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Derbyshire to host National School Sailing Association National Youth Regatta

Derbyshire is to host this year's National School Sailing Association National Youth Regatta – the biggest event of its kind in the UK.

Derbyshire Youth Sailing has been chosen as this year's host association for the prestigious event to be held at Carsington Water from July 21 to 25, with Carsington Sailing Club acting as the host club.

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Cash injection to help train Derbyshire's sporting workforce

An enhanced training programme is to be delivered to those working within sport in Derbyshire, thanks to additional funding from Sport England.

Derbyshire Sport is to receive just over £32,000 after its



workforce development Community Investment Fund bid was given Stage Two approval.

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Community Coach shares leadership skills in Malawi

A Community Sports Coach from Derbyshire has shared some of her leadership skills with young coaches in Africa, during a trip to Malawi.



Emily Simpkins, a Football In The Community coach at Derby County FC, was one of only four young leaders from the UK selected to represent the FA on the trip.

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Team Challenge runners under starter's orders

The Championing Derbyshire Corporate Team Challenge has been officially launched by Sporting Futures.



The race will see workmates joining together to compete in this year's Derbyshire Building Society 10k. A total of 19 teams have so far signed up, with more than 1,300 entrants in the overall event.

Around 30 people also took part in a [Breakfast Run](#) to prepare for the event. The race limit is 3,000 - so sign up now.

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Chesterfield's 'Magnificent Seven' receive Talented Athlete Fund bursaries

Sporting stars from Chesterfield and North East Derbyshire have been presented with £300 bursaries from the Derbyshire Talented Athlete Fund.



Cheque presentations were held at [Chesterfield Town Hall](#) on February 1 and [Dronfield Henry Fanshawe School](#) on January 21.

Also new on the Derbyshire Sport website

Gymnasts compete for glory at county festival - More than 80 school pupils competed in Derbyshire's first [Secondary Schools County Competition](#) for gymnastics, held at Tupton Hall School Sports Centre.



Groups look to develop disability sport -

New Disability Sports Networks have been formed for

[Erewash](#) and the [Derbyshire Dales](#).

Community Sports Coaches begin work in Amber

Valley - John Cooper and Craig Statham have [joined the team](#) to deliver high-quality sports coaching.

Step Into Sport comes to the Derbyshire Dales -

Around 30 school pupils found out about volunteering opportunities in sport during an event at [Ashbourne Leisure Centre](#), where guest speaker was Olympic Medallist Bryan Steel.

Sport Relief and Race for Life come to Derbyshire -

Details of seven [Sport Relief Miles](#) to be held in the county on March 16, and five 5k [Race for Life](#) events to be held in May and July have been announced.

Partners working together to improve the lives of the people in Derbyshire through sport and active recreation.

Partners

Amber Valley Borough Council, Bolsover District Council, Chesterfield Borough Council, Derby City Council, Derbyshire County Council, Derbyshire Dales District Council, Erewash Borough Council, High Peak Borough Council, North East Derbyshire District Council, South Derbyshire District Council, Peak District National Park Authority, Sport England, Sport Governing Bodies, Further and Higher Education, School Sport Partnerships, Local Sports Networks.

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