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# **ABOUT THE GAMES**

On Saturday 14 June 2025 the Guernsey Sports Commission and Specsavers will host the 11th Guernsey Youth Games. On the day, six teams will compete against each other in 23 different sports.

All children in school years 5 or 6 can take part in the Games by competing in one of the 23 different sports. Once again we're delighted to be welcoming pupils from Alderney.

Participants will represent one of six teams named after some of the amazing wildlife to be found on and around the Scottish island of Orkney, where Guernsey sportsmen and women will be competing in the 2025 International Island Games just a few weeks after the Youth Games. All the children who take part will receive a medal and a team T-shirt.

A trophy will be presented at the Games Day closing ceremony to the team with the most points across all the sports. A Fair Play Trophy will also be presented to the team that receives the most nominations from the coordinators and officials.

The principal aim of the Specsavers Youth Games is to promote the value of sport to island children and the emphasis is on fun, fair play and creating a festival atmosphere. The Games will provide an opportunity for children to take part in a large-scale event, to meet new friends, build confidence and enjoy a positive sporting experience.

The children are asked to try a sport in which they don't normally participate. They'll be given an opportunity to learn as much as possible about their chosen sport at dedicated coaching sessions in the weeks before the Games. These sessions will enable children to learn new skills which will be put to the test on Games Day,



14 June 2025, when the sports host fun competitions culminating in all the children coming together for a final closing ceremony at Footes Lane.

It's important that parents/carers ensure they select sports with training dates that children are able to attend, and that children are also available for the final competition and closing ceremony on Games Day.

Children should wear appropriate clothing for their sport and the weather. For indoor sports please wear non-marking trainers. No jewellery should be worn to any session.

All children should bring a drink to training sessions. For Games Day all children should bring a healthy packed lunch and drink, and wear sun protection. Sun cream should be applied by parents or carers at home.

On Games Day, unless otherwise noted, all sports will be held at the training session venue.

# **WELCOME**



We are delighted once again at Specsavers to be sponsoring and supporting the 11th Guernsey Youth Games.

It really is a special event. With 23 sports available, from archery and basketball to skateboarding and squash, there's something for everyone to get involved with. It's going to be an exciting spring of sport, that's for sure. Young people will be building their confidence, making new friends, mastering a sport and enjoying friendly competition.

There's always a sense of joy and celebration at the Games Day when, after weeks of practice at Youth Games training sessions, young people come together to compete. Our island's youngsters always throw themselves into the event with so much spirit and endeavour, and I'm sure this year will be no exception.

A huge event like this takes a great deal of commitment and hard work from everyone. I'd like to thank the coaches from each sport, the Guernsey Sports Commission, our schools and, of course, the young participants and their families. Everyone comes together to make this event an unforgettable part of Guernsey's sporting diary.

Good luck to everyone taking part.

Dane Hoy Famio

**Dame Mary Perkins** 

Specsavers co-founder



# **HOW TO TAKE PART**

#### Interested? Here's is your guide to taking part in this prestigious event:

**Step 1** Read all the information in this booklet and then decide your top five sports you'd be interested in trying. Remember to choose sports you don't currently play.

Check the training times carefully to make sure that you can attend and check the eligibility criteria to make sure you qualify (for example football and cricket are for girls only). Also make sure you're able to attend Games Day on Saturday 14th June before signing up.

Please note that spaces are limited in some sports and we'll try to allocate places as fairly as possible.

Some training sessions may be weather dependent so alternative dates may need to be provided.

**Step 2** Put your FIVE chosen sports in the 'sports choice list' on the player registration form at the back of this booklet or complete the form online at guernseysports. com/programmes/youth-games/

You will be given one of your five choices.

- Step 3 Fill in all the other details on the player registration form and if you haven't filled it in online hand your paper copy into your school or post it to the Youth Games Coordinator at the Guernsey Sports Commission, Coach House, Beau Sejour, St Peter Port GY1 2DL by Friday 14 March 2025 at the latest.
- **Step 4** Before the Easter holidays you'll get a confirmation letter from the Sports Commission confirming the sport you've been allocated, the team you will be representing and reminding you of the training times, venue and dates.
- **Step 5** Remember Games Day is Saturday 14 June. You'll be competing in your allocated sport in the morning, with the Closing Ceremony at Footes Lane at around 2.30/3pm, so you'll need to be available on that day.

Have fun at squad training – and good luck.

# **HOW THE TEAMS WORK**

We've chosen six animals or birds which live on or around Orkney as our team names.

You'll be selected to compete for one of these teams.



Specsavers will provide T-shirts in each team colour for competitors to wear on Games Day. You'll be able to keep your T-shirt as a souvenir, and medals will also be presented to all participants.

Please make sure you select your t-shirt size when you complete the player registration form.



# **ARCHERY**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Comfortable clothes, not too baggy. No open toed shoes/sandals. The sessions are outdoors, so possibly a warm top (hoodie) or light waterproof.

#### **Main contact**

Steve Yates, Bowmen of Guernsey, Telephone: 07781 150032 Email: steve.yates@cwgsy.net

Archery is an individual sport, but teams will have scores added together.

Training sessions will start with learning the basic safety aspects and how to shoot a recurve bow. Over the sessions you'll learn how to load your arrows, adjust your sight and improve your technique.

On Games Day all archers will shoot a set number of arrows, and the highest team score wins.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 12 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Rovers AC, Port Soif  Note: Should a session be cancelled due to weather, we'll hold an extra one on Thursday	Thursdays 15, 22, 29 May and 5 June	18:00 – 19:30
	12 June.		6

# **ATHLETICS**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

T-shirt, shorts, trainers

#### Main contact

Holly Drake, Tom Druce, Guernsey Athletics Club Telephone: 07839 720021

Email: club@guernseyathletics.org.gg

If you choose athletics, you'll be introduced to a variety of disciplines during the training sessions, with the emphasis very much on having fun while participating and developing your running, jumping and throwing skills.

On Games Day we'll hold a quadrathlon-style competition with all children taking part in all events – short sprint, long jump, howler throw and running event – to gain as many points as possible for your team.



TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 36 places available				
Teams	Venue	Date	Time	
All teams	Footes Lane Athletic Track	Wednesdays 7, 14, 21 May and 4, 11 June	16.30 – 17.30	

# **BADMINTON**

#### Open to

Girls and boys

#### **Clothing required**

Non-marking trainers, shorts, and t-shirt

#### **Main contact**

Guernsey Badminton Association Telephone: 07781 131798 or 07781 125768 Email: juniors@badminton.org.gg

Badminton is a racquet sport that's great to play with your friends or on your own.

Training sessions will start with learning the basics of the sport, the rules, and the court areas. You'll develop your skills over the weeks to improve your serving, hitting underarm and overhead shots, and game practice.

On Games Day all players will have the chance to play group matches representing your allocated team.

There are plenty of opportunities to carry on playing badminton after the Youth Games.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 60 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Rohais Badminton Halls	Fridays 2, 16, 23 May	16:00 – 17:30
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# **BASKETBALL**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Sports clothing, preferably shorts and T-shirt and non-marking trainers/basketball boots. Bring a water bottle.

#### **Main contact**

Pat Ogier,

Head of Development, Guernsey Basketball Telephone: 07781 107984

Email: guernseybasketball@outlook.com

Basketball is a fun team game.

There will be four training sessions leading up the Youth Games, where you will learn basic basketball skills from qualified coaches who will teach you the skills you need to play in a round robin tournament on Games Day.

You can carry on playing basketball after the Youth Games by joining Guernsey Basketball's Future Stars programme.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 60 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Beau Sejour Leisure Centre – Sports Hall	Mondays 12, 19 May and 2, 9 June	18.00 – 19.30
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# **BOWLS**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Flat shoes or trainers

#### Main contact

Chris Dyer,

Guernsey Bowling Club Telephone: 07839 195910

Email: gbc1927@yahoo.com or cdyermuratti@outlook.com

Bowls is a fun sport for all ages and abilities and can be played indoors or outdoors. We will be playing outdoors for the Youth Games.

It's a skilful and relaxing game and can be very competitive. You can play as individuals, pairs, or small teams.

There are lots of opportunities to carry on playing outside of the Youth Games.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 18 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Guernsey Bowling Club – Beau Sejour (outdoors)	Wednesdays 14, 21 May and 4, 11 June	16.00 – 17.30
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# **BOXING**

#### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Trainers and loose clothing. Please bring a drink

#### **Main contact**

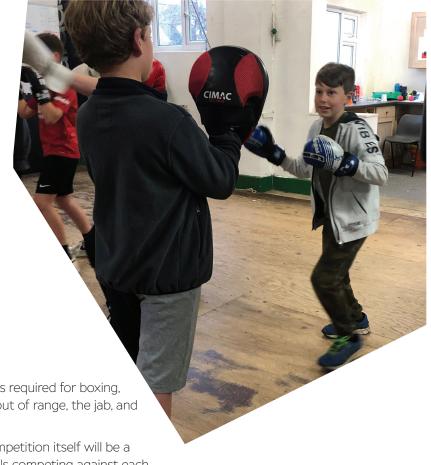
Mandy Hobart, Boxing Development Officer, Guernsey Amalgamated Boxing Club Telephone: 07781 102340 Email: mandy@guernseyboxing.com

Boxing in the Youth Games will be non-contact.

Training sessions will start with learning the basic skills required for boxing, focusing on footwork drills, movement in range and out of range, the jab, and rules of the competition.

Training days will be at the club in St Martin's. The competition itself will be a tag boxing competition. Games Day will see individuals competing against each other to add to their team's total score.

All equipment will be supplied.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 24 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Guernsey Amalgamated Boxing Club, Route des Couture, St Martin's	Thursdays 1, 8, 15, 22 May and 5, 12 June	17.00 – 17.45
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# **CLIMBING**

### Open to

Girls and boys

#### **Clothing required**

Active sportswear (no skirts or dresses)

#### Main contact

Thomas Humpage, Up Climbing

Telephone: 01481 255799 Email: admin@upclimbing.gg

Training sessions will consist of how to behave safely in a climbing gym environment, learning how to warm up for climbing, learning specific climbing movement and techniques, and climbing terminology.

Participants will also be taught the rules and regulations of competition climbing, developing general climbing skills including balance, coordination, precise footwork, transferring weight, climbing fitness and hand-to-eye coordination.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 36 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
Orcas Curlews Otters	UP Climbing, The Galaad Rue De Galaad, Vale, GY5 7FJ	Saturdays 3, 10 17 May and 7 June	12.00 – 13.30
Kittiwakes Dolphins Oystercatchers	UP Climbing, The Galaad Rue De Galaad, Vale, GY5 7FJ	Saturdays 3, 10 17 May and 7 June	13.45 – 15.15 12

# **CRICKET**

### Open to

Girls only

### **Clothing required**

Sportswear, trainers and bring a water bottle. All other equipment will be provided.

#### Main contact

Ben Ferbrache, Guernsey Cricket

Telephone: 07781 405209

Email: ben@guernseycricket.com



Cricket is a striking and fielding game played between two teams.

Both teams get to bat and field, with the winning team being the one with the most runs (or points) at the end of the game.

The training sessions will be a mixture of learning and practising skills and the rules of cricket, and playing lots of fun games to bring everything together.

On Games Day we'll have a fun eight-a-side Kwik Cricket competition.

TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 48 places available				
Teams	Venue	Date	Time	
All teams	KGV playing fields (Outdoors)  Note: Should a session be cancelled due to weather, we'll hold an extra one on Friday 13 June.	Fridays 2, 16, 23 May and 6 June	16.30 – 18.00	

# **CYCLING**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Sport/leisure clothing with trainers appropriate for varying weather conditions. Helmets are compulsory.

#### **Main contact**

Paul de Garis, Guernsey Velo Club Telephone: 07781 102118 Email: paul@qvc.qq



All children must have a roadworthy bike.

Cycling has been made popular over the years with British riders Bradley Wiggins, Chris Froome and Geraint Thomas all winning the Tour de France. On the off-road we've had Tom Pidcock winning gold at the Paris Olympics.

The Guernsey Velo Club has been organising road racing and mountain bike racing and, more recently, cyclocross in Guernsey for more than 50 years. Our junior racing squad have successfully competed in the UK and France and the Guernsey Cycling Team has achieved gold medals at the Island Games. More recently Guernsey Cycling performed brilliantly at the 2022 Birmingham Commonwealth Games.

Training sessions will be held at Delancey Park with basic skills being taught on the grass. The racing will be on a combination of Tarmac and off-road and riders will experience fun racing which will be an ideal introduction to the sport.

# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are up to 20 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Delancey Park	Sundays 4, 11, 18, 25 May and 1, 8 June	10.30 – 11.30
			14

# **FENCING**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Sportswear, trainers and bring a water bottle. All other equipment will be provided.

#### **Main contact**

Meyrick Simmonds, Sarnia Sword Club Telephone: 01481 242611 Email: meyrick.simmonds@cwgsy.net



Fencing is an individual sport based on sword fighting. It's one of five sports which have been permanent fixtures at the Olympic Games since the first modern Games were held in 1896.

Training sessions will involve footwork, blade work, pair exercises and practice bouts. All training will be supervised by qualified coaches, assisted by experienced fencers. Fencing kit and weapons will be provided.

It's important that you are able to attend all the training dates to prepare for the fun competition on Games Day.

# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are up to 24 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Beau Sejour Sports Hall	Wednesdays 14, 21 May and 4, 11 June	Wednesdays 17.30 to 18.30
		Sundays 18 May and 1 June	Sundays 14.00 - 15.00
15			

# **FOOTBALL**

### Open to

Girls only

### **Clothing required**

Football boots and shin pads must be worn to all sessions

#### **Main contact**

Joelle Priaulx, Guernsey Football Association Telephone: 07781 441680

Email: joelle.pengelley@guernseyfa.com

The six training sessions will develop your understanding of the rules of football and each week will focus on a technical element leading into match play.

You'll develop team skills, technical skills, and tactics of football in a fun environment ending with a round-robin tournament on Games Day, where all teams will play against each other.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are a minimum of 42 and up to 60 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Victoria Park, Victoria Avenue	Fridays 16, 23 May and 6, 13 June	16.30 – 18.00
			16

# **HOCKEY**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Gum shield required and trainers. Shin pads and hockey stick if you have them – if not they can be borrowed from the club.

#### **Main contact**

Teya Sheppard, Hockey Development Officer, Telephone: 07781 116919 Email: hdo@guernseyhockey.com

Hockey is a fast-paced team invasion game played on an AstroTurf pitch.

You'll develop key skills such as passing, dribbling, tackling and shooting through lots of fun training games and activities. We'll then put all our skills into action in a seven-a-side match format on Games Day.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 60 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	The Hockey Club, Footes Lane	Wednesdays 14, 21 May and 4, 11 June	17.30 – 19.00
17			

# **JUDO**

#### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Tracksuit, jogging bottoms or leggings (no shorts), T-shirt

#### Main contact

Edward Mann

Telephone: 07839 191900

Email: guernseyjudoclub@gmail.com

Judo is a martial art and Olympic sport.

Each training session will be one hour long, with a total of six sessions. You'll learn the basics of judo, which will provide you with the knowledge to take part in the Games Day competition against each other.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 18 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Elizabeth College Sports Hall	Wednesdays 9, 30 April, 7, 28 May and 4, 11 June	18.30 – 19.30
			18

# LIFESAVING RACING/SUP (STAND-UP PADDLE BOARDING)

#### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Full length wetsuit if you have one (if not we can provide one), swim shoes (optional), swimming gear, towel or wrap and something warm to put on afterwards

#### Main contact

Alan Jenner, Outdoor and Adventure Sports Development Officer Telephone: 07781 118253

Email: alan.jenner@guernseysports.com



### Children must be water confident and able to swim at least 100m without stopping to be considered for a place

This is a unique opportunity to train for a swim/prone/SUP (SPS) race, combining water skills with SUP to develop and improve lifesaving capabilities. This Youth Games event will be a multisport event covering a swim, SUP board prone paddle (kneeling and using hands only, and a SUP (standing up) paddle, all in a competition format. The competitors will be asked to undertake a short beach entry race swim around a buoy and back to the beach, collect a SUP board and then prone paddle out to a buoy, paddle back to the beach and grab a SUP paddle, stand up and paddle out to a buoy and back. The event will have heats, which will include a repechage or wild card, so there's more than one opportunity of getting to the final and adding to your team's points tally. If you're interested in swimming or SUP or surfing and lifesaving, this is the event for you, and we're going to have heaps of fun.

Please only sign up to this if you can be flexible about training times – we may need to add in additional training sessions if planned sessions are cancelled because of the weather.

TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 12 places available					
Teams	Venue	Date	Time		
All teams	La Vallette Bathing Pools (introduction session not on the water)	Thursday 1 May	17.00 – 17.45		
All teams split into two groups TBC	Pembroke or Bathing Pools/Havelet	Saturdays 3, 10, 17, 24 May and 7 June	Morning - start time dependent on tides		

# **NETBALL FAST5**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Shorts kit and trainers suitable for court use

### **Main** contact

Sally Carns, Director of Netball, Guernsey Netball Association Telephone: 07839 209911

Email: coach@guernseynetball.gg

FAST5 is netball like you've never seen it before, with five players to a side, shorter quarters, power play, and super shots – this is a game you don't want to miss.

We hope to have a mixed section and a girls' section this year introducing this fun and different variation of our wonderful game.



IKAINING	DAIES AND	IIMES -	There are 72	2 places ava	ilable

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Beau Sejour Outdoor Netball Courts	Thursdays 1, 15, 22 May	17.30 – 19.30
			20

# **PADEL**

#### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Trainers and sports kit.
Other equipment will be provided

#### **Main contact**

Sara Woolland, Guernsey Padel or Dominic Woolland (coach) Telephone: 07781 100051 or 07781 100729 Email: sara.woolland@gmail.com

Padel is one of the fastest growing sports in the world. A hybrid of tennis and squash, it's most similar to tennis but played inside a glass box where the ball can bounce off the walls.

Padel is fun, sociable and easy to pick up. It's much easier than other racquet sports and can be enjoyed by everyone.

Guernsey has some of the top young padel players in the UK.



IRAINING DAIES AND TIMES - There are 16 places available					
Teams	Venue	Date	Time		
Orcas Curlews Otters	Guernsey Tennis Centre, Longcamps	Tuesdays 29 April, 6, 13, 20 May and 3, 10 June	16.00 – 17.00		
Kittiwakes Dolphins Oystercatchers	Guernsey Tennis Centre, Longcamps	Wednesdays 30 April, 7, 14, 21 May and 4, 11 June	16.00 – 17.00		

# **RUGBY**

#### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Gumshield, football/rugby boots

#### Main contact

Brad Webb, Guernsey Rugby Telephone: 07781 455127

Email: bradwebb616@hotmail.com

On our training days we'll be focusing on building confidence around tackling and contact skills. We'll also be learning the laws and core values of rugby through practise games.

Competition day will consist of a round robin style competition where each team will play everyone in a variation of contact rugby.

There are plenty of opportunities to continue with rugby after the Youth Games.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 48 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Guernsey Rugby Training Pitch, Footes Lane (behind the car park next to the nursery)	Wednesdays 30 April, 7, 14, 21 May, 4, 11 June	16.30 – 17.30
			22

# **SAILING**

#### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Warm clothes or wetsuit to sail in, trainers/water shoes that can get wet, spare change of clothes and shoes, towel.

#### Main contact

Sarah Creasey

Telephone: 01481 710877 Email: info@sailingtrust.org.gg

All sailing, training and competition will be held on the Model Yacht Pond.

Sailors will be taught to sail the Oppie dinghies, one sailor per boat. By the end of the training, you'll be able to sail a reach-to-reach course, tacking at each end.

This course will be used for the Games Day competition with sailors lining up along the wall to start. You'll compete as individuals with your scores being combined with other team members to work out the winning sailing team.



TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 24 places available				
Teams	Venue	Date	Time	
Orcas Curlews Otters	Guernsey Sailing Trust, Model Yacht Pond	Tuesdays 13, 20 May and 3, 10 June	15.45 - 17.15	
Kittiwakes Dolphins Oystercatchers 23	Guernsey Sailing Trust, Model Yacht Pond	Thursdays 15, 22 May and 5, 12 June	15.45 - 17.15	

# **SKATEBOARDING**

#### Open to

Girls and boys

#### **Clothing required**

Skate shoes or trainers

#### **Main contact**

Tim Gaudion, Guernsey Skate Parks Telephone: 07911 130690 Email: info@guernseyskateparks.com

Skateboarding lessons take place every Saturday morning from 09:00 until 12:00 at the Jubilee Skatepark, Beau Sejour. Instructors will be at the skatepark during this time to help you learn to skateboard and progress your skills.

You'll need to be able to attend at least three of these regular sessions for our Youth Games training – we recommend coming every Saturday that you're able to. Skateboards and helmets are available to borrow for the lessons.

Complete beginners will start learning the basics on the street sections and banks around the skatepark, while more advanced skaters can also use the bowl and halfpipe and mini ramps.

The Games Day competition will be a skate jam at the Jubilee Skatepark, and we'll be looking to see which skaters have progressed the most.

# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 18 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Jubilee Skatepark, Beau Sejour	Saturdays – apart from during Easter holidays – you can start whenever, but need to attend at least three sessions before Games Day	09.00 – 12.00 24



# **SOFTBALL**

#### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Trainers or football boots

#### **Main contacts**

Sam Richardson, Guernsey Softball Association Telephone: 07781 424075

Email: sam@manorfarmfoods.com

Softball is a game similar to baseball but with a larger, softer ball, smaller field and under arm pitching.

During the training sessions, children will learn the basics of the game i.e., catching, throwing, batting, running the bases and learning where to be when the ball gets hit.

There will be a fun, team competition on Games Day.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 60 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Softball Diamond at Beau Sejour	Saturdays 10, 17 May and 7 June	12.00 – 14.00
25			

# **SQUASH**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Non marking trainers and comfortable sportswear. All other equipment will be provided

#### Contact

Martin Watts,
Squash Development Officer,
Guernsey Squash and Racketball Club
Telephone: 07781 129511 or 01481 714567
Email: office@guernseysquashandracketball.co.uk

Squash is a fast, fun, and enjoyable sport played indoors.

During the training sessions you will learn the shots of the game, rules and tactics allowing you to get the most out of the competition on Games Day.

The training sessions are flexible. If you can't make your designated session, you can attend the alternative one. Participants should try to attend at least four of the training sessions.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 30 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
Orcas Curlews Otters	Beau Sejour	Saturdays 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 May and 7 June	13.00 – 14.00
Kittiwakes Dolphins Oystercatchers	Beau Sejour	Saturdays 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 May and 7 June	14.00 – 15.00 26

# **TABLE TENNIS**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

Trainers

#### Contacts

Becks O'Keefe or Derek Webb, Guernsey Table Tennis Association Telephone: 07781 180140 Email: tabletennis@cwgsy.net

Training sessions will consist of service practice and playing simple rallies. This will enable you to play matches and enjoy the competition on Games Day.

The basic rules of the game will also be part of the sessions.

Teams of three will compete on Games Day.



TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are 18 places available					
Teams	Venue	Date	Time		
All teams	Guernsey Table Tennis Centre, Hougue du Pommier	Tuesday 20 May and 3, 10 June Thursday 22 May and 5, 12 June	18.30 – 19.30		
27					

# **VOLLEYBALL**

### Open to

Girls and boys

### **Clothing required**

General sports kit, trainers

#### Contact

Harry Barrett-Giles, Guernsey Volleyball Association Telephone: 07911 718720

Email: harry.barrett-giles@education.gg

Volleyball is one of the most popular sports globally, boasting the most amateur associations of any sport in the world.

It's explosive, fun, and fast-paced. Teamwork is an absolute necessity.

We look forward to introducing some new participants to our junior volleyball programme.



# TRAINING DATES AND TIMES - There are between 36 and 48 places available

Teams	Venue	Date	Time
All teams	Beau Sejour, Sports Hall	Tuesdays 6, 13, 20, 27 May and 3, 10 June	18.00-19.00
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# **ALDERNEY**

We are delighted to be able to include children from Alderney in this year's Youth Games.

Unfortunately, we're unable to offer all 23 sports to Alderney children, but we will select up to five sports that will be available to children from Y5 and Y6 at St Anne's School.

We'll provide separate detailed information to Alderney children about the sports that will be available, plus the training dates and times – all will be held in Alderney. Some of our Guernsey-based coaches will also travel to the island to deliver training sessions alongside local coaches.

On Games Day, Saturday 14 June, we are aiming to charter Alderney Ferries and/or other charter ferry services to bring the children, their coaches and teachers/helpers to Guernsey for the day to take part in the competition and Closing Ceremony. Obviously, this will be weather dependent.

Further details will be shared as and when details are confirmed.



# SPECSAVERS GUERNSEY YOUTH GAMES 2025 PLAYER REGISTRATION FORM

You can complete and submit the form online at guernseysports.com/programmes/youth-games

My name is			Boy / Girl	
Address				
Postcode	Date of Birth			
Home tel				
Parent contact email				
Emergency contact name and number	er			
School		School year		
My sport choices are (please give 5):				
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
T-shirt size (please circle): Medi	um (age 9-10)	Large (age 11-12)	Extra large (age 12-13)	

This information is provided for the interest of members of the community. The circulation of the information should not be taken as a recommendation or endorsement by the school or Education Services and you should carry out your own enquiries to ensure that you are satisfied with the quality, suitability and safety of the product or service advertised and the identity and character of those providing it.

# **PARENTS**

The Guernsey Sports Commission would like to take pictures of your child taking part in the Specsavers Youth Games. These may be used for publicity purposes, such as in local news or in our promotional materials. Your child may be asked to give a radio and/or television interview to promote young people being involved in sport. Any images and interviews will be taken in line with the Guernsey Sports Commission's safeguarding children policies.

Taking part in sport has an assumed risk. While the Guernsey Sports Commission, the sports organisations and instructors will take all necessary precautions to ensure the safety of participants, unfortunately accidents may occur. It is understood and agreed that individuals participate at their own risk.

Please state any known medical conditions that may af	fect your child during the sessions and your preferred course of action.
	. To the best of my knowledge my child is eligible to take part and fulfils ble for training sessions and Games Day on Saturday 14 June 2025.
Signed	Parent/Guardian
Please print name	Date

To ensure your child's safety, we will be operating a sign-in/sign-out policy on Saturday 14 June 2025. This may take a few minutes, but we would appreciate your patience while we make sure that each child is safely reunited with their parent or guardian. Signs will be posted at the closing ceremony venue to remind parents of this policy.

Please return this player registration form to: 2025 Youth Games Coordinator, The Coach House, Beau Sejour Leisure Centre, Amherst, St Peter Port, GY1 2DL to arrive **no later than Friday 14 March 2025** or hand it in to your school before the closing date.







