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England Rugby On This Day

History, Facts & Figures from Every Day of the Year

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Key features

- Unique take on the history of the England rugby union team, with entries for every day of the calendar year
- Published to mark the 150th anniversary of England's first ever rugby international
- Features England's legends including Martin Johnson, Bill Beaumont, Rory Underwood and Jeremy Guscott
- Tim is a sports journalist and author who writes for numerous national and regional newspapers, magazines and websites; *England Rugby On This Day* is his fourth book
- Each chapter is beautifully illustrated with colour photos
- Publicity campaign planned including radio, newspapers, websites, podcasts and magazines

Description

England Rugby On This Day revisits the most magical and memorable moments from the national team's distinguished history, mixing in a maelstrom of anecdotes and legendary characters to produce an irresistibly dippable diary – with an entry for every day of the year. From the first ever rugby international (the 1871 meeting with Scotland) to their exploits at the 2019 Rugby World Cup and beyond, the book covers all the highs and lows of 150 years of international rugby. With a record number of grand slams and triple crowns, England are the most successful team in the Six Nations. They reached the pinnacle of the game when they won the 2003 World Cup but have also suffered heartache in three losing finals. Relive 4 January 1936 when Prince Alexander Obolensky stunned the All Blacks, 5 March 1980 when John Carleton sealed a long-awaited grand slam with a hat-trick of tries, and of course 22 November 2003 – the day Jonny Wilkinson kicked England to World Cup glory in Sydney.

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