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COACHING DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME FOR IRELAND

Coaching People with Disabilities

**Contact Sources for further information
on sport for people with disabilities**

Ireland – South

Disability Group/ Organisation	Contact Address	Contact Numbers	Web/Email Address
Intellectual Disability			
Special Olympics Ireland (SOI)	Eilidh Bartlet, 4th Floor, Park House, North Circular Road, Dublin 7	Tel. 01-882 3972 Fax: 01-868 8250	Web: www.specialolympics.ie Email: info@specialolympics.ie
Irish Special Schools Sports Council	Joe McCarthy, The Catherine McCauley School, Ashbourne Avenue, South Circular Road., Limerick	Tel: 061-228281	Email: joemack1@eircom.net
Physical Disability			
Irish Wheelchair Association – Sport (IWA - Sport)	Áras Chuchulain, Blackheath Drive, Clontarf, Dublin 3	Tel. 01-818 6400 Fax. 01-853 1256	Web: www.iwasport.com Email: info@iwa-sport.com
Cerebral Palsy Sport – Ireland (CPSI)	Unit 13, Sport HQ, Joyce Way, Parkwest Business Park, Dublin 12	Tel. 01-625 1160 Fax. 01-625 1161	Web: www.cerebralpalsysportireland.com Email: Brenda.hopkins@cpsi.ie
Visual Impairment			
Irish Blindsports	115 Lower Georges Street, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin	Tel. 01-2020118	Web : www.lbsports.ie Email: info@lbsports.ie
Hearing Impairment			
Irish Deaf Sports Association	40 Lower Drumcondra Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9	Tel: 087 1349877 Fax: 01-850 0499	Web: www.irishdeafsports.com Email: irishdeafsports@gmail.com
Disability Advocacy / Adapted Physical Activity Support Groups			
National Disability Authority (NDA)	25 Clyde Road, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4	Tel: 01-6080400	Email: nda@nda.ie
CARA Adapted Physical Activity Centre	Niamh Daffy, Coordinator, Institute of Technology (South Campus), Tralee, Co. Kerry	Tel: 066-7145646	Email: Niamh.Daffy@staff.ittralee.ie
High Performance Sport			
Paralympic Council of Ireland	Sport HQ, Joyce Way, Park West Business Park, Clondalkin, Dublin	Tel: 01-6251175 Fax: 01-6251176	Email: info@pcireland.ie

National Governing Bodies in Sport (NGBs)			
Athletics Association of Ireland	Unit 19, Northwood Court, Northwood Business Campus, Santry, Dublin 9	Tel: 01-8869933 Fax: 01-8421334	Web: www.athleticsireland.ie Email: admin@athleticsireland.ie
Badminton Ireland	Baldoyle Badminton Centre, Baldoyle Industrial Estate, Grange Road, Dublin 13	Tel and fax: 01-8393028	Web: www.badmintonireland.com Email: colm.mccashin@badminton.ie
Basketball Ireland	National Basketball Arena, Tymon Park, Tallaght, Dublin 24	Tel: 01-4590211 Fax: 01-4590212	Web: www.basketballireland.ie Email: dmassey@basketballireland.ie
Cycling Ireland	Kelly/Roche House, 619 North Circular Road, Dublin 1	Tel: 01-8551522 Fax: 01-8551771	Web: www.cyclingireland.ie Email: info@cyclingireland.ie
Football Association of Ireland	National Coordinator for Football for All Programme, National Sports Campus, Abbotstown, Dublin 15	Tel: 01-8999500 Fax: 01-8999501	Web: www.fai.ie Email: info@fai.ie
Golfing Union of Ireland	National Headquarters, Caryton Demense, Maynooth, Co Kildare	Tel: 01-5054000 Fax: 01-50544001	Web: www.gui.ie Email: seamus.smith@gui.ie
Horse Sport Ireland	1 st Floor, Beech House, Millenium Park, Osberstown, Naas, Co. Kildare	Tel: 045-850800 Fax: 045-850850	Web: www.horsesportireland.ie Email: dmcDonald@horsesportireland.ie
Irish Amateur Archery Association	c/o Mr. Patrick Lyons, Ardnehue, Bennekerry, Co. Carlow	Tel: 087-9082437	Web: www.archery.ie Email: archerypat@gmail.com
Irish Amateur Weightlifting Assn	c/o Colin Buckley, 37 Newlynvale, Rochestown Cork	Tel: 086 2577875 / 021 46364997	Web: www.weightliftingireland.com Email: buckleyc@indigo.ie
Bowling League of Ireland (Irish Bowls Coaches Association)	c/o Con O'Driscoll, 6 Ennafort Grove, Raheny, Dublin 5 (c/o Ken Armstrong, 86 Moss Road, Lisburn, Antrim, Northern Ireland, BT27 4NU)	Tel: 01-8313140 (Tel: 078 87927716 / 048 92662445)	Web: www.irishlawnbowls.ie Email: cmodriscoll@eircom.net (Email: K_armstrong77@hotmail.com)
Irish Canoe Union	Sport HQ, 13 Joyce Way Parkwest, Dublin 12	Tel: 01-6251105 Fax: 01-6251106	Web: www.canoe.ie Email: office@canoe.ie
Irish Gymnastics Ltd	Sport HQ, Block 13, Joyce Way, Parkwest, Dublin 12	Tel: 01-6251125 Fax: 01-6251126	Web: www.irishgymnastics.ie Email: deirdre@irishgymnastics.ie
Irish Ladies Golf Union	1 Clonskeagh Square, Clonskeagh Road, Dublin 14	Tel: 01-2696244 Fax: 01-2838670	Web: www.ilgu.ie Email: info@ilgu.ie
Irish Orienteering Association	Aine Joyce, 2nd Floor, 13 Upper Baggot Street, Dublin 4	Tel:	Web: www.orienteering.ie Email: osec@orienteering.ie info@orienteering.ie
Irish Sailing Association	3 Park Rd, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin	Tel: 01-2800239 Fax: 01-2807558	Web: www.sailing.ie Email: sophie@sailing.ie

Irish Table Tennis Association	Windsor, Ovens, Co Cork	Tel: 085-1743970 Fax: 021-4933936	Web: www.irishtabletennis.com Email: marketing@irishtabletennis.com
Irish Taekwondo Union	The Bungalow, Grange Road, Donaghmede, Dublin 13	Tel: 01-8334453	Web: www.itu.ie Email: taekwondowtf@ireland.com
Irish Ten Pin Bowling Association	14 Beechpark, Strand Road, Portmarnock, Co Dublin	Tel: 086-3938540	Web: www.tenpinbowling.com Email: pjkellyirl@yahoo.co.uk
Ladies Gaelic Football Association	Level 6, Cusack Stand, Croke Park, Dublin 3	Tel: 01-8363156	Web: www.ladiesgaelic.ie Email: paula@ladiesgaelic.ie
Mountaineering Council of Ireland	Sport HQ, 13 Joyce Way, Parkwest, Dublin 12	Tel: 01-6251115 Fax: 01-6251116	Web: www.mountaineering.ie Email: stuart@mountaineering.ie
Pitch & Putt Union of Ireland	Sport HQ, Block 13, Joyce Way, Parkwest, Dublin 12	Tel: 01-6251110 Fax: 01-6251111	Web: www.pui.ie Email: michael@ppui.ie
Shooting Sports Association of Ireland	Ballinorea Road, Carrigaline West, Co. Cork	Tel: 021-4371241	Web: www.shootingsportsireland.com Email: ssai@eircom.net
Swim Ireland	Sport HQ, Block 13, Joyce Way, Parkwest, Dublin 12	Tel: 01-6251120 Fax: 01-6251121	Web: www.swimireland.ie Email: admin@swimireland.ie
Tennis Ireland	Dublin City University, Glasnevin, Dublin 9	Tel: 01-884 4010 Fax: 01-884 4013	Web: www.tennisireland.ie Email: info@tennisireland.ie
Triathlon Ireland	Unit A Glencormack, Business Park, Kilmacanogue, Co. Wicklow	Phone: 01-2764934 Fax: 01-2764935	Web: www.triathlonireland.com Email: administrator@triathlonireland.com

* These NGBs play a proactive role and offer services to participants with disabilities. Other NGBs may offer services but were not included at the time of collating the list. Contacts for most NGBs can be obtained from the Irish Sports Council (ISC) website (www.irishsportsCouncil.ie/).

Local Sports Partnerships with Sport Inclusion Disability Officers (SIDOs)			
Local Sports Partnership	Coordinator	Sports Inclusion Disability Officer	Email Address
Donegal	Myles Sweeney	Therese Laverty	sidoactivedonegal@gmail.com
Roscommon	Noel Feeley	Annette McGeeney	annette@rosactive.org
Carlow	Martha Jane Duggan	Jenna Doyle	jdoyle@carlowcoco.ie
Westmeath	David Scally	Mary Duignan	mary@westmeathsports.ie
Kilkenny	Nicola Keeshan	Niamh Spratt	niamh@krsp.ie
Laois	Caroline Feenhan	Joanne Wall Garrett Culliton	gculliton@laoissports.ie jwall@laoissports.ie
Limerick City	Elaine Barry	Siobhan O Malley	somalley@limerickcitysports.ie
Kildare	Richard Farrell	Aine Coogan	ainecoogan.ksp@gmail.com
Kerry	Cora Carrigg	Liam McDonough	liam.mcdonough@kerrycoco.ie
Dun Laoghaire	Shane McArdle	Phena O Connor	poconnor@dlrcoco.ie
Cavan/Monaghan	Michelle Murphy	Jennifer Hill	jhill@monaghancoco.ie
County Cork	Ciaran O hIarnain	Sinead Costello	scostello@cclsp.com
Clare	John Sweeney	James Murríhy	james@claresportspartnership.ie
Louth	Noel Redmond	Lisa Kelly	Lisa.Kelly@louthcoco.ie
Mayo	Charlie Lambert	Ray McNamara	rmcnamara@Mayococo.ie
Meath	Mary Murphy	Paddy O Reilly	poreilly@meathcoco.ie
Offaly	Eamonn Henry	Claire Grehan	cgrehan@offalycoco.ie
Sligo	Deirdre Lavin	Shane Hayes	shane@sligosportandrecreation.ie
North Tipperary	Elaine Cullinan	Kathleen Finn	kathleen@ntsp.ie
Waterford	Rosarie Kealy	Katherine Kelly	kkelly@waterfordspartnership.ie

Ireland – North

Disability Group/Organisation	Contact Address	Contact Numbers	Web/Email Address
Disability Sports NI	Adelaide House, Falcon Road, Belfast BT12 6SJ	028 9038 7062	www.dsni.co.uk email@dsni.co.uk
Special Olympics Ulster	Unit 25 Ormeau Business Park, 8 Cromac Ave BEFLAST BT7 2JA	028 9023 9023	www.specialolympics.ie Ulster@specialolympics.ie
UK Sports Association for People with Learning Disabilities	c/o DSNI Adelaide House, Falcon Road, Belfast BT12 6SJ	028 9038 7062	www.dsni.co.uk email@dsni.co.uk
Ulster Deaf Sports Council			Thomas.coyle@delni.gov.uk

NI Governing Bodies of Sport			
	Address	Number	Email/website
Athletics NI	Athletics House, Old Coach road, Belfast BT9 5PR	028 9060 2707	www.niathletics.org info@niathletics.org
Basketball NI	House of Sport, Upper Malone Rd, Belfast BT9 5LA	028 9038 3817	www.basketballni.com
Cycling Ulster	Cycling Ulster Disability Commission	028 4175 2556	www.cyclingulster.com andrew@conallphysio.wanadoo.co.uk
Gymnastics NI	31A High Street, Carrickfergus, Co. Antrim, BT38 7AN	028 9336 9391	www.northernirelandgymnastics.org admin@northernirelandgymnastics.org
Irish Football Association	Disability Football Manager, 20 Windsor Ave, Belfast, BT9 6EG	028 9066 9458	www.irishFA.com acrooks@irishFA.com
NI Archery Society	PO BOX 282, Craigavon, Co. Armagh, BT67 0YA	07031 749193	www.niarchery.co.uk ADMIN@nias.co.uk
NI Judo Federation	Derry City Council, 98 Strand Road, L'Derry, BT48 7NN	028 71365151	www.nijudo.com
RYA Sailability	Bob Harper	077681 27251	www.rya.org.uk breakaway@yahoo.com
Swim Ulster	House of Sport, Upper Malone Rd, Belfast BT9 5LA	028 9038 3807	www.swim-ulster.com
Ulster Branch Badminton Union of Ireland	National Badminton Centre 36 Belfast Road, Lisburn T27 4AS	028 9266 8392	www.ulsterbdminton.com ulsterbadminton@btconnect.com
Ulster Branch Tennis	House of Sport, Upper Malone Rd, Belfast BT9 5LA	028 9038 3808	www.ulstertennis.co.uk

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Disability Club Contacts			
Club	Contact Name	Contact No.	Sport Activity
Belfast Lough Sailability	Mr R Meadow	028 9087 8469	Sailing opportunities for all disabilities
Causeway Wheelers	Sharon Burton	028 7032 7845	Multi sports clubs for wheelchair users
Craigavon Watersports Centre	Kelley Rushton	028 3834 2669	Waters sports activities for all disabilities
Disabled Ramblers NI	Mark Logan	028 9080 8090	Rambling activities for wheelchair users
Dwarf Athletics Association NI	Eugene McVeigh	028 3831 8512	Multi sports activities for young people with restricted growth
Irish Disabled Fly Fishing Association	Elizabeth Black	028 2564 2539	Flying fishing opportunities for wheelchair users
Kilmore Archery Club	Wellesley McGown	028 3832 6987	Archery for all disabilities
Knights Wheelchair Basketball Club	Kerry Wallace	07845 616790	Junior and senior wheelchair basketball
Lisburn Pan-Disability Badminton Club	Terry Conroy	07789682446	Badminton coaching for all disabilities
Meteor Water Ski Club	Janet Gray	028 9266 8662	Water skiing opportunities open to all disabilities
Newry & Mourne Sportsability	Ciara Lowe	028 3031 3137	Multi sports club for all disabilities – Newry area
Newry & Mourne WATCH Club	Danny Mc Sherry	077 2083 8681	Tandem cycling club based in Newry
NI Spinal Injuries Sports Association	Julie Morton	028 9090 3073	Multi sports club based at Musgrave Park hospital
Northern Flights	Rhoda Baxter	028 7035 5112	Archery club – Causeway area open to all disabilities
NI Blind Golf	Jan Dinsdale	028 9187 8487	Golf opportunities for blind/partially sighted athletes
Riding for Disabled Association	Jill Lindsay	028 4461 2470	Horse riding/carriage driving for all disabilities
RNIB	Keith Lound	028 9032 9373	Multi sports opportunities for blind and partially sighted.
Ski-ability	Arthur Braeme	028 9269 3584	Skiing and sit-skiing activities for all disabilities based in Craigavon
Spokes in Motion Wheelchair Tennis Club	Stafford Lynn	077 1031 1877	Tennis opportunities for wheelchair users
Ulster Gliding Club	Jay Nethercott	028 7775 0301	Accessible glider – opportunities open to all disabilities
Wheelchair Bowls	Angela Hendra	028 9146 2829	Bowling opportunities for wheelchair users