

## Philip Gerrard Chair's Update





## **Annual Report**

- Overview of the year 2011 2012
  - Continued to work to achieve equality and equity within mainstream sport
  - ©Committed to ensure future of deaf sport through choice of partnership with mainstream organisations
  - Same time support NdeafSO
  - Made possible by funding secured





# Annual Report

- How is our vision applied internationally?
  - Ensure British presence in key areas
  - Craig Crowley, President of ICSD
  - Chair of UKDS is a member of the inaugural EDSO Legal Commission
  - Attended at ICSD and EDSO Congress
  - Tabled two proposals





# How is vision applied nationally

- Inclusive Sport Programme
  - © 230k for three years by Sport England
- Capacity building for UK Deaf Sport
  - **№** 50K for three years by Sport England
    - Business plan / fundraising plan / infrastructure
- Apply benefits to other home countries





# Deaflympics

#### Uncertainties

- Cancellation of Winter Deaflympics
- Cancellation of Summer Deaflympics at Athens but invited other countries to host this.
- Confirmed for Sofia 2013

#### Good news

 3 countries bidded for the right to host Summer Deaflympics in 2017 – healthy competition

### Planning for Deaflympics

Challenging as off or on and no resources – liaised with Sport England throughout to seek extra resources for Team GB





# The Improvement Journey

#### **Items**

- Strengthen our governance of deaf sports
- Increase participation
- Leadership
- Strategy and business planning
- Partnership working
- Resource development
- Fundraising
- Capacity building
- Performance measurement

## Resource

- Consultant company to support us throughout the process
- Self evaluate toolkit



