

Commemorative Books Coverage List

The Beatles Story

Date of Paper	Pages	Event Covered
8 Aug 1963	Page 11	“The roaring sixties Beatles”
10 Sep 1963	Pages 12 & 13	“The Beatles – four frenzied Little Lord Fauntleroy's who are making £5,000 every week”
11 Sep 1963	Page 3	“That Big Beat Wave sweeps new names to the top of the Pop poll”
29 Sep 1963	Page 11	“Four astonishing young men who are astonished by their own success”
17 Oct 1963	Page 3	“A Royal show for the Beatles”
5 Nov 1963	Page 3	“Marlene Dietrich meets the Beatles”
5 Nov 1963	Pages 16 & 17	“Beatlemania – night of triumph for four young men at the Royal Variety Show”
6 Nov 1963	Pages 6 & 7	“Beatlemania – even the champagne and diamond set join the craze”
16 Jan 1964	Page 3	“Les Beatles – Magnifique!” - The Beatles perform in Paris
8 Feb 1964	Front page	“Yeah! Yeah! U.S.A! – 5,000 scream ‘welcome’ to the Beatles”
10 Feb 1964	Back page	“Beatles on TV wow America – they’ve never seen anything like it”
11 Feb 1964	Page 5	“The Beatles strike gold – twice”
14 Feb 1964	Pages 12 & 13	“The Beatles in America...they score a diplomatic triumph at the Embassy”
17 Feb 1964	Pages 12 & 13	“Alone in the sun with the Beatles in Miami”
21 Feb 1964	Page 3	“Back-stage girl joins four men in a boat for a final holiday fling”
22 Feb 1964	Front and back pages	“Welcome home Beatles! – all-night siege at London airport”
26 Feb 1964	Page 3	“A happy birthday, George! – 52 bags full”
20 Mar 1964	Pages 16 & 17	“The Beatles meet Harold Wilson - the MP from Beatlepool”
24 Mar 1964	Front page	“Beatles pushed up for the Duke of Edinburgh – but they had to hire suits in a hurry”
24 Apr 1964	Page 11	“I want to hold my tongue! Beatle John shocks ‘em on his big day”
26 Apr 1964	Pages 20 & 21	“The Beatles open their latest picture album for the Sunday Mirror”
28 Apr 1964	Page 3	“The Beatles give the bard a bashing” - The group rehearse to perform an excerpt from ‘A Midsummer Night’s Dream’ for an ITV show
30 Apr 1964	Page 5	“The Beatles meet their wax twins at Madame Tussaud’s in London”
5 June 1964	Page 10	“The Beatles fly in to a wonderful, wonderful welcome in Copenhagen”
6 June 1964	Page 9	“Dear Ringo: Get well soon - wish you were here, say the other Beatles”

8 June 1964	Page 11	“Hold that jet! BOAC wait for the Beatles”
13 June 1964	Page 4	“The greatest Beatle frenzy of all time – hemmed in by 100,000 in Adelaide”
3 July 1964	Page 5	“The Beatles arrive back in London to only 200 waiting fans”
25 Aug 1964	Page 11	“Gone fishin’ – just four young men in search of a bite”
27 Aug 1964	Page 7	“The Beatles are all the rage and Ringo is the big draw in America”
6 Oct 1964	Page 7	“The Brian Epstein Story”
22 Feb 1965	Pages 12 & 13	“They’re a ten million pound supercargo flying out today to make a new Beatles film in the sun”
23 Feb 1965	Page 8	“The Beatles fly off - to tears of hundreds of teenagers”
5 Mar 1965	Page 5	“The one that bites...” – Donald Zec dissects Mr J. Lennon
12 May 1965	Pages 16 & 17	“Hail, Ringo – a picture that could only click when a Beatle meets the world’s top fashion photographer”
12 June 1965	Front page	“Beatles, MBE! – the big surprise in the Queen’s first ‘pop’ honours list”
13 June 1965	Front page	“Our MBE – it means Mr Bria Epstein, say the Beatles
21 June 1965	Page 2	“Blockade at London airport halts Beatle fans”
30 July 1965	Page 3	“Help! say Beatle show police – 4,000 fans at film premiere”
14 Aug 1965	Page 7	“The Beatles dodge fans’ ‘ambush’ at Kennedy Airport, New York”
27 Oct 1965	Front page	“The Beatles receive their MBE’s from the Queen at Buckingham Palace”
2 Nov 1965	Page 5	“A spectacular ‘thank you’ from the Beatles to their first TV producer Johnny Hamp”
20 Nov 1965	Page 9	“A pop-world look at the four seasons...by the ever-seasonal Beatles”
12 Aug 1966	Page 3	“Beatles fly in to face the storm. But Lennon says: I’m not worried about tour”
11 Nov 1966	Page 9	“At the crossroads”
31 Jan 1967	Page 7	“The Beatles – Now!
20 May 1967	Page 3	“Beatles hit back on BBC ban on song”
12 Sep 1967	Pages 12 & 13	“The square look being revived by those very witty Beatles yesterday”
4 Dec 1967	Page 5	“Meet the wife, says Beatle Ringo to Ewa, his screen sweetheart”
28 Dec 1967	Page 3	“So we boobed, says Beatle Paul – the inside story of what went wrong with the Magical Mystery Tour”
19 Feb 1968	Pages 12 & 13	“The Pilgrims’ Progress” – Don Short with the Beatles in India
12 June 1968	Page 9	“The Big Business Beatles”
30 Sep 1968	Page 7	“But listen to them now!” – Quotes from ‘The Beatles: The Authorised Biography’
31 Jan 1969	Pages 12 & 13	“Rooftop Beatles upset the neighbours”

13 Mar 1969	Pages 16 & 17	Paul McCartney marries Linda Eastman at Marylebone Register Office
21 Mar 1969	Front page	John Lennon marries Yoko Ono in Gibraltar
31 Mar 1969	Page 17	“They’re getting up today...” – Donald Zec at the bedside in Old Amsterdam
5 July 1969	Page 7	“Back on the road? I couldn’t face that, says Ringo”
10 Apr 1970	Front page	“Paul quits the Beatles – ‘deeply cut up’ after policy row”
11 Apr 1970	Page 7	“Yesterday and tomorrow, by Paul McCartney”
20 Feb 1971	Page 7	“Why I could not trust Klein – by Paul McCartney”
24 Feb 1971	Pages 8 & 9	“R.I.P. In memory of the Beatles”
25 Feb 1971	Page 9	“The Break Up, by Lennon.....The Future, by Epstein”
1 May 1971	Page 15	“We might play again – Lennon”
11 May 1971	Page 7	“After the Beatles breakup....Paul goes it alone with the New York Phil”
7 Apr 1973	Page 13	“Beatles’ secret get-together!”
12 July 1973	Page 7	“It’s the million-dollar blast from the past...the Beatles tape that could rock the pop world”
22 Jan 1976	Page 3	“Will 1976 be the year the Beatles get back together? Yeah! Yeah! Yeah!”
15 Sep 1976	Page 23	“Birth of the Beatles – the people and events that made the world’s headlines”
5 Apr 1977	Page 7	“Beatles get the needle – Pop stars get together again...to ban their new record”
31 Mar 1980	Pages 16 & 17	“Nearly 18 years after their first hit – Ringo Starr and John Lennon, doing their own thing”
6 Oct 1980	Pages 16 & 17	“The Beatles report...twenty years on – only Hitler had greater power over a crowd. Their disciples thought they could heal the sick”
7 Oct 1980	Pages 16 & 17	“The Beatles report – the winners...and the losers”
9 Oct 1980	Pages 12 & 13	“The Beatles report – Lennon comes out of hiding”
10 Dec 1980	Front page, 7, 12 & 13, 16 & 17	“Death of a Hero – John Lennon shot dead in New York - Dec 8, 1980”
11 Dec 1980	Pages 16 & 17	“Vigil on 72nd Street – ‘there was no spark in New York any more. The city had died’”
15 Dec 1980	Page 5	“Grief of two cities – they pray for the legend of Liverpool”
17 Oct 1981	Page 11	“The McCartney family album – the marvellous private snapshots that tell the real Beatles story”
19 Oct 1981	Pages 16 & 17	“‘Yesterday’ – Paul’s brother Mike takes a look at the early life of the lad who was to find fame as a Beatle”
20 Oct 1981	Pages 16 & 17	“Private snapshots of four lads who shook the world”
6 July 1982	Pages 16 & 17	“Lennon: The Secret Years”
7 July 1982	Pages 16 & 17	
8 July 1982	Pages 16 & 17	

28 Sep 1982	Pages 14 & 15	“The Beatles as you have never seen them before – making their first hit twenty years ago”
20 Aug 1984	Pages 14 & 15	“The off-beat Beatles – the Fab Four at play...a long way from Liverpool”
21 Aug 1984	Pages 14 & 15	“Mop top madness – off-beat peek at the Beatles on their first US tour”
26 May 1987	Pages 14 & 15	“It was twenty years ago today...and Sgt Pepper taught us all to play”
2 May 1989	Pages 8 & 9	“Paul McCartney’s own exclusive story: ‘Yesterday...and why I want to buy it back’”
18 June 1990	Pages 16 & 17	“On his 48th birthday, McCartney – ‘the tears I’ll shed for John’”
2 Jan 1992	Pages 8 & 9	“Thirty years ago they sang ‘Love me Do’...and we still do”
17 Apr 1992	Pages 24 & 25	“Harrison’s natural law – Former Beatle George on the private side of his life”
1 Nov 1995	Pages 16 & 17	“The Beatles tapes: Exclusive on Paul’s 3-year reunion diary”
28 Dec 1995	Pages 12 & 13	“The Beatles secret album – naked truth of the group’s final fling”
31 Dec 1996	Pages 2 & 3	“Happy New Yeah Yeah Yeah. Arise Sir Paul! Stars pay tribute to Macca’s Knighthood”
16 Aug 1998	Pages 22 & 23	“When all their troubles seemed so far away”
1 Dec 2001	Pages 1, 2 & 3, 4 & 5, 10 & 11, 12 & 13, 36 & 37	“And the world gently weeps...George Harrison 1943-2001”
10 Mar 2003	Page 3	“The Secret Gig: June 23, 1994...George’s mansion...three Beatles”
31 Jan 2004	Page 10	“Give peach a chance” – an early unseen photo of John Lennon in peach swimwear in 1964
6 Dec 2005	Page 26	“‘It’s no fun being a genius...it’s torture’ – thoughts of John Lennon”
6 Feb 2007	Page 10	“The Fab Four – Beatles set for every top 40 slot as Apple war is ended”
13 Aug 2008	Page 25	“‘Let it Beatles’...For Sale – the most important contract in rock ‘n’ roll history”
8 Sep 2009	Page 10	“Beatle Mania...They could net £1 billion by Christmas”
20 Feb 2010	Page 31	“Imagine if I wear dead...Lennon’s prophetic prank in lost Beatles pictures”
18 June 2012	Pages 16 & 17	“Happy 70th, Macca”
5 Oct 2012	Pages 34 & 35	“The day the world changed – 50 years ago today the Beatles released Love Me Do, marking the start of the swinging 60s”
10 June 2013 11 June 2013 12 June 2013	Pages 12 & 13 Pages 20 & 21 Pages 22 & 23	“Exclusive: Ringo Starr’s unseen photos”
11 Aug 2014	Page 26	“The black & white album – early Beatles pics go under hammer”
20 Apr 2015	Page 23	“All Starr band – Ringo finally recognised by Rock and Roll Hall of Fame”
25 Sep 2015	Pages 14 & 15	“Beatles’ Ringo shares his private photos”
21 Mar 2018	Page 16	“A hard day’s knight – Ringo receives his honour at Palace”

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