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Rugby gets set to host Warwickshire's largest St Georges Day Celebrations

Rugby Town Centre will once again be celebrating St George's Day in style with a host of fun filled festivities already planned. Following on from the success of last year's events, Friday 23rd April 2010 will see Rugby transformed as Regent Street prepares to host Warwickshire's biggest St George's Day celebrations.

Events will get underway from 10.30am when the town will be buzzing with activities for everyone to enjoy. St George will once again ride through Rugby Town Centre on horseback before going into combat with a knight and there will be plenty to entertain the children from story telling to face-painting.

The day will also see the town centre transported back to olden days with demonstrations of wood turning and basket weaving taking place throughout the day alongside a static bird display. Local school children will be invited along to take part in drawing, painting and story writing on scrolls.

"Following on from last year's successful event we have worked hard to put together another great day of entertainment to celebrate St George's day and all things English," said Aftab Gaffar, Operations Director at the Rugby BID Company, who is behind the celebrations.

"We really want people to come along to what has become Warwickshire's largest St George's Day celebration and support England's National Day. A local shop window dressing competition will also be running and we're sure all the businesses in the town and their staff will be entering into the spirit of the day."