

# Rugby History

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After a number of years of involvement with minor development in Mount Pearl, the Club moved its operation there in 1988. For the 1991 season the Dogs RFC fielded three senior sides, an under 17, and an under 19 side as well as coaching three high school teams. There was (and still is) also an active alumni association. Membership grew to an all-time high in 1991 with over 100 members registered. In April 1993, the Dogs RFC travelled to Toronto and Portugal on what was called the "Follow the Fish" tour. It was a two week tour with 30 players divided into two teams.

After an eight year fund raising drive to purchase a clubhouse, the Dogs RFC acquired its own club in 1993 on New Gower Street in St. John's. Now, the Dogs RFC is in a rebuilding phase. Many players have moved on to find work or to continue education and even play for other clubs. Our clubhouse on New Gower Street has been sold and we are now based out of the old Royal Canadian Legion building on Park Avenue in Mount Pearl.