

BBC Radio Five Live become the World Cup
nationals, along with digital television
Five Live Sport Extra, the evening
commentary and analysis programme
match. Programme on the schedule,
including *Boxing*, *Drum*, *News* and *Drum*,
will come from Germany providing live
with the most comprehensive coverage and
up-to-date news from the tournament.

The commentary is presented by *John O'Grady*,
Mark Pegg and Mark Saggers with a expert
team of match commentary: Alan Green, Chief
Football Correspondent, Mike Ingham, John
Murray, Ian Brown, Ian Dennis, Conon
McNamee, Damien Frawley, David O'Leary, Alitai
Bryce-Ball, Mike Sell and Nigel Adelle.

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one int e ie i ht he Englandt eam. Jon a han
Lega d, Mike Ingham and Te B4 che a et he
epo t e int he England camp.

606 cont int e t o in t e fan ' opinion and Alan
G een p e er t a p e cial 606 f om Ge man
af e each England game, ga t ing lit ene '
p ai e and c i i c i m ont hei p e fo mance.
Nick Campbell co-p e er t B4 t e e
da (6-9am) f om Ge man i h Shelagh
Foga t int he t 4dio in London, fea 4 ing
ne f om t he p e i o 4 e ening' ma che and
int e ie i ht he ke pla e .

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12pm) f om F ank 4 t , N4 emb 4 g and
Cologne, he e England pla t hei fi t t h ee
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la et ne and i 4 e f om t he Wo ld C4p.

Simon Ma o p e er t hi af e noon ho (12-

Rob Hatfield, Editor, Planning for Fie Li e, elaborate on the preparation for bringing live coverage of broadcasting a day from World Cup 2006.

It's a joint operation between Fie Li e and BBC Sport, but on a model of the last World Cup in Korea/Japan, he explains. We're trying to make the whole thing gel as 'Fie Li e at the World Cup', so it flows seamlessly through the day rather than have separate pieces of programme on one particular day of the day. And he might pop up at times rather than be normally a topic about the atmosphere, game and so on. Nick Campbell might appear sometime late in the morning or early afternoon, for example.

And we're the only radio station based in England' he'll be in Baden Baden so we'll have the best coverage of the camp with brilliant access to team members and coaches. Obviously we'll talk about the atmosphere, special moments, but we're right on the pitch for all the excitement and interest and we'll take the pressure conference line too.

And as soon as the final whistle goes in an England match Alan Green will come on live from the stadium with 606 and go, 'Right, what's the headline of the game on TV, what do you think?' And if we get an interview with Sen he can just interview 606 and go on the radio, live, and then we can't talk about the Sen's signing. So that would be a really good live interview after the England game.

The Netherlands in Germany to come big to us, and we've got reports that he's going to do the team he'll and team training the day after a day of play in the evening. He'll play in the Premier League, so we've got access to English-speaking overseas players in just about every league team which is great. Ricardo Scaoni is coming back for the first time at the Communication Director of the 2002 World Cup, he's got a plan for the day

so it's a real coup for us to get him and the interview in the night he can provide us with 'ha' going on in the mind of the World champion. As well as the late afternoon camp.

Rob talked his planning for the huge operation one year ago and we'll have it been even more complicated than for the Euro-cup tournament in Korea and Japan in 2002.

The fact that the group have been formed, each country plan a different circuit and the idea of selling into the first round, so we've had to do a lot of work in a comment. What about the old idea of the commentaries having a lead and go to a stadium with the camera, because the evening is so important and a large camera is not the thing to have a camera, not to mention the extra cost! So we'll get and get them back he'll.

To make it easier to move people around, the radio team has been based in Germany in Munich, the international Broadcasting Centre is based in Berlin and Heidelberg. Rob himself heads off to the end of March for the engineering to prepare the day for the action to come, and hope that the England team will be a major player.

If England give us a good fight it will be fantastic. We'll be one of the best talking about it back in England, the paper will be full of it, it will be a huge event on Fie Li e! he'll laugh.

The moment we'll build up if we get to the final it'll be a real day and I hope that the hole of Fie Li e will be in Germany!

And who knows, they might do it, he adds hope. The evening of the best of the day had in the evening and if they can take a clear injury who knows what will happen.

It would be an opportunity for Rob, who's been on the BBC after the World Cup.

This is the last major tournament for the BBC so it would be a real challenge. He'll be a mile. So Sen, if we need an extra incentive