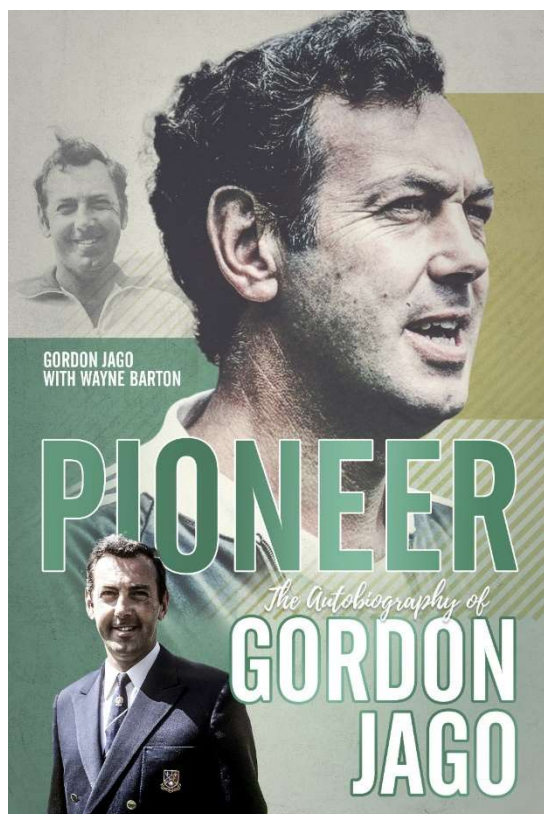




## Title information



### Pioneer

The Autobiography of Gordon Jago

By Gordon Jago, with Wayne Barton

### Key features

- First UK release of Gordon Jago's compelling autobiography
- Unique insight into the creation of arguably the finest ever QPR team
- Reveals how the BBC were involved in Jago's exit from Millwall
- Fascinating insight into the demise of the NASL
- Delves into the politics behind America hosting the 1994 World Cup and the rebirth of the MLS
- Details Gordon's crucial role in the success of the Dallas Cup, which was formally recognised when he was awarded an MBE
- Publicity campaign planned including radio, newspapers, websites, podcasts and magazines

### Description

Few people have made such an impact on so many areas of football, in so many parts of the world, as Gordon Jago. Jago – a tall, thoughtful centre-half with Charlton Athletic – made his biggest impression as a manager. In England, he created the foundation for the greatest Queens Park Rangers side in history – leading to speculation linking him with the national job – before transforming the identity of one of the country's most notorious clubs, Millwall. Jago resigned from the Den out of principle after a controversial episode of BBC TV's *Panorama* and moved to the US. He spent time in Florida before settling in Texas. From there, he was engaged in the political side of the North American game and was involved in discussions for America's hosting of the 1994 World Cup and the creation of the MLS. After retiring from coaching, Jago remained heavily involved with the Dallas Cup – a key part of the cultural heritage of the North American game – and was rewarded for his services to youth football with an MBE in 2006.

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