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With their first tournament only three weeks away, and regular play beginning in May, the Waterdown Boys' Rugby Club turned out at Memorial Park for some informal practices this March Break.

Returning Head Coach Monty Heald was joined by David Burnett (president of the Niagara Thunder Rugby) in giving a new crop of players insights into the increasingly popular sport.

Graduated players Nathaniel Stajov, Eddie Enriquez, Paul Bousfield (getting ready to head off to Argentina next week), Homer Markle (MVP a few years back of the Mohawk College Program) & Sean Kearney (also going to Argentina) all stopped by to lend a hand to their Club.

Thanks to the efforts of Bousfield and Enriquez, the Club secured a \$1200 grant from the Ministry of Education to further help develop the program.

Kyle Duckworth (the last remaining "Original" from the first season), Bousfield and Enriquez began training programs last November to encourage new players to give the sport a try.

The Waterdown Boys' Rugby Club has always attracted a motley crew from Waterdown District High School, and this year is no different.

Enjoying the fine weather, the skills and personalities of the team are flourishing as the fifth season appears over the horizon.

-Submitted by Nathan Tidridge