



Title information



Simply the Best

A Biography of Ronnie O'Sullivan

By Clive Everton

Key features

- A perfectly timed biography of a snooker legend
- Follows O'Sullivan's record-breaking title exploits of 2018
- Written by respected snooker author, editor and commentator Clive Everton – 'The Voice of Snooker' – who has known Ronnie throughout his career
- Of interest to sports fans beyond the green baize – Ronnie's story takes in notorious lows as well as celebrated moments of sporting genius
- Includes colour photo section to accompany the text (featuring images from Ronnie's private collection)
- Publicity campaign planned including radio, newspapers, websites and magazines

Description

In 2018, 'Rocket' Ronnie O'Sullivan further cemented his position as one of snooker's all-time greats by claiming his record-breaking seventh Masters title. Next, he equalled Steve Davis's six UK Championships, drawing level with Stephen Hendry's 18 Triple Crown titles. Now is the perfect time for his story to be told by Clive Everton – 'The Voice of Snooker' – who has known Ronnie throughout his illustrious and, at times, controversial career. *Simply the Best* traces Ronnie's course from carefree junior prodigy to deeply troubled and depressed adult, and so to maturity and self-knowledge. Along the way, he emerges as instinctively warm-hearted, the most loyal of sons and a true sportsman in his acceptance of defeat. Even so, this is no hagiography. Full consideration is given to Ronnie's episodes of vulgarity and stupidity in a rounded portrait of one of snooker's most fascinating, complicated and successful characters.

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