



Child Protection in Sport Unit

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Relay: December 2014

Season's greetings and welcome to the December edition of the Child Protection in Sport Unit newsletter.

In October, we held our annual lead officer event. We were thrilled that 92 lead officers attended this event. You can find more details about the event and how the participants will take the learning back to their organisations later in the newsletter.

Also in this issue, we'll look at the work we're currently contributing to with the international safeguarding children in sport working group.

We've also been busy supporting Anti-bullying Week 2014, our Twitter account has been non-stop. We spoke to Sport Nottinghamshire to find out what they've been doing to tackle bullying in their area.

If you have any feedback or would like to ask us a question, please [get in touch](#) – it would be great to hear from you.

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CPSU annual Lead Officer event

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In October, we held our annual safeguarding event for lead officers. The event provided lead officers with the opportunity to hear presentations, attend workshops and network. Information and resources were also provided to support lead officers with their essential safeguarding work. Some of the topics covered at the event included; preventing sexualised violence in sport, involving children and young people; influencing schools and leisure services; anti-bullying; positive leadership; and learning from cases. [Read more](#)

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International standards for safeguarding and protecting children in sport

The international safeguarding children in sport working group (of which the Child Protection in Sport Unit is a founding member) has made great strides in its aim to ensure safe sporting environments for all children across the world. On 30 November, the new International Safeguards for Children in Sport were launched at the Beyond Sport Summit in Johannesburg. Several UK based bodies have been involved in piloting the safeguards. They'll help set out expectations for our child athletes when they travel abroad and outline safeguarding expectations for youth teams from abroad who are competing in the UK. [Read more](#)

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Sport Nottinghamshire tackle bullying

Sport Nottinghamshire's anti-bullying coordinator tells us what they've been doing to tackle bullying. Following a survey in 2012 to find out from young people what might influence or discourage them from participating in sports activities both in and out of school; Sport Nottinghamshire produced some training specifically for sport and the community sport environment. This work has been widely embraced and additional resources have been developed to support the training, including holding extra workshops during this year's anti-bullying week. [Read more](#)

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