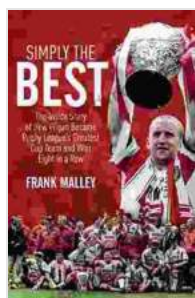


The Inside Story Of How Wigan Became Rugby League's Greatest Cup Team And Won



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The Early Years

Wigan Rugby League Club was founded in 1872. They played their first match on 12 October 1872 against Leigh RUFC. Wigan won the match 1-0. In the early years, Wigan played their matches at various grounds around the town. In 1895, they moved to their current home ground, Central Park.

The First Challenge Cup Win

Wigan won their first Challenge Cup in 1910. They defeated Huddersfield 19-3 in the final. This was the first of Wigan's 19 Challenge Cup wins.

The Golden Era

The 1950s and 1960s were a golden era for Wigan. They won the Challenge Cup seven times in this period. They also won the league championship six times. The team was led by some of the greatest players in the history of the sport, including Billy Boston, Eric Ashton and Johnny Lynam.

The Modern Era

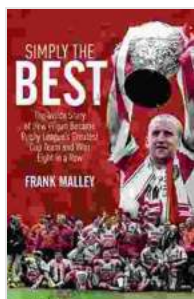
Wigan continued to be a successful club in the modern era. They won the Challenge Cup five times in the 1990s and 2000s. They also won the

league championship four times in this period. The team was led by some of the greatest players in the modern era, including Andy Farrell, Shaun Edwards and Martin Offiah.

The Future

Wigan Rugby League Club is still a major force in the sport today. They are one of the most successful clubs in the Super League. They have won the Challenge Cup twice in the last five years. The future looks bright for Wigan Rugby League Club.

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