

**If you could see their  
national sport, you might be  
less keen to see their rugby.**



**STOP THE SPRINGBOKS!**  
**NO LINKS WITH APARTHEID SPORT!**

**DEMONSTRATE**  
**SAT 19TH APRIL 1986**

ORGANISED BY: ANTI-APARTHEID MOVEMENT AAM LONDON COMMITTEE,  
BRITISH BLACK CONFERENCE AGAINST APARTHEID SPORT, SOUTH AFRICAN NON-RACIAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE.

**ASSEMBLE: 12.30PM AT TWICKENHAM B.R. STATION FOR MARCH AND RALLY**



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Sport in South Africa exists within the framework of apartheid. The facts speak for themselves :

88% of school rugby pitches - WHITES ONLY.

93% of golf courses - WHITES ONLY.

88% of cricket pitches - WHITES ONLY.

73% of athletics tracks - WHITES ONLY.

(Figures from an official body, the HSRC, on provision for the 13% white minority.)

"Official" apartheid sanctioned rugby boards exist within the framework of apartheid. Those fighting for non-racial rugby inside South Africa are opposed to international sporting links until apartheid is dismantled. It is therefore impossible to claim to be 'non-political' when supporting sporting contact with South Africa when those who are striving for non-racial sport in a non-racial society are opposed to such a position. It undermines the anti-apartheid struggle and supports the propaganda of the regime.

Britain is now the major sporting collaborator with apartheid South Africa, inspite of the governments paper position of opposition to sporting links and support for the Commonwealth Gleneagles Agreement against such links. The centenary of the International Rugby Union could have marked the occasion for making a stand against apartheid, instead it is being used as an event to bring apartheid further into the fold of international rugby. This shameful position is emphasized by the inclusion of 6 South African Springboks in the 'Rest of the World' squad to play at Twickenham on April 19th. Such gestures towards legitimising apartheid sport in the international arena cannot and will not go unchallenged.

**SUPPORT THE PROTEST AT TWICKENHAM ON THE 19th**