



## WANDERER'S SPORTS ASSOCIATION

The Wanderer's Sports Association is a voluntary organisation providing sporting opportunities for children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities. A variety of sporting events, are arranged with support from regional schools, which encourage engagement, participation and achievement and brings pupils together from across the North East.

### **Sporting events provide a range of benefits such as:**

- promoting activeness
- developing fundamental motor and physical fitness skills
- improving sensory skills
- support development of social skills and teamwork
- motivate and improve confidence and self-esteem

**Our aim is to help children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities discover the pleasures of being involved in sport, from the enjoyment of learning new skills, to on-going social involvement and friendship.**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
<b>Wed 3 October 2018</b>	<b>Cross Country</b>	<b>Temple Park</b> Ian Kendall (SGO)
<b>Tues 16 October 2018</b>	<b>Football &lt;14,16</b> (booked)	<b>Walker Activity Dome, Newcastle</b> Steve Langley, Reggie Doran
<b>Thurs 18 October 2018</b>	<b>Football &lt;11</b> (book 2-weeks before)	<b>Washington Leisure Centre</b> Ann Walsh
<b>Wed 7 November 2018</b>	<b>Gymnastics</b>	<b>Northern Hope in Birtley</b> Steve Langley and gym tutor
<b>Wed 28 November 2018</b>	<b>Basketball &lt;11</b>	<b>Venue: tbc</b> Briony Tonge
<b>Wed 12 December 2018</b>	<b>Basketball &lt;14,16</b> (booked)	<b>Temple Park Centre</b> Steve Langley
<b>Tue 15 January 2019</b>	<b>Swimming &lt;14,16</b> (booked)	<b>Hebburn Pool</b> Billy Bell/ Ian Kendall (SGO)
<b>Thurs 31 January 2019</b>	<b>Rebound</b>	<b>Hadrian School</b> David Robinson
<b>Wed 27 February 2019</b>	<b>Inclusive Tennis</b>	<b>Puma Centre tbc</b> Ian Kendall (SGO)
<b>Tues 19 March 2019</b>	<b>Football &lt;11</b> (book 2-weeks before)	<b>Washington Leisure Centre</b> Ann Walsh
<b>Thurs 21 March 2019</b>	<b>Football &lt;14, &lt;16</b> (booked)	<b>Walker Activity Dome, Newcastle</b> Steve Langley, Reggie Doran
<b>Wed 1 May 2019</b>	<b>Badminton &lt;11</b>	<b>John Spence School</b> Adam Pilkington
<b>Tue 7 May 2019</b>	<b>Swimming &lt;11</b> (booked)	<b>Jarrow Community Pool</b> Ann Walsh
<b>Thurs 23 May 2019</b>	<b>Touch Rugby</b>	<b>Venue: Moorbridge School</b> Stephen Dodds
<b>Tue 11 June 2019</b>	<b>Rounder's</b>	<b>Temple Park Centre</b> Zoe Doyle
<b>Tues 18 June 2019</b>	<b>Wanderers 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Sports Awards</b>	Details to be sent out <b>Sponsored by Vision for Education</b>
<b>Wed 26 June 2019</b>	<b>Athletics</b> (booked)	<b>Monkton Stadium</b> All schools

\*Information is sent out prior to each event to only those schools who have signed up as members of the Wanderer's\*

William Bell, Chairperson, Park View School    Ian Kendall, Vice Chair, School Games Organiser  
Dianne Mountain, Treasurer, Epinay School    Ann Walsh, Secretary, Epinay School

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**JOIN NOW - membership is only £170 annually**