Playground to Podium 2013

We are pleased to announce that Playground to Podium will continue this year in Norfolk as part of the School Games.

The UEA Sportspark on the 15th March 2013

Swimming ID Session on 21st March at UEA Sportspark

The swimming event is a separate event and all schools are welcome to attend. More information will follow shortly.

The 15th March will be an opportunity for your students to come along and try 6 sports – athletics, wheelchair basketball, boccia, cricket, table tennis and this year goalball as well.

This day is open to any student with a disability, physical or learning, and who fall into one or more of the following categories:

- Amputees
- Wheelchair users
- Cerebral palsy
- Spina bifida
- Visually impaired
- Hearing impaired
- Learning difficulties

Each sport will be organised into 30 minute slots and will be run by qualified coaches. Students will be divided into groups and will rotate round the sports. During the day the coaches will be carrying out talent identification. **Students who have been identified will be notified and informed of the follow-up event which will be a competitive event as part of the Norfolk School Games in the week of Monday 1st to Friday 5th July at UEA Sportspark.**

At this stage we are encouraging all students to come along and take part in what we hope will be a very enjoyable and inclusive day of sport.

Students should arrive between 9.45am and 10am for registration. At 10.15am there will be a fun warm-up session for everybody and at 10.30am sports will begin. The day will finish by 2.15pm

Students, accompanying staff/parents/carers will need to bring a packed lunch and plenty of drink. All activities will take place inside so please ensure students bring appropriate footwear and clothing for all the sports.

If you have any students who would like to take part in this exciting opportunity please complete the enclosed entry form and return to me by **Wednesday 6th March**.

There will be an official photographer present during the day. We would be grateful if you would obtain parental permission for photographs to be taken. **If any student is**



not to be photographed please ensure you make us aware of this at registration.

If you have any queries relating to this event please do not hesitate to contact me.

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~ Please note the pupil invitation included in this pack is also available to download from the Active Norfolk website. www.activenorfolk.org/disability under the Playground to Podium section







ENTRY FORM Playground to Podium – Talent Identification Day

Venues: UEA Sportspark on Friday 15th March

UEA Sportspark Swimming on Thursday 21st March

This is to confirm that we have student(s) who would like to take part in one the above events. Event we will be attending (please tick as appropriate):

UEA Sportspark 15th March

Swimming 21st March

Name of School:

Name of Contact Member of Staff:

Contact member of staff's telephone number and email address:

Please enter student details in table below. You may bring as many students as you think would benefit from such a day. If you have more students than spaces below, please

Name of Student	Contact address*	Date of Birth	Category of disability	Medication staff may need to be aware of	Photo consent given

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It is expected that individual students may well be accompanied to the event by a parent/carer rather than school staff. So if the contact for the day is not as on page



^{*}Either home address or school address if you are happy to distribute any follow up letters.

one please make us aware who is responsible for that student on the day please complete below:

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Name of accompanying adult	Relationship to student – e.g. member of staff, parent, family member	Emergency contact number

Please send the completed form to Ellen Vanlint, Active Norfolk, Tennis Centre, Easton College, Norwich NR9 5DX or fax on 01603 741438 for my attention to arrive by Wednesday 6th March.





Friday 15th March at UEA Sportspark Swimming ID session Thursday 21st March at UEA Sportspark

Follow on competitive events are part of the Norfolk School Games week between 1st-5th July

Open to children with a disability in mainstream schools and special schools

Any questions please contact Ellen at Active Norfolk on (01603) 731566 www.activenorfolk.org/disability

