

Application information sheet

Welcome to the information sheet for the application process to be part of the second Young Person's Sport Panel.

Want to be a voice for young people with disabilities in sport?

- Shaping agendas
- Supporting and Creating Opportunities
- Identifying successes and effective practice

Who are we looking for?

- People living in Scotland
- Young people with a disability aged between 16 -24
- Committed and enthusiastic about disability sport?
- People with up to 4 hours a month to commit
- Ability to attend quarterly meetings (in person or online)
- Who want to make a difference in disability sport
- Ability to commit to a 3 year term from 2020-2023

Benefits of being involved...

- Personal development building skills, knowledge and expertise
- Enhance Curriculum Vitae
- Support other young people with a disability

How do I apply?

The options for applying are:

- Email application
- Printed application
- Video application



Email online

It should take you around **20 minutes** to complete the application. Please answer the questions below and send by email to Jennifer.barsby@scottishdisabilitysport.com

Printed application form

If you wish to send in a printed application, the address is:

Scottish Disability Sport 1 Redheughs Rigg Edinburgh EH12 9DQ

Video application

If you wish to apply through a video application, you will need to record your film before you start your application so you have the web address ready to paste into the correct question. Or you can email this to Jennifer.barsby@scottishdisabilitysport.com

When completing the application please state the question and then give your answer. Each answer should be 1 minute of less therefore a total length of 3 minutes or less.

Closing date

The closing date for all applications is **noon on Friday 14 February 2020.**

What you need to know

Each of the three questions require 200 words or less. If you are using video, it should be 1 minute or less per question, 3 minutes or less in total.



Questions

The questions are on the application form below, along with some examples to help you prepare for the application. These are only suggestions so please add anything you feel would strengthen your application.



Referee

Supply us with the contact details of a referee this could be a teacher, coach, support worker, work colleague or someone similar (where possible this should not be a relative, family member or friend).

What happens next?

- The next stage is an informal chat at the start of the evening with the current Young Person's Sport Panel then a short 30 – 45 minute interview
- We will contact you if you are successfully through to this stage
- We also offer an option to applicants living further afield from the venues to skype/video conference for this stage.
- Travel expenses incurred will be reimbursed to applicants for all stages (within reason), you will be required on the day to fill in a form and provide any travel receipts for processing.
- Travel expenses incurred for attendance at panel meetings will also be reimbursed within reason

Your application will not be passed to any third parties or be used for any other purposes.

If you have any additional support requirements or would like the application in a different format please contact Jennifer Barsby

Any queries please contact Jennifer Barsby: Jennifer.barsby@scottishdisabilitysport.com

GOOD LUCK and we look forward to receiving your applications!