Cheshire Centre for Independent Living

Get Yourself Active project
WHO ARE CCIL?

- Formed in 1992
- User led organisation driven by the needs and aspirations of disabled people
- Registered Charity and Limited Company
Ambitions through this project

- To strengthen the relationship between CCIL (and other support services) with the sport and leisure sector.

- To be confident when signposting disabled people to activities and leisure centres, they will receive a good customer service.

- A culture where sport and leisure is implemented in support plans for residents across Cheshire
What we have achieved so far

- Engaged with commissioners introducing the idea of PHB/DPs being spent on sport and leisure activities.

- Introduced the idea of IFI accreditation to leisure organisations operating in Cheshire West and Cheshire East.

- Supported disabled people from local day care centres into sporting opportunities.

- Consulted to understand what people want and the barriers stopping them accessing local activities.

- Advising clubs and leisure centres to be more inclusive around promotion and physical accessibility.
Supporting sporting organisations

Contact

Introduced the concept of Get Yourself Active

Support

Attended North West Regional Disability Tennis Network Forum

Implementation

CCIL training will be implemented Disability Tennis Network 2016 plans and CCIL will continue to represent DPULOs at this forum.
Partnership working

- Training focusing on inclusivity
- Highlighting demand and gaps in provision
- Sports and leisure Club
- Guidance on accessibility
- Disability landscape and groups to contact
Consultation: Our findings to date

Barriers
- Knowledge of the activities
- Ability to spend DPs and PHBs on sport and leisure.
- Confidence in service received.

Structure
- Flexible
- 2 hours maximum
- Activities that have an element of socialising

Activities
- Respondents expressed swimming, dance, cricket and cycling to be the activities they would like to access.
Key strategic partners

- Active Cheshire
- Brio Leisure
- everybody
- david lewis
- Cheshire County Golf Partnership
- English Federation of Disability Sport
- Cheshire FA
- Tennis Foundation
- Western Cheshire
Who are Active Cheshire?

• Formed in 1989 - formerly known as Sport Cheshire

• Mandated by Sport England

• Strategic body for Sport and physical activity in the Sub region

• Charity and limited Company
What do we do?

• Active Cheshire’s main aim is to get 50,000 more people, more active, more often by 2017

• We invest approximately £500k annually

• We are not just about SPORT!

• We work with:

Our Patrons: David Briggs MBE K.St.J, Lord Lieutenant of Cheshire, Sir Phillip Craven MBE, President of the International Paralympic Committee, The Lord Daresbury, David Newton, Fiona Bruce MP, Graham Evans MP
The partnership

• Front of house training for leisure staff
• Training for clubs, groups and private operators
• Mystery shopping
• Consultation
• Portal Testing
• Personal Budgets membership
Thank you for listening.