



Born on 11th November 1950 in Carmarthen, Roy Bergiers is an iconic figure in West Wales.

Bergiers' rugby journey started as a youngster, making his name at Stradey Park. A club career that saw him score 318 points in almost 250 appearances for Llanelli.

In October 1972, he scored the only try in Llanelli's famous 9–3 victory over the New Zealand national team in one of the biggest upsets in the history of rugby.

The day is etched in Welsh rugby history and Bergiers' try is almost certainly his career highlight.

Earlier that year, Bergiers had made his debut for Wales against England at Twickenham. He went on to play 11 times for his country scoring 2 tries.

In 1974, he was also selected to tour South Africa with the British Lions.

The Lions went through the tour undefeated, winning 21 of their 22 matches - being held to a draw in the final match.

The 1974 squad became known as 'The Invincibles' and are widely regarded as the greatest rugby touring team in history.

After finishing on the pitch, Roy's impact has continued off it, spending many years supporting the youth of Carmarthenshire and beyond with their own sporting development.

His rugby boots, several playing shirts and his Lions 1974 tour blazer are proudly displayed at Carmarthen Athletic Rugby Club.