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Welcome

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To encourage Deaf People to participate, to enjoy
and to excel at Sport



Inclusive Sport Programme

The overall aim of the project is to work with the National Deaf Sports Associations and a selection of National Governing Bodies of sport to get a minimum of 900 more Deaf people, participating, staying & excelling in sport by 2014.

Building the Machine



5 Key Parts of the Programme



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Key Successes



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Growth and Engagement

- Stronger strategic links with Deaf community Organisations that opens up an audience of around 100,000 people
- Working with these organisations to undertake research and share knowledge

NGB Connection

- Have had positive engagements with 15 National Governing Bodies
- Resources developed with 6 National Governing Bodies specifically in Deaf Awareness

Wider Partner Connection

- First National Disability Sport Organisation to develop a formal joint delivery partnership with Sport Coach UK
- Lead National Disability Sport Organisation developing a partnership agreement with the County Sports Partnership Network

Events and Programmes

- First Joint Events calendar published in 2012
- Several programmes developed with National Deaf Sport Associations aimed at attracting new participants

Improvement Journey

- Undergone a strategic review which has resulted in a new strategy
- Developing a new governance process for National Deaf Sport Associations (more later)

So what's next

- National Governing Bodies new plans (Whole Sport Plans)
- Further research and information gathering to support our lobbying
- Closer working with you to develop for the future

What I would like to see

- More communication from National Deaf Sport Association and sharing of information
- A greater enthusiasm for increasing participation for all deaf people, not just focused on elite
- More opportunities for deaf people to play, enjoy and excel in sport