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#### Join Derby County chief executive for the first Jog Derbyshire 5k

There is now less than two weeks until the Jog Derbyshire 5k, so sign up today!

The race will take place on Sunday, September 5 at Shipley Park.

Derby County chief executive Tom Glick has pledged his support and will be running the event with his wife, Maria.

A host of sporting activities will also be on offer including a climbing wall, BMX park, cricket and football coaching, Speedminton and Rock-It-Ball taster sessions and a 2.5 mile history walk.

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#### Derbyshire school pupil becomes English Schools Under 16 golf champion

Derbyshire school pupil Mark Porter has become the English Schools Under 16 golf champion.

14-year-old Mark, a pupil at Brookfield Community School in Chesterfield competed at the 19th English Schools U16 National Championship at Delamere Forest Golf Club in Cheshire.

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#### Award-winning Academy members enjoy garden party at Buckingham Palace

Representatives from the Highfields Sports Leadership Academy have attended a royal garden party at Buckingham Palace after the Academy received The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service.

The group had a fabulous day and spent three hours in the garden, where the Queen, Duke of Edinburgh, Duke of Kent and the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester were in attendance.

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#### New Disability Sport Officer joins Derbyshire Sport

James Cook has been appointed as the new Disability Sport Officer for Derbyshire Sport.

James previously worked as a Competition Manager in Cambridgeshire, and succeeds Catherine Slater who left Derbyshire Sport earlier this year.

James can be contacted on [james.cook@derbyshire.gov.uk](mailto:james.cook@derbyshire.gov.uk) or 01773 571223.



### Glossop Sailing Club wins Activate Your Laser Fleet Innovation Award

Glossop Sailing Club in Derbyshire has won the first ever Activate Your Laser Fleet Award for Innovation.

Thanks to the inventive plans and ideas of its members, the club will spend a day with Olympic, World and European Laser title holder, Skandia Team GBR's Paul Goodison, who is ambassador of the 'Activate' scheme.

Set up by LaserPerformance, the UK Laser Association and the RYA, the 'Activate Your Laser Fleet' programme was launched to increase adult participation in sailing by reinvigorating activity in the number of under-used Laser fleets across the country.

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### The Movement celebrates first birthday

The Movement, an innovative project to get girls more active, has celebrated its first birthday.

The project, a collaboration between Derby County in the Community and Derby City Council, was set up to address the high percentage of 11 to 16 year old girls who don't do enough exercise to be healthy.

Since the launch more than 2,300 girls have registered for a Movement membership card, and it is a featured case study on the Women's Sport and Fitness Foundation website [www.wsff.org.uk](http://www.wsff.org.uk).

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### Be part of the Games with Inspire

The Inspire programme is an opportunity for everyone to be a part of the London 2012 Games; a broad participation programme spanning sport participation, education, sustainability, volunteering and business opportunities and skills. New opportunities are being created to inspire young people and encourage the whole of the UK to join in.

Successful projects get to be "Part of the Games" and the marketing opportunities available will help to raise the profile of the project and showcase its success.

Opportunities include being featured on the:

- 2012 photo slideshow
- 2012 explore map
- Championing the East Midlands Website
- London 2012 Inspire Website

There is also the potential for national media coverage.

Anyone interested in applying for the Inspire Mark should contact Regional Inspire Programmer Emma Burke on [emmaburke@emd.org.uk](mailto:emmaburke@emd.org.uk) or 0115 988 8390.

Or to find out more please visit: [www.london2012.com/get-involved/inspire-](http://www.london2012.com/get-involved/inspire-)

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## Focus on Funding

Derbyshire Community Foundation – Comic Relief Fund

The Derbyshire Community Foundation is an independent local charity, which makes grants to voluntary and community groups, to tackle disadvantage and improve the quality of life for people throughout the county.

The Foundation runs a number of different grant schemes which includes the Comic Relief Fund. The Comic Relief Fund provides grants to small groups / organisations from £1,000 to a maximum of £10,000.

The Comic Relief Fund has been split into two distinct pots one of which is related to sports. Applications should feature projects that aim to:

- Increase access to sport and exercise for people who face social exclusion and isolation.
- Alternatively the project could be helping people who are experiencing difficulties in their lives.

The Fund will support both revenue costs (ongoing costs to support the running of the project), and capital costs (pieces of equipment to help run the activity).

The Fund is supposed to support long term change; therefore the Foundation detail that it is unlikely to support one-off events unless it is a pilot or consultation to attract further funds.

The Foundation advises that you should contact the grants team to discuss your project ideas before applying. For more information please telephone 01773 514850 or visit the website at [www.derbyshirecommunityfoundation.co.uk](http://www.derbyshirecommunityfoundation.co.uk)



## Derby Wheelblazers hosts action-packed weekend of wheelchair basketball

Derby Wheelblazers hosted an action-packed weekend of wheelchair basketball in memory of one of the members of its junior team, who died in 2008.

The Josh Ginns Memorial Weekend charity fundraiser was held at Moorways Sport centre in Derby, on Saturday, August 7 and Sunday, August 8, and was supported by Derbyshire Sport and Championing Derbyshire.

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## Join the Derby Hospitals Charity Challenge

Derbyshire County Cricket Club is hosting the Derby Hospitals Charity Challenge on Sunday, September 12.

Teams of four will:

- Tackle an Assault Course
- Take part in command tasks
- Take good aim in the shooting range

For more details about this event and others such as the Chatsworth Walk, Derby Bike Ride, Dark Peak Mountain Bike Challenge and High Peak Trail Winter Challenge Hike visit our events section.

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## Derbyshire makes debut at English Boys County Finals

Derbyshire is making its first appearance in golf's English Boys County Finals.

Derbyshire, which qualified after the team became Midland Champions, has never made it through to the final four before.

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## Young leaders to attend UK School Games as part of International Inspiration project

A young leader from Anthony Gell School has been selected to attend the UK School Games as part of the International Inspiration programme.

Miles Curtis will act as the school's International Inspiration Ambassador, and will join a representative from Kushtia Government High School for Girls in Bangladesh – Anthony Gell's partner school in the programme – at the UK School Games next month.

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## £20,000 facelift for Chesterfield tennis courts

Budding tennis players can now take advantage of the recently refurbished tennis courts at Queen's Park Annexe in Chesterfield.

A £20,000 facelift includes a new macadam surface with coloured court markings, drainage, new tennis posts and nets and repairs to fencing.

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## Donations help further club's ground development

Clifton Cricket Club has received donations totalling £920 which has helped further the club's ground development.

The club has used the money to buy a new cover for the square, which will mean better protection for the pitches and less likelihood of rain-affected games.

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## Looking for a new job in sport?

Check out our job vacancies section for details of current roles such as Temporary Outdoor Activities Community Sports Coach, Swimming Development Assistants, Netball and Multi Skills Coach and Casual Sports Coaches.

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