO YOUR WEBSITE

COMPANY LOGO ON MATCH DAY HOSPITALITY MENU

COMPANY LOGO ON MATCH DAY TEAM SHEET

YOU SELECT THE MAN OF THE MATCH

FRAMED SIGNED SHIRT PRESENTATION

MAN OF THE MATCH PRESENTATION IN THE HOSPITALITY LOUNGE



MATCH BALL SPONSORSHIP

MATCH DAY HOSPITALITY - TABLE OF 10 GUESTS

PRE-MATCH SOCIAL MEDIA ANNOUNCEMENT

SEVERAL STADIUM ANNOUNCEMENTS TO ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR BUSINESS AS MATCH BALL SPONSOR

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FRAMED SIGNED MATCH BALL

MATCH BALL SPONSOR PRESENTATION IN THE HOSPITALITY LOUNGE







HOSPITALITY & ADVERTISING PACKAGES

1 X PITCH-SIDE PERIMETER BOARD & MATCH DAY HOSPITALITY **£1200 + VAT** 1 X DRIVEWAY BOARD & MATCH DAY HOSPITALITY **£999 + VAT**

MATCH DAY HOSPITALITY INCLUDES:

TABLE FOR UP TO 10 GUESTS DELICIOUS 2 COURSE MEAL HALF TIME REFRESHMENTS 2 BOTTLES OF WINE OR 2 BUCKETS OF BEERS Q&A WITH PLAYER OR COACH HALF TIME TEA & COFFEE PRIVATE BAR & LOUNGE PADDED SEAT MATCH TICKETS DIGITAL MATCH DAY PROGRAMME MATCH DAY TEAM SHEET 3 X CAR PARKING SPACES

ADVERTISING AT DONCASTER KNIGHTS

WE HAVE OVER 100 GAMES PER SEASON AT CASTLE PARK, COUPLED WITH OUR INCREASING CROWDS AND DIGITAL FOOTPRINT MAKES IT THE PERFECT TIME TO GIVE YOUR BUSINESS THE EXPOSURE IT DESERVES

CASTLE PARK DRIVEWAY BOARD

1 YEAR = £400 + VAT 2 YEARS = £700 + VAT 3 YEARS = £900 + VAT

PITCH SIDE PERIMETER BOARD

1 YEAR = £700 + VAT 2 YEARS = £1200 + VAT 3 YEARS = £1500 + VAT

LARGE TERRACE BANNER £999 + VAT



PLAYER SPONSORSHIP

COMPANY NAME ON THE PLAYER PROFILE ON THE KNIGHTS WEBSITE & MATCH DAY PROGRAMME

LINKEDIN POST TO ANNOUNCE PLAYER SPONSORSHIP

IN-GAME SOCIAL MEDIA POSTS WHEN YOUR PLAYER SCORES, PLUS MATCH DAY ANNOUNCEMENT FOR HOME GAMES

TEAM LINE-UP PLAYER ANNOUNCEMENT

BUSINESS NAME ON HOSPITALITY TEAM SHEETS

INVITATIONS TO SPONSORS LUNCH EVENTS

OPPORTUNITY TO INVITE PLAYER FOR MARKETING OPPORTUNITY

FIRST REFUSAL TO SPONSOR PLAYER FOR THE FOLLOWING SEASON

Forwards (excluding Hookers) player sponosorship: £500 + VAT Backs & Hookers player sponosorship: £700 + VAT

INCLUDE A PITCHSIDE ADVERTISING BOARD FOR ONLY £500 + VAT ADD A HOSPITALITY TABLE OF 10 FOR £600 + VAT





TUNNEL SPONSORS

OPPORTUNE LOCATION FOR PHOTOGRAPHS AND SOCIAL MEDIA EXPOSURE

ALL EYES ON THE TUNNEL AS PLAYERS ENTER THE FIELD

FANTASTIC BUSINESS EXPOSURE ON THE CLUBHOUSE

BRANDING ADDED AROUND PILLARS AT PITCH ENTRY

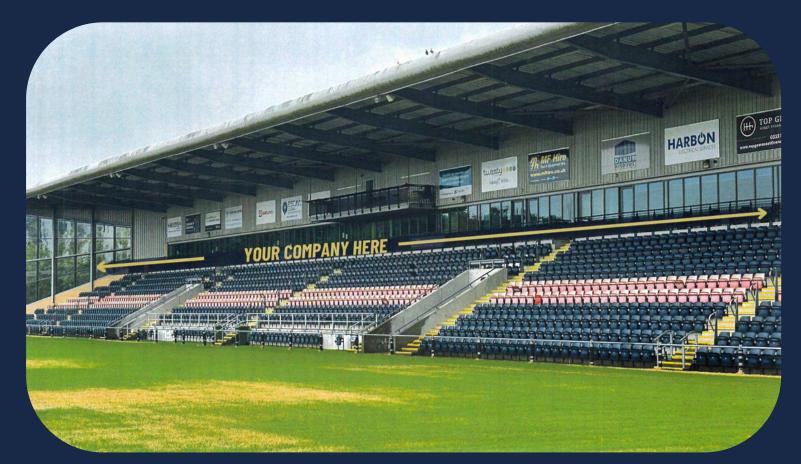
LOGO ON MATCH BALL PLINTH



MAIN STAND SPONSORSHIP



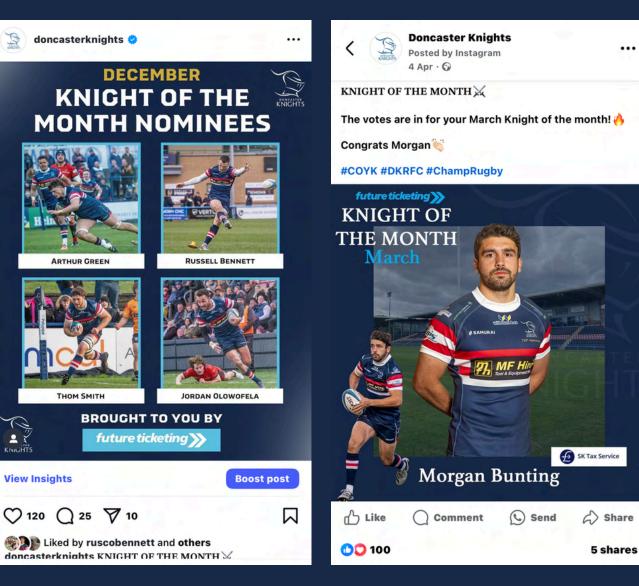
FULL LENGTH SIGNAGE ADVERTISING ACROSS THE FULL STAND SEEN BY FANS TAKING SEATS IN THE STAND (1600 CAPACITY) CONSTANTLY SEEN BY THE TERRACE (3000 CAPACITY) SEEN BY MATCH DAY EVENT/FUNCTION GUESTS IN ARMS PARK SEEN ACROSS SOCIAL MEDIA IN MATCH DAY IMAGES AND PROMOTIONS





KNIGHT OF THE MONTH MONTHLY AWARD SPONSORED BY YOUR BUSINESS LOGO AND COMPANY COLOURING USED IN DESIGN OF POSTS POSTED ACROSS OUR 70K SOCIAL MEDIA FOLLOWING

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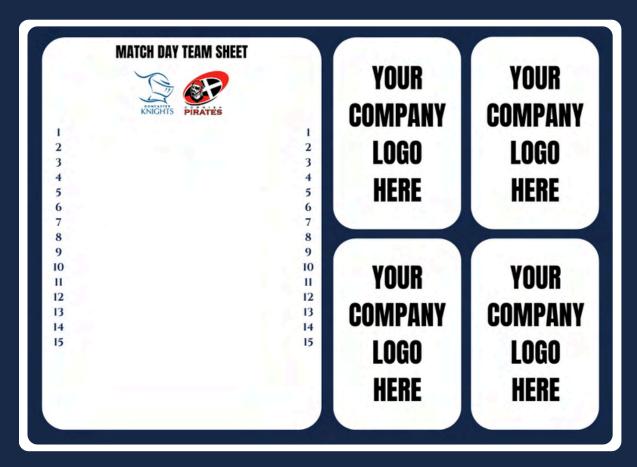


TEAM SHEET SPONSOR

YOUR LOGO ON THE BACK OF EVERY TEAM SHEET

ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS TO THOUSANDS OF HOSPITALITY GUESTS ACROSS **ALL 13 HOME LEAGUE GAMES, PRE-SEASON FRIENDLIES** AND POTENTIAL **PLAY OFFS**.

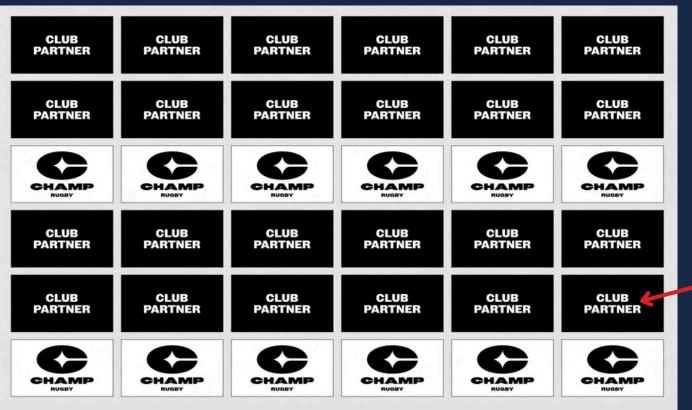
AVERAGE 400 HOSPITALITY GUESTS PER GAME.





ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS TO OUR TENS OF THOUSANDS OF FOLLOWERS

PRE MATCH PLAYER/COACH INTERVIEWS





YOUR COMPANY LOGOS HERE



HOST YOUR BUSINESS EVENT/CELEBRATION

At Doncaster Knights, you can hire out the entirety of one of our hospitality suites and entertain a room full of guests, employees, clients or friends.

Invite whoever you like to share a day of action-packed rugby, socialising and networking, with close accomplices or new clients, all from the comfort of your very own room. It's your day, you call the shots!

Up to 300 people
Private bar in one of our hospitality lounges
Impeccable view for the game
Player Q&A
Choice of dining options
Access to team sheets and match day programme



We're excited to launch a NEW revamped seasonal hospitality option for you to enjoy with your friends, family, co-workers, clients, or whoever! We know the working week can be hectic, so it's nice to come enjoy your favourite sport, while submersing yourself into a relaxed and sociable environment.

- Exclusive use of Private Bar
 - Pre-match buffet
 - Padded match day seat
 - Player Q&A
- Chance to enter in our 'Guess the Score' competition
 - Half-time teas and coffees (upon request)
 - Access to Man of the Match Presentation
- Access to team sheet and online match day programme
- Business Networking Opportunities Invitations to Sponsors'
 - Lunches
 - Priority access to International Tickets
 - 10% off in club shop

£550 INC. VAT



HERE TO HELP YOU GROW YOUR BUSINESS

Adverts in our Match Day Programme – 11,000+ views

Advertisement in our Concourse on a Match Day

Promotion in our Newsletter – **5,000+** database which is constantly growing

Introduce you to fellow sponsors and businesses

We can tailor a package to suit you and ensure that you receive maximum value from your sponsorship with Doncaster Knights







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2025-26

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