

EASTERN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB



EASTERN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB – 1926-1927

(l-r) Back Row: B. Mbuleli, L. Dyonyeli, B. Ranana, B. Ngxizela, T. Magobiyane, J. Maxengana, F. May, H. Tsili (Secretary), R. Yaka.
Middle Row: H. Habana (Vice-Chairman), J. Ooqodele, J.N. Thom, P.B. Ndumo (Captain), B. Fihlani (Vice-Captain), B. Vazi, R. Tshongwana.
Front Row: S. Khongwana (Treasurer), J. Kalashe.
On Floor: P. Hewana, K. Shoba.



EASTERN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB – 1930

(l-r) Back Row: J. Gumenge, N. Kolweni, J. Kelekethe, W. Magongo, B. Ranana, H.S. Tsili (Honorary Secretary), P. O'Gqoyi, H. Habana, A.B. Makasika.
Middle Row: R. Tshongwana, S.D. Kongwana, F. Mangele, P.B. Ndumo (Captain.), G. Memani (Vice-Captain), M. Lesita, B. Nqikela, J.Y. Dyantyi.
Front Row: K.E. Fuku, J. Kalashe.



EASTERN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB – 1954

WINNERS – KNOCKOUT COMPETITION

(l-r) Back Row: Mr Zokoza, S. Manyati, M. Roxo, N. Koliti, M. Moyake.
Third Row: E. Veliti, K. Dyaloyi, Z. Katiya, Nfeliti Gaba, Mickey Ndumo, Mr Kolobile, Mr Nkonki, Mr Moya, K. Moyake.
Second Row: G. Mona, B. Nqikela, S. Nqikela, G. Ncanywa (President), G. Tena, M. Fuku, V. Dyaloyi.
Front Row: B. Fuku, Tsewu Faku.



EASTERN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB LADIES SECTION 1951

(l-r) Back Row: Z. Katiya, K. Planga, E. Veliti.
Middle Row: M. Fuku, N. Koliti, N. Cintso, M. Roxo, L. Kolweni, G. Tena, N. Kolweni, R. Njingana, V. Dyaloyi, M. Moyakhe.
Front Row: N. Njingana, S. Nqikela, N. Kelekethe, G. Ncanywa (President), N. Matyumza, B. Nqikela, N. Kalashe.

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LADIES SECTION – 1954

(l-r) Back Row: N. Sulelo, J. Dyaloyi.

Middle Row: Z. Bala, M. Sulelo, S. Ncanywa, M. Moyakhe, B. Nqikela, N. Cwesa, T. Jamela, N. Tonyela, M. Jamela.

Front Row: J. Roxo, Nodolly, T. Nqikela, H. Habana, M. Mbetshu, N. Bacela, G. Kelekethe.

Front Lying: T. Moyikwa, N. Kelekethe.



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SECOND DIVISION – 1964

1964 Champions (Second Division). They boasted players like Lindy Nqikela, Donny Nqikela, Mr Magopheni, Mtololo Dibela, Koyana Nomngqokwana.



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SECOND DIVISION – 1964

Mr K. Faku (with the ball) posed with the Second Division players.



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WINNERS OF SECOND DIVISION, 1974

(l-r) Back Row: L. Kelele, A. Maqanda, ?. Ngcangca, P. Jamela, S. Qoko, N. Tumani, N. Matomana, B. Dyeshana, ?. Papu.

Front Row: P. Qoko, K. Mona, F. Mawaba, M. Saki, B. Booji, Z. Mvula, B. Kelekete.

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*(l-r) Back Row: W. Faltein (Secretary), M. Gaika, L. Nqikela, P. Ncamiso, S. Maqanda, Mr Mtana, T. Quntu, N. Matomana.
Middle Row: Mr Magopheni, M. Kepe, M. Mvula (Captain), Mr Mona, H. Nojoko, M. Tyebooi, M. Mawaba, D. Nqikela.
Front Row: T. Vani, L. Dickson.*



EASTERN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB – 1981

*(l-r) Back Row: B. Kelekethe, T.D. Matyholweni, D. Mtwa, P. Adam, N.Ntlanjeni, P. Ncamiso.
Middle Row: P. Matyholweni, M.D. Kondile, Z. Mvula, X. Leyi, L. Kelele, Z. Kula, T.E. Khuhlane.
In Front: P. Yako.*



EASTERN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB – 1983 GRAHAMSTOWN

*(l-r) Back Row: V. Kadi, P. Yako, M. Jodwana, N. Ntlanjeni, P. Matyholweni, M. Ncamiso.
Middle Row: V. Kolisi (Coach), W. Bungane, M. Kondile, M. Mfecane, R. Rawana, M. Mvula, M. Kula (Manager).
Front Row: B. Kelekethe, P. Adam (Captain), F. Saul.*



EASTERN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB – 1984

*(l-r) Back Row: H. Nojoko, P. Matyholweni, N. Ntlanjeni, A. Koloza, P. Faku, M. Kula, L. Kelele, B. Kelekethe.
Second Row: X. Leyi, M. Kondile, M. Jodwana.
In Front: V. Kolisi. Inset: P. Adam.*

After the 1972 split of Eastern, the entire 1st team decided to remain with Mr Mdyesha who was leading African Rugby Board Danie Craven. The club promoted its 3rd team which was the champions to 1st team. They became Champs in 1973. Great players like Humphrey "Sugar" Mojoko, Louis Dickson, Tumse Vani, Mthutuzeli Tyebooi, Mnyamezeli Kepe, Koko Mona and others.

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EASTERN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB – 1985

*(l-r) Back Row: M. Grawana (Coach), M. Gaika (Manager), B. Landu, M. Jodwana, V. Kolisi, P. Ncamiso, N. Ntlanjeni, P. Matyholweni, M. Jamela (President).
Middle Row: P. Matyholweni, V. Kieselo, M. Sokhanyile, M. Kondile, P. Adam (Captain).
Front Row: M. Ngeju, L. Bacela, Z. Ncula, W. Bungane.*



*(l-r) Back Row: Z. ?????, V. Kolisi, B. Keleketete, Z. Ndumo, E. Mfecane, Z. Matomana, S. Madasi, S. Kwini, P. Phillip, M. Jodwana, W. Bungane.
Front Row: V. Bungane, H. Maqanda, P. Adam, M. Adam.*



EASTERN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB – 1990

EASTERN VS ROSE MATCH

Led by the Captains Phumzile Adam and Mdayi Sandi of Winter Rose, Eastern won by 9-4.



EASTERN R.F.C. VS. WINTER-ROSE F.R.C. – 1991

P. Adam (Captain) introducing the players to the elders. Behind him is Mr M. Gqeke. In front of him is M. Adam, N. Ntlanjeni, S. Sobayeni and K. Ralo.