

2014/2015

Handball - Knowledge - Sustainability - Grassroots - Elite - Competition

Handball Devon Excellence Centre Programme

(HDEC)

KNOWLEDGE

SUSTAINABILITY

GRASSROOTS

HIGH PERFORMANCE

COMPETITIONS

England Handball Association

TALENT PATHWAY 2013-17

PERFORMANCE



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The HDEC Programme is a one year (can be renewed) County wide programme aimed at schools that wish to develop knowledge and/or compete in handball. Focusing initially on grass roots level, promoting competition and establishing talent pathways. It's sustainability is ensured by including equipment, sport specific qualifications through teacher training, involving grassroots level and offer competition as well as talent pathways to the pupils.

This document is an overview, please find all the relevant information in your application pack.

Organisations involved in the programme

- The NGB (EHA England Handball Association)
- Handball Devon
- The CSP(Active Devon)
- Secondary Schools (Applicant)
- Primary schools (Applicant)



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Outcomes of the programme

Secondary Schools:

- NGB Teacher training qualification (Equivalent to a level 2)
- Handball Equipment, all your school needs to play handball
- Participation in level 2 and 3 competitions
- Weekly session delivered by EHA regional academy head coach
- Teaching resources
- Sport leadership in Handball
- Talent pathway opportunities



Primary Schools:

- NGB Teacher training qualification (Equivalent to a level 1)
- EHA regional academy head coach to come into the school one afternoon a week for 6 weeks, to coach pupils and tutor teachers and staff.
- Handball Equipment, all your handball needs to play handball
- Lessons plans + Development plan
- Handball Day Festival / Competition level 2



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School commitment to the programme

Secondary Schools:

- Each School will host a one day handball competition with 3 other HDEC endorsed secondary school.
- Provide a suitable sports hall for a weekly U16 session.
- Participation to Level 3 Handball competition.
- Sport leadership students to organise a tournament for the HDEC endorsed Primaries of their areas.
- Identify one leader/teacher in the school in charge of communication with the HDEC staff.

Primary Schools:

- Attendance to a handball tournament organised by the HDEC endorsed Secondary in their area.
- Sessions delivered by HDEC coach for 6 weeks.
- Teachers to train alongside the coaches during the sessions.
- Identify one leader/teacher in the school to be in charge of communication with the HDEC staff.



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Who is eligible for the programme :

For both Primary and secondary schools the first step to enter the 2014/2015 HDEC programme is to fill in an application form. There are 4 positions available for Secondary schools and 24 positions for Primaries.

The selection will be made upon theses criteria:

Secondary Schools:

- Evidence of previous practice of handball within the school
- Sports facilities
- Area of reach for primaries
- Will to compete and make handball a priority sport in your school.

Primary Schools:

- Desire to discover a new sport
- Appropriate facilities
- Within reasonable distance of a participating HDEC secondary school
- Commitment from teachers and school staff to train alongside HDEC coach during handball lesson



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Cost of the program :

THIS PROGRAMME IS ELIGIBLE FOR CPS FUNDING UNDER THE SATELLITE CLUB SCHEME. OTHER GRANTS MAY ALSO BE APPLICABLE AND WILL BE EXPLORED ON A CASE BY CASE BASIS WHERE INTEREST IS SHOWN.

Secondary Schools:

The initial set up cost for the programme is £200 per school. Ongoing funding will be provided by CPS Satellite Club funding. This will cover everything your school needs to play Handball. The school will be expected to contribute 'in kind', either with free venue provision or staff support. After school clubs will be charged at £1 per pupil.

Primary Schools:

The set up and running costs to a primary school for one year of the HDEC programme will be £620*. There may be funding opportunities by linking with secondary schools as part of the CPS satellite club funding. This programme will provide you with everything you need to confidently teach Handball in the curriculum and extra curricular activities.

* Costs breakdown available in the application forms



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Handball Devon Excellence Centre Staff



Aym Dupuy

Aym has been through the French talent pathway and has played at sub national level, as well as coached regional teams. In the UK he has played for an England division 2 club (Bristol) and holds the NGB level 2 coaching qualification. Aym is now the County Under 16 head coach and South West Regional Academy head coach. He is also a tutor for the NGB and is HDO (Handball Development Officer) for Devon. This enables him to plan for the future with regard to competition, talent pathways, coach development and grass roots support, all within the operating parameters and best practice laid down by the National Governing Body.

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Kata has been playing at high level in her home country (Hungary) where the national sport is handball. NGB Level 2 qualified, she is the head coach for the Devon County girl team and contributed to that team going all the way up to the National finals (Ranked 4th in the country) in the 2013/2014 season.

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