



## Events Calendar: December 2008 – March 2009

DATE	CATEGORY	EVENT	VENUE
<b>DECEMBER</b>			
2 – 7	Tennis	Blackrock Masters Tennis	Royal Albert Hall – London
3	Rugby Union	Barbarians v Australia	Wembley Stadium – London (7.45pm)
11	Rugby Union	The Varsity Match – Oxford University v Cambridge University	Twickenham – London (2.00pm)
14	Motor Sport	The Race of Champions	Wembley Stadium – London
16 – 22	Equestrian	The London International Horse Show	Olympia – London
19 – 4 Jan	Darts	Ladbrokes.com World Darts Championship	Alexandra Palace – London
<b>JANUARY</b>			
3 – 11	Darts	BDO Lakeside World Darts Championship	Lakeside – Frimley Green, Surrey
11 – 18	Snooker	Snooker Masters	Wembley Arena – London
15 – 18	Golf	The Abu Dhabi Golf Championship	Abu Dhabi GC – Abu Dhabi, UAE
19 – 1 Feb	Tennis	Australian Open	Melbourne Park – Melbourne, Australia
22 – 25	Golf	Commercialbank Qatar Masters	Doha GC – Doha, Qatar
29 – 1 Feb	Golf	Dubai Desert Classic	Emirates GC – Dubai, UAE
<b>FEBRUARY</b>			
1	American Football	The Superbowl XLIII	Raymond James Stadium – Tampa, Florida, USA
5 – 8	Golf	Emaar-MGF Indian Masters	Delhi GC – New Delhi, India
7	Rugby Union	England v Italy RBS Six Nations	Twickenham – London (3.00pm)
7	Rugby Union	Ireland v France RBS Six Nations	Croke Park – Dublin (5.00pm)
7	Rugby Union	Scotland v Wales RBS Six Nations	Murrayfield – Edinburgh (3.00pm)
14	Rugby Union	France v Scotland RBS Six Nations	Stade de France – Paris (4.00pm)
14	Rugby Union	Wales v England RBS Six Nations	Millennium Stadium – Cardiff (5.30pm)
15	Rugby Union	Italy v Ireland RBS Six Nations	Stadio Flaminio – Rome (3.30pm)
23 – 1 Mar	Golf	World Golf Championship Accenture Matchplay Championship	The Ritz-Carlton GC – Dove Mountain, Marana, Arizona, USA
27	Rugby Union	France v Wales RBS Six Nations	Stade de France – Paris (9.00pm)
28	Rugby Union	Scotland v Italy RBS Six Nations	Murrayfield – Edinburgh (3.00pm)
28	Rugby Union	Ireland v England RBS Six Nations	Croke Park – Dublin (5.30pm)
<b>MARCH</b>			
1	Football	Carling Cup Final	Wembley Stadium – London
10 – 13	Horse Racing	National Hunt Festival	Cheltenham – Gloucestershire
10 – 15	Golf	WGC – CA Championship	Doral Golf Resort & Spa – Doral, Florida, USA



## Events Calendar: March – May 2009

DATE	CATEGORY	EVENT	VENUE
<b>MARCH</b>			
14	Rugby Union	Italy v Wales RBS Six Nations	Stadio Flaminio – Rome (4.00pm)
14	Rugby Union	Scotland v Ireland RBS Six Nations	Murrayfield – Edinburgh (5.00pm)
15	Rugby Union	England v France RBS Six Nations	Twickenham – London (3.00pm)
21	Rugby Union	Italy v France RBS Six Nations	Stadio Flaminio – Rome (2.15pm)
21	Rugby Union	England v Scotland RBS Six Nations	Twickenham – London (3.30pm)
21	Rugby Union	Wales v Ireland RBS Six Nations	Millennium Stadium – Cardiff (5.30pm)
28	Football	England v Slovakia International Friendly	Wembley Stadium – London
28	Horse Racing	Dubai World Cup	Nad Al Sheba – Dubai, UAE
29	Rowing	University Boat Race	The Thames – London (3.40pm)
<b>APRIL</b>			
1	Football	England v Ukraine 2010 World Cup Qualifier	Wembley Stadium – London
2 – 4	Horse Racing	Grand National Meeting	Aintree – Liverpool
6 – 12	Golf	US Masters	Augusta National GC – Augusta, Georgia, USA
10 – 13	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R1	Brands Hatch – Kent
18	Football	FA Cup Semi-Final 1	Wembley Stadium – London
19	Football	FA Cup Semi-Final 2	Wembley Stadium – London
18/19	Rugby Union	EDF Energy Cup Final	Twickenham – London
18 – 4 May	Snooker	888.com World Snooker Championship	The Crucible Theatre – Sheffield
<b>MAY</b>			
1 – 2	Horse Racing	Kentucky Oaks & Derby	Churchill Downs – Louisville, USA
2 – 3	Rugby League	Murrayfield Magic Tournament	Murrayfield – Edinburgh
2	Horse Racing	2000 Guineas	Newmarket – East Anglia
2 – 4	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R2	Oulton Park – Tarporley, Cheshire
3	Horse Racing	1000 Guineas	Newmarket – East Anglia
7 – 10	Equestrian	Mitsubishi Motors Badminton Horse Trials	Badminton – Gloucestershire
7 – 10	Golf	Italian Open	Tbc
7 – 10	Golf	The Players' Championship	TPC Sawgrass – Florida, USA
7 – 11	Cricket	England v Sri Lanka – 1 <sup>st</sup> npower Test	Lords – London
13 – 15	Horse Racing	May Festival	York Racecourse – York
14 – 17	Golf	Irish Open	Tbc
15 – 19	Cricket	England v Sri Lanka – 1 <sup>st</sup> npower Test	Chester-le-Street, Durham
16	Rugby Union	Guinness Premiership Final	Twickenham – London
19 – 23	Culture	RHS Chelsea Flower Show	Royal Hospital – Chelsea, London



## Events Calendar: May – June 2009

DATE	CATEGORY	EVENT	VENUE
<b>MAY</b>			
20	Football	UEFA Cup Final	Sukru Saracoglu Stadium – Istanbul
21 – 24	Golf	BMW PGA Championship	Wentworth Club – Surrey
23	Rugby Union	Heineken European Cup Final	Murrayfield – Edinburgh
23	Football	Coca-Cola League 2 – Play-Off Final	Wembley Stadium – London
23 – 25	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R3	Donington Park – Derbyshire
24	Football	Coca-Cola League 1 – Play-Off Final	Wembley Stadium – London
24	Cricket	England v Sri Lanka NatWest Series 1 <sup>st</sup> One Day International	Bristol
24 – 7 Jun	Tennis	French Open	Roland Garros – Paris
25	Football	Coca-Cola Championship – Play-Off Final	Wembley Stadium – London
27	Football	UEFA Champions League Final	Stadio Olimpico – Rome
27	Cricket	England v Sri Lanka NatWest Series 2 <sup>nd</sup> One Day International	Edgbaston – Warwickshire
28 – 31	Golf	The European Open	Tbc
29 – 31	Rowing	Rowing World Cup – Phase 1	Banyoles, Spain
29 – 31	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R4	Thruxton – Andover, Hampshire
30	Football	FA Cup Final	Wembley Stadium – London
30	Cricket	England v Sri Lanka NatWest Series 3 <sup>rd</sup> One Day International	Headingley Carnegie – Leeds
<b>JUNE</b>			
4 – 7	Golf	The Celtic Manor Wales Open	The Celtic Manor Resort – Newport, Wales
5 – 6	Horse Racing	Vodafone Oaks / Derby	Epsom Racecourse – London
5 – 21	Cricket	ICC World Twenty20	England
6	Football	Kazakhstan v England 2010 World Cup Qualifier	Tbc
8 – 14	Tennis	The British Tennis Championships	Queen's Club – London
10	Football	England v Andorra 2010 World Cup Qualifier	Wembley Stadium – London
14	Polo	The Vivari Queen's Cup Final	Guard's Polo Club – Windsor
15 – 21	Golf	US Open Golf Championship	Bethpage State Park – Farmingdale, New York, USA
16 – 20	Horse Racing	Royal Ascot Meeting	Ascot Racecourse – Berkshire
18 – 21	Golf	Saint-Omer Open	Aa Saint-Omer GC – Lumbres, France
19 – 21	Motor Sport	Santander British Grand Prix	Silverstone Circuit – Northamptonshire
19 – 21	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R5	Snetterton – Norwich, Norfolk
20	Rugby Union	British/Irish Lions v South Africa First Test	ABSA Park, Durban – South Africa
21	Polo	The Royal Windsor Cup Final	Guard's Polo Club – Windsor



## Events Calendar: June – August 2009

DATE	CATEGORY	EVENT	VENUE
<b>JUNE</b>			
22 – 5 Jul	Tennis	Wimbledon Championships	Wimbledon – London
25 – 28	Golf	BMW International Open	Golfclub Munchen Eichenried – Munich, Germany
27	Rugby Union	British/Irish Lions v South Africa Second Test	Loftus Versfeld, Pretoria – South Africa
28	Polo	The Archie David Cup Final	Guard's Polo Club – Windsor
<b>JULY</b>			
1 – 5	Rowing	Henley Royal Regatta	Henley-On-Thames – Oxon
2 – 5	Golf	Open de France Alstom	Le Golf National – Paris, France
3 – 5	Motor Sport	Goodwood Festival of Speed	Goodwood – West Sussex
3 – 5	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R6	Knockhill – Fife, Scotland
4	Rugby Union	British/Irish Lions v South Africa Third Test	Ellis Park, Johannesburg – South Africa
7 – 12	Culture	Hampton Court Flower Show	Hampton Court – East Moseley, Surrey
8 – 10	Horse Racing	July Festival	Newmarket – East Anglia
8 – 12	Culture	Henley Festival	Henley-On-Thames – Oxon
8 – 12	Cricket	England v Australia – 1 <sup>st</sup> npower Test	Cardiff
9 – 12	Golf	Barclays Scottish Open	Loch Lomond – Scotland
16	Polo	Veuve Clicquot Gold Cup – Semi Finals	Cowdray Park – West Sussex
16 – 19	Golf	138 <sup>th</sup> Open Championship	Ailsa Course, Turnberry – Ayrshire, Scotland
16 – 20	Cricket	England v Australia – 2 <sup>nd</sup> npower Test	Lords – London
17 – 19	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R7	Mallory Park – Hinckley, Leicestershire
19	Polo	Veuve Clicquot Gold Cup – Finals	Cowdray Park – West Sussex
23 – 26	Golf	SAS Masters	Barseback G&CC – Skane, Sweden
26	Polo	Cartier International Day	Guard's Polo Club – Windsor
28 – 1 Aug	Horse Racing	Glorious Goodwood	Goodwood – West Sussex
30 – 3 Aug	Cricket	England v Australia – 3 <sup>rd</sup> npower Test	Edgbaston – Warwickshire
<b>AUGUST</b>			
1 – 8	Sailing	Skandia Cowes Week	Cowes – Isle of Wight
4 – 9	Golf	WGC – Bridgestone Invitational	Firestone Country Club – Akron, Ohio, USA
7 – 9	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R8	Brands Hatch – Kent
7 – 11	Cricket	England v Australia – 4 <sup>th</sup> npower Test	Headingley Carnegie – Leeds
10 – 16	Golf	USPGA Championship	Hazeltine National GC – Chaska, Minnesota, USA
13 – 16	Golf	The English Open	St. Mellion International Resort – Cornwall, England
18 – 21	Horse Racing	Ebor Festival	York Racecourse



## Events Calendar: August – September 2009

DATE	CATEGORY	EVENT	VENUE
<b>AUGUST</b>			
20 – 24	Cricket	England v Australia – 5 <sup>th</sup> npower Test	The Brit Oval – London
23 – 30	Rowing	World Rowing Championships	Poznan – Poland
27 – 30	Golf	Johnnie Walker Championship at Gleneagles	The Gleneagles Hotel – Perthshire, Scotland
29	Rugby League	Carnegie Challenge Cup Final	Wembley Stadium – London
29 – 31	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R9	Cadwell Park – Louth, Lancashire
30	Cricket	England v Australia NatWest Series 1 <sup>st</sup> Twenty20 International	Old Trafford – Manchester
31 – 13 Sep	Tennis	US Open Championship	Flushing Meadows – New York, USA
Tbc	Football	FA Community Shield	Wembley Stadium – London
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>			
1	Cricket	England v Australia NatWest Series 2 <sup>nd</sup> Twenty20 International	Old Trafford – Manchester (floodlit)
3 – 6	Equestrian	The Land Rover Burghley Horse Trials	Stamford – Lincolnshire
4	Cricket	England v Australia NatWest Series 1 <sup>st</sup> One Day International	The Brit Oval – London (day/night)
5	Football	England v Slovenia International Friendly	Wembley Stadium – London
6	Cricket	England v Australia NatWest Series 2 <sup>nd</sup> One Day International	Lords – London
9	Football	England v Croatia 2010 World Cup Qualifier	Wembley Stadium – London
9	Cricket	England v Australia NatWest Series 3 <sup>rd</sup> One Day International	The Rosebowl – Hampshire (day/night)
9 – 12	Horse Racing	St Leger Festival	Doncaster Racecourse
11 – 13	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R10	Croft – Croft-on-Tees, North Yorkshire
12	Cricket	England v Australia NatWest Series 4 <sup>th</sup> One Day International	Lords – London
15	Cricket	England v Australia NatWest Series 5 <sup>th</sup> One Day International	Trent Bridge – Nottingham (day/night)
17	Cricket	England v Australia NatWest Series 6 <sup>th</sup> One Day International	Trent Bridge – Nottingham (day/night)
17 – 20	Golf	British Masters	Tbc
18 – 20	Rowing	European Rowing Championships	Brest – Belarus
18 – 20	Motor Sport	Goodwood Revival	Goodwood – West Sussex



## Events Calendar: September – December 2009 / 2010

DATE	CATEGORY	EVENT	VENUE
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>			
20	Cricket	England v Australia NatWest Series 7 <sup>th</sup> One Day International	The Riverside – Durham
24 – 27	Golf	Volvo World Match-play Championship	Finca Cortesin GC – Malaga, Spain
25 – 27	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R11	Silverstone – Northamptonshire
<b>OCTOBER</b>			
1 – 4	Golf	Alfred Dunhill Links Championship	St Andrews / Carnoustie / Kingsbarns – Scotland
3	Horse Racing	Cambridgeshire Meeting	Newmarket – East Anglia
4	Horse Racing	Prix de L'Arc de Triomphe	Longchamps – Paris
7 – 11	Equestrian	Horse of the Year Show	NEC - Birmingham
9 – 11	Motor Sport	British Superbikes R12	Oulton Park – Tarporley, Cheshire
10	Rugby League	engage Super League Grand Final	Old Trafford – Manchester
10	Football	Ukraine v England 2010 World Cup Qualifier	Tbc
14	Football	England v Belarus 2010 World Cup Qualifier	Wembley Stadium – London
17	Horse Racing	Champions Day	Newmarket – East Anglia
<b>NOVEMBER</b>			
6 – 7	Horse Racing	Breeders Cup	Oak Tree @ Santa Anita Park Los Angeles, USA
19 – 22	Golf	The Dubai World Championship	Earth Course, Jumeirah Golf Estates – Dubai, UAE
<b>DECEMBER</b>			
Tbc	Equestrian	The London International Horse Show	Olympia – London
Tbc	Rugby Union	The Varsity Match – Oxford Univ v Cambridge Univ	Twickenham – London
Tbc	Darts	Ladbrokes.com World Darts Championship	Alexandra Palace – London
<b>2010</b>			
11 Jun – 11 Jul	Football	FIFA World Cup	South Africa
28 Sep – 3 Oct	Golf	The 38 <sup>th</sup> Ryder Cup Matches	Celtic Manor Resort – Newport, Wales