

Special Schools PE and Sport Conference 2009

The Youth Sport Trust's Special Schools Conference takes place on **Wednesday, 2 December 2009** at the **East Midlands Conference Centre, Nottingham**. The conference focuses on how PE and Sport can inspire young disabled people to maximise their personal and sporting potential, including educational attainment and skill development.

With three years to go before London hosts the 2012 Games, the theme for this year's event will be **Creating our Legacy**. The conference will explore a range of areas including high quality PE, coaching, school to club links, competitions and the empowerment and role of young disabled people to lead and contribute to developing a sustainable and long term legacy beyond 2012. The conference will also provide an opportunity for schools to link with key national partners and agencies in order to share and shape effective practice.

The conference is aimed at special schools, mainstream schools with SEN and young disabled people, County and Regional Disability Sport Development Officers and Disability Officers in National Governing Bodies of Sport. The conference may also be applicable for Competition Managers, FESCos and other PE and sport post holders.



Programme

The full conference programme is available at

www.youthsporttrust.org/special

Key aspects of the conference programme include:

An opportunity to engage and liaise with key National Governing Bodies of Sport, educational organisations and wider businesses to improve PE and sport for young disabled people and SEN pupils.

Networking and sharing practice with other special schools in order to improve the delivery of PE and sport to young disabled people and SEN pupils.

Gaining access to up-to-date information on the latest national PE and sport and educational policy and how this can support drive additional opportunities in special schools.

Considering how the wider PE and sport opportunities in your area (e.g. leadership academies, competition managers) can support you to further extend opportunities within and beyond your school.

To book your place, please register online from 16 September 2009 through the Youth Sport Trust website www.youthsporttrust.org/special

The conference costs **£95 per delegate (£85 for affiliated schools)**.

If you have any queries, please contact the Events Team on:

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All accommodation will need to be booked individually. The Events Team can advise of nearby hotels.

