



DAVID BADDIEL

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DETAILS

Location: London
Height: 175cm
Playing Age: 26 - 40 years
Role Types: White
Eye Colour: Brown
Hair Colour: Black
Hair Length: Short

SKILLS

Accents & Dialects: (* = native)
London*, Standard American

Languages: (* = mother tongue)
English*, Italian

Music & Dance: (* = highly skilled)
Guitar*, Piano*

Performance: Comedy, Radio Presenting, Stand-up Comic, TV Presenting, Voice Over

Sports: (* = highly skilled)
Football*

Vehicle Licences: Car

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TELEVISION

The Book Quiz, BBC Four, 2007
Host

Football: The Glory Years, Bravo, 2007
Guest

Who Do You Think You Are?, BBC Two, 2007
Guest

Baddiel and Skinner Unplanned [Series 1 – 5], ITV1, 2000 - 2005
Performer with Frank Skinner

Bed Time Stories, CBeebies, 2005
Guest

Fantasy Football: Euro 2004, ITV1, 2004
Host with Frank Skinner

The Frank Skinner Show with Britney Spears, ITV1, 2002
Writer/Host

Who Wants To Be A Millionaire?, ITV1, 2001
Guest with Frank Skinner

Baddiel's Syndrome, Sky One, 2001
Co-writer/ 'David'

Fantasy World Cup, ITV1, 1998
Host with Frank Skinner

Fantasy Football League, BBC Two, 1994 - 1996
Host with Frank Skinner

Grandstand, BBC One, 1994
Guest Commentator

Newman and Baddiel In Pieces, BBC Two, 1993
Writer/Performer

The Mary Whitehouse Experience, BBC Two, 1991 – 1992
Writer/Performer

FILM

Gods Window, BBC Films/Slingshot Productions, 2008 [In Development]
Writer

Forsaking All Others, Disney, 1997
Writer

RADIO AND ONLINE

Heresy, BBC Radio 4, 2004 – 2008
Host [Series 1-4], Guest [Series 5]

World Cup Podcast, The Times Online, 2006
Presenter with Frank Skinner

The Mary Whitehouse Experience, BBC Radio 1, 1989 – 1991
Writer/Performer

The Week Ending, BBC Radio 4, 1987 – 1989
Writer

PRINT

The Times, Bi monthly column, 2005 –
Columnist

Esquire, Monthly column, 2008
Columnist

The Secret Purposes, Little Brown & Co, 2004
Author

Whatever Love Means, Little Brown & Co, 2001
Author

Time For Bed, Little Brown & Co, 1996
Author

The Mary Whitehouse Experience Encyclopaedia, Fourth Estate, 1992
Co-author

RELEASES

Baddiel and Skinner's Fantasy Football 2004, 2 Entertain, 2004
DVD

Baddiel & Skinner Unplanned Live From London's West End, Momentum Pictures, 2001
DVD

Three Lions 98, Epic, 1998
CD/Cassette Single

David Baddiel Live On The Too Much Information Tour, PNE Video, 1997
DVD

Three Lions, Epic, 1996
CD/Cassette Single

Fantasy Football League, 2 Entertain, 1994
VHS Video

Newman and Baddiel Live and In Pieces, Vision Video Ltd, 1993
VHS Video

History Today, Vision Video Ltd, 1992
VHS Video

LIVE

Baddiel & Skinner Unplanned, Edinburgh Festival, 1998
Performer

Too Much Information Tour, National Tour, 1997
Solo Stand-Up Show

Newman and Baddiel In Pieces, Wembley Arena, 1993
Performer with Rob Newman

Newman and Baddiel, National Tour, 1991 – 1993
Performer with Rob Newman

AWARDS AND ACCOLADES

Nominated – Sony Radio Academy Award for ‘Baddiel & Skinner World Cup Podcasts’, 2006

Judging Panel – Booker Prize for Fiction, 2002

Nominated – Golden Rose Of Montreaux for ‘Baddiel & Skinner Unplanned’, 2001

Winner – Variety Club Award for Comedy, 2001

Judging Panel – Whitbread Book Awards, 2000

Judging Panel – Guardian First Book Award, 2000

Winner – NME Award for Music Event Of The Year for ‘Three Lions’, 1997

Nominated – Royal Television Society Awards for Best Comedy for ‘Fantasy Football League’, 1996

Winner – VHE Award for Best Comedy Video for ‘Newman and Baddiel Live and In Pieces’, 1993

Winner – Writers Guild Award, 1992

Winner – Radio Times Comedy Award for Best New Performer in Television Comedy, 1992

Winner – VHE Award for Best Comedy Video for ‘History Today’, 1992

WHAT THE PRESS HAS SAID

TIME FOR BED:

“Very, very funny but also manages to stay on the right side of realistic... I thought the book was terrific.”

Roddy Doyle

“One of the best things I have ever read about the nature of mad, obsessive love... funny, sad and horribly, painfully true.”

Tony Parsons

“Inventive and hilarious... a wonderful comedy shadowed and complicated by tenderness.”

Margaret Walters, Sunday Times (Books)

“A blisteringly funny and astonishingly well-executed novel.”

Kate Saunders, Sunday Express

“Simultaneously hilarious and desperately poignant... it made me laugh out loud.”

David Thomas, The Daily Telegraph

“Imagine an episode of ‘Men Behaving Badly’ written in the form of early Philip Roth and you get some impression of this confident debut by David Baddiel.”

Terence Blacker, The Mail on Sunday

“Consistently funny and well written.”

Adrienne Connors, The Sunday Times (Culture)

“David Baddiel has written a wickedly funny book, the perfect bedside companion for restless nights. It won’t cure insomnia, but it will send you to sleep smiling.”

Christina Koning, Cosmopolitan

“Entertaining and enjoyable... the lyrical side of laddism.”

The Times Literary Supplement

“Laughing out-loud funny... and his characterisation is impressive - especially in his three principle females, which makes a change for any male debutante, celebrity or not.”

Nicholas Royle, Time Out Magazine

“A very funny novel with brilliant gags and situations, digested expertly into a well-rounded plot, spring-loaded with unexpected reversals and surprises.”

Pete Bradshaw, Independent On Sunday

“A splendid maiden novel that has found its way to the top of the book charts in the first week of publication...an essential purchase.”

David Belcher, Glasgow Herald

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“David Baddiel is the most popular post-alternative comedian in Britain.”

William Cook, The Guardian

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Matthew Wright, The Mirror

FANTASY FOOTBALL LEAGUE:

“Ever since the Baddiel and Newmans of this world shaped comedy into the new rock ‘n’ roll, pretty much everything except the Camden Sainsbury’s has been given the same tag. But since the day David Baddiel and his flatmate, Frank Skinner, turned their Saturday nights in front of Match Of The Day into a television programme, football has certainly earned the title for its own.”

Time Out Magazine

“The comedy programme that has spawned the best new double act on television: Skinner and Baddiel...”

James Rampton, The Independent

“A rare, terrific innovation in BBC Comedy.”

Jasper Rees, Independent On Sunday

“Frank Skinner and David Baddiel trot out to a rapturous roar from the nation’s living rooms.”

Martin James, The Sunday Times

*“**Fantasy Football** is a huge hit show... totally hilarious. Baddiel and Skinner’s take on bloke life in a trivia-filled flat is funniness and foolery on a giant scale. A laughterfest!”*

David Quantick, Q Magazine

“David Baddiel and Frank Skinner’s BBC2 series was one long celebration of the free-masonry of football fandom...the recreations of famous scenes of footballing history were just sheer bliss.”

David Thomas, Daily Telegraph