Hello!

Welcome to your monthly update from the Sports Development team at Cerebral Palsy Sport!

Excitement is really building here for the Cerebral Palsy Sport National Athletics Championships on 23rd September and we’ve even got a Paralympian and World Record holder amongst our entries! Spectators are very welcome to come and support at the fantastic Harvey Hadden Stadium in Nottingham. The action kicks off at 9.30am.

The next CPISRA World Games will be taking place in August 2018 in Spain. We will keep you up to date with the latest news about the Games and Team England here.

On 8th October we are holding a Training camp for RaceRunners, Athletes, Swimmers and Coaches, and we are holding our AGM and Sports Awards on the
same date. We look forward to seeing lots of you there. Make sure you nominate your favourite coach, participant, club or volunteer for the Awards by 18th September, its easy!

Enjoy reading this months newsletter and we hope to see you soon!

**Athletics**

**Upcoming events:**
National Athletics Championships 2017
**Saturday 23rd September** at Harvey Hadden Sports Village, Nottingham, NG8 4PB. Spectators welcome. Event details [here](#).

RaceRunning Taster Session
**Sunday 8th October** at Harvey Hadden Sports Village, Nottingham, NG8 4PB. For children or adults with CP or a physical disability who would like to try RaceRunning for the first time. Register [here](#).

Athletics/ RaceRunning/Swimming Training camp
**Sunday 8th October** at Harvey Hadden Sports Village, Nottingham, NG8 4PB. Closing date 22nd September. Register [here](#).

RaceRunning Classification Sunday 8th October at Harvey Hadden Sports Village £30 per athlete contact Richard.kerr@cpsport.org

If you are interested in volunteering at our athletics events please contact: richard.kerr@cpsport.org

Para Athletics Inspiration Days
Dates and venues announce by England Athletics for disabled people to try athletics. Find out more here

Coaching resource:
'An Introduction to RaceRunning'
£6 (including VAT) plus postage and packaging. Order through our shop here.

If you would like to get in touch with us about Athletics please email richard.kerr@cpsport.org

Football

Event report:
On Sunday 3rd September Cerebral Palsy Sport and Frame Football Foundation showcased Frame Football at Parallel London. Read all about it here

Regional opportunities:
FA Disability Talent Hubs:
Saints Foundation (Southampton). Visit here.
Watford FC Community Sports & Education Trust.
Contact: Ben.Simms@watfordfc.com

Bedfordshire
Flitwick Eagles FC Frame Football sessions
Taking place on 17th September, 15th October and 19th November. Contact: russshaw1@ntlworld.com

A list of further local football opportunities can be found here

Coaching resource:
'Frame Football - A new way to play the Beautiful Game' £5 plus £1 postage and packaging (includes VAT). Order through our shop
For further information and support about Frame Football visit our website
If you would like to get in touch with us about football please email us at football@cpsport.org

Swimming

Upcoming events:
Worcester Development Gala
Saturday 30th September 2017 at Perdiswell Leisure Centre, Worcester WR3 8DX. For children or adults with CP or other physical disability. All abilities, helpers in water allowed. Fun introduction to competition. Booking required. Entries close 15th September.

Athletics/Racerunning/Swimming Training camp
Sunday 8th October at Harvey Hadden Sports Village, Nottingham, NG8 4PB. Closing date 22nd September. Register here.

Visit the Tennis Foundation website here for more information about disability tennis.

Push2Podium talent ID free Festival dates and venues can be found here.

Disability Sports Festival
17th October 2017
In partnership with Grantham Tennis Centre, The Tennis Foundation and CP Sport a Disability Sports Festival is...
Manchester Development Gala  
Saturday 11th November 2017 at Manchester Aquatics Centre, 2 Booth Street East, Manchester M13 9SS. For children or adults with CP other physical disability. All abilities, helpers in water allowed. Fun introduction to competition. **Booking required.** Entries close 27th October.

**National Swimming Championships 2018** 
**Sunday 25th March 2018** at Harvey Hadden Sports Village, Nottingham, NG8 4PB. £5 CP Sport members per event, £7 non members per event. Closing date: 23rd February 2018. Enter [here](#).

If you are interested in volunteering at our swimming events please contact: jennifer.basford@cpsport.org

**Operation Tokyo 2020**

A series of Swim Wales Galas have been announced as part of Operation Tokyo 2020. For new or beginner swimmers in an informal and fun environment. Dates, venues and further information can be found [here](#).
Coaching resource: SwimStart DVD £10 inclusive of VAT and delivery. Order through our shop here.

If you would like to get in touch with us about swimming please email jennifer.basford@cpsport.org

Table Cricket

Table Cricket National Finals Day 2017

Saturday 2nd December at Edgbaston Cricket Ground, Birmingham. 10am-3pm. £40 per team (up to 10 players), will include lunch on the day. Enter here.

CP Sport AGM & Awards

Cerebral Palsy Sport's Annual General Meeting and Sports Awards will be held on October 8th from 4.00pm at Harvey Hadden Sports Village, Wigman Road, Bilborough, Nottingham, NG8 4PB.

Formal member invitations, agendas and papers will be sent out in due course.

Cerebral Palsy Sport is also delighted to stage our Sports Awards on the same evening. Nominations for awards are open until 18th September. The categories are:

- Sports achiever of the year
- Sports volunteer of the year
- Coach of the year
- Sports club of the year

Nomination forms are available here.

We need Volunteers!

If you are interested in volunteering for a Cerebral Palsy Sport event please get in touch!

You can read some of our
CPD Course
Cerebral Palsy and Sport Awareness Workshop

The Cerebral Palsy and Sport Awareness Workshop will provide knowledge and understanding of what cerebral palsy is, the opportunities within disability sport and give guidance and advice to those who lead sport and physical activity.

Date:
27th September 2017
Time: 6pm-9pm
Venue:
Cerebral Palsy Sport, Unit 5 Heathcoat Building, Nottingham Science park, University Boulevard Nottingham NG7 2QJ
Cost: £30 per person. Ideal for coaches, physios and teachers.
Contact: Lisa.morton-smith@cpsport.org

To find out further information, please contact: info@cpsport.org or telephone us on 0115 925 7027.

if you would like to host a workshop please contact: Lisa.morton-smith@cpsport.org for full cost details.

We love to hear and share your stories so please do get in touch if you want to share your sporting experiences as a participant, parent, volunteer or coach.

We hope to see you at a Cerebral Palsy Sport event this year.

Best wishes from us all at Cerebral Palsy Sport!

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