# Upper Back workout with Sam Rodman from Cornish Pirates RFC



# <u>Ys</u>







## **Explanation**

#### Starting position

Put your arms out so if someone is looking down on your body and arms create a Y shape.

Thumb pointing to the ceiling

Keep your arms straight

Head just off the floor

### Performing the movement

Squeeze your shoulder blades together

Raise your arms as high as possible

Hold at the top position for 2 seconds

# Finishing the movement

Lower your arms to the ground in a controlled manner

Sam's advice would be to complete the suggested repetitions below in line with your fitness level and how you feel.

Make sure you rest for 1 minute to 90 seconds between each set of exercises.

**Beginners** – 5 Repetitions for 3 Sets **Intermediate** – 10 Repetitions for 3 Sets **Expert** – 15 Repetitions for 3 Sets

Once you can perform these comfortably individually you can then perform them back to back in a circuit sticking with the same reps and sets for each one

