

# BEN RYAN



D.O.B:  
11.09.1971

POSITION:  
England Sevens Head  
Coach



- 2007 – Present:** England Sevens Head Coach
- 2006:** Coach, England Counties, Sevens & England U18's.
- 2002 – 2007:** Newbury Backs Coach
- England U18, U19, U21



A kaleidoscopic coaching career took Ben Ryan on an upward curve to his appointment with the England Sevens squad in January 2007.

Bens career started as part of the Loughborough University team and then he went on to play for Nottingham, Cambridge, Bedford, West Hartlepool and Newbury. Wimbledon-born, he had been in the England U18, U19 and U21 squads, led the Cambridge University Sevens side for two years and in 2006 coached England Counties, Sevens and U18 as well as Newbury in National One.

Thirty IRB World Series tournaments and a World Cup later, Ben can reflect on three and a half years in which he has become the longest serving England Sevens head coach. No current one at any England level, U18, U20, Saxons and Seniors, has been in the role for more time.