

- THRIFTY CAR AND VAN RENTAL AND WESTERLY BMW CONTINUE SUPPORT OF EXETER CHIEFS

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As a major partner of BMW Thrifty Car and Van Rental is delighted to continue its support of Exeter Chiefs RFC by providing a luxury BMW 4x4 to the Chiefs' Head Coach, Rob Baxter

Alison Chadwick, fleet director for Thrifty Car and Van Rental, said: "Thrifty is extremely proud of its roots here in Exeter and we are always pleased to support local businesses, charities and sport. Exeter Chiefs have been incredibly successful over the last 4 years (runners up in the 2015/16 Aviva Premiership) and we're sure they are going to have another very successful season in all competitions, we're thrilled to have this association with Rob and the team"

Rob's car is provided in partnership with Westerly BMW

Tim Downer, Westerly Group adds "Westerly BMW is very pleased to be associated with Rob Baxter and the Exeter Chiefs over a number of years. Rob has always been a great ambassador for Westerly being involved with Dealership launches and Masterclass training sessions with local schools.

Rob Baxter is a local man who played rugby for the Chiefs, was captain and now Head Coach reaching the pinnacle of local sport. He is a fantastic ambassador for the Chiefs, Westerly and Thrifty Car and Van Rental, always happy to be involved with local events (Chiefs fixtures allowing) and we are very pleased to continue our long standing association with Rob and the Exeter Chiefs. Good luck for the 2016/2017 season."

Rob Baxter, Exeter Chiefs, commented "The support I have received from Westerly BMW, who have sponsored me for ten years and Thrifty Car and Van Rental who have now sponsored me for four years has played a huge part in helping my coaching and management career develop at Exeter Chiefs. This support has allowed me to attend coaching, training, match days and various meetings and Premiership commitments all over the country at all times of year without ever having any transport concerns. I have benefitted from top quality and highly reliable transport during my time from being a part time University coach to a professional Head Coach during Exeter's journey from being a Championship club to a Premiership and European Cup side."

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