



## West End/SYC Rugby

- Established as WSHS Rugby in 1977
- First Girls' High School team formed in 1981
- Renamed West End Rugby in 1985
- SYC Rugby formed in 2000
- West End merged with SYC in 2008
- Teams and players at all levels that Rugby VA and Chesapeake Conference offer
- Our coaches are focused on building a supportive environment, helping players get better, and competing for championships.
- At the end of tonight's meeting, we're hopeful that you'll understand our expectations and have all your questions answered.

#### **Getting Better** (how you can help your player)

- Priorities are family, school, rugby 1.
- Nutrition: players need to eat before and after 2. practices and matches and Recover!
- Model respect for referees. 3.



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### **Benefits of Rugby**

- Rugby will make you a better athlete
- Allow you to play a college sport
- IS a lifelong sport
- Potential path to professionalism













## Schedule

- HSG and HSG First Scrimmages, 17 Feb
- FREE Kicking Clinic and Rugby Demo, 24 Feb
- U14 and Younger First Scrimmages, 16 Mar
- Community Service at Americana Drive, 23 Mar
- Off Weekend, 30 & 31 Mar
- Senior Day, TBA
- Season Wraps, 11 & 12 May
- Annual BBQ and Alumni Matches, 18 May



- 1. We strive to keep the calendar current at westendrugby.org (&.com).
- 2. Follow us on Instagram, https://www.instagram.com/syc\_westendrugby/.
- 3. Add rugby@sycva.com to trusted emails.

## Notes

• Your coach should be your first stop for communication.

 Add mailer@demosphere.com & rugby@sycva.com to trusted emails.

• You should have a ball at home. If not, ask your coach.

- Volunteers needed...
  - Videographer for matches
  - Hosting after matches
  - Coordinating Athletic Trainer support
  - Setting and closing pitch for matches.
  - We need referees!



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