

Rugby museum

Rugby is the national sport of New Zealand, and the history is deep. Many valuables are displayed and written about the history of rugby in the rugby Museum.



photo 1 Entrance of RUGBY MUSEUM

The uniform of All Blacks of New Zealand national team and the ball which was used in the old days are displayed.

Furthermore, the uniform of the Japanese team was displayed too, the uniform is when Japan played a game with the New Zealand team for the first time.

The New Zealand team has played a game with the Japanese team in 1936 and 1995, and photographs and uniforms of those days are displayed in the museum.

We had the museum director Steve, tell us about rugby.



photo 3 An old Japanese uniform of first test much against All Blacks

Rugby regards the power of the team as more important than personal power and values too not only my own teammates but also the friendship with the players of the opponent team, the director said.



photo 2 An old Ball

The All Blacks do a dance called "haka" before a game, the meaning of this dance is to show respect for the opponent

team, and achieves the motivation of their own team.



photo 5 Various uniforms of New Zealand

"Haka" has various kinds, and it is called "kappa · o · Pango" and "Kamate" now that the All Blacks dance.



photo 4 Director Steve(right)

The New Zealand rival countries are Australia, South Africa and England.

The country where rugby is strong uses the primary color for a uniform; New Zealand is black, Australia is yellow, South Africa is green, and England uses white.

Because there is a machine which we can experience rugby it is not boring. The rugby Museum is an important place to learn the history of rugby.